**STRUCK BY AUTO**

Robert Darrenberger, Jr., 7, of Elgin, was injured recently when he darted against the side of an automobile driven by Mrs. Lucille J. Miller, Carpentersville, on state route 31 near the Chicago Metal Hose Corp. plant north of Elgin. The injured boy was taken to St. Joseph's hospital, where an examination revealed a broken leg, bruises, and shock.

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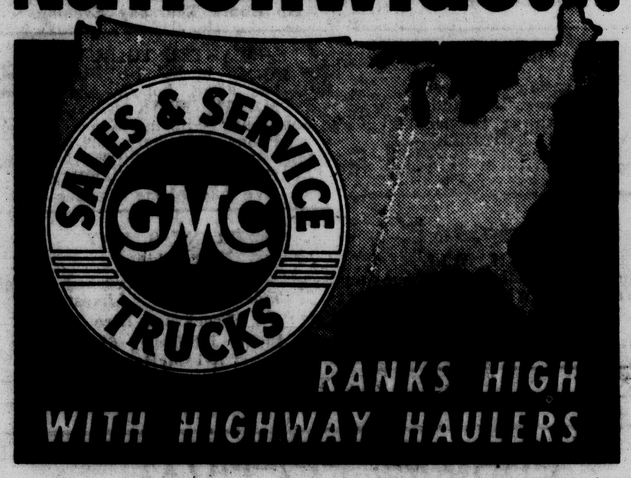


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## News From Wonder Lake

By Vanessa Sells

With only three more weeks to go on their season schedule, two of the three bowling teams sponsored by the Rolaine Grill are facing the end of the season with regret. The Grill women's team, bowling in the Schaefer league in McHenry, is composed of Florence Dean, Elizabeth Repan, Ethel Hansen, Betty Pavlik and Elly Viola. Mrs. Viola is taking the place of her niece, Doris Becker, who recently moved to Chicago.

The Women's team, all new to kegling, have valiantly tried to get out of last place all season, and, as of last week, they made it! They are now seventh instead of eighth.

The men's team of the Rolaine Grill, bowling in the Tavern league in McHenry at Schaefer's, is composed of Bob Davis, Kenneth Joyce, Jimmy Widen, Walter Dean and Arthur Wright. They are now in fourth place.

Another Repan and Rolaine sponsored team battled in the G. I. league at the Palace at McHenry. They wound up their season last Thursday in sixth place. The men of the team were Al Repan, Sgt. S. Duttko, Orville Tronsen, Jr., Paul Marke and Jack Phalin.

A deep bow to Repan for again sponsoring a much loved sport in our district. Through the summer he was instrumental in maintaining the high interest in yachting by donating beautiful trophies for which the local boats vied.

On last Thursday evening, Mrs. Jed Alletag of Wickline Woods was hostess to the group studying great books. The book under discussion was "The Prince" by Machiavelli.

Judy Troxell, 6, is a patient at Woodstock hospital, where she is under observation. Judy has been ill for several weeks with an intermittent fever, the exact cause of which has not yet been determined.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiliam Deckard have returned from Vincennes, Ind., where Mr. Deckard recently underwent major surgery. Now recovered, he was able to do a little gardening that one nice day, (remember it?) Mr. Deckard is planning a flower garden around the home of his daughter, Mrs. Agnes West.

The Indian Ridge Improvement association met at the home of Justus Kellner on Sunday. This was their regular monthly meeting and plans were discussed to start work at the beaches of Indian Ridge. Plans are also under way to put street signs in the subdivision.

The Rod and Gun Auxiliary met at the Mill Inn on Friday evening, held their business meeting, and then enjoyed a fish fry which is a Friday feature at the Inn.

New members welcomed into the club were Mrs. James Selsdorf, Mrs. Gerry Weideman, Mrs. Ruth Raedel and Mrs. Marguerite Stensrud. Visitors at the meeting were Mrs. Charles Karr and Mrs. Ed. Dean.

On Friday afternoon, Mrs. Hazel vonBampus was hostess to the ladies of the Wonder Women.

