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Winston-Muss Moves to **Annex to Woodridge**

Winston Park Estates, LTD., a Delaware corporation is petitioning for annexation to Woodridge. The petition filed

Arnouil To Run For Trustee



Robert Arnouil, 2935 75 st., has filed a petition of candidacy for trustee in the April village election. Arnouil is running as an independent candi-

gate and is not on the slate of either political party.

A resident of Woodridge since July '59, Bob is 38 years of age, the father of 5 children and is an ornamental iron worker by trade.

Since moving to Woodridge, he has been active in numerous community functions. He was the first village building commissioner and was one of the original founders and past president of the Woodridge Athletic association. Presently, he is a member of the village zoning board of appeals. Bob also served as a member of the '59-'60 school district 68 advisory

Arnouil has announced that he wishes to serve as a village trustee because he believes in Woodridge and its people and wishes to contribute his time and effort to see Woodridge grow and its residents prosper. He would like to see the growth of park and recreation facilities and believes everything possible should be done to attract business and industry to Woodridge which he feels will provide services and shopping facilities as well as income and job opportunities for Woodridge people.

CAP Comments On Program

In commenting on the 3-page brochure delivered the weekend of Feb. 23-24, a CAP party spokesman said, "The recent distribution of the CAP brochure on the community center is an additional example of our program to bring detailed issues to the people so that they will fully understand our position on this matter. Our continued efforts in this direction will help to give the people sufficient information to make an informed decision in April." the utility to serve the subdivision.

with the county was signed by a majority of the owners of record of land and a majority of the electors. The petitioners requested that the judge of the county court submit the question of annexation to the corporate authorities of the village of Woodridge. The court has set the hearing for Mar. 12 at 10 a.m. at the county court house, Wheaton.

Not less that 5 days prior to the hearing, any interested person may file his objections with the county clerk.

Village Meeting At School Gym Tonight

The March meeting of the village board will be held at the Woodridge school auditorium on Thursday, Mar. 7, at 8 p.m. In addition to regular business, the results of negotiations between Village officials and the Winston-Muss Corp. will be presented for public discussion. These negotiations will serve as the basis for an agreement between Woodridge and Winston-Muss prior to possible annexation.

Citizens are urged by the board to attend the meeting and express their opinions.

Also to be considered will be the proposed budget for the coming fiscal year May 1, 1963 to April 30, 1964, and adoption of the building code of the Building Officials Conference of America (BOCA) which will incorporate revised building permit fees.

Winston-Muss **Obtains Utility Rights**

Lisle Utility company has been authorized to build a water supply system to serve the Winston Park Estates development near Illinois highway 53 and Hobson road in DuPage county.

Between 1,800 and 2,000 homes will be built in the community in the next five years. Approximately 400 of the homes will be completed by the end of the year. The utility proposes to construct a well, a 500,000 gallon overhead storage tank and a distribution system.

The initial construction will serve the 400 homes and will cost \$373,000. The Illinois Commerce commission authorized

Planning For Pledge Drive





Top: Speaking to an enthusiastic audience of fund drive division chairmen and captains is St. Scholastica's pastor, Father John Kloepfer. Bottom: The division chairmen ltor. D. Newell, R. Himes, P. Zuccaro, A. Ward, P. Quinn, P. O'Neill, R. Dreveny, P. Furio, R. Slezak, R. Reinhart. Unavailable for photo, R. Albee and D. Callahan.

St. Scholastica Launches **Building Fund Drive**

Announcement is being made of a capital fund drive for St. Scholastica parish to provide monies for the first phase of a parish building program. The initial

W.I.P. Sees "Growing Interest"

"The results of the first W.I.P. Friday evening open house indicate a growing interest in the village government," said Tom Church, campaign manager of the Woodridge Independent Party.

One of the purposes of the coffees is to stimulate this interest and let the voters meet the W.I.P. candidates and personally discuss the issues involved in the April 16 election.

Church went on to renew his invitation to all woodridge citizens to "attend as many of these meetings as possible."

Open house will be held at the following homes every Friday night from 8 p.m. on: Deputy clerk Shirley Manges, 7528 Walnut ave.; trustee Robert Manges, 7528 Walnut ave.: trustee Ralph H. Kennell, 7629 Willow ave.; trustee Albert J. Zettler, Jr., 2615 Crabtree ave.; trustee William Woody, Jr., 2627 Crabtree ave. and trustee Robert H. Murphy, 7620 Catalpa ave.

Dance Tickets To Go On Sale

Tickets will go on sale this weekend for the Woodridge Athletic Association's third annual St. Patrick's Day dance which will be held Sat., Mar. 23, from 8:30 to 2 p.m. It will be held again this year at American Legion Post #80, 4000 Saratoga ave., Downers Grove, which is located behind the Downer's Market just off Ogden ave. Jo Sanders six piece combo will provide music to suit all dancers from two-steppers to twisters, including the fast steps of the jazz era.

