



DOYENNES OF THE HILL
BOOK THREE

WOMEN BORN 1920 - 1940

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A "doyenne" is a woman who is highly respected, and the Delphi, Indiana South Hill community has been shaped by many doyens over the years. Their commitment to culture, education, politics, religion, philanthropy, and public service influenced the people around them and helped establish the identity of our wonderful Delphi neighborhood.

This is my third book in a series spotlighting some of the amazing women who lived on the Hill. The women in this book were born between 1920 - 1940.

There were many options - so many women who made a difference in our community. This group represents a variety of interests and achievements, and each of these women held leadership roles. Their impact on the Hill community - and beyond - is unmistakable.

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| 1. Mary Shaffer Clawson Brown | 14. Mary Shattuck Ives |
| 2. Betty Wulfman Revington Burdick | 15. Mary Furst Kelly |
| 3. Arvilla Talbert Burge | 16. Annadell Craig Lamb |
| 4. Mary Ellen Clemans Campbell | 17. Phoebe Revington Peters |
| 5. Mary Pastor Brunk Clawson | 18. Kaye McMurray DeFillippo Petry |
| 6. Sue Ann Sieber Cornell | 19. Lucile Schultz Quinn |
| 7. Esther Beeke Cunningham | 20. Lou Aldrich Kramer Sacha |
| 8. Norma Bedsworth Howe Daugherty | 21. Geneva Morris Todd |
| 9. Fay Burns Ebrite | 22. Ruth Robeson Tolen |
| 10. Virginia Hanlin Emerson | 23. Faye Hitchcock Underhill |
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| 12. Frances Craig French | 25. Barbara Clawson Walker |
| 13. Edna LaVanway Grimm | 26. Rita Burns Wingard |

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Cover Top: Mary Pastor Brunk Clawson, Mary Clawson Brown, Ginny Emerson, Ruth Tolen.
Middle: Mary Kelly and Geneva Todd. Bottom: Edna Grimm, Barbara Walker, Mary Ellen Campbell, Mary Ives



Top: Fay Ebrite, Carolyn Wagner, Rosemary Fitch. Second: Kaye DeFillippo Petry, Phoebe Peters, Faye Underhill. Third: Frances French, Lou Sacha, Betty Revington Burdick. Fourth: Lucile Quinn, Norma Howe, Sue Ann Cornell. Bottom: Annadell Lamb, Esther Cunningham, Rita Wingard, Arvilla Burge

MARY SHAFFER CLAWSON BROWN



Mary Shaffer Clawson Brown is one of those people who never seeks acclamation, but earns it anyway by being a go-to person... the one you can count on to deliver, the one who volunteers when others don't, the one who quietly makes things happen, the one who ensures success because she won't settle for failure.

Mary Louise Shaffer was born February 27, 1935 in Burnettsville, Indiana to Paul and Gladys Burney Shaffer. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1953, and she married Dan Clawson in the Delphi Methodist Church on August 12, 1954. They had six children: Anita, Eric, Jay, Paula, Patrick, and Sara. Mary and Dan moved to the Hill in 1971, buying the historic home at 127 E. North Street, a home now occupied by her daughter Anita and husband Mike Force.

Dan died in 1983, and Mary married Glenn A. Brown on February 22, 1986. Glenn died in 2013.

As a young woman, Mary worked at Wynkoop's Pharmacy and Carroll Telephone Company. She and Dan managed Clawson Appliances after Dan's father, Walter, retired in 1974. When Dan died in 1983, Mary continued to run the business with son Pat. With her family, she also owns Clawson Sugar Bush, making maple syrup following the tradition established by her grandfather, Albert Shaffer. In 1984, Delphi's chapter of Business and Professional Women named Mary "Woman of the Year."

Mary was initiated into Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority in 1955; and she has been a dedicated member for more than 60 years, serving as an officer several times in both the active and associate chapters. In 1968, the active chapter recognized Mary for her outstanding service to the sorority's civic projects.

Mary was a founding member and Treasurer for the Carroll County Association for Retarded Children and was active in the Delphi Home and School Association. A long-time member of the Delphi Methodist Church, she sang in the choir, chaired the annual Old Settlers Chicken Barbecue for many years, and participated in the activities of the Wesley Weds Class, among other contributions.

In 2015, Mary was chosen by the Delphi Lions Club to be the Grand Marshal of the annual Christmas Parade. In 2018, Mary and her family were presented a Carroll County Heritage Award by the Old Settlers Association for preserving the county's history through Clawson Sugar Bush.

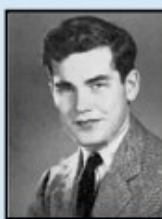
Though she endured much sadness in her life - losing two children and two husbands - Mary Shaffer Clawson Brown's faith and indomitable spirit enabled her to create a strong family and to make her community a better place. She is a worthy role model.

- Owner Clawson Appliances
- Owner Clawson Sugar Bush
- Old Settlers Heritage Award (2018)
- Grand Marshall Delphi Christmas Parade (2015)
- 1984 Woman of the Year - Delphi Business and Professional Women's Club
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority . Officer in both active and associate chapters
- Founding member and Treasurer Carroll County Association for Retarded Children
- Delphi Home and School Association
- Delphi Methodist Church
- Wesley Weds Class
- Choir
- Chairman Old Settlers Chicken Barbecue

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Dan Clawson

Wed At Delphi
 Delphi, Ind. (1954) — Miss Mary Shaffer and Dan W. Clawson exchanged nuptial vows yesterday afternoon in the Delphi Methodist Church.
 The Rev. James Eakin, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, read the double-ring ceremony in the presence of 200 friends and relatives.
 The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaffer of Burnettsville. Mr. Clawson is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clawson of Delphi.
 Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street-length dress of white voile with white hat and white accessories.
 Miss Ruth Shaffer, her sister's maid of honor, wore a street-length frock of pink and Miss Barbara Shaffer, her bridesmaid, appeared in a pastel frock.
 Bill Mallens Jr. of Washington, D.C., was best man and the usher was Joe Holmes of Delphi and Edwin McGuire of Lafayette.
 Mr. Clawson attended Purdue and Indiana Universities.
 After Aug. 30, Mr. and Mrs. Clawson will reside here.
 Indianapolis Times-Examiner, 1954



Mrs. and Mr. Dan W. Clawson are now at home in the Walker section following their recent marriage in the Methodist church here. Mrs. Clawson is the former Mary Shaffer. Delphi Citizen 9-2-1954. Photo by Wallace

DELPHI — Mrs. John Ben Brown, president of Delphi Tri Kappa, was in charge of initiation of 14 women at a formal ceremony in the Delphi Methodist church. She was assisted by Mrs. Alta Packard with Mrs. Virginia Delaney at the organ and Miss Mary Helen Brown as soloist. Mrs. Edna Brown was in charge of the serving of refreshments. At a break all went to the Delphi Country club where a dance was held with the Sherry Nelson Blue Notes of Lafayette providing the music. The new members are Louise Morrow, Katherine Little, Louise Morrow, Gene Brown, Edith Robinson, Mrs. Dan Clawson, Agnes Sellers, Nancy Hill, Virginia Sanderson, Marjorie Orr, Judy Olson, Patricia Maggart, Susan Beach and Mary Lou Foster. Business was Edna Brown, Mabel Thomson, Geneva Todd, Lela Underhill, Lou Woods and Joan Gordon. The next business meeting will be Thursday evening, June 28, at 7:30 in the library. Delphi Citizen, 6/28/55

Delphi SHA elects officers
 DELPHI (TNS) — Mrs. Glen Brown was elected president of the School and Home Association Monday evening at the association's regular meeting.
 Vice president, representing Delphi Community High School will be Robert Brookbank, and second vice president, representing Mt. Carmel will be Mrs. Don Bartholmer.
 Elected secretary was Mrs. Bob Duff and Mrs. Bill Dims was elected treasurer. Mrs. Dan Clawson was chairman of the nominating committee that submitted the proposed slate of officers.
 The evening was spent discussing the conditions in the schools in Carroll County, showing the great need for the school building program.
 Kokomo Morning Times 5-5-1967

Below: The Clawson home on the Hill at 127 E. North Street



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Parent Donations Needed For After-Prm Party
 An after-Prm party for planning the after-Prm party for Delphi Community High School students will be 2:30 p.m. March 14 in lounge room 4-36 at the high school.
 Parents of juniors and seniors are asked to donate \$5 if they have one student at their grade and \$10 if they have two. The money will be used to finance the after-Prm party.
 Donations may be taken to Mrs. Thomas Taylor of the Union Free School, Mrs. Dan Clawson of Clifton Appliances or in any of the following members of the Finance committee: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnard Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Henricks, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lupton and Mr. and Mrs. John Vance.

Outstanding at the Delphi Tri Kappa will show presented Wednesday night will be one of the following members of the Finance committee: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thayer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnard Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Henricks, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lupton and Mr. and Mrs. John Vance.

The Delphi Community parade committee thanks all who participated in and helped with the parade.
 Those who made donations for the ribbon and prizes were Jim French, Joe McGreevey of the Pizza King, Mary Brown of Clawson Appliances, Edna Johns of Johns Liqueur Store, and UAW Local 914.

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UP CHECKS PRESENTED—Mrs. John Beck, center, Treasurer of the 1975 Carroll County United FA is, presented checks to two of the treasurers of participating agencies last week. All were agencies received 50% per each distribut...



JAYCEES' HONEY SUNDAY receipts from the sale of honey provided the check for \$248.18 which Perry Cobb, Delphi Jaycees' Honey Sunday chairman, is shown presenting to Mrs. Dan Clawson, treasurer of Carroll County Association for Retarded Children. In the background is the box which is stopped at Delphi to pick up children attending CAR Day School Camp at Monticello for White and Carroll Counties. Jaycees' Honey Sunday is a state project annually for Retarded Children. The support given the project in the Delphi community was so great that a smaller check of about \$25 was given to Indiana ARC. Staff Photo

Mary Louise is the worker bee of the family. At Thanksgiving and most extended-family gatherings, she was the one most likely to wash the dishes and return the kitchen and dining room - no matter what house we were in - back to its pre-celebration condition. Her smile and laughter and kindness are as much a part of her character as her work ethic. When Mary and Dan lived in the house on East Columbia Street, they hosted summer parties in the yard, complete with fireworks, sparklers and burned fingers on the Fourth of July. Mary has always been unassumingly thoughtful and helpful. She pitches in where she sees a need and helps out wherever she can. - Suzannah Walker



ARC OFFICERS — 1971 officers of the Carroll County Association for Retarded Children met last week at Flora. Shown here (l. to r.) are: Seabed—Rev. Fred Laman, Delphi, president; Mrs. Merlin Mullin, Burrows, vice president; Mrs. Dan Clawson, Delphi, treasurer; Mrs. Russell Hicks, Flora, secretary; and Rev. Vernon Powell, Flora, director; and Harold Johnson, Flora, director and past president. Staff Photo

TRI KAPPAS HUNTS 'OUTLAW'
Tri Kappas, accompanied by their furious husbands, turned power to being back, dead or alive that no longer exist, Billy the Kid. After it is clear that had them from the fringe, just that Bill to other famous landmarks, the posse, consisting of Gary and Faye Underhill, Dan and Mary Clawson and Tom and Rosemary Nason, appeared at this desperate along the banks of Deer Creek. He was then taken back to the KKK. The reward of \$1000 was given the reward of \$1000 for his disappearance.

Tri Kappa Recognizes 18 Members, Gives Gifts
At a recent Tri Kappa meeting when recognition was given to 18 members for outstanding service through the society toward civic projects, Mrs. Dan Clawson, president, honored as high member with over 1000 points. Mrs. Louise Underhill was second. Since 200 points fulfill the society's requirement, Mrs. Clawson's contribution of time and effort seems to have been remarkable.

Tri-Kappa
Twenty-five members of Gamma Alpha Chapter of Tri-Kappa gathered at the Presbyterian Church basement to begin their 75th year of philanthropic service to the community. President Bonnie Horn opened the meeting in regular form. The 2000-2001 sash was presented by Nancy Beach and approved by the membership. Mary Brown and Kim Duncan were granted inactive status. Many comments were discussed concerning the years of service and contributions Brown has made to the organization and all of its projects.

Carroll County Comet, Wednesday, Sept. 17, 1975
Delphi Tri Kappa elects officers
Officers were elected when Alpha Associate unit of Kappa Kappa Kappa met at the home of Betty McCormick Sept. 9. Elected and installed were Betty McCormick, president; Donnabelle Sieber, vice president; Rosemary Nason, corresponding secretary; Lucille Lanyon, recording secretary; and Mary Clawson, treasurer.



WOMAN OF THE YEAR - Delphi Business Women named Mary Clawson "Woman of the Year" at Monday night's meeting. Presenting Mrs. Clawson a plaque is Diane Hinkle, club president. The plaque, made by Sally Roberts, signifies Mrs. Clawson's varied interests and talents, her church, United Methodist society, Tri Kappa appliance store, Clawson's Appliance family, and her willingness to help in many philanthropic projects. Comet Photo

ARC To Sponsor Candy Wagon At County 4-H Fair
The Association for the Handicapped of Carroll County will again have a Candy Wagon at the 4-H Fair. Among those who will be working are Mrs. Ralph Sullivan, Mrs. Beverly Myers, Mrs. Charles Rose, Mrs. Robert Floyd, Mrs. Phillip Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson, Mrs. Myron Swanson, Mrs. Vernon Powell, Mrs. Merlin Mullin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinney, Mrs. Paul Quinn, Mrs. Dale Egan, Mrs. Dan Clawson, Mrs. Jesse Zach, Mrs. Wayne Egan, Mrs. Len Hildebrand, and Mrs. ...

ASSOCIATION ELECTS
The Carroll County Association for Retarded Children elected these officers: The Rev. Fred Laman, Delphi, president; Mrs. Merlin Mullin, Burrows, vice president; Mrs. Russell Hicks, Flora, secretary; and Mrs. Dan Clawson, Delphi, treasurer.

CARROLL HERITAGE AWARD
Clawson's Sugar Bush Maple Syrup Camp For Your Dedication And Service To The Promotion And Preservation Of Carroll County's Historical Heritage
AUGUST 11, 1975



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Brown 25th anniversary
Glenn and Mary Brown of Delphi will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary with an open house on Feb. 27. The event, hosted by their children, will be from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Stone Barn, Delphi.

2015-12-02 / Front Page **Carroll County Comet**
Associate Chapter
Mary Brown named the 2015 Delphi Christmas parade grand marshal
Comet staff report
Mary (Shaffer) Clawson Brown is the Grand Marshal of the 2015 Delphi Christmas Parade. She will ride the parade route in a navy blue convertible driven by Lon G. Smith. The theme of this year's event is "Christmas through the Ages." The parade will be this Saturday, Dec. 5, beginning at 1 p.m. Mary is a long-time Delphi business owner and church volunteer. She is known for offering a helping hand whenever needed. Daughter Anita Force recounts her mother's influence in other's lives. "My mom is the type of person who quietly works behind the scenes," Anita said. "She never wants any praise or recognition for what she does, but I know what she has accomplished." Mary was born in 1935 to Paul and Gladys Shaffer of Adams Township. She attended township schools until her senior year. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1953. Mary met Dan Clawson through mutual friends in the National Guard and they were married at the Delphi United Methodist Church in 1954. The couple has six children - Anita Clawson Force, Eric, Jay and Pat Clawson, and Paula and Sara Clawson (both deceased). She has eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Dan and Mary operated Clawson's Appliance Store in Delphi after Dan's father, Walter, retired in 1974. The store employed four and offered a large range of appliances and televisions, as well as a repair service. "Dan passed away in 1983 and I continued to run the business with our son, Pat, who joined us only a month before Dan died," Mary said. Daughter Anita and son Jay later joined the business and opened a second store in Monticello. Jay and his wife are the sole owners and operators of that store today. In 1984 Mary was named Woman of the Year by the Delphi Business Women's Club. She is a 60-year member of the Delphi United Methodist Church and also a 60-year member of Delphi Tri Kappa. "I have always been active in my Sunday school class 'Wesley Weds' and sang in the choir," Brown said. "I was also head of the church's Old Settlers Chicken BBQ for many years, when it first began." In 1986 Mary married Glenn Brown, eventually relinquishing the appliance business to her children. "I still come in to the Delphi store every day to help with the bookkeeping. And I enjoy chatting with customers," she said. Mary and her children observe a long-time family tradition. They make maple syrup in the woods her Grandfather Shaffer owned in Adams Township. The syrup is currently sold at the Delphi store. "Anita and I used to can all the syrup ourselves," Brown said. "We have a machine to do it now." Mary said the thing that stands out in her mind from living in Carroll County for the past 80 years, are the people. "Many individuals have always been so helpful to me over the years. I cannot put my finger on just one person," Mary recalled. "I could not have made it through without all the really good people who stepped up to the plate to be there for me."

2015-12-02 / Front Page **Carroll County Comet**
Associate Chapter
Eighteen members of the Delphi Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa met at the Stone House Restaurant and Bakery for lunch and a meeting. Norm Miller gave a talk on ovarian cancer. There will be a Cheryl Miller Cancer Walk on Sept. 13. Money from the event will be used for research and educating women about ovarian cancer. Donnabelle Sieber, Joan Nelson, Mary Wessner and Faye Underhill were honored at the anniversary party for their many years of membership. The Elkhart chapter hosted the state convention, which Mary Helen Abbott and Mary Brown attended. The theme for the convention was "Mission of Women." Abbott and Brown spoke about the workshops they attended. There will be no more constitutions. The by-laws will now be the governing body. The Bee Happy Award was presented to the chapter from the Mental Health Fund. Officers for next year are: Abbott, president; Mary Ellen Campbell, vice president; Pat Duff, secretary; and Mary Brown, treasurer.



Below: Son Jay, Right: Sons Pat and Eric with the Heritage Award. Mary and daughter Anita.

BETTY WULFMAN REVINGTON BURDICK



If I had to use one word to describe Betty, it would be, "vivid!" With an exclamation point. Betty was bright, bold, ebullient, indefatigable, and optimistic. She was the mother of my dear childhood friend, Pence; so she was a big part of my early years. Even at a tender age, I was in awe of her. Betty was passionate about culture, art, travel, and justice for children; and she shared that passion with those around her.

Elizabeth Jeanette Wulfman was born May 30, 1922 to Otto and Anna Bretz Wulfman in Huntingburg, Indiana. She graduated from high school in 1940 and earned a bachelors in business administration from Indiana University in 1944, where she was President of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. She married George Revington on May 2, 1944 in the post chapel at Spence Field Air Force Base in Moultrie, Georgia. When George returned from service, they moved to Delphi, living first at 508 W. Summit Street. In 1952, they moved into a contemporary home they built on Riley Road, overlooking Deer Creek. George was co-owner of the Peters-Revington Manufacturing Company in Delphi, with brother-in-law Tom Peters.

Betty and George had three children: George, Pence, and Elizabeth. In 1960, the Revingtons moved to West Lafayette. After George died in 1978, Betty married Allan Burdick, a professor of medical genetics, on November 25, 1983. They moved to Columbia, Missouri, where Allan taught at the University of Missouri. Allan died in 2012, and Betty died in 2015.

An active Tri Kappa in Delphi, Betty remains known for being a force behind the annual Delphi Art Show, begun in 1956. She and Delphi art teacher Jack Sanders merged the yearly Tri Kappa Art Show with the annual exhibit of Delphi students' work, turning the Delphi Art Show into a highly-regarded event, attended by people throughout Carroll County and beyond. She also was the Province Representative to the Tri Kappa State Art Committee and was active in promoting the Hoosier Art Salon. While in Delphi, Betty and George began an art collection that would become extensive and critically acclaimed. In West Lafayette, she was Coordinator of the Krannert Drawing Room Gallery.

Betty was an officer in the Junto Club; and - with George - she helped organize Delphi's Great Books Club. She was both a Girl Scout Troop Leader and a Boy Scout Den Mother, and she was active in the Delphi Presbyterian Church.

When they moved to West Lafayette, Betty pursued her interest in helping disadvantaged and at-risk children, founding the Cary Home Auxiliary and Group Homes, Inc., a non-profit focused on helping children in crisis. In 1978, Group Homes, Inc. opened "Revington House," named for Betty. She was appointed by the Governor to the Indiana Juvenile Justice Task Force, serving as President. She also was on the Board of United Stand for Children and Youth and on the Steering Committee of the Human Development Coalition.

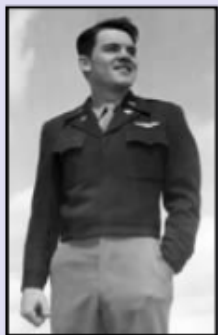
Betty loved to entertain and did it often and well. Pence remembers that legendary actress Helen Hayes was a guest in their home during one of Betty's receptions. But I also remember the great birthday parties Betty orchestrated in their Riley Road home. Whatever Betty did, she did it with class.

Though she was a woman of the world, I'll always remember Betty as she was in Delphi, the mother of my best friend...in her khaki shorts, working to make her Riley Road garden beautiful...laughing with my mom as they shooed our Brownie troop under the lifeboats when a sudden storm struck while we were visiting the Indiana Dunes... watching two little girls discover the beauty of ballet, the night she and Mom took Pence and me to see Swan Lake... coaching Pence and me as we hosted our first dinner party, serving tuna casserole... driving her fabulous white Jaguar (and reminding us to keep our feet off the black leather upholstery)... and wearing a silly hat at the Bon Voyage party Brownie Troop 26 gave her before her first journey to Europe.

Betty wanted to make the world more beautiful for those around her, and she worked hard to achieve that goal. She was vivid in every aspect of her life, every place she lived it.

- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
- Secretary
- Chairman Delphi Art Show
- Province Representative to Tri Kappa State Art Committee
- Girl Scout Troop Leader
- Cub Scout Den Mother
- Secretary Junto Club
- Secretary Great Books Club
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
- Award for Outstanding Service to Youth in Indiana (1976)
- President and founder Cary Home Auxiliary Board
- Resident Indiana Juvenile Justice Task Force
- Founder and Board Member Group Homes, Inc.
- Board Member United Stand for Children and Youth
- Steering Committee Human Development Coalition
- Founder Lafayette Day Care Center
- Founder Foster Parents Association
- Coordinator Krannert Drawing Room Gallery

WEDDING ANNOUNCED
Announcement is made of the marriage of Leah, George D. Revington, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Revington, and Miss Betty Wulfman, of Huntingburg, May 2, at the post chapel, Spence Field, Moultrie, Ga. The post chapel officiated.
Mrs. Revington has been a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Revington. She is a graduate of Indiana university and was secretary to the dean of the Business School and taught some classes. She is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and Phi Kappa Phi.
Leah Revington attended Methodist school and was graduated from Baylor Preparatory school, Chattanooga, Tenn. and was in his last semester at Indiana university when he enlisted in the Air Force. (1944-1945)



Above: Betty with Pence at 508 W. Summit. Below: The Revington home at 601 Riley Road



THE NATIVITY scene which is being constructed by the combined efforts of the Delphi churches with the Delphi Chamber of Commerce facing the hill will be erected on the east lawn of the court house square on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. George Revington is serving as co-ordinator in the project. The plan is to dedicate the scene the following Friday afternoon with choir numbers. It is hoped that a combined community choir will be at the scene on December 18, 20 and 21. (1944-1945)

Mr. and Mrs. George Revington, Jr. recently moved to Delphi and are living at 508 West Summit St. He is associated with his brother-in-law, Tom Peters, in the Peters Manufacturing company.

Mr. and Mrs. George Revington, II, are in Paris, France, where they have just been by jet airplane, for a brief vacation. (1944-1945)

Mr. and Mrs. George Revington, Jr. and children, who have been residing at the Revington cottage on Lake Pontchartrain, plan to show their beautiful new home southeast of Delphi this week. The house with a hillside overlooking Deer Creek is a California type house with garage windows.

Delphi Teachers To Be Feted At P-TA Reception

The Delphi P-TA executive committee met Friday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. George Wagner. Plans were made to hold a reception for the new and old teachers of the local schools on Wednesday evening, September 14 at 8 p. m. The event will be held in the BEAC auditorium.

The committees appointed to function for the event are: program—Mrs. Jean Goss, chairman; Mrs. Robert Wood, Robert Jerry and Robert Bradshaw; refreshment—Mrs. Robert Salts, chairman; Mrs. Robert Quinn; Mrs. Stanley Cornelius; Mrs. Charis Baskin; Mrs. John E. Walker; Mrs. George Revington and Mrs. E. E. Thomson; hospitality—Mrs. Walter Clawson, chairman; Mrs. Garnett Smith and Mrs. Clement Dardwick.

UNTO announcement
The Junto Club held its annual business meeting and dinner at the Union Building at Purdue University last Thursday night. George Revington, Jr. presided at the meeting following the dinner. An attendance of more than 100 members was present.
New officers elected were Ned Douglass, president; Kay Tamm, vice-president; Mrs. George Revington, secretary; and Claude Wickard, treasurer.

Twenty-seven paintings from the collection of George and Betty Revington of Lafayette are on view in Purdue's galleries. The Revington exhibit will continue through Feb. 1 in Gallery II in FWA 2 Building and the Israeli photos are in the Krannert Building drawing room through Feb. 15.

Below: Betty and George with Pence (back), Elizabeth, and George





Mary Orr has been crowned Carroll County Country Club...

Honor Cub Scouts at Banquet: Many Are Given Awards...

Home Hospital Auxiliary will have its Traditional Silver Tea Friday...

Hostesses are Mrs. George D. Revington, 1211 Ravinia Road...

The Revingtons' William and Mary secretary and marble topped Louis XVI desk...

Mr. and Mrs. John Earl Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood entertained at a delightful party...



Below: Troop leader Betty with Scout Troop 26

Parties At Delphi Given To Aid Fund For Mental Health...

Those who opened their homes for the party were Mr. John Walker, Mrs. George Revington, Mrs. Don Bowman, Mrs. Jean Lake...

Great Books Dinner Meeting Enjoyed...

There were 20 distinguished guests present at the Country Club in Delphi...

Delphi Art Show A 40-year tradition... The 40 year Delphi Art Show and the Delphi Schools...

ART SHOW OPENS SUNDAY AFTERNOON... JACK SANDERS, high school art instructor, Mrs. John Earl Walker and Mrs. George Revington...

Below: Betty with her family



Elizabeth Revington Burdick, 93... Elizabeth Revington Burdick finished a life well-lived on December 21, 2015 at age 93.

Blessed with beauty, spunk and smarts, "Betty" made the most of her time on Earth. Ever an optimist, she believed the saying, "The world is so full of such wonderful things, I'm sure we should all be as happy as kings."

Let's be game. Whether a mud-caked sorry football game at Indiana University or a wicked round of cards, Betty played to win and kept score...

Cherish the beauty of nature. Betty saw ever-changing paintings in the daily interplay of sun, sky and shadows...

The Kappa Delsails... The active chapter of Delphi Tri Kappa will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the Hower Officers will be installed...

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Betty Revington of 221 Barnes St., W.L., was named by the Indiana Youth Service... The Indiana Youth Service Home Association is an organization of women which serve public and have a mediocrity mission...

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NAMED TO GROUP Mrs. George Revington of South Delphi has been named to the state Tri Kappa art committee...

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ARVILLA TALBERT BURGE



- Delphi Clerk-Treasurer 17 years
- President Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
- Vice President Republican Women's Club
- Co-Chairman Carroll County Red Cross Blood Bank
- Vice President Modern Homemakers Club
- Eastern Star
- Girl Scouts Day Camp Staff
- Bunco Club
- Delphi Home and School Association
- Delphi Methodist Church
- Vice President of Wesley Weds Class
- WCTU
- Faith Circle
- UMW Membership Chair

My first memory of Arvilla Burge was shortly after they moved into the Trobaugh house. What had been a quiet corner at Summit and Hamilton came to life with the Burge family, Arvilla overseeing the activity. I thought it was great that the whole Talbert family lived within 3 blocks of one another, for a time... Arvilla, brothers Wayne and Harold, and their parents Elmer and Esther lived on Summit Street; and Arvilla's niece Carolyn Talbert Wagner lived on Illinois.

Arvilla Mae Talbert was born June 7, 1932 to Elmer and Esther Lindley Talbert in Russiaville, Indiana. She graduated from Western High School; and she came to Delphi to work with her brothers at Bassett and Talbert, living with brother Wayne. She married Meredith Burge on September 23, 1951 in the West Middleton Methodist Church. Their first home on the Hill was 125 W. Vine; and in 1956, they bought the former home of artist Roy Trobaugh, at 424 W. Summit. They've lived there ever since. Arvilla and Meredith have four children: Mike, Kirk, Pam, and Steve.

After working as a bookkeeper at Bassett and Talbert for several years, Arvilla took a job at the Carroll County License Branch. She was active in Republican politics as a member and officer of the Republican Women's Club, and she volunteered for many County Election Boards. In 1970, Arvilla was appointed to fill the term of Jesse Patrick as Delphi's Clerk-Treasurer. She won subsequent elections, serving 17 years in that position. In 1981, Arvilla was in the first class to be certified by the Indiana Municipal Clerks and Clerk-Treasurers.

In the community, Arvilla is a 60-year member of Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority, serving in various leadership roles including President. She was Co-Chair of the Carroll County Red Cross Blood Bank and Vice President of the Modern Homemakers Club. She was active with the local Girl Scouts organization, working on the staff of the Girl Scouts camp. She is a member of Eastern Star and the Delphi Methodist Church, where she has belonged to the Wesley Weds Class, the WCTU, the United Methodist Women, and Faith Circle. She was a member of the Bunco Club and the Delphi Home and School Association.

Arvilla and Meredith have traveled extensively. For many years, they have spent winters in Florida, often joining fellow Carroll County snowbirds for an annual Florida get-together. Sorority sister Sandra Seele described Arvilla like this: "I always admired her willingness to step out of her comfort zone to explore other cultures and countries."

Arvilla remains active with her sorority, her card club, and - of course - her beloved family.

Old Faithful Club Meeting
The Old Faithful 4-41 club of Jeanette township met Wednesday afternoon at the West Middleton school building and the program consisted of a demonstration by Mrs. Max Cozart and Helen Hanstaa, piano solo by Arvilla Talbert and health talk by Shirley Barnum. Hostesses were Arvilla and Albee Kinsey and Irene Wolford. The leader, Mrs. Cozart, and 24 members were present.



Arvilla Burge
I was appointed as Clerk-Treasurer of Delphi and have served in that responsible office since June 2, 1970. My experience as Clerk-Treasurer has been most helpful in my continuing to be qualified for its many and varied duties. This office is the central focal point for all areas of our city government.

The Clerk-Treasurer receives over \$300,000 annually from various sources, makes all disbursements for the city including payrolls, street maintenance, etc., keeps accurate accounts in accordance with rules of the State Board of Accounts and laws of Indiana, bills water and sewage customers monthly, keeps reserves for bond issues, maintains orderly files, serves as clerk for the Common Council, records minutes, serves as clerk of the Delphi Flood Control District, prepares annual tax budgets, meets with the State Board of Tax Commissioners, coordinates various departments in the city, answers correspondence, etc.

I also feel qualified because of my previous four years as bookkeeper for Bassett & Talbert and also by reason of having dealt with the public as clerk at the local license branch.

Moreover, I am very concerned over and interested in community affairs, and I desire to do my part to help our city in every way possible. Delphi Journal Citizen 10-7-1971

Officials To Attend Seminar
Logansport March 28-30, 1970
City officials from four Logansport towns will attend a seminar on Indiana government Aug. 29 and 30. The officials include Arvilla T. Burge, Delphi clerk-treasurer; Mary A. Cotner, Logansport city councilwoman; George L. Davidson, Chalmers town board president; and Phyllis A. Hiner, Monticello clerk-treasurer.



AMONG FIRST INNS GRADUATES - Arvilla T. Burge (4), Clerk-Treasurer, City of Delphi, was one of 13 municipal clerks and clerk-treasurers receiving certificates of completion from the Indiana Municipal Clerks and Clerk-Treasurers receiving certificates of completion from the Indiana Municipal Clerks Institute during a graduation ceremony held recently in Indianapolis. The 13 INMC graduates are the first graduating class from the Institute which was initiated in February 1969. Graduates require the completion of a minimum of 30 hours of instruction in public administration, 20 hours in social and international relations, and 20 hours in special skill subjects. Presenting the certificates to Mrs. Burge are (l. to r.) Ivan H. Bringer of the Indiana Academy for the Public Service, Lucille Shattuck, president of the Indiana League of Municipal Clerks and Treasurers, and Dr. Peter J. Mark, a director of Ball State University.

Western Students Present Second Senior Theatrical
Although a medium-sized audience witnessed the first night of the senior class play at Western High school, Evansville, Thursday night, a capacity attendance was expected for the final performance Friday night at the high school auditorium. George McCoy, class sponsor, said Friday.

The three-act comedy, "Just Ducky," is the second senior class play to be presented this year. The first was given in December with an entirely different cast from that appearing Thursday night.

Principal roles were taken by Eugene Thompson, Nida Weaver, Nancy Rivler, and Arvilla Talbert. Other characters were played by Kenneth Beak, Kenneth Sholtz, Dorothy Davier, Mick McDonald, Gene Hendrickson, Earl Karasch, Marianna Newlin and Helen Allison.

WEDDING DATE SET - The marriage of Miss Arvilla Mae Talbert, above, and Meredith Dean Burge will take place at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, September 23, in the West Middleton Methodist church. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Talbert of Russiaville route 2 and the bridegroom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Burge of Camden route 1. Kokomo Tribune 9-4-1951

Below: the Burge home at 424 W. Summit Street



Burge-Talbert
Delphi, Ind. (Sp1.) - One of the loveliest of the early autumn weddings was solemnized Sunday afternoon in the West Middleton Methodist Church when Miss Arvilla Talbert of Delphi and Meredith Burge of Camden exchanged marriage vows in a double-ring ceremony read by the Rev. Lowell Townsend. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Talbert of West Middleton and Mr. Burge is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Burge of Camden.

KOKOMO (Sp1.) TRIBUNE Monday, Sept. 24, 1951

Miss Arvilla Mae Talbert Is Married to Merideth Burge

Below: MERIDETH D. BURGE

The Bunco Club met at Sam's Fish House in Pittsburg for its annual dinner party. Prize-winners were Mrs. Kathleen Brummett, Mrs. Margaret Van Sickle, Mrs. Maxine Victor, Mrs. Arvilla Burge and Mrs. Betty Smith. In May the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Victor.

Airport committee officers announced by Mayor Wagner include James Crisp, president; Kenny Brown, vice-president; Charles Gebel, secretary; and Dan Gotschalk, treasurer. The council appointed Mayor Wagner president of the board of finance, Clerk-treasurer Arvilla Burge in secretary by virtue of her office. Carroll County Times 1-21-1960

GIRL SCOUT NEWS
Mrs. Albert Bartlow, president of the Delphi Girl Scout Association, Mrs. John Gianola and Mrs. Meredith Burge attended the overnight at Camp Klotz near Logansport. Logansport Press 5-5-1960



Delphi City Council: Surmpter, Boeger, Van Sickle, Burge, Godwin, and Beesley

CENSUS CREW STARTS WORK FRIDAY

Delphi Citizen 9-21-1969



THEY'LL BE CALLING ON YOU! Pictured here are the census enumerators who will start work in the county Friday on the 1969 enumeration. Pictured, left to right, back row are Jean Mann, Flora Gertrude Franz, Delphi; Mrs. Loren King, Flora; Mrs. Ben Gensinger, Rock Creek and Liberty; Arvilla Burge, Delphi; Murray Tesh, Jackson; James E. Pater, Adams; second row, left to right, Mrs. C. M. Ryan of Post supervisor; Mrs. Leona Carter, Culler; Mrs. Charlotte Lamb, Flare; Mrs. Loretta Perry, Tippecanoe; Mrs. Thelma Grossinger, Flare; Mrs. Hazel Yackoby, Washington; Mrs. Beverly Bunnell, Jefferson; second row, Mrs. Mary Helen Abbott, Door Creek township; Mrs. Orton Cook, Madison and Clay; Mrs. Homer Archibald, Cassinton; Mrs. Arthur Bradshaw, Delphi; Mrs. Pauline Guss, Burlington.

Faith circle will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Meredith Burge, 424 West Summit street.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burge have returned from a two week trip in Old Mexico and other southwestern states.

Two Delphi ladies were winners of new hats at the Bonnet Breakfast Wednesday of last week at Purdue University. We will be looking to see Mrs. Betty O'Brien and Mrs. Arvilla Burge in their new Easter hats.



PSI OTE OFFICERS — The following officers of Psi Ota Xi were installed at a meeting recently at the home of Dorothy Mills: l. to r., front row, Dorothy Mills, retiring president and present advisor; and Margaret Van Sickle, president. Back row, Arvilla Burge, corresponding secretary; Carolyn Pearson, vice-president; Carolyn Wagner, recording secretary; Darlene Robbins, treasurer; Sandra Seife, conductress, was not present. Mrs. Mills gave gifts for not missing a business meeting the past year to Arvilla Burge, Darlene Robbins, Carolyn Pearson, Judy Schock, Betty Smith and Margaret Van Sickle. The officers gave Mrs. Mills a gift.

Mrs. Talbert Entertains at Family Party

Mrs. Esther Talbert, entertained at dinner Monday evening in honor of Alice Andy Saxon and Mrs. Susan. The Saxon have been visiting relatives in Delphi since Wednesday of last week and will leave Thursday (today) for Fort Meade, Maryland, where they will be stationed. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harold Talbert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burge and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wagner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Talbert and Mrs. Maurine Bennett. Mrs. Saxon, a recent bride, is the former Patty Talbert, daughter of the Wayne Talberts.

EASTERN STAR

The Eastern Star will hold a regular stated meeting on Monday, Jan. 21. The 90-year men will be awarded and the services will be formal. The committee for the social hour following the meeting is: Ruth Patrick, Alva Peckard, Dorothy Myers, Helen Atkinson, Elvyn Jean Austin, Annabelle Cuffey, Arvilla Burge, Minnie Rowch, Pauline Coble, Edna Crisman, Pearl Hatten, Mary Jackson, June Lowther, Chloa Pater, Helen Talbert, Marcjeta Deem, Ruth Dickson, Isabel Praser, Lois Blankberry and Ida Quatvel.

WHEN MIKE Burge had a birthday last week, his mother, Mrs. Meredith Burge was in a quivery. Mike had wanted a birthday party but now he had the chicken pox. Invitations were issued only to those who had had chicken pox, who currently had the disease or who had already been exposed. A delightful time by all was reported.

BLOODMOBILE COOKING
The bloodmobile unit sponsored by the Carroll county Red Cross will be in Delphi Friday, Sept. 11. Mrs. Norman Ebelts is Red Cross bloodmobile chairman as assisted by Mrs. Glen Little and Mrs. Meredith Burge. The quota is 125 pints. The Gamma Gamma No security will serve lunch at noon for volunteers. The Delphi American Legion auxiliary will have charge of the canteen.

At a meeting of the Delphi WCTU in the Delphi Methodist Church, 12 mothers pledged their children for White Ribbon recruitment service. The mothers who took part in the services were Mrs. Kenneth Pyle, Mrs. Russell Smith, Mrs. Meredith Burge, Mrs. Francis Stingley, Mrs. John Best, Mrs. Charles Heliané, Mrs. Charles Best, Mrs. Robert Blick, Mrs. James Hutton, Mrs. Naomi Burton, Mrs. Marvix Henderson, Mrs. Francis Hathaway. Donations services were led by Mrs. Jean Ferrer with meditation by Mrs. Mary Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burge will leave the latter part of this month for a trip to Florida and from there by boat to Nassau, returning by air.

Logansport Press 12-7-1969
Modern Homemakers E. H. Club met with Ruth Patrick at her home. Assisting here were Thelma Sines and Mildred Weaver. Two guests were present, Mrs.

In order to increase the effectiveness of the Business Education curriculum in preparing students for the world of work an Advisory Committee was formed as a two-way communication system between the Delphi Community High School and the community. Representing the school is Arthur Weddell, Gerald Staman, Robert Conner, and Lawrence Stauffer, member of the school board. Representing the community is Tom Freeman, a businessman; Arvilla Burge, a training station supervisor, and Shirley Wiest, an office employee. Chris Killy, president of the OEA, represents the students, and Edna Grimm, Coordinator, serves as secretary of the committee.

The Worthy Grand Matron entertained the very impressive Bob dedication at 5:30 in the Church room. She was assisted by Mrs. Rose B. Sene, W. Lefevre, the Grand Treasurer and Past Worthy Grand Matron; Mrs. Maxine Powell, Klarae, Grand Conductor; Mrs. Alva Shank, District Deputy of Dist. 15; and Mrs. Irene Sweet, Worthy Matron of Rose chapter. Mrs. Arvilla Burge with her children, Pamela and Michael were escorted to the Altar where they were dedicated to the principles of the Order. Other assistances Mrs. Lena Hannell and Mrs. Fern, Suetel. Mrs. Burge is retiring as Marshall of Rose chapter.

Left: Arvilla with her Psi Ote Associate Chapter

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burge and family and her mother, Mrs. Esther Talbert, enjoyed a camping trip to southern Indiana on August 11-12.

DELPHI -- Carroll Association meeting of Tribal Trails Girl Scout Council retrocently in the RMC auditorium. Eighty-five girls registered for the day camp session July 25-29 at Baum's Woods. The staff will include Anna Garkie, Dottie Lesima, Joan Hollis, Virginia Smith and Mildred Curtis, all of Flare, and Mrs. Arvilla Burge, Delphi. There is a need for at least three more workers. The work day to set up camp is scheduled to begin at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 24.

WHIRLY TWIRLERS
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sower were winners of first prize in the Costume Contest at the Whirly Twirler Square Dance at the city building last Sunday. Other winners were Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burge, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oliver, and Mrs. Everett Dack. The next local square dance will be Sunday, Nov. 1 at the recreation hall in the city building at 6:30 p.m. Local Company will be the guest caller.

Lloyd Spitznagle, who became a new member, and Mrs. Martha Sink of Burlington, who installed the following officers: President, Opal Campbell; first vice president, Arvilla Burge; second vice president, Thelma Sines; secretary, Dorothy Myers; treasurer, Mildred Kelly; publicity chairman, Geraldine Landes.

WELSH WIFE
Twenty-five members of the Welsh Wives class of the Methodist Church met at the Holiday Inn, in Moxieville, Saturday evening for a dinner and social meal. In and Mrs. Barry Mears, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duff were honored for selling the most fish by tickets. The group was then entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hasaway at their home on May Road. New officers elected, were: President, Dama Overholser, vice-president, Arvilla Burge, secretary-treasurer, Dora Hasaway, and reporter, Bill Duff. Retiring president is Dale Kaston. Arvilla Burge and Betty Sower have three books as memorial gifts for the church library. Helen Cree and Mary Helen Abbott reported on the number of dishes brought for the kitchen.



Mrs. and Mrs. Meredith Burge

DELPHI — Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Burge of 424 W. Summit St. will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Sept. 23 with an open house from 2 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Homan Hall in Delphi. Mr. Burge and the former Arvilla Mae Talbert were married Sept. 23, 1919, in West Middleboro Methodist Church. He retired after 39 years with Bassett and Talbert in Delphi and 13 years at the central machine shop at Purdue University. Mrs. Burge was the clerk treasurer for the city of Delphi for 17 years before retiring. The couple has four children, Mike Burge and Kirk Burge of Delphi, Pam Howell of Farmstead and Steve Burge of Carmel. They also have seven grand-children. They request gifts be omitted, but cards are welcome.



DELPHI — The Delphi City Council voted unanimously to appoint Mrs. Arvilla Burge of 424 W. Summit St. to fill the remainder of the term of Jesse Patrick, clerk-treasurer, who died May 16. The term will run until December, 1971. The State Board of Accounts is to meet with Mrs. Burge this week and she will start her duties immediately. The clerk-treasurer's salary is \$4,900 a year. Both the waterworks and sewage departments pay \$800 toward her salary with the remaining \$3,900 paid from the city general fund. Mrs. Burge has been employed at the Carroll County library branch here.

GOP WOMEN ELECT

The Carroll County Women's Republican Club recently elected Mrs. Raymond Todd of near Delphi as president of their organization. She succeeds the retiring president, Mrs. Beth Courad. Other officers elected were Mrs. Fred McCain, first vice president; Mrs. Meredith Burge, second vice president; Mrs. Thomas Armstrong, third vice president; Mrs. Reed Burns, fourth vice president; Mrs. William Yeakley, secretary; and Mrs. Kenneth Miller, treasurer.

GOP Women Leaders Attend Luncheon

Mr. Raymond Todd, Mrs. Fred McCain, Mrs. James Coghil, Mrs. Russell Smith, Mrs. Kenneth Miller and Mrs. Meredith Burge of Carroll County attended the Second District Women Republican leader's luncheon Friday at the Tippecanoe County Club at Moxieville. Speakers were Mrs. Robert Stewart, Columbus, state program planning chairman; Mrs. James Gilliam, Warsaw, state membership chairman; and Mrs. Harry Harman, Indianapolis, state finance chairman.

DELPHI — Delphi Home and School association will sponsor an "open house" in the elementary grade rooms in Hillcrest school and the three fifth grades in Monroe street school from 7:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. Monday. A social hour will be held in the Hillcrest school with Mrs. Woodrow Whiteman, Mrs. Raymond Todd, Mrs. Dan Clawson, Mrs. Virgil Liebert, and Mrs. Meredith Burge as hostesses.



Left: Arvilla with her Psi Ote Associate Chapter



MARY ELLEN CLEMANS CAMPBELL



When I posted a photo of Mary Ellen Campbell on the Delphi Hill Facebook page, within minutes people were offering comments:

- Cheryl Nattermann: I worked with her for many years. Sweet and dear.
- Melissa Geiger: Loved living next door to Mary Ellen. Such a dear lady.
- Linda Lentner Landes: A TRUE lady in every sense of the word.

What better introduction than the words of those who knew her?

Mary Ellen Clemans was born January 25, 1925 to Frank and Bessie Rowe Clemans in Logansport. She was reared in the house where she was born and graduated from Logansport High School in 1941. She earned her bachelors degree from Wheaton College in Illinois in 1945, and she earned two masters degrees - one in Elementary Education and one in Library Science - from Purdue. Mary Ellen married George William (Bill) Campbell on June 18, 1949 in the Delphi Methodist Church. They had one daughter: Mary Anne. Bill passed away in 1988; and Mary Ellen died 20 years later, on February 4, 2008.

A beloved educator for 45 years, Mary Ellen taught in Flora and Frankfort and spent 34 years in the Delphi Community Schools, teaching in the junior high and the 4th grade at Hillcrest and then serving as Hillcrest librarian. Daughter Mary Anne said her mother loved teaching and missed it every single day of her retirement. After she retired in 1991, Mary Ellen continued her interest in education, participating in the Carroll County Retired Teachers Association and in Delta Kappa Gamma honorary for women educators, serving as President.

Mary Ellen lived in the home she and Bill bought in 1955 - 116 W. North Street - until she died. She was a neighborhood fixture, often out front chatting with friends or the Hill kids. She was involved in the Delphi community from the time she moved here. She was President of both the active and associate chapters of Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority, serving multiple terms. She was a Board member of the Old Settlers Association for 14 years, serving as Secretary several of those years. She was President of the Business and Professional Women's Club and President of the Carroll County Cancer Association. She enjoyed membership in Junto, the Library Book Club, and - especially - the Wednesday Forum, often making presentations on topics as diverse as buttons and the language of flowers. She was active in the Delphi Methodist Church and was President of the Women's Circles and Chair of the Faith Circle.

In 2001, Mary Ellen donated 23 acres around the old Deer Creek dam to the Wabash and Erie Canal Association, paving the way for expansion of the Historic Trails. It's known as "Campbell's Run."

Mary Ellen enjoyed traveling and learning about new places and people. But she also loved her home and entertaining her friends and family. Mary Anne told me: "Mom loved to cook. You would offend her by NOT sitting down at the table for at least a glass of iced tea. Anything she made was good... especially her beef and noodles and butterscotch pie!"

Shonda Isaacs reacted to Mary Ellen's photo with this: "Great lady!" Yes, I think that sums up Mary Ellen Campbell quite well.