The Cub and Boy Scout Council met on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Thoms. Present were E. R. Murphy, P. L. Cormier, Anthony Audino, Alan Armstrong, Edw. F. Cannon, K. B. Richards and Bud Elberson.

Ernest Bohn of Woodstock discussed the financing and equipping of scouts, and plans were laid for the financing of the local troop and den.

The council board will go to Woodstock this evening, Thursday, for instruction in the scoutmaster training course now being presented at Woodstock high school each Thursday.

The A. W. Wingrens are home after a vacation which lasted almost six months. Tanned and fit, they report that they had a wonderful vacation, and enjoyed splendid weather throughout their tour which took them to New Mexico, California, Arizona, Mexico and Louisiana.

Small Robert Moreau, 4½, is the newest victim of chicken pox. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moreau have their hands full with the care of a sick child and in the effort to keep their newest addition, aged only six weeks, from getting this disease which Roberta insists "she got from the chickens."

On Wednesday evening three of the girls from Harrison school, Sharon Grace Sells and Geraldine Cormier of the eighth grade and Peggy Selsdorf of the seventh, conducted a round table discussion on Columbia for the McHenry chapter of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Jack Graff of Wonder Center is confined to Hines hospital where he recently underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hallastrom spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Hallstrom's sister, Mrs. Almar Aavang of Greenwood, where an open house and a potluck dinner were held in honor of the eighty-ninth birthday of Fred C. Schroeder, father of Mrs. Hallstrom.

Mr. Schroeder was born April 15, 1858, in Mecklenberg, Germany, and came to this country when he was 8 years old, traveling on the first steel ship to make the crossing. Ships until that time were all wooden. The crossing took seven days.

The Schroeder family arrived in New York harbor just at the close of the Civil War, and they were detained for four days as they had to wait until all of the soldiers disembarked from their boats first.

Settling in Will county, near Peotone, when he was grown, he married Louisa Stender of that district and came to McHenry county about fifty years ago, where he farmed until his retirement in 1919.

Besides Mrs. Hallstrom, there are five other children. Mrs. Emor Doolittle, Mrs. Amel Heider, Mrs. Almer Aavang, Edwin and Benjamin, all of rural Woodstock.

Mrs. Dorothy Powers took her vacation at the wrong time, it seems. A telephone company employee in Woodstock, she took her vacation last week right at the start of the strike, when she would have vacationed anyway. She went back to "work?" Monday morning, to join the tired pickets who sit in a car in front of the telephone office in Woodstock. Tired of the strike, I think!

Small "Corky" Franz, who is just about 4, is as busy as little boys of that age are always busy, but this week, he outdid himself when he found an old key in the road and tried it in the front door. It locked the door just fine—but it wouldn't open it. For hours, the Franz family were locked outside in a raw wind while Daddy Franz scurried around the neighborhood looking for a skeleton key.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dean were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schmidt and Ethel Goss. Both of the visiting ladies were old school friends of Florence Dean. It was a real reunion between Florence and Ethel Goss as they had not seen one another for fifteen years.

A very amusing story has reached me concerning the garbage can of the Ted Leckbands. It was a good garbage can, they say, and well filled at the time of the big storm and the wind just picked it up and carried it away. The Leckbands recovered their can, finally, but whatever became of that garbage is still a mystery. Gone with the wind—the memory is only a whiff.

The Charles Karrs of Deep Spring Woods are taking advantage of the telephone strike to get some spring decorating done. Mrs. Karr, long an employee of the telephone company in Chicago, is doing her picketing with a small paint brush.

Mrs. A. W. Price and daughter, Nancy, 3½, of Chicago were visitors all last week in the Wayne Sartwell home. Mr. Price drove up to get them over the weekend.

A baseball team is being formed, to represent Wonder Lake. The organization meeting will take place this Sunday at 2:00 p.m. on the baseball field. Those interested are asked to come out and try for positions.

On Saturday evening, the election held at the school brought out an all time high of 134 voters. On the bond issue, also voted upon on Saturday and for which voting went on from noon until 8:00 p.m., 141 votes were cast.