The annual dance is the one fund raising event sponsored by the not-forprofit association. All proceeds go toward the support of the WAA activities program for youth of the Woodridge area.

plans call for the building of an eight room school building and facilities for a temporary place for church services. The drive will be conducted in conjunction with the diocesan drive for a new minor seminary - to provide a training place for candidates for the priesthood - and additional high school facilities in the DuPage county area. Of immediate interest to the residents of Woodridge will be the expansion of facilities at Sacred Heart Academy for Girls, Lisle.

The organization of the St. Scholastica parish building fund drive is nearing completion. Honorary chairman is the pastor, Father John Kloepfer; general chairman is John Subat; associate chairman is Ed Schreck; publicity and solicitation chairman is Phil Amoruso; meetings chairmen are George Kujawa and Richard Roman; treasurer is Martin Kloepfer; standing committees chairman is Mrs. Marie DiDonna.

The division chairmen are: P.O'Neill, R. Dreveny, R. Himes, A. Ward, P. Quinn, P. Zuccaro, R. Reinhart, D. Newell, R. Slezak, P. Furio, D. Callahan and R. Albee.

Well underway, the pace of the campaign will continue with a Mar. 10 meeting at which time talks will be given by division leaders. Mar. 17 a kick-off dinner is planned for all working on the campaign. Mar. 24 has been set for

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VFW Regrouping

The Woodridge V. F. W. Post #4739. which put its charter in "suspension" last Nov. 18 has decided to regroup. Don O'Shea, senior vice commander, said that several places are being considered for a meeting place. He added that members whose dues extended into 1963 are in the process of being contacted to take part in the regrouping. He said that most of the members contacted so far are very enthusiastic about getting together again.

Anyone interested in becoming a member can obtain further information by calling either commander Bud Guernsey, WO-9-0873 or Bob Reid, WO-8-7724.

Cub Scout Charter Presented



Pictured in the cub scout charter presentation are left to right Robert Lincoln, project chairman; William Blecher, scoutmaster; Robert Schwindy, pack chairman and Earl Samtag, representative of the suburban council of Boy Scouts of America. The occasion was the 2nd annual cub scout blue and gold dinner Feb. 24 at Woodridge school.



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WANTED.. More School Board Candidates!

The colorful campaigns currently being waged for the village elections April 16 have somewhat obscured an equally important school board election that will take place three days earlier, on April 13. Four positions are to be filled, three for three year terms and one for a one year unexpired term.

As we went to press, only two nomination petitions had been obtained for candidacy. The deadline for the filing of petitions is March 23. We hope to see more candidates enter the race by that time.

Those elected to the board will have a tough job ahead of them. It won't be long until the planned Winston-Muss subdivision, which is located in our school district, will be bringing in many more families. Our present school facilities will soon become overcrowded, and plans will have to be made for additional classrooms and teachers.

This newspaper will continue its policy of impartiality for this election. We encourage the candidates to freely express their views, even if it might stir up a public controversy. Issues should be aired so that people may decide for themselves what is right. When people are properly informed and stirred into thinking and then speak out, we have an enlightened and active electorate. And when we have this, the continuance of our democratic form of government is insured.

Report Three Collisions In February

The cases handled by the Woodridge police department during February were varied ranging from a lost driver's license to a head-on auto collision. In total there were three auto collisions handled during February. The head-on collision Feb. 22 on 75th st. near Walnut resulted in a Lemont driver being charged with driving on the wrong side of the road. There were no injuries. The two other collisions were similar in that they occurred after backing out of driveways. On. Feb. 9 a driver backing out of a Forest Glen drive hit a parked car. On Feb. 14 a driver backing out of a Deerfield drive backed into a car driving past.

There were two accidents in the same area on 75th st. An estimated \$40 damage occurred to a car upon hitting a hole in the road. A broken water main was the cause of the hole and broken pavement. The other accident in the same area was a pregnant woman falling on the broken pavement.

There were six cases of dogs running at large. In one case it was necessary to destroy the dog as it attacked the police officers.

Children were involved in many cases which ranged from boys chasing girls on the ice pond to runaway children. There were four runaways reported, 3 boys and an 8 year old girl. None was actually successful at running away. Other cases involving children were: a boy who was removed from the creek by 2 Surety workmen, a boy reported in the storm drain at Crabtree and Woodridge drv., a 10 year old boy injured at school was taken home and then to his family doc-

tor for observation. The boy had fallen and hit his head on the gym floor. There was an investigation of a report of 3 first graders approached by a man in a truck who supposedly offered them candy. The information was turned over to the juvenile authorities.

Other cases handled were: a lost wallet, a report of mail not being picked up, a gas leak, stolen license plates, a fire on 75th st., a phone call relay for someone whose phone was out of order, malicious mischief to a pidgeon coop, a resident turned in 80 shot gun shells, an assist to the sheriff's office when they didn't have a car available for a disturbance at 75th & Main st., larceny of a rotary lawnmower and 55 gallon oil drum, a resident was notified that reckless driving would result in an arrest next time. The police had received a report of his reckless driving on Deerfield at the time kids are going to school.