- Teacher for 45 years
- President Delta Kappa Gamma women in education honor society
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
 - . President Active Chapter
 - . President Associate Chapter
- Old Settlers Association
 - . Board member 14 years
 - . Secretary
- President Delphi Business and Professional Women
- President Carroll County Cancer Association
- Indiana Retired Teachers Association
- Membership Chair Carroll County Retired Teachers Association
- Wednesday Forum
- Library Book Club
- Junto
- Delphi Methodist church
 - . President Women's Circles
 - . Chairman Faith Circle

TO TEACH AT FRANKFORT
Mrs. William Campbell, of Delphi, who taught in the Flora school last year, has accepted a position in the Frankfort school for next year.

Mrs. William Campbell, who taught English in the 7th and 8th grades in the Delphi schools last year, has resigned and has accepted a teaching position in the Flora schools.

Other new teachers employed are: William Ball of Rockville, Grade 6; Wade Hollinger, Charobasco, junior high English and history; Miss Nancy Bretz, Princeton, Grade 3 at Hillcrest; Miss Jean Bowers, Cleveland, O., Grade 3 at Hillcrest; Mrs. William Campbell, of South Delphi, who had been teaching at Frankfort, Grade 4 at Hillcrest; Miss Paula Schmitt, Chicago, junior high mathematics and science; Mrs. W. S. Weaver of South Delphi, who has been teaching in a Carroll county school, Grade 5 at Hillcrest; Mrs. Nancy Metz, Elkhart, high school history; Mrs. Kay DeHillips, South Delphi, Grade 2 at Hillcrest.

Retired Teachers Assoc.
The 35th annual representative assembly of the Indiana Retired Teachers Association met in Indianapolis on May 25 and was attended by 400 delegates and guests from 63 county retired teachers associations.
Delegates from the Carroll County Retired Teachers Association included Abe and Earleen Alvarez and Mary Ellen Campbell.



JUMPING FOR HEART - Sixty boys and girls from Pittsburg and Hillcrest Elementary schools participated in the American Heart Association PEPI Jump Rope for Hearts last Tuesday after school at Hillcrest. Students from Camden jumped March 5, Youman, March 7, and Flora and Burlington will jump the 14th. Shown are, from row, from left - Paul Draper and Denise Huffer; second row - Angie Anderson, Kandy Walker and Margo Zolper. Amy Hillier is jumping the rope. Mary Ellen Campbell was in charge of this group with each girl taking turns jumping two minutes each. Comet photo

Officers to be installed
Beta Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa met at the Country Club for their April meeting with ten members present.
New officers to be installed at the May meeting are: President, Mary Ellen Campbell; Vice President, Joan Nelson; Secretary, Ann Smith; Treasurer, Marguerite Boerger.

Wednesday Forum
Martha Justice was hostess for the April meeting of Wednesday Forum. Members met for lunch at Angie's Tea room in Logansport, followed by a tour of the new addition to the Logansport Library.
Mary Ellen Campbell conducted the program, which was a review of the book 'Portrait of a Killer' by Patricia Cornwell. The book is about closing the case of Jack the Ripper.

New officers installed
Beta Associate chapter of Tri Kappa met May 12, at the home of Joan Maxwell with fourteen members and newly affiliated member, Earleen Alvarez present.
Officers were installed for next year. They are, Mary Ellen Campbell, president; Joan Nelson, vice president; Ann Smith, secretary; and Marguerite Boerger, treasurer.
After the business meeting refreshments were served by the Hostess and her assistants, Peg Hanna and Ann Smith.
The next meeting will be in September.

Faith Circle will meet at 8:00 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lou Sacho, with Mrs. Mary Ellen Campbell assisting. Devotions will be given by Mrs. Myrtle Shorter, and the lesson by Mrs. Martha Henderson.

"A Southwest Sunset" is the theme of this Year's Delphi Art Show sponsored by the Delphi Community School's Art Department and Delphi Tri Kappa.
Several local residents will contribute items of Indian and Western art. Mary Ellen Campbell, Diane Morgan and Glen Diltman have contributed items from their personal collections.



Mr. George McOza, Principal; Mrs. Mary Ellen Clemans; Mr. Hazzard Myers; Mr. William Schoder



MISS MARY ELLEN CLEMANS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Clemens of Logansport, on June 18 will become the bride of George William Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manon Campbell of this city. Miss Clemans is a teacher in the Delphi Junior High School. The wedding will have an apartment in the Telephone Building. Delphi Journal 6-19-1929

Wednesday Forum

Wednesday Forum members met at the home of Hazel Mullin for their May meeting. "Day It With Flowers" was the title of the program given by Mary Ellen Campbell. She told about language of flowers that dates back to ancient civilization, reaching its highest art form in the Victorian era. Much meaning was placed on the flower given for the occasion and much mythology is involved. Everybody knows that a red rose signifies love. But beyond that, what are we really saying with flowers? Consider the color yellow. When applied to a rose, it symbolizes fading love, on a carnation it means disdain, and on a lily it indicates there's a liar in the relationship. Even lavender, that sweet-smelling innocent little flower, means distrust. For example, the aster stands for love, daintiness, and elegance. The Greek goddess, Asteria, cried when she looked down at earth and saw no stars. Asters bloomed where her tears fell. In another variety, Virgo-scattered stardust on the earth, which subsequently blossomed with stars.

Carroll County Comet 8-1-1930

Mary Ellen Campbell - Mary Ellen Campbell of Delphi was recalled as president of Theta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Teacher's Honorary Society at a meeting at Flora, April 25.



Lena Jones Re-elected Delphi BFW President

Delphi Chapter of Business and Professional Women's club met Monday night of last week at the REMC auditorium. Dorothy Heland, nominating committee chairman, reported and the following slate of officers were elected for the 1930-1931 year: Lena Jones, president; Ethel Bonner first vice president; Lou Sacha, second vice president; Fannie Simons, recording secretary; and Martha Poppejoy, parliamentarian. Mary Ellen Campbell, treasurer; Betty Jane corresponding secretary.

The recognitions started with historic canal land given by Mary Ellen Campbell of Delphi. Her gift was the deed to 23 acres along Deer Creek at its confluence with the Washburn River. This was a historic crossing point for canal boats where Deer Creek Dam had been built in 1838-39.

In recognizing this gift, McCain pointed to the value of this land for future trails and for its historic setting.

"Spectacular views of the creek and river abound, and in the future an archaeological dig should uncover mysteries of this very interesting site," McCain said.

A special retirement award was given to Mary Ellen Campbell for her 14 years of service on the Old Settlers board. She also served several years as secretary.

The Carroll County Cancer Association has a fund to help any patient patient of the county who is in need of financial help. Any resident needing assistance should contact any doctor in the county or the president, Mrs. William Campbell, 116 W. North Street, Delphi.

CLEMANS-CAMPBELL

Miss Mary Ellen Clemans, Delphi grade school teacher and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clemens of Logansport, became the bride of George William Campbell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manon Campbell of Delphi, in a pretty ceremony Saturday afternoon in the local Methodist church.

The Book Club continues to meet the fourth Thursday of each month at 9 a.m. at Comfort Cap Espresso coffee shop. Mary Ellen Campbell will review *Songs in Ordinary Time*, an epic novel about a troubled family, written by Mary McGarry Morris. Mari Miller will review *The Education of Little Tree*, a novel about a Cherokee Indian boy growing up in the U.S., written by Forest Carter, on Oct. 23. On Nov. 20, Cindi Anderson will review *Vivius Prelude*, the first book in Rodie Thomsen's Zion Covenant series, which takes place in pre-World War II Austria as several memorable characters become entangled in a web of intrigue, danger, and conspiracy.

Wednesday Forum

Members of Wednesday Forum met at the home of Mary Ellen Campbell for their July meeting. Campbell gave the program on shoes, telling about the history of shoes and styles through the ages.

There are many kinds and styles of shoes, but the early bogie, the original clog, the Native American moccasin and the simple Egyptian sandal, are the only styles of footwear actually needed. The majority of comfortable women's shoe styles are derived from men's footwear. The oxford and the bogie, the ghillie and the yachting shoe, the sneaker and running shoe, were all made first for men and later adapted for the female foot. Other sturdy designs like the Native American moccasin, the clog and espadrille were unisex from the start. Members also told of some of their favorite shoes.

CC Retired Teachers

Stephen Moberly, executive director of Indiana Retired Teachers Association, IRTA, addressed the Carroll County Retired Teachers at their luncheon meeting on May 7 at the Flora-Monroe Public Library.

Moberly recapped recent legislation and gave an overview of services offered by the State association. Completing his initial year with IRTA, Moberly also shared his personal background which included his former law practice and eighteen years as a member of the Indiana House of Representatives. Officers were elected with incumbent President Abe Alvarez, Vice President Gerald Clingspoel, and Secretary Audrey Egloff being re-elected. Dorothy Clem was elected treasurer and Mary Ellen Campbell will be membership chair.

The next meeting will be held in the fall. Carroll County Comet 8-13-1988

Wednesday Forum

Wednesday Forum met at the home of Pearl Robinson. Members told something interesting about one of our county's first ladies.

The program on buttons was by Mary Ellen Campbell. The history of buttons goes back to ancient times. The first were made from bones. Later many were designed by artists and used as ornaments.

There is an organization for button collectors. Only stamp and coin collecting attracts more people than the collecting of buttons.

Junio

The 50th anniversary of the local Junio Club was celebrated January 19 in a festive restaurant with 22 members present.

The original Junio Club was organized by Benjamin Franklin and his friends, who enjoyed food, friendship and lively discussions of topics of interest. Detailed papers were required of the members, who spent many, many hours researching a given subject.

The local club was a "reorganization" of that first club and was the "brain-child" of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Wilson and Dr. and Mrs. Leon Smith. Last week's program was "reorganization" of that first club and was the "brain-child" of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Wilson and Dr. and Mrs. Leon Smith. Last week's program was given by Mrs. William Campbell who showed slides of, and discussed her trip to Communist China. She has chosen travel as means of furthering her education and has spent several summers traveling to distant points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell and Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stauffer hosted the meeting.

Old Settlers recognition is given

The 143rd Old Settlers Association meeting was held Saturday in the Carroll County Courthouse.

Those recognized were: Oldest woman present - Geraldine Cook, 83, of near Youmans. Oldest man present - Lee Floss, 87, of Delphi. Youngest child present - William Antibus, 3 months, of Brimingham. Person attending from the furthest distance - James Carter of Alabama. Family with most descendants present - Lloyd Phillips family of four. Old Settlers officers (1998-1999) are Meredith Ayres, president; Don Robbins, vice president; and Mary Ellen Campbell, secretary. Directors are: 1997-99 - Meredith Ayres, Teresa Maxwell, Susan Manahan, 1998-2000 - Bill Brown, Cindi Duff, Nancy Ringer, 1999-2001 - Glen Dillman, Mary Ellen Campbell, Don Robbins.



Mary Ellen with her family Brad Bradshaw, Kelley Millar Bradshaw, Doug Millar, Mary Anne Campbell Millar, Jennifer Millar

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Love Lights a Tree ribbons available

Tri Kappa Associate members Pat Robbins and Mary Ellen Campbell cut and prepare ribbons for the Love Lights a Tree Cancer Awareness fundraiser. Twenty-two colors representing different forms of cancer are offered in memory or in honor of cancer victims and survivors. The tree is part of the Festival of Trees in the courthouse rotunda. Ribbons can be purchased at the tree or by calling Pat Duff at (574) 967-3329. Photo provided



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Mary E. Campbell



Mary Ellen Campbell, 83, passed away Feb. 4, 2008, at Miller's Merry Manor in New Carlisle.

She was born Jan. 25, 1925, in Logansport, to Frank and Bessie Rowe Clemans, both of whom preceded her in death. She married George William "Bill" Campbell on June 18, 1949, who also preceded her in death.

Mrs. Campbell graduated from Wheaton College in Illinois and received two master degrees from Purdue University.

After 44 years in the education field, she retired from Hillcrest Elementary School, where she first taught fourth grade and then became the school's first librarian. After retirement, she traveled the world.

Along with traveling, Mary loved to attend church, sorority meetings, Circle and Wednesday Forum.

Surviving are a daughter, Mary Anne Millar (husband: Doug) of New Carlisle; two granddaughters, Kelley Bradshaw (husband: Brad) and Jennifer Millar, all of New Carlisle; and two sisters, Marian Reid and Betty Jane Costello, both of Logansport.

Mrs. Campbell was preceded in death by siblings Helen Clemans and Ralph Clemans.

The family invite friends who would like to celebrate Mrs. Campbell's life to her house, located at 116 W. North St. in Delphi, on Feb. 8 from 4 to 8 p.m.

Visitation will be held one hour prior to the funeral service that will be held Feb. 9 at 10:30 a.m. at Delphi United Methodist Church.

Davidson Funeral Home in Delphi is in charge of arrangements. Letters of condolence may be sent to the family through the funeral home's Web site at: www.davidsonfh.com.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Heifer International, 1 World Avenue, Little Rock, AR 72201, or donor's choice.



GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY - Charter members of Gamma Alpha Chapter of Kappa Kappa Gamma attending the 50-year anniversary party are seated at the dinner table: L. to R., Mary Bradshaw, Kathryn Thomas, and Mary Moore. Standing are Lucille Galen, associate chapter president; Jeannette Patton, state council treasurer; and Mary Ellen Campbell, active chapter president. Robert Brookbank photo.

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The Campbell home at 116 W. North Street



MARY PASTOR BRUNK CLAWSON



Mary Clawson is my very favorite doyenne, bar none. Because she's my mom. Shelley and I knew she was a rock star - and that was just as a mom.

Mary Idelia Clawson was born November 25, 1924 to Gearold and Grace Todd Clawson in the home of her grandparents - John and Ida Todd - at 201 W. North Street. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1942 and earned her bachelors degree in theater and English from Indiana University in 1946. After she started teaching in 1957, she went back to school, receiving her masters in theater and American literature from Purdue in 1964. While at Indiana University, Mom met John Edward Pastor, a WWII soldier from Connecticut who was on campus for language training; and they married on June 22, 1944. They had two daughters, Candis (me) and Mary Michelle (Shelley). They divorced in 1962; and in 1963, Mom married Nathan Franklin Brunk. They divorced in 1984, and she returned to using her maiden name.

Our family lived in Delphi until 1965, when we moved to Lafayette. After she retired in 1987, Mom moved to Indianapolis. In 1989, she suffered a serious injury to her back, leaving her partially paralyzed. Undaunted, she moved to Bloomington, building a new house and enjoying her favorite activities - IU games, Tri Kappa, church, and friends - within the IU community. In 2002, she moved to Tucson, Arizona to be near Shelley and me and our families. Mom passed away April 7, 2014.

From her early days, Mom loved to perform; and she had a good deal of success. She had leads in several plays in high school and at IU; directed, performed in, and narrated many local productions in Delphi; acted and directed for the Lafayette Civic Theater; and hosted radio shows in Bloomington, both during her early years with WUSA and in her later years with Golden Age Radio. She was invited into Theta Alpha Phi, national theater honorary, in her sophomore year of college. In Delphi, she gave private dramatic lessons in our living room. She instilled her love of theater in us, taking us to plays and musicals and rehearsals for productions she was directing, throughout our young lives.

As much as Mom loved theater, she loved teaching even more. She taught high school English, theater, and speech for 30 years at Deer Creek, Flora, Logansport, and Lafayette Jefferson, appointed Department Chairperson at each. She was named to the Board of Directors of the Speech Teachers Division in the Indiana State Teachers Association. In 1986, she was named "Teacher of Distinction" by the Indiana State Board of Education. When she retired from high school teaching in 1987, she became a People-to-People Ambassador, leading a group of high school students on a 6-week tour of Europe. In Indianapolis, she taught writing at IUPUI. With a colleague, she developed a new program for teachers of writing, conducting workshops throughout the state. In Bloomington, she tutored student athletes through the IU Athletic Department. To the day she died, Mom's passion for teaching was undiminished.

From the time she was initiated in 1942, Mom was proud to be a member of Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority. While in Delphi, she served as Province Officer; and she was elected President of her chapters in Delphi, Lafayette, and Bloomington. She also served as President of the Old Settlers Association, Vice President of Carroll County Young Republicans, and Secretary of the Carroll County chapter of the IU Alumni Association. She was in DAR and Eastern Star, active in the Presbyterian Church, and served as Historian for the Cliff Dwellers.

Mom was quite remarkable, and we are so proud she's our matriarch. She was always in our corner, encouraging us to be strong and believing there was nothing we couldn't do. When she said, "Everything will be alright," we believed her. At her farewell celebration in Delphi, in 2014, we heard so many people from so many parts of her life tell stories about how she made them learn, made them laugh, helped them through hard times, and touched their lives. Mom is my favorite heroine. And a true doyenne.

- Teacher and educator for more than 30 years
- State of Indiana Teacher of Distinction (1986)
- Board of Directors, Speech Teachers Division, Indiana State Teachers Association
- Theta Alpha Phi, national theater honorary
- People-to-People Ambassador (1987)
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
 - . Province Officer
 - . President Delphi active chapter
 - . President Lafayette associate chapter
 - . President Bloomington associate chapter
- President Carroll County Old Settlers Association
- Vice President Carroll County Young Republicans
- Secretary Carroll County IU Alumni Association
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
 - . Sunday School Superintendent's Committee
 - . Sunday School Teacher
- Book-of-the-Month Club
- Eastern Star
- DAR
- American Legion Auxiliary
- Girl Scouts Association
- Cliff Dwellers Historian (1951)

Mary Clawson And Robert Balsar Win Dame Awards Here
News-Examiner, Dec. 1942
 Robert Balsar won first place in the boys' oratorical division of the annual Dame oratorical and reading contest held at the school building Monday evening. Donald Duff was given second place and Ellye McHanna was awarded third.
 Winners in the girls' reading contest were as follows: Mary Clawson, first; Margaret Plawey, second; and Betty McKinley, third.
 The judges were C. A. Smith, Delphi high school principal, and James Hamilton and William McCormick, Delphi attorneys.



Above left: Mary in "The Far Off Hills" for IU Theater. Right: Mary with her parents, Grace and Gearold Clawson, and brother Joe at IU graduation

Delphi Journal 10-27-1955
Delphi Tri Kappas Honor Mary Pastor As New Province Officer With Tea Sunday
 More than one hundred friends from Gamma Alpha chapter, Kappa Kappa Kappa and out-of-town Tri Kappa guests enjoyed a lovely tea at the Country Club, Sunday, Oct. 23, in honor of the Province Officer, Mary Pastor.
 Many chapter presidents from the 22 chapters in the province attended along with Miss Elizabeth Kessler from Bensalem, former state vice-president and province officer; Mrs. Winifred Miller, West Lafayette, past state president; Harlan and province officer, Mrs. Margie Bates from Foster, former province officer and air own past province officer, Wanda Bowen, and
 Receiving with Mrs. Pastor, who looked stunning in a lavender, full-skirted, sleeveless, past-dia-actress gown with matching slippers and wearing a lavender corsage - a memento from the associate chapter - were her charming mother, Mrs. Gearold Clawson, the active chapter president, Mrs. Robert Brown, and Mrs. William McCormick from the Associate chapter.



MRS. MARY PASTOR

Mrs. and Mrs. John Pastor are moving to their new home in South Delphi from the Foreman (former apartment on West Front Street). Delphi Journal-Examiner 9-22-1946



129 W. Summit Street

Indiana Alumni Will Dine Friday At Camden Church
News-Examiner, May 1951
 Branch McCracken, head basketball coach at Indiana University, will be the speaker at the dinner meeting of the Carroll County I. U. Association at 6:30 p. m. Friday, May 20, at the Lutheran church in Camden.
 The meeting will be a Foundation Day observance marking the 129th anniversary of the founding of Indiana University. Mrs. John Pastor, Jr., of Delphi, secretary of the Carroll County Alumni Association, is in charge of arrangements. News-Examiner 5-18-1951

MRS. JOHN PASTOR TO START STORY HOUR AT DELPHI PUBLIC LIBRARY
News-Examiner, Dec. 1942
 Miss Mary Cochrane, city librarian, today announced plans for Mrs. John Pastor of Delphi, to start a story hour at the local library for children of pre-school age. Mrs. Pastor is to be at the library every Wednesday morning at 10 a. m. starting December 18. The story hour is free to all children who care to attend.
 Mrs. Pastor, a graduate of the local high school, is a graduate of Indiana University and is well known for her dramatic and reading ability. Delphi Journal 12-12-1942

MARY PASTOR IS PRESIDENT OF OLD SETTLERS
News-Examiner, Dec. 1942

Robert Pastore of Camden and Mrs. Mary Clawson Pastor of Delphi have been named Young Republican division. Mrs. Pastor served in the 1948 campaign with much success. News-Examiner 12-12-1948

MARY PASTOR HONORED
 At the convention held last week in Indianapolis, Mrs. Mary Clawson Pastor was appointed to the Board of Directors of the Speech Teachers Division of the Indiana State Teachers Association. Mrs. Pastor is a secondary English instructor, as well as head of the Speech and Dramatics Department of the Flora high school. News-Examiner 12-8-1946

'Christmas Carol' At Delphi Church
Delphi Journal, Dec. 19
 "Christmas Carol" will be presented Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church with Mrs. John Pastor directing the play. Robert Brown will take the part of Scrooge, and Charlie Kerlin, Jr., the part of Tiny Tim. The part of Fred, nephew of Scrooge, will be taken by Ray Curigan and Fred's wife by Mrs. William B. Smith.

Narrating the 1955 Old Settlers Centennial Pageant: Stan Cornelius, Mary Pastor, Linda Rule, and Judge William Smith





Bingol

While Mary Clawson, president of Phi Delta Xi, talks to the members of the Tri Kappa group, she is surrounded by the members of the Phi Delta Xi group. (Photo by Steve Bingol)

Lafayette Journal Courier 12-3-1973

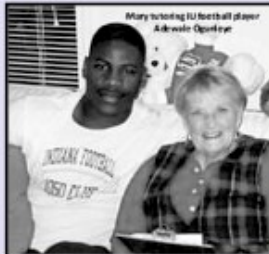
These sweet memories from her family are telling about the woman Mom was:
 - Shelley: Mom was a gifted educator. She believed in the strength and the power of being a teacher. She sold the joy of learning because she personally loved to learn. Teaching was her gift and her passion.
 - Grandson Christopher Nogami: Tutu's love of teaching was obvious when she helped us with homework. And I find myself using the expression, "King's X," when I catch my students scuffling, just the way she'd yell it at Melissa, Nick and me when we fought.
 - Granddaughter Suzanne Nogami Kraemer: So many memories with Tutu... family dinners, watching "American Idol" and "Dancing with the Stars," drinking chocolate milkshakes, her patience when I was learning to drive, and her big kisses and hugs every time I went to her house.
 - Grandson Nicholas Nogami: Tutu believed in her family. I remember one high school basketball game she attended... I made one basket the whole game. After the game, Tutu gushed, "I had no idea my grandson was such an amazing basketball player!" I asked, "Toots, are you serious?" She responded, "Nicholas, I know basketball; and you were definitely the best player out there." Not true, at least that day. But her love for us trumped her undeniable knowledge of basketball.
 - Granddaughter Melissa Nogami-Ramirez: Tutu always had a big pot of vegetable soup waiting for us when we visited her. As soon as we arrived, she'd grab bowls and spoons and plop us down to eat. And then there were cookies afterward. Tutu loved making comfort food.
 - Granddaughter Megan Nogami: I remember the quiet, sweet moments during our evening discussions. From laughing over television shows to persuading me to marry Eric, my Tutu taught me how to have fun and how to love. Her strength and intelligence have influenced the way I rear my daughter. Her beautiful spirit touched every single person she encountered.



Mary with her family: Candi and Russ Harrison, Christopher, Melissa, Megan, Suzanne, Shelley, Nick and Wallace Nogami



PRESIDENTS of two Delphi sororities—Tri Kappa and Phi Delta Xi—talk over plans for the coming Winter Jubilee, a mini-fest show to be presented by the two groups May 1, 2 and 3 at the high school auditorium. Left is Mrs. Woodrow Whitman, president of Phi Delta Xi, and right, Mrs. John Frazier, Tri Kappa president. (Photo by Steve Bingol)



WOMAN'S CLUB YULE PARTY
 The Delphi Woman's club entertained their Brownie troop and its leaders at a lovely Christmas party Friday afternoon at the R.E.M.C. auditorium. Mrs. Charles Bradshaw presided. Mrs. John Frazier, talented dramatic reader, presented the play, "Peace On Earth," and Marilyn Snyder of Burrows, one of her students in dramatic reading, read "Mrs. Smith's Decision." Christmas carols were played by Mrs. B. B. Mayhill on her record player.

Two Delphi young women have received appointments to committees in the state Tri Kappa society. Mrs. John Frazier was appointed to the state Tri Kappa scholarship committee from Province 2. Miss Hilda Brown was appointed by the state council to the Tri Kappa fellowship committee. (Lafayette Journal Courier 2-2-1951)

People to Europe has space
 Space is available in the People to People High School Ambassador Program trip to Southern Europe. Junior and senior high school students will spend 26 days traveling to Germany, Austria, Yugoslavia, Hungary, Italy and Greece. Student will meet government officials, visit in homes, participate in planned activities and excursions. The trip will be from July 1 to Aug. 6. The cost is \$2,000, which covers air fare, meals, lodging, transportation costs and tickets to special events. For more information about the trip contact Mary Clawson at Jefferson High School or attend a meeting 7 p.m. Sunday, March 4 at Westminster Village West Lafayette. (Lafayette Journal Courier 3-2-1968)

Cynicism left out of this 'Glass Menagerie'
 Thanks for your review of Civic Theater's current play, "The Glass Menagerie." What a difference the director makes in what a play says to an audience! Mary Clawson and the cast can be applauded for their often hidden dimensions of meaning in this play — it stood out. Other times I have seen this play the tone has been cynicism and bitterness. A few notes appear doesn't mean the whole basket is bad — after seeing this play perhaps the critics apply to our lives aren't dramatic, and can be avoided. (Ethan C. Sandoz, Editor, Courier, Bloomington Herald Times 1-23-2002)

An English teacher at Lafayette Jefferson High School has been appointed as a regional judge for a national writing contest.
 Teacher Mary Clawson will serve during the 1966 National Council of Teachers of English Achievement Awards in Writing.

Three teachers from Greater Lafayette recently attended a writing seminar sponsored by the Indiana Teachers of Writing at the Brown County Barnards Inn. They were Mary Brunk, Jefferson High School; Debbie Parcer and Jeanne W. Williams, Deaton Central Junior High School. (Lafayette Journal Courier 4-20-1981)

By Byron Parvis
 Journal and Courier
 Mary Clawson, an English teacher at Jefferson High School, recently received a certificate of merit from H. Dean Evans, superintendent of the Indiana Department of Education. Clawson has taught in the Lafayette School Corp. for 36 years. She has served for the past two years on state committees to improve education. She is on the editorial staff of the Journal of Indiana Teachers of Writing. (Lafayette Journal Courier 5-5-1985)



CIVIC THEATRE
 THE PHILADELPHIA STORY
 Directed by Mary Clawson
Oct. 2-3-4, 9-10-11
 Call: 423-1669
 For ticket information:
 Ft. & 6th, Performance 8:00 P.M.
 Sunday Matinee 2:30 P.M.
 Lafayette Journal Courier 9-26-1987



MARY IDELIA CLAWSON
 Mary Idelia Clawson - former resident of Delphi, Lafayette, and Bloomington, Indiana - passed away on April 17 in Tucson, Arizona.
 Born in Delphi on November 25, 1924 to Georald and Grace Todd Clawson, Mary was a 1942 graduate of Delphi High School. She earned her bachelor's degree in theater from Indiana University and her master's degree in theater arts and English Literature from Purdue University. She was a member of Theta Alpha Phi national theater honorary.

For more than 35 years, Mary loved being a teacher. She began her career teaching English, speech, and theater at Deer Creek High School, in 1955. She continued her career at Flora/Carroll High School, Logansport High School, and Lafayette Jefferson High School - serving as Department Chairperson at each - before retiring in 1987. In addition to teaching, Mary coached speech teams and sponsored organizations including the Thespian Society, National Forensic League, and cheer block. She directed many school plays and was a popular chaperone for school events, often riding drafty school "fan" buses to football and basketball games. Mary traveled throughout Europe as a chaperone for high school students with the "People to People" program. After retirement, Mary moved to Indianapolis where she taught writing courses at IUPUI. When she moved to Bloomington in 1990, she spent 10 years tutoring student athletes for the Indiana University Athletic Department. In 1986, the State of Indiana Board of Education recognized Mary with a Teacher of Distinction Award.

From childhood, Mary enjoyed performing and directing. In Delphi, she frequently gave readings and participated in community events such as the annual Old Settlers celebrations. An active member of Lafayette Civic Theater, she directed and performed in numerous plays. In Bloomington, she took great pleasure in hosting her Golden Age Radio Show for WFHB Radio, rekindling a radio career that had begun when she was Director of Women's Programs at WUSA in Bloomington in 1947.

Mary was active in Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority, serving in leadership roles including Province Officer. She was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Bloomington Argonauts. She was active in her churches, including the First Presbyterian Church and United Methodist Church in Delphi, Christ United Methodist Church and First Presbyterian Church in Lafayette, and the First United Methodist Church in Bloomington.

In 2002, Mary moved to Tucson, Arizona to be close to her two daughters: Candis Pastor (Brunk) Harrison (husband: Russell) and Michelle Pastor (Brunk) Nogami (husband: Wallace). She found great joy in her grandchildren: Christopher, Melissa, Nicholas, Megan, and Suzanne Nogami.

Mary will be remembered as a devoted teacher, an enthusiastic thespian, an ardent IU fan, a fashionista who didn't wait until she was old to wear purple, and - most of all - a beloved mother, grandmother, and friend.

A celebration of her life will be held in Delphi, Indiana in the future. Mary would be honored by contributions to the Delphi Preservation Society or your local animal shelter.



On Golden Pond
 Lafayette Civic Theater



GOLDEN CREW: Members of the Golden Age Radio Show were recently awarded with the best Senior/Adult Program at the Programming Our World Parks and Recreation Conference in Columbus, Ohio, Nov. 28. The group, which broadcasts out of Bloomington Parks and Recreation's Adult Community Center, can be heard live Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11 a.m. to noon on WFHB Community Radio. Show from left, front row: Mary Paxton, Elizabeth Ferency, Eilalouise Bolinger, Betty Williams, Virginia Ficus, Mary Clawson and Helen Gross; back row: Daren Eads, R. Paul Schunn, Pat Rogien, Jim Gross and Del Seafries. (Bloomington Herald Times 1-23-2002)

SUE ANN SIEBER CORNELL



- Teacher for 40 years
- President Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
- Board of Directors Carroll County Mental Health Association
- Board of Director Delphi Dollars for Scholars
- Secretary Delphi High School Citizens Scholarship Foundation
- Wabash and Erie Canal Association Decent
- Secretary Carroll County IU Alumni Association
- Oracle Club
- March of Dimes Volunteer
- Carroll County United Fund Volunteer
- Carroll County Country Club
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
- Summer Day Camp Teacher



Above: Richard Cornell and their children Alisa and Bradley

I have fond memories of Sue Ann Sieber. She was one of our very favorite babysitters because she always made it fun. Hers was one of the first weddings I was allowed to attend... I thought she was a princess. So, I was delighted to include her as a doyenne of the Hill.

Sue Ann Sieber was born September 22, 1940 to Robert and Donnabelle Ritchey Sieber. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1958; and she earned her degree in Spanish at Indiana University in 1962, where she was a member of Alpha Phi sorority. She married her high school classmate Richard Cornell on June 24, 1962; and they had two children: Bradley and Alisa. The Cornells bought the house at 824 S. Washington Street in 1968, and they lived there for 30 years. Dick passed away in 2004.

In 1962, Dick and Sue Ann purchased the Eikenberry Funeral Home, operating it as the Cornell Funeral Home until 1968. Dick had worked for Richard Eikenberry while he was in college, and Judi Eikenberry Schmitz remembers the Cornells as good friends of her parents. Many years later, when Judi's dad became ill, Dick Cornell took over his job at Federated Funeral Directors of America. Judi says Dick and Sue Ann were always there for her folks.

In 1968, Sue Ann and Dick opened Cornell Men's Shop on Main Street, which they owned for two years. Meanwhile, Sue Ann began teaching in the Delphi Community School system. She taught English at the middle school before moving to the high school to teach Spanish. In 2007, she retired after teaching for 40 years.

Sue Ann has been a long-time Tri Kappa, serving as President multiple times. She was on the Boards of the Carroll County Mental Health Association and the Delphi Chapter of Dollars for Scholars. She was Secretary of the Delphi High School Citizens' Scholarship Foundation and Secretary of the Carroll County IU Alumni Club.

Sue Ann volunteered for March of Dimes and the Carroll County United Fund, and she and Dick were members of the Oracle Club and the Carroll County Country Club. She was a member of the Delphi Presbyterian Church, serving as a summer Bible School teacher. She is a member of the Wabash and Erie Canal Association and helps as a docent for special events.

Childhood friend Nancy Simons Fowler calls Sue Ann her oldest and dearest friend. "We met in first grade, and we still have occasional slumber parties where we knit and watch 'Sweet Home Alabama.'" I think that's pretty terrific. Still making life fun. Just the way I remember her.



The Class of 1958 of Delphi High School will observe its 10th anniversary as noon Sunday in Delphi City Park with a carry-in dinner. Paul Vollenweider, Greentown, is president and Mrs. Sue Ann Cornell, 824 S. Washington St., is secretary. There were 89 members of the class. Lafayette Journal-Courier 8-4-1968

Logansport Phoenix Tribune 4-26-1959
Sue Ann Sieber, daughter of Postmaster and Mrs. R. L. Sieber, has been placed on the honor list at Indiana University.

SUE ANN SIEBER ELECTED PRESIDENT
The 25 members of the Alpha Phi Pledge class of 1960 at Indiana University, have elected Sue Ann Sieber as their president. South Bend 3-21-1960



Junior Phoenix-Tribune 3-21-1960 Indiana University Artesian 1963

JULY 14, 1960 Delphi Citizen

SUE ANN SIEBER IS ATTENDING FAMED MEXICO CITY COLLEGE

Many new experiences — both academic and cultural — are being enjoyed by Sue Ann Sieber, 1022 East Monroe St., Delphi, who is a student this summer at Mexico City College, Mexico, justly famous as a great tourist center, also attracts many foreign students to the capital through Mexico City College, the American-type liberal arts college just outside Mexico City. The college was chartered only 20 years ago and has grown from one room with five students to a scenic campus with an enrollment of around 1,000 students.

MCC, a truly unique institution in Latin America with full accreditation as a member of the Southern Association of U. S. Colleges, offers all classes in English requisite for the B.A. and M.A. degrees. The faculty, composed of scholars from ten different countries, has combined to create outstanding departments, including those of Foreign Trade, Anthropology, Art, Spanish, and Creative Writing.

Sue Ann Sieber, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sieber, 1022 East Monroe Street, graduated from the Delphi High School in 1958. She is enrolled at Mexico City College as a Spanish major.

STUDENT TEACHER

Sue Ann Sieber, senior at Indiana University, is doing her practice teaching at the West Lafayette schools. She is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sieber. Delphi Citizen 12-23-1963

CORNELLS ASSUME FUNERAL HOME OWNERSHIP

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cornell took possession Sunday, of the funeral home which they recently purchased of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eikenberry. The business is now known as Cornell funeral home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eikenberry have moved to the Maurice Clifford property in East Monroe street.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cornell have moved to their new home on South Washington Street, formerly owned and occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Craig who have moved to Lafayette. South Washington 8-10-68

Below: the Cornell home at 824 S. Washington Street



CARROLL COUNTY I.U. ALUMNI CLUB - Indiana University alumni met for an organizational meeting at the Richard Cornell home on March 17. Those attending were (l-r): Front - Becky Emerson, Sue Ann Cornell and Mike McCord. Back - Ernie Andrus, representative from I.U. Alumni Association in Bloomington, Steve Carroll and Terry Bosch. The club's first meeting will be held sometime in May at the Carroll County Country Club. Membership is extended to all I.U. friends as well as graduation and former students. Carroll County Courier 3-24-1962



Delphi Citizen
6-28-1962



MRS. SUE ANN CORNELL of Delphi announces the engagement of their daughter, Sue Ann, to Richard L. Cornell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cornell, Delphi. The bride-elect is a 1959 graduate of Delphi high school and is now a senior at Indiana University. She is a member of Alpha Phi society and Kappa Kappa Kappa. Her fiance is a graduate of Delphi high school and attended Indiana University. He graduated from Indiana College of Montgumery Science and is now employed at the Ekersberry Funeral Home. The couple is planning a June wedding. Photo by Paula's Studio

1,000 Attend Cornell Men's Shop Opening

Approximately a thousand persons visited the grand opening of Cornell Men's Shop on its opening day Friday. Dick and Sue Ann Cornell and Ron Strautz were on hand to show their visitors the very latest in men's fashions.

Many beautiful floral arrangements and potted plants from friends and well-wishers graced the counters.

The shop carries complete line of high quality merchandise.



Gift lift underway

Trish Cope, left, and Sue Ann Cornell of Delphi Tri Kappa Sorority, are shown with one of the boxes that have been placed in local businesses to collect Mental Health Gifts. The Statewide Gift Lift is sponsored by the Indiana Forum in association with the Mental Health Association in Indiana. Deadline for submitting gifts is Dec. 1. Comet photo

That evening Stockick attended the regular business meeting and spoke to members about the impact Tri Kappa has in the state of Indiana, in the areas of charity, culture and education. Tri Kappa donates over \$1 million each year to projects in these areas. She also gave information about the various state committees and their projects.

Local Tri Kappa officers included: Sue Ann Cornell, president; Bonnie Horn, vice-president; Nancy Beach, treasurer; Anita Force, recording secretary; and Melissa Maxwell, corresponding secretary. Officers in the Associate Chapter are: Diane Hinkle, president; Mary Ellen Campbell, vice-president; Ann Smith, secretary; and Donnellie Silber, treasurer

Plans underway for trip to Mexico

Delphi High School Spanish Teacher Sue Ann Cornell is calling a meeting for planning of a trip to Mexico during Spring Break. Interested students and parents who wish to do chaperones are asked to attend the meeting, scheduled for Tuesday, September 22nd, at 7:00 p.m. in Room C1 of the High School.

Lafayette Journal Courier 11-9-1964
Birchwood Health Care Center will observe Community Education Day on Tuesday at 6 p.m. The public is invited to join the staff at the Center and learn about the Medicare and Medicaid programs.

Guest speakers will be Debbie Hill, Financial Consultant of Beverly Enterprises, and Rachel Grindstaff from the Carroll County Division of Family and Children.

The residents and staff enjoyed a Fiesta with the DCHS Spanish Class on Thursday. The students, under the direction of Sue Ann Cornell, gave a musical performance and told of the pinto custom. A burro pinto was provided for a demonstration. The Dietary Department provided a spanish meal for everyone.

Thirty-seven Spanish Class students attended a Latin American Spanish Dance and Song Festival at Fort Wayne last Tuesday. The group, "Alejandra Dondines Dancers," performed. Sue Ann Cornell, teacher and sponsor, and three chaperons also attended.

Oracle Club

Oracle Club met for a cooperative dinner Sept. 22nd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Ives Jr.

President, Mrs. James Doerger, conducted the business meeting and Mrs. Roger Campbell read the interesting minutes of last year's meetings.

Mrs. Richard Cornell led the group in a show and tell program relating travels and experiences of the past year.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Watson McCormick on Oct. 27.

John Smock Of FBI Is Oracle Club Speaker

John Smock of Lafayette, formerly of Delphi was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Oracle Club when it met Monday night of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cornell in Delphi.

Lafayette Journal Courier 4-12-1967

FOUNDATION OFFICERS

At a meeting of the Delphi High School Citizens Scholarship Foundation officers and directors were announced. The foundation will seek to raise funds for scholarships for Delphi High School graduates.

Officers are Dick Cornell, president; Don Willy, vice president; Mrs. Sue Ann Cornell, secretary, and Wayne Landes, treasurer. The board of directors includes Claude Robinson, Wayne VanSickle, J. D. Small, Ralph Rohrbach, Mrs. Buford Pearson, Mrs. Mary Kelly, Don Baker, Dick Grantham, Junior F. Snider, Ernest Flora and Charles Wood.

Lafayette Journal Courier 6-23-1967
DELPHI—Mrs. Sue Ann Cornell was elected president of Tri Kappa Sorority for the ensuing year.



DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS—Officers and members of the board of directors of "Dollars For Scholars" (Citizens Scholarship Foundation, Inc.) of the Delphi Community School Corporation are pictured at the meeting Thursday evening at the Richard Cornell home when awards were presented. They are: seated, l. to r.—Mrs. Buford Pearson

and Mrs. Richard Cornell; Standing — Donald Willy, president; Rev. David Abel, Ernest Flora, Clayton Mullin, Dean Overholser, Daniel Baker, Ralph Rohrbach, vice president; and Gerald Koller, Wayne Landes, treasurer, took the picture. Unable to attend the meeting were Mrs. Donald W. Kelly, secretary; Claude Robinson and J. D. Small.



TRI KAPPA OFFICERS for 1962-63 are front row, from left, Diane Hinkle, vice-president; Gail Burton, assistant treasurer; Ann Campbell, president; back row, Kay Ross, treasurer; Pat Gregoire, recording secretary; and Sue Ann Cornell, corresponding secretary. Comet Photo

Cornells to celebrate 40th



Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Cornell of Delphi, will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on June 24.

Cornell and the former Sue Ann Snider were married June 24, 1962, in Delphi First Presbyterian Church. Rev. James Rankin officiated.

He is a field representative for Federal Federal Directors of

America. She is a Spanish teacher at Delphi Community High School.

The Cornells have two children, Brad Cornell of Morehead City, N.C., and Alisa Baghtler of Delphi. They also have five grandchildren.

A trip to Canada is planned in celebration of their anniversary.

ESTHER BEEKE CUNNINGHAM



Hill kids liked Esther Cunningham. I don't know what it was about her - probably her wit. She was just someone who could make a kid smile.

Esther Ruth Beeke was born July 25, 1924 in Cleveland, Ohio to Henry and Amanda Hoerr Beeke. The family moved to Delphi in 1939, and Esther graduated from Delphi High School in 1942. She received a scholarship to attend Indiana University for one year, majoring in business. She married Robert Cunningham on October 9, 1948 at St. James Lutheran Church in Lafayette; and they had 4 children: David, Diane, Deborah, and Karen. Esther and Bob divorced in 1969. She died December 16, 2003.

Esther worked at the Hanna and Hanna law firm for several years. Then she became a clerk at the Carroll County Office of Family and Children, a job she held for 23 years. She retired in 1989, after being named "Outstanding Account Clerk for the State of Indiana" by the Indiana Association of County Welfare Directors. She had served as Treasurer of the Northwest District of the Indiana Public Welfare Association. When she was married, she and Bob owned Boer Distributing Company.

In the community, Esther was a long-time member of Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority, serving as an officer several times in both the active and associate chapters. She was Vice President of the World Day of Prayer, Vice President of the Carroll County Cancer Society, and President of the Carroll County Home Demonstration Club. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary and the Business and Professional Women's Club. She also was a Cub Scout Den Mother and an active member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church.

Esther enjoyed, and was quite skilled in, bowling and playing bridge; and she was a member of several leagues and clubs in Delphi. She played both piano and organ, often performing and accompanying other performers at local events.

When she received her state award, then County Welfare Director Carole Miller praised Esther: "I believe that Esther is the backbone of this agency. Her work ethic, her high standards, her consistency, has made us all strive to do our best and take pride in our work." She definitely was a go-to gal. But Esther was best known for her wicked sense of humor. I remember my mom telling me stories about how Esther, who was her high school classmate and fellow Tri Kappa, could entertain anyone. Gee - no wonder the Hill kids liked Esther Cunningham.

- County Welfare Clerk 23 years
- Treasurer Northwest District Indiana Public Welfare Association
- President Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
- President Carroll County Home Demonstration Club
- Vice President Carroll County Cancer Society
- Vice President World Day of Prayer
- Business and Professional Women's Club
- American Legion Auxiliary
- Cub Scout Den Mother
- St. Matthew's Lutheran Church

FOUR SENIORS GET SUMMA CUM LAUDE DIPLOMAS; OTHERS HONORED

Members of the senior graduating class of the Delphi high school and others were honored Friday at the annual Honor Day exercises when awards for outstanding students were announced by C. A. Smith, principal. The seniors receiving awards were announced at the commencement exercises held Friday evening at the armory.

Seniors receiving honors were as follows:
Elizabeth Smock, Mary Clawson and Margaret Ramey were winners of the Bradshaw award. Elizabeth Smock was winner of the U. S. history award and Robert Maxwell, of the Citizenship award, both of which were given by the American Legion. Esther Beeke was given the Commercial award by the Business and Professional Women's Club of Delphi. Esther Beeke in typing and Roberta Shaffer in shorthand were winners of the Gregg awards.

Summa cum laude diplomas for highest scholarship were awarded to Mary Clawson, Elizabeth Smock, Margaret Ramey and Roberta Shaffer. Cum laude diplomas were given to Norma Adams, Robert Balsor, Esther Beeke, Dean Goslee, Marion Hathaway, Mary Jean Hildebrandt, Gene Lowe, Howard McCain, Robert Maxwell, Mary Louise Reppert, Jane Shaffer and William Timm.

Those who were chosen members of the National Honor Society were Norma Adams, Robert Balsor, Mary Clawson, Dean Goslee, Marion Hathaway, Mary Jean Hildebrandt, Robert Maxwell, Margaret Ramey, Mary Louise Reppert, Roberta Shaffer, Elizabeth Smock.



Delphi Class 1942

Miss Mary Jean Hildebrandt is president of the Sorority Society with the following assisting officers: Vice-president, Elizabeth Smock; corresponding secretary, Ananad Owig; recording secretary, Joan Manning; and treasurer, Esther Beeke. *Lafayette Journal Courier 5-4-1942*

CIRCLE ELECTION
New officers elected by the Westminster Circle of the Presbyterian church for next year are: President, Miss Esther Beeke; Vice-president, Betty McKelvey; secretary, Erba Malarsa; treasurer, Mary Bate; Kristinrud; music chairman, Ananad Owig and Virginia Deak; publicity, Bernice Clowson. Miss Lorraine Wilson has been made assistant sponsor to Mrs. Garfield Shaffer. The class will fill Christmas baskets. *Lafayette Journal Courier 11-30-1942*

Esther Beeke, 1942 graduate of Delphi high school, and Sarah McKelvey, already a student at Indiana university, have been granted scholarships to that university. Jerry Ferber, of Delphi, and William Hill, of Canada, were named alternates. *Lafayette Journal Courier 5-4-1942*

Gene Goslee has been elected editor-in-chief of the Oracle, 1942 year book of the Delphi high school. Mary Jean Hildebrandt is assistant editor; Esther Beeke, manager, and Keith Coble, assistant manager. Other members of the staff have not yet been selected. *Lafayette Journal Courier 5-4-1942*

Miss Esther Beeke has accepted a position with the Indiana Service corporation and will start work July 26. Miss Beeke attended Indiana university last year. *Lafayette Journal Courier 7-21-1943*

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cunningham have started construction of a new house on Vine street in South Delphi. Mrs. Cunningham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beeke of West Point street, have purchased the house and the Cunninghams are living in and will move there this fall. *Delphi Oracle 9-22-1942*

MRS. ROBERT CUNNINGHAM



Lafayette Journal Courier 5-28-1942
Dr. and Mrs. Henry F. Beeke, of Delphi, welcome the engagement and impending marriage of their daughter, Diane, to Robert A. Cunningham, of Delphi.

