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## Grand Jury Clears 2 Trustees and Hotel Man in Bribery Plot

### Community Council Works to Improve Wheeling Increases Effectiveness of Other Organizations

Working towards a better community, an improved community, is the Community Council of Wheeling, which has organized the need for a park and will make it their first major project.

The Community Council, composed of representatives from local organizations and interested individuals, operates independently from the village government. The village government, however, has been informed of the purpose and the role the Community Council expects to play in a letter from the Council president, Kenneth F. Gill. Being neither anti-government, nor pro-government, the Council will strive only for improvements in the community.

"Just what is a Community Council?" The answer to this question can best be found in the constitution adopted by the Community Council of Wheeling.

The Community Council of Wheeling is a non-political, non-sectarian organization made up of various Community organizations and shall serve as a coordinating body within the community.

By-laws are included in a ten point program.

1. To maintain a broad perspective on the needs of the community as a whole.

2. To analyze the needs of the community for discussion, study, and surveys.

3. Provide a forum for ideas on how to meet these needs.

4. Suggest ways in which appropriate organizations can take action, cooperatively or separately.

5. Sponsor action itself when a project is so big that an individual organization may not handle it.

6. Serve as a clearing house for dates and information about service and volunteer activities in the community.

7. Provide a two-way communication system to obtain information from and disseminate it to the various organizations through their representatives.

8. Achieve wide spread participation of people in planning and action to meet basic civic needs.

9. Prevent wasteful overlapping of work by different organizations.

10. Aid in making member organizations more effective through their support of each other in the job of building a better community life.

Originally, the Community Council was comprised solely of representatives of organizations. Since then, many individual citizens have expressed an interest and have been welcomed into the group as members at large.

There is no membership fee, nor are member organizations bound to contribute to the Council. The organization exists on voluntary contributions.

### Buffalo Grove Women Tour Bakery Plant

May 19 a group of 29 members of the Buffalo Grove Womens Club attended a tour of the Burney Bros. Bakery. The group left Buffalo Grove at 6 p.m.

Julie Venetiener, chairman of the tour said they were shown the processes for baking bread, coffee cake and other products. The women were amazed at the size of the mixers and other equipment.

All said they enjoyed themselves very much. Coffee cake and coffee were served after the tour and buns played in there social room. Merchandise certificates were given for the tour.

The Cook County grand jury reportedly this week returned a "no" bill in the conspiracy and bribery charges involving two village trustees and a restaurant owner.

Cleared by the grand jury were Fred "Scotty" Cargill, Edward Gieseke Jr., and Frank Miramonti, a partner in the Union Hotel.

The grand jury's action--or rather, the lack of it--however, does not completely free the three men.

They are scheduled to appear in Police court, Wheeling, at 2 p.m. Friday.

The two trustees and long-time residents of the village were accused of accepting a bribe and con-

spiring to accept a bribe by Frank J. Budnick, a principal in the Holland subdivision development.

Budnick also charged that Miramonti, in accepting the money, conspired with the two local officials.

Miramonti, who had been called before the grand jury as a witness in the case, said that the money--\$1,210--had been accepted last October 9 to pay for a victory celebration party staged in part by Cargill and Gieseke six months earlier.

The three defendants denied that, as Budnick charged, the money was a bribe to approve a road base in the subdivision.

## 3 Auto Accidents Mar Holiday

As safety officials tabulated Memorial Day weekend fatality and injury records from across the state and nation, Wheeling's safety reports indicated a near-perfect score.

The long four-day holiday saw only one minor traffic accident occurring in the streets of the village.

Shortly before noon on Memorial Day, a car driven by Aaron F. Sheppard, 43, of 309 E. Manchester Dr., was struck as it was making a left turn from Milwaukee onto Dundee Rd.

Extensive damage was suffered by Sheppard's car and that driven by Charles A. Higginbotham, 43, of Chicago.

Neither men suffered injuries.

A three car collision occurred on Milwaukee Ave. 100 feet north of Palatine Rd., Friday as the weekend was ushered in. Minor injuries were suffered by two women, one a pregnant mother from Glenview.

Ann Williams, 27, of 3011 Knollwood in the suburbs, was taken to Lutheran General hospital and released a day later.

The accident, outside the village, was handled by state police with an assist from sheriff's police and Wheeling officials.

Two children of Mrs. Williams were taken to the home of relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haines, 397 S. Nancy, Wheeling, following the accident.

Another woman riding in another car suffered bruises and was treated and released at Lutheran General.



State Troopers eased Mrs. Ann Williams onto a stretcher from her car Friday. The Glenview house-

wife was the first Wheeling area traffic accident injury victim over the Memorial Day weekend.

### Becker to Receive Master's Degree

Emil F. Becker, 1036 N. Catalpa, Wheeling, will receive a Master's Degree in Education, at DePaul University's annual convocation June 8 at 2 p.m. in Alumni Hall, 1011 W. Belden Ave. Chicago.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. John R. Campbell, P.A., pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes church, 4660 N. Ashland Ave., also will be awarded an honorary doctor of laws.