The bond issue, was presented in the form of two questions. The first being whether or not another building should be added on the school grounds, and the second whether or not a bond issue in the amount of $10,000 should be passed for the purpose of building such an addition. On the first question there were 110 voted "YES" and twenty-six voted "NO." On the bottom question, there were 110 votes "YES" and thirty votes "NO." On the later question, two votes were spoiled.

In the school board director race, three well known men of the district were running. Anthony Audino, Walter Troxell and Frank Wendt. Audino won, with a high vote of 61, and will take the place of Kenneth Cristy who has served as a member of the school board for eleven years.

Following the election, Mr. Audino spoke to the crowd, thanking them for their confidence and support and promising that he would at all times try to represent them in the best manner possible and to always try to do what is best for the school.

Following Mr. Audino's short speech, an ovation was given to Mr. Cristy, retiring member of the board, who served so faithfully and so long, giving of his time and effort soley as a public service to the community. It was with great regret that the community saw Mr. Cristy step down from the board, but his duties as a member of the high school board, as well as those on the school planning survey, are heavy tasks, along with full-time farming.

Dr. Carl R. Steelberg, dean of the Free Church Seminary and Bible Institute, Chicago, will be the speaker at the Gospel Center on Sunday morning, April 20, the pastor, Frank W. Anderson being in Kentucky this week attending conferences and conducting meetings.

At the monthly Fellowship night Friday, April 18, the Rev. Fred J. Young, pastor of the Evangelical Mission church of Crystal Lake, will be the speaker. A choir from his congregation will furnish special music. There will be a social hour with refreshments.

**4-H News**

A new 4-H club was formed this week to be known as the Handy Helpers. Led by Mrs. James Selsdorf, and with Sharon Grace Sells as junior leader, the officers of the new club are: president, Gertrude Smith; vice-president, Shirley Sarenac; secretary, Lee Burt; reporter, Mary Ann Martin and recreation chairman, Betty Jo Wright.

The club chose cooking as their project.

The senior 4-H club, the Busy Bumble Bees, has not as yet elected their officers.

On Saturday, Sharon Grace Sells and Geraldine Cormier of Wonder Lake, Charlotte Hogan of Ringwood, Carol Ackman and Mary Jane Deneen of Marengo accompanied Clara Greaves Sweeney, McHenry county home adviser, to Kankakee to the state camp located there, to commemorate Arbor Day by planting two green ash trees donated by the 4-H Federation of McHenry county. More than 400 4-H boys and girls from throughout the state were present, each county planting two trees. Representing the boys' 4-H clubs of McHenry county was David McConnell of Woodstock.

Following the ceremony of tree planting, the group was addressed by President H. Blair of the University of Illinois.

COUNTY OF McHENRY, ss.
In the Circuit Court.
Complaint in Chancery for divorce, No. 30896.
Jean K. Miles, Plaintiff
vs.
Robert C. Miles, Defendant.

Affidavit showing that the defendant, Robert C. Miles, has gone out of this State and on due inquiry cannot be found, so that process cannot be served upon said defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of this court, notice is therefore, hereby given to said Robert C. Miles, defendant, that the plaintff in the above entitled cause filed her complaint in said cause on the 10th day of April, 1947, and that said action is now pending and undetermined in said court, and that you, the said Robert C. Miles, defendant, must file your appearance in said action on or before the third Monday in the month of May, 1947, and in the event you fail to do so, default may be entered against you any day thereafter.
Woodstock, Illinois.
LESTER EDINGER,
Clerk of said Court.
Plaintiff's Attorney: DON A. WEEKS,
(Pub. Apr. 17-24-May 1)

**SOLVES SHORTAGE**

Reading of the print paper shortage in the Elkhorn Independent newspaper recently Miss Lovina Barnes phoned to suggest that they use wall paper as the Daily Citizens did at Vicksburg, Miss., on July 2, 1863. On March 16, her brother, Henry Barnes of San Diego, displayed for a San Diego newspaper, a copy of the wall paper edition which he had preserved under glass. The paper was published while General Grant's men were keeping Vicksburg under siege and it was printed on the back of a roll of wall paper.