Right: the Cunningham children David, Diane, Deborah, and Karen

Mrs. F. H. Orr, Jr., Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Robert Cunningham, Mrs. Walter Hoagland and Miss Kate McDowell were in Indianapolis last weekend where they participated in the Indianapolis Star bowling tourney. *Delphi Oracle 8-27-1942*



Chi Gamma Business School Women's Group 1943 IU Artibus



ORLIN'S PHARMACY, city champs and also winner of the Fitzgerald Jewelry Store league, are pictured here. The team won a record 79 games and lost 26 during the season. Gertrude Hoagland and Mary Orr tied for all events with 1529 in the 9 games. From left to right, those pictured are: Hope Cooney, Delores Harris, Mary Orr, Gertrude Hoagland, Kate McDowell and Esther Cunningham. Not pictured is Opal Bowman, a sub for the team. Delphi Citizen 4-12-1958

Delphi Cancer Fund Is Over \$500 Mark; County Total Is Up

Delphi Citizen 4-12-1957
Miss Esther Becker, city chairman of the Cancer Control Fund, announced that the residents of the city had donated \$523.21 towards the local drive. Miss Becker stated that the figure was not complete, and urged all workers to turn in their funds to her immediately.

With the Delphi subscription, the county total now stands at \$2,547.83. Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Johns, secretary of the County Society announced. The totals from the townships follow: Adams, \$3.05; Burlington, \$228.68; Carrollton, \$127.28; Clay, \$5.00; Deer Creek, \$83.90; Delphi, \$225.21; Demorest, \$147.20; Jackson, \$117.86; Jefferson, \$148; Liberty, \$85.75; Monroe, \$739.81; Rock Creek, \$65.81; Tippecanoe, \$92.25; Washington, \$100.50.

SOBRIETY INSTALLATION
Delphi Tri Kappas will meet Tuesday evening, Sept. 10, at the home of Mrs. Helen Gray Garver, vice-president; Marybelle Mount, recording secretary; Ruth Darrough, corresponding secretary; Esther Boston, treasurer.

BOWLING CONGRESS
Mrs. John I. Bowman, Mrs. Pearl Orr, Jr., Kate McDowell, Mrs. Jack Brown, Mrs. Helen Wolf, Chae Kerlin, Nancy Mullin, Mrs. Joe Cooney, Mrs. Walter Hoagland and Mrs. Bob Cunningham attended the Women's International Bowling at Dayton, Ohio, on April 19 and 20.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN

New officers of the Delphi Community World Day of Prayer committee for next year's observance at Delphi are: Mrs. Darrell Grifley, chairman of nominating committee of a meeting in the Holiness church last Friday are: Mrs. John Peterson, chairman, Presbyterian church; Mrs. Charles Melson, Christian, and Mrs. Robert Cunningham, Lutheran vice presidents; Mrs. Virgil Gray, church of the Brethren, secretary; Mrs. Charles A. Wood, Methodist, treasurer. The observance will be held in the Delphi Presbyterian church next year.

Mrs. Esther Cunningham and children have moved to their new home at 203 W. Front St., Delphi.

The Rockettes and the Rock Riders bowtie teams, their husbands, wives and friends were guests at their sponsor, the Hiram-Yeastman company, last week at a dinner at the Sportman Hotel on Lake Freeman to celebrate their victory this past season as winners in the Denik Blue Stone League and Jean Zook's Green Tree Feed League.

The Rockettes also won High Game and High Series, and the Women's Cup Tournament. In the latter, one of their team, Betty Jo Draper, was first in the All Series. The captain of their team, Mrs. Joseph Cooney, and her husband were also winners in the Mixed-doubles tournament. Other members of the Rockettes were Mrs. Donald Brown, Mrs. Edward Dukerose, Mrs. Pearl Orr Jr., Mrs. Bruce Ammerman, and Mrs. Robert Cunningham.

Esther Cunningham Heads Tri Kappa

Delphi Citizen 4-12-1957
Esther Cunningham has been elected president of Tri Kappa Sorority. Other officers are Sybil Pettizer, vice-president; Helen Schilling, recording secretary; Lucy Long, corresponding secretary; and Kathy Smith, treasurer.

At a business meeting Tuesday night, June 18th, the chapter voted to incorporate. It was decided to send Gladys Marchand to Camp Kirby for a summer training period.

Esther Cunningham reported on the Province Convention held at French Lick recently.

Members of the Beta Chapter of Tri Kappa met Tuesday evening, April 9, for dinner and a short business meeting. Cathy Smith, president, announced the state convention will be held at French Lick April 25, 26 and 27.

Thank you notes were read from the State Mental Health Assoc. for our support and from Naomi Theophile. The project committee announced that our local project for this year would support for the Special Olympic Games. The president also announced that the by-laws had been approved by the Tri Kappa Parliamentarian.

The following state of officers were presented by the nominating committee: Lucy Long, president; Joann Nelson, vice president; Esther Cunningham, treasurer; Helen Schilling, recording secretary.

Members of Delphi Tri Kappa Sorority Associate Chapter met at the home of Marguerite Boerger last week. Co-hostesses were Donabelle Sieber and Edna Grimm.

The theme for the program was holiday symbols, carols, and their origin. Readings were by members. Carols were sung with accompaniment by Esther Cunningham at the piano.

CUB PACK 366 held its January Pack meeting on January 13 at the Scout Cabin. Cubmaster Jerry Boone presided. Don J. directed by Mrs. Esther Cunningham led the opening. Don J. directed by Mrs. Bernice Boone, had the opening song. Don J. directed by Mrs. Virginia Emerson, presented a short play, "Boys' Amusement". Bobcat pins were presented to Gregory Bruce; Bear to Bobby Sales; Assistant Denizens to David Cunningham and Tom Bowman. An inspection was held before the meeting by the Den mothers. Don J. had the most awards and there was a tie between Don J and Don J. directed by Mrs. Mary Ward, had the closing part of the program.

One of the delightful events of the winter season was the "Service of Entrance" and open house conducted Sunday by St. Matthew's Lutheran Church at the new church building south of Delphi. More than 200 persons attended the two evening services and about 600 persons attended the open house in the afternoon.

The beautiful new church is a welcome addition to the Delphi community of churches. Of completely modern design, the chapel was constructed with the idea that eventually, when membership warrants it, a new and larger church proper will be constructed.

The chancel rose has a small entrance hall with double doors leading into the main part of the building. Beamed ceilings and dark white walls are complemented by a stained-glass eastern wall. A unique wooden design is at the back

Welfare account clerk receives state award

Delphi Citizen 12-14-1956
Esther Cunningham, employee of the Carroll County Welfare Department, has been named "Outstanding Account Clerk" for the state of Indiana. She served two years in the Indiana Association of Account Clerks in Westfield, Indiana.

Cunningham was first awarded for the National District award. She was the winner out of all the state clerk accountants in the district's 10 counties. She was also named for the state award from the district winners.

She received a plaque at a awards banquet Oct. 30 in Indianapolis.

In honoring her for the award, county welfare director Carlo Miller said Cunningham is "exceptionally dedicated and able" in her bookkeeping for the

department.

"I believe this honor is the backbone of this agency," Miller said. "Her work ethic, her high standards, her consistency, her ability to get things done and who gets things done."

She is also the office "bookkeeper" and office "pilot" Miller said since one of the staff has a disability at times in a special

Carroll County Clerk 12-14-1956



Esther Cunningham

Elected Treasurer

Mrs. Esther Cunningham of Delphi, clerk in the office of Carroll County Welfare Department, was elected to serve as treasurer for a term of one year at a recent meeting of clerks of the 16 counties of Northwest District of the Indiana Public Welfare Association held in Monroeville, Delphi Journal Citizen 12-14-1957

Welfare account clerk honored



Esther Cunningham

Esther Cunningham was honored with a surprise open house Friday, hosted by the Carroll County Welfare Office, where she is employed. The event was in observance of

her 20 years as employee of the Welfare Department. Welfare Director Carole Miller said she was being honored for her long-time service to the department and to Carroll County taxpayers.

Mrs. Cunningham is an account clerk III, in charge of the office's bookwork.

She began as a clerk-stenographer, when there was only a staff of four in the Welfare Department. Now there are 10 staff members. Mrs. Cunningham said the biggest change in the department in the last 20 years has been the large increase in the caseload.

Besides the open house, Mrs. Cunningham was taken out to lunch by her co-workers and given a corsage. Among those attending the open house were former Welfare directors Dick McLean and John Walker.

Mrs. Cunningham lives in Delphi and has four children and five grandchildren.

Esther R. Cunningham, 79

DELPHI — Esther R. Cunningham, 79, of 203 W. Front St., died at 11:11 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 16, 2003, in her home.

Born July 25, 1924, in Cleveland, Ohio, she graduated from Delphi High School in 1942.

Mrs. Cunningham retired in 1989 from the Carroll County office of Family and Children after 21 years of service. She had also worked at Hanna & Hanna law office for several years.

She was a member of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in Delphi, American Legion Auxiliary in Delphi and Beta Associate of Kappa Kappa Kappa, where she was past president and treasurer. She was active in several bowling leagues and bridge clubs in Delphi. She enjoyed playing the piano and organ.

Surviving are a son, David R. Cunningham (wife: Patricia); and three daughters, Diane S. Kelly, Deborah K. Stevens (husband: Cliff) and Karen R. Sisson (husband: Rick), all of Delphi. Lafayette Journal Courier 12-17-2003



PREPARING PROJECTS for the Delphi Art Show, sponsored by Tri Kappa and the Delphi Public Schools, are these students under the direction of Jack Sanders, Ginger Waymire, Rob Burns, Mrs. Barbara Walker Show chairman, Mr. Sanders, Esther Cunningham, Tri Kappa president, and Dick Daniels. Citizen Polaroid Photo Citizen Polaroid Photo Delphi Citizen 4-12-1962

Right: the Cunningham house at 207 W. Vine Street



NORMA BEDSWORTH HOWE DAUGHERTY



Norma Howe was in Delphi only about a dozen years, but she engaged with the community quickly and left her mark.

Norma Maude Bedsworth was born November 9, 1927 to Chauncey and Sara Johnson Bedsworth in Donora, Pennsylvania. She graduated from Fort Wayne South Side High School in 1945; and she attended Fort Wayne Bible College. She married Herbert Lawrence Howe August 28, 1948 in Fort Wayne, and they lived in Frankfort for several years. In 1956, they bought the Ben Franklin Store in Delphi and moved their family here in 1957. Norma and Herb had 4 children: Carolyn, David, Patricia, and Sharon. I remember Norma as the mom of my classmate and birthday-mate, Carolyn. They lived right down the street from me, at 509 W. Summit.

Herb died in 1986, when they were living in Greenville, Alabama. Norma married Walter Delvin Daughtery, who died in 1991. Norma died January 13, 2016 in Fayetteville, Georgia.

Norma worked with Herb, managing everyone's beloved Ben Franklin Store. Then she opened a Mode O'Day franchise store at the corner of Main and Washington, in 1963. She had a style show right in the big front window, and my classmates were clamoring to be chosen as models. Heck, everyone was clamoring to be chosen as models. It was a big deal.

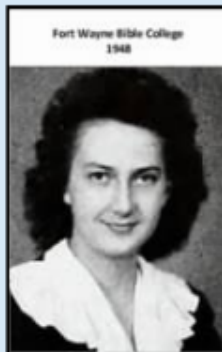
Norma managed Mode O'Day for a year, selling it to one of her associates in 1964. In 1968, she and Herb closed the Ben Franklin and opened a variety store called "Norberts" (combining their names), on the west side. They operated it for a year before selling and moving from Delphi in 1969.

Norma was not only a business woman, she contributed to the Delphi community in many ways. She was Vice President of the local Girl Scout Association and a Troop Leader. She was a member of the Delphi School-Home Association and the Modern Homemakers Club. She was an advocate for physical fitness, founding a chapter of TOPS (Taking Off Pounds Sensibly). And she was an active member of the Cottage Street Church of Christ, volunteering as a Bible School teacher.

The Howes were generous with those in need. Daughter Carolyn told me: "Momma welcomed over 40 foster children into our home. Whenever a needy family was traveling through Delphi and needed assistance, Sherriff Coghill called my parents. It was for shelter, food, or other essentials. We housed children for months at a time until their parents could get back on their feet. Mom never knew a stranger. She was in Bob's Cafe when she was asked to take two sisters until their parents could find a home for them. She also opened our home to a college student and her mother for a summer. We had many people living with us over the years. Momma was amazing, to say the least.

Momma loved the Lord, and she loved music. She was one of the strongest women I know. I am so grateful and thankful to call her my mother. I cherish the time we had together."

- Owned Mode O'Day store
- Co-owned Ben Franklin store and Norberts Variety store
- Girl Scout Association
- . Vice President
- . Brownie Scout Troop Leader
- Founder and President of Delphi chapter of TOPS
- Delphi School-Home Association
- Modern Homemakers Home Demonstration Club
- Cottage Street Church of Christ
- . Vacation Bible School teacher



Left: Norma, Herb, and Carolyn at their home in Frankfort, IN. Lower left: the Howe home at 509 W. Summit Street. Above: Norma and Herb with Carolyn and David, in front of their Ben Franklin Store on Washington Street in Delphi

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe, owner-managers of the Ben Franklin store in Delphi have bought the Harold Berry property in South Delphi. They will obtain possession of the property June 1. The Howes have been living on West Front street. The Berrys will move to Anderson where he will become county agent. Lafayette Journal Courier 4-6-1953

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe have rented the Freeman Switzer house on West Front street. They are the owners of the Ben Franklin store here. Lafayette Journal Courier 1-19-1957

Mrs. Woodrow Haven has again been elected president of the Delphi Girl Scout association for 1953. Mrs. Herbert Howe will serve as vice president, and Mrs. Albert Barlow was re-elected secretary. Other officers are Mrs. Albert Barlow, treasurer; Mrs. Floyd Hodges, registrar, and Mrs. Robert C. Roach, cheer chairman. Lafayette Journal Courier 12-22-1952



MRS. HERB HOWE
 Delphi Cities 5-2-1963
 Mrs. Herb Howe will manage the new Mode O'Day dress shop opening here today (Thursday). Mrs. Howe has had sixteen years retail experience, seven years in partnership with her husband in the Ben Franklin store in Delphi. Mr. and Mrs. Howe have just returned from Detroit where they spent a week in training in the Mode O'Day home-owned store, learning sales techniques and merchandising.
 Photo by Herb Smith

School-Home Ass'n.
 Music Aptitude Testing is the title of the program to be presented to the Delphi Community School Home Association by music instructors, Theodore Jones and Clarence Marocco. This promises to be a most informative evening.
 Mrs. Herbert Howe, chairman of the nominating committee, will present the slate of officers to be elected. Nominations from the floor will also be honored.
 Parents and teachers of the entire Delphi Community School Corporation are urged to attend this meeting on Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Delphi Community High School Cafeteria.

Members of Delphi Boy Scouts Troop 25 were also among those who took what they expect to be their last train ride on the Moscow railroad. For a number of the girls, it was their first train ride. The girls and their leaders, Mrs. Herbert Howe and Mrs. Charles Everett, went to Indianapolis, where they attended the Shrine circus. Others from Delphi attending the circus were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brookbank and their three sons and Mr. and Mrs. James Wehage and children.



2nd Annual Fashion Rally Style Show Saturday, August 8th, at 7:30 P.M. in Mode O'Day Window. Local models will show Ladies', Teens and Childrens fall fashions. 102 W. Main St. Delphi Indiana

ANNOUNCING THE PURCHASE
 of Mode O'Day Store from Park Drive into Stone River. Mrs. Howe, assisted by Mrs. Stone has been operating the store nearly one year in appreciation of the property, an excellent location and a great lot of parking of central highway, highway, and scenic view. See listing on page 2.

MRS. HERBERT HOWE TO BE MANAGER OF NEW STORE HERE

Delphi Journal 4-6-1963
 Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe have been granted the franchise to sell Mode O'Day ladies' apparel and are in Detroit all this week receiving special training at the Mode O'Day second store there.
 Mrs. Howe, who has had 16 years experience selling and doing office work in ready-to-wear establishments, will be in charge of the store, which will be located in the former bank building at the corner of Main and Washington streets.
 As announced in the Journal last week the building is being completely remodeled and will have new fixtures in keeping with the atmosphere of a well managed ladies' apparel store.
 All the furniture, fixtures and equipment in the new store will belong to the Howes. Mode O'Day will supply merchandise on a consignment basis, thus eliminating much "stale" stock. The Howes may, if they wish, stock items other than those supplied by Mode O'Day.
 Mrs. Howe has been associated with her husband in the operation of the Ben Franklin store here the past seven years.

Three Families To Move

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe of 208 W. Summit St., Delphi, have sold their property to Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of St. Louis who will move here soon with their three children. Mr. Davis is with State Farm Insurance. The Howes and their family will move Saturday to the Freeman Section property at 424 W. Front St., Delphi, where they had previously lived before for three years.
 Mr. and Mrs. Switzer will move to LaGrange where he is a maintenance employe with Home Hospital. They will live in a furnished home of the hospital. Mrs. Switzer will continue her employment in Delphi as secretary-treasurer with the Clawson Chevrolet Sales Corporation.



Norma with daughters Sharon, Carolyn, and Patricia

Memory Lane Kindergarten Graduates 22

Delphi Journal 5-5-1964
 Memory Lane Kindergarten graduation exercises and program were held Sunday, May 1st, in the Delphi Community High School Auditorium with 200 attending.
 The "Rodeo" was the theme and hobby horses, graduation hats, diplomas and cowboy hat pencil sharpeners were gifts from their teacher. Mrs. Virginia Brookbank.
 Assisting at the reception were Mrs. David Wood and Mrs. John Bowman.



Dad & Mom August 1985



Life Legacy

Norma Howe Daugherty, age 88, of Fayetteville, GA died Wednesday, January 13, 2016. She was born in Donora, PA to the late Chauncey and Sara Bedsforth. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husbands, Herbert Howe and Delvin Daugherty.

Mrs. Daugherty is survived by her children, Carolyn (Jerry) Boone-King, Gore, OK, David (Lynn) Howe, Jonesboro, GA, Patricia (Mark) Buckner, Fayetteville, GA, Sharon (Steve) Mongrello, Louisville, KY; grandchildren, Susan Boone, James Boone, Christopher (Qiao) Howe, Ashley (Bret) Weigl, Justin Jarrett, Amanda (Greg) Kieck, Brian (Crystal) Buckner, Braden Buckner, Erin (Dustin) Oliver, Kristine (Derek) Arrington, Jaymes Mongrello, and Max Mongrello; 14 great-grandchildren; plus many other nieces, nephews, friends, and loved ones.

Funeral Services will be held at 11:00am on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at The Chapel of Cannon Cleveland Funeral Directors with Mark Buckner officiating. Interment will follow at Fairview Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends Friday, January 15, 2016 from 6:00-9:00pm at the Funeral Home. The family has also requested that if you wish, donations may be made to the Alzheimer's Association (www.alz.org). Those who wish may sign the online guest registry at www.cannonclevelandfunerals.com. Cannon Cleveland Funeral Directors, 770-914-1414.

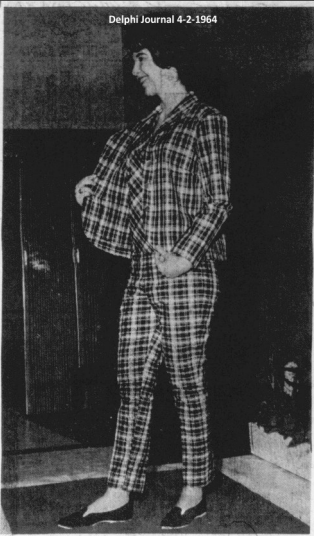
'Norberts' Variety To Open In W. Delphi

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe, who for the past 12 years have operated the Ben Franklin Store on Washington Street, have closed the store.
 They are moving to West Delphi and they will be independent owners of the new "Norberts' Variety". It will be located in the newly developed shopping center next door to Don Brown's I.G.A. Store on U. S. Highway 421.
 The Howes, Norma and Herbert, used their own first names to strive at the new name for their variety store. They plan to carry the same variety line and will have larger quarters in which to display it.
 The Howes extend an invitation to everyone to visit their new store at its opening soon and a word of appreciation to those customers that have patronized them those years. There will be plenty of free parking in their new building and they extend a cordial welcome to everyone to come in and browse.
 Delphi Journal Cities 4-2-1964

"Jesus is the Christ" will be the theme of the Vacation Bible School at Delphi's Cottage Street Church of Christ. The sessions will be held from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. each week-day from August 19-24 under the supervision of Robert Dixon, Educational Director, and Larry Locke, the congregation's new full-time minister.
 All children from two years of age through high school age are cordially invited to attend. Two buses will pick up those who desire transportation. Call LO 4-489 for a ride.
 Daily sessions will consist of a general assembly for all ages at 8:30 a.m. Classes will follow with Bible lessons and handicraft. Sunday evening, Aug. 18, a special program will be presented after the regular worship service. Open houses will follow for parents to see their children's work.
 Nursery classes will be under the direction of Norma Howe and Heidi Singh. Elizabeth Jackson and Zora Minchouse will be in charge of the beginners. Primary children will be taught by Carol Locke, assisted by Paul E. Cruz and Alberta Hoan. Joan Doan, assisted by Julia Bowman, will teach the Junior Class. The Senior High Class will be taught by Larry Locke, assisted by Bill Dyer. Bob Doan, assisted by Everett Denton, will have direction of the Senior High Class. Inquire Cities 8-8-2064.

Twelve members weighed in at the C.A.R. T.O.P.S. meeting held Monday evening, December 27th with only three of the twelve being weighed over the holidays. Norma Howe presided over the business meeting.
 A message was read and then was presented a ruse and a trapline. The Queen Bees was sung in unison. Two had for being lost the most weight for the week. Bobs finger was the star prize.
 The new officers were installed for the year of 1964. They are Carol Smith, president; Wilma Marswell, secretary; Eva Cripe, treasurer; Annabelle Everett, weight recorder; and Lorraine Bell, news reporter.
 A dinner given was presided to the outgoing president, Norma Howe for her fine leadership and for organizing the club. The meeting was closed by singing Goodnight, Members. Delphi Journal 12-30-1964.

FIFTEEN PANS FOR FIRST FALL PHYSICAL FITNESS PROGRAM.
 The class for better figure, better health and better disposition has been renewed and reorganized. Miss Clara, high school Physical Education instructor has agreed to go along with the marchers again this year. Classes will be held at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.
 Officers were elected at the organization meeting Tuesday. Norma Howe is president of the group and Mrs. John Glasco is secretary and public relations agent.
 You'll all remember that the classes are for the improvement of females, all sizes, shapes and ages. Some of the new come just for fun!
 Delphi Journal 9-14-1964.



MISS ELAINE BROWN of Nashville, Tennessee, (a student at David Lipscomb College) models a two-piece plaid sports outfit, red predominating. Miss Brown was one of 16 models who participated in the Mode O'Day-Tyner Shoe Store Spring fashion show.
 The motto, "Shift Into Spring", was fitting as the models displayed the popular look of this season. The style show was a huge success in every way. One of the largest crowds in the town's history, for this kind of endeavor, turned out to warmly applaud the show. A Fashion Breakfast preceded the agenda of new fashions. Well over 240 persons attended the gathering. The audience was informed that all outfits and footwear could be seen or purchased at the co-sponsors' stores. Mrs. Norma Howe and Mrs. Lou Tyner are the proprietors of the respective stores.

FAY BURNS EBRITE



When I decided to spotlight the Hill's doyennes, one of the first names that popped into my head was "Fay Ebrite." The Ebrites lived next door when I was very young, so Fay was one of the first adults in my life. They remained family friends for many years. I saw Fay as a strong, active force-of-nature, getting done what needed to be done. She's a person who just can't help assuming leadership roles because she is a born leader. I have always admired her.

Fay Burns was born February 7, 1929 to Fred and Tulsa Nance Burns in Irricana (Alberta), Canada. The Burns family moved to Flora, Indiana - where Fred's family resided - in 1941, and Fay graduated from Flora High School in 1947. She married Norman Lee Ebrite on January 26, 1949; and they had three children: Thomas (Tie), James, and Teresa. Norm taught and served as Athletic Director and a coach in the Delphi schools for many years. He died in Florida in 1998, where he and Fay wintered in their retirement.

Fay had a series of jobs in her young life. She was a bookkeeper at Bright National Bank in Flora and at Johnson-Schnepf Motors, and she filled in at the Delphi Journal. She worked at Purdue as Senior Account Manager at the Midwest Program of Airborne Television Instruction. But she found a real calling when she became the Executive Director of the Area IV Agency on Aging and Community Services - a job she held for 20 years. Starting with a tiny volunteer staff, Fay turned that agency into a highly successful provider of social services to 8 counties. She was honored for her work with the "Salute to Women Award" in 1984, the "Jesse Dickenson Professional Advocacy Award" in 1985, and the "Felice Bray Leadership Award" in 2003. She was named a Delegate to the 1995 White House Conference on Aging and the 1999 National Silver Haired Congress. And in 1989, Governor Evan Bayh made her a "Sagamore of the Wabash," Indiana's highest honor.

In addition to her success as a professional, Fay was a leader in community volunteer efforts. She was an officer for the Carroll County Mental Health Association, Chairman of the Carroll County Blood Bank, and a member and officer in the Tippecanoe County Mental Health Association.

She was prominent in Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority for many years, serving as President of the local chapter, National Conductress, and Province Officer. She was on the State Board of Directors of Business and Professional Women, also serving as State Foundation Chairman, District Director, and President of the local chapter. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary, a Cub Scout Den Mother, and Historian for the Hill Cliff Dwellers.

Daughter Teresa describes her mother this way: "My mother loved to cook and entertain, whether it was monthly bridge club, a party for Dad's co-workers at the Delphi Relays, her staff at work, or family gatherings. She was good at it.

But the things she most loved were experiences. I saw many bands and entertainers at Purdue when she worked there. She enjoys going to museums, plays... any activity that provides an experience, and I benefited from those experiences. She never learned to swim, but she loved family float trips down the Tippecanoe river. She has a keen sense of family and made sure there were many occasions to spend time with the extended family. She still, at 89, wants to be involved in the lives of her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

My mother has a strong desire to be involved, wherever she is. She taught me we should try to make wherever we are a better place, and that is what she does. I think that's what she should be remembered for: doing what she could to make this a better world."

Granddaughter Lisa Richards Gaub sums up her grandmother like this: "Her presence is ingrained in all of us. That's why my sisters and I are strong women."

One of her granddaughters told me that Fay recently was asked to serve as President of her community association in Fort Myers, Florida. At 89. She's a born leader. And a born doyenne.

- Executive Director Area IV Agency on Aging and Community Services (20 years)
- Sagamore of the Wabash (1989)
- Felice Bray Leadership Award (2003)
- Jesse Dickinson Professional Advocacy Award (1985)
- Salute to Women Award (1984)
- Delegate to 1995 White House Conference on Aging
- Delegate to National Silver Haired Congress (1999)
- Vice President Tippecanoe County Mental Health Association
- Carroll County Mental Health Association
 - . Chairman Mental Health Drive (1960)
 - . Vice President (1963)
- Chairman Carroll County Red Cross Blood Bank
- Business and Professional Women Federation
 - . State Board of Directors
 - . State Foundation Chairman
 - . District Director
 - . President local chapter
- Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
 - . National Conductress (1959)
 - . Province Officer (1958)
 - . Chapter President
- American Legion Auxiliary
 - . Girls State Chairman
 - . Cub Scout Den Mother
- Cliff Dwellers Historian (1957)

UNITED CHRISTIAN YOUTH MEETINGS SCHEDULED UNTIL NEXT FALL.
The United Christian Youth meetings of the past year are to be discontinued until next fall, beginning with the school term. The officers for the coming year have been elected and are as follows: President, Fay Burns; vice president, Bob Altshoff; secretary-treasurer, Shirley Reed; pianist, Pat Kendrick; and song leader, Mary Lee Elery. The attendance and cooperation of all the young people will be needed for the success of the coming year. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

DEAN OVERGLASER was elected president of the Carroll County Mental Health Association at the regular meeting Monday in the office of Attorney David R. Baum. Officers elected were: **Frederic Chandler**, vice-president; **Fay Ebrite**, second vice-president and publicity; **John Klinginger**, treasurer; and **Jeanette Brown**, secretary. **David Baum** replaced Attorney **Chandler** as the executive administrator. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

FAY EBRITE ELECTED NATIONAL OFFICER OF PSI IOTA XI SORORITY
Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959
Mrs. Norman Ebrite of Delphi, has been elected National Conductress of the Psi Iota Xi sorority. The election was held during the group's national convention held last weekend in Lafayette. Mrs. Ebrite, the former **Fay Burns of Flora**, is a past president of the Delphi Psi Iota Xi chapter and this year served as Northern Province officer of the organization. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

Mrs. Norman Ebrite Is Province Head For Psi Iota Xi
Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959
Mrs. Norman Ebrite, past president of the Delphi Psi Iota Xi sorority chapter, has been appointed Northern Province chairman for the sorority by Mrs. John Kreher, newly elected national president. There are 39 chapters in the Northern Province located in northern Indiana and Ohio. The announcement of Mrs. Ebrite's appointment was made at the national convention of the Psi Iota Xi sorority which was held at the Sheraton Hotel at French Lick, on the weekend of June 30. There were 340 delegates representing 50 chapters in attendance. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

RED CROSS
Several active members of the local Red Cross unit are planning to attend a 40 District meeting of the Red Cross, being held at the Sheraton Hotel in Paris on Friday. Arriving from Carroll county will be Mrs. Norman Ebrite, county blood bank chairman; Mrs. Glad Latta and Mrs. Meredith Hargis; Mrs. Lillian Thayer, Carroll county Red Cross chapter chairman; Mrs. Junior Vasey of Flora, who is chairman of the bloodmobile visit in that city on June 10. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

NEW POSITION
Mrs. Norman Ebrite has accepted the position of senior assistant for MPATV, Midwest Program of Airborne Television Instruction, at Purdue University. She began work last week. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

Mr. and Mrs. Norm Ebrite and son Ty, who have been residing in the Sheraton apartments, will move April 1 to the Robert Merrill residence in South Delphi. Mr. and Mrs. Merrill and family are moving to Houston, Illinois, where Mr. Merrill has taken employment. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

DELEGATES, ALTERNATES TO GIRL'S STATE ARE SELECTED BY COMMITTEE
Mrs. Norman Ebrite, chairman of the Legions Auxiliary Committee for Girl's State today announced the delegates and alternates who will be selected by the local organization this year. **Sharon Hawkins** and **Wendy Hoover** were selected by the committee as the delegates with **Jeanne Bowman** and **PERE Pacher** as the alternate delegates. Girl's State is annually sponsored by the Indiana Legion Auxiliary and is held on the campus of Indiana University at Bloomington. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

Faye Burns and Norman Ebrite Married January 26th
The announcement has been made the past week of the marriage of Miss Faye Burns, the city, and Norman Ebrite, of Delphi. The ceremony was performed at Hamletville on January 26th. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Tulsa Burns, this city, and Mr. Ebrite, the son of Mrs. Clara Ebrite, of Muncie. The couple will reside in Delphi, where Mr. Ebrite is a teacher in the high school. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

ASSISTING AT JOURNAL
Mrs. Fay Ebrite has been assisting at the Delphi Journal this past week while **Pauline Robinson**, journal news editor, has been attending the 1959 triennial convention of the United Lutheran Church Women, in Chicago. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

Mrs. Norman Ebrite is working in the office at Johnson-Schnepf Motors, Inc. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959



DELPHI'S CHAPTER of Psi Iota Xi sorority entertained 50 patients from the Logansport State Hospital at a luncheon and party last Thursday afternoon at the American Legion home. The group of patients included both men and women and this is the first time a "mixed" group had been allowed to leave the hospital at the same time. Rev. O. P. Manker provided a program of piano music during the serving of the meal which was prepared and served by the group pictured above. From left to right, they are: Martha Clifford, Julie Pyle, Midge Gibel, Jane Hancock, Faye Ebrite, Betty Brown, Betty Beach, Rosemary Pich and Polly Grantman. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burns and three daughters, Faye, Rita and Louise, of Irricana, Canada, arrived in the city last Saturday afternoon and are now at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burns, South Center street. They report to make this edition of the state their future home. Mr. Burns went to Canada 24 years ago and this is his first trip back to Flora since 1937. Delphi Citizen 10-1-1959



Area IV Agency Executive Director to be Delegate to White House Conference on Aging



NEW SCHOLARSHIP—Elyen Snyder, center, is shown receiving the 1st annual Margaret AFSA Johnston Memorial Speech and Hearing Scholarship presented by Delta Psi Chapter of Psi Iota Xi, Delphi. Fay Ebrite is making the presentation while Dorothy Mills looks on. Photo by Wayne Laderer.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ebrite and their three children, Dr. Jim and Teresa, have just returned from a 1,000 mile camping trip. They started with one vehicle, an old GMC which they viewed as a challenge; across Canada to Seattle and Lake Louise, down to Yellowstone and Glacier House, & on back to...

Fay Ebrite has resigned as director of Area IV Agency, effective Dec. 31. She has held the position for nearly 20 years. In her letter to the Area IV board she wrote, "I realize how fortunate I have been to be associated with all of the many volunteer leaders, like you, who contribute so generously of their time, talents and wisdom; the opportunity to work each day with a dedicated, caring staff that has enabled this Agency to be proclaimed on many occasions as among the best in this state and nation."

Mrs. Norman Ebrite of Delphi was recently elected second vice-president of the Tippecanoe County Mental Health Association of which Carroll County is affiliated.

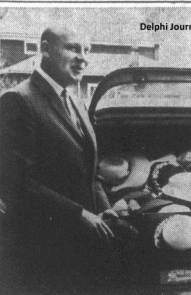
Seven women from Greater Lafayette were recognized Thursday night at the 10th annual Salute to Women awards luncheon. Honorees were: Margy Gannon, Barbara Walsh, Margaret H. Truchman, Sharon Fletcher, Fay Ebrite, Harline Cox and Barbara Cook.

The recipients were selected from more than 40 national lists. Winners were placed in seven categories - business/professional, contractors to service, education, creative arts, government/politics, home-making and sports. The annual event was sponsored by the Lafayette Women's Political Caucus, Parlier Women's Caucus, American Association of University Women, Lafayette Business and Professional Women's Club, Alpha Chi, and Women in Government.

Mrs. Ebrite, Delphi, was elected 1st vice-president and professional director of the Area IV Agency on Aging and Community Services for its 10th anniversary. She is the first agency director to be named to implement special programs for the elderly, including the Nutrition, Home, and Business Programs, Medicaid Pre-Payment Program and the Home-Sharing Program. For four years, she was on the state board of directors of the Indiana and Professional Women's Association.

Tippecanoe BPW Club Tippecanoe Club contributes to the scholarship fund and Home Hospital Fair. Officers are Ione Wayne, 1712 Tippecanoe St., president; Loretta Pechin, vice president; Beverly McKinney, recording secretary; Kathleen Leary, corresponding secretary, and Betty Odde, treasurer. Fay Ebrite of Delphi is the state foundation, chairman. Lafayette Journal Courier 10-10-1994.

FAY EBRITE of Delphi was presented with the Felice Bray Leadership Award by the Area IV Agency on Aging and Community Action Programs during a special banquet at The Trails in Lafayette Monday. Ebrite was executive director of the agency from 1975 to 1995, when she retired.



HATS! HATS! HATS! More than 250 hats, many purses and pieces of spring jewelry filled the station wagon as Dr. William R. Finley, president of the Carroll County Mental Health Association; Mrs. Norman Ebrite, and Hazelle Kirkpatrick (not pictured), prepared to take hats to the Logansport State hospital last Wednesday afternoon. More hats which had been collected in Flora by Mrs. C. W. Ryan, association vice-president, were picked up on the way to the hospital.

Ebrite wins award for serving elderly



Fay Ebrite, executive director of the Area IV Agency on Aging and Community Services, has been awarded the Jesse Dickinson professional advisory award for exceptional service and dedication to the elderly in Indiana.

The award was established in 1982 in memory of Jesse Dickinson, the late state representative and senator. Ebrite has been executive director of the agency, which serves eight counties in mid-north Indiana for the past 19 years. She has been responsible for funding, coordinating and administering programs for people older than 60 who need special services.

Area residents attend Silver Congress

Frances Opp Martin of Otterbein and Fay B. Ebrite of Delphi were among the Indiana Delegation of the National Silver Haired Congress, a congressional authorized non-partisan organization for funding, coordinating and administering programs for people age 60 and older.

The National Silver Haired Congress is patterned after the U.S. Congress, with Silver Senators and Silver Representatives from each state. Martin and Ebrite were senators.

Resolutions of the third session in Arlington, Va., included the Older Americans Act Reauthorization, Social Security, Medicare, health care and telecommunications. Ebrite chaired the workshop on the Older Americans Act.

"Operation Abilities" will be shown for public viewing at the Presbyterian church, Oct. 24, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Fay Ebrite and Mrs. Mary Francis, who are in charge of this project, will address service clubs and various organizations throughout Carroll county of this activity and the role that should be played.

Jan E. Mrs. Norman Ebrite (Don Madler), The Ebrite, Drs. Weaver, Robert Taylor, Billy Emerson, Bobby Buchanan, Billy Knapp, Dee A. Mrs. Robert Cunningham, Don Madler, Mrs. William S. Smith Jr. (Assault), David Cunningham, Jerry J. Madler, Stephen Smith, Gerry Fureman, L.A.P.V. McKinley, Jerry Madler. Delphi Journal 10-20-1994.

By Fay Ebrite
How exciting it was to be one of Indiana's 37-member, enthusiastic delegation to the 1995 White House Conference on Aging on May 25-5 in Washington, D.C. To quote Hugh Downs, who was also a delegate to the conference and master of ceremonies at the opening session: "The Conference was not about the aged but about aging and the ages!" It was the challenge and opportunity to develop policy and recommendations that benefit all Americans - resolutions to be used for shaping aging policy for the coming decade and into the 21st century. Lafayette Journal Courier 5-13-1995.

WEDAY, APRIL 26, 1990

Fay Ebrite Heads Mental Health Drive
Mrs. Hazelle Kirkpatrick, president of the Carroll County Mental Health Association, has appointed Mrs. Norman Ebrite to head the Mental Health Drive which is a lack of funds to be collected on May 26 at the Tippecanoe Senior Center. The Carroll County Mental Health Association has taken a great step forward in their efforts to help the elderly afflicted with the "invisible illness" which is the psychiatric ailment and other health care of the elderly are available in this area and adults of Carroll county at a nominal fee. Already these facilities have been used several times and the program is working better than ever. The drive will be held at the Tippecanoe Senior Center and the drive will be carried out by the Psi Iota Xi association.

Mr. Quinn and Dick Elmsherry of Delphi and Bill Mann of Flora will serve as co-chairmen for the drive and will assist in obtaining necessary supplies. The drive will be held at the Tippecanoe Senior Center and the drive will be carried out by the Psi Iota Xi association.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ebrite of Delphi have been chosen to represent the County Council, Carroll County is affiliated with the Health Center in Lafayette along with White, Warren, Fountain, and Montgomery and Tippecanoe Counties.

"Marquis" program a credit to many
An chairman of the Marquis de Lafayette Awards Committee, a program designed to recognize the many community organizations which improve the quality of our lives, I wish to thank many people for the outstanding contributions they have made through their hard work and dedication to the Chamber of Commerce's 1st Marquis de Lafayette Awards program. They are: Ralph Dally, Fay Ebrite, Ann Galtman, Pauline Hill, Dick Jaeger, Sheila Klinker, Fern Martin, Joe Mosley, Ralph Quinn, Paul Ross, Jim Smith, Mary Beth Smith, Robert Stephen, Don Sullivan, Jo Walk, Diane Ward and Virginia Yant. By unselfishly giving hours of their time to this community project, they were able to transcend their hopes and dreams into a self-fulfilling evening. I sincerely appreciate their help and support during the past eight months and commend them for their dedication to Greater Lafayette. Dr. Robert C. Sells, Chairman Marquis de Lafayette Awards Committee Lafayette Journal Courier 3-3-1995.

Right: Faye with her family. Below left: Faye and Norm. Below right: Faye with Jim, Teresa, and Tie

In recognition of their efforts and work on Jan. 16, 1995, an award was presented to Fay Ebrite, Shirley Smith and Paul Rizer. Faye Wood received a three year pin for her years as the mother of our mother. Committee members receiving pins were: Bob Cunningham and Jerry Boone, 1 year pins; Ted Sappard, Dee Bowman, W. S. Weaver and Bob Robbins, 1 year pins. Delphi Journal 1-16-1995.

Faye Ebrite To Head Red Cross Blood Donor Unit

Mrs. Norman Ebrite of Delphi, has been appointed chairman of the Carroll County Red Cross Blood program replacing Mrs. Gene Maxwell who resigned. Her assistance will be Mrs. Glen Little and Mrs. Marcella Barget. The Delphi Citizen 1-29-1993.

Mrs. Norman Ebrite Heads Psi Iota Xi

Officers for Psi Iota Xi society for 1995-96 were elected at a lack of dinner to be held on May 26 at the Tippecanoe Senior Center. President, Mrs. Norman Ebrite, vice-president, Mrs. Richard Cravath, recording secretary, Mrs. William Ebrite, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Milton Bowman, treasurer, Mrs. Robie Wiegand, coordinator, Mrs. Maxine Chittick.

Names Officers

Dean Overholser presided at the membership meeting of the Carroll County Mental Health Association Monday afternoon when Mrs. Norm Ebrite, the Carroll County delegate to the Board of Tippecanoe County Mental Health Center, Inc., presented the contract which will in turn be presented to the County Council. Carroll County is affiliated with the Health Center in Lafayette along with White, Warren, Fountain, and Montgomery and Tippecanoe Counties.

Fay Ebrite named "Sagamore of the Wabash"

State Representative Sheila Klinker, representing Gov. Evan Bayh, presented the Sagamores of the Wabash award to Fay Ebrite, Executive Director of the Area IV Agency on Aging and Community Services, at a luncheon in her honor. This award is the highest honor bestowed on an Indiana citizen by the governor as a personal tribute, recognizing outstanding services rendered.

The citation noted Ebrite's "civility in living, loyalty in friendship, wisdom in council and inspiration in leadership" which earned her the title of "Chieftain on my staff as Sagamores of the Wabash."

Ebrite has served as director of the Area IV Agency since 1975. Under her stewardship, many services have expanded to provide a variety of programs to help the citizens of the area's eight counties.

Most recently, the CHOICE (Community and Home Options to Institutional Care for the Elderly and Disabled) program in Tippecanoe county has served as a demonstration model and, in November, under her leadership, will expand into the other counties in the area.



Left: The Ebrite homes at 1002 S. Hamilton and 125 W. Summit. Below: Faye with her kids and grandkids. Bottom left: Norm and Fay. Bottom right: Fay with Jim, Teresa, and Tie



VIRGINIA HANLIN EMERSON



Who doesn't love Ginny Emerson? She always has a smile on her face. She treats you like an old friend. And to the Hill kids of the 1950s, she was our favorite timekeeper. When Ginny rang that big ol' dinner bell in the backyard of their home at 924 S. Washington Street, every kid on the Hill knew it was time to head home.

Virginia May Hanlin was born October 3, 1923 in Richmond, Ohio to James and Rachel Simpson Hanlin. She grew up in Salem, Ohio and worked as a secretary in Columbus, Ohio. She married Dr. Edward S. Emerson in Franklin, Ohio on March 16, 1946. They had three sons: Bill, Barry, and Bruce.

Ginny and Doc moved to Delphi in 1952, taking over the veterinarian practice of Marcus Haggard and moving into the home at 924 S. Washington. In 1969, the Emersons moved to Lexington, Kentucky, where Doc became the resident vet for Castleton Farms. When he retired in 1976, they moved back to Delphi, living at 200 Riley Road. Doc passed away in 1981.

In Delphi, Ginny was on the Board of Directors of the Carroll County Country Club, serving as Secretary-Treasurer. A long-time member of Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority, Ginny was elected to office both in the active and auxiliary chapters. She volunteered for the Red Cross Bloodmobile and Carroll County Election Boards; and she was involved with the Boy Scouts for many years in various capacities, including Den Mother.

Ginny served as Treasurer of the Delphi Home and School Association. With Doc, she was a member of Tipwa Grange and the Delphi Presbyterian Church, where she taught Sunday School and was a member of the Pamacodi Class.

Always appreciating antiques, Ginny acquired a vintage perfume bottle in the 1970s. That bottle inspired years of collecting, taking her to auctions and regional conventions and even to Europe. In 2014, her extensive perfume bottle collection was displayed at the Delphi Opera House Gallery. She was a member of the International Perfume Bottle Association.

I saw Ginny recently in her lovely abode at the Villas of Creasy Springs in Lafayette. She's just as cheerful and warm as I remember her, and it was so good to sit down with her and reminisce about our days on the Hill. She'll always be one of my very favorite moms who are doyennes of the Hill.

- Carroll County Country Club
 - . Board of Directors
 - . Secretary-Treasurer
- Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
 - . Officer in both the Active and Auxiliary Chapters
- Volunteer Red Cross Bloodmobile
- Volunteer Carroll County Election Boards
- Boy Scouts
 - . Cub Scout Den Mother
 - . Volunteer Boy Scout Fund Drive
- Treasurer Delphi Home and School Association
- Tipwa Grange
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
 - . Sunday School Teacher
 - . Pamacodi Class
- International Perfume Bottle Association



Sixteen members and one guest of Beta Psi Auxiliary Chapter of Psi Iota Xi Sorority met recently for dinner, business, and entertainment at the Wildcat Creek Bed and Breakfast near Cutler, owned and operated by May and Jerry Blue. During the business meeting the following officers were elected: Jean Harford, president; Mary Clifford, vice president; Virginia Emerson, secretary; and Margaret Barkle, treasurer. Carroll County Courier 8-8-2003

The volunteer bloodmobile professional staff included Dr. Charles Wise and Dr. T. Neal Petry, Lorene Roggenskamp, RN, Irene DeWinton, RN, Floecie Livingston, RN, Shirley Prajka, RN, Susan Lynch, RN, Jackie Barnett, RN, Betty Huff, NA, and Leslie Fisher, EMT. Mary Margaret Goodwin served as receptionist and Jean Harford and Virginia Emerson were typists. Escorts were Kevin Conner, Dennis Hawn, Doug Gribben and Mike Hoffman. Carroll County Courier 8-17-2006

The pledge of allegiance was led by Den 2 to open the program. Bev Berninger called the roll, Den 4 recited poems and Den 3 led group singing. Cubmaster Duss awarded pins to den mothers and committeemen in acknowledgement of their efforts in behalf of the pack. Den mothers are Mrs. Bernice Boone, Mrs. Sue Brown, Mrs. Ginny Emerson, Mrs. Marian Dunn and Mrs. Kaye Petry. Committeemen are Bev Berninger, Christine Clark Tiltman Abbott, Raymond Hurst, John Young and Harold Sprague. Lexington Journal October 2-4-1965

DELPHI SCHOOL RECEPTION
The Delphi School and Home Association cordially invite all parents of pupils in the local school to a reception given for the teachers in the High School cafeteria on Monday, September 28th at 7:30 p.m. Before this reception is held all new teachers will be invited into various homes of parents for dinner. Husbands or wives of the teachers will be included in the invitation. The following new teachers are being entertained: Mrs. Pauline Sikes at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brookbank; Mrs. Ruth Holton and Mr. Howard Shultz by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Emerson; Miss Anita Vastick by Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sain; Mr. Robert Tynes by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood; Miss Catherine Devine by Mr. and Mrs. Dean Overholser; and Mr. Gordon Wheatley and Mrs. Carmelita Rose by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Robinson. Lexington Journal October 2-4-1965

The Auxiliary Chapter of Psi Iota Xi met at Wildcat Bed & Breakfast near Cutler for lunch on May 13. Fay Ehrlich introduced Phyllis Mills of Flora, who explained the design and making of her quilt wall hangings.

Mills is using heads in many of her new and unique creations. She does not sell her quilts because most are made for a specific friend or family member.

Ginny Emerson reported that a recipient for the art scholarship has been chosen. Mary Clifford will present the award.

Clifford installed new officers for 2004-2005. They are Rita Wingard, president; Judy Conner, vice president; Emerson, secretary; Sandy Seefe, treasurer; and Wanda Duff, advisor. Carroll County Courier 6-18-2004

Dr. and Mrs. Edward S. Emerson and sons of Rt. 3, Delphi, have moved to Lexington, Ky., where he is a veterinarian on a Standardbred Farm. Delphi Citizen 2-20-1964

Carroll County Covers 10-29-1980
Election Boards have been named to conduct the General Election Tuesday, November 4, in the 25 precincts in Carroll County.