Presiding will be his Eminence Albert Cardinal Meyer, archbishop of Chicago and grand chancellor of

the University. Conferring the degrees will be the Very Rev. Comerford J. O'Malley, C. M., DePaul president.

Baccalaureate Mass for DePaul's graduates will be celebrated Sunday, June 5 at 11 a.m. in the University Church of St. Vincent de Paul, 1010 W. Webster Ave., Chicago. The Rev. Theodore J. Wangler, C. M., vice president for student services, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon.

### SELF-41

Far too often most of us find self-congratulation much more agreeable than self-examination.



# 784 to Graduate from High Schools

Against a background of red and white peonies 784 students in gray caps and gowns will graduate from the high schools on June 12th at 8:15 PM.

Ceremonies for both schools will be held in the Arlington Heights High School auditorium. Superintendent H. L. Slickmeyer will present the senior classes to Kenneth Dougan, president of the high school board, and William Spisner, secretary.

These school board members will award the diplomas to the graduates.

For the past three years graduating classes have been so large

## N.I. Gas to Offer \$30 Million Bond Issue

Northern Illinois Gas Company plans to sell \$30 million of 25-year first mortgage bonds in July. This is \$5 million more than the amount previously announced and was disclosed today in a registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The higher requirement, according to L. L. Starrett, NI-Gas treasurer, resulted from a \$20 million boost in the utility's five-year (1960-64) construction program which is now estimated at \$200 million. The boost was prompted by increases in the Company's business, principally for space heating and higher outlays for development of underground gas storage facilities.

A petition to the Illinois Commerce Commission relating to this issue is scheduled to be filed on June 14.

Subject to market conditions and commission clearances, NI-Gas plans to offer the bonds for competitive bidding on July 6. The interest rate is to be specified in the bids which are scheduled to be opened on July 13. None of the bonds may be redeemed prior to July 1, 1965 through refunding by any debt issue having a lower interest cost to the company. This provision does not apply to redemptions for sinking fund purposes.

Starrett said the \$30 million bond issue is part of the estimated \$140 million new capital requirements for the company's projected five year construction program. NI-Gas raised about \$14.6 million in January through the sale of preferred stock as a first step in this financing program. No further public financing is planned for 1960.

The utility's construction program, Starrett said, now includes about \$38 million to provide for

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that only the diploma covers have been passed out on stage and the students receive the actual document immediately after the ceremony.

There are three valedictorians this year---Linda Raasch, Ronald Hosek, and Kathie Haynsworth. Rick Johnston will be Salutatorian for the class of 1960.

Baccalaureate exercises will be held Sunday, June 5th in the auditorium at 8:15 pm. The speaker will be Rev. Paul L. Stumpf.

## Couple Wed

Announcing the marriage of their daughter, Rose, to Kenneth Acker are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Folwarski of Mount Prospect. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Linus Acker of 233 Fletcher Drive, Wheeling. The wedding took place on Saturday, May 7th, in St. Raymond's Church.

The new Mrs. Acker wore a white chantilly lace and net for her

the development of underground gas storage facilities in or near the company's 20-county service area in northern Illinois. About \$10 million of this amount is for a pipeline, now under construction, to connect the company's Troy Grove underground storage reservoir with the company's main distribution system near La Grange.

The utility's month-end statement also released today, disclosed that NI-Gas' earnings for the 12 months ended April 30, 1960, were \$2.08 a share, up 41 cents from a year ago.

### First Baptist Church

515 E. Merle Lane

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Sunday School

9:45 a.m.

Worship

11:00 a.m.

Training Union

6:30 p.m.

Worship

7:30 p.m.

Rev. W. M. Pinson

Pastor, LEhigh 7-4060

Southern Baptist Convention

# Garden Party Planned by Lutheran Women

A garden party has been planned by the United Lutheran Church Women for their last meeting of the season. The party, to be held on Tuesday, June 7th at the parsonage at 109 Garden Lane in Prospect Heights, will begin at one o'clock with a luncheon served by the current board members.

Election of officers to serve next fall will comprise the business portion of the meeting, before the

women adjourn for a social afternoon.

Reservations may be placed with Mrs. William Compton at Lehigh 7-4004.

Board members in charge of arrangements include: Mrs. Compton, Mrs. Louis Robinson, Mrs. David Henry, Mrs. Earl Seasholm, Mrs. Robert Bengtson, Mrs. Roy Hanson, Mrs. Arthur Aronson, and Mrs. Roy Hammond.

wedding. The gown had a high neckline and long sleeves, while the bouffant skirt was completed by a chapel train. A crystal tear-drop crown had a finger tip veil attached. She carried white roses, centered with a white orchid.

The bride included two cousins as her attendants, Mrs. Jean Fulton, matron of honor, and Miss Ann Walczak, bridesmaid. Other bridesmaids were Miss Chris Acker, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Judy Monson, a close friend.

The attendants wore identical gowns in two shades of lilac. Their pale hued lace sheath dresses had overskirts of organza in a deeper shade. Short organza veils fell from crowns of lilac lace. The attendants carried crescent shaped arrangements of pink carnations.