An escort was provided to Elmhurst hospital for an emergency confinement case. Less than an hour from the time of the call, the Pundsack baby was born.

A prowler was reported on the 7600 block of Willow. Two juveniles had thrown a snowball at the window of the home of the complainant causing her to be alarmed.

Traffic cases for February were: 12 cases of speeding, 1 driving on the wrong side of the road, 2 cases of driving too fast for conditions, 1 expired driver's ligense and 1 failure to have license plates.

First Amendment's Effect

One thing bad about freedom of speech is when a citizen can't think of anything to say he says it anyway.

-Dodge Ctty (Kan.) Globe





TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

The political issue presented by the Citizens Action Party surprises and disturbs me. The citizens of this area voted down a badly needed 18¢-a-month tax increase which would have provided a more nearly adequate school budget. As it stands now, we are operating our school district with a serious deficit, yet the C.A.P. would have us vote a 78¢-a-month tax increase for the luxury of a community center to replace the workable facilities which already exist.

We would all like a community center-also, a swimming pool, street lights, a shopping center, a park with field house, etc., but of what enjoyment will these be if our children's education suffers? Where is your sense of values, C.A.P.? Are you so blinded that you can see nothing but getting the Barn down at no matter what cost to the people?

Just as with family budgeting, we must buy food and clothes before the fancy car or the bigger house. Let's put first things first in our Village, too.

Gloria Watson (Mrs. Edward C. Watson) 7649 Woodridge Drive

Dear Sir,

As an active supporter of the Citizens Action Party, it was with considerable interest that I read the opposition party's recently published "Policy Statement". Some people in the Village have expressed the opinion that this statement was, in many ways, a rebuttal and commentary on C.A.P.'s platform. With this in mind, it is felt that some comment should be made on their publication.

It must first be noted that the opposition, through their use of the words "could promise" failed to make any tangible commitments to the people of the village. Historically, political partys and candidates have felt that tangible "platforms" are requirements when seeking office. How else can the people judge them when they are in office or seeking re-election, but through their ability to keep their campaign commitments. It is believed that the oppositions statement that they will work toward goals falls short of this responsibility to the people.

The opposition party has promised all the required political generalities-"Loyalty", "Integrity", "Welfare of the people", "Good for the Village", etc. We in C.A.P. know that the people of the village recognize these as the motives and character of all candidates seeking office in April.

The "Statement" speaks of the experience of their candidates. This is recognized; but, every person who has ever held office did not always have that experience-the great majority, when <u>first</u> seeking that office, were elected by the voters on the basis of a firm, tangible platform.

Bob Waters

Hold Ping Pong Finals Sunday

John Narducci and Barry Aufmann, last year's champion, will vie for the Woodridge men's singles ping pong championship title. Tentative plans have been made for the two finalists to meet for their championship match at the Woodridge school gym at 3 p.m. Sun., Mar. 10. Ned Hill and Bob Scudder will meet in the consolation match to determine third place winner. The public is welcome.

The matches will be played on a new regulation table to be presented to the Woodridge school by the Woodridge Athletic Association. The table will be purchased from funds that have been set aside for Woodridge young people by the WAA.

Dutch Maid, coin operated laundry and cleaner are among the present tenants. The facilities still available include a larger medical and professional center restaurant accommodations totaling 2, 80 square feet, and completion of which will be present tenants.

The tournament progressed through the playoff stages last week with the following eight qualified contenders for the title: Barry Aufmann, Stan Czart, Ned Hill, Bob Kruizenga, Gene Okonski, Jack Moxley, John Narducci and Bob Scudder.

The Woodridge Athletic Association will hold its regular meeting Mar. 12 at 8 p.m. at the village hall. The agenda for this meeting includes a discussion of insurance for baseball and baseball teams. Guestions on insurance coverage will be answered.

Shopping Center At 63rd & Main Nears Completion

Green Knolls shopping center at 63rd and Main in Downers Grove is now leased to two-thirds capacity. The newly-constructed center is not as vet ready for the public, but Otto Jelinek, owner-developer and Harold J. Carlson, head of the Commercial Management department of Baird & Warner, Inc., who are managing the center, indicated that full occupancy will probably coincide with the completion of construction early this spring. W.T. Grant, Red Owl Foods, Rexall Drugs, Dutch Maid, coin operated laundry and dry The facilities still available include a larger medical and professional center; restaurant accommodations totaling 2, 800 square feet, and completion of which will be held in order to conform to the specifications of the lessee; facilities for a hardware store with a total of 5,000 square feet; two small stores, 1,200 square feet each; and an area suitable for a small beauty shop.

The final day for baseball registration will be Mar. 16. Registration will be at the village hall. However, anyone wanting registration forms may pick them up at 7741 Westview.

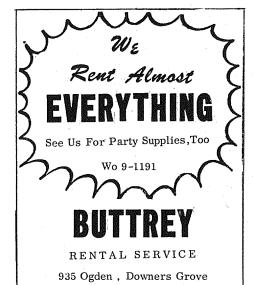
Any men interested in helping with baseball should contact Virgil McPherson, Wo 9-4167.