Republicans
Republicans will have the inspector, a judge, clerk (some precincts two clerks), and sheriff at each precinct. They are listed in that order.

Adams - Unavailable
Burlington I - Ansel Bowley, Lance Alter, Alice Bowley, Evelyn Boussan, Linda Heitzman.
Burlington II - Burton Billard, Carol Maxwell, Susan Hoover, Kathy Norbault, Gail Smoker.

Carrollton - Majorie Louise Leah, Winifred E. Landes, Raymond Huse.
Clay - Virgil Irmegeer, Donna McCarty, Myrtle Vinard, Lucille Neunschwander.

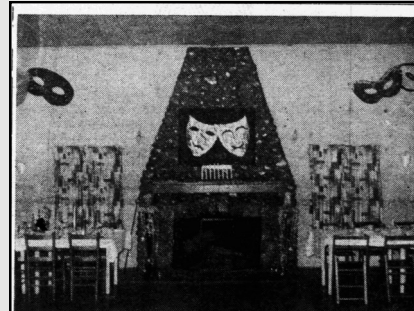
Deer Creek I - Neda Kay Duff, Patricia Duff, Annette K. Black, Nancy L. LaFontaine.

Deer Creek II - Patricia Ann Abbott, Nancy Gish, Wilma Jean Wilby, Alice Shank.

Deer Creek III - James W. Rankin, Virginia Emerson, Maxine Adams, Carolyn Pearson, Geneva Todd.

Cub Scout Pack 3165 celebrated the 50th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America at the annual Blue and Gold Banquet held at the REMC. Cubmaster Bill Duss awarded pins to den mothers and committeemen for their efforts in behalf of the pack. Den mothers are Mrs. Bernice Boone, Mrs. Sue Brown, Mrs. Ginny Emerson, Mrs. Marian Dunn and Mrs. Kaye Petry. Committeemen are Beverly Berninger, Clinton Clark, Tiltman Abbott, Rev. Ronald Hurst, John Young and Harold Sprague. The following boys received awards: Robbie Huff, Rick Clark, Tom Thorp, Mike Barga, Rick Wasson and Rick Curtis. Lexington Journal October 2-4-1965

OFFICERS ELECTED
Gene Lutz has been chosen president of the Carroll County Country Club by the Board of Directors Ralph Hanna is vice-president and Mrs. Virginia Emerson, secretary. Delphi Citizen 2-20-1964



Seventy members of the Carroll County Country Club enjoyed the Mardi Gras party at the club house Saturday night. The above picture of the fireplace is typical of the attractive decorations. Citizen Polaroid Photo.



King and queen for the event were chosen by keyed masks worn by all guests. At the proper time the key was given and King Ralph Sullivan and Queen Martha Clifford were escorted to the throne (above) by pages Ginnie Emerson and Freeda Leah. Due to the big snow, the band failed to show, but a quick replacement with a hi-fi outfit provided perfect dance music for the group throughout the evening. Members of the committee were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bradshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ives, Dr. and Mrs. George Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tolson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Talbert, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Popejoy. Citizen Polaroid Photo. Delphi Citizen 2-20-1964



Left: The Emerson home at 924 S. Washington Street

Perfume bottle perfection

Ginny Emerson shares her eye for art

By Linsey Gray
Staff writer



"Perfume bottles hold magic," began Elaine Mc-Cornell's presentation about perfume bottles at Delphi's Opera House 2 Gallery. The presentation was part of Delphi Preservation Society's annual Old Settlers Historic Program.

Fittingly, it all began in Delphi when in the 1970s Ginny Emerson (wife of well-known veterinarian Dr. Ed Emerson) particularly admired a cobalt blue perfume bottle with white glass and gold trim in Mrs. Couch's antique store on Main Street. Daughter in law Becky Emerson purchased the bottle as a gift for Ginny, and so began a lifelong passion that has taken Ginny from local auctions to regional conventions and all the way to Europe for bottle collecting.

For over an hour, Mc-Cornell explained the history, categories, and development of perfume bottles and famous makers Fenton, Lalique, Steuben, De'Vilbiss, and Murano to name a few. Ginny and her family were present at the presentation.

McCornell related perfume's initial unsavory duty to mask body odors, which was embraced by the affluent.

As perfume gained popularity, bottles portrayed the importance and taste of the wearer. Increasingly elaborate designs signified not only affluence and taste, but also individuality; perfume was purchased separately and dispensed into a favorite container. A woman's dressing table would not be complete without elegant bottles.

Ginny's collection displays a seemingly endless variety of colors, shapes, and materials. Some indicate the era of manufacture by their shape, geometric. Art Deco elements contrast with flowery Victorian ones. The earliest in her collection is an aqua colored porcelain bottle, hand painted with flowers, dating to 1784; the most recent are her collection of Estee Lauder miniature solid perfume notecards in whimsical shapes.



The oldest bottle in the exhibit dates to 1784 Seives, France. Comet photo by Linsey Gray

Ginny humbly says her collection is not worth much. Historically, it is a treasure trove of art appreciation and artisan skills, class differences, and gender roles. As evidenced by the International Perfume Bottle Association (of which Ginny is a member), specialty auctions, and periodicals on the subject, Ginny is not alone in her love for perfume bottles.

For a sensory experience, visit the Opera House 2 Gallery exhibit now through Aug. 30, Wed.-Sat. 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.



Delphi Committee Aids In Plans For Sympathy Breakfast

DELPHI — Mrs. Robert Wood was hostess at a coffee for the Delphi Committee planning for the Indiana State Sympathy Society Bonnet Breakfast at the Union Building at Purdue University on March 5. Co-chairman with Mrs. Wood is Mrs. William Freeman. There were twenty present.

The Valentine motif was used with purple candles. The theme of the Bonnet breakfast this year is "The Mad Hatter." Two local ladies, Mrs. Roy Claxson and Mrs. Edward Emerson will model hats at the breakfast. Mrs. Hopkirk and Bradshaw, a member of the Sympathy Society locally who has headed the committee here in the past, will be unable to attend.

4-C's Club Chatter

Ladies Bridge winners on Thursday were, LaVaune Million, first; Betty Wagener, second, and Hope Cooney, third. Helen Schilling won the poemies. Ginny Emerson will be luncheon hostess May 18 at 12:30 p.m.

Psi Iota Xi Auxiliary

Twelve members of Delphi Auxiliary Chapter of Psi Iota Xi met for lunch at the Stone House Restaurant & Bakery on Dec. 8. Jean Harford led the group in grace.

President Rita Wingard, read a thank-you from Andrea Smothers of the active chapter about helping to sell cheese balls. Christmas project chairman Judy Conner and Virginia Emerson will take a mother and two children to lunch and shopping. Carroll County Comet 12-21-2005

Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Barry Emerson and son of Delphi were Mrs. L. M. Chittick of Flora, Mrs. Weldon Lynch of Oakdale, La., Mrs. Ed Emerson and Bruce Emerson of Delphi.

CHURCH RALLY Rally Day was held Sunday at the Delphi Presbyterian church when church school students recited and teachers given recognition. The new church school year started with the following teachers: Nursery, Mrs. Robert Quinn, Mrs. Jack Ottman; kindergarten, Mrs. John Pascoe, Mrs. Marcia Haggard; primary, Mrs. Irene Mason, Mrs. Morris Skiles; junior, Mrs. Joe Tolson, superintendent; Mrs. John H. Connelly, Mrs. E. E. Emerson; junior high school students, Mrs. Robert Sieber; senior high school students, Mrs. Robert Sieber.

TIPWA GATHER

At the last meeting of Tipwa Orange the program consisted of question and answers by Fern Dock; cookie by Opal Wae and Zola Stehler; and community singing. The surprise packages were won by Olive Holloway and Raymond Blummet.

The following committees will serve at the next meeting, Hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Page, Mr. and Mrs. James Riley, James Riley Jr. and Mrs. Etta Tully, Refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Don Draper, Dr. and Mrs. Edward Emerson, and Russell D. Jones.

PTA COMMITTEE The P-T-A executive committee met at the home of Mrs. George Wagener on Thursday night to make plans for a P-T-A meeting on Feb. 18 at 7:30 in the high school auditorium. A reading program by the Elementary schools is being planned. The refreshment committee will consist of Opal Wood, chairman, Virginia Emerson, Toberle Freeman and Grace Claxson. Delphi Journal 2-26-1956

For The Ladies

It's that time of year again — time to plan what you'll wear and what you'll be in your party for the Bonnet Breakfast.

The annual fund-raising project of the Women's Symphony Committee of Lafayette, to help support the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra, has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 15, in the ballrooms at Purdue Memorial Union, the usual place. Mrs. Warren Woods will represent Delphi in the lineup of models.

Delphi's membership committee includes Mrs. Raymond Todd, Mrs. James R. Clifford, Mrs. E. S. Emerson, Mrs. Joseph T. Ives Jr. and Mrs. Donald W. Kelly. All of the committee members have membership-breakfast tickets for distribution.

Bonnet Breakfast Model

Tippecanoe Chapter of the Indianapolis State Symphony Society is conducting its annual membership drive. Membership is \$1.00 per year with an additional 50 cents being charged for those wishing to attend the Bonnet Breakfast which climaxes the drive. The Breakfast will be held at 9:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 15 at the Purdue Memorial Union Ball Rooms.

Mrs. Warren Woods will be a model from Delphi. Persons wishing to renew, or establish new memberships may call Mrs. Raymond Todd, Mrs. James R. Clifford, Mrs. E. S. Emerson, Mrs. Joseph T. Ives, Jr. Mrs. Don Kelly before March 9th.

Superintendents and teachers of the Delphi Presbyterian church were honored and installed at ceremonies Monday morning with Rev. James W. Rankin in charge, Marjia Skiles, senior superintendent, will retire Jan. 1 and J. M. Haggard will replace him. Mrs. Robert Mills is the third superintendent. Department superintendents and teachers are: Adults, Arthur Ritchey, Raymond Todd, Mrs. Edgar Fountain, Sr., Wayne Eikenberry, Miss Nellie Haughey and L. M. Pletcher; senior high school pupils, Mr. and Mrs. William Harford; junior high school, Robert Mills and James Haller; juniors, Mrs. Joe Tolson, superintendent; Mrs. Ned Long, Mrs. William Kerlin and Mrs. Robert Sieber; primary, Mrs. Robert Quinn, superintendent, Mrs. Frances Hunsberger, Mrs. Lloyd Anderson, Mrs. Charles Blue; kindergarten, Mrs. Robert Mills, superintendent; Mrs. Milton Bowman, Mrs. Harold Berry, Mrs. William Sieber, Mrs. Charles Slack, Mrs. J. M. Haggard, Mrs. Gene Fisher, nursery, Mrs. John Ward, superintendent; Mrs. E. E. Emerson, Mrs. Robert Pettiner, Mrs. Ted Brown, Mrs. J. S. Hillier and Miss Leanna Ritter.

Jack Brown was elected president of The School and Home Association at the regular meeting Monday evening in the Delphi school auditorium. Others elected were: Charles Bradshaw, vice president; Mrs. Woodrow Whitman, 2nd vice president; Mrs. John Beach, secretary and Mrs. Ed Emerson, treasurer.

Charles Bradshaw presided at the meeting and introduced the new superintendent, Wayne Eikenberry. As the meeting was a reception for the new teachers, Mr. Eikenberry introduced those present. Mrs. Doty's room received the attendance banner for having the largest percentage of parents present of all first six grades. Cookies, nibbles and coffee were served by the committee, Mrs. Arthur Bradshaw, Mrs. Warren Woods and Mrs. Bill Harford. Decorations in keeping with the fall and harvest season were used in the serving room. Delphi Journal 10-15-1959

PSI IOTA XI ENTERTAINS PATIENTS

Thursday, April 25, Psi Iota Xi secretly entertained approximately 60 patients of Lafayette State hospital at the American Legion home in Delphi. They were served a noon meal and entertainment followed. Virginia Emerson was the chairman in charge.



Hill gals in 2018: Ginny Emerson, Kathy Fitch Hyman, and Candi Pastor Harrison

NAME WORKERS IN BOY SCOUT FUND DRIVE

The annual drive for Boy Scout funds for the Three Rivers Council kicked off this morning with a breakfast meeting held at the Masonic Temple dining room at 7:30 a.m. Funds received from the drive will be used to operate and further Boy Scout activities in the Three Rivers Western District. John T. Smith and Norman Ehrlich are co-chairmen of the campaign and have announced that the following local volunteers will be helping with the drive. Those helping with special gifts are Wayne Talbert, Captain; Harold Berry, Maurice Eikenberry and Robert Quinn. Other captains and their workers are: Fay Ehrlich, captain; Louise Fitzgerald, Virginia Emerson, Carolyn Wagner, Marilyn Shoop, Donna Overholser; Martha Clifford, captain, Edith Berninger, Irene Danahy, Mary Clifford, Lois Eikenberry, Joan Harford, Madge Gebbeh, Joyce Fowler, Betty Beach, Jane Hancock, Mary Kelly, Rosemary Fitch, Phyllis Moore, captain.



Above: sons Barry and Bill Below: son Bruce with a special friend



S. Emerson, E. R. Thomson, Alvin Claxton and Robert Pettler. Mrs. McGee, Mrs. John Delaney and Mrs. Joe Tolson accompanied the children on the train trip.

Mrs. McCain will close her kindergarten on Wednesday of next week when the children will entertain their parents with a circus. The term is a six months term. Three months before Christmas and three months after Christmas. On their return Robert Tolson celebrated his 6th birthday with a treat of ice cream and decorated Easter cup cakes in the class room.

Legonsport Phoenix Tribune 4-9-1955

Mrs. Tom McCain and sevenies of her kindergarten pupils took the train Tuesday for a train ride to Moonen. The conductor escorted the children through the train. Three adults met the train at Moonen and brought the group home by car. They were Misses James E.



Quilt show winners

Carroll County Comet 8-22-1957

Sarah Elizabeth Barker was grand prize winner at the Old Settlers' Quilt Show. Her grandmother, who had given her the quilt, Dorothy Mills, accepted her prize. Pictured are, from left, Mrs. Mills; Delphia Shivers who was a blue ribbon for her "Texas Star" quilt; and Virginia Emerson who also won a blue ribbon for an antique quilt made by her grandmother. The People's Choice winner was Doretta Bradshaw's "Sampler" quilt. Thelma Brown's "Pink Dogwood" was second.

ROSEMARY NEVITT FITCH



- Owner Wynkoop Pharmacy
- President Carroll County TB and Health Association
- Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
 - . President Active Chapter
 - . President Auxiliary Chapter
- Delphi Business and Professional Women
 - . Vice President
 - . Treasurer
- Girl Scouts
 - . Western Carroll County Troop Organizer
 - . Girl Scout Cookie Chairman
- Indiana Pharmaceutical Association Women's Auxiliary Board
- St. Joseph's Catholic Church
 - . Rosary and Altar Society
- Charter member and Treasurer St. Elizabeth Health Care Auxiliary
- AFS Student Family Coordinator
- Little League Team Sponsor

Every time I've posted a photo of Rosie Fitch on the South Hill Facebook page, people immediately chime in, saying how much they liked her as a friend, as a neighbor, as a co-worker, as a community member. There was just something about Rosie.

Rosemary Nevitt was born July 22, 1921 in Indianapolis to Roy and Louise Bertram Nevitt. She graduated from St. Agnes Academy in 1939 and worked at the Indiana Office of State Employment, in the Security Division, for several years. She married Francis Fitch on May 26, 1945; and they had one daughter, Kathy. Rosie died July 14, 2005.

Rosie and Frank moved to Delphi in 1948, where they were part owners of the Wynkoop Pharmacy. In 1960, the Fitches bought out Schaff Wynkoop and became sole owners of the pharmacy, until 1989 when they sold it. Rosie was the bookkeeper for the business for 40 years. Though Frank was the face of Wynkoop Pharmacy, Rosie was the glue, according to their daughter Kathy. Frank was up front or filling prescriptions while Rosie stayed in back, doing the books. Rosie pitched in to help any time she was needed. And she ran the show behind the scenes... paying bills, scheduling employees, ordering inventory, and keeping the ledger. I don't suppose there's a Delphi kid from the 50s and 60s who didn't stop to look at the comic books in front of the drugstore or have a cherry coke (small for a nickel and large for a dime) in back.

But Rosie did much more in the Delphi community than work at the drugstore. She was President of both the active and auxiliary chapters of Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority, President of the Carroll County TB and Health Association, and an officer for Delphi Business and Professional Women's Club. She was active in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, belonging to the Rosary and Altar Society; and she was a charter member and Treasurer of the St. Elizabeth Health Care Auxiliary.

She was active in Girl Scouts, serving as Troop Organizer for half of Carroll County and as the Girl Scout Cookie Sale Chairman, among other volunteer duties. She was the Family Coordinator for Delphi's chapter of the American Field Service, and the Fitches hosted an AFS exchange student for a year. Rosie also was on the Board of the Indiana Pharmaceutical Association Women's Auxiliary. She and Frank sponsored a Little League team and contributed to other local organizations and efforts.

Rosie and Frank - or sometimes Rosie and neighbor Ruth Patrick - took Kathy on trips and adventures. And Rosie always was a warm hostess and neighbor. Majeska [Jeri] Seese-Green remembers the Fitch home at 107 E. North as her favorite place to hang out after school, and Kathy's friend Cheryl Talbert Natterman said of Rosie: "I loved Kathy's sweet mom. She was one of the best."

Kathy has many wonderful memories of her mom: "Mom always brought the money home from the drugstore to check out and do the books. Often, she put the bag of money in the dryer, for safe-keeping until she got around to it. I came home from college one weekend and was innocently doing my laundry, and - you guessed it - I threw my laundry on top of the money bag. We were laundering money!"

Mom always took dinner down to my dad. She would go home about 4 o'clock, cook a full meal for him, and deliver it to the store about 6:30. She'd work while he ate. She always included dessert and a roll and a glass of tea in an old mayonnaise jar.

One of the funniest things we found when we were getting their house ready to sell was a stash of Christmas tins full of cookies, from a Psi Ote fundraiser sometime in the early 60s. This was 1999!"

I think former pharmacy employee, Lynda McCain Brooks, summed it up best: "Everybody loved Rosie!"

PURCHASE HOUSE
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch have purchased the Harold Wray duplex in South Delphi. The Wray family will leave soon for residence in Decatur, Illinois, and Mr. Wray will remain here until June 16 after which he will join his family in residence in Decatur.



Left: The Fitch home at 107 E. North St. Above: Frank and Rosie's wedding. With them are her brother and a friend, Margie Speaker

Delphi Office 9-33-2048
Mrs. Frank Fitch has resigned her position in Indianapolis and has joined her husband here in residence. Mr. Fitch is manager and part owner of the Wynkoop Drug Store.

Weddings And Engagements
Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Nevitt, 3202 Shelby Street, announce that the marriage of their daughter Rosemary and Frank C. Fitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Fitch, 642 Union Street, will take place Saturday in the St. Catherine's Church rectory.

The Wynkoop Pharmacy has been bought by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch. S. M. Wynkoop, who resides on Tecumseh Bend, has sold his major interest in the firm to the Fitch's but the name Wynkoop Pharmacy, Inc. will continue to be used.
Delphi Journal Courier 3-8-1948

Officers of the Wynkoop Pharmacy Inc., are S. K. Wynkoop, president; Rosemary Fitch, vice-president and Frank Fitch, secretary-treasurer. New pictures have been purchased in Saginaw, Mich., for the new location and the room will be redecorated and will provide about 35 per cent more floor space, which will permit some added lines of merchandise along with the prescribed department and fountain bar. It was reported that the room being vacated by the pharmacy has housed a drug store for more than 100 years.
Delphi Journal Courier 3-28-1953

HOME FROM VACATION
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch and daughter, Kathy, of Delphi, returned Monday from a weeks vacation through Canada.
Delphi Journal Courier





Healthcare Auxiliary

Carroll County Courier 11-4-1967

Officers of the newly formed St. Elizabeth Healthcare Center Auxiliary are pictured above. From left: Louise High and Betty Kramer, co-chairmen; Anne Huff, treasurer, and Rosemary Fitch, secretary. The auxiliary is a group of volunteers who will help residents with daily needs and will assist the center with activities, programs and fund raisers. Membership is open to men and women who are willing to share their time with the residents. Contact photo.



NEW OFFICERS were elected at the Carroll County TH and Health Association annual meeting. Mrs. Frank Fitch (left) of Delphi was elected president to succeed Mrs. Marie Hanrahan (right) of

Rt. 4, Delphi. Miss Ruth E. Ayres (center) of Delphi was elected secretary-treasurer and executive secretary. Staff Photo. Hooper Democrat 3-25-1971



Installation Set By Delphi B.P.W.

DELPHI, June 15—The annual rose breakfast for members of the Delphi Business and Professional Women's club and their guests will be Sunday morning in the Delphi Country club. A program will be presented. New officers to be installed are Joan Elbey, president; Rosemary Fitch, vice-president; and Neira Schilling, secretary-treasurer. Hostesses will be Dorothy Waymire, Esther Wilson, Rae Winger, Fannie Taylor, Betty Merrill and Melvina Coyer.



Delphi Journal Citizen 12-6-1971

SMOKEY SAM (manikin) is pictured with his back opened up so you can see what happens to his insides after smoking three or four packs of cigarettes. Mrs. Rosemary Fitch (left) of Delphi, president of the Carroll County TH and Health Association, and Mrs. Thelma Trent, Carroll County Health Nurse, are observing the results. When Smokey Sam smokes, the smoke filters through open glass in-

side quart jars where the deposits of tar can be clearly seen. It is reported the poison is enough to kill a small animal or fish. Black lungs are an effective display. Smokey Sam will visit the schools and is available for organizations for educational programs. Proceeds from the sale of Christmas Seals makes this and other projects possible by the local TH and Health Association. Staff Photo.



TABLE CENTERPIECES—Styrofoam ballerina figures mounted on star-shaped bases will form the centerpieces of the tables at the sorority luncheon. The figures made by the Delphi sorority members will be wearing gold skirts and have blue ribbons at the base. Putting the finishing touches to one of the ballerina figures, are, left to right: Mrs. Frank Wilcox and Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, co-chairman of the decorations committee, and Mrs. Frank Fitch, a member of the midyear committee. (Herb Smith Photo)

Lafayette Journal Courier 1-28-1958

Mrs. Frank Fitch of Delphi has been appointed Girl Scout cookie sales chairman for Delphi and Camden and Mrs. Kenneth Knapp, chairman of Flora and Burlington. This annual event provides the Girl Scouts with funds for summer canoeing.

Lafayette Journal Courier 12-1-1961

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch of Delphi, who returned from a two-week European vacation last Thursday, report that while visiting a museum in Florence, Italy, they came upon Dr. R. V. "Dirty" Johnson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Myron Johnson of Delphi. Five Beta Theta Pi

Carroll County Courier 9-23-1977

Pharmaceutical Auxiliary Elects

New officers of the Indiana Pharmaceutical Association Women's Auxiliary elected at the State Convention in Fort Wayne are: Mrs. Jack E. Laughner, president; Mrs. William Arland, Shelbyville, vice-president, and Mrs. Orville Driggs, Hammond, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. William Long, Lafayette; Mrs. Frank Fitch, Delphi; Mrs. J. C. Perkins, Evansville; and Mrs. William Haugh, Hammond, were installed as board members of the auxiliary.

Mrs. Albert Barlow, Carroll County Girl Scout neighborhood chairman reports that Girl Scout activities are expected to be revived in the county this month. First leaders meeting for the season will be in the Flora library at 9:30 a.m. Sept. 18. Mrs. Frank Fitch, of Delphi is troop organizer for the western part of Carroll County and Mrs. C. J. Harmon

Hooper Democrat 9-4-1962

this city for the eastern part.

AFS Seek Host Family For Next School Year

The local chapter of the American Field Service is seeking a host family for the foreign student for the school year 1966-1970. This year's host family is Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch and Kathy. They have found hosting Beth from Brazil a very delightful and rewarding experience. Anyone interested in obtaining more information about becoming a host family may do so by contacting Mr. and Mrs. Fitch, Gerald Kotler at the high school guidance office or Bill Harford, president of the local chapter of AFS.

PSI OTES INSTALL

Mrs. Frank Fitch was installed as president of Beta Psi chapter of Psi Iota Xi sorority, with Mrs. Ed Wingerd Jr., vice president; Mrs. Richard Grantham, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Robert Fitzgerald, recording secretary; Mrs. William Duff, treasurer, and Mrs. Joe Henderson, conductor.

Lafayette Journal Courier 6-18-1956



The Fitch family hosted Brazilian exchange student Beth Rias in 1969



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitch

DELPHI — Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Fitch of 107 E. North St. will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary June 4. There will be an open house from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Honan Hall, East Monroe Street. Friends and former customers are welcome. Mr. Fitch and the former Rosemary Nevitt were married May 26, 1945, in Indianapolis. Both were associated with Wynkoop Pharmacy. He was a pharmacist and she was self-employed. They have a daughter, Kathy Harley-Hyman of Delphi, and two grandchildren. They request gifts be omitted.

From Carroll County Legacy 1824—2005

In August 1952 they bought their first home at 107 E. North St. in Delphi, and they had their only child, Kathy, one month later. Dr. George Wagoner delivered the baby at St. Elizabeth Hospital in Lafayette. Frank continued to work long hours at the drug store, and Rosie did the books. She had an office in the back of the store, but most of her bookkeeping was done on the dining room table with a large Smith Corona adding machine. She did the billing, bill paying, scheduling of help, balancing the check book, ordering inventory, and more, while Frank worked the floor, greeted customers, and filled prescriptions.

Kathy remembers reading magazines and drinking Cokes while her mom and dad worked. She and her mother always brought Dad his dinner and then stayed to wait on people or answer the phone while he ate in haste. As she got older, she had to do chores, such as wrapping the sanitary items so no one would know what the customers were buying. It was a great way of life, and she learned many of her early life lessons in and around the drugstore! She still visits the building to admire the shiny hardwood floor that her dad carefully mopped and waxed each month. Like those floors, her memories are preserved and cherished.

Kathy Fitch Hyman

Rosemary Fitch, 83

DELPHI — Rosemary Fitch, 83, of 502 Riley Road, died at 10:10 a.m. Thursday, July 14, 2005, at Milner Health Care in Rossville.

Born July 22, 1921, in Indianapolis, she was a graduate of St. Agnes Academy in Indianapolis

in 1938. She married Francis "Frank" Fitch on May 26, 1945, in Indianapolis, and he survives.

Mrs. Fitch was formerly employed with the Indiana Office of State Employment in the security division. She had also worked with her husband for 40 years at Wynkoop Pharmacy.

She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Delphi since 1948. She was a member of the Psi Iota Xi Sorority since 1949, having served as president of the active and auxiliary chapters, and was a member of the St. Elizabeth Healthcare Auxiliary since its inception.

Surviving with her husband are a daughter, Kathy Hyman (husband: Stan) of Delphi, and a brother, Bob Nevitt of Indianapolis.

Lafayette Journal Courier 7-15-2005



Former drugstore employees with Frank and Rosie at their 50th anniversary: Ann Taulman, Frank, Mary Ellen Scott Grubbs, Barb Schnarr, behind Rosie is Marilyn Scott Pabst, and long-time employee Pete Brehmer

FRANCES CRAIG FRENCH



- Editor and Reporter, Lafayette Journal & Courier 25 years
- Old Settlers Heritage Award [2000]
- Jim French Legacy Award [2017]
- Treasurer Phi Mu Alumni Association
- Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
 - . President Active Chapter
 - . President Associate Chapter
- Board member Carroll County Historical Society
- President Oracle Club
- Secretary and Board member Carroll County Old Settlers Association
- Secretary and Board Member Wabash and Erie Canal Association
- Secretary Trailhead Park Task Force



Above: Frances and Jim. Below: the Craig home at 824 S. Washington



The Pastor sisters sat down with the Craig sisters about 3 years ago, as I was working on my first book about the Hill. Though we all grew up in the same block, we had never met. OK - maybe that's because they were a little bit ahead of us. But we still knew the same haunts and had heard many of the same stories. Since that first meeting, I've exchanged many emails with Annadell and Francie, and it's been a real joy to share experiences.

Frances June Craig was born April 15, 1929 to Leo and Mabel Rule Craig, in Delphi. She grew up at 824 S. Washington Street, on the Hill. Francie graduated from Delphi High School in 1947 and from Indiana University, with a degree in journalism, in 1951. At IU, she was a member of Phi Mu sorority and Pleiades and Mortar Board scholastic honoraries; Vice President of the Panhellenic Council; Treasurer of Theta Sigma Phi journalism honorary; and Treasurer of her senior class. She also worked on the yearbook staff and was an Editor of the Indiana Daily Student newspaper. During the summers of her college years, Francie worked for her father, who was publisher of the Delphi Journal.

Francie married Delphi boy and educator James French on June 24, 1951; and they had two children: Marlene and Ed. Francie and Jim lived in Crown Point for a few years, where she worked for the Lake County Star. They moved to Lafayette before the birth of their first child, and Jim became a popular teacher and principal in the Lafayette School System. Francie was a stay-at-home mom for a time. Then she turned a 6-week temporary job with the Lafayette Journal & Courier, begun in 1963, into a 25-year career. She was a reporter, Women's Editor, and Copy Editor.

In Lafayette, Francie was a member and officer of Psi Iota Xi, serving as President of both the Active and Auxiliary chapters, and a member of the Phi Mu Alumni Chapter, serving as an officer. For the past ten years, Francie has volunteered every week at IU Health Arnett Hospital's Gift Shop and Surgery Waiting Room.

When they retired, Francie and Jim moved just outside of Delphi to a house that Jim had built. Francie immediately became involved in the Delphi community. She was President of the Oracle Club, Secretary and a Board Member of the Historical Society, and Secretary and a Board Member of the Wabash and Erie Canal Association. She served as Secretary for the Trailhead Park Task Force. She's been an active volunteer for the Canal Association for more than 25 years.

Jim was President of the Canal Association from 1989 to 1998, and Francie described herself as his "Executive Assistant." Carroll County Historian and Canal Association Board member Mark A. Smith describes Francie's role like this: "She's been a parliamentarian during Canal Association Board meetings, gently reminding us to be thorough in our proceedings. Her pen and pad have been faithful as an historian of the entire group for many years." Francie was in charge of fund-raising dinners, and the Frenches managed the "Snack Shack" refreshment stand for Canal Days for many years. Though Jim passed away in 2007, Francie and her family (kids, grandkids, and great-grandkids!) continue to run that stand, now called the "Summer Kitchen." It's a family tradition and a real gift to the community.

For her extraordinary dedication to Delphi and its history, Francie has received the Old Settlers Heritage Award (2000) and the Jim French Legacy Award, presented by the Canal Association (2017). Much deserved.

Francie is beloved by her family - including 3 grandsons and 6 great grandchildren - and friends. Daughter Marlene Lawson describes her mother as, "A beautiful woman, then and now." Marlene shared a cute story about the IU-Purdue rivalry between her parents. "Mom graduated from IU and Dad from Purdue. One time, my dad 'borrowed' a paper she wrote. He received an A, and she had received a B. She always told Dad that IU was a much tougher school, with much more stringent grading than Purdue! She loves that story as much as my father did."

Annadell Craig Lamb provided this glimpse of her sister: "She was sooo well behaved! She had an amazing memory. She was always reading and practically memorized books. She could tell you not just the page, but where on the page, to find what you were looking for."

Niece Claudia Lamb Schlagenhauf called Francie, "The kindest woman you will ever meet." And grandson Brian Lawson summed it up by declaring, "Proud to call this lady my Grandma!" Well, now that I've met Francie, I can understand why.

Contest Winners Named at Delphi
Delphi Journal-Courier 4-23-1948
 DELPHI, March 16. Winners in the Delphi American Legion auxiliary essay contest held recently in the local high school were Frances Craig and Eddie McGuire. The subject was "Assessing Citizens, Air Responsibilities and Our Privileges." Those receiving honorable mention were Helen Allen, John Hays, Leta Sims, Wayne Yales and Evelyn Cook. Mr. William R. Smith is chairman of the contest.

Delphi Journal-Courier 4-23-1948
 The Sub-Delta club will have a dinner meeting Tuesday evening at Wilma's Inn cafe. Miss Frances Craig will be installed as president.

1951 Arbitors
1951 Class Officers
 Frances Craig, Treasurer

Frances Craig, Delphi, has been selected for membership in Mortar Board, the highest honorary for senior women at Indiana University. She also has been pledged to Phi Kappa, an honorary for junior and senior women.

The new officers for the Intermediate department of the Carroll County Council of Religious Education are: Phil Miller, president; Frances Craig, vice-president; Jack Good, secretary; Mary Martin, secretary.

Miss Frances Craig, of Delphi, a senior in the School of Journalism at Indiana University, has been selected as a candidate for treasurer of the senior class at Indiana University on the regional level. Miss Craig and two other students were recent dinner guests of president and Mrs. Wilda when they were entertained by the home of David Littlehale, former Secretary of the Treasury.

Frances Craig Bride at Delphi
Delphi Journal-Courier 6-24-1951
 Frances Craig, of Delphi, and James French, of Crown Point, exchanged wedding vows in a ceremony in the Methodist church Sunday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Craig, of Delphi, and Mr. French is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther McCain, of Delphi R. 4.

D. H. S. Class Of '47 Holds Reunion
Delphi Journal-Courier 7-28-1947
 Officers elected Sunday at the reunion of the Delphi high school class of 1947 at the City park are: Frances Craig, president; Melvin Vactor, vice-president; and Kathryn Rowlett, secretary-treasurer. Following a picnic dinner at noon a short program was presented by David Clifford, who played three masculine numbers, and Mary Ann McCreary, who sang two solos.





Top: Francie and Jim with Marlene and Ed. Above left: Francie and Jim receiving the Old Settlers Heritage Award. Above right: Francie receiving the Jim French Legacy Award

Delphi's Canal Days festival shows life in 1820s along Wabash and Erie

By Azura Domachic

Visitors to Delphi's Canal Park stepped into a different century this weekend. Old-fashioned trading posts, Indian teepees and log cabins inhabited by blacksmiths and carpenters lined the grounds for the city's Canal Days.

The annual festival gives residents a chance to experience life along the Wabash and Erie Canals in 1820s Delphi, with exhibits, crafts, food, entertainment and canal tours.

Francis French, a member of Delphi's canal association board, said the event is a perfect way to pay homage to the canals that helped the city grow.

"The canal brought a lot of business and people to the town," said French. "A lot of people don't know about the canals and the role they played. I hope we'll interest the young people in the canals and the history of Delphi today."

"I hope we'll interest the young people in the canals and history of Delphi today."

—Francis French
Canal board member

Dan and Judy Collins, also members of the canal association board, brought their grandchildren to visit the canals and make a stop at the blacksmith cabin.

"This is our third trip out here for Canal Days," Judy said. "We really enjoy it. We love bringing the kids out here to see the way people used to live. It's really fascinating."

Their 6-year-old granddaughter Megan was more interested in the pioneer toys. "I want one of those guns so I can shoot my cousin."

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Kyle," she said. Others were interested in the food. Visitors served hot fudge burgers, pork sandwiches, corn and other snacks. South Van Trees of Westport shared some corn on the cob with husband Dan and nephew Christopher.

"I love coming down here to see how people lived and how they ate," said Barb as she took a bite of corn.

In addition to the festivities, relatives of canal supervisor Reed Case presented the city with portraits of Case and his father William. The portraits will be displayed in the Case house and museum at Canal Park.

The house, built in 1844, is undergoing restoration. French said the Wabash and Erie Canal Association recently finished construction on the parlor and faux marble entryway.

"It's a major project — we hope to get the house usable and make the entire building available to the public," she said.

Great task

The Lafayette effort for fund-raising for Riley Hospital during 1990-1991 has been completed. Special recognition should be accorded to Mr. and Mrs. James French and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clapper. They shouldered a great task, and were wonderful encouragement.

Dr. and Mrs. R.E. Hasemann, Lafayette 1990-1991 Chairmen

The Carroll County Historical Society will hold its annual fall dinner at the Masonic Hall in Flora on Thursday, November 7, 1989. Dinner, which will be served at 6:30 p.m., will cost \$5.00.

Guest speakers for the meeting to follow will be Jim and Frances French, who will speak about their trip to China.

DELPHI — "Russia in the 1990s" will be the program for the annual spring dinner of the Carroll County Historical Society.

The dinner will be held at 6:00 p.m. Thursday, April 11 in Hixon Hall. Reservations are due by Saturday, April 6. Tickets, which are \$5.50 per person, are available from historical society board members and at the historical museum in the courthouse.

Jim and Frances French will show slides and discuss their visit to Russia in 1990. They visited Moscow, Leningrad, Vladimir and Suzdal. At the close of their trip, they talked to Russian citizens and found signs of the present upheaval.

Delphi, Lafayette Journal Courier 3-23-1991

John Peterson reported for the Nominating Committee those elected as officers of the Carroll County Historical Society as follows:

(Officers for two years) President, Robert Brookbank; Vice-President, Lawrence VanDerVolgen; 2nd Vice-President, Dennis E. McCasch; Secretary, Helen VanDerVolgen; Treasurer, Jane Millon.

(Executive Board for two years) Phyllis Moore, Ruth Crown, Anna Myrle Zook, James French, Frances French, (one year) John C. Peterson, Gene DeWinnon, Leone Carter, Clara Sims, Margaret Draper, Joe Fouca.

Mr. and Mrs. James French

DELPHI — Mr. and Mrs. James French of 1415 Indiana 25 N. will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary June 28. Friends and relatives are invited to an open house from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Delphi Country Club.

Mr. French and his former Frances Craig were married June 24, 1937, in the United Methodist Church in Delphi. Mr. French retired as principal of Marlock III elementary school in Lafayette, and Mrs. French retired from the Journal and Courier, where she had been the women's editor and a copy editor.

The couple has two children, Edward and Frances. Anne of Bloomington and Marlene Lawson (husband Robert) of Lafayette. They also have four grandchildren and one great-grandchild. They request gifts be omitted.

Lafayette Journal Courier 6-23-1987

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The Oracle Club no longer has roll call, club colors, public lectures, or dues. It does have dues — \$1.50 per year — an increase of only 50 cents from 199 years ago.

Ronald McCain, who has been a club member since 1938, has made a scrapbook of club memorabilia, including program books, photos, and newspaper clippings.

Mrs. McCain said what she enjoys most about the club is its simplicity, and the friendship

among the members. Current officers are Francis French, president; Tom Atkinson, vice president; Marshall McCannack, treasurer; and Shari Rodriguez, secretary.

In the 1996-97 program book, the president gives some insight concerning the club's name.

"An oracle is considered to be a source of prophecy or wise counsel, and our founding members fit that description. Through their wise planning and efforts...Delphi has an outstanding library that continues to serve its citizens."

Trailhead Park

Trailhead Park Park, Zone 4 on Jan. 10 at City Hall and election from Parkholder moderator and Frances French's secretary treasurer.

The moderator will oversee the development of the park, and the secretary-treasurer will maintain volunteer hours at the park as well as keep track of the state grant money. She also will keep records of Park Zone meetings.

Members of Delta Zeta sorority chapter of Phi Iota Xi sorority celebrated the 18th anniversary of the chartering of the chapter at a dinner Monday evening in the Lafayette Country Club.

Mrs. Reed Kulas was general chairman of the party. Special awards were presented to Mrs. James French, president; Mrs. Donald Herft, Mrs. Alvin Clark, Mrs. William Brooks and Mrs. Norvige Key.



SORORITY UNIT'S GIFT—Mrs. James French (left), president of Delta Zeta sorority, presents a Phi Iota Xi trophy, and Mrs. James French, chairman of the chapter's philanthropic committee, get a preview of the operation of a tape recorder given by the sorority unit in Tippecanoe County Mental Health center. Dr. Joe M. Martin, medical director of the center, makes a test operation of the recorder in the center, 1425 Kanawha. (Staff Photo) Lafayette Journal Courier 5-5-1999



Second in a series The second in a series of seven proposed murals for the lobby of the Canal Center was unveiled Sunday. The mural is pictured here, along with its sponsors, Jim and Frances French. Terry Lacy has been the artist for the first two paintings. The series will depict canal scenes in Indiana. The Wabash & Erie Canal existed from 1832 to 1876 and extended 468 miles, from Toledo, Ohio, to Evansville, Ind. The canal entered Indiana at Fort Wayne. Contact photos by Jennifer Archibald. Canal Center Center 12-15-2004



Above: Francie with her children. Below: Francie with her family at the "summer kitchen" at the Wabash and Erie Canal Park



Mixed Media
John Norberg
Journal and Courier

French

I started out as a six-week temporary job, and I lasted 23 years. Frances French, former Women's Editor at the Journal and Courier, retired last week, ending a career that was anything but temporary.

A daughter of the owner of the Delphi Journal, French did everything in the newspaper office from keeping books to running the old Linotype machines. She studied journalism at Indiana University.

After graduation, she worked for a newspaper in Lake County. In October of 1963, she came to the Journal and Courier as a staff writer in what was then the Women's Department — a forerunner to today's Life and Times.

She was hired only as a six-week replacement for a staff member who was sick. But it worked out so well, she was hired full time.

In the late 1960s, she was named editor of the Women's pages and continued as editor of the section when it was revamped into Home and Family in 1970.

She edited the section until 1976, when she moved to the copy desk to do local and national copyediting and page layout, improving the quality of stories that

Mrs. Frances Craig French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Craig, has been elected president of Phi Iota Xi sorority at Lafayette. (Lafayette Journal Courier 5-10-1978)

Frances French — You've planned roses of wisdom on the garden page, may your life blossom with the coming dawn. Happy Birthday The J & C Gang

passed her way. French is married to Marlock Elementary School Principal Jim French.

Lafayette Journal Courier 8-6-1985



EDNA LAVANWAY GRIMM



- Teacher 31 years
- President Delta Kappa Gamma teaching honorary (1984)
- Treasurer, Delphi Classroom Teachers Association (1968)
- Indiana Retired Teachers Association
- Presbyterian Church
 - . Elder
 - . Treasurer Presbyterian Women
 - . Sunday School and Vacation School Teacher
 - . Mary-Martha Circle
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
 - . President active chapter
 - . President associate chapter
- Board Member, Carroll County Old Settlers Association
- Co-Chair Carroll County Red Cross Fund Drive
- Financial Committee, Delphi Pony League
- Girl Scouts Troop Leader
- Job's Daughters (Ottawa, IL)
- Eastern Star (Ottawa, IL)

Edna Grimm was one of my "moms." Edna and Jack and their boys were close family friends as far back as I can remember. In fact, one of my first memories was looking at the hole in their living room floor, at the farm, following a vicious tornado in 1953. After Jack died and Edna moved down the street from us, she became even closer. Edna and Betty Kent (another "mom") were the only non-family guests at my wedding. That's how important they were to me. Edna also was my fifth grade teacher, and - like just about everyone else she taught - I loved her as a teacher. But I loved her more as a "mom."

Edna LaVanway was born September 28, 1920 to Louis and Ermina Gray LaVanway in Ottawa, Illinois. She graduated from Ottawa Township High School in 1938 and earned her bachelors degree from Illinois Normal and her masters degree from Purdue. She received her vocational education license in 1974 from Ball State University. She married Edward R. "Jack" Grimm on January 27, 1946; and they had three sons: Joe, Karl, and Tom. Jack died in 1961, and Edna remained a widow the rest of her life. She died March 14, 2001.

Jack and Edna started their married life on the Hill, buying one of the new National Homes being developed for returning military vets. They lived at 512 W. Summit Street from 1946 - 1948, when Jack accepted a job in Mission, Kansas. They returned to Delphi in 1949, buying a farm in the Pittsburgh area. After Jack died, Edna and her boys moved to 211 W. Summit Street, on the Hill. I was in and out of her house nearly as often as my own. In 1978, she moved to 1017 E. Monroe Street.

Edna taught school for 31 years at Minonk, Illinois (3 years); Cutler High School (2 years); Delphi Hillcrest (1 year); and Delphi High School (25 years), where she was Chairman of the Business Education Department. Her students remember her fondly. Edna was a consummate educator. In addition to being in the classroom, she served as President of Delta Kappa Gamma teaching honorary and Treasurer of the Delphi Classroom Teachers Association. After retirement, she belonged to the Indiana Retired Teachers Association.

Edna also was active in the community. She was President of both her active and associate Tri Kappa chapters, a Board Member for the Carroll County Old Settlers Association, Co-Chair of the Carroll County Red Cross Fund Drive, and a member of the Financial Committee for the Delphi Pony League. She was a Girl Scout troop leader; and she was an Elder, teacher, and officer for the Delphi Presbyterian Church. Before she came to Delphi, Edna was a member of Job's Daughters and Eastern Star, in Ottawa. Edna enjoyed bowling and playing bridge. But most of all, she enjoyed her boys. Son Tom says: "She was an amazing teacher and an even more amazing mother."

One of my favorite memories of Edna was trip to Arnie's Pizza King in Lafayette, one summer night in 1962. Developing a sudden urge for pizza about 9 pm, Mom and Edna loaded up all 5 of us kids in the 1956 Chevy convertible Mom was driving; and off we went. We laughed the whole way there and the whole way back. Such a wonderful spontaneous event. Edna was always game for adventure, especially when it made her boys laugh.

I wasn't the only one who thought of Edna as a mom. Ginger Waymire McCain: "Edna and my mom used to push Joe and me around town together when we were babies, so our families were friends for all of my life. We always felt welcome at her house. She let us have parties at her house on the Hill when we were in high school. She was the only single, dating mom I knew. Our group of friends spent a lot of time there.

When Joe moved back home in the 80s, I was always at their house helping Edna bake cookies for her card club meetings, taking her to appointments, and - best of all - going with her to shop for clothes. We'd spend hours looking for the perfect garment, and then she'd get it home and decide it needed to be returned. That was usually Joe's job. We bought, and he returned. Edna and I often talked about life and reminisced about the past. I believe that I am a better person for having known Edna."

I think there are a lot of people who feel that way about Edna Grimm. There was something about her - she made you feel like you matter. And she definitely mattered to us.



END OF FOUR YEARS.—Receiving her bachelor of education degree from President R. W. Fairchild is Edna Ruth LaVanway of Ottawa. She is only one of the 280 who ended four years of ISNU college work at Monday's commencement exercises. The Pantagraph (Bloomington, IL) 6-9-1942.

MINONK
Miss Edna LaVanway was honored by the members of the Double X club Wednesday evening. Miss Bernice Hoagy and Mrs. Arnes Schaefer were hosts for the evening.
The Pantagraph (Bloomington, IL) 3-1-1944



Edna LaVanway

GRIMM-LAVANWAY
The First Methodist church in Ottawa, Illinois, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Sunday, January 27, when Miss Edna Ruth LaVanway and Edward R. (Jack) Grimm of Delphi exchanged nuptial vows. The Rev. Paul Shuford, Jr., pastor of the church, read the ceremony before an altar backed with flowers, of music, psalms and hymns, and over-orchestral accompaniment.
Mrs. Ernest H. Paul, organist, played the traditional wedding march and accompanied Mrs. Mirko Anderson, who sang "At Dawn's" and "Hymns."
Miss Dorothy Effkins was maid of honor and Lt. William R. Lee, U.S.N.R., of Tallahassee, Florida, was best man. Ushers were Lt. John Roberts and Lt. Herbert M. Orsini of Chicago. Anna Gray, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.
Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride for six hundred guests. A three tiered wedding cake contained the lace-covered table.
Mr. and Mrs. Grimm left following the ceremony for a short wedding trip and later in the week came to Delphi. They are now on an extended trip through western and southern states with Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Grimm, after which they will be at home in Delphi.



Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grimm moved on Saturday to their new home in South Delphi, recently purchased from Leo Brock. Mr. Brock has received credit for National Home from the company and this week is getting the traveling tickets to the construction. This home will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grimm have purchased the Noland Howell farm north of Delphi and will move there. The Grimms have been living at Mission, Ill., where Mr. Grimm has been employed.
Delphi News (Delphi, IL) 2-1-1947

Mrs. Edna Grimm and three sons Joe, Karl, and Tom, are spending the week at Ottawa, Ill., as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. LaVanway. Mrs. Grimm will act as installing officer for officers of Job's Daughters, a youth auxiliary of OES in which she was active and served as an officer while residing at Ottawa.
LaVanway Associated Courier 6-10-1962

Below: Jack and Edna's house at 512 W. Summit and Edna's house at 211 W. Summit



After-Prom Party Enjoyed, Well Attended

"Flowers" were in "Power" at the Delphi Army Sunday morning for the after-Prom Party which was attended by approximately 275 students and guests.