Flower girl was Marsha Fulton, who wore a dress identical to the bridal gown, and carried pink carnations. Ring bearer was Lee Pyachlak.

The bridegroom chose his brother, Tom, to serve as best man, while ushers were Bob Zanders and George Folwarski.

The bride's mother chose a peach lace dress for the wedding, while Mrs. Acker chose a blue print with nylon overskirt. Both wore corsages of white roses and pink carnations.

The wedding breakfast was held at the home of the bride's parents, and a wedding reception took place

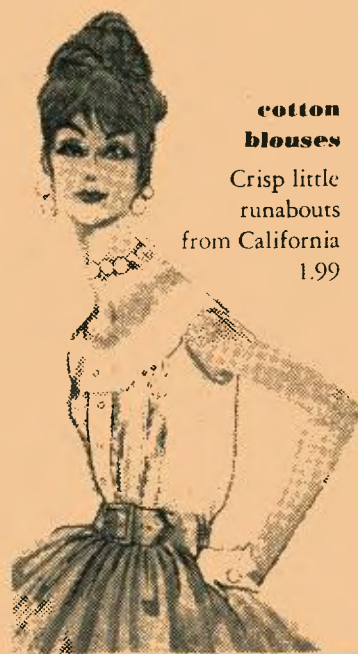
at the Andrew House in Chicago.

The newlyweds spent a week at Niagara Falls and Canada before making their home in Mount Prospect.

## Rev. Koester off to Concordia

Rev. W. C. Koester, who has served the past 10 years at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, has been appointed to a new post at Concordia College in Milwaukee. He will be Director of Development, which means that his duties will be to recruit new students and work on campus expansion.

Rev. Koester spent his first



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seven years here as assistant pastor and the last three as associate pastor. A farewell supper will be given for him Sunday at 5:00 at the Mueller Fellowship Hall.

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| Tuesday   | - Girls: 8 to 11                | 6:30 |
| Wednesday | - Prayer Meeting                | 7:30 |
| Thursday  | - (Every fourth)                |      |
|           | - Ladies' Missionary Fellowship | 8:00 |
| Friday    | - Boys: 8 to 11                 | 6:30 |
| Saturday  | - Occasional family night       |      |

"The blessing of the Lord, it maketh rich, and he addeth no sorrow with it." Proverb 10:22

Pastor: Rev. C. E. Pierson





## DUNHURST DIARY

Lillian Stiller  
LEhigh 7-0611

Hope this doesn't read too much like last year's catalogue, but occasionally a reporter needs a few days of, "getting away from it all" or at least getting away from the typewriter. Hence, the cope is being written a little in advance, so that yours truly can devote a glorious week-end to yard duty, planting flowers, or what have you. WHEATHER PERMITTING, Spirits go up and down with each individual's weather prediction, so I think, I'll just listen to those who say, "No precipitation in sight."

And, with a holiday coming up, naturally the larder is loaded with goodies for the grill. Again, weather permitting. Which leads to a question, "What ever happened to the picnic?" The picnic so often enjoyed as a child. The picnic at the lake has suddenly changed to a swim in a pool and then home to eat. Or barbecue at home. Granted, it's much easier, and there's no chance of forgetting the mustard. Perhaps, urbanites still enjoy picnics. At least those who attend the games at beautiful Wrigley Field to enjoy fresh air, good food and pleasant conversation; enjoy the fine old past time. (Thank you, commercial).

But, I wonder, how many Wheeling residents wander over to the Forest Preserves with picnic basket under arm? Well, I shall cease wondering and start wandering over notes for a column.

Carol and Joe Harrison and young ones, Jay and Jodi, made good use of the holiday weekend to drive to Dayton and visit Carol's parents, the Cliffords Andersons. The trip was well timed, as son, Jay recovered sufficiently from mumps to accompany them.

Visiting with the Stillers this week is "Grammy", Mrs. C. J. Winquist of Decorah, Iowa. Naturally, the Stiller cherubs (tongue in cheek), Susan and Steven, have put the time to good use—new wardrobe for the former's dolls, and many hot sessions of "Candyland" and "Stadium Checkers".

It was a triple birthday celebration at the home of Hazel and Ted Leonteos on Sunday, May 22nd. People and still more people attended the buffet which honored the Leonteos daughter, Barbara, Hazel's sister, Cora Weber, and a nephew, Steven Lundgren. Barbara who was 17 years old, had the same birth date as Cora—May 18th, while Steven's birthday fell on May 23rd. Happy birthday, all.

Little Susan Loitfner shared birthday honors with no one on Saturday, May 21st, her third birthday. Her friends who enjoyed a party with her were neighbors, Billy Herring, Valerie Holland, Steven Chambers and Paul Anderson. Their respective mothers also attended—for cake and coffee (in between applying wet wash clothes to sticky faces). Susan is the daughter of Carol and Bob Loitfner of 321 Fletcher Drive.

The arrival of Ernest James Dreyer, Jr., is being announced by his parents, Louise and Jim Dreyer of 298 Albert Terrace. The baby was born on May 14th at Northwest Suburban Hospital, weighing nine pounds, seven ounces. During the hospital stay, the Dreyer's daughter, Laurie, vacationed with her maternal grandparents, the Buchners in Aurora. Paternal grandparents are the Rev. and Mrs.