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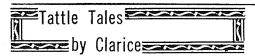
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Woodridge like much of the midwest and eastern seaboard has suffered from far more than the normal amount of midwinter illness. Flu, strep infections (scarlet fever) or tonsilitis have affected at least one in most Woodridge families, and in many cases almost the entire family has been affected. With reports of crocuses sprouting out of the ground, perhaps a better spring is just around the corner.

WELCOME to the WORLD

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dillon, 2801
Everglade, are proud to announce the birth of ANNE MARIE DILLON. Anne Marie made her appearance Jan. 29 at Hinsdale hospital weighing in at 8 lbs. Welcoming her home were four brothers, Kevin, Jeffrey, Stephen and Bobby. The maternal grandparents, Mr. & Mrs. John Majerus, live in Aurora. Mr. and Mrs. F.J. Dillon, the paternal grandparents, live in Downers Grove.

Miss PAMELA SUE MASEK is the newest resident at 2836 Everglade. She is the brand new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Masek. Pamela was born on Jan. 30.

John and Elsie Howie, 7648 Catalpa welcomed a baby girl to their family on Feb. 27. VICTORIA ELIZABETH HOWIE weighed 5 lbs. 4-1/2 oz at Community Memorial hospital. The Howies have a son John who is 2 years old.

A third son, Gregory Lee, was born Feb. 8 to MR. AND MRS. RICHARD ROMAN, 7621 Sprucewood. He weighed 8 pounds and 11 ounces on arrival at Hinsdale hospital. Brothers and sister are: Christopher, 6; Mark, 5 and Pamela, 2. The children's grandparents all reside in Richmond, Indiana. Mrs. Glenna Cox is the maternal grandmother; paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Roman.

Pill Problems

It would seem that tranquilizers are not a solution to what bothers us but rather a circumvention. We are refusing to face up to our problems. Perhaps some day we will find a way to avoid all of our problems by taking pills—and eventually we, not our problems, will disappear.

IT'S ELEMENTARY WOODRIDGE SCHOOL

by Amy Hill

Mrs. Fagan's room has been studying about Lincoln and Washington, and they built a log cabin to represent Lincoln. They have also been making flags.

Mrs. Miley's room is very busy working on a science table. They are now planting different seeds.

In Mrs. Avery's room the children are all making get well cards for Mrs. Avery because she has recently been very ill.

In Mrs. Buchinger's room the children are making cookbooks and animal scrapbooks. They are also making paper fish for mobiles and many other things.

Mrs. Pearson's room is busy planting many different plantation products such as peanuts, wheat, cotton, corn and many others.

Prince Kimo the magician was recently at Woodridge school entertaining everyone with his tricks.

All subscribers of the WNR should have received their Woodridge telephone directory by now. If you have not, please contact Bob Bonk, Wo 9-6491.

DGHS Journal By Lynn Hondlik

Mar. 11, in the auditorium, froshparent night will take place. School will not convene March 18. At 6:30 p.m. on March 20, the booster winter sports dinner will be held in the cafeteria. Registration for incoming freshmen will take place the week of March 18.

Senior Will Radell was the only varsity wrestler from DGHS to attend the state meet. Don Morauec took 4th in his class at the sectional.

In basketball Hinsdale won over Downers 55 to 50. Then York claimed a victory over D. G. 88-76.

The D. G. track team lost to Proviso West 56-35 and then again to Highland Park, 54-16.

Tomorrow night at 7:30 p.m. an Orchestra Concert will be held in the auditorium Then on March 9 the national merit test will be given. A Piano Festival will be held Sunday.

Phone: WO 8-5711

Want To Be A Fireman?

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The fire department has a few openings now for anyone with the above qualifications. WE WANT YOU!!!

Contact Captain Henry Wilgus at WO 9-2608 or come to the fire station at 3000 Crabtree any Tuesday night at 7:30 p.m or any Wednesday morning at 9:00 a.m.

Teaching Scholarships Available

Roy DeShane, DuPage county superintendent of schools, announces that forms have been sent to each high school of Dupage county to report to his office the list of eligible applicants for teacher education scholarships.

These scholarships are for four years—awarded annually as of July 1.

The holder of a scholarship is entitled to instruction, matriculation fees, graduation fees, tuition and activity fees or other fees in a program of teacher education.

Scholarships are to any of the following universities: Eastern Illinois University, Charleston; Illinois State Normal University, Normal; Northern Illinois University, DeKalb; Southern Illinois University, Carbondale or Western Illinois University in Macomb.

The candidate must have graduated in the upper half of his class, and he must signify in a letter to his principal his intention to prepare to teach in the public schools of Illinois. In case he wishes to apply for a special education scholarship his letter of intention should be addressed to the superintendent of public instruction, Springfield.

Attend Church Sunday

Fund Drive Cont. from page 1 pledge drive day. Phil Amoruso, publicity chairman, said, "All Catholics are asked to stay home this day to receive their pledge workers."