Flowers of various shapes and sizes and flowers of odd colors and color combinations were strung to wires for a false ceiling, taped to walls in different arrangements and scattered on the white covered tables.

"Friday Forum," a music group from Ft. Wayne, with Joe Grimm formerly of Delphi playing the chord organ, furnished the music and entertainment for the dancers, which also included the parents who were serving food, awarding gifts, chaperoning, registering and just spectating.

The general chairman was Mrs. Edna Grimm, mother of the senior class president, Tom Grimm, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Decker, parents of junior class president, Brad Decker.



Officers of the Classroom Teachers are Ted Jones, president; Leota M. Weaver, vice president; Mildred Gerard, secretary, and Edna Grimm, treasurer. The Association will also meet on the second Monday of October, February and April and other months upon discretion of the president.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard H. Lee have purchased the Edna Grimm farm north of Pittsburg in Tippecanoe township and will move there soon. Mrs. Grimm has purchased the Dos Letzke residence in South Delphi and will move there. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kazan

The Delphi Chapter, which contained many other members from other schools, was present at the meeting held at a home of the Delphi Chapter. Mrs. Edna Grimm was present and gave a report on the work of the chapter. She has been a positive influence on students for 11 years. She has been a member of the chapter for 11 years. She has been a member of the chapter for 11 years. She has been a member of the chapter for 11 years.

Business Council will meet this Office Preview Program sponsored by the Lafayette Chamber of Commerce on April 27. There is a scheduled departure time of 8:15 and a return time of 12:00. The students, along with sponsor, Mrs. Edna Grimm, will leave for the Lafayette National Bank.

If the lady of the house had been walking straight, been a little warmer, and holding her head tilted more toward the right, it is a safe bet she was one of the more than 80 community women who crowded the high school auditorium Tuesday afternoon for the L. J. Arch style show under the sponsorship of Kappa Kappa Kappa.

The event might have been a preview of the fluster parade for everyone came in their Sunday best, looked out in their most attractive hats and earrings, best coats and shoes, most of the audience might have been mistaken for models if the facts had not been so familiar.

Tri Kappa president, Mrs. Jack Grimm, might well have been the first model on the stage to welcome the audience.

DELPHI — Lewis N. Mullins, president of the Carroll County Delphi Settlers Association, announced that the theme of the 18th annual meeting at 2 p.m. Aug. 18, is the City Park shelter house, will be "French Influence—1861."

Mrs. Harold Egan, French instructor in Delphi schools, is a Lafayette Journal Courier 7-23-1963



Brevollette Jewelry League

	W	L
Ayres Oil Co. Inc.	40	23
John's Tavern	40	23
Whitman Brothers	40	23
The Sandwich Shop	41	31
Wilson's Gumball Store	39	30
Tri Kappa	31	41
Pat Tate 20	22	30
Culligan Soft Water	7	40
High Team Game, Ayres Oil Co. Inc.	76	

High Series: Ayres Oil Co. Inc. 218.
High Individual Game: Kate Birty 332.
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450 Series: Kate Birty 528, Peg Brower 491, Betty Robinson 452, Rita Garrison 470, Edna Grimm 467, Dorothy Garrison 457, Rose Mary Hughes 456, Eva Fife 451.

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Retiring teacher is honored

Edna Grimm, Business Education Chairperson and Department Chairperson at Delphi Community High School retired after 31 years of teaching, 25 of those at the High School. She taught three years in Illinois before she married Jack Grimm, and returned to teaching in 1937-2 years at Cadler, and 1 year at Hillcrest.

The department started sharing rooms with other teachers and grew to the four rooms when they moved to the new High School. The staff has varied in size from two at the start, with four at one time, until the present three staff members.

Her decision to retire was based on the fact that she felt she was not pushing the students as hard as she should and that was not fair to the students—and possibly wanted time to do as she pleased and spend more time with her family. She does plan to substitute.

The Delphi Classroom Teachers Association arranged a retirement party at the Country Club. Jack Sanders (super host) presented at the "This is Your Life" program following dinner. Chairing the committee was Jan Goyer, Beveta Bowling, and Carl Wedde with a lot of assistance from Jane McIntire, Joe Lohmeyer, Joyce Kowalski, Beth Theobald, and Barbara McCain (decoration).

Invited guests who spoke first were Mary Clowson, Lafayette Jr High teacher; Betty Kren, and Pat Lohman. Teachers in the department during the 25 years who added their bit were: Arlene Alvarez, Jan Bader, Dick Campbell, Greg Fisher, Twin Lakes School; and Mike Lane from Medina, Ohio. A very humorous skit was presented by Carol Weller and Jane McIntire, projecting into the year 2007 looking over the many lines presented to Edna in 1987 to help her maintain good health and be contented during retirement.

Honoring their mother, Joe, a musician from Michigan played the piano and sang; Karl, a photographer from San Francisco addressed some very interesting survival gifts; and Tom, Physical Education Teacher at Stephen Decatur Elementary added some family memories offering suggestions of tasks with his family to keep her busy.

Dave Hanna, President of DCTA, presented Mrs. Grimm with a year's membership in the Indiana Retired Teachers Association and a silver vase, engraved with "31 years of teaching".



Jack and Edna with the boys during Old Settlers Centennial 1955

Delphi Tri Kappa elects officers

Delphi Chapter of Delphi Tri Kappa held its April meeting at the home of Lucy Long, assisted by Beverly Shaffer, following dinner at Marvin Bryson's in Lafayette.

Gally Smith reported that the society had donated a rocking chair to the Delphi Nursing Home. Last month it was agreed that members go in pairs to the Nursing Home over a month with refreshments and entertainment. Lucy Long and Beverly Shaffer took up cakes and punch for March Edna Grimm and Joan Sanderson, along with the Girl's Service Club of Delphi Community High School.

Officers elected for the year are: Gally Smith, president; Edna Grimm, president; Joan Sanderson, recording secretary; Beverly Shaffer, treasurer; and Lucy Long, corresponding secretary.

It was voted to give \$60 to the Salvation Army for the South Tornado Area which was located at the Methodist Church as temporary headquarters. Punch was served by the committee during the business meeting.

Ladies Star Chapter "Friend's Night" Sunday, March 22, 1970. It is the 18th annual "Friend's Night" on last Sunday night of the best night. Guest Officers included: Elizabeth Redman and Jane Wilson of Camden; Harold Wilson of Rockledge, Connecticut; Ruth Hobbins of Vero Beach, Florida; Mary Ann Weidman and Freda Eiler of Freeport, Maine; Vera Hays and Hilda Decker of Lawrenceville, Georgia; Mrs. Shofar, Mrs. and Mrs. Glad Schaefer and Corinne Schaefer of Lafayette; Thelma Davis, Birmingham; Mrs. and Mrs. J. D. Anderson of Seattle, Colorado; and Mrs. John Orison of the Ottawa, Illinois chapter.

RED CROSS CHAIRMAN
Mrs. Edna Grimm and Mrs. V. L. Peters are co-chairmen for the Red Cross fund drive in Delphi. Mrs. Betty Heath is conducting the registration in Delphi.



Edna with sons Joe, Karl, and Tom

Beta Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa held a regular meeting May 12, at the home of Marguerite Berger. Carby Smith was co-hostess.

Tri Kappa Province Convention will be September 6, at Camp Tecumseh, and conducted by Provincial Officer Carolyn Wood. Teresa Maxwell was a guest from the active chapter to tell of the plans for the convention. The three Delphi chapters will be working together.

The following new officers were installed by Vice President Joan Nelson: Edna Grimm, president; Mary Ellen Campbell, vice-president; Helen Schilling, secretary; Margaret Sanderson, treasurer; Esther Cunningham served as censor.

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PHRESYTERIAN CHURCH PLANS BIBLE SCHOOL
Vacation church school will be held at the Presbyterian church in Delphi each afternoon from 1:15 to 3:30 p. m. on the dates from June 1 to June 5 and from June 8 to June 13. Children may attend who are 4 years of age through the 6th grade in school.

Mrs. Faye Bente will supervise the school with Virginia Brookbank as teacher.

Kindergarten teachers will be Polly Graham, Joan Bartlow, Mary Jackson, Joan Hanna, Peggy and Edna Grimm; primary teachers will be Lois Wood, Jean Hartford, Lucille Quinn and Frances McMillan; junior department, Lucy Long, Laura Rastan, Nelma Berry and Ruth Anderson.

PONY LEAGUE NAMES OFFICERS
Meeting Monday night, officers for the Delphi Pony League for the coming year were named. Robert Hyman is the new president; Frank Vaidick, vice president; Charles Delaney, secretary-treasurer; Faye Wood and Edna Grimm, financial secretaries; Harold Sprague, Glad manager and Donald Bell, Cardinal manager.

Edna R. Grimm, 80

DELPHI — Edna R. Grimm, 80, of Delphi, died at midnight, Wednesday, March 14, 2001, in Home Hospital.

She was born Sept. 28, 1920, in Ottawa, Ill., where she was a 1938 Ottawa Township High School graduate. She earned a bachelor's degree from Illinois State University and a master's degree from Purdue University. She also completed graduate work at Ball State University, where she received a vocational education license in 1974.

In 1987, she retired from Delphi Community School Corp. She was a teacher 26 years and chair of the business department at Delphi Community High School. She also taught at Cutler School for two years and three years in Mionok, Ill.

On Jan. 28, 1946, she married Edward R. "Jack" Grimm in Ottawa, Ill., and he died Feb. 15, 1961.

Mrs. Grimm was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Delphi, where she was as an elder and a former clerk of session, member and former treasurer of Presbyterian Women, member and past president of Delta Kappa Gamma honorary teacher society, and member of Delphi Classroom Teachers Association, Indiana Retired Teachers Association, Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa, Job's Daughters of Ottawa and Order of Eastern Star of Ottawa.

Surviving are three sons, E. Joseph "Joe" Grimm of Delphi, Karl R. Grimm of San Rafael, Calif., and Thomas A. Grimm (wife: Cathy) of Greenwood.

MARY SHATTUCK IVES



Mary Dodge Shattuck was born January 14, 1932 in Birmingham, Alabama to Harold and Elizabeth Wadsworth Shattuck. She graduated from Webster Groves High School [Missouri] in 1949 and from DePauw University in 1953, where she was President of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority and where she met future husband, Tom Ives. Daughter Nancy Ives Howard told me this cute story (which Tom confirmed): "Dad would come to the sorority house and stand at the bottom of the stairs and whistle for her. In those days the stairwell was open all the way to the top of the building - no fire doors - and his whistle echoed all the way through the sorority house."

Mary and Tom married July 11, 1953 in Webster Groves. They lived in Cambridge, MA while Tom was stationed there; and they lived in Bloomington, Indiana while Tom completed his law degree. They moved to Delphi in 1958, first living at 504 W. Summit and then, in 1963, moving into Tom's family home at 125 W. North Street. They have four children: Susan, Rob, Betsy, and Nancy.

Mary was a volunteer Teachers Aide at Hillcrest for many years. She also was very involved in the community. She was President of the Delphi Library Board for more than 10 years; and she was a member of the Delphi Parks Board for many years, serving as President. Mary is credited with developing the first master plan for the growth of Delphi's parks. She was a major force behind building the suspension bridge over Deer Creek.

Mary was President of the Oracle Club, Secretary-Treasurer for the Delphi Chapter of the American Field Service, and Co-Chair of the Steering Committee for Hoosier Celebration 88. She was active in Tri Kappa, Carroll County Republican Women, and the American Legion Auxiliary.

In 2009, Mary was named a "Distinguished Hoosier" by Governor Mitch Daniels, in recognition of her work on the Park Board. In 2016, Mary and Tom were the first couple to receive Delphi's highest honor, the Samuel L. Milroy Award, for being instrumental in the growth of the Delphi community.

Ann Bowman Wilcox shared: "I spent a lot of time with Susan throughout grade school. I remember Mary having a lot of energy and an infectious smile and laugh. She is a such a sweet person."

The neighborhood kids think of Mary as warm and welcoming. Friends who worked with Mary over the years think of her as smart, witty, and resourceful. Her grandkids and great grandkids think of her as, "Mimi." And son Rob sums her up like this: "I love my mom - she is the best."

- Teachers Aide, Hillcrest School
- Samuel L. Milroy Award, Delphi's highest honor [2016]
- Distinguished Hoosier Award [2009]
- President Delphi Library Board
- President and Board Member Delphi Parks Board
- Riley Park Suspension Bridge Building Committee
- President Oracle Club
- Secretary-Treasurer Delphi Chapter American Field Service
- Co-Chair Steering Committee for Hoosier Celebration 88
- Tri Kappa
- Carroll County Republican Women
- American Legion Auxiliary
- Delphi Community School Corporation Music Boosters

Webster Groves, MO High School 1949
MARY DODGE SHATTUCK
(Home - Graduated)
Married 1; Larkin Club 1, 2; Shattuck 1; Class 1950 2; varsity 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball, chess 2; 3; Softball 2; 3; G. A. H. 2, 3, 4; A - Glee Club 1, 2; Pitcheer 2; Concession.



1972 Delphi Oracle



*Pvt. J. T. Ives Jr.,
Mary D. Shattuck
Engaged To Wed*



MISS MARY D. SHATTUCK
Mr. and Mrs. Harold F. Shattuck of Webster Grove, Mo., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Dodge Shattuck, to Pvt. Joseph T. Ives Jr. Miss Shattuck is a junior at DePauw University and is president of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority.

Pvt. Ives is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Ives of Delphi. He attended DePauw and is a member of Beta Theta Pi Fraternity. Pvt. Ives now is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. No definite date has been set for the wedding.
Indianapolis Star 1-5-1953



MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH THOMAS IVES JR., LEAVING DENMARK, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, AFTER THEIR WEDDING RECEPTION AT THE WASHINGTON HOTEL. MR. AND MRS. IVES ARE THE BRIDE AND GROOM. MR. AND MRS. IVES ARE THE BRIDE AND GROOM. MR. AND MRS. IVES ARE THE BRIDE AND GROOM.

Below: Ives homes at 504 W. Summit and 125 W. North



Oracle Club Center 2-18-1967
The February meeting of the Oracle Club was held at the home of James and Laura Rankin. The meeting was conducted by the President, Mary Ives. John and Wanda Klepinger were in charge of the program, and introduced Donabelle Sieber for a book review on "The Road Unseen" by Peter Jenkins. Mrs. Sieber gave an interesting review of Peter and Barbara Jenkins travels across America and the many Christians they met along the way. The March meeting will be held at the home of Clay and Marcia Stead.

Tri Kappa pledges are Nancy Bradshaw, Mrs. Jack Schilling, Mrs. Junior Darby, Miss Beanna Johnson and Mrs. Tom Ives.

Pvt. and Mrs. Tom Ives left Saturday for their home at Cambridge, Mass., after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Ives and other relatives. Pvt. Ives is stationed at Boston, Mass. Their home at Cambridge is not far from the home of his aunt, Mrs. Robert Deig, and Mr. Deig.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ives have purchased the property south of Delphi owned by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Melson. They plan to move there and their son, Tom Ives and family will move to the Ives home in South Delphi. The latter property had belonged to John A. Cartwright, grandfather of Joseph Ives and later to his mother, Mrs. Josephine Cartwright Ives. The Melsons are moving to Lafayette.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ives have purchased the Gene Lehr home on West Summit street through former slaves of the United Insurance Agency. They will move here after Mr. Ives completes his law course at Indiana University August 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Lehr will move to their newly built home on Deer Creek Road in South Delphi.



Mary Ives, Fannie Simons, Phyllis Moore, and Opal Wood



Mary holding first-born Susan

Aide sees school from inside

By JACK ALKIRE
Staff Writer

DELPHI — People with the time are missing a bet if they don't take an active role in the education of children, says Mary Ives of this city. Ives has been a volunteer teacher's aide at Hillcrest Elementary School for 10 years. She teaches basic arithmetic to fourth graders having trouble with their numbers, and she loves it.

"Sometimes I feel very selfish because I enjoy the work so much," she said. In the process of spending an hour a day teaching math to slow learners, Ives said she has developed a new respect for teachers.

"If there is any problem with the education system, it's that teachers can't stretch themselves far enough to give individual attention where it's needed," she said. That's where Ives comes in. She's able to give some of that individual attention. "Teachers are like everyone else, and I'm sure there are all kinds. But the teachers I have met in 10 years have been extremely dedicated people," she said. Ives has had to talk others into becoming volunteers. "I've tried to encourage people to do it, but for some reason they hesitate."

"Most people are unaware of what goes on in a classroom, and that's a shame," she said.

She has learned, for instance, that the lives of a child's parents have a lot to do with his success in school. When parents have a high regard for education, so does the child.

"You can tell which parents take interest

in their children's education and those who don't. Some people seem to view school as a kind of baby-sitting service," she said. Ives got a degree in psychology from DePauw University, and that doesn't help much in teaching arithmetic. But all one needs are the basics in mathematics to help fourth graders, she said. "By the time a child is a fourth grader, he should know how to add and subtract and know his multiplication tables through nine," she said.

Ives and her husband, Tom, a local attorney, have four children, the youngest age 16. But a bulletin board in her kitchen is covered with school photographs of children. They are her special students and neighborhood kids.

"I've found that these youngsters can stand just as much help as someone can give them," she said. She enjoys watching former slow-learners catch up with a class and become good students.

Ives got started as a volunteer helper 10 years ago in response to a call for help from a teacher. "The teacher wanted four people, but I was the only one who showed up for work," she said.

That teacher has been gone from Hillcrest for a number of years, but Ives is still on the job. "I'll stick around as long as they need me," she declared.



MARY IVES
10 years helping kids



Trailhead Park ground break
Carol County Comet 9-23-1979



BORROWING AGREEMENT—Two Carroll County library boards—those of the Delphi and Flora libraries—have announced reciprocal borrowing privileges. Shown looking at the agreement last week at the Flora Public Library are (l. to r.): Seated—Mrs. Martha Hoffman, Flora librarian, and Mrs. Barbara Hanna, Delphi librarian. Standing—Richard Letter, Flora board president, and Mrs. Tom Ives, Delphi board president. Jack Douglas is the Flora Public Library's photo provided.



Riley Park project receives donation
Sand Ridge Bank of Delphi has donated \$500 to the Riley Park suspension bridge project. The frames for the bridge have been raised, and the cables have been hung. Volunteers will soon install the rods which stabilize the cross members. The last step will involve laying the planks for the floor of the bridge. Pictured, left to right, are: John Damm, Sandridge Bank branch manager; Mary Ives, member of Riley Park suspension bridge building committee; and Gretchen Walker, Sandridge Bank marketing director. Carol County Comet photo by Don DeHoffman.

LIBRARY CORNER
At the regular monthly board meeting, January 13th, the following officers were elected for the 1980 year: Doreenel Fisher (Mrs. Robert) President; Mary Ives (Mrs. Tom), Vice-President; Lucy Long Mrs. (Neil), Secretary; and David Nelson, Treasurer. Mrs. Fisher appointed the following board members to serve on standing committees for Bookings & Maintenance, John E. Walker, President; Mary Ives (Mrs. Tom), and Phyllis, Toni McCarter, Mikayla Fisher (Mrs. Dave) served an secretary problem for the January meeting.

Carol County REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S CLUB will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the home of Carol Ives in Burlington Township. The dues at the termination of Oct. 31, 1979, are \$10.00. Co-Presidents are Mary Ives and Wendie Huff. All interested Republican women are urged to attend.

A new tournament is to be held July 25 to describe Mrs. Tom Ives of Delphi. She saw some beautiful golf balls in a golf store in Carroll County — she saw the Procter and Gamble golf balls but she didn't like them. So she decided they should be used in Delphi to help the local Central Golf Club. The balls will be used in the Delphi area. This is a donation. She will be the sponsor. Mrs. Tom Ives, 221 West 1st St. Delphi, Ind.

THE KAPPA SORORITY NEWS
Members of The Kappa were announced at a local meeting given at the home of Mrs. Joan Wiley on 1000 and 40th. Mrs. Wiley is the sponsor. The Kappa is a new organization and will be sponsoring a golf tournament in the Delphi area. Mrs. Wiley is the sponsor. Mrs. Joan Wiley, 1000 and 40th. Delphi, Ind.

Distinguished Hoosiers Long-time Delphi Parks Board members Sue Jargstorf and Mary Ives, left, and Sue Jargstorf, right, were each recently given Distinguished Hoosier Awards, signed by Gov. Mitch Daniels, at a surprise recognition ceremony at the Riley Park Cabin. Former Delphi Mayor Carolyn Wagoner appointed the first board of directors for the parks system in response to then Gov. Joseph Orr's plea for communities to establish local park systems. Ives was a member of the first board. "The bridges and the boardwalk would not have been built had it not been for their efforts," Dick Bradshaw said to honor the duo. "Mary Ives always found the funds, the volunteers and the material for what was needed." The pair are pictured at the suspension bridge across Deer Creek at Riley Park. Carol photo by Debbie Lowe. Carol County Comet 5-27-2009

The Delphi Park and Recreation Board approved Beverly Sene's request to assist the indoor recreation program to include classes on a variety of topics. Bill Matton received approval to organize a dog-triathlon competition Aug. 10 at Riley Park. Newly elected officers are Mary Ives, president; Jayne Abbott, vice-president; and Sue Jargstorf, secretary. Other board members are David Hanna, Carla Bradshaw, and Sue Yoder. Dennis Moseley is park superintendent. Carol County Comet photo by Don DeHoffman.

DELPHI LEGION AUXILIARY will meet next Wednesday. Co-chairmen are Phyllis Graham and Mary McCormick. Committee members are Wanda Wilson, Mary Ives, Cara Dunlap, and Elise Myers. Theme for the meeting is Americanism.

'Little 500' To Be Held In Delphi
Delphi Community High School will have a "Little 500 Race" sponsored by AFS and Delphi. The race is to be held on Friday, April 30, at the DCHS football field and track at Hillcrest.

There will be two separate races, bicycle and triathlon. Chairman named to the various committees are: Mike, Mrs. Tom Ives, co-chairman; Mrs. Carol Matton; track set-up cleaning and loading, Bill Hartwig; bagging and ticket taking, Mrs. John Walker, Steve Irwin and co-ordinators, Ralph Barnhart; rules, Charles Wood, Publicity and awards, Mrs. Glen Brown. Proceeds will be divided between the two organizations to fund the scholarship.

Eleven delegates from Carroll County are in Indianapolis today attending the Republican State Convention at the Indiana State Fairgrounds stadium. They include Beth Conrad, Carl Traylor, Chaslene Latta, Rich and Loretta, Joe Northcott, David Stewart, Damon Alder, Mary Ann, Mike and Beth, Larry and

Now AFS officers
New officers of the American Field Service Chapter have for this year are Mrs. Charles (Bill) Paul (Judy) Berg, vice president; Mrs. Joseph T. (Garry) Jule Jr., secretary; Donald Earl, assistant treasurer; Mrs. Frank (Sister) Plich, student body coordinator; Wilma (Sister) Beck, assistant alumni coordinator; and Mrs. John (Barbara) E. Wallace, council chairman.

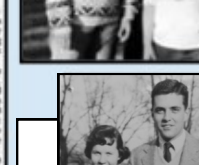
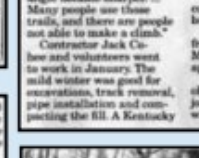
DSCC Music Boosters plan money-making project
Delphi Community School Corporation Music Boosters organization is sponsoring a project to raise money for the purchase of a stereo recording system for use in all levels of music education from middle school up. Family portraits will be taken Saturday, Sept. 15, at the high school. Members of the organization and students are selling coupons at 8¢ each which will entitle the purchaser to one 1/2 a color family portrait. The Music Boosters will be able to keep the entire 8¢. Also with enough participation the organization will receive bonus money. Prizes obtained by local merchants will be given to students selling the most coupons. Mrs. Ives is co-ordinating the project.

Mrs. Tom Ives, Susan, Bob, Betty and Tracy left Monday for the annual meeting of the home of Mrs. Ives given by Washington, D.C., Maryland.

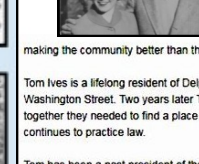
Mary Ives, a local trail enthusiast, helped coordinate its installation. By late 2005, final approvals were secured from Delphi Limestone Company and the Norfolk Southern Railroad. The tracks, owned by the quarry, are used to get stone to the railroad line. The embankment kept getting more and more steep, Ives says. "The angle became sharper. Many people see those tracks, and there are people not able to make a climb." Contractor Jack Cohen and volunteers went to work in January. The mild winter was good for excavation, track removal, pipe installation and constructing the SR 4 Kentucky contractor put the track back together. Recently 20 volunteers from the Monticello-Wal-Mart market, needed and applied much. Walking along the old canal, Ives says, is a journey into the past. The waterway once stretched

Kevin Cullen
from Lake Erie to the Ohio River, but eventually was replaced by railroads. Delphi has one of the few rewatered sections. "The most special part of all this is that most of the work has been done by volunteers," Ives says. "We have some wonderful people in this community."

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Mary and Tom with their family in 1988



Samuel L. Miroy Award
The Samuel L. Miroy Award was presented for the first time ever to a couple, Tom and Mary Ives. The award, first given in 1981, is based on integrity, business sense, and making the community better than the recipient found it.

Tom Ives is a lifelong resident of Delphi. In 1959 he began practicing law with his father in an office on South Washington Street. Two years later Tom convinced his dad that if they were going to continue practicing together they needed to find a place with more room. They moved to a location on Franklin St., where Tom continues to practice law.

Tom has been a past president of the Carroll County Country Club, Delphi Chamber of Commerce and was the first Delphi City Judge. He served on the board for the Carroll County Community Foundation.

Tom said he believes his greatest contribution to the community was representing the Delphi School Board for 30 years. At the age of 84, he does not know what he would do if he retired — maybe play more golf. Mary has served on the City Parks Board, as president of the Delphi Public Library Board for over ten years, and spent countless hours working with students after school. While on the parks board, she put together a master plan for the parks to promote growth and major changes to the parks. The Chamber honored the couple for "being instrumental in the behind the scenes growth of the Delphi community, whether it be in the field of education, business, recreation or city government."

In accepting the award, Tom said, "We should be honoring you, instead of you honoring us, for all this community has given us." Carol County Comet 1-27-2016

Work-service day spent at park

Delphi Community Middle School runners participated recently in a community work-service day at Riley Park. Mary Ives and Sue Jargstorf of Delphi supervised the planting of spring bulbs. The student athletes also picked up numerous bags of trash in and along the park and annex in addition to their work in the gardens. "The work-service day is an opportunity for the kids to give something back to their community. It is especially appropriate to help in the clean up and maintenance of the city's parks where the runners spend so many hours in training and racing," commented coaches Don Currie and Margaret Mose. DCMS cross country team members are pictured with Mrs. Jargstorf and Mrs. Ives, from left: Coach Don Currie, Morgan Edwards, Ariel Isley, Devon Thomas, PJ Marvel, Zack Thomas, Trey White, Daniel Layman, Adam Marvel, Emily Layman, Ryan Leahy, Braedon Kemp, Eric Carpenter, Sue Jargstorf, Annie Mose, Taylor Huelstien, Mary Ives, and Kayla Watley. Photo provided Carol County Comet 10-10-2007



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Mary Ives and Sue Jargstorf

MARY FURST KELLY



- Teacher 18 years
- Delta Kappa Gamma honorary for women educators
- President Delphi Classroom Teachers Association
- Board of Directors Dollars for Scholars
- Board of Directors Delphi High School Citizens' Scholarship Foundation
- Indiana Retired Teachers Association
- President Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
- President and Board member Pleasant Run Cemetery
- Wabash and Erie Canal Association Docent
- Co-chair Heritage Committee for the Hoosier Celebration 88
- Democrat Women's Club
- Secretary Extension Homemaker Club
- Boy Scout Fund Drive
- Delphi Methodist Church
- Delphi Presbyterian Church Vacation Church School Kindergarten Superintendent

When I asked Mary Kelly's daughter, Jennifer, what her mom would like to be remembered for (besides her family, of course), she answered: "She loved teaching. When she ran into former students, they were always excited to see her. She would get knocks on the door or calls from former students wanting to check in with her. She had her 4th grade students write a letter that she sent to them when they graduated from high school, and she got a kick out of hearing from the students when they got their letters. She was proud of her ability to connect with her students."

Mary Kathryn Furst was born January 20, 1936 to Levi and Kathryn Schwartztraub Furst, who lived near Burrows. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1954 and married her high school classmate Donald Kelly on October 3, 1954. They had three children: Jennifer, Chris, and Jeff. Mary returned to school when her children were older, earning her bachelors in education from IU-Kokomo in 1976 and her masters in education later. She died April 14, 2010.

Mary began her career in education as a teachers aide. At age 37, with encouragement from her family and colleagues, she went back to school to earn her degree. She taught in the Delphi Community School Corporation for 18 years - 17 years at Hillcrest and 1 year at Camden. She retired in 1994. When asked what she emphasized in her teaching, Mary said she tried to reinforce a strong work ethic and to help her students understand that school is an opportunity to prepare for their future - not just something they have to endure.

Mary's dedication to education extended beyond the classroom. She was President of the Classroom Teachers Association, on the Board of Directors of Dollars for Scholars, and on the Board of Directors of the Delphi High School Citizens' Scholarship Foundation. She also was a member of Delta Kappa Gamma honorary for women educators and a member of Indiana Retired Teachers Association.

Mary's interests were diverse. She contributed to the Delphi community as President of Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority, President and Board member of Pleasant Run Cemetery, Co-Chair of the Heritage Committee for Hoosier Celebration 88, and a member of - and docent for - the Wabash and Erie Canal Association. She was a member of the Democrat Women's Club and the Delphi Methodist Church and Secretary of the Extension Homemaker Club. She was Superintendent of the Kindergarten classes for the Delphi Presbyterian Vacation Church School and participated in the Boy Scout Fund Drive. She volunteered to be a Census-taker and to work elections.

Mary enjoyed playing bridge and bird-watching. After they retired, Mary and Don wintered in North Fort Myers, Florida.

Jennifer related: "I find myself quoting Mom a lot. 'My mom used to tell me...' followed by something like 'haste makes waste' or 'that's a lazy man's load.' I laugh when I quote her because isn't that really what a mom hopes to accomplish... her words having meaning to her children someday?"

Mary Kelly's words meant something to many children. She was proud to be part of our community, and we are so proud to have had her with us.



1954 Delphi Oracle
MARY FURST
I wonder what fool it was that invented kissing?
Class Secretary 1; Advertising Editor of Oracle 4; Junior-Senior Plays; Chorus 1-2-3-4; Sunshine 1-2-3-4; Delphi 2-3-4; Oracle 4; Student Council 2.



FLORA
FLORA—Don W. Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don E. Kelly, and Delphi R. R. A. and Miss Mary Furst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Furst, Delphi R. R., were united in marriage at a quiet wedding in the home of the bride's parents Sunday afternoon, the Rev. James Rankin of the Delphi Free Methodist Church officiating. The bride is a graduate of the Delphi High School, formerly of the Delphi High School.

DHS Class of '54
Delphi High School Class of 1954 met at Riley Park Aug. 19. A buffet dinner was served. President Don Robinson conducted a short business meeting. Prize winners were Bob Smith, Joyce Sullivan, Linda Mahesh and Tom Boring. New officers elected were Sue Price, president; Mary Jo Star, vice president; Mary Kelly, secretary; and Mary Helen Akshof, treasurer.

DELPHI PRESBYTERIAN VACATION CHURCH SCHOOL BEGINS MAY 31

The Delphi Christian Church School of the First Presbyterian Church of Delphi will begin Tuesday, May 31, and continue through Friday, June 10, with classes from 9:00 to 11:15 each weekday morning. The school is open to children from age four through the sixth grade, with a special workshop for junior highs.

The general theme of study will be "The Church."

The staff of the school will include the following:

Kindergarten I, Mrs. Don Kelly, superintendent; Kindergarten II, Mrs. Robert Brookbank, superintendent, and Jane Woods; Primary, Mrs. Louise Gribben, superintendent, Mrs. Fred Lanan and Linda Thompson; Junior, Mrs. Neal Petry, superintendent, and Mrs. Ray Todd; and Junior High, Mrs. Robert Mills, superintendent, and Mrs. David Hanna. Mrs. Morris Skiles will serve as the general superintendent. The Rev. Fred W. Lanan is pastor of the congregation.

The Vacation Church school of the Presbyterian Church is open to all children of the community.



The Kelly home at 501 Riley Road

MARY KELLY TO HEAD PSI IOTA

Mary Kelly was installed as president of the Beta Psi Chapter of Psi Iota Xi at a luncheon held at the Delphi Community High School. Other officers installed at the luncheon meeting were Janet Sullivan, vice president; Barbara Smith, secretary; and JoAnn Robinson, treasurer.

SPEAKER: Staellen Reed, state superintendent of public instruction, addressed members of Theta Chapter of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, honorary for women educators, at its May meeting. Members of Beta Zeta Chapter, Lafayette, and Gamma Mu Chapter, of Cass and White counties, were special guests. Founders Day Celebration also was observed by Mary Kelly of Delphi and her committee.

Delphi Nursing Home

Visitors and entertainment activities and meetings were responsible for a full and happy week at the Delphi Nursing Home.

Mon., Oct. 28 - The residents were entertained by 33 children from the Purple Turtle with a Halloween program of songs. They were accompanied by Calleen Iley, owner of the Purple Turtle, and teachers Brenda Moore and Ruth Van Matre.

Tues., Oct. 29 - Mary Kelly, teacher of the fourth grade at Hillcrest, and her students presented a Halloween program for the residents. Assisting Mrs. Kelly were Jackalynn, secretary at BCHS and Librarian Corree Peters. Following the program, hot chocolate and cookies were served.

Area adults go back to school

Over 100 area adults went back to school on Saturday, August 26, 1955, at the 2nd Annual Scholarship Day held in Delphi. Proceeds from the event are turned over to the school system.

At the Pioneer Village, some walked a derby race from Donald's Dairy and back to school. A race to the Delphi Community High School was also held. At the Wabash and Erie Canal Park, the Public School was featured, and at the Delphi.

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Trees at Hillcrest
Hillcrest fourth graders planted three trees, a tulip, ash, and red maple, as an Earth Day project. The whole school participated in raising funds for the trees, through a book sale and bringing in recyclables. Pictured in the foreground is teacher Mary Kelly and fourth graders Jesse Liebert and Les Field. Comet photo

County Volunteers Help Wrap Gifts

Carroll County volunteers who helped with the gift wrapping for the patients at the State Hospital were: Beulah Kirkpatrick, Anna Collins, Nancy Swann, Ruby Smith, Ruth Harris, Opal Dunn, Bonnie Burris, Helen Quinn, Louise Hale, Mary Wray, Geraldine Cook, Rose Mary Lybrook, Mary C. Ward, Suzanne Gaidner and Mrs. Hilary Nubser.

Those who helped with the Christmas card project were: Mary Kelly, Mrs. Hilary Nubser, Helen Quinn, Mrs. Eugene Harrison and Mrs. Hilary Nubser.



VISIT COMET OFFICE - Hillcrest 4th grade students of Mary Kelly visited the Comet office in Flora Friday afternoon. Foreman Wayne Duddy is seen here as he explained operating by computer with the assistance of Chris Denny. Seen in the photo are students Brian Brooks, Emily England, Michael Skarka, Jenny Clear, Kevin Scherff, Tami Swann, Susan Williams, Nick Huggins, Matt Beach and Russell Elbert. Mrs. Kelly and Steve Carroll. Students have been studying Media Comet Photo.

Mary with two of her grandchildren



DELTA METHODIST CHURCH - Mrs. Robert E. Williams, Minister-in-Charge, presided at the luncheon held at the church on Nov. 15. The training classes were conducted by the retiring county officers with Mrs. Keith Sink instructing the club presidents, Mrs. Elwood Burkle first vice-president, Mrs. Wayne Forgy; second vice-president, Mrs. Charles Jones; secretary, Mrs. Kenneth Kelly; treasurer, Mrs. Doyle Miller; publicity chairman, Mrs. Eldon Robeson; and health and safety leader,

son the publicity chairman. New secretary books, song books, health and safety packets, and the 1969 yearbooks were handed out. An installation service based on a club voyage was used to install the new county officers for 1969 who are: president, Mrs. Elwood Burkle; first vice-president, Mrs. Wayne Forgy; second vice-president, Mrs. Charles Jones; secretary, Mrs. Kenneth Kelly; treasurer, Mrs. Doyle Miller; publicity chairman, Mrs. Eldon Robeson; and health and safety leader,

Mrs. Keith Sink. Gifts of appreciation were presented to Mrs. Keith Sink, retiring president, and Mrs. Don Kelly, retiring secretary. The County Chorus sang two selections. The Past President's presented a clever safety skit on Costly Reputations. Miss Margaret Mabbitt reported on her trip to National Conference at Puerto Rico.

Marion Farm News 12-27-1968



Lower left: Mary and Don in Florida. Below: Mary and Don and their family children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren in 2009. Middle right: Mary and Don with their children Jeff, Jennifer, and Chris.

Stressed 'hard work ethic'

Mary Kelly is retiring after 18 years as a fourth grade teacher in the Delphi Community School Corporation. A graduate of Delphi High School, she taught 17 years at Hillcrest Elementary School and one year at Camden.



Kelly started her career as a volunteer aide and then a hired teacher aide, in special education. Former Hillcrest principal Roger Campbell encouraged her to go to college and get her degree. With his help, and with the support of her family and her teacher friends, she was able to acquire her B.S. and then M.S. degrees at Indiana University at Kokomo. She said this was not an easy

task. At one point, she was attending IUK at the same time that her son was at Purdue and a daughter was attending Ball State. "When I first started teaching," Kelly explained, "I was fortunate to work in the open classrooms where I could watch and learn from three very good teachers."

"We had four teachers then, fewer students in each class, and we worked together as a team, planning and sharing ideas," she said. "That not only gave me help and support, but confidence also. (That is the only good I can say for the open classrooms though.)"

Kelly said she hopes she has been able to help prepare her students for a successful future.

"I have always tried to instill in them the importance of the 'hard work ethic' which I see is being ignored by so many today."

"I think it is important for the students to see school as an opportunity to prepare for their futures,

and not just as something they have to do," she continued. "I have tried to help them see the importance of setting goals and then working to attain them."

She said she has had many pleasurable years of teaching, but larger classes, more behavior problems caused by problems at home, and limitations on enforcing discipline, have taken some of that pleasure away.

In her retirement, Kelly said she plans to do things which she didn't have time to do while teaching. She hopes to be able to spend more time with her grandchildren. When her husband, Don, retires, they hope to spend their winters in a warmer climate.

The Kellys have two daughters, Chris Duff and Jennifer Kelly, one son, Jeff, and five grandchildren.

Editor's note: No other teacher retirements have been submitted to the DCSC school board to date. Carroll County Comet 6-1-1994

Theta Chapter meets - Dr. Swales Reed, State Inspector, addressed members of Theta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, luncheon for women educators. The meeting was at The Trails in Lafayette. Laura Baker of Delphi, president, introduced her. Special guests were members from Beta Java Chapter, Lafayette, Geneva Ma Chapter, Cass and White counties. Founders' Day celebration was observed with Mary Kelly of Delphi, chairman, in charge. Sixty-eight members attended.

Auxiliary Chapter - The Auxiliary Chapter of Psi Iota Xi met May 9 at the home of Donna Overholser assisted by Veda Wilcox, Polly Grauman, and Barbara Schaefer. A short business meeting was conducted by Mary Kelly, president.

Democrat Women To Give Victory Supper Monday - Democratic Women's Club will host a cooperative supper at 8:30 p.m. Monday at the B.E.M.C. for the victorious candidates in the city elections of Delphi and Camden.

Veda Wilcox is general chairman of the supper, with Margaret Vandickie, Rose Pears, Mary Kelly, Martha Popejoy, Mary Vandickie, Faye Underhill, Opal Gorsich, Augusta Burkhalter and Louise Decker assisting on the committee.

DRIVE CAPTAINS - Area captains for the "Dollars for Scholars" drive in the Delphi Community School Corp. area are: Delphi - Mrs. David Abel, Mrs. Charles Lybrook, Mrs. Jerry Kohler, Mrs. Lloyd Crigo, Miss Venonica Osewile, Mrs. Sara Eckart, Mrs. Don Connelly, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. Ben Melcher, Mrs. Don Kelly, Mrs. Harvey Martin, Mrs. Robert Blackstaff, Mrs. Harry Hansen and Mrs. Peggy Gagnon. Morris Cleck is in charge of collecting from Delphi business organizations.

Models Chosen for Mode O' Day Fashion Breakfast - A Fashion Breakfast will be presented at the E2200 auditorium Wednesday, March 18, to which the public is invited. The models for the show will be Mrs. Fred Dyer, Doris Smith, Jan Dismery, Cheryl Gensell, Nevada Todd, Shirley Shank, Nola Coughlin, Susan Postawa, Martha Hawkins, Alice Oak, Mary Kelly, Tina Tovey, Marie Cantara, Opal Gerard and 11-12 others. Patricia and Karen Rice.

Cooperation pays off! - We would like to thank the following people for their very generous and willing cooperation in making our first of a series of financial presentations to a large section Delphi Community Schools superintendent and principals. Paul Anderson, Jeff Brunsell, Jan Harford, Mary Clifford, Diane Cline, Kelly Drexler, Betty Beach, Connie Rowley, Miss Leibelger, Amanda Scott, Jennifer Coughlin, Elizabeth Henry, Debrae Cooper, Lindsey Duff, Jessica LePage, Marsha Hesser, Donna Cook, Donna Moore, Peggy Dale, Susette McCann, Pat Marston, and Delphi United Methodist Church and its Wesley Webb Class.

The lady shows the spirit of working together that we have in our community to make our schools and homes a better place for children, parents, and teachers. Watch for the announcements of the next presenting presentation.



Mary K. Kelly, 74

DELPHI - Mary K. Furst Kelly, 74, of 501 Riley Road, Delphi, died at 8:01 p.m. Wednesday, April 14, 2010, at Clarion Arnett Hospital, Lafayette. She had been ill since March 29.



Born Jan. 20, 1936, in Carroll County, near Burrows, she was the daughter of the late Levi and Kathryn Schwartztraub Furst. She was a 1954 graduate of Delphi High School. She received her bachelor's degree in elementary education from Indiana University at Kokomo in 1976, and later earned her master's degree in education.

On Oct. 3, 1954, she married Donald W. Kelly in Delphi, and he survives.

Mrs. Kelly taught fourth grade at Hillcrest Elementary in Delphi before retiring, and was a homemaker. She also volunteered at Wash & Erie Canal Center in Delphi.

She was a member of Delphi United Methodist Church and Indiana Retired State Teachers Association Lafayette Chapter. She was a former member and past president of Psi Iota Xi sorority, and was currently in their auxiliary. She was also board president of Pleasant Run Cemetery.

She was an avid reader and enjoyed playing bridge and bird watching. For 13 years, she and her husband wintered in North Fort Myers, Fla., and attended Holy Trinity Presbyterian Church there.

Surviving with her husband are a son, Jeff Kelly (wife: Brenda) of West Lafayette; two daughters, Chris Duff (husband: Doug) of New Richmond and Jennifer Newberry (husband: Steven) of West Lafayette; two sisters, Ruth Lovelless (husband: Thom) of Lafayette and Beverly Furst of Cordova, Tenn.; and two brothers, John Furst (wife: Barbara) of Elizabethtown, Tenn., and Pete Furst (wife: Ann) of Birmingham, Ala.

Lafayette Journal Courier 4-16-2010

ANNADELL CRAIG LAMB



- Phi Mu Sorority
- National Outstanding Alumna (1990)
- President Phi Mu Foundation
- National Historian
- Phi Mu National Council
- National Extension Director
- National Public Relations Director
- Treasurer Purdue Phi Mu Housing Corporation (50 years)
- President Lafayette Alumni
- Editor Inter-Fraternity Research and Advisory Council Bulletin
- Author
- "The History of Phi Mu" (first published 1982)
- "Tutoring the Handicapped," National Elementary Principal Magazine (1976)
- "The Volunteer Professional," for national sorority magazines
- Wabash and Erie Canal Association Board of Directors
- Chairman Reed Case House Restoration
- President Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
- Theta Sigma Phi national journalism honorary
- Women in Communications
- Lafayette Symphony Guild
- St. Elizabeth Hospital Auxiliary
- Board of Visiting Nurses Association
- Cliff Dwellers Secretary (1943)



Left: Sisters Francie and Annadell Craig. Right: The women of Phi Mu in the 1947 IU Arbutus

Among the many unexpected rewards of doing this project was meeting Hill people I'd never met. The Craig sisters - Annadell Craig Lamb and Frances Craig French - who grew up at 824 S. Washington Street were two of these wonderful surprises.

Annadell Craig was born April 11, 1926 in Carroll County to Leo and Mabel Rule Craig. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1943 and from Indiana University in 1947, where she was a journalism major, Editor-in-Chief of the Indiana Daily Student, and a member of Phi Mu sorority. She married George Winton Lamb on April 24, 1949; and they had two children: Claudia and Craig. George, who was Editor of the Lafayette Journal & Courier, died in 1986.

When she graduated from IU, Annadell started working as the Society Editor for the Logansport Pharos Tribune. She lived in the YWCA in Logansport during the week and spent the weekends with her parents in Delphi. After she married, she worked for the Purdue University News Bureau and as a freelance author and editor. She taught piano lessons for several years when her children went to college, using the skills she learned from Mrs. Mary Smith, her piano teacher on the Hill. Niece Marlene French Lawson remembers: "I used to love to take lessons on her beautiful grand piano. I have very fond memories of those days."

From her college days, Annadell has been active in the Phi Mu Sorority. Among her accomplishments, she was President of the Phi Mu Foundation, National Historian, National Extension Director, National Public Relations Director, Treasurer of the Purdue Chapter Housing Corporation, and President of the Lafayette Phi Mu Alumni. She has attended 30 Phi Mu national conventions as an officer; and she wrote and published "The History of Phi Mu - the First 130 Years" in 1982 and updated it in 2002. For 13 years, she edited the Inter-Fraternity Research and Advisory Council Bulletin which was distributed to both fraternities and sororities. Annadell was named Outstanding Alumna at the 1990 Phi Mu national convention.

Annadell's contributions to the community include serving as President of Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority (Lafayette chapter) and volunteering as a member of the Lafayette Symphony Guild and the St. Elizabeth Hospital Auxiliary. Though she has lived in Lafayette since she married, Annadell has been a tireless volunteer and contributor to the Wabash and Erie Canal Association, serving on its Board and as Chair of the Reed Case House Restoration. Carroll County Historian and Case House Decent Mark A. Smith had this to say: "Annadell's shepherding of the restoration of the Reed Case House has been the epitome of devotion to a cause. Although others have been active in this process, her touch has been evident throughout the entire restoration."

It's not "all-work-and-no-play" for Annadell, though. Her niece relates: "Annadell has a great passion for IU basketball. When my mother and Annadell go to Ft. Myers Beach in the winter, the two of them frequent the sports bar to watch IU play. She doesn't like to miss a game!"

From her early days on the Hill, Annadell was recognized as a leader. Sister Francie shared this little gem about Annadell's antics: "In her early teens, Annadell offered to show a group of other kids how to bike to the area of Deer Creek under the High Bridge. When dinner time neared and they had not returned, parents started calling our house about their whereabouts. Since cars couldn't follow their path, some older boys were all set to search by bike when the group returned home safe and sound, oblivious of the time. Just following their leader."

As a teen, Annadell was elected Secretary of the Cliff Dwellers at the 1943 Hill Picnic, probably the youngest officer in the history of the organization.

I'm so glad I had a chance to meet Annadell - she never lost sight of where she came from, and she is a role model for using her leadership skills and her sense of loyalty to give back to her childhood community.