E. J. Dreyer.

Weekend visitors in Baraboo, Wis., were Pat and John Maynard and daughters, Susie and Peg. While Pat visited with her sister, John found ample time to try his luck with rod and reel.

Other fishing enthusiasts were: Norm Klechak and sons, David and Jim, Chuck Hartwig and Ken Klechak. While all found fishing conditions good at Three Lakes, Wis., none were quite as elated as David and Jim—just to go on the trip was sufficient.

The Merle Lane Canasta Club met Wednesday night at the home of Joan Chobabion. A substitute was Elsie Karlesky—who filled in for an ailing regular.

It was birthday #7 for Marie Ann DeLuisi of 321 Maureen Drive on May 19th. And with the birthday a triple treat—a visit from Grandmother, Mrs. Marcella Rekowski, a new bike and party for friends. Those joining in the birthday festivities were: Robert and Emma Visee, Gloria DeLuisi, Debbit Tirewbrig, Mary Stennes, Mary Ann Wilson, Katherine Warnecke, Billy Navigata, Cynthia Bauer, Sharon McCarthy and Marie's sister, Christine.

A girl, their first was added to the family of Mary Ellen and Bob Westrich of 363 Maureen Drive. Their daughter, who has been named Susan Marie, appeared on the scene Tuesday, May 24th, at Northwest Suburban Hospital. Her weight was seven pounds, 14 ounces. Completing the family are two big brothers, Brian and Bobby.

The Ways and Means Committee of the Catholic Women's Club enjoyed an evening out without having to plan for projects or being involved in any work. Peg Niweem of 215 East Wayne entertained the group at a buffet supper and strictly social evening.

The fifth birthday of Barbara Behar was celebrated with a traditional children's party at her home on Saturday, May 21st. Barbara's young lady friends who attended the party were Marcy Summerfeld, Arlyn Harris, Terry Hanson, Patty Pancamo, Lori Snelten, and Barbara's sister, Linda. Barbara is the daughter of Marilyn and Jack Behar of 219 Fletcher Drive.

Proud parents of a baby girl are Mary and Jerry Weber of 632 Merle Lane. The baby arrived on Thursday, May 26th, at St. Francis Hospital weighing six pounds, eight ounces. She will be named Leslie Stevensen. Big brother, three year old J. R., is visiting his paternal grandparents in Glenview.

Despite adverse weather plans for a barbecue last Saturday evening were not postponed. Pat and Ed Rogers hosted one in their garage attended by Nelda and Don Paisley, Marion and Jim Miner, Alberta and Ed Klocke, Lori and Pete McCourt, Ruth and Jim Wieder and Irene and Al Schumak. Steaks, by candlelight! Who could ask for more?

Rae Ann and Jim Yost got away from the home front last Saturday. The afternoon and evening was spent attending a wedding and reception in Chicago.

A couple of birthdays to mention. Best wishes of the day are extended to Gail Gagliano, who was five on June 2nd. The daughter of Arlene and Carmie of 184 Fletcher was feted with a family dinner party during the weekend.

And to Don Manley, who was eight years old on May 23rd. A brand new bike made the day a memorable occasion. Don's parents are Lil and "Doc" of Merle Lane.

Members of the ShortCuts combined their Friday evening bridge session with bidding a fond farewell to Jo Hicks, when they met at the home of Pat Carlson, 484 Isa Drive. Jo was presented with an appropriate gift (Kem cards) as a remembrance. In addition, Jo took high score in cards, while Lillian Stiller was second and Lolly Kiffel, low. Others attending were Marilyn Hayden, Jean Volpi, Leslie Menla, Mary Rose James and Marlene Wells.

Jo was also honored by neighbors who gathered at the home of Dorothy Gack Tuesday morning to coffee-clatch. The guests painted their names on a cutting board and signed an apron to present to Jo. On hand at this gathering were Pat Carlson, Lois Becker, Amy Plymale, Florence Clark, Delores Numerowski and June Steele.

At last a BOY for Jerry and Hank Bianchini of 576 Audrey Ct. The little fellow arrived on Friday, May 20th, at St. Francis Hospital weighing six pounds, eight ounces.



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Welcoming Jeffery at home were his three sisters, Peggy, Linda and Kathy.

A special birthday treat for Evelyn Braley, who observed hers on May 22nd, was a visit from her brother, Eric flew in from Texas (the State) to spend the day with Evelyn and Al.

## Community Council Meets

The Community Council of Wheeling will meet on Tuesday, June 7, in the library of the Walt Whitman School at 8:30 p.m.

The Council will hear the report of the Park District Steering Committee by Liason officer, Donald Paisley.

Representatives of organizations and interested citizens are urged to attend the meeting.