This building will be built on 8.8 acres on Janes ave., donated to the Catholic church by Surety Development Corp.

The cost of this building will be in the neighborhood of \$200,000. The drive is expected to raise \$75,000, the amount needed to pay the interest and reduce the principal on the indebtedness.

Father Kloepfer stated that he is most hopeful for a successful drive and knows that the parishioners will give their complete support to this most important venture. Father also pointed out that there will be a standing committee which will approach all new families moving into the parish to seek their help in the building fund program.

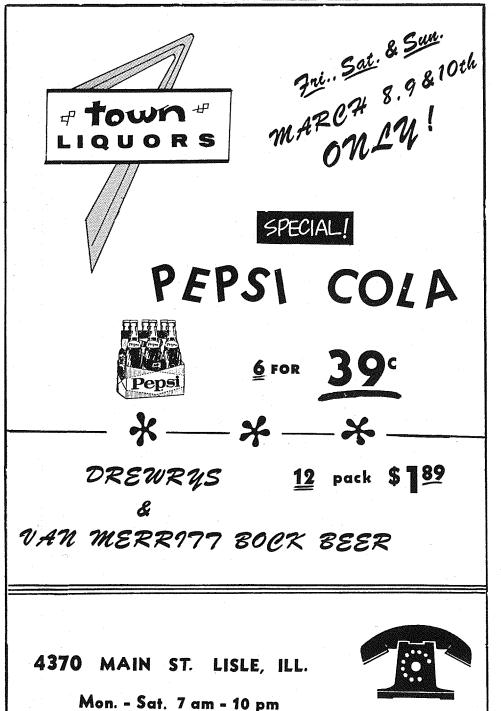
The St. Scholastica Womens club at their meeting Feb. 26 pledged \$7,500 to the St. Scholastica drive.

Cookie Sales Help Finance Scout Camp

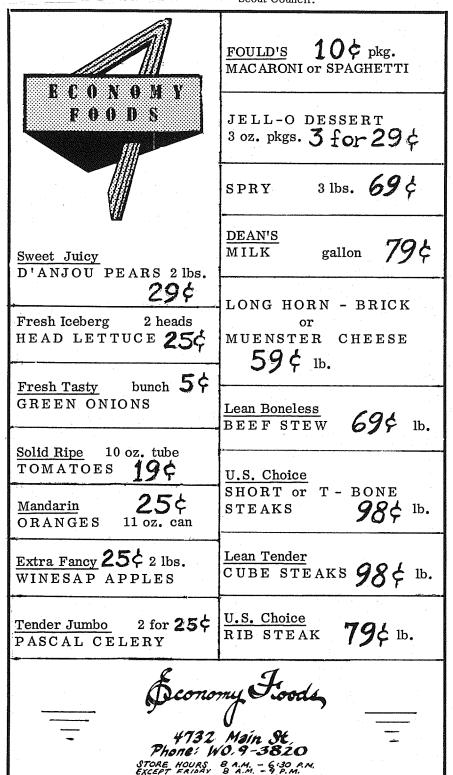
Five kinds of cookies are being offered by over 5,000 intermediate Girl Scouts and nearly 700 senior Girl Scouts throughout the DuPage county council area. Funds raised by the cookie campaign are used for the development of scout camping.

Further development of the Greene Wood campsite north of Woodridge, as well as continued development of the resident Camp Chippewa Bay at New Auburn, Wis., are goals for this year's cookie sales. The continued growth of DuPage county has greatly increased the need for more camping sites and equipment.

Girl Scout cookies buy camping in different ways. Each individual troop receives a share of the profit from each box sold by its members, usually using the money to finance troop camping trips to both local campsites and for the extended camping trips around the country taken by the older girls. The remaining portion of "cookie money" finances the development of camping facilities and equipment owned and operated by the DuPage Girl Scout Council.



SUNDAY 9 am - 10 pm



TAW Issued

Tax anticipation warr ants for \$56,000 have been authorized by the district 68 school board. This action is in anticipation of educational tax money for 1962.

Because there is a time lapse between the assessment of taxes and the collection and distribution of the money, there is correspondingly a lapse between the time services must be provided and the time that tax money is actually received to provide these services. Tax anticipation warrants are a means of borrowing to compensate for this lapse.

The school board met with a representative of the village board to discuss the proposed Winston-Muss annexation and the availability of school sites.

Considering the projected student increases anticipated from the Winston-Muss development, the school board has under consideration the remodeling of 2 of the old classrooms at Goodrich with hopes of expanding them into 4 useable classrooms.

A pay telephone has been installed at Woodridge school for public use.

Vandalism damage at Goodrich school in February resulted in one completely damaged door, one damaged but repairable door, a mashed typewriter and adding machine and duplicating fluid spilled over reading material. Some other schools in the area have had similar problems. Vandals were recently apprehended but as yet it has not been determined whether or not they are responsible for the damage at Goodrich.