Honor awards to be presented to high school seniors this (Friday) evening at the commencement exercises in the armory are: Bradshaw English awards for highest average for the four high school years, Annadell Craig, Lois Martin and Deloris Lartimore; Summa Cum Laude, Marion Coble, Annadell Craig, Donald Duff, Deloris Lartimore, Norma McCarty, Lois Martin and Juanita Ward; Cum Laude, Dick Bales, Virginia Clawson, Frances Friday, Shirley James, Ruth Roark, Pauline Ross, Betty Timm and Violet VanOstran.

National Honor Society, Dick Bales, Marion Coble, Annadell Craig, Donald Duff, Frances Friday, Deloris Lartimore, Lois Martin, Norma McCarty, Betty Timm and Violet VanOstran; D. A. R. Good Citizenship award, Marion Coble; American Legion History award, Annadell Craig and John Ginther; Gregg typing award, Lois Martin; shorthand, Norma McCarty; Chamber of Commerce music award, Annadell Craig; Psi Iota Xi Citizenship award, Robert Morrow; Herff-Jones plaque, scholarship, Annadell Craig; activities, Norma McCarty; athletics, Frances Sebring; HI-Y athletic award, Robert Taylor; Tri-Kappa art award, John Ginther and Annadell Craig; Business and Professional club commercial award, Norma McCarty.

Lafayette Journal Courier 5-23-1943

Delphi Girl Named I. U. Paper Editor
Annadell Craig, a student at Indiana University, was named editor of the Indiana Daily Student, the university newspaper, for the year 1947.

Miss Annadell Craig, student at Indiana University, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Craig. She was elected district representative of the Northwest Conference at the Methodist Movement conference held at DePaul University.

Miss Annadell Craig, newly named of the prominent Pharo-Tribune, a recent graduate of Indiana University, was formerly editor of the Indiana Daily Student, the university newspaper. She is a daughter of the Leo Craig as in Mrs. Frances Craig, a teacher at the university.

Carroll County Musicales Given

DELPHI, Aug. 22.—A large number of Delphi people attended the musicale given Sunday evening at the Flora Methodist church, sponsored by the Carroll County Council of Christian Education. The church was filled to capacity. The concluding number, a musical meditation, "In Harmony With God," given by candlelight by Miss Annadell Craig and a chorus of girls, was outstanding. Lafayette Journal Courier 8-27-1944

GO-ED HONORED
Miss Annadell Craig has been pledged to Theta Sigma Phi, national professional journalism society, at Indiana university, where she is a student.

Lafayette Journal Courier 10-13-1945



PREMIERS
Rev. Robert Stink, of Plymouth Brethren church, spoke on "Mastery" at the Premiers meeting Monday evening at the Delphi Baptist church. Wood Burke presided at the meeting which was opened with singing led by Kathleen Clawson, with Evelyn Pomeroy at the piano. Devotions were in charge of Rosella Zeno. Don Hathaway sang a solo, "Beyond the Sunset," accompanied by Lois Martin. A piano solo "The Beauty" was played by Annadell Craig and a trio consisting of Lois Martin, Kathleen Clawson and Don Hathaway, sang. The anniversary dinner was won by the Baptist Methodist church. A treasure hunt in the Delphi City Park was enjoyed following the meeting. It was directed by Lois Martin and Annadell Craig.

Wedge October 9 1945

Annadell Craig With Purdue News Bureau
Miss Annadell Craig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Craig, of Delphi, and former society editor of the Logansport Pharos-Tribune, has accepted a position with the news bureau at Purdue University and has assumed her new duties.



George Winton Lamb



WED AT DELPHI—Mrs. George Winton Lamb was Miss Annadell Craig before her marriage April 24 at Delphi. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Craig, Delphi, and he is the son of Mr. Mabel I. Lamb of Mount Summit. (Smith.)

Indianapolis Star 5-1-1949

Phi Mu On The Big Screen
Phi Mu "A Vibrant View" Blog

11-9-2015
A movie about Phi Mu had long been a dream of Adele Redditt Williamson, Delta. When she was National President the idea was proposed at the 1964 National Convention and funding was found. Collegiate members agreed to an assessment of one dollar per member per year for the 1964-66 biennium. The assessment was continued another biennium, resulting in sufficient funds for the project. Alumnae did not participate in raising the funds.

The University of Georgia Communications Department was selected in 1965 to produce the movie, with Hill Bernmont as director. The department's Yolande Branham finalized the script originated by Public Relations Director Annadell Craig Lamb, Delta Alpha.



Annadell receives copy of the Phi Mu movie at Purdue University in 1967 from collaborator on script Yolande Branham.

Carroll County Contest 8-3-1990

Phi Mu honors Lamb for service

Annadell Craig Lamb of Lafayette, formerly of Delphi, has been named *Outstanding Alumna* for service to Phi Mu at the sorority's national convention last month at Scottsdale, AZ. She was recognized for 40 years' service including ten years on the national council and 16 as a trustee of the sorority's Foundation, its

educational and philanthropic arm. Lamb was reelected president of Phi Mu Foundation and reappointed National Historian. The author of *The History of Phi Mu: The First 130 Years*, published in 1982, is trustee of the house corporation of the sorority's chapter at Purdue University.



Carroll County Contest 7-9-1991

Lions donation

Rick Achson of the Delphi Lions Club is pictured presenting a check for \$716 to Annadell Lamb, chairman of the Case House restoration committee for the Wabash & Erie Canal Association. The Lions' donation came from proceeds from a golf scramble sponsored by the club. The presentation was made at the Canal Days opening ceremony. Photo provided.



Children Claudia and Craig Lamb

Mrs. George Winton Lamb and Mrs. James French of Lafayette, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Craig of Delphi, attended the national Phi Mu sorority convention in St. Louis, Mo., which opened Saturday. Mrs. Lamb, the former Annadell Craig, is national chairman of the organization's Founders Day fund which is used to transfer scholarships, graduate counselships, collegiate loans and reception scholarships. Mrs. Lamb prepared the art work that depicts the four ways the funds are distributed. Mrs. French is the former Frances Craig. (Lafayette Press 8-29-1964)

CARRHOLL COUNTY WABASH & ERIE CANAL
The Wabash and Erie Canal Association is pleased to announce that the following individuals have been elected to the Board of Directors for the year 1990-1991. The Board of Directors is composed of 12 members. The President is Mrs. George Winton Lamb, the Vice President is Mrs. James French, the Secretary is Mrs. Leo C. Craig, and the Treasurer is Mrs. Leo C. Craig. The Board of Directors will meet on the 1st of each month. The next meeting will be on the 1st of October. The Board of Directors will meet at the Case House, 1000 N. 1st St., Delphi, Ind. 46734. For more information, contact Mrs. George Winton Lamb, President, at (317) 838-1111.

Annadell C. Lamb, Lafayette, was recently elected president of the Phi Mu Foundation. She is the author of *The History of Phi Mu: The First 130 Years*, published in 1982. She is also a trustee of the sorority's chapter at Purdue University. Mrs. Lamb was reelected president of Phi Mu Foundation and reappointed National Historian. The author of *The History of Phi Mu: The First 130 Years*, published in 1982, is trustee of the house corporation of the sorority's chapter at Purdue University.

The Lafayette Alumnae Foundation recently honored a number of outstanding Purdue University students at the annual scholarship breakfast. Guest speaker at the breakfast was Annadell Lamb, editor of the *Interfraternity Bulletin*.

ON PHI MU COMMITTEE
Mrs. George Winton Lamb and Mrs. James French of Lafayette, the former Annadell and Frances Craig, are committee members for the silver anniversary celebration of installation of Delta Rheton Chapter of Phi Mu at Purdue University, to be held Saturday, Oct. 8. Activities will include an open house, a luncheon, a reception and a banquet. Mrs. Lamb is on the steering committee, and with Mrs. French on the favors committee.



The one and only of all canal art! Delphi's Special Anniversary has worth with Annadell Lamb's new book, *The History of Phi Mu: The First 130 Years*. The book is available for purchase at the Case House, 1000 N. 1st St., Delphi, Ind. 46734. For more information, contact Mrs. George Winton Lamb, President, at (317) 838-1111.



Checking fashions: Jeanne Gerhardt, Shells Brewster and Annadell Lamb (left to right) look over clothes at Leeds as they prepare for a fashion review as part of a St. Elizabeth Hospital Auxiliary program. The program, featuring a quartet and winners of the Elizabethan award, will be Thursday, Sept. 25, at Howard Johnson's East. (Lafayette Journal Courier 8-20-1985)

A local writer and a local school are featured in the November/December issue of Project magazine for Phi Mu. Annadell Craig Lamb of Lafayette authored a feature story about the Wabash and Erie Canal Association. The story is titled "The Wabash and Erie Canal: A Vibrant View" and is a tribute to the canal's history and the role of the Phi Mu Foundation. The story is available for purchase at the Case House, 1000 N. 1st St., Delphi, Ind. 46734. For more information, contact Mrs. George Winton Lamb, President, at (317) 838-1111.

Mrs. George Winton Lamb, 5th Street, Lafayette, was elected president of Delta Delta Associate Chapter of Phi Iota Xi sorority at Lafayette at their recent meeting. Taking office with Mrs. Lamb will be Mrs. A. C. Schmitt, vice president; Mrs. William Boyler, former Delta president; Mrs. Archie Stewart, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Don Hoarst, treasurer. The chapter will present a play for the children with children of Gary House as guests on April 27 and 28, in cooperation with the Theater Art group of Purdue Women's Club. (Lafayette Journal Courier 11-20-1978)

Annadell Lamb, who is serving as National Historian for Phi Mu Fraternity, and has served on the Phi Mu National Council, was a guest speaker at a three regional leadership conference held recently in Los Angeles, Indianapolis and Baltimore.

Locally, she has served as president of the Lafayette Alumnae Chapter and done extensive work with house corporations, including reviewing the current annual. She also has authored a book on the history of Phi Mu. She is active in community organizations, including Visiting Nurses Service, Phi Iota Xi, and Women in Communications.

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Annadell Lamb To Represent National Council On Board

Hooper Democrat 8-27-1970
Mrs. George W. Lamb of Lafayette has been elected to represent the National Council of Phi Mu on the Board of Trustees of the Phi Mu Foundation. Mrs. Lamb is the national collegiate sorority's National Public Relations Director.

The Foundation is the philanthropic arm of Phi Mu, founded in 1897 for the furtherance of charitable, scientific, literary, and educational objectives. Over the past 13 years, \$35,000 in scholarships and grants have been awarded and contributions in excess of \$50,000 have been made to Project HOPE, Phi Mu's national social service project. Present assets exceed \$20,000.

In addition to her present post, Mrs. Lamb has served Phi Mu as National Collegiate Development Director, Alpha Memorial Fund Chairman, District Alumnae Director, Lafayette Alumnae Chapter President, and President and Treasurer of the Delta Epsilon Chapter Building Corporation at Purdue University.

Mrs. Lamb is a graduate of Delphi High School and Indiana University. In Lafayette she has served as president of Phi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority. She is a member of the Board of the Visiting Nurses Association, the Girl Scout Committee, the Lafayette Symphony Guild, and Theta Sigma Phi, professional journalism organization for women. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Craig of Lafayette, former Delphi residents.

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The Reed Case House, built in 1844, was moved to Canal Park in 1983. It has since been given a new roof and siding, and the large picture windows were replaced with double windows, true to the original, said Annadell Lamb, co-chair of the Case House restoration committee. Lamb, Lafayette, grew up in Delphi.

Annadell C. Lamb of Lafayette was elected president of Phi Mu Foundation during the organization's 100th national convention in Atlanta. Lamb also serves as the sorority's national historian.



Preservation Plaque The Reed Case House at Canal Park, Delphi, was recently presented the 2008 Preservation Plaque from the Wabash Valley Trust for Historic Preservation. Pictured, fr. are Jim and Jane Davis, who donated the house to the Canal Association in 1983; Annadell Lamb, Canal board member and chairman of the Reed Case House Committee; and Dan McCain, president of the Canal Association. Canal photo by Jennifer Anshel-Bald



Portrait presentation
Best Case Alumnae James Bracknowledge of New Jersey and his wife, Carl, presented portraits of Annadell Lamb, Case House chairman, and Jim French, Association president. The portraits will be displayed in the Case House, which Reed Case built in the 1840s and is now located in Canal Park. Canal photo by Jennifer Anshel-Bald



Annadell Lamb, pictured above, paints a door in the Bowen house at the Wabash & Erie Canal park during a recent work day. Volunteers have worked very hard to prepare the log house for dedication this Sunday. (JOURNAL PHOTO)

Canal hospitality
The Case House was among the Canal Park buildings open to the public at the "Canal Christmas" tea Sunday. Among the buildings is an 1817 oak cottage, which was built by Bracknowledge and family and was moved to the Canal Park property. Pictured in front of the cottage are Annadell Lamb and Dan McCain, members of the Canal Park Association and members of the Christmas event committee. Canal photo by Alan Cooper.



Below: Sisters Francie and Annadell

PHOEBE REVINGTON PETERS



- Interior Designer
- President School and Home Association
- President Delphi Library Board
- Vice President Carroll County Red Cross
 - Chairman Red Cross Fund Drive
- Secretary Carroll County Country Club
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
- Carroll County Republican Women
- Boy Scouts Troop Leader
- Grey Lady Logansport State Hospital
- DAR
- Delphi Chapter American Field Service
- Great Books Club
- Carroll County Federation of Clubs
- Vice President Cliff Dwellers

When I think of Phoebe, I immediately remember going into her house after she'd freshly decorated (probably mid-1950s) and finding red flocked wallpaper. I'd never seen such a thing, and I thought it was fabulous! That was Phoebe. Rather fabulous.

Phoebe Jane Revington was born September 21, 1920 in Chattanooga, Tennessee to George and Martha Pence Revington. She graduated from Monticello High School in 1937 and Indiana University in 1941, where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Phoebe worked as a designer at Marshall Fields in Chicago for 4 years. She married Navy Lieutenant Thomas Peters, from Flora, on June 11, 1945, in San Francisco. They settled in Delphi, where Tom started a furniture manufacturing business in 1946, later bringing brother-in-law George Revington onboard to form "Peters-Revington Manufacturing." Phoebe and Tom adopted two children, Scott and Annie.

When the Peters bought the old Clauser home at 226 W. North in 1952, Phoebe used her impeccable taste and interior design acumen to turn it into a showplace. They entertained often, it was a welcome stop on home tours.

In 1966, Phoebe and Tom moved to Lafayette. Tom died suddenly in 1978, just a week after Phoebe's brother George died.

Phoebe started her own interior design business, with partner Gretchen Verhoeven. Daughter Annie remembered how much her mom enjoyed buying an old building on Main Street in Lafayette, remodeling it, and renting it to Interior Objects, a popular home decorating store. After she retired in 1988, Phoebe moved to Zionsville, Indiana. She died there April 11, 2004.

In Delphi, Phoebe was active in Carroll County Republican Women, working an elections, organizing functions, and even running for election to the School Board. She was President of the School and Home Association, Vice President of the Carroll County Red Cross, and Secretary of the Carroll County Country Club. She was appointed to the Delphi Public Library Board and was elected President. She was a member of DAR, the Great Books Club, and the Delphi Chapter of the American Field Service. She also was a member of the Carroll County Federation of Clubs. She volunteered as a Scout Leader and worked many hours as a Grey Lady at Logansport State Hospital. Phoebe enjoyed playing golf and was quite good at it. She also was a fixture in the Hill neighborhood.

Pat Leitzke Larsen: "Phoebe was our neighbor across the alley. She taught me how to manicure my fingernails and how to bathe a baby. The Peters were close friends with my parents, Don and Audrey Leitzke. They had a lovely old home with an antique bed that was high off the ground, and I slept there quite a bit."

The Peters house often was ground zero for neighborhood games of Kick the Can or Jail Break. It was a natural gathering spot, drawing kids from North, Summit, and Vine Streets and even some from Riley Road. Phoebe and Tom never seemed to mind, even though their kids were too young to join us at that point. When it started to get dark, Phoebe would come out on the stoop and tell us to head home. Always a good sport.

Annie recalls that her mom had a wicked sense of humor and could laugh in any situation. One of the favorite stories in the family began with a dinner party. Phoebe and Tom were entertaining all their couples friends. Unfortunately, they also had one uninvited guest: a bat. Phoebe told Tom to grab a tennis racket and get the bat. Being a dutiful husband, Tom did as she asked, giving the bat a good swat. Unfortunately, he swatted it right into Phoebe. He swung with such force that he killed the bat and knocked Phoebe - and the chair in which she was sitting - over backwards. Phoebe - ever cool - simply got up, changed her now-ruined white dress, and continued on with the dinner. Annie said Tom laughed every time he told the story, and Phoebe just smiled like it was an everyday occurrence. A good sport.

Phoebe was a force, seldom reticent, often jumping in to cause action. I remember her as a woman who pulled no punches. She gave it to you straight and with a smile, whether you were an adult or a kid. She had a great laugh, and you heard it often. She was a talented designer, a natural leader, a welcoming neighbor, and a respected member of the community.



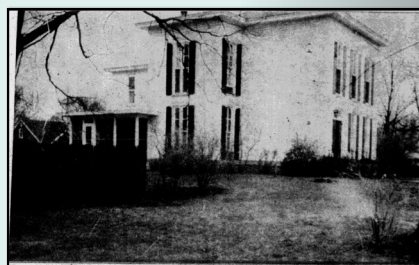
Phoebe Revington
Monticello
A.B. Fine Arts
Kappa Alpha
Theta; W.A.A.;
Y.W.C.A.; Dauber's
Club.
Indiana Athletics 1941

Members of the Kappa sorority enjoyed a meeting at the Tippecanoe Country club Thursday evening. Hostesses were Mrs. Robert Hughes, Mrs. Allen Bassett, and Mrs. Cyril Press. The pledges under the direction of Mrs. Roy Phillips, Misses Edith Grove and Frances Schroder, provided entertainment. The pledges are the Misses Jane Miller, Phoebe Revington and Barbara Coates.

Miss Phoebe Revington, a designer for Marshall Fields, Chicago, is spending several weeks at her home here.



Far left: Tom Peters with children Scott and Annie. Above: Phoebe with Scott behind her and neighbor Cheryl Talbert next to her in the car. Right: the Peters' home at 226 W. North Street



The same house as it looked this winter.

The two-story, 10-room house, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peters and their children Scott and Ann, was built about 1861 by Lawyer Sims. His office occupied the projecting east room on the ground floor and boasted its own private entrance.

Later it was the center of activity of the Dr. Albert Clauser family. Mrs. Clauser was the daughter of Mr. Sims. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McKinley bought the house when they came to Delphi about 20 years ago.

When most of the children were grown and gone, the McKinleys sold the house with the beautiful staircase and wide and gracious double door to Mr. and Mrs. Don May. Few changes had been made up to that time, but the industrious, imaginative and capable Don and Gwen altered the interior to suit their fancy.

Tom and Phoebe Peters, when they bought the property more than 10 years ago, modernized the heating system and the kitchen, added the screened porch at the south east corner and changed the face of the stately old home to make it the showplace it is today.

Soon the halls will resound to the laughter of other children, and the light that shines from the windows will reflect another family's dreams and "doings," for Gerry and Foye Underhill and their youngsters will move to the house in the quarter block and the Peters will move to Lafayette.

Delphi Citizen 6-23-1966



Phoebe and sister-in-law Betty Revington



IN A MATCH that was not decided until the 10th hole, Phoebe Peters (right) defeated Eliza Stein (left) for the Carroll County Country Club holiday tournament. Phoebe won her way to the final by putting out and Doyce Koon and Janet Johnson, while Eliza bested Louise Prager, Lucille Freeman and Martha Clifford to reach the final match. In the consolation bracket Mary Orr defeated Eileen Johnson for the championship. *Delphi Citizen 7-9-1959*



LOCAL GREY LADIES Pictured above, from the left are Mrs. Robert Bradshaw, Mrs. Thomas Peters, Mrs. R. R. Thomson and Mrs. Herbert Wood, Red Cross Grey Ladies. The group devotes many hours a month at the state hospital in Logansport working with the mentally ill on a volunteer basis. They recently completed the course of instruction and qualified to wear the uniform of the Grey Ladies. *Delphi Citizen 7-9-1959*

CARROLL COUNTY R.E.M.C. MOVES INTO COMMODIOUS NEW QUARTERS

Carroll County's first governing Board of Health, the Red Cross Emergency Medical Corps, has moved from the County Courthouse to its new quarters at the corner of Market and Main streets in Delphi. The new quarters are commodious and well equipped with all the modern medical equipment and supplies which they have been equipped with.

All offices are devoted to full-time service. The office hours are from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. The office is open to the public and the office personnel will endeavor to give the best service possible.

CARD OF THANKS
Words cannot adequately express our appreciation of the help offered by friends and neighbors when our home burned.
A very special thanks to the fire department, Tom and Phoebe Peters and other close neighbors who were quick to summer or offer help.
Such thoughtfulness by so many has helped us through a very difficult experience.
Fay and Norm Ebbrite
Tie, Jim and Teresa

CHILDREN OF MEMBERS OF THE Carroll County Country Club have been entertained at a ball game in the clubhouse. The party was given by Mrs. Howard Bradshaw, Mrs. Tom Peters, Mrs. George Bradshaw, Mrs. Joe Taylor, Mrs. Robert Wood and Mrs. Harold Bradshaw.

REV. RENDLEMAN HEADS CARROLL CO. RED CROSS

Rev. Toby Rendleman, pastor of the Methodist church in Delphi, is the new president of the Carroll County Chapter of the American Red Cross. Rev. Rendleman was elected at the annual meeting of the chapter held in the church room in the town last week.

The popular Delphi minister preside Mrs. Harold Thayer who has served as president for the past three years.

Other officers elected are: Ralph Melin, first vice president; Phoebe Peters, second vice president; Mrs. Fred St. John, third vice; Thelma Harding, fourth vice; Delores Clawson, secretary; and Ruth T. Payne, treasurer.

NEW COUNCILS BEING FORMED

Two new units are being formed in the Carroll County Country Club at the hotel meeting last week. One is known as the only club president, Mrs. Fred St. John, and the other is known as the Red Cross Club. The new units will be formed in the near future.

DELPHI — Mrs. Raymond Todd, president of the Carroll County Women's Republican Club, announced committees for the annual Lincoln Day Banquet at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 16 in the Methodist Church here. The general chairman is Mrs. Meredith Barger; announcing, Mrs. Tom Peters; Mrs. Joe Fowler; Mrs. Richard Brown; and Mrs. Ben Melcher; tickets, Mrs. Kenneth Miller, who is also club treasurer. Mrs. Tom Harnett has been appointed as publicity chairman for the organization. The office has not been filed since last year.

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NAME OFFICERS

Mrs. George Wagner was elected president of the Girl Scouts of the Carroll County Chapter at the annual meeting of the organization last Thursday night at the hotel room in the town last week. Other officers named were: Vice president, Lela Doolittle; secretary, Yvonne Whitton; treasurer, Lela Doolittle.

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At the January meeting of the Girl Scouts of the Carroll County Chapter, Mrs. Tom Peters was elected president and Mrs. Thelma Harding was elected vice president.

Girl Scout News

The Girl Scouts had a winter camp at the hotel room in the town last week. The camp was held in the hotel room in the town last week.

Several of the "veteran" scouts also received awards as follows: Tom Hendersen, 2 silver arrows; Tom Thayer, silver arrow; Rex Allington, wolf badge; Gray Doolittle, wolf book; Bob Myers, Bear badge. The following announcements were also made; the next pack meeting will be held December 22 at 7:30 at the National Guard armory, also Mrs. Tom Peters will take care of the used uniform pool. The cub scout popcorn sale will be held Saturday, December 5 at 9:00. The popcorn sale was cancelled last week due to bad weather.

'OPEN HOUSE' IN SCHOOLS NEXT TUESDAY

In observance of National Education Week the Delphi Home and School Association will hold open houses for elementary and high school parents.

Tuesday, November 16th at 7:00 p. m. The Hillcrest Elementary School will be open to all parents and the public. The teachers will be in their rooms to greet parents and explain their work this day. Mr. Hammerson will be in the all-purpose room to explain the reading program to those interested.

Refreshments will be served with Mrs. Eugene Weaver and Mrs. Elizabeth Tabert in charge. Parents of elementary students at Monroe Street School may go to their school from 7:00 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. and then go to Hillcrest for the refreshments.

Mrs. Tom Peters is the elementary chairman of this program. The program for high school parents will be held Thursday, November 16th, at 7:00 p. m.

THIS IS AN urgent call for discarded but still usable belts and slippers. Mrs. Tom Peters, who is in charge of the Red Cross Grey Ladies and who devotes much of her time to volunteer work at all lengths reports that there is a terrific shortage of these articles at the hospital and that this fact hampers the recreational endeavors of the men who are patients there. Mrs. Peters asks that supporters of the hospital or neighborhood about the house to turn in their old belts and slippers. They have been at the door of the Red Cross room in the north wing of the hospital, one corner of the lot at Bradshaw's Inn, on the corner of the lot.

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LT. THOMAS PETER AND PHOEBE REVINGTON ARE WED

A wedding that came as a pleasant surprise to friends in this city was that of Lieut. Thomas L. Peter, former local young man, and Miss Phoebe Revington, of Monticello, which was solemnized June 11th at 4:30 p. m., at the navy chapel on Treasure Island near San Francisco, Calif. The ceremony was planned by Captain Gabbitt, U. S. Navy Chaplain. The only attendants were Lieut. R. B. M. Smith and Miss Jane Partian, both of San Francisco. Lieut. Peter, who had been in the South Pacific for 18 months, arrived in the Golden State on June 3rd, where he was met by Miss Revington. The couple arrived at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Revington in Monticello last Monday evening. The groom will go to Great Lakes, Ill., on July 17th for further assignment which will likely be shore duty in this country, probably on the eastern coast, where they may reside, Wednesday afternoon they were in Flora visiting friends. Lieut. Peter is a son of the late Dr. Thomas D. and Mrs. Peter. He graduated from Flora high school in 1936, and during his high school days was one of the school's star basketball and baseball players. In 1940 he graduated from Indiana University. He is a member of the Methodist church and of Beta Theta Phi fraternity. After receiving his college degree he was employed at J. C. Penney at Muncie, leaving that position to enter service. He holds a graduate of Monticello high school and Indiana University. She is a member of the Monticello Methodist church and of Kappa Alpha Theta and Tri-Kappa fraternities. She has been employed as interior decorator at Marshall-Field in Chicago. Both young people are highly esteemed in their respective communities. The Democrat wishes with the many acquaintances in extending to them the usual well wishes and congratulations. *Hooper Democrat 6-12-1945*



Phoebe and Tom's wedding

LINCOLN DAY BANQUET PLANS

The Lincoln Day Banquet will be held at the hotel room in the town last week. The banquet was held in the hotel room in the town last week.

DELPHI — Mrs. Raymond Todd, president of the Carroll County Women's Republican Club, announced committees for the annual Lincoln Day Banquet at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 16 in the Methodist Church here. The general chairman is Mrs. Meredith Barger; announcing, Mrs. Tom Peters; Mrs. Joe Fowler; Mrs. Richard Brown; and Mrs. Ben Melcher; tickets, Mrs. Kenneth Miller, who is also club treasurer. Mrs. Tom Harnett has been appointed as publicity chairman for the organization. The office has not been filed since last year.



PHOEBE R. PETERS GRETCHEN A. VERHOEVEN

FEDERATION CLUBS IN CARROLL COUNTY TO CONVENE FRIDAY

The 20th annual convention of the Carroll County Federation of Clubs will take place at the Hotel in this week at the Methodist church in Delphi. The convention will be held in the hotel room in the town last week.

By Appointment 423-1145

PETERS-VERHOEVEN INTERIORS INTERIOR DESIGN

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Phoebe R. Peters, 83

Phoebe R. Peters, 83, of 450 Mulberry St., Zionsville, died at 11 a. m. Sunday, April 11, 2004, in St. Vincent Hospital, Indianapolis. She was born Sept. 21, 1920, in Chattanooga, Tenn. She graduated from Twin Lakes High School in 1937, and from Indiana University in 1941. Her marriage was to Thomas L. Peters on June 11, 1945, in San Francisco. He preceded her in death on Feb. 6, 1978. Mrs. Peters was employed at Marshall Fields in Chicago for four years and was in charge of decorating their Christmas tree one year. She came to Lafayette in 1966.

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She helped her husband and brother establish Peters-Revington Furniture in Delphi, and she, along with Gretchen Verhoeven, established Peters-Verhoeven Interior Design. She retired to Zionsville in 1988. Mrs. Peters was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, Tri Kappa, Daughters of the American Revolution and the Pickwick Club. Surviving are a son, T. Scott Peters of Indianapolis, and a daughter, Anne Dean of Zionsville.

KAYE McMURRAY DEFILLIPPO PETRY



- Teacher 40 years
- Miss Carroll County (Miss Universe Pageant) 1956
- Secretary Delta Kappa Gamma Education Honorary
- Carroll County Junior Achievement Board
- Treasurer Carroll County Cancer Association
- Co-Chair Carroll County Red Cross Bloodmobile
- Cub Scout Den Mother
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
- . Director Summer Bible School
- . Summer Bible School Teacher
- Secretary Delphi High School Music Boosters
- Rainbow



Kaye Petry is a real Hill girl - she grew up at 202 E. Summit; then moved with her folks to 204 W. North; rented a home at 816 S. Hamilton with her first husband, Joe DeFillippo; then lived at 211 W. North when she married Neal Petry before they built the famed Butterfly House (or "Spider House" as it was known to the Hill kids) at 130 W. Summit. We were so proud to have this beauty queen among us, recognizing that Kaye was as lovely on the inside as she was on the outside. Though I was young, I remember how devastated everyone in the neighborhood was when she lost her young husband just 3 years after they married. I also remember the real joy we felt when she married our much loved neighbor, Dr. Neal Petry, who had lost his wife.

Marlene Kaye McMurray was born August 15, 1937 in Crawfordsville, Indiana to Paul and Helen Jackman McMurray. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1955 and attended Indiana University, where she was a beauty queen, a Chi Omega, and a member of the Hoosierettes drill team. She married former IU football player Joseph DeFillippo on August 23, 1958. Joe died in 1961. Kaye married Thomas Neal Petry on February 22, 1962; and - together - they had four children: Tom, Kitty, Kim, and Charles (Chuck).

Kaye taught language arts, reading and the Quest program at Delphi Middle School, for many years. She sponsored the Junior Achievement Program and the National Honor Society; and she was active in many school activities, including writing grants for additional resources. Her Quest program, which gave students at risk of dropping out of school the information and resources they need to make good decisions, earned her Honorable Mention for the Olin W. Davis Award for Exemplary Teaching of Economics, sponsored by the Indiana Council for Economics Education, in 1996. Kaye retired from teaching in 2000, after nearly 40 years as an educator.

Kaye was a real partner with Neal in his profession. She Co-Chaired the Red Cross Bloodmobile and worked on those drives many years. She was Treasurer of the Carroll County Cancer Association. She also managed to be a Cub Scout Den Mother and Secretary of the Delphi High School Music Boosters, in addition to directing and teaching summer Bible School for the Delphi Presbyterian Church.

In 1981, Kaye and Neal moved to a rural property on the Tippecanoe River near Battleground, where they lived in a home they built around an historic 1850 log cabin. Passionate about antiques, they filled their home with their collections. They generously donated a number of antique medical instruments to the Wabash and Erie Canal Center early this year, and they have loaned portions of their collections for local displays at Old Settlers.

When my mom died in 2014, Kaye reached out to tell me a story about a kindness Mom showed her when her husband Joe died. I hadn't seen Kaye in many, many years; and I was so touched she made that effort. Clearly, she remains as beautiful - inside and out - as always.



The Sub-Vex club was to hold formal initiation and a dance for new members at the Delphi Country Club Saturday evening. The new members are Eleanor Vianco, Lois Young, Helen Crosser, Phyllis Flora, Judy and JoEtta Henderson, Marjorie Sanderson, Kaye McMurray, and Joyce Schlar.

The graduating class of 1956 at Delphi held its fourth annual dance on Sunday, August 5 at City Park. Fifteen members and their families were present. The invited to attend were Bill Maxwell, president; Tom Maxwell, vice president; Joseph Maxwell, secretary; and Kay Petry, treasurer. The next meeting will be in 1957 with Secretary Schneider and Bill Lutz as the chairs of arrangements.

Miss Kaye McMurray, a student at Indiana University has been chosen as a candidate for the Stillare College Beauty Queen contest. Miss McMurray is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McMurray of Delphi.

Kaye McMurray of Delphi is a member of the Indiana university Hoosierettes, a precision drill team which performs at half-time periods during basketball games.



Miss Kaye McMurray, 18, Delphi, was named "Miss Carroll County" Saturday evening at the Flora Theatre. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McMurray and will be a sophomore at Indiana University this fall.



Kaye McMurray In National Beauty Contest
Miss Kaye McMurray, of Delphi, has qualified for a national beauty contest, sponsored by a cosmetic manufacturer to choose college beauty-queens. Miss McMurray was winner of the Flora Theatre-Hoosier Democrat beauty contest held at the local theatre last year.



Left: Joe DeFillippo
Above: Kay and Neal Petry with neighbors and friends Ruth and Robert Seease

McMURRAY-DeFILLIPPO
Miss Kaye McMurray, daughter of the Paul McMurrays of 204 North Street, Delphi, became the bride of Joseph C. DeFillippo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeFillippo of Lancaster, Ohio, in a pretty ceremony performed Saturday morning in St. Joseph's church in Delphi. Father Peter vanTiel officiated at the marital mass.

WEDDING BIBLE
A marriage license has been issued here by County Clerk Frank Wilson to Dr. T. Neal Petry, Delphi physician and Earl Kaye DeFillippo local school teacher. Mrs. DeFillippo is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul McMurray of Delphi.



Left: The Petry's home at 211 W. North Street
Right: The Petry children: Tom, Kitty, Kim, and Chuck



DCMS teacher receives award

Kaye Petry was presented the Honorable Mention Olin W. Davis Award for Exemplary Teaching of Economics at an awards ceremony sponsored by the Indiana Council for Business Education.

She teaches the Delphi Community Middle School seventh grade Junior Achievement program, "The Economics of Saving in School," in collaboration with various community leaders and businessmen. Mrs. Petry, a 26-year teacher, also is a

member of the Carroll County Board of Junior Achievement, which serves both Delphi Community Schools and Carroll Consolidated Schools. The ceremony was televised, and

Mrs. Petry appeared on the WISH TV evening news. Also attending were her husband, Neal, DCMS principal Robert Duke, and DCIS school board president Denis Hove.



NATIONAL JUNIOR HIGH SOCIETY OFFICERS at Delphi Community Middle School last year are, from left, Linda Healy, president; Kaye Petry, secretary; and Thea Kappes, treasurer. Carol photo.

A window display at Town Square Mall, Delphi, has Delphi memorabilia from the 1800's to the 1970's. It is a collection owned by Kaye Petry and includes pictures, advertising material, and school and sports items. It will be on display during Old Ladies' Supper of the Delphi Improvement Association window displays in connection with the Old Ladies' celebration.



LANGUAGE ARTS DEPARTMENT members at Delphi Community Middle School will attend the 30th annual conference for junior and senior high school teachers of English at University Middle School in Bloomington, October 20. The all-day workshop will include the opening general session with Philip Kaufman, professor of English at Indiana University, as speaker and several 1-hour workshops covering various subjects in the field of English. Carol photo.

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LIBRARY MAKES BUDGET

Carroll County Cancer Association met at the public library in Delphi with its president, Mrs. Wilbabe Myers, presiding and enjoyed a budget for the year. The group had received approximately \$2,700 from the United Fund as of that date and, after deducting operating expenses, voted to give one-third to cancer research; similar to aid of cancer patients in the county; and one-third for scholarships. There will be six students receiving medical research, physical studies, lab equipment, dentistry, and names to a list of 50. Scholarship will pay for books and tapes. Persons desiring to give an amount to this work may contact Mrs. Neal Petry, an oncology oncologist. *Delphi Journal Courier 9-21-1978*

FOR SALE

DR. NEAL AND KAYE PETRY OF DELPHI ARE SELLING THEIR FANTASY HOME LOCATED IN A VERY QUIET AND PEACEFUL NEIGHBORHOOD ON A SMALL TOWN ENVIRONMENT.

THE GERMAN BAPTIST CONTRACTOR, MR. WAGNER, CREATED A MASTERPIECE OF FINE DESIGN BY BLENDING HARDWOOD, REDWOOD AND HARD SELECTED MOHAWK QUARRY FLAGSTONE.

YOUR PRESENCE IS REQUESTED TO VIEW AND SEE THIS MASTERPIECE AVAILABLE AT A PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE, SEPTEMBER 22 AND 23, 9:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M. AT 130 WEST SUMMIT STREET, SOUTH DELPHI, INDIANA.

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CANCER ASSOCIATION FORMED
Delphi Citizen 2-7-1967

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS of the Carroll County Cancer Association are pictured here. Seated, left to right: Mrs. T. Neal Petry, Mrs. William Myers, Mrs. Charles Hildebrand, Standing, left to right: Dr. Petry, Mrs. Charles Hildebrand, Dr. Charles W. Wain, Mrs. Charles Lamm, Dr. Edmund Baker, Mrs. Ruth D. Bowman, Mrs. Clayton Milburn and Mrs. John Sachs. *Carroll County Photo*



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Paul Lacy, Pam Van Latta, Kaye Petry, Karen Mason, and the principal here worked together to raise a \$1,500-\$2,000 planning grant sponsored by the Indiana School Academics Improvement Act. A long-term grant for up to \$25,000 is a possibility if the first grant is received. The grant was challenged by Broder to discover grant, sentiments, and outside funding to enhance the school.

The annual Vacation Church (VCC) of the First Presbyterian Church of Delphi will be in the educational session of the Church Monday through Saturday 9 to 11:30 a.m.

The VCC will be directed by Mrs. T. Neal Petry. All children of kindergarten to sixth grade are invited to attend. *Lafayette Journal Courier 1-18-1978*

Cub Scout Pack 399 celebrated the 50th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America at the annual Blue and Gold Banquet held at the REMC Club last night. The banquet was held at the REMC Club last night. The banquet was held at the REMC Club last night. The banquet was held at the REMC Club last night. The banquet was held at the REMC Club last night.

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Middle School: Kaye Petry, chairwoman; Sue Ann Corzall, Debra Duff and Jean Howard, Mary Van Latta, teachers; Robert Duke, principal; Donna Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kane, Julie Gentry, Kathy Shuler, Kay Laska, Carolyn Maxwell, Robert Reder, Sue Brubaker, Mrs. and Mrs. Ned Zornick, Jane Kohl and Barbara Brown, parents.

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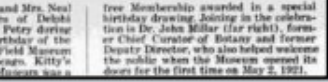
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Neal and Kaye Petry in their log home

Lafayette Journal Courier 11-25-1968

LUCILE SHULTZ QUINN



- President Carroll County Chapter American Diabetes Association
- Co-Chair Bike-A-Thon to Beat Diabetes
- Vice President Carroll County Cancer Society
- Delphi Business and Professional Women's Club
- Volunteer and Advisory Chairman Carroll County March of Dimes
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
- President Active Chapter
- President Associate Chapter
- Treasurer Delphi School-Home Association
- Secretary and Publicity Chairman Delphi Chapter American Field Service
- Cub Scout Den Mother
- President Modern Homemakers Extension Homemakers Club
- Historian and Publicity Chairman Whirly Twirlers Square Dance Club
- Volunteer Carroll County Election Board
- Eastern Star
- Delphi Art Club
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
- Superintendent Sunday School
- Vacation Bible School Teacher
- Elizabeth Circle
- Amistad Class

Lucile Quinn had many roles: she was an award-winning artist; a leader of - and volunteer for - local philanthropic causes; and a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. She was a traveler, enjoying trips to Europe, South America, and the Caribbean and spending many winters in Texas. She was a musician, teaching piano and often performing for local organizations and events. She was a wonderful cook and baker, even making wedding cakes in her early years. She was a dancer, with Bob an active member of the Whirly Twirlers Square Dancers. And she was a homemaker, honing her skills in 4-H as a girl and sharing her knowledge and interest with others through the Extension Homemakers Club.

Lucile May Shultz was born August 29, 1924 in Kingston, Iowa to Charles and Rose McGinnis Shultz. She grew up in Indiana, attending the Jackson Township School in Tippecanoe County and graduating from Newtown High School. She attended the Lafayette Business College.

On May 5, 1946, Lucile married Robert Quinn; and they had two sons: Thomas and Gary. The Quinns built a home at 1009 South Hamilton Street in 1960, making them Cliff Dwellers. Lucile died December 5, 2005.

Lucile worked at Purdue, Olin Mills Studios, and Biggs Plumbing and Supply in Lafayette before her marriage. With Bob, she owned Loy Roofing Company in Delphi. She was a member of the Delphi Business and Professional Women's Club.

Lucile devoted much of her time to helping others. She was President of the Carroll County Chapter of the American Diabetes Association, Vice President of the Carroll County Sorority, and Advisory Chairman for the Carroll County March of Dimes. She was a long-time member of Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority, serving as President of both the active and associate chapters. She was Treasurer of the Delphi School-Home Association and Secretary and Publicity Chairman of the Delphi Chapter of American Field Service.

Lucile volunteered for local Election Boards, and she was a Cub Scout Den Mother. She was President of Modern Homemakers Club and a member of the Delphi Art Club and Eastern Star.

I remember Lucile as a fixture at the Delphi Presbyterian Church. She was a Sunday School Superintendent and a Vacation Bible School teacher. Whenever there was a church function, I remember seeing Lucile there. She was always upbeat and friendly (even to ornery little kids).

Arvilla Burge remembers Lucile Quinn as a dear friend. She left her mark on the community and in the hearts of those who knew her.

May sees food preparation and eating group meet at the Jackson Township school with Lucile Shultz, presiding. The junior leaders, Doris Brown and Ma Drenix discussed record books and posters. A talk "Plastics on Chaining" was given by Phyllis Layden. Lilla Horn gave a musical number and a demonstration. "A Correctly Laid Cover" Doris Brown gave a demonstration. "Table Decorations."

Lafayette Journal Courier 6-9-1962

Purple Parmesan 4-H club met at Jackson high school with the former president, Doris Brown, presiding. Officers were nominated as follows: Susan Davis, president; Betty Haas, vice-president; Lucile Shultz, secretary-treasurer; Mary Ann Harrison, news reporter; Barbara Withrow and Shorley Davis, song and reel leaders; Pauline Pirkin, game and recreation leader. Mrs. Calvin, club leader, spoke. There will be one large meeting a month instead of two a month because of the fire raising.

Lafayette Journal Courier 3-12-1962

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn, of 610 E. Franklin Street have moved to their new home which they have recently completed one mile south of Delphi on state road 20. Their new home is an attractive Cape Cod cottage with attached breezeway and garage. The building site was purchased from Joseph Lely. Delphi Citizen 2-17-1960

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn have moved from the apartment above the Loy Roofing company office to the home they recently constructed on South Hamilton street in South Delphi.

Delphi Citizen 2-17-1960

SHULTZ-QUINN
Before a beautifully decorated candle-lit altar at Jackson Heights Methodist church Sunday evening at 7:30, Miss Lucille M. Shultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shultz of West Point, and Mr. Robert Quinn, son of Mrs. Troy Quinn, of Delphi, were united in matrimony by Rev. William Beeryhill sang, accompanied by Mrs. Robert Carter, Miss Ruth Jane Carter played a waltz solo.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Mrs. Rose Shultz was matron of honor, and Miss Louise Watson, of Monticello, bridesmaid. Sandra Rose Shultz was ring bearer, and Robert Sales, of Delphi, best man. Ushers were Gerald Quinn, of Delphi, and Ross Shultz, of West Point. A reception was held at the bride's home.

The bride, graduate of Newtown high school and Lafayette Business college, has been employed by Biggs Pump and Supply company, Lafayette. Mr. Quinn, graduate of Delphi high school, attended Purdue university where he joined Kappa Sigma. He is now a salesman for the Loy Roofing company in Delphi where they will reside.

Those from Delphi and community who attended the wedding were Mrs. Troy Quinn and Mrs. Gerald and Dickie Ray, and Mrs. Miss Freeman and Carol, Mrs. Chas. Lay, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Joseph and Mrs. Harold Patton, Robert Hays, Delphi Mr. and Mrs. David Adams, Mrs. Charles G. Goss, Myers and Miss Betty Spring, Barbara, Miss Ruth Fagan and Louise Watson, of Monticello.

Lafayette Journal Courier 4-9-1966

CAMPAIGN PLANNING
Mrs. Lucille Quinn, March of Dimes advisory chairman for the Carroll County Chapter of the National Foundation, attended the annual pre-campaign meeting of the organization in Chicago. Robert Quinn accompanied her to the meeting.

Five members of the local Business and Professional Women's club, Mrs. Evelyn Burge and Mrs. Lucille Quinn, attended a forty meeting of the Carry O'Flynn Tuesday evening in City church in that city. Mrs. Burge, who is district director and past president of the local group, participated in the program, closing an hour with a discussion on "Two Sides To Every Question." She was assisted by Mrs. Quinn.

Lafayette Journal Courier 11-13-1962

TRI KAPPA KAPPA ANNIVERSARY DINNER
Tri Kappa's annual anniversary dinner was held Tuesday, March 20 at the Country Club. Lucille Quinn, president of the active chapter, and Jean Gros, associate chapter president, spoke. Music was furnished by the Top Twenty and a social hour followed the delightful dinner. Favores were white carnations tied with black satin ribbons. The committee members attending the event were: Evelyn Burdeau, chairman; Mary Ives, Virginia Bradshaw, Alta Packard and Rosemary Hensell.

Mrs. Robert Quinn presided at the meeting of the Delphi school Band Parents club in the school auditorium. Mrs. Deores Thomson was appointed publicity chairman for the year. They plan to meet the third Thursday night.

Mrs. Robert Quinn of South Delphi was installed as president of the active chapter of Delphi Tri Kappa with Mrs. Alta Packard, retiring president, acting as wearing officer. Elected as such officer for installation was Mrs. Herman Thompson. The chapter voted to serve the luncheon Sept. 18 when a luncheonette set will be at the REAC building. A party has been set for Sept. 27 at the REAC building with husbands and friends as guests.

Lafayette Journal Courier 8-11-1960

Lucille Quinn, president of the Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa, welcomed 23 members and guests to an 81st anniversary party. Dinner was served at Roman Hall.

Lafayette Journal Courier 1-28-1959

Officers of Tri Kappa Associate for the coming year are: President, Mrs. Robert Quinn; vice president, Mrs. Walter Clawson; recording secretary, Lucille Quinn.

Lafayette Journal Courier 2-15-1964

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn entertained employees of the Loy Roofing company at a dinner in their home at South Delphi.

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Lafayette Journal Courier 8-11-1960

WHIRLY TWIRLERS GRADUATION
Pictured above left in right are the graduates of the new class of Whirly Twirlers and officers of the Dimes group.

Top row - Frank Cook, Roger McCarty, Carol Borders, Bob Toole, Frank Herron, Bill Dunn, Jack Joss, Bob Waller.

Second row - Lucile Cook, Joan McCarty, Joyce Ann Borders, Mary Maxwell, LeAnn Toole, Sandy Herron, Marian Denn, Martha Joss, Foria Waller.

Third row - Robert Quinn, publicity and historian; Beverly Bennett, Jean Frey, Cecil Frey, Janet Summerman, Barbara Hays, wife of Whirly Twirlers and officers of the Dimes group.

Front row - Lucille Quinn, publicity and historian; Noel Van Sickle, and Margaret Van Sickle, secretary and treasurer; Evelyn Shaugnessy and Larry Shaugnessy, vice presidents; and Phyllis Wasson and Dick Wasson, press secretary.

Members of the graduating class not pictured are Pat and Dick Dims.

Delphi Journal 2-25-1965

MODERN HOMEMAKERS
The Modern Homemakers club luncheon club met Wednesday evening, March 28, at the home of Mrs. Robert Quinn, president of the club. Assisting hostess was Mrs. Howard McHenry and Mrs. Beulah Quinn.