## Grade School Graduation Party Slated June 9

The P.T.A. will be sponsoring their last graduating party on June 9th at 7 p.m. Because of the Wheeling curfew, it was advised to have the party from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. The party will be at the

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Walt Whitman School on Willie St., in the gym and the feature of the evening will be the, "Melody Kings", a four piece band, light refreshments will be served. For their hours of work and planning the graduation class has the party committee to thank; Chairman, Mrs. Kathleen Anderson—helpers Mrs. Margaret Senne, Mrs. Art Arnonson, Mrs. Ed Klocke, Mrs. Ted Meltzer, Mrs. Retta Cartwright, Mrs. Bob Benson, Mrs. Ed Schavitz, Mrs. Eileen Moore, and Mrs. Roz Burnstein.

## Evening Guild to Hold Last Meeting

The Evening Women's Guild of Our Redeemer Lutheran Church will hold their final meeting tonight, at 8:00 P.M.

This will be Fun Night, and all are invited to attend. The highlight of the final meeting will be Crazy Bunco.

The hostesses for the event will be Mrs. Ida Brezina, Mrs. Elsie Griesch and Mrs. Kenneth Modrow.

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# Chamber Hears: "What Makes a Chamber Work"

Richard Burkland, Secretary of the Evanston Chamber of Commerce, was guest speaker at the monthly meeting of the Wheeling Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday, May 25th. Burkland's topic, "What makes a Chamber of Commerce Work," was well received by the group.

President Louis Schumm welcomed new members into the organization, including Edward Meyer, Kenneth Gill, A. R. McIntyre and Ernest Malichar.

Being considered by the Chamber of Commerce are improvements for their park on Wolf Road and signs of "Welcome to Wheeling", to be placed on main arteries leading into the town. Information on these projects and completed plans for "Wheeling Days" will be announced at their next meeting, Wednesday June 15.

er, Kenneth Gill, A. R. McIntyre and Ernest Malichar.

## Little League

The opening week of Little League ball was filled with all the excitement of the Major Leagues. The Amvets swept to two victories in a row while Chamber of Commerce had to come from behind to defeat Alcoa. Outstanding was the pitching of Scott Day of the Cardinals in the minor League who gave up six runs but no hits to gain his first win of the year.

Starting Memorial Day and continuing for two weeks Little Leaguers will be selling decals to support their program. This is the only fund raising activity we will have this year.

On Saturday, June 4th the Major Leagues will have their team pictures taken at Amvets Field. Team members should see their managers for the time.

Standings (as of May 28th)

### American League

| Team            | won | lost |
|-----------------|-----|------|
| Chamber of Com. | 1   | 0    |
| Buffalo Grove   | 1   | 0    |
| White Sox       | 1   | 1    |
| Cubs            | 0   | 1    |
| Ecko-Alcoa      | 0   | 1    |

### National League

| Team      | Won | Lost |
|-----------|-----|------|
| Amvets    | 2   | 0    |
| L. Bander | 1   | 0    |
| Lions     | 0   | 1    |
| Braves    | 0   | 1    |
| Meyer     | 0   | 1    |

### Minor League

| Team      | Won | Lost |
|-----------|-----|------|
| Tigers    | 1   | 0    |
| Cardinals | 1   | 0    |
| Giants    | 1   | 1    |
| Dodgers   | 0   | 1    |
| Yankees   | 0   | 1    |

### Weeks Results

|               |             |
|---------------|-------------|
| White Sox 22  | Cubs 18     |
| Chamber 9     | Alcoa 8     |
| Bflo Grove 18 | White Sox 9 |

|              |           |
|--------------|-----------|
| Amvets 16    | Lions 4   |
| L. B. And. 7 | Braves 5  |
| Amvets 23    | Meyer 4   |
| Cards 14     | Giants 6  |
| Giants 18    | Yanks 6   |
| Tigers 15    | Dodgers 5 |

### Next Weeks Games

|                                 |
|---------------------------------|
| June 6 Amvets at L. A. Anderson |
| 8 Meyer at Braves               |
| 10 Braves at Lions              |

## Mrs. Esp in Charge of "Doughnut Day"

Mrs. Arthur V. Esp, 141 S. Milwaukee Ave., has been named chairman for Wheeling for "Doughnut Day", the Salvation Army's twenty-second annual tag day to be held on Friday, June 10, in Chicago and more than 150 surrounding suburban communities.

Mrs. Esp will direct the Wheeling residents who volunteer as "Doughnut Day" taggers to assist in raising funds for the social welfare services the Salvation

Army offers to the unfortunate. She appealed for volunteers to give just two or three hours of their time to sell the familiar paper doughnut-shaped tags. Individuals or club groups can apply for tagging assignments at "Doughnut Day" headquarters, 8 S. Dearborn St., (Financial 6-1080) or call Mrs. Esp at LEhigh 7-4238.

In helping the needy, the Army is continuing its record of service begun soon after it arrived in Chicago 75 years ago. Among the institutions, services, and departments offering assistance today and sharing in the "Doughnut Day" proceeds are Booth Memorial Hospital for Unmarried

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Directors of the Lions, Local Restaurant, 7:30 p.m.  
Friday, June 3  
Safety Commission, Municipal Building, 8:00 p.m.  
Infant Welfare Association Business Meeting

Monday, June 6  
Wheeling Village Board, Municipal Building, 8:00 p.m.  
Jaycees, Village Hall, 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, June 7  
Dunhurst Home Owners Assoc., Mark Twain School, 8:00 p.m.  
Order of Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, 8:00 p.m.  
United Lutheran Churchwoman, Luncheon & Lawn Party, Parsonage, 1:00 p.m.