An upcoming event of the school will be the annual magazine sale in which the 6-7-8th grade students participate beginning March 4 to March 15. Monies acquired from sales go into the student activity fund to purchase needed items for the school.

There will be no school Mon., Mar. 18, due to a teachers institute at Hinsdale high school combined with Downers Grove high school and elementary district.

"Jason and the Golden Fleece" will be presented by the Cole Marionettes, Mar. 19 at 2:15 p.m. With the rapid increase in the number of children attending Woodridge school, it is impossible to accommodate all those who wish to attend, so it is with regret that an invitation to the mothers and pre-school children can no longer be extended as it had been in the past.

Approve Rest Home

Approval was given Jan. 15 by the Du Page County Board of Supervisors to a request by Sears and Ruth Taylor for issuance of a special use permit to allow construction and operation of a rest home.

The Home will be located on the south side of 75th st., at the end of Fairview ave., south of Downers Grove.

The property consists of about 11 acres with 650 feet frontage on 75th st.





Jim Hughes
109-2388

WO.9-2388 STATE FARM



Brownie Exhibition March 9-10

Commencing girl scout week, the Woodridge brownie troops will participate in an exhibition at Lisle high school March 9 and 10.

Each Woodridge troop will have a booth showing some of their activities. Featured with the exhibits will be singing of the girl scouts around an improvised campfire held on the hour alternating with a slide movie, "Girl Scout Story," shown every hour on the half hour.

The public is invited to attend. There is no admission charge. Hours for the show are: Mar. 9 from 1 to 6 p.m. and March 10 from 1 to 4 p.m.

"SPRING WILL COME"

"Spring Will Come", a special midwinter food preparation demonstration will be presented at the Mar. 19 meeting of the Woodridge Mothers club at 8 p.m. at Woodridge school. Conducting the demonstration will be the Northern Illinois Gas Company's home service advisors, Shirley McCann and Marilyn Aggelopolous. They will prepare attractive food including recipes for Lent and recipe books and the food prepared will be given away.

The business meeting will follow the demonstration. The nominating committee, Mrs. Ginger Swierbinski, Mrs. Mary Lou Hartfield and Mrs. Barbara Willis will present a slate of prospective officers. Nominations will also be taken from the floor.

Women's Bowling Standings

The team standings of the Wood Thrushes as of Feb. 25 are:

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NIGHT OWLS	12	$\bar{3}$
BLUEBIRDS	9	6
RAVENS	9	6
STARLINGS	7	8
CANARIES	6	9
CARDINALS	6	9
ROBINS	6	9
FLAMINGOS	5	10

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It Happened At "Mardi Gras"



Top left - Lt. and Mrs. Alfred Lee of the Woodridge fire department dancing at the Feb. 23 firemen's dance. Top right - Mardi Gras royalty at the dance. King Art Thuerk, 2565 Crabtree and Gueen Carolyn Redmond, 7631 Catalpa. Pictured in Mardi Gras costumes are ladies of the Firemen's Auxiliary-Mrs. Leroy Smith, Mrs. Ted Goetz, Mrs. Jack Weymouth, Mrs. Alexander Bossert, Mrs. Henry Wilgus and Mrs. Joseph Sullivan. The ladies of the Firemen's Auxiliary were the hostesses at the dance arranged the decorations and decorated the masks which were given at the dance. The proceeds from the dance are to be used to purchase equipment for the Woodridge department of the Lisle fire protection district.

"King" Art Thuerk and "Queen" Carolyn Redmond held court February 23 at the Woodridge fire department third annual dance.

Following the coronation, the king and queen led a grand march of merry-makers, many of whom were in costume, after which they abdicated to join their loyal subjects, the many people who came to enjoy themselves visiting with friends and dancing to the music of Stan Mack and his orchestra.

The selection of the king and queen and the grand march were only part of the Mardi Gras festivities held at the Alexander Bradley American Legion Hall. The ladies auxiliary supplied face masks to all attending and served popcorn and potato chips to each table.





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Village Clerk Outlines Duties

(Ed. Note) In April the citizens of Woodridge will elect five trustees and a clerk. To clarify any confusion that might exist in the minds of some as to what the duties and activities of those elected will be. the WNR has asked the present village clerk, Mrs. Eleanor Murphy, to write a synopsis on the duties and activities of these two positions, with particular reference to Woodridge. She kindly consented to do this. The synopsis on the clerk is presented below and that of the trustee will be printed in the next edition.

The Village Clerk is the recording officer of the municipality and has custody of all documents not specifically assigned to some other officer. It is her responsibility to maintain the village ordinance book. She is required to attend regular and special village board meetings at which she takes minutes of the proceedings. These minutes, typed and bound in book form, then become the official record of motions, resolutions and ordinances passed by the board.

Other official village documents, such as petitions and plats of annexation, subdivision plats, maps, legal contracts, performance bonds, franchise agreements, certificates of publication and oaths of office are kept on file either in the clerk's office or in a special bank deposit box to which she has access. In connection with her various duties, the Clerk must, of course, maintain orderly records of all correspondence, vehicle registrations, dog licenses, voters' registrations, census information, deposits of funds collected by her office, solicitors' permits and letters of application or resignation.