The safety issue was given to Mrs. Charles Campbell, law enforcement agent. Miss Jeanette Miller gave a lesson on sewing and showed a movie on the correct use of a sewing machine.

Refreshments of refreshments, milk salad and coffee were served to 25 members and our two guests. County President Mrs. Priska Burdette and Mrs. Ward Ogle.

After Prom Committee
The decorating committee of the After Prom Party met Monday night at the home of co-chairmen Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn.

More volunteers are needed on the committee since it should be one of the larger committees to make the party successful.

Parents may call Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn to offer assistance.



The Quinn home at 1009 S. Hamilton Street

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Delphi Journal 2-25-1965



Delphi Presbyterian Church Sunday School Teachers Rally Day September 27, 1950



25th ANNIVERSARY - Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star... The anniversary party was held at the home of Mrs. Mary E. Quinn.



"DISCOVERY OF INSULIN", a program linked to Indiana's representation in 1916, has been featured in Carroll County. The film, "Age of Ice to Indiana", is part of a proposed series for selling the Hoosier story in modern pictorial technique in all public and high schools.

KOOK'S KORNER. PIZZA DOUGH: 1 qt. dry yeast, 2 1/2 cups warm water, 3 T. olive or cooking oil. Dissolve yeast in water... PIZZA TOPPING: 8 oz. can tomato paste, 1/2 cup hot water, 1 tsp. salt, 1 lb. mozzarella cheese, sliced thin.



Art exhibited through May at DPL. Delphi Art Club members Bob and Lucile Quinn have assembled some of their recent paintings which are now on exhibit in the Gerber-Globe Velvee Room of Delphi Public Library.

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Delphi Art Club has been invited to exhibit at Purdue University. The exhibition will include oil and acrylic paintings, watercolors, drawings and mounted items. Twenty artists from the club will show approximately 40 works of art.

WMA EXHIBITS VIEW BISHOP OPPORTNIES at a meeting of the Delphi Book-Nurse Association on Oct. 5 night, new officers were elected as follows: President, Therese M. Quinn; Secretary, Charlene Brodhead; Treasurer, Mary E. Quinn; and Librarian, Marie E. Quinn.

Carroll County News-Observer: H. H. Quinn met at the home of Maxine Yoder in Delphi for the May meeting. The president, Mary Ward, was in charge of the short business meeting.

Lucile Quinn, who showed samples of various kinds from different manufacturers. She pointed out that the color and pattern are uniform in color and size. Do not buy any material unless you have the instruction given on the garment.

The regular class meeting of the South Pack Club... Mrs. Robert Quinn, Mrs. E. H. Quinn, Mrs. J. M. Quinn, Mrs. W. E. Quinn, Mrs. M. E. Quinn, Mrs. L. E. Quinn, Mrs. H. E. Quinn, Mrs. G. E. Quinn, Mrs. F. E. Quinn, Mrs. D. E. Quinn, Mrs. C. E. Quinn, Mrs. B. E. Quinn, Mrs. A. E. Quinn.

South Pack Club Session planned for Monday in the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Quinn is the club's president and Mrs. E. H. Quinn is the secretary.

New Officers of Carroll County Extension Homemakers Association elected at a meeting on Wednesday at the B.N.E.C. Auditorium in Delphi. Mrs. Quinn was elected president and Mrs. E. H. Quinn was elected secretary.

WMA AWARDS PRESENTED Mrs. Joseph Breechback, Delphi... Mrs. Quinn received awards from the WMA for her services to the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quinn, 1909 South Hamilton St., Delphi, will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary at an open house May 5.

Lucile Quinn, who presides of Carroll County Chapter, Indiana Ladies Aid, is sponsoring a fund-raising event for the local red cross.

Diabetes Association. The National American Diabetes Association will have its annual convention in Delphi, Ind., on Oct. 15-16.

Supervisors and teachers of the Delphi Presbyterian church were honored and installed at ceremonies Sunday morning with Rev. James Wm. Rankin in charge.



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Below: Lucile Quinn, Naomi Theophile, and Mary Ellen Campbell.



Lucile M. Quinn. Her marriage was to Robert C. Quinn at Jackson Township Methodist Church in West Point on May 5, 1946, and he survives.

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128 Carroll County Com. Wednesday, October 26, 1951. Delphi Art Club to exhibit at Purdue. The exhibition will include oil and acrylic paintings, watercolors, drawings and mounted items.

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LOU ALDRICH KRAMER SACHA



Lou Sacha was one busy doyenne. She was a business woman, a church leader, a volunteer serving Meals on Wheels and visiting residents of local nursing homes, and a community organizer. She enjoyed being out in nature and managed to visit most of Indiana's State Parks. She created ceramics, played the organ, and liked to read. And on top of that, she was a mother to three sons.

Lulu Belle Aldrich was born August 13, 1922 in Carroll County to Ervil and Jessie Herr Aldrich. She grew up on a farm and graduated from Cutler High School in 1940. On September 14, 1940, she married Edward Kramer from Frankfurt; and they had one son, Philip. That marriage ended after 6 years. She married John Sacha on June 4, 1950. They had twin sons, John and James. Lou died May 7, 2014.

Lou may be best remembered as co-owner of The Sandwich Shop, on Main Street. She and John took over the restaurant, formerly known as the "Snack Shack," from her parents in 1955. Even after John died in 1984, Lou continued to serve the famous hand-cut French fries and grilled burgers, until she sold the business in 1993. She also was a Linotype operator for the Delphi Journal and, later, the Carroll County Comet. In the 1970s, she wrote county news for the Lafayette Journal & Courier and Logansport Pharos Tribune.

Despite working full-time for many years, Lou was very active in the community. She was President of Delphi Business and Professional Women multiple times and was named their "Business Woman of the Year" in 1977. She was on the Board - and Secretary of - Delphi Housing, Inc., which provided senior housing. She was a charter member and President of the Carroll County Cancer Association. She helped revitalize the Carroll County United Fund, as Treasurer. She was involved in many activities of the Delphi Methodist Church, serving as President of United Methodist Women, Chairman of the Love Circle, and a Sunday School Teacher. She was elected President of Carroll County's World Day of Prayer in 1979.

Lou was Treasurer of the Carroll County Historical Society; Vice President of the Modern Mrs. Extension Homemakers Club; and a member of the Delphi Preservation Society, Wabash and Erie Canal Association, American Legion Auxiliary, and Delphi Library Club. She was a member of the Carroll County Domestic Violence Task Force. In 1996, she was designated Grand Marshall of the Delphi Lions Club Christmas Parade.

Lou was what my grandmother would call, "a good egg." She pitched in wherever she was needed, however she could. She worked hard. She was a wonderful neighbor and friend. And she was a devoted wife and mother. She truly deserved the respect she received from the Hill - and the Delphi - community.

- Owner of The Sandwich Shop
- Business Woman of the Year 1977
- Grand Marshall Delphi Christmas Parade 1996
- President Delphi Business and Professional Women
- Secretary and Board Member, Delphi Housing, Inc.
- Delphi Methodist Church
 - . President Wesleyan Service Guild
 - . President United Methodist Women
 - . Chairman Love Circle
 - . President Women's Society of Christian Service
 - . Trustee
 - . Sunday School Teacher
 - . United Methodist Children's Home Auxiliary
- President World Day of Prayer 1979
- President Carroll County Cancer Association
- Treasurer Carroll County United Fund
- Vice President Modern Mrs. Extension Homemakers Club
- Treasurer Carroll County Historical Society
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- Delphi Library Club
- American Legion Auxiliary
- Delphi Preservation Society
- Wabash and Erie Canal Association
- Meals on Wheels Volunteer

Delphi Citizen
3-28-1940

CARROLL CO. ORCHESTRA.
The Carroll County Orchestra which has been organized this summer by the new directors of the county has 113 members at present. They have been practicing at their new home a month and from all reports are making splendid progress. The training of each member is being supervised by the orchestra conductor, Mr. J. H. ...

Below you will find the names of the artists that are participating in the state concert and the names of students in the orchestra.

Adrian T. ... Frances W. ...

Mr. and Mrs. John Sacha have purchased the home they reside in on South Washington Street from the Tassie Wells estate. The Wells residence was purchased by John Sacha, local banker.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sacha have moved from the home owned by Tassie Wells on South Street.

LULU BELLE ALDRICH AND FRANK-FORT MAN ARE WED
A simple but lovely wedding took place Saturday evening at 6:30 at Logansport when Rev. Earl Hinton officiated in marriage Miss Lulu Belle Aldrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Aldrich, of Cutler, and Edward V. Kramer, son of Mrs. Ora Kramer, of Frankfurt.

DELPHI AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY will meet May 15 at Delphi Public Library in the Garden Club Value Room at 7 p.m. Program will be May 17 and 18. All members are encouraged to help with this worthwhile project. The committee is Mrs. Durbin, L. Sacha, and Beverly ...

LULU BELLE KRAMER AND JOHN SACHA IN WEDDING CEREMONY
The Delphi Methodist church was the scene of a pretty wedding last Sunday afternoon when Miss Lulu Belle Kramer, of Delphi, and John Sacha, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sacha, Sr., of Lafayette, Pa., exchanged of nuptial vows. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David L. Aldrich, of Delphi. Rev. Frank Hinton officiated. The bride is a graduate of Cutler high school and is employed as a student. This operator, her husband, a graduate of Lafayette high school, is employed by Carroll County Distributors. They will reside at Delphi.

DELPHI BUSINESS WOMEN Delphi Business Women's Club met July 23 in the Senior Citizen Center.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sacha have purchased a new home on Main Street in Delphi. The new home is a two-story brick house with a full basement. The house is located on the corner of Main and ...

Sacha homes: below left: 708 S Washington. Below right: 113 W. North



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Rose Chapter O.E.S.
Delphi Journal Citizen 10-23-1969
Rose Chapter No. 36, O.E.S. held its regular meeting Monday evening at the Delphi Masonic Temple to honor 25 and 50 year members.

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The Carroll County Domestic Violence Task Force will meet at St. Elizabeth Healthcare Center in Delphi, on March 18 at 7 p.m. The task force is comprised of concerned citizens working toward increasing awareness of domestic violence issues and services in Carroll County. It meets on the third Monday of each month at 7 p.m.

Carroll County Comet 3-13-1996

It should be noted that involvement in helping to stop domestic violence is not limited to participation in the task force, however. Contacting a law enforcement agency when a problem exists and volunteering time at the YWCA-DVIPP are also options. Task force member Lou Sacha of Delphi, works to provide speakers on the dynamics of abuse and services available, for her clubs and other groups.

Officers of the Delphi Housing Inc. are David Geyer, president; Rex Hart, vice president; Lou Sacha, secretary; and Joseph Peterson, treasurer. James Heller is attorney for the local group.

Delphi Journal Editor 11-22-1971
Mrs. Dorinda Guillemin, a voluntary and successful in active service in the North Indiana Conference will be the speaker Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the General Meeting of the Delphi United Methodist Women at the church. Mrs. Guillemin, a native of the Philippines, now lives in Lafayette.

Rev. Donald Ashby will install the United Methodist Women officers and Circle chairmen for 1978. They are: president, Lou Sacha; vice president, Leota Weaver; secretary, Myrtle Coble; treasurer, Jane Smith. Mission Coordinators are: Christian Personhood, Bertha Meent; Christian Global Concerns, Frances Ashby; Supportive Community, Karen Burton; Christian Social Involvement, Opal Wood; Challenge on Committee on Membership, Arvilla Burge; Circle Chairmen are: Light, Florence Buskirk; Love, Helen Anderson; Faith, Mary Ellen Campbell; Hope, Virginia Shindler; and Truth, Martha Poppey.

Cancer Association

Matthew Kelker, a student at Purdue University, spoke to the Carroll County Cancer Association when it met recently at the Delphi United Methodist Church. Kelker, the recipient of a Cancer Association scholarship for a Purdue medical student, said of his work in research and of the hopes for a cancer break-through in the near future. Only through extensive research and study can the goal be reached.

The Association supports research by giving grants to Purdue University, Indiana University, and Notre Dame Medical Center. Dr. Robert Seese, scholarship committee member, reported that scholarships were awarded to 13 students for the 1997-98 school year.

The nominating committee reported officers for 1998: Lou Sacha, president; Jean Hildebrandt, vice president; Mark Smith, secretary; and Carolyn Wood, treasurer.

Carroll County Comet 10-29-1997

A labor of love for her community... Lulu Belle 'Lou' Sacha lends helping hand

"Idle" is not in her vocabulary. Lulu Belle "Lou" Sacha of Delphi, is a hard lady to catch free - unless you have a problem that needs to be addressed. But Lou will modestly maintain, "I don't really think you can find anything to write about me. I don't really do anything." This statement couldn't be further from the truth, but is typical of a woman who puts so much effort in her work, behind-the-scenes.

Her life-long involvement in her community, her determination and real, have made a difference in the many organizations she has participated in. She considers her involvement a part of her life. Lou has been a member of the Delphi United Methodist Church for 47 years. She is a member of the United Methodist Women, UMW, and served as president of the group for the maximum time you can serve - four years.

Lou is chairman of the UMW's Love Circle and is currently secretary of the UMW Executive Committee. She has held several offices in the Church including the position of trustee and as a Sunday School teacher. In 1997, Lou was designated by the UMW as "Jewel of a Woman."

Carroll County Comet 11-11-1998

Lou Sacha to be parade marshal

Carroll County Comet 12-6-1996

"Lou B. Sacha "Woman of the Year"

Lou B. Sacha was named Monday evening as the first "Woman of the Year" at the dinner-speech banquet of the Delphi Business Women's Club at the Delphi United Methodist Church.

Small Italy, who conducted the program, when making the award, said:

"When talking for the 'Woman of the Year,' we were looking for someone who is active in the business world and active in her community. The woman who has been chosen for this first annual 'Woman of the Year' award has been active in the Delphi community for many years.

"She was first employed at the Delphi Business Women's Club and later worked for the Carroll County Courthouse for a total of 17 years.

"She has been co-owner of the Sandwich Shop since 1983 and has worked as a part-time secretary at the Methodist Church.

"In addition to her work, she has been active in many community and civic affairs. She is a member of the United Methodist Church, is on the administrative board, is a trustee and a Sunday School teacher. She is currently president of the United Methodist Women. She was a president for three years.

"She is past president of the Delphi Business & Professional Women's Club. She is currently the president of the Carroll County Cancer Association and has been on the Cancer board of directors since 1982.

"She is currently president of the Delphi Business Women's Club and is currently secretary of Delphi Housing, Inc., a position to which she has given a great deal of time and energy.

"You can see that Lou has been a great asset to our community. The happy to present Lou B. Sacha the 'Woman of the Year' award."

WOMAN OF THE YEAR - Lou B. Sacha was honored as the first "Woman of the Year" at the Monday dinner-speech meeting of the Delphi Business Women's Club at the Delphi United Methodist Church. The selection was based on a nomination by the business world and is her community. Mrs. Sacha currently is president of DBW. Court Photo.

Carroll County Comet 12-23-1996



HAPPY UP QUINTET - With Carroll County's 1971 United Fund "over the top," these five people are extremely happy. It was announced yesterday that total contributions to date are over \$18,000.00, which represents 100 per cent of the \$17,800 goal. Officers (l. to r.) are: Seaton - B. June Zook of Camden and Mrs. Bill Hays of Firo, 1971 Drive chairman, Standing - Frank Fitch of Delphi, UP president; Mrs. John Sacha of Delphi, secretary - treasurer; and Shirley L. Dale Hildebrandt, vice president. The three officers have served for three years. Mr. Zook has been "vice chairman for two years, both moving the goal. Staff Photo

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During a visit to the Snack Shack which is the new Sandwich Shop in Delphi, Lou met John Sacha. "We were just a 'couple,'" You know what I mean," Lou lovingly remarked.

John was from Litchfield, Ill., and had come to Delphi with Keith and Riley Construction in 1946. John and Lou met in September and "started going together" on New Year's Eve. John stayed in Delphi, and four years later they were married. He went to work for REMC and later became Delphi Street department superintendent.

Finally where it had all began, the Sachas purchased the Snack Shack in 1955, renaming it the Sandwich Shop. When the shop first opened, it was open 24-hours-a-day and John just lived in that shop. The shop remained open 24-hours-a-day, for 20 years.

One year after purchasing the shop, the Sachas had twin sons, James and... "Only through faith, will we do the impossible, we need to make it in this uncertain world."

Along with her other involvements, she still finds time to visit nursing homes and she cherishes her grandchildren. Lou retired, a word she uses loosely, in 1993. "I think I'm busier now than I was then."

Lou was born in Carroll County and grew up on a farm. At age 18, she married and moved to Frankfort. Six years later after her marriage ended, she moved back to Carroll County. Her parents, Ervil and Jessie Aldrich, were superintendents of the Carroll County Home, now Carroll Manor, and Lou began cooking there upon her return.

would squirt out when the mechanism failed to lock up properly. She remarked, "We worked on the paper three days and did job printing the rest of the week, which gave us some diversion." She was also a proof-reader.

As well as working with Linotype, Lou wrote the county news for the Lafayette Journal and Courier and the Logansport Phoenix-Tribune during the 1970s. She even broadcast county news for a Logansport radio station through equipment lodged at the Carroll County Courthouse.

Lou retired from the newspaper around the time it was purchased by Al Moss. She later worked at the Courier on a part-time basis until John suffered a heart attack in late February of 1984. In April the same year, he had a stroke and in August passed away.

"Everybody liked John. John did so many nice things for people that I didn't even know about until after he died." John also served his community as a member of the Delphi Tri-Township Fire Department for over 30 years, Lou proudly noted.

After his death, Lou took over the restaurant operation. She sold the Sandwich Shop in 1993 after 38 and a half years in business. Although very active in the community, Lou enjoys her home. She "loves ceramics, playing the organ and reading...reading is my main hobby."

The Sachas made their home in the "old, Yantis Wells' home" on North Street. The large, two-story home graced by ornate woodwork and tiles, overlooks a large backyard which borders Riley Park Annex.

Lou, who admits to being a great nature lover, enjoys the variety of birds and other animals which visit. "Deer came up and slept in the backyard last summer," Lou commented. "I'm always tickled to see the leaves come out in the Spring but John (her son) says, 'But remember, Mom, you have to rake them this Fall.'"

John and Lou loved going to Wisconsin fishing. "It's one of the things I really miss," she sighed. In earlier years, the Sachas had also enjoyed the wildlife together at their second home on the Tippecanoe River at Horseshoe Bend.

Now she and a friend, Louise High, visit nature preserves to see the animals, trees and birds. "On nice weekends, we just take off," exclaimed Lou. They especially enjoy Winamac State Park but have visited almost every State Park in Indiana.

A brass plaque displayed in the dining room of Lou's home says, "Bless This Home," and she feels her life has been blessed. "But Lou believes it is not from her own efforts. "I know that my life has purpose and that no matter what my educational, social, or national background, my self-worth comes from being God's child. Only through faith, will we develop the confidence we need to make it in this uncertain world."

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Socially active and successful year for Charles Meese, president. Both Meese, secretary; Lou Sacha, treasurer; and board members, Richard Davis, Helen Hanna, Phyllis Porter, Patty Vashon, William Barrows, Mark Cook, Ruth Cason, Lee W. Howard, Don R. Moore, Phyllis Moore, Carol Oliver, Nancy Singer, Jim French, John Peterson.

Lulu "Lou" Sacha, 91



Lulu "Lou" Sacha, 91, of Delphi passed away at 10:10 a.m. on May 7, 2014 at St. Elizabeth Healthcare in Delphi. Lou was born to the late Ervil L. and Jessie M. (Harr) Aldrich in Carroll County, Indiana on Aug. 13, 1922. Lou spent most of her life in Carroll County. She was a 1940 graduate of Cutler High School.

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Mrs. Sacha had worked at The Delphi Journal and Carroll County Comet for many years. She and her husband owned and operated The Sandwich Shop in Delphi for 38 1/2 years which was famous for its fresh peeled hand cut french fries, cheeseburgers and homemade pies.

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Mrs. Sacha was a member of the Delphi United Methodist Church, Love Circle, Carroll County Cancer Association, and The Modern's E.H. Club. She was affiliated with the Delphi Business Women's Club, Carroll County Historical Society and had been a member of the Friends of the Library, American Legion Auxiliary, Delphi Preservation Society and Delphi Housing, Inc.

Visitation will be from 1:00 p.m. until the 3:00 p.m. funeral service at Davidson Funeral Home, Delphi, on Monday, May 12, 2014. Pastor Todd Ladd officiating. Burial will be in Masonic Cemetery, Delphi. Memorial Contributions may be made in Lou's memory to the DUMC Building Fund. Online Condolences may be made at www.davidsonfh.com



SIGNING CONTRACT for Housing for Elderly project at Delphi with The R.D. Robbins Co., Inc., of Kokomo for construction of a nine unit duplex with 18 apartments and community building at Market and Adams Sts., Delphi. are members of Delphi Housing Inc. from left, Harold Geyer, president, and Lou Sacha, treasurer. R.H. Bailey of B.A.S.E. Architects, Inc., of Indianapolis looks on. Negotiations have been completed for purchase of the real estate. A shed on the site will be owned by Carol Photo.

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GENEVA MORRIS TODD



Geneva Lucille Morris was born on May 5, 1922 in Elkton, Virginia to Walter and Sallie Cook Morris. She was a 1940 graduate of Elkton High School. Geneva and her sister Eunice performed as "The Morris Sisters" during WWII, traveling to US military bases and singing on a traveling radio show. When that ended, Geneva worked as an analyst at the DuPont Company in Waynesboro, VA.

Eunice met a young Army lieutenant named Ray Todd at a DuPont Company-sponsored dance. He was at the University of Virginia taking special military training. Though she wasn't interested in him for herself, Eunice thought Ray would be perfect for Geneva. She arranged an introduction; and - sure enough - Ray and Geneva clicked. Shortly after they met, Ray was sent to Korea. They corresponded for two years and married when he returned, on August 27, 1946 in Elkton. Geneva and Ray moved to Indiana, living first in Lafayette and then moving to Delphi. They had three children: Pam, Raymond, and Eunice. On the Hill, Geneva and Ray lived at 204 W. North Street and at 307 W. Summit, in a home they built. Geneva died September 23, 2006.

Geneva worked for the Census Bureau for several years. When Ray became an appraiser, she assisted him with his business. She also held a real estate license. But her real passion was graphoanalysis - analyzing handwriting to determine the character and personality of the writer. She became interested in the skill after hearing a presentation at a Rotary meeting she attended with Ray. With his encouragement, she began to get training, becoming a Certified Master Grapho Analyst with the Chicago Society of Graphoanalysis, in 1976. With three others, Geneva formed Associated Handwriting Consultants, providing service for local banks and courts.

In the community, Geneva was President of Carroll County Republican Women and President of the Modern Homemakers Club. She was an officer in Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority several times, and she was secretary of the Junto Club. She was Vice President of the Delphi Women's Club and a volunteer for the Delphi School and Home Association. She worked on many local County Election Boards. With Ray, she was active in Tipwa Grange.

Geneva was a long-time member of the Delphi Presbyterian Church, singing in the choir and volunteering for many church activities and events. She served as Director of the Vacation Church School, volunteered as a Sunday School teacher, and was elected Vice President of the Presbyterian Women's Association.

Geneva was a consummate homemaker, especially enjoying cooking and entertaining. In her free time, she worked on crafts and cross-stitching, read, and played golf. Like most of the doyennes, she liked to play cards.

I grew up seeing Geneva at Todd family Christmas dinners and other family events, and I will always remember her as a charming, gracious woman who supported her husband, her family, and her community.

- Certified Master Grapho Analyst
- President Carroll County Republican Women
- President Modern Homemakers Club
- Officer Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
- Secretary Junto Club
- Vice President Delphi Women's Club
- Tipwa Grange
- Volunteer for Election Boards
- Delphi School and Home Association
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
- Director Vacation Church School
- Vice President Presbyterian Women's Association
- Choir
- Sunday School Teacher



Left: Raymond Julian Todd.
Below: the Todd children Eunice, Raymond Jr., and Pam



*Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Morris
announce the marriage of their
daughter
Geneva Lucille
to
Major Raymond J. Todd
on
Tuesday, August twenty-seventh
one thousand nine hundred and forty-six
at
United Brethren Church
Elkton, Virginia*

The News Leader 8-27-1946
**Geneva Morris,
Raymond Todd,
United Recently**
In a ceremony performed Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock at the Church of the Brethren, Elkton, Miss Geneva Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris, of Route Two Elkton, became the bride of Maj. Raymond J. Todd, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Todd, of Delphi, Ind. The single ring service was read by the Rev. Fred Palk. For the wedding, the bride chose a white satin gown, made with sweetheart neckline, tight fitting bodice and full skirt. Her bridal bouquet was of white roses. Her father gave her in marriage. Her attendants were Miss Eunice Morris, of Elkton, as maid of honor; with Misses Frances Morgan and Margie Smith, both of Waynesboro, Miss Catherine Gowers, of Elkton, and Miss Essie Turner, of Front Royal, as bridesmaids. They all wore gowns in pastel shades. Best man was Mr. Charles Ferguson of Delphi, Ind., a brother-in-law of the bridegroom and sisters were Messrs. Leonard McChesney, of Fabersburg; Robert Morris, David Poy, and Van Oostay, all of Elkton.

**Mrs. Todd conducting
employment survey here**
Mrs. Geneva Todd of Delphi has been conducting interviews in area households this week as part of a nationwide survey on employment and unemployment.
The survey is conducted monthly by the Bureau of the Census for the U. S. Department of Labor. The households interviewed are scientifically selected to represent a cross section of all U. S. households.
Statistics on conditions in the labor force from month to month provide a continuing measure of the economic health of the nation. In November, for example, the unemployment rate moved up to 4.7 per cent from 4.5 per cent in October. Total employment, at \$5.7 billion, seasonally adjusted, was unchanged after large increases in September and October. Since November a year ago, it has risen over \$ billion.
Information supplied by individuals participating in the survey is held confidential by law and is used only to compile statistical totals.
Herald Democrat 1.17.1974

Delphi News 10-30-1948
**Modern Homemakers Name
Mrs. Todd As President**
Mrs. Raymond Todd was elected president of the Modern Homemakers Club of Deer Creek Township when that organization met last Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Leonard Hoyte. Other officers named were: Mrs. Devra Hammarer, vice president; Mrs. William Myers, secretary; Mrs. Anton Ranzle, treasurer; Mrs. Leonard Hoyte, publicity chairman.
At the meeting Wednesday night, Mrs. R. E. Thompson gave the report known as "Foot Heals."
Mrs. Joe Daniels assisted Mrs. Hoyte with the arrangements for the meeting Wednesday night.

Teachers in Sunday Church School of the local Church set an
officer: Grades 5 and 10, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Thompson; Grades 2 and 8, Mrs. Raymond Todd and Mrs. Robert Mills, substitute; Grades 5 and 6, Mrs. Ray Tulp; Mrs. Don Wiley, and Mrs. Delores Thompson, sub.; Grades 3 and 4 Mrs. Herbert Tutin and Mrs. W. T. Harford; Grades 1 and 2, Mrs. David Hanna, Mrs. Gary Medley, and Mrs. Lou Woods, sub.; Mrs. Margaret, Mrs. Robert Allen, Mrs. Mary Sheets, and Mrs. William Sieber, sub.; Nursery Class, Mrs. Art Bell and Mrs. Robert Dobbins. Total raised \$17-48.00

Fifty members of The Knox society attended a business meeting of the group Tuesday night at the library. Mrs. Robert Brown was installed as new president of the society, succeeding Mrs. John Sarakian. Other officers installed were: Mrs. R. E. Thompson, vice president; Mrs. Raymond Todd, recording secretary; Mrs. Rayl Morgan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Robert Quinn, treasurer. Reports were given by the various executive classes on the work done during the past year and it was announced the first project for the coming year would be a rummage sale to be held in the event house on Saturday, October 15.



Right: The Todds built this home at 307 W. Summit St.
Below: George and Jesse Todd, Geneva and Ray Todd accepting an award for Todd and Son

The Todd home at 204 W. North Street



RUTH ROBESON TOLEN



Ruth Tolen accomplished a great deal in her relatively short life. Though she died when she was only 50, she reared a family, contributed to her community right to her final days, and brought music to those around her.

Ruth Lorraine Robeson was born to Webb and Emma McDowell Robeson on February 7, 1922 in Franklin, Indiana. She graduated from Camden High School in 1940 and went on to study piano at Jordan Conservatory. She also attended Indiana Central Business College.

On December 25, 1941 she married Joseph Tolen, from Flora - a young man she met at a table tennis tournament when they were teenagers. They were separated as young marrieds, while Joe served in WWII and was stationed in Australia. When he returned, they moved to Delphi. Ruth and Joe had two children: Carol and Robert. The Tolens moved to the Hill in 1950, living at 204 E. North Street. Ruth died June 20, 1972.

Ruth was a professional woman, working as a bookkeeper at Camden Elevator and at a grain brokerage firm in Indianapolis, Deputy Registration Clerk in the County Clerk's office, a Veterans' Services Officer, and Circuit Court Clerk. She was the Republican candidate for County Recorder in 1964. She became Executive Secretary for the Selective Service Board, a position she held for 8 years. Hill kids - and kids all over Delphi - remember Ruth as a piano teacher. She was a talented musician, often sought to provide entertainment at local events and weddings and to accompany singers and choirs.

Ruth was active in a number of community organizations. She was President of the Tri Kappa chapter and served on the Tri Kappa State Art Committee. She held various offices with the American Legion Auxiliary and was appointed District Activity Chairman. A life-long Republican, Ruth was Treasurer of the Carroll County Young Republicans and a member of Carroll County Republican Women. She was a Girl Scout Troop Leader and a Cub Scout Den Mother, and she belonged to Eastern Star and the Carroll County Country Club. As a member of the Delphi Presbyterian Church, she served as a Sunday and Vacation Bible School teacher, Sunday School Superintendent, Vice President of the Presbyterian Women's Association, and Program Chairman for the Martha Circle.

In 1963, the Tolens hosted a foreign exchange student from Brazil; and Ruth took another teenager under her wing.

Like most of the Hill doyennes, Ruth enjoyed playing bridge; and she belonged to several bridge clubs. She liked to entertain, and she and Joe often hosted family gatherings and dinner parties.

Hill neighbor James Borton remembered Ruth: "She was a generous and wonderful woman. Her music - from Ravel to Beethoven - caused many of us to stop dead in our tracks, even during our basketball games on the Tolen's gravel court. I think her music inspired my 3-point shots."

Son Bob summed up his mother the best: "She was a beautiful woman, inside and out. I was blessed to have such a good mother."

- Circuit Court Clerk
- Executive Secretary Selective Service Board
- Musician and Piano Teacher
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
 - . President
 - . State Art Committee
- American Legion Auxiliary
 - . Second Vice President
 - . Third Vice President
 - . Second District Activity Chairman
- Treasurer Carroll County Young Republicans
- Carroll County Republican Women
- Girl Scouts Troop Leader
- Boy Scout Den Mother
- Delphi Presbyterian Church
 - . Sunday School Superintendent
 - . Vacation Bible School Teacher
 - . Sunday School Teacher
 - . Vice President Women's Association
 - . Program Chairman Martha Circle
- Eastern Star
- Carroll County Country Club



Tenth Grade: President, Vernon Frantz; Vice-President, Gerald Wise; Secretary-Treasurer, Ruth Robeson; Sponsor, Mr. Michaels.

Eleventh Grade: President, Dr. Bolt Shafer; Vice-President, Bobby Pettimer; Secretary-Treasurer, Edwin Wise; Sponsor, Mr. Hunt.

Twelfth Grade: President, Paul Bechtold; Vice-President, Lou Price; Secretary, Chester Bruvont; Treasurer, Frances Storratt; Sponsor, Miss Wolf.

Summing Society: President, Martha Eikenberry; Vice-President, Agnes Raber; Recording Secretary, Marjorie Shank; Treasurer, Pauline Hicks; Corresponding Secretary, Ruth Robeson.

CAMDEN.
Members of the Young People's class of the Lutheran Sunday school, taught by Miss Ruth Robeson, spent several days camping at Lake Bruce. Mrs. Ed Johnson and Mrs. Webb Robeson accompanied the group.



The Tolen home at 204 E. North Street

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tolen and family moved Saturday to the home they recently purchased in South Delphi. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Debbas are moving from the Shavano apartment to the apartment vacated by the Tolens.



RUTH ROBESON WEDS PVT. JOE TOLEN IN CHRISTMAS WEDDING

Delphi Citizen 1-1-1942
**HOME OF BRIDE'S PARENTS IN
CAMDEN IS SCENE OF
LOVELY CEREMONY**

Miss Ruth Lorraine Robeson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Robeson of near Camden, and Private Joe R. Tolen were married in a beautiful ceremony held on Christmas day at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. Tolen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tolen of Flora.

The double ring ceremony was read by candlelight before an improvised altar of ferns and baskets of red and white carnations. The Rev. George Schroyer of the Camden Lutheran church officiated. Bridal airs, "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," "Indian Love Call," and "I Love You Truly" were sung by Miss Mary Tolen, sister of the bridegroom. She was accompanied by Mrs. Jack Thompson, also a sister of the bridegroom.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin fashioned on princess lines with white pearl design at the neckline. She carried American Beauty roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Delores Caldwell, wore a gown of blue marquette with insertion of pastel pink lace. Her corsage was of sweet peas and chrysanthemums. Miss Betty Joyce Kubic, niece of the bride, was ringbearer and carried the rings in a white chrysanthemum. Her gown was of pastel pink taffeta.

House Democrat 5-21-1942
A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mrs. Harold Sink Thursday evening of last week, in honor of Mrs. Joe Tolen, a recent bride, whose husband is in service and is now stationed in Australia.

The mother of the bride wore a black crepe gown with black accessories. A plum colored gown with black accessories was chosen by the mother of the bridegroom. Both wore corsages of white and pink carnations. Mr. Thompson was the bridegroom's best man. Mr. Tolen, who is stationed at Camp Edwards, Mass., wore the conventional army uniform.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the immediate families and close friends. A lovely two-tiered wedding cake in pink and white with miniature bride and groom decoration was served with ice cream.

The couple left on a short wedding trip with the bride travelling in a black fitted crepe dress with long torso waist and accordion pleated skirt. She wore a pearl necklace, a gift of her mother and father. An oatmeal colored tweed coat with a natural fur collar and black accessories completed the costume.

Mrs. Tolen graduated from the Camden high school in 1940. She is a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and the Camden Lutheran church. She is now employed as bookkeeper at the Camden Elevator Company. Mr. Tolen is a graduate of the Flora high school with the class of 1937. He was formerly part owner of the Flora Cleaners before being inducted into the service of the army.

Camden News-Record 8-11-1942
Mrs. Ruth Tolen who has been employed in the office of the Camden Elevator Co., has been promoted to an office of the company in Indianapolis. Miss Mary Kinsey has taken the place of Mrs. Tolen at the local office.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Robeson have purchased the Dr. John Walker building on West Main street and will move his East End Electric & Plumbing Shop to the new location. Extensive repairs, cleaning, etc. are underway. They and Edward Ernest Johnson have entered into a partnership. They hope to be open in their new location by May 15.

In the west side of the building Mrs. Ruth Tolen and Roger Wagner will establish an up-to-date laundry and dry cleaning plant. The rear of the building has been torn away to make room for a cement block boiler room. This will also house most of the necessary machinery needed to carry on the business. No change in the apartment stairs is anticipated.



RUTH TOLEN NEW SELECTIVE SERVICE CLERK



Mrs. Ruth L. Tolen, 204 East North Street, Delphi, has been appointed clerk of the Carroll County Selective Service Board No. 7.

The office on the third floor of the courthouse in Delphi will be open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 8:30 a. m. to 12:30 noon and 12:30 to 4:30 p. m. The office will be closed Wednesdays and Saturdays. The office will be closed this Thursday, June 18th, and also Thursday and Friday, June 25 and 26.

Mrs. Tolen, the former Ruth Robeson, is married to Joe R. Tolen, former Veterans Service Officer and Circuit Clerk. She has extensive office experience and has served as Deputy Registration Clerk in the Carroll Circuit Clerk's office. Mrs. Tolen replaces Mrs. Mabel Brown, who resigned. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

ROBESON REUNION

The Robeson reunion will be held Sunday, July 5th, at the west enclosed pavilion at Dyanman Park. The program will be a carry-in dinner at 12:30 p. m. Mrs. Joe Tolen is president; Edna Robeson, vice president; and Mrs. LeRoy Robeson, Jr., secretary-treasurer. *Delphi Journal 6-22-1964*

CUB SCOUTS MEET

South Delphi Cub Scout pack met in the Scout cabin with 26 boys and their parents attending. Total attendance was 148. Don S. of which Mrs. William Coffey and Mrs. Joe Felix are den mothers, led in the opening ceremony. Don J. Mrs. Morris Howland, den mother, presented a stant and Don 2. Mrs. Joe Tolen, den mother, presented closing. *Delphi Journal 6-22-1964*

BONNET BREAKFAST

Mrs. Howard Bradshaw, of Delphi, has been named a member of the Indianapolis Synonymy committee of the Lafayette branch. Mrs. Robert Bradshaw of Delphi was named to the committee last year. A large number of Delphi women are planning to attend the annual Bonnet Breakfast, Wednesday at 9:30 in the Purdue Union building. Mrs. Robert Bradshaw is in charge of ticket sales here. Those from Delphi who will be among the models for the showing of hats will be Mrs. John DeJanyne, Mrs. John Pastor, Mrs. Ralph Motta, Mrs. John Curry and Mrs. Joe Tolen. *Delphi Journal 6-22-1964*

ITALIAN SPAGHETTI SAUCE

- 3 medium chopped onions (hot)
- 3 cloves garlic (minced)
- 8 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1 lb. ground chuck
- 1 lb. ground pork
- (or 2 lbs. lean ground beef)
- 1 46 oz. (large) can tomato juice
- 3 6 oz. cans contadine tomato paste
- 3 tablespoons salt
- 1 teaspoon ground red pepper
- 1 tablespoon Parmesan cheese (grated)

Brown onions and garlic in 4 tablespoons of vegetable oil until tender. Add ground beef and pork and cook until brown. In a separate pan mix tomato paste and juice until completely homogenized. Add remaining 4 tablespoons of oil and mix again. The paste, juice and oil are heated to a simmer — stir every 7 to 10 minutes. After an hour the sauce should be thick enough to add 1 tablespoon Parmesan cheese. To the sauce, add browned meat and onion mixture. Then add pepper, salt and stir. Simmer 15 to 20 minutes. Makes 8-10 sauce servings.

Mrs. Joe Tolen
204 East North Street
Delphi, Indiana

ELECT OFFICERS

Officers of the Women's Association of the Delphi Presbyterian Church have been elected and installed as follows: Mrs. George Owen, president; Mrs. Joe Tolen, first vice president; Mrs. J. M. Hasard, second vice president; Miss Hilda Brown, secretary; Mrs. Robert Gros, treasurer; Mrs. John DeJanyne, chairman; Martha Currie; Mrs. Albert Denk, chairman; Mary Circle; Mrs. Della Wood, chairman; Rachel Circle; Mrs. George Todd, chairman; Ruth Circle.

PIANO RECITAL

Piano pupils of Mrs. Ruth Tolen will be presented in recital tonight (Thursday) at the RIMCO auditorium. Participating will be James Walker, David Henderson, Carol Ann Tolen, Cora Lee Wheeler, Peggy Howell, Alice Cooper, Nancy Howell, Michael Puckard, Shellen Caray, Olenka Benzer and Patricia Coghill. Mrs. Edna McKay of route 3, Delphi, will give vocal selections during the recital. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETINGS POSTPONED

The scheduled meeting of the Auxiliary of Harry Bohannon Post No. 78 of the American Legion has been postponed from Sept. 21 to Sept. 24, due to conflict with the date of the National Convention. Members and committee please take note. The theme of the month is "Mans". And the committee consists of the following: Ruth Tolen, chairman; Bernice Burroughs, Betty Kirkpatrick, Louise Pirapared, Patsy Hinton, Gladys Madson, Mary Paul, Lillian Thompson, Edna Taylor, Lou Wood, Mary Valice and Magge Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. John T. Kirkpatrick was installed as president of the Auxiliary Unit of Harry Bohannon Post, No. 78, American Legion, in an impressive service Tuesday night at the Legion home. Mrs. Louise Matthews of Otterburn, district president of the Auxiliary, was the installing officer. Others installed were: Edna Kerlin, first vice; Ruth Tolen, second vice; Mary Hodge Clifford, third vice; Helen Talbot, recording secretary; Louise Popelar, corresponding secretary; Ben Carey, treasurer; Eve Davidson, historian; Opal Bowman, art-at-arms; Helen Robson, chaplain; Blanche Burroughs, parliamentarian.

YOUNG GOP GROUP NAMES OFFICERS

Permanent officers for the Carroll County Young Republican club were chosen last week at an organizational meeting and club supper held Thursday night at the Deer Creek convention club. Delmar Bailey of Madison township was named president of the organization, which now has more than 400 members who have elected the roster since the campaign began. Other officers named include James Davis, secretary and Ruth Tolen, treasurer. Irene Sims had been serving as secretary.

The annual Christmas program of the Delphi Elementary School will be presented Tuesday evening, December 18, at 7:30, in the multipurpose room of the Hillcrest school.

A combined group of girls and boys from the fifth and sixth grades will sing under the direction of Miss Rachel Hoskins. The two choruses from Hillcrest and Monroe Street schools will perform separate programs. A girls ensemble will sing four selections, and a boys group will sing one number. The combined chorus numbers are one hundred and will sing for the final portion of the program. Mrs. Joe Tolen will be the accompanist for the evening.

Delphi Journal 3-25-1964 Ruth L. Tolen Announces For County Recorder

Ruth L. Tolen announces her candidacy for Recorder of Carroll County. Mrs. Tolen, the former Ruth Robeson, is married to Joe R. Tolen, formerly of Flora, and she is the mother of two teenage children. Carol will graduate from Delphi High School this spring and is enrolled in Indiana University for next year. Mrs. Tolen is a freshman in high school. Mrs. Tolen is a lifelong Republican and Carroll County resident. She has had extensive office experience and has she will continue to fulfill the duties of the Recorder. Mrs. Tolen was bookkeeper at the Landis Elevator before working for a large grain brokerage firm in Indianapolis. She also has served as deputy registration clerk in the County Clerk's Office. Mrs. Tolen graduated from Camden High School, studied piano at Zoras Conservatory and attended Indiana Central Business College. She is an active member of the Delphi Presbyterian Church, Tri Kappa Sorority and American Legion Auxiliary. She has also been active in the Eastern Star, and Girl and Boy Scout Organizations. If elected, Ruth plans a courteous and efficient administration of the Recorder's Office. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

Tri Kappa Sorority Holds Initiation, Elects Officers

Tri Kappa Sorority held initiation services on Tuesday, June 13, at the Delphi Methodist Church. Ruth Tolen, president, assisted by Esther Wilcox, Jo Ann Johnson, Louise Gribben and Cathy Smith, inducted Margarette Hoewer, Mary Ellen Johnson, Lynn Koller and Jane Woods into membership. Ann Campbell and Marian Michael will be initiated at a later date. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

County Clerk and Mrs. Joe Tolen had two children, of Delphi, returned home last week-end after a weeks outing and fishing trip to Venetian Lake, Tower, Wis.

Delphi Citizen 6-17-1954

The 34th annual gathering of the 12th chapter of Delphi will be held Wednesday evening, July 14 on the grounds of the Hillcrest school. It was announced today by John Pastor, president of the Cliff Dwellers. Gerold Clawson has been chosen to give the address of welcome and Arnold Todd will respond for the new residents of the Hill. George McCain will give the prayer. In addition to Mr. Pastor, officers of the organization are: William Myer, vice president; Mrs. Raymond High, secretary; Norman Ehrlie, treasurer; Mrs. John T. Kirkpatrick, historian. Committees appointed for the event are: Nomination: John Kirkpatrick, chairman; Duane Lamb, Robert Wood, Morris Skiles; program, Mrs. Tom Peters, chairman, Mrs. Robert Brown, Harold Berry, Dr. E. S. Emerson, Mrs. William Freeman and W. E. Weyer; food arrangement, Mrs. Leonard Blythe, chairman, Mrs. Joe Tolen, Mrs. Edgie Wingard, Mrs. Yantis Walls, Mrs. G. O. Jullius.

Children of members of the Carroll County Country club were entertained at a Halloween party in the clubhouse. Hostesses were Mrs. Howard Bradshaw, Mrs. Tom Peters, Mrs. George Ravington, Mrs. Joe Tolen, Mrs. Robert Wood and Mrs. Harold Tallant. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

Mrs. Nelson Howell has been elected president of the Women's association of the Presbyterian church for another year starting next month. Other officers are Mrs. Garfield Shaffer and Mrs. Edna Fustain, vice-presidents; Mrs. Levi Foyt, secretary; Mrs. Ira Fisher, treasurer. Circle chairmen are: Rachel, Mrs. Della Wood; Ruth, Mrs. Carl Howell; Mary, Miss Myrtle Purrier; Sarah, Mrs. Flora Peck; Martha, Mrs. Albert Smith. Program chairmen of the circles are: Rachel, Mrs. George Todd; Ruth, Mrs. Gerold Clawson; Mary, Miss Rose Fisher; Sarah, Mrs. Leroy Bobbitt; Martha, Mrs. Joe Tolen. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

CONVENTION DELEGATES

Delegates from the Delphi American Legion auxiliary to the state convention 'Aug. 9-11 at French Lick are Eva Davidson and Helen Talbot. Alternates are Pauline Moore and Bess Carey. Mrs. Davidson has been appointed second district rehabilitation chairman and Mrs. Ruth Tolen, second district activity chairman. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

CHURCH RALLY

Rally Day was held Sunday at the Delphi Presbyterian church when church school students were advanced and teachers given recognition. The new church school year started with the following teachers: Nursery, Mrs. Robert Quinn, Mrs. Jack Quinn; kindergarten, Mrs. John Pastor, Mrs. Marcus Haggard; primary, Mrs. Wanda Mason, Mrs. Morris Skiles; juniors, Mrs. Joe Tolen, superintendent; Mrs. John R. Connelly, Mrs. E. S. Emerson; junior high school students, Mrs. Robert Seher; senior high school students, Mrs. Raymond Orr; Assisted class, Arthur Ritchey; Tuckabetches. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*



Ruth with Bob, Carol, and Joe

DELPHI — A daily vacation Bible school will start Monday in the Delphi Presbyterian church and will continue each day during the week from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Children of kindergarten, primary and junior ages will attend. Volunteer assistants thus far are Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Joe Tolen, Mrs. Harvey Haws, Mrs. Kenneth Nowell, Mrs. Delores Thomson, Mrs. Malvin Jackson, Rev. James Hamilton pastor of the church also will assist. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

Dr. and Mrs. Tom Brown who are leaving for Houston, Texas in the near future were given a number of farewell parties recently. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Todd and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Clauson entertained them at a dinner party and their bridge club entertained them at an all-day picnic at the Hargraves cottage. It was the annual picnic for the bridge club whose members are: Mr. and Mrs. John Pastor, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tolen, Mr. and Mrs. Norm Ervin, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Myers, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lettich, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlette Smith. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

LEGION AUXILIARY

An impressive meeting of Harry Bohannon Unit No. 78 of the American Legion Auxiliary was held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 20, honoring three Old Star members. Mrs. Blanche Baker, Mrs. Amelia Howe and Mrs. Vera Ward. Dessert was served from small tables with Old Star appointments and lighted tapers. Officers Harkins Kerkhoff paid tribute to the guests in song, accompanied by Ruth Tolen at the piano. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

TRI KAPPA

Gamma Alpha chapter of Kappa Kappa met at the Library Tuesday evening. Mrs. Gene Lahr, retiring president, installed the following new officers: Mrs. Ed Johnson, Jr., president; Mrs. Joe Tolen, vice president; Mrs. John T. Smith, recording secretary; Mrs. Arnold Abbott and Mrs. Abel Alvarez will continue in their offices as corresponding secretary and treasurer, respectively. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

Trump 21, 4th grade girls from Hillcrest school, met March 19, half of the troop with their leader, Mrs. Joe Tolen, and a woodland trail and the other half led by Mrs. John Walker. Followed by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson was a clue to one of the 18 Old Star keys. Before going on the girls had to write out the key described. The trail led half way to the regular meeting place. At this point the Mrs. Tolen leaders became trail followers and were finally led to the Tolen home where the clue said "Make a circle and everyone repeat the 'Old Star Promise'". The leaders then presented the first verse and Old Star Bible to the 18 girls: Cheryl Carpe, Christina Burlew, Thelma Purn, Paul Lettich, Sandra Hill, Barbara Hill, Carol Tolen, Shirley Hayden, Linda Williams, Edna Walker, Edna Jaster, Joyce Page and Mary Lee Smith. Refreshments were served and the girls made plans to start on the second clue today. *Delphi Journal 6-18-1964*

Miss Barcellos is shown with her hosts for the year, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tolen. About 30 people attended the event Monday night, including officers of the AFS and representatives of the sponsoring organizations.