Wednesday, June 8  
Youth Club, Amvets Basement, 7:30 p.m.  
Meadowbrook Women's Club, members home, 8:30 p.m.

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It's a boy for Joan and John  
Shelk. Their son, Ronald Allan,  
was born on May 25, tipping the  
Highland Park Hospital scales at  
8 lbs. 14 ozs. The Shelks, who  
live at 372 Jerome Place, have  
another son, Johnny, age 2 1/2.

Gloria and Vic Nicholson sadly  
watched their Florida tans fade in  
the Chicago gloom last week. The  
Nicholson's drove to Stuart, Flor-  
ida, with Gloria's parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. George Gabler. The two coup-  
les shared an apartment in the  
Anchorage Boatel, about one hun-  
dred miles north of Miami Beach.  
After a week of sunning and swim-  
ming Gloria and Vic returned by  
jet, covering the distance between  
Miami and Chicago in 2 1/2 hours.  
During the parent's absence, young  
Vicki Nicholson spent the time  
with her paternal grandmother  
and her uncle.

Sympathy is extended to Carolyn  
LeMay, whose mother, Mrs. Ethel  
Fealey, died suddenly on May 21  
in Washington, D.C. Carolyn went  
to Washington for the funeral on  
the 24th. She will remain there  
for a short time.

The men in the Lemieux fami-  
ly spent the Memorial Day week-  
end on a fishing trip in Wiscon-  
sin. On Friday, Bert and his  
five year old son Michael boarded  
the train for Hayworth, Wiscon-  
sin, where they joined Bert's pa-  
rents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon  
Lemieux. The fishing party of  
five drove home on Monday.

Birthday greetings to Ronnie  
Ryberg, who was a year older  
on May 25. He and Pat were  
dinner guests of his parents, the  
Oscar Rybergs, at the Rustic  
Manor. Ron is justly proud of  
the two Japanese yews he received  
as a birthday gift.

Ruth Schmidt recently spent four  
days as a patient in the Highland  
Park Hospital. She is now con-  
tinuing her convalescence at home.

Joining the ranks of Ben Hur  
promoters are Jim and Dorothy  
Mildenberger and Ed and Loretta  
Schultz, who saw the three and  
a half hour show on Friday night.  
They stopped at the Town House  
to fortify themselves for the re-  
turn trip and found themselves  
in the midst of the formal clad  
prom crowd.

Pat and John Caldwell chose  
New York City for their vacation  
spot, leaving from O'Hare on  
Wednesday morning and returning  
on Sunday evening. From their  
head-quarters at the Sheraton-  
Plaza, the Caldwells made a side  
trip to New Jersey to visit old  
friends, including Bud and Mar-  
jorie Johnson, formerly of  
Meadowbrook. The Caldwell child-  
ren, Lynn Dee, Cathy Lee, and  
Johnny, were cared for by Pat's  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Beebe  
of Deerfield.

Welcome to Robine and Jerome  
Keller and their nine month old  
son, Michael, the new residents  
of 412 Marvin Place. The Kellers  
came to Meadowbrook East from  
South Bend, Indiana.

With the passing of the merry  
month of May, three new secre-  
taries received the sitter books  
for June. Taking over this month  
are Lynn Cole, LE 7-1443; Gloria

Nicholson, LE 7-2326; and Ann  
Falk, LE 7-4212.

Six year old Lindsey Reese un-  
derwent a tonsilectomy at Evan-  
ston Hospital on Friday. She is  
now sharing her sick room with  
her five year old sister, Bryn,  
who came down with the chicken  
pox on the same day.

The never ending list of con-  
tagious diseases continues. Listed  
under chicken pox this week are  
Bobby Dow and Sharon Schultz;  
German measles, Pat Loyal, Diane  
McCurry, Jana Higgs, Lee Ann  
and Danny Schultz; and mumps,  
Michele Bordenave. Vicki Lowing  
has the dubious distinction of  
having measles and mumps simul-  
taneously.

Gen and Ed Johnson were guests  
at a large reception and buffet  
dinner at the Wilmette Country  
Club on Sunday evening. The oc-  
casion was the twenty-fifth wedding  
anniversary of their old friends,  
Mr. and Mrs. Nadjowski, of Wil-  
mette.

On Memorial Day, the Sam  
Vazzano family attended the fourth  
birthday party of their niece, Miss  
Debbie Vazzano in Des Plaines.  
The entire Vazzano clan celebrated  
at the outdoor barbeque.

A stirring rendition of Seventy-  
Six Trombones was heard at the  
Walt Whitman School on Friday.  
This was just one of the many  
selections played by the cadet  
and advance bands at their Spring  
Concert. Among the young music  
makers were Dan Gribbon, Carol  
Geske, Janet Kean, Ken Stiedle,  
Steve Strom, Sharon Vincent, Pam  
Rohrs, Larry Kean, Chris Hodge,  
Sharon Killkenney, and Carol  
Nekimken. Professor Harold Hill  
would have been delighted!