The clerk's office serves as a communication and information center for other village officials, newspapers, schools, churches, neighboring communities, the county government and the general public.

Municipal elections in Illinois are under the control of the governing body (in Woodridge, the president and board of trustees), but, normally, the clerk is designated as the official responsible for doing all things necessary for the conduct of the election except actually calling the election and canvassing the returns. She selects the judges, accepts the petitions for nomination, administers the oaths of candi-

dacy, orders the ballots and supplies, publishes the notice of election and sample ballot, issues and accepts the absentee ballots, notifies the candidates elected and provides the county clerk with a certificate of election results. In the case of a state or national election, the clerk serves as deputy to the county clerk for the purpose of registering voters.

The village clerk issues, and is responsible for depositing revenue from, automobile registrations and dog licenses. She must provide a copy of ordinance regulations, check the application and issue a permit card to every solicitor who wishes to canvass within village limits.

The official municipal census, conducted in the village in 1960, is kept up to date by the clerk (or, in the case of the present administration, a deputy clerk) by the addition to the Census Book of each new family moving into the community.

As a notary public, the clerk sets her signature and seal to various documents, both municipal and individual. There is no charge for this service to residents.

Immediately upon adoption of certain ordinances affecting county records (such as the annexation of new territory), the clerk is required to file a copy of the ordinance, her certificate attesting to its validity and any plats or maps which are part of the ordinance with the county recorder of deeds in Wheaton where they are photographed, numbered and returned to the clerk for her files.

In Woodridge, as in other communities dependent upon volunteer officials, the clerk performs many duties not specifically required of her office by state statute. She may be called on to take dictation, type correspondence, cut stencils, mimeograph announcements or perform other clerical or stenographic duties requested of her by the president or board of trustees. She might also be considered social secretary to the village, for she is usually responsible for letters of commendation or congratulation, get-well wishes, notes of sympathy and the like.

If authorized by the corporate authorities, the clerk may appoint a deputy clerk and usually does so. The deputy clerk may then perform all the duties of the clerk except the signing and sealing of documents for which she must have written authority from the clerk.

Fire Ratings Explained

President Roberts said he would like, for public record, to clear up the misunderstandings concerning the fire rating for Woodridge. He said that though a couple of insurance companies have used a rating of 8 to determine insurance rates, the actual rating is 9. President Roberts said that there have been some recent corrections and that the Illinois Inspection Bureau will make an inspection in the next few weeks. After this inspection, there should be a change in the rating to 8 which, President Roberts estimated, should reduce the rates between \$8 to \$10 per year. He said that findings would be made public.

To File For School Board

As of Mar., 1, Thomas Tousignant, superintendent of district 68 schools, reports that only 2 nominating petitions for the April 13 school board election had been given out.

The first day for filing nominating petitions was Feb. 27, the final day is Mar. 23. These petitions may be obtained from Mrs. Nedjl at the Woodridge school office and require the signatures of at least 50 eligible voters residing in the school district. They are to be filed with Mrs. Olga Redfield.

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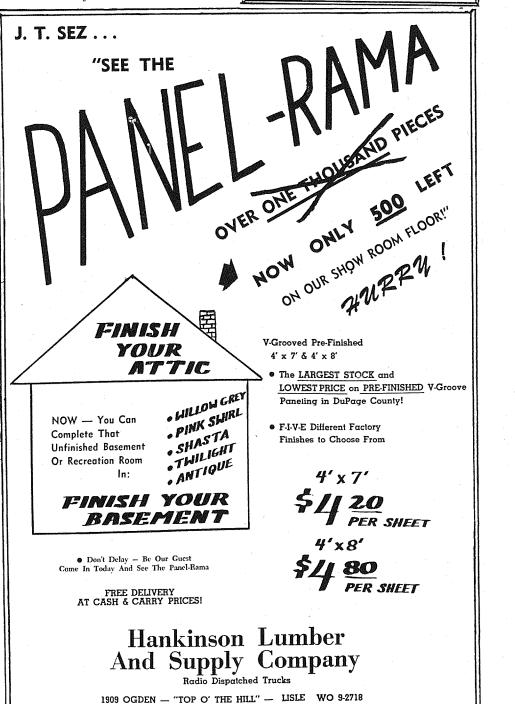
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About Our Churches ***

Prince Of Peace

Tues., Mar. 5, the Prince of Peace Lutheran Church Women met for their monthly meeting. "Leisure That Recreates" and "The Well-Read Woman" were programs presented by Mrs. Bobbie Munsterman, program chairman.

The ladies are also invited to the west Chicagoland district meeting Sat., Mar. 9, between 10 and 2 at the North Austin Lutheran Church, Chicago.

The Luther League will organize Sun., Mar. 10. The constitution will be adopted and officers will be elected. A program will be presented, "The Low Road Where

Sun., Mar. 17, the girl scouts and brownies will participate in the worship service at 9:30 a.m.