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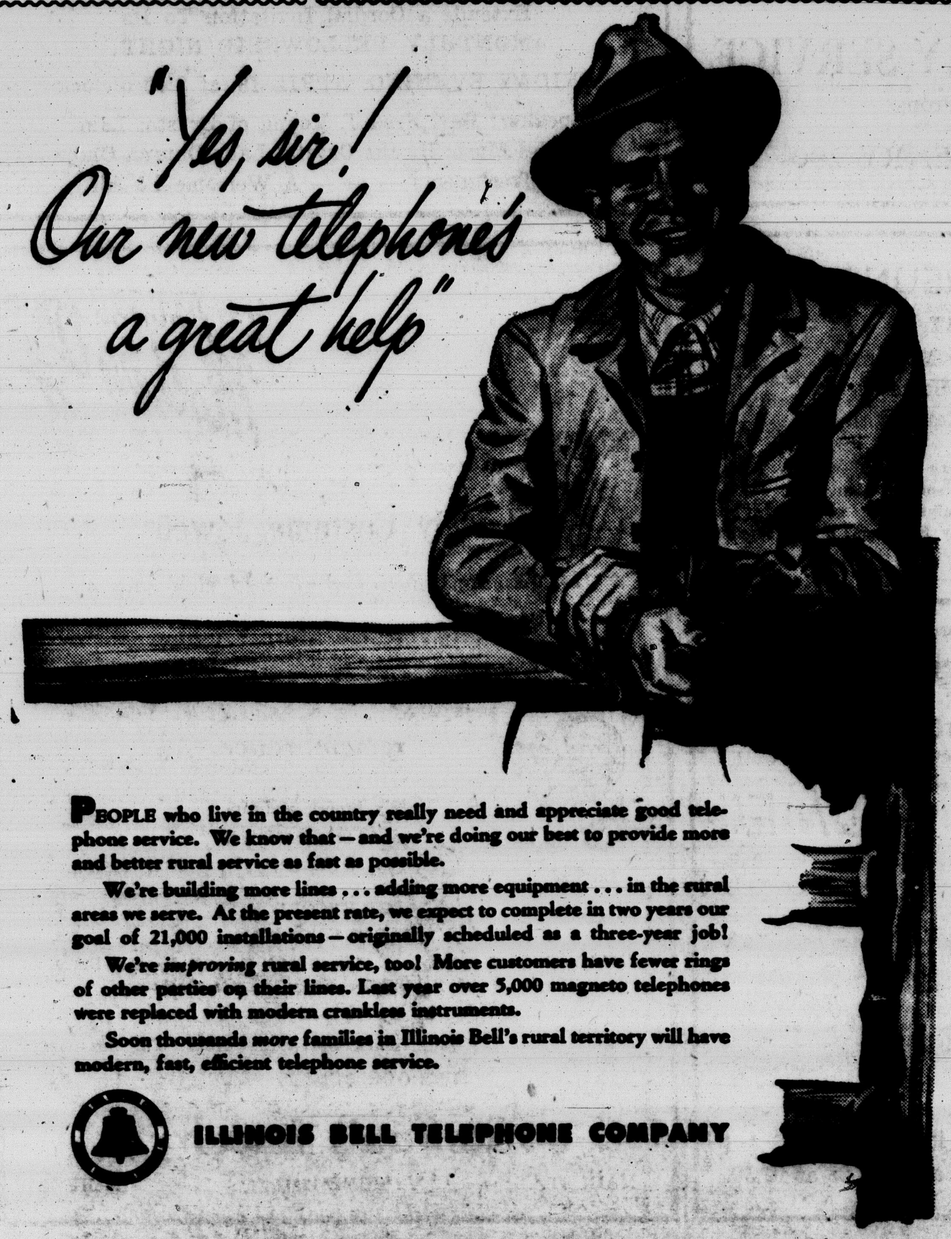

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