"Gone Fishing!" were Connie  
and Gene Plozay this holiday week-  
end. They tried their luck in  
Springfield, Illinois, where they  
stayed with Gene's parents.

#### FUTURE—Children—19

The future of the state lies not  
in the richness of its soil or in the  
wealth of diversity of its mines  
and factories, but in the energy,  
character, and intelligence of its  
children.

### Buffalo Grove Women Elect New Officers

The election of officers took  
place at the May 18 meeting of  
the Buffalo Grove Womens Club.  
The newly elected officers are:  
President, Linda O'Grady, Vice  
President, Pat Turley, Secretary,  
Nancy Lindholm, Treasurer, Ann  
Fisher.

They will be installed at a lunch-  
eon on June 11 at the Glenview Coun-  
try House. Pat Turley, chairman of  
the luncheon, said reservations  
will be accepted until June 1.

### K. C.'s Form Honor Guard for Pilgrim Virgin

Sir Knights from the Fourth De-  
gree Filemon Club of the Knights  
of Columbus Regina Council #4837  
formed an honor guard for the  
Pilgrim Virgin on Saturday, May  
28th. The Pilgrim Virgin will re-  
side for seven days at the home  
of Grand Knight Ted Scanlon, 281  
Park Avenue, Wheeling.

Those in the honor guard were:  
Ted Scanlon, John Trunda, George  
Borschardt, Fil LaPlante, Anthony  
Naples and Wesley Gillespie.

The Pilgrim Virgin was deliver-  
ed by Sam DeVito, Custodian, and  
an honor guard consisting of Joseph  
Lazzara, Joseph W. Wofals, Nor-  
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**NEWS ABOUT  
Buffalo Grove  
Buffalo Highlands  
and  
Horatio Gardens**

by  
**Barbara Smart**  
LE 7-2047

The Schreibers attended the wedding Saturday of Ruth's niece Janice Breckel to Dr. James Pardi. She is the daughter of Ruth's sister and her husband, the Robert Breckels of Glenview. The wedding was held in Our Lady of Perpetual Help in that town, and the reception at Ed Robert's Colonial Hotel.

Previous to the bride's big day, Ruth had a small triumph of her own: winning two welcome prizes at St. Mary's card and bunco party last Tuesday. They were a china coffee service set and a set of decorative ash trays.

The Wellingtons were among the New Trier faculty members whose banquet was Friday, the 13th, at New Trier. This was one with a flair, called the "Mat Hatter", at which everyone wore an original, goofy chapeau.

Speaking of banquets, Dorothy and Niel Hopkins ventured out in the very humid weather of Tuesday, the 17th, to the IBM dinner-dance. Not unrewarded, as it turned out, with steaks awaiting them instead of the usual banquet fare of creamed something.

The entire Wolfgram family have a hobby now in Ray's purchase of a Go-Cart midget racer. He and Mona and the children can be seen of a sunny week-end, learning to maneuver and speed the tiny car. Eventually he would like to have a Go-Cart track become incorporated in the Buffalo Grove expansion plans.

Gregg Dornier gets birthday congratulations this week. His party was Wednesday, the 18th, and it was for his 6th year. The cake, ice cream, and games were outdoors, and then his mother, Vi, had everyone in the house for colored home movies including lovely vacation shots of Lake Geneva.

Dorothy Wille's birthday was given all kinds of attention this year. Her mother, cousin, and aunt treated her to what she says was a beautiful luncheon party in an Evanston restaurant last Thursday, and Friday night there was a party with friends in Palatine.

The Davinis had as their house guests over the week-end of May 7 Grace's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rodgers. It was rather a special time, as Mrs. Rodgers was anticipating her departure that Thursday, the 12th, on the first leg of her journey back to Ireland for a visit. After landing in Galloway, her destination was Donegal, where she is seeing her brothers and sisters for the first time in many years.

Friends of the De Kneefs extend their sympathies on the death of Art's father in Chicago on May 9.

Another birth announcement—Johnny Fisher is the proud sponsor of his cat's five, taffy colored kittens. They will be ready for appreciative homes in a few weeks.

A second "junior" news item comes from Karen Brooks. She found a woman's change purse with keys inside near the corner of St. Mary's and Crestview. The Brooks' telephone number is LE 7-2035.

The Lindholm's now have the potential for a McGuire Sisters group of the future. Patricia Lindholm was born Friday, the 27, at Ravenswood hospital, and is 20 inches long, and weighs 7 pounds, 15 ounces. Other members of the "trio" are Christine, four, and Julie, two. The baritone at home is Tommy, one. Nancy's mother, Mrs. Patrick Heraty came to be with the children at home until Lowell's vacation began, Monday.