Each Wednesday afternoon and evening special Lenten vesper services are being held at the Lutheran parsonage, 2735 75th st. The children's service is at 4 p.m. Special film strips dealing with the Passion of our Lord and His Resurrection are shown. The sermons are: "Jesus Accused for Loving His Children" (Mar. 13) and Jesus Died for His Children" (Mar. 20). At the 8 p. m. service the sermons are on the topic, "The Anatomy of the Passion." The next two sermons are titled: "Warm Body" (Mar. 13) and "Truthful Mouth" (Mar. 20).

The topics for the sermons for the next Sundays are: "On Sexual Purity" (Mar. 10) and "Imitators of God" (Mar.17).

Methodist

A study course on prayer will be conducted at Faith Methodist church, Maple ave. and Westview In., Lisle, during the lenten season. Methodist women throughout America will attend the spiritual life course which is under the auspices of the Women's Society of Christian Service. Mrs. Lois Ryan, leader of the study course, encourages women to take this opportunity to give more time to their inner spiritual development during this holy season. Study began Mar. 5, 9:30 a.m. at the church. The course continues for six Tuesdays through April 9. A nursery will be provided.

Trinity Lutheran

Trinity Lutheran church is holding lenten services every Wednesday evening at 7:30 through April 3.

At 8:15 p.m. following the lenten services, Pastor Ehlers will conduct a Bible class for interested adults. Topics will range from social problems to chapters

Harris Trust Wins Bid

Harris Trust & Savings Bank, Chicago, headed an eight-member group submitting the winning bid last Thursday for the purchase of Downers Grove community high school district 99's \$4,050,000 bond issue.

Proceeds from the sale will be used to finance construction and equipment of the district's second high school at 63rd and Dunham. Voters approved the project at a referendum Nov. 17. The building is slated for occupancy in Sept., 1964.

Village Baptist

The women's missionary group will hold its first luncheon Fri., Mar, 8, 11 a.m. at Sweden House, Naperville.

The men's fellowship was started Mar. 5 at the home of Jack Collins. This group will meet once a month to provide the men of the church a night of fellowship, inspiration and service.

The Baptist youth fellowship will be traveling to Wheaton Mar. 16 to attend the Fox Valley Youth for Christ rally.

A church choir has been started under the dual direction of Ralph Demmin and Jack Collins. The choir, 10 voices strong at present, meets for rehearsal each Wednesday evening following the church prayer meeting.

Speaking of music and singing, the church and its young people have joined the monthly Singspiration held the first Saturday of each month at 7:30 p.m. at one of the participating churches. The churches co-operating in this adventure are from the Downers Grove-Wheaton

St. Scholastica

convent each Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. There will be recitation of the rosary, a short talk and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Plans are being made for the formation of a parish choir. Men and women and young people of the parish are invited to join. Mrs. Joan Baaske is secretary for the group, and anyone interested in joining is asked to call her at Wo 9-5017, or contact the rectory, 964-2625.

On Fri., Mar. 8, at 8:15 p.m., in the lower classroom, all high school students of the parish and all interested adults are invited to a meeting to discuss the formation of a young people's group. The aims of the group will be to provide a spiritual and social program for the young people of the parish. These two programs would be designed to supplement the already organized athletic and instructional-participation groups within the village.

St. Scholastica Women's Society held their regular monthly meeting Feb. 26 at 8 p.m. in the school. An enjoyable evening of cards followed the business meeting.

A special meeting regarding school uniforms will be held in the school Wed., Mar. 6, at 8 p.m. It is hoped that all mothers with children attending St. Scholastica now and also those of future students will be present at this meeting.

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Many organizations have as special attractions door prizes and the like. The element of chance and the excitement of someone's winning-often times a very nice gift - makes news. As news is the prime purpose of a newspaper, the question is often asked, "Why isn't it in the paper?" The reason is the factthat the WNR is sent through the U.S. Mails. The WNR has a second class mailing permit. The federal postal regulations prohibit any news of or any reference to lotteries, door prizes, etc.



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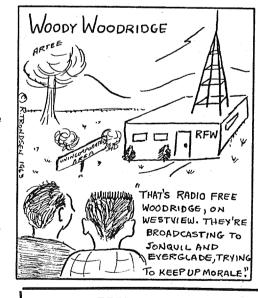
Nominations Closed

Nominations have closed for the April 16 village election for 5 trustees and a clerk. The final date for filing nominating petitions was Feb. 25. Contending for the positions will be 2 slates and 1individual candidate.

The Woodridge Independent Party presented for trustee positions: Robert Manges, Albert Zettler Jr., Ralph Kennell, William Woody and Robert Murphy - all incumbents. Mrs. Shirley Manges, deputy village clerk, will run on the WIP ticket for village clerk.

The Citizens Action Party has slated the following contenders: James Kinser, Edward Redmond, David Callahan, Marvin Wiggins and Walter Hansen for the trustee positions and Mrs. Faye Hoffman for village clerk.

Robert Arnouil is the individual contending independently for a trusteeship.



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