There are two attractive, new homes at the eastern end of Benard Drive newly occupied. Gordon and Dolores Gonion arrived at their grey split-level with considerably more flourish than the usual move-ins. There was much blowing of automobile horns, then the appearance of decorated car, and bridance of decorated car, and bridal company on Saturday, the 21st. Gordon, who is in radio and TV service work, comes from Evanston, and Dolores from Chicago. Stamp collecting is an outside interest for him. Best wishes are extended for the new marriage and the new home.

Chuck and Carol Dreiling took a short jaunt from Aptakisie to their red brick cape cod the same week-end. He is a salesman for Sears Roebuck, she a licensed beauty operator. Their Connie is two, and Christie is five months. Chuck had joined the Holy Name Society at St. Mary's.

The Alles enjoyed a reunion with her family from St. Louis the week-end of the 21st. Mrs. Alles' mother Mrs. M. A. Berigan, her sister, Margaret, and nephews, Mike and Pat were the welcome guests.

The following Tuesday morning was an unusually festive one. Fred was best man for his Chief Radio Man Harry Majewski in the wedding ceremony resulting from a service romance. He met the bride, Alice Murphy, when she was a nurse and he a patient at the hospital servicing the Coast Guard Station. After the ceremony at Our Lady of The Sea church in Chicago, there was a breakfast at Indian Trail restaurant in Winnetka, and later a reception at the bride's sister's, the James McFadzans.

The Falls' house guests for five days were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kazimer. They are friends from Lansing, Mich., who were invited to stay here while waiting to take occupancy of their new home in this area.

The Fergs of 281 Navaho Trail found a blue three-wheeler abandoned in front of their house two weeks ago and would like to return it to its young owner.

The Paul Muellers' six-year-old Gene, livened up his class trip to Brookfield Zoo, Wednesday, May 25, by falling into the duck pond. His mother, Lois, got the news from the teacher, as Gene had dried his clothes completely by the time he returned home, and decided not to bother mama with the incident.

The Fishers would rather not receive an animal as a gift just now, no matter how cute. Their cat has just presented them with five kittens, and Ann's mother, Mrs. William O'Grady, added a miniature French poodle puppy, one M. Pierre de Courci, Ann's sister, Mrs. Robert Jackson, will arrive for a visit at the end of June from Montana, and will take Mrs. O'Grady with her back to stay.

Sixteen three and four-year-olds descended on the Krolack household last Thursday for Kimberly's fourth birthday party. Her mother, Norma, had an inside treasure hunt for them and birthday cupcakes, and dixie cups for a minimum of confusion.

Diane Alice, infant daughter of Inge and Fritz Mattern, was baptised in a morning ceremony at St. Peter's Lutheran church in Arlington Heights Sunday, May 22. Her godmother, Inge Haufe, came from Chicago, and her uncle, Carl Gollnast from Michigan for the happy occasion and the luncheon party following.

Lorraine Schwinn hosted a Tupperware party for 17 guests, and provided the sandwiches and cakes afterward for what she says was a very pleasant evening, May 13.

Tom McHugh celebrated his tenth birthday by having three good friends to lunch Saturday, Ted Bandur, John Stumbaugh, and Frank Hill.

Tony and Martha Marino's 19th anniversary was actually Tuesday, but they sensibly decided to have their party Sunday, for a maximum turnout. They made it an annual, come-one-come-all for friends and relatives, and at least ten of each were there this year.

The Josephus family spent a family week-end in Adams, Wis. They went with Darlene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Pokorny, and her brother, Alan, to her grandfather, Charles Hesler's home there for two days of fishing and sunning.

Sherman Mitchell's May 14 birthday party at home was preceded by a movie matinee for the guests. The boys from Buffalo Grove on hand for his seventh were Craig Falls, and Grant Klufetos.

Vicki LoPiccalo saw her family Sunday, the 22nd. Her mother, Frances Comande, sister, Sarah, and brother, Nick and family, came for a day from Racine, Wis. Her youngest visitor was one of her brother's four children, a five-week old.

The LoPiccalo's house guest is Lorna Jordan, daughter of family friends who stayed there to attend and graduate from Arlington High School June 9.

Lorna went to the prom Friday, at the Arlington Jockey Club. This was an all-night affair, with a floor show featuring Shelly Berman, and winding up with a breakfast.

Condolences to Dorothy Clark whose father died May 23 in Berkeley, Ill.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

On May 19, I resigned my position on the Wheeling Public Library District Board of Trustees. My association with the library has been worthwhile and gratifying however, I no longer feel that I can spend the time a Trustee should spend in the execution of his responsibilities.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank the many, many individuals and organizations who helped the library in its time of

need. Without this help of time, money, materials and facilities this institution as a fact of life would not exist today.

A very special vote of thanks should be tendered to Mr. George Palm and Mr. Frank Miramonti of the Union Hotel for their faith in us and their continual support of a more material type.

William H. Tripp

## Break-Into Wonder Baking Company Plant

Officials at Wonder Bread Baking Company, N. Milwaukee Ave., reported Wednesday a break-in the night before.

Although there was slight damage to the premises, nothing was taken, the report stated.

A person or persons gained entry into the baking company by crawling atop a parked truck in the rear of the plant.

A window was smashed and the intruders dropped through to the ground floor.

Wheeling police are investigating.

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