Hooster Democrat 6-22-1972
Ruth L. Tolen
Mrs. Ruth L. Tolen, 50, passed away at her residence on Rt. 1, Battle Ground, at 6:45 a.m. Tuesday. She had been ill six months. Born February 7, 1922, in Franklin, Ind., she was the daughter of Webb W. and Emma McDowell Robeson. Her marriage December 25, 1941, at Camden was to Joe R. Tolen. Mrs. Tolen was executive secretary of the Selective Service office in Carroll County the past eight years. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church, American Legion Auxiliary, Rose Chapter Order of the Eastern Star, and past president of Tri Kappa Sorority, all of Delphi. Surviving with the husband are one son, Robert; a daughter, Carol A. Tolen of Charlotte, N. C.; a sister, Mrs. Ellen Hawn of Lebanon; and two foster brothers, Edward E. Kubie of Toledo, Ohio, and William J. Barker of Miami, Oklahoma. Friends may call at Lloyd Funeral Home in Delphi where services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday. The Rev. Frederick L. Lanan will officiate and interment will be in Paint Creek Cemetery, northeast of Camden.



FAYE HITCHCOCK UNDERHILL



My earliest memory of Faye Underhill is her picking up my mom for some Tri Kappa event in the 1950s. I thought she was so beautiful, and Mom really liked her. So it was very meaningful to Shelley and me that Faye came to Mom's farewell celebration in 2014, participating in the traditional Tri Kappa tribute. She was as lovely as I remembered from that first encounter.

Faye Hitchcock was born January 28, 1935 in Tennessee to Leonard and Julia Hash Hitchcock. She graduated from Delphi High School in 1954 and attended Patricia Stevens Modeling School in Chicago. She married Gerry Underhill on May 15, 1955 at the Delphi Presbyterian Church. They had four children: Blake, Julie, Blair and Jill. Gerry died in 2013.

Faye and Gerry lived in Albuquerque for several years, where Gerry worked at Sandia Air Force Base. In 1961, they moved to Kankakee, Illinois for a short stint. In Delphi, they lived several places on the Hill, including the Fitch Apartment (107 E North), the Campbell Apartment (116 W. North), 908 S. Hamilton, and 816 S. Hamilton. In 1966, they bought 226 W. North Street, beginning a family tradition of owning that home that continues today.

Faye was a business woman, owning Harley's Restaurant and working with Gerry in his business endeavors. She also was active in politics and local government. She was appointed Councilman-At-Large in 1977, and she served as Secretary for the Robert Peterson for State Senate Committee in 1976. She was a member of the Downtown Revitalization Task Force, the Delphi Main Street Association, and the Forestry Commission. Faye belonged to the Democrat Women's Club, and she registered voters and worked many elections.

Faye also worked in philanthropy and as a volunteer. She has been very active for many years in both the active and associate Tri Kappa chapters. She was a Little League Mother and a Brownie Scout Troop Leader. She volunteered for the Carroll County Blood Bank.

Faye and Gerry are well known as benefactors and strong supporters of the Wabash and Erie Canal Association. They donated a portion of the canal that ran through their land to the Association, helping to expand Delphi's Historic Trails. Faye served on the Board for the Association and has remained a strong supporter.

Faye and Gerry were one of those golden couples - real partners in life. Daughter Julie Underhill Buckingham paid tribute to them: "Blessed to have them as my Mom and Dad." And we were lucky to have them on the Hill.

- Owner Harley's Restaurant
- Appointed Delphi Councilman-at-large (1977)
- Secretary Robert Peterson for State Senate Committee (1976)
- Delphi Main Street Association
- Downtown Revitalization Task Force
- Forestry Commission
- Democrat Women's Club
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
- Board of Directors Wabash and Erie Canal Association
- Little League Mother Captain
- Brownie Scout Troop Leader
- Bloodbank Volunteer
- Rainbow

Miss Lamb and Miss Hitchcock were at Chicago for several days when they were the special guests to attend the Patricia Stevens Modeling school in Chicago. They were accompanied by Miss Lamb, sister of Faye's, whose girls were featured in Miss Delphi High school.

Miss Lamb and Miss Hitchcock were at a lovely surprise party for Faye Hitchcock, who was celebrating her birthday. The party was celebrated at the home of Miss Hitchcock.

Miss Hitchcock was crowned Miss Delphi during the Centennial Ball Saturday night in the Delphi armory. She is shown above as Former Governor Henry F. Schrieker, of Knox, placed the crown on her head. Others in her court are, from left to right: Mrs. Faye Hitchcock Underhill (sponsored by Associate Tri Kappa); Jane Ann Kirkedandani (sponsored by Burlington Band Parents); Betty Jane Sanderson (sponsored by Camden Lions Club); Doris Shulteis (sponsored

Musicians Rate 5 "First" In State Contest At Butler
Delphi musicians who appeared in the state solo and ensemble contest at Butler last Saturday rated 5 first divisions out of 11 cities. The five winners were Robert "Bert" Johnson, who was first with both his trombone and baritone solo; Jean Jones, first in Bassoon; The second ensemble, composed of Linda Hale, Beverly Dillman, Patricia Redert, Faye Hitchcock, Joe Wessels, Cheryl Underhill, Jerry Crane and Buddy Brierley, captured a first and the third ensemble, composed of Winabeth Ives, Hazel Bowen, Beverly and Susan Bowman, Mary McCarty and Kay Shaw.

Delphi Class 9-1952
Group Of Delphi Girls Chose Camp At Tecumseh
Climaxing the camping season, a group of Delphi girls, accompanied by Mrs. Hall, camp leader at Camp Tecumseh, enjoyed Friday night and Saturday at the camp. They spent the night at Glens Cabin, then talked back to the lodge for breakfast. Boating, swimming and a table tennis tournament were the features of the day.
After such a delightful experience, the girls decided to make this an annual affair. Those attending were: Catherine Taylor, Susan Beach, Miriam Park, Linda Hale and Faye Hitchcock.



Miss Virginia (Ginger) Sanderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sanderson of Delphi, was crowned "Miss Centennial" during festivities at the Centennial Ball Saturday night in the Delphi armory. Ginger was sponsored by Globe Valve Corporation. She is shown above as Former Governor Henry F. Schrieker, of Knox, placed the crown on her head. Others in her court are, from left to right: Mrs. Faye Hitchcock Underhill (sponsored by Associate Tri Kappa); Jane Ann Kirkedandani (sponsored by Burlington Band Parents); Betty Jane Sanderson (sponsored by Camden Lions Club); Doris Shulteis (sponsored by Rural Youth); Beverly Richardson (sponsored by American Legion Auxiliary); Governor Schrieker; Miss Sanderson; Miss Miriam Parks, runner-up in the contest and who reigns as "Miss Columbia" during the contest (sponsored by Women of the Moose); Barbara Dillman, third place winner in the contest (sponsored by Bassett & Talbert); Beverly Bittler (sponsored by Ed Iota XI); Nancy Bowen (sponsored by Tri Kappa); Kaye McMurray (sponsored by Business and Professional Women); Lois Young (sponsored by Wynkoop Pharmacy); Fitzgerald Jewelry Store; Herb Smith; Building Loan Association; Gamble's Store; Bassett & Talbert; Wynkoop Pharmacy; Paul Johnson Ford; Hargraves Motor Sales; Ben Franklin Store; A & P Grocery; Little Dress Shop; Elkemerry Funeral Home; Lair Motors; Rub-A-Dub Drive In; Carroll Telephone Co.; Stark Beauty Salon; McCain's Jewelry Store; Oaks and Shaffer Standard Service; Hatton's Gift and Record Shop; Leavell & Bates; Harry Reed Insurance Agency; Union Bank & Trust Company; Delphi Citizen and the Roxy Theatre.
Photo by Herb Smith
Delphi Citizen 8-11-1955

Weddings
HITCHCOCK-UNDERHILL
Miss Faye Hitchcock will become the bride of Gerry Underhill of Delphi in a ceremony to be read at 1:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon in the Delphi Presbyterian church. Rev. James Wm Rankin will officiate. Attending the couple will be Joyce Lamb as maid of honor and Robert Sullivan as best man. Friends of the couple are invited to the wedding.

WHEN FAYE Hitchcock Underhill left the Presbyterian church as a bride Sunday afternoon, she threw her bridal bouquet to her attendants. As tradition has it, the person catching the bouquet will be the next bride. We can start expecting an announcement from Joyce Lamb in the immediate future.
Delphi Citizen 5-19-1955



MR. AND MRS. GERRY Lee Underhill were united in marriage on Sunday, May 15, at the Delphi Presbyterian church. Mrs. Underhill is the former Miss Faye Hitchcock, who is employed at the Union Bank and Trust company in Delphi. Her husband has been sent to Camp Kilmer, N. J., and expects to be sent over seas in the near future. He is with the U. S. Air Force and was stationed in California before his marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Underhill are his parents. The bride is residing with her mother, Mrs. Julia Hitchcock of East Main street, Delphi, while her husband is in the service.
Photo by Rodkey



Carroll County Comet 8-4-2002

PROMOTING pork helps the producers help their suppliers. That philosophy underlies the establishment of HARLEY'S restaurant by Gerry and Faye Underhill. They also own two companies that make and sell swine equipment.

Faye Underhill elected to Delphi Council



Faye Underhill was elected to the position of Delphi City Councilman at large in a Democratic Party caucus held Friday evening, Nov. 11, at the City Building. She will replace Beverly B. Berninger, who resigned from the post.

Under a new law in effect this year, precinct committees of the same party as the person vacating the office must caucus and vote on a successor. Candidates file their intention for consideration prior to the meeting.

Because Berninger is a Democrat, County Chairman John Robert Connelly was caucus chairman, and the vote was taken from Jean A. Cook, Claude R. Johnson and Charles

Everett Moore, Democratic Precinct Committee. Hope Conroy also filed candidacy. Underhill is the wife of Gerry Underhill, and the daughter of Julia Fricke of Beech Grove. Carroll County Comet 11-16-1997



Carroll County Comet 12-21-1994

OPEN HOUSE — 18th District Democratic Senatorial candidate Robert Peterson of Rochester, left, was honored recently at Open House at the Carroll County Democrat Headquarters in Delphi. Other Democratic candidates, officials and county precinct workers attended. Shown with him are Faye Underhill of Delphi, secretary of the Peterson for Senate Committee, and Michael Guckien, county coordinator. Herb Smith Photo.

The Democratic Women's Club will host a registration supper at the DELPHI at 8:00 p.m. Members for the upcoming candidates at the city offices of Delphi and Cambridge.

Neda Bushman, chairman, will be assisted by Margaret Vandross, Sue Phelan, Mary Kelly, Marlene Phipps, Mary Ann Smith, Faye Underhill, Carol Gorman, and JoAnn Washburn and Louise Denton.



members pictured are (l-r): Front - Shirleen Dismitt, Faye Underhill, Donabelle Sieber, Marjorie Cafford, Middle - Tina Tyner, Pat Giltman, Joan Maxwell, Mary Helen Abbott, Standing - Mary Brown, Pat Duff and Mary DeFord. Not pictured are Marsha Rossetter and Linda Carroll. Photo provided Carroll County Comet 11-18-2009

Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa has been busy making ribbons for the Love Lights a Tree fundraiser for the American Cancer Society. Love Lights A Tree is a special celebration held each December to honor loved ones who have fought the battle of cancer. For a small donation, a ribbon ornament is placed on a special tree throughout the holiday season. To order a ribbon or for more information, contact Pat Duff at (574) 967-3329 or Karen Guckien at (574) 859-2631. Associate Chapter



Ceremonial tree planting

Community members planted a Black Gum Tree in commemoration of National Arbor Day last week on Delphi Middle School grounds in honor of National Arbor Day. The ceremony was part of an April 26 program hosted by the seventh grade. The tree was donated to the middle school by the Delphi Forestry Commission and was put into the ground near the outdoor lab behind the school. Delphi students have planted more than 20,000 trees in and around the city in the past ten years, according to sponsor and seventh grade teacher Alan McConnell. Working hard to ensure a proper beginning for the tree, from left to right, are Delphi City Council member William Miller, council president Carolyn Pearson, council member Carol Dickman, student Stefany Mayhew, middle school principal Robert De-LaRosa, superintendent Ralph Walker and forestry commission members Kyle Germond and Faye Underhill. DNR Urban Forester Pam Louks is in front holding the tree.

Carroll County Comet 5-2-2007

PROPERTIES SOLD. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wagner have purchased the amount that property on South Hamilton Street. Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Underhill will sell their property on North Street. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller who have been selling the Wagner property on North Street. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller who have been selling the Wagner property on North Street. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller who have been selling the Wagner property on North Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Underhill and their family moved Monday from their residence property on North Street to Cambridge, Indiana, where Mr. Underhill is now employed. They have moved their home to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wagner's property on North Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Underhill of South Delphi have purchased the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Peters at 206 West North Street in South Delphi and plan to move there in the future.

Bonnie Trump No. 10 visits at the Delphi Library each Friday afternoon. Members are Vicky Overholser, Melissa Mize, Debra Kline, Leslie Adams, Janice Adams, Doree Higgins, Jerry Laska, Mary Bell, Debra Thompson, Julia Underhill, Nancy Sherman, Cathy Harmon, Brenda Haskins, Dorothy Smith, Susan McMillan, Judy Yonke and Ann Peters. Mrs. Gerry Underhill and Mrs. David Stone are the leaders.

Joe and Jean Van Arman of Brookton have purchased Harley's on U.S. 421 West of Delphi. The restaurant was opened a few years ago by Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Underhill.

Janice and seniors had the opportunity to register to vote last Wednesday. Mrs. Mary Ives and Mrs. Fay Underhill were the representatives who registered the electors. Anyone who will be 18 by election day in November is eligible to register.

Delphi Main Street has added to the holiday spirit in Delphi. Recently, the organization purchased new lights for the courtyard because the old ones no longer worked, and had not been put up in the past few years. Pat Clawson, a member of Delphi Main Street, suggested the idea and installed the lights. In addition, Faye Underhill and Robynne McCarrack, both of Delphi Main Street, have placed greenery and red bows in the flower pots downtown.

DELPHI — The city of Delphi is changing the landscape with the creation of the Delphi Tree Manual. The project began when Rotary Commission member Faye Underhill spoke to the former mayor about the trees around the courthouse. "They look horrible. I want to see a place in Lafayette and realized it's a pretty major thing. It wasn't until she came along we were going to do some thing," said Underhill.

Carroll County Comet 5-21-2003
Associate Chapter
Eighteen members of the Delphi Associate Chapter of Tri Kappa met at the Stone House Restaurant and Bakery for lunch and a meeting.

Norm Miller gave a talk on ovarian cancer. There will be a Cheryl Miller Cancer Walk on Sept. 13. Money from the event will be used for research and educating women about ovarian cancer.

Donabelle Sieber, Joan Nelson, Mary Wesner and Faye Underhill were honored at the anniversary party for their many years of membership.

The last spot on the board, the Delphi Democrat appointed two years ago having James Sanger, the executive candidate. She is a housewife and secretary with four children. He has been a member of the board since he was three months old and works in Lafayette. Sanger has strong feelings about the mayor winning a full-time job in January. He doesn't think it's necessary. Underhill is concerned about street conditions and work done in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Underhill announce the buying of new building which will accommodate the Carroll County AISC Office.

The new building is located about one and a quarter miles south of Delphi on the east side of U. S. 421 across the highway from the Williams S. Smith site.

Several years ago Gerry and Faye Underhill donated the land along the 160-year-old man-made waterway to the canal association. This is now part of a seven-mile Delphi Historic Trails system.



By Rick Bruner/For the Journal and Courier
Ready to cut the ribbon on the recently installed tunnel which completes the Delphi Historic Trails system are Ed Gruber (left), Lee Horde, Joe Mayfield, Dan McCain, Lew Davis, Faye Underhill, Gerry Underhill and Delphi Chamber president Krista Watson. Lafayette Journal Courier 6-11-2006

Underhills to celebrate 45th

Carroll County Comet 5-10-2000



Gerry and Faye Underhill, 412 E. Main Street, Delphi, will celebrate their 45th wedding anniversary on May 15.

Underhill and the former, Faye Hitchcock, were married May 15, 1955, at Delphi Presbyterian Church. Rev. James Rankin officiated the ceremony. He is the founder and previous owner of Delphi Products. She is a housewife, mother, and previous owner of Harley's Restaurant in Delphi. The couple has three children, Julie Buckingham of Columbus, Ohio; Blair Underhill of Monticello; and Jill Mugg of Delphi. A son, Blake Underhill, is deceased. The couple plans to celebrate the occasion by traveling.



Above: Blake, Julie, and Blair. Below: Faye and Gerry with daughter Jill and Brad Mugg



Those leading canal efforts

Officers of Carroll County Wash and Eric Canal, Inc., Board of Directors are Dan McCain, president; Tim Kinney, vice president; Ed Gruber, treasurer; Frances French, secretary; and Mabel Moore, corresponding secretary.

Other board members are Karen Bradshaw, Amadell Lamb, Terry Lacy, Mark Sloan, Faye Underhill, Dan Yoder, and Mary Cray. Neda Bushman is an Honorary Lifetime Board Member.

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CAROLYN TALBERT WAGNER



- Samuel L. Milroy Award (Delphi's highest honor)
- Mayor of Delphi (1983-1990)
- President North Central Mayors Roundtable
- Main Street Indiana Council
- President Carroll County Board of Realtors
- Certified Residential Specialist
- Carroll County Realtor of the Year (1998)
- Delphi Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors
- Director Girl Scout Day Camps
- Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
- Officer in both Active Chapter and Auxiliary Chapter
- Cub Scout Den Mother
- Delphi Methodist Church
- Carroll County Country Club
- Rainbow



Jerry Wagner



Carolyn Wagner broke through ceilings for women. She was the first woman to be Mayor of Delphi. She was the first woman to belong to the Delphi Rotary Club. She paved the way for women to move into leadership roles in the community that hadn't been open before.

Carolyn Jean Talbert was born August 9, 1938 in West Middleton, Indiana to Harold and Mary Hamilton Talbert. Her family moved to Delphi when she was 5 years old, and Carolyn graduated from Delphi High School in 1956 and Lafayette Business College in 1958. She married Jerry Wagner on August 30, 1958; and they have 4 children: Jeff, Tammy, Joel, and Kyle. They celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary this year. Carolyn and Jerry lived on the Hill until 2002.

Carolyn was the bookkeeper for her father's business, Bassett & Talbert, for Coghill Auto Sales, and for the Lafayette Elks Club. She was the Activities Director for the Delphi Nursing Home. She also was Director of Girl Scout Day Camps.

In 1983, Carolyn was appointed Mayor of Delphi, completing the unexpired term of Mayor Wayne VanSickle. She was elected to continue that job later in 1983 and remained in office through 1990. Among her accomplishments as mayor, she began negotiations for a hog-processing plant south of Delphi, resulting in a boon to the area's economic development; and the city began work on Trailhead Park, a major step toward revitalizing the area's tourist industry and historic preservation efforts. In 1989, she was appointed to a 3-year term on the Main Street Indiana Council, a state sponsored 10-member council offering advice to communities wanting to revitalize their downtown areas.

After her terms as mayor, Carolyn became a realtor, earning the prestigious Certified Residential Specialist designation and the GRI (Graduate Realtor Institute) certification. She was a broker with Rinehart Realtors and Auctioneers for many years and was a member of both the Carroll County Board of Realtors, serving multiple terms as President, and the Lafayette Regional Board of Realtors. She was named Carroll County Realtor of the Year in 1998. She was appointed to a 3-year term on the Board of the Delphi Chamber of Commerce in 1997.

In 2012, Carolyn received the Samuel Milroy Award - Delphi's highest honor - for community leadership and involvement. Mayor Randy Strasser proclaimed January 30, 2012 to be "Carolyn Wagner Day," to recognize her outstanding leadership as a former Mayor and businesswoman.

In addition to her civic service, Carolyn has been an officer in Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority, both in the active and auxiliary chapters; a Cub Scout Den Mother; and a member of the Delphi Methodist Church. She enjoys traveling to Minnesota, a long-time family tradition; fishing; and - most of all - her family... 4 children, 10 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren. There is no doubt that Carolyn is a beloved matriarch.

When I told Carolyn's daughter Tammy that her mom is one of my "doyennes," she said, "That means a lot to me. She's an amazing woman!" Indeed.

Delphi Citizen 12-31-1993

Donna Timmons, Pat Coble, Elizabeth Goff and Kay McMurray served as installing officers Monday night when Delphi chapter of Rainbow for Girls installed new officers.

Miss Beverly Dillman sang "Perfect Day" to Mary Pursi, who is retiring as Worthy Advisor of the group and "My Task" to Joan Benner, the new worthy advisor. Miss Timmons presented a white Bible to Miss Pursi from the assembly.

Virginia Anderson, Marilyn Anderson, Carolyn Talbert, Carol Sue Underhill and Kay Clawson have returned home from Camp Teasdale.

TO TEAL CONFERENCE
Delphi high school's football pit leaders, Carolyn Talbert, Lela Shover and Barbara Dillman are planning to attend a conference for pit leaders at Indiana university on Wednesday, Oct. 14. They will be accompanied by David McMillan as faculty sponsor.

BOARD SHEEP ELECTIONS
Julius H. McGee has been elected president of the Delphi High School Board association with Bill Gies, vice president; Mary Helen Moore, secretary; Connie Spiller, treasurer; and Mary Ann DeBa and Carolyn Talbert, librarians. Miss Headman will serve as student director of the board.

FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS
Standing: Carolyn Talbert and Barbara Dillman. Kneeling: Dorothy Lane.
1956 Delphi Oracle



Delphi Citizen 6-29-1958

BEAUTY CONTEST
A beauty contest, sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, will be held in connection with the celebration. Judging will take place before the parade and the queen will be crowned when the parade ends. The following girls, with their sponsors, have entered the contest:

DEANNA WHITEMAN William Elevator	PATTY TOOLE Burger Equipment	MAIY LOU FARNS Thomas Glass Co.
KAY CLAWSON To Toys	CAROLYN TALBERT Roris Bakery	PATRICIA ROBERTS Bristol Equipment Co.
CAROL McFATRIDGE Tom Barnes, Inc.	COLLEEN DOWNHAM P. S. Viny & Son	GINNY KOPE E. E. Viny & Son
JANICE BEEVER Tom Barnes, Inc.	HELEN CROSBY Curtis Sales Store	RAY McMURRAY Lahr Motor
LINDA LACHENMAIER Jack Brown Bldg.	CAROL HAWN Ray Hagan, Hickey Cafe	JEAN LITTLE Mable Bookend Cafe

DELPHI - Mrs. Jerry Wagner, the former Carolyn Talbert, has been named Delphi Girl Scout day camp director for this season. She has been attending the training sessions at Camp Wildwood at Logansport. Her assistants have not been named. The intermediate and older girls camp will again be at the Baum Woods as it was last year. The dates will be June 18 to 20. The Brownie Scout camp this year will be at the Carroll County Conservation club grounds June 21, 22, 23 and June 25, 26, 27.

Miss Carolyn Talbert has accepted employment as a bookkeeper with the Bear City Club of Lafayette. Miss Talbert began her duties in her new position on Dec. 18.

Carolyn Talbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Talbert, of Delphi, has accepted a job as bookkeeper at the Coghill Printing Plant, replacing Jessica Coghill, who will be leaving at the end of the month. Miss Talbert is a graduate of the local high school and has been attending the Lafayette Business School.

DATES ANNOUNCED FOR GIRL SCOUT DAY CAMP OUTINGS
Mrs. Jerry (Carolyn Talbert) Wagner will be the director of this year's Girl Scout Day Camps. Adult women wishing to assist in the day camps are asked to contact her at 906 South Illinois Street.

TALBERT-WAGNER

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Talbert announce the marriage of their daughter, Carolyn to Jerry Wagner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wagner. The wedding took place Saturday evening, August 30, at the bride's home, which was decorated with palms and pink carnations. Attendants for the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Forrest Howell, were Nancy Ashba, of Lebanon, and Duane Ward. A small reception was held at the home, with cake and punch in the bride's colors.

Guests besides the two families included the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Goldie Hamilton, of West Middleton, and Mrs. Esther Talbert of Delphi.

After a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner are at home at 116 1/2 North St.

Boy Scouts (celebrate 58th Birthday)



Scout Activities on Display - These women were busy Tuesday morning arranging a cub scout display in the windows of Public Service Indiana and Local Finance in observance of Boy Scout Week. Den Mothers or assistants pictured are, left to right, Mrs. Fred Marchand, Mrs. Frank Herron, Mrs. Jerry Wagner and Mrs. Charley.

HONOR NEWLY WEDS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Duff and Mrs. Lela Ashba entertained at a pot-luck supper and musical shower on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Ashba in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wagner, newly-weds. About 25 persons attended the event. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wagner and sons of Logansport were out-of-town guests. The couple received many lovely gifts which had been placed on the dining table centered with a beautiful arrangement of pink and white carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Wagner have established residence in the Hill Campbell apartment on North St.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wagner have purchased the Electric Lebanon property in South Delphi and will move there. The house is currently occupied by the Joe Hagan family.

Carolyn Wagner Is Delphi Mayor

Report from Tribune 1-25-1993

DELPHI — Carolyn Wagner became Delphi's first woman mayor Tuesday night.

Democratic Precinct Commissioner selected her to complete the unexpired term of Mayor Wayne VanSickle.

Wagner, 48, 804 S. Illinois, began her official duties Wednesday when she was sworn in at 8:30 a.m. in the Clerk-Treasurer's office.

Wagner learned of her election shortly after 7:30 p.m. Tuesday when the commission met to decide on their final choice to replace VanSickle, a Democrat, who left Jan. 1 to pursue a job with a consulting engineering firm.

Wagner said she plans to run for mayor in the May primary on the Republican ticket.

The mayor-elect said she was employed with her husband at Bassett & Talbert Oil Co., where she was a bookkeeper. She is a graduate of Delphi High School and Lafayette Business College. She is also a member of the Pu Laka Xi society and the Delphi United Methodist Church. She is a former activities director for the Delphi Nursing Home.

Wagner and her husband are the parents of four children, Jeff, Tracey, Just and Kyle.

"I really haven't had time to think much about this yet," said Wagner when she arrived at City Hall, "but I'm really looking forward to this job."

Wagner said she plans to run for mayor in the May primary on the Republican ticket.



Pledging allegiance to Delphi

Carolyn Wagner was sworn in as the new mayor of Delphi Tuesday night. She is the first woman to hold the office. She was accompanied by her husband, Wayne VanSickle, and other officials.



Lafayette Journal Courier 1-25-1993

Carolyn Wagner Awarded Certified Residential Specialist Designation By The Residential Sales Council

Delphi, May 11, 1989. Carolyn Wagner, a Delphi Realtor, has been awarded the prestigious Certified Residential Specialist (CRS) designation by the Residential Sales Council, the largest and largest affiliate of the National Association of Realtors.

Realtors who receive the CRS designation have completed advanced courses and have demonstrated professional expertise in the field of residential real estate. Only 10,000 Realtors nationwide have received the certification.

Those buyers and sellers can be assured the CRS designee subscribes to the Realtor code of ethics, has access to the latest technology and are specialists in helping clients maximize profits and minimize costs when buying or selling a home.

Carolyn is a Realtor associate with Realtors Realtors & Auctioneers in Flora and Delphi. She is a member and past president of the Carroll County Board of Realtors and the Lafayette Regional Board of Realtors. Carolyn also holds her CRS certification. Lafayette Journal Courier 5-23-1989

GROWING IN PRIDE & SERVICE ATTENTION DELPHI

A PRIDE ANNOUNCEMENT: Carolyn Wagner of Delphi has chosen to become a professional associate with our company, the finest equipment on wheels, the knowledge she possesses for community & the wonderful customer service both the purchaser & seller can count on. Carolyn resides in Delphi & can be reached by calling Realtors Realtors at 1-800-885-0225 or 1-317-334-0225. LOOK FOR OUR NEW LISTINGS IN THIS WEEK'S R.S.A. DIRECTORY.



Wagner named county's 'Realtor of the Year'

Carolyn Wagner, Realtor of Delphi, was named Realtor of the Year at the Indiana State Realtor Association Banquet held in Columbus.

The Realtor Association's purpose for the award is "to recognize and award Realtor members of local boards/associations for effort expended in the interest of their fellow Realtors; their community and the real estate profession and who exemplify the highest level of professional conduct in serving the real estate needs of the general public."

Guidelines for selection are Realtor professionalism, community service, local board activity, state association activity, and National Association of Realtors activity.

Wagner has been a Realtor for six years and is associated with Realtors Real Estate & Auctioneers, Inc. She works out of the Delphi Realtor office at 1011 S. Washington St.

She earned her GRI designation, her brokers license, and is now working on CRS (certified residential specialist). She has served as president of the Carroll County Board of Realtors for the last two years, following three years as a past member. She is marketing manager for the "All American Homes" and has sold more than 30 homes in this area.

Chamber of Commerce

New Delphi Chamber of Commerce President Scott Ayres of Edward Jones Investments brought the Jan. 26 meeting to order at the 15th Annual Banquet held at The Delphi High School Gymnasium. The Delphi High School Entertainment provided the entertainment for the evening.

Other 1998 officers and directors were announced: Vice President Russ Hunsawyer of Q-Graphic; Treasurer Carl Abbott of Abbott Federal Home; CO-SECRETARIES, Bonnie Daugherty of J & B Furniture and Krista Wagner of J. W. Roush; Jeff Elmer of Glorix Valve; Susan Kinkner of Delphi Hardware & Paint; John Dase of Bright National Bank, all with three year terms on the board of directors. Carolyn Wagner of Realtors Realty, finishing a term with two years left on the board of directors; Tracy James of McDonald's, with one year left in his term on the board of directors.

May 15-16 Are Poppy Days

Mayor Carolyn Wagner received a group from the American Legion Post 176 and the Poppy Day in Delphi.

Delphi Mayor Carolyn Wagner has been appointed to a three-year term on the Main Street Indiana Council.

Main Street Indiana, a state-funded program offered through the Community Development Division of the Indiana Department of Commerce, offers technical assistance to communities wishing to revitalize downtown areas. Through educational events such as conferences, on-site consultations and a lending library, the Main Street program currently serves 101 Indiana communities. It is the nation's largest downtown revitalization program.

Wagner's appointment brings representation from a municipal authority to the 10-member council founded in 1985.

New Board of Realtors officers

New officers of the Carroll County Board of Realtors were installed earlier this month. They are, from left: Carolyn Wagner, past president; Rick Simon, secretary/treasurer; and Sheldon

Auxiliary Chapter

The Auxiliary Chapter of the Pu Laka Xi met at the new country home of Carolyn Wagner.

Tom Ives gave a historical presentation of barns in Delphi. Many people pass these barns daily and do not realize that when they were built they were used to store the horse and buggy. Most of the barns have been converted into garages or even living quarters.

President Wanda Duff conducted a short business meeting and orders were taken for cheese balls. The committee is Carolyn Wagner, Joyce Murray, Clatis Whitman and Jane Hancock.

Carroll County Comet 10-17-2007

The Auxiliary Chapter of the Pu Laka Xi met at the new country home of Carolyn Wagner. The Auxiliary Chapter of the Pu Laka Xi met at the new country home of Carolyn Wagner. The Auxiliary Chapter of the Pu Laka Xi met at the new country home of Carolyn Wagner.



Signs of the times

Delphi Rotary has inducted into its club, as a first, two women and expects to induct the third in the near future. Elsie Myers, left, became a member at Tuesday's noon luncheon meeting and Carolyn Wagner was inducted a couple weeks ago. Carolyn Dillman will become the third female member soon. Rotary membership is limited only by the club's rules of having one member for each classification without identical duplication. The Delphi club has a goal of the largest percentage membership increase in the state for this year. Until recently, Rotary International clubs have been exclusively male organizations. Comet photo

Jerry Wagners observe 25th anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wagner of Delphi celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary with a weekend in Washington, D.C., at the end of August.

The wife was a gift from her children - Jeff of Delphi, Mrs. Rick (Tammy) Munson of Lafayette, and a student at Purdue University, and Kyle, at home, her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Talbert of Delphi, and sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Natterman of Delphi, Louisville, Ky., at the end of August, were married on Aug. 30, 1958, in Delphi.

He is the owner of Bassett & Talbert Service Station and a student at Purdue University. She is the mayor of the City of Delphi.



Left: Carolyn and her family at her granddaughter's wedding. Right: Carolyn and Jerry with their children at Kyle's wedding.



BARBARA CLAWSON WALKER



- Nurse U.S. Navy
- Art Teacher and Professor
- Artist
- Kappa Delta Pi, education honorary
- National Art Education Association
- Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority
 - . President
 - . Chairman, Delphi Art Shows
 - . Province representative to State Art Committee
- President Delphi Chapter American Field Service
- Vice President Delphi Art Club
- Secretary Carroll School Reorganization Committee
- Chairman County Heart Committee
- President Girl Scout Association
 - . Troop Leader
- Delphi Methodist Church
 - . President WSCS
 - . Faith Circle
- Secretary Junto Club
- Eastern Star
- President Greater Lafayette Area Art League
- Vice President Wabash Valley Watercolor Society
- First United Methodist Church (West Lafayette)
- Cliff Dwellers Historian (1956)

Shelley and I knew Barb Walker pretty well, since we were good friends and childhood playmates with her daughters Robin and Suzannah. We thought she was pretty amazing... a rock with her family - managing her 5 children and household with aplomb - and a creative force behind many of the community's cultural efforts.

Barbara Ellen Clawson was born March 24, 1923 to Walter and Delores Fenters Clawson in Pine Village, Indiana. The Clawsons moved to Delphi in 1930, and Barbara graduated from Delphi High School in 1941. She earned her nursing degree from Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis; and - wanting to do her duty for the country - she immediately enlisted in the Navy. She was assigned to the Great Lakes Naval Hospital, caring for soldiers fighting WWII. She married John Earl Walker on February 14, 1945 in Boston, Massachusetts; and they had five children: Jane, Suzannah, Phillip, Robin, and Nancy. Barb and John divorced in 1974. Barb continued her education, earning her bachelors degree in art education in 1967 and her doctorate in 1977, both from Purdue. She was invited to membership in Kappa Delta Pi, education honorary. After a successful career, Barbara died on December 29, 2003.

Barb was a nurse, a teacher, and an artist. Her first career was nursing, and she frequently helped at local blood drives and other community events. In 1968, she became an art teacher in the Delphi Community Schools, traveling among schools to inspire students to test their artistic abilities. After she earned her PhD in 1977, she became Chairman of the Fine Arts Department at Southeastern Louisiana University, a position she held for 11 years. In 1989, she became an instructor in Purdue's Visual and Performing Arts Department, teaching and coordinating Art Education student teachers... a position she held for 14 years. She also was a visiting professor at Ball State University. She was a member of the National Art Education Association.

Barb was an artist, both in her painting and her gardening. Her paintings often were displayed at local and state events. For many years, she chaired the Delphi Art Show, along with Jack Sanders; and she served as Tri Kappa's province liaison to the State Art Committee. At the time of her death in 2003, she was working on her Master Gardener certification with the Purdue Extension Service. Daughter Suzannah observed, "Barb could make any space beautiful and find the beauty in almost any situation."

Throughout her life, Barb was active in her community. In Delphi, she was President of Tri Kappa philanthropic sorority, President of the Delphi Methodist WSCS, and President of the local chapter of the American Field Service. She was an officer in the Junto Club, Vice President of the Delphi Art Club, and Secretary of the Carroll School Reorganization Task Force. She also was President of the Girl Scout Association and a Troop Leader, and she chaired the County Heart Committee. In Lafayette, she was President of the Greater Lafayette Area Art League and Vice President of the Wabash Valley Watercolor Society.

Daughter Robin shares this wonderful memory of her mom: "When Kyle, my son, was very young he liked the Lone Ranger and horses. When Barb came to visit, that's what they would play. I have a picture of them in a line with Tanto and Lone Ranger. Kyle was on his bouncy horse; and Barb was on the exercise bike, chasing bad guys. She was very active with all the boys and very patient. They all lit up when she visited."

Suzannah remembers: "Barb had a strong sense of duty and purpose. If she said she would do something, she did it. After high school, she wanted to study art or music, but nursing school was what her parents' budget would allow. Her war service showed her that she could make a difference doing important things for the community, the country, and the world. After the war, she continued to do meaningful work through volunteering, assisting friends, and supporting education and culture. She kept a journal from the time she was a school girl until the end of her life. One of her last entries began, 'What a wonderful life I have had.'"

My sister Shelley, who thought of Barb as a second mom, recalls: "Barb was always supportive of any idea. If someone gave her an idea or thought, she said, 'Try it!' Her artistic flair was always there... so many creative ideas... thinking of Barb makes me smile."

One time, Suzannah and I were playing on the roof of their shed; and I fell off and got the wind knocked out. Barb came out to check on me, assessed the situation, and pronounced with complete calm, "Take a few breaths and you'll be fine - be more careful when you get back up there." That was Barb. If life knocks you down, just get up and move on. She witnessed a lot as a Navy nurse, and it enabled her to put life's challenges in perspective. Barb took everything in stride. She didn't give up. She always looked for new ways to make the world beautiful. She remains much admired.



The Walker home at 901 Riley Road

A girls' admission society was held Monday evening in the high school gym. The three winning teams from the gym classes played, led by Audrey Marquess, Leslie Adams and Barbara Clawson. Barbara Clawson's team won the first game. Basketball is an English game which is becoming very popular in the United States.

Winners in the safety slogan contest sponsored by Clawson observed rules and the Delphi high school are as follows: high school, Barbara Clawson, her slogan "Give courage to the safety slogan"; grade, Patsy Ruth Heron, slogan, "The greatest watch word of the day - Safety First at work or play"; parental school, Judy Manning, "Safety first, last and always"; prizes were given by the Safety League of America.

Summa cum laude diploma were won by Alyce Atkinson, Dorothy Jean Bowen, Barbara Clawson and Richard Quirk. Cum laude diplomas were given to Ivan Aikin, Virginia Deak, Ruth Greenup, Virginia Hall, Ruth Hudson, Marshall Johnson, Jean Pealey, Carolyn Pearson and Wayne Rife.

Other awards were distributed as follows: Commercial, Dottie McCarty; in shorthand and Jean Pealey in typing; U. S. history, Marshall Johnson; American Legion, Richard Quirk; O. A. N. Citizenship, Barbara Clawson; Bradshaw English prize, Richard Quirk; Barbara Clawson and Dorothy Jean Bowen.

The original Sub Club in Delphi have planned a dinner party at the Park Wednesday evening, June 23 for the original members of the local chapter of Sub Club, which was organized by Barbara Clawson, Walter and Virginia Deak. Members of the committee on arrangements are: Marjorie Shoukriet Stevens, Mary Clawson, Pastor Dorothy Bowen and Barbara Walker. There are 15 members of the group and all are planning to attend.

Joseph Barbara Walker of the Great Lakes Naval Hospital won the match made with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clawson.

Ens. Barbara Clawson Weds Lt. John Walker
Mrs. John Earl Walker was the former Barbara Clawson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clawson of Delphi, before her marriage to Lt. John Earl Walker USN, which was celebrated at the Opeley Methodist church in Boston, Mass. on February 14. Barbara Walker will report to the Great Lakes Navy Nurses training station on March 17.

BARBARA WALKER reports that her week at Brownie Day camp was highlighted the other morning when a young Brownie came into the first aid tent for repair of a cut finger. Seems that she had cut the finger on a knife. "You shouldn't have gotten so close to the girl holding the knife" said Barbara. "I didn't," came the retort. "She got too close to me!"





The Walker family Barb, Jane, Suzannah, and John with Phil, Robin, and Nancy in front



REORGANIZATION COMMITTEE NAMES VERRILL

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MEMBERS OF THE new Central School Reorganization Committee are pictured above as they appeared at the initial meeting last Friday afternoon at the Pines Library. They are, seated, left to right: Fred McCain, elected treasurer; Albert Verrill, chairman; Barbara Walker, secretary; Clarence Hyman, member; standing: 1 to 7: Robert A. S. Adams, John Benson and Ben Hinkle. (Citizen Editorial Photo)



ADULT CERAMIC CLASS of Delphi Community School Corporation taught by Mrs. Barbara Walker is shown with some of the articles they made. Seated 1. to r., Mrs. Phyllis Mills, Mrs. Orel Bowman and Mrs. Susan Mann; standing, Mrs. Barbara Walker and Mrs. Pearl Robinson. Herb Smith Photo

Delphi OES Makes Men's Night Plans

DELPHI — The chapter OES of Delphi will observe "Men's Night" at a meeting Monday night. A co-operative supper will be served at 6:30. Hostesses include Mary Smock, Kathryn Loveland, Dr. Wood, Barbara Walker, Grace H. Staffer, Hazel Leitchman, Marie Pradow Myers, Bertha Jones, Chis. Gize, Mabel Beardsley, Gene Russell, Gladys Dore, Hall Dorothy Cole, Wanda Kasper, Ruth Kirkpatrick, Mary Homic, Della Corwin and Jean Hottel. Initiation will be held during the supper session. The candidates are Mrs. Ethel Shaffer, Gladys Hone and Mary Staffer.

Mrs. Barbara Walker, president of the Delphi Chapter of A.P.S., as requested at a meeting March 11 at Bellevue school, 1121 E. the Chapter members had been approved for A.P.S. and will be in the building for the A.P.S. student of the school next year.

Delphi's original art show was started in 1935 by Tri Kappa member Ann VanNatta, a charter member of the Hooper School. It was held in the library and included a small selection of fabric paintings and hand-painted signs. In 1941 the public was invited to display at the school store, and in 1956, Tri Kappa joined with the Delphi School art department and organized a system-wide student art. Tri Kappa's Barbara Walker chaired many of the early shows, along with Jack Sanders.

BARBARA WALKER HEADS UNIT OF FIELD SERVICE

Mrs. John E. Walker was elected president of the American Field Service at a meeting held at the Marine Street School Thursday evening, January 5. Mrs. Verrill was elected Vice President and Miss Albiner Secretary.

Barbara Walker Named To Purdue Honorary

Barbara C. Walker, of route 6, Delphi is one of 14 members to be elected into Kappa Delta Phi, honorary society at Purdue University. The society encourages high personal, intellectual and general standards and recognizes outstanding contributions to civilization.

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Two deceased members of the Wabash Valley Watercolor Society are remembered and honored in the local art group's annual juried show. The Ed Kirsch Memorial Award and the Barbara Walker Memorial Award for Special Achievement were given to two paintings in the exhibit that will hang through May 22 at Tippecanoe Arts Federation, 638 North St. Kirsch and Walker were longtime members and officers of Wabash Valley Watercolor Society. Both passed away after the society's 2003 spring show. She was so encouraging in the arts. We needed to do this award. She had such a deep interest in the arts and encouraged new, young artists," said society officer Shirley Freeman of Barbara Walker died in January. Ruth-Anne Holle's colorful, dreamy landscape, April Showers..., was given the first Walker Award. Holle said she attended many watercolor workshops with Walker, and she described Walker — a retired art teacher and art education professor at Purdue University — as a very dedicated artist who enjoyed being around people. Walker's daughter and current society president, Jane Marzoli, said the \$50 award was a "wonderful thing to do in her memory," and Holle and her painting were deserving of it.

Oracle Club Sets Sides Of Fall Trip

Oracle Club met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Crowell Nov. 26. Mr. and Mrs. John Klasinger were in charge of the program. They received Moore Book and Mr. and Mrs. John Walker who showed slides and members of their club into his suit on the Green Carpet. (Citizen Editorial Photo)

End Art Exhibit

Mrs. Barbara Walker of Delphi is the artist in evidence. Her work of art in the second floor art and art exhibit at Central High School in North Channing and East Channing. (Citizen Editorial Photo)

TRI KAPPA INSTALLS NEW OFFICERS

At a business meeting held Monday night, September 8, at the Lafayette retiring president of Tri Kappa Mrs. John Pester installed the following new officers: Barbara Walker, president; Edna Germain, vice president; Betty Kord, corresponding secretary; Joan Hule, recording secretary; Barbara Hottel, treasurer; Joan Bradshaw, program chairman. She read the program for the new year and the group voted to prepare plans for the year. The charter was voted to approve a GHI Scout troop with Margaret Burnham and Alice Mouch representing the chapter.

Barbara Walker
Dr. Barbara Walker of West Lafayette, coordinator of an education student teachers for Purdue University, recently won an art education in the Delphi Community School Corporation. Her career began in the early 1960s and continued in the classroom until 1973.

DELPHI ART CLUB NEWS
The Delphi Art Club began a new and interesting season with the election of new officers for the 1962-63 year. They are: President, Mrs. George Oscar; Vice President, Mrs. John Walker; Treasurer, Mrs. John Taylor; and Secretary, Mrs. Rachel McQueen. The first meeting of the new year was held on September 25th, and the program included sketching of a live model, and the making of programs for the coming season. Mrs. Oscar disclosed that the club activities for the next few months will include further study and practice in sketching of models.

Miss Barbara Clawson, who completed her nurse's training at the Methodist hospital, Indianapolis, and was graduated in June, is taking special work at the Longcliff state hospital, Logansport. Miss Clawson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clawson of Delphi, plans to enter the U. S. Naval Nurses Corps sometime after November.

BARBARA WALKER ELECTED PRESIDENT OF TRI KAPPA
At a business meeting in conjunction with initiation of new members last Wednesday, June 25, Tri Kappa sorority elected the following officers for the year 1962-63: Mrs. John Earl Walker, president; Mrs. Jack Grimm, vice president; Mrs. John Delaney, recording secretary; Mrs. Louis Kent, corresponding secretary; Mrs. William S. Smith, treasurer. The patronesses are to be Miss Ruth E. Ayres and Mrs. Etta Coble.

GIRL SCOUTS OBSERVE WEEK WITH PRINCESS
"Girl Scouting Here and Aboard" theme for Girl Scout Week, and the Girl Scout theme for the year, "The Girl Scout On Her Feet," provided the background for the Girl Scout program presented by the Delphi Scouts at the HEMC. Mrs. John Walker, for a number of years a Girl Scout leader, was the guest speaker.

The final sale of pictures from Mrs. Barbara Walker has drawing of art work in the Central School. The art work, now in permanent display in the school, was a gift from the artist.



PITTSBURG SCHOOL TEACHERS — There are grades 1-6 at Pittsburg where the following teachers are: Left to right: Back row — Robert Blum, Carl Verisa, Clarence Marocco, Harold Walsh, principal; Elizabeth Peterson, Mildred Gerard, Elizabeth Compton-Talbot; front row — Barbara Walker, Mary Jane Garver, Wanda Klasinger, Dorothy Mills, Colleen Frank, Barbara Wirtman, Colleen Frank is substituting for Jean Harford, not pictured. Hope McCain not pictured. Herb Smith Photo

Purdue graduate
With the cooperation of Eugene Barbara Walker of West Lafayette, associate professor in Art Education at Southeastern Louisiana University, Hammond, La., and will leave to assume her duties August 15.

Delphi Oracle Club
Mr. and Mrs. William Jansgard were hosts for the February meeting of the Delphi Oracle Club. After a brief business meeting, Mrs. Ann Campbell introduced her guest, Mrs. Barbara Walker, former Delphi resident and teacher. Mrs. Walker talked to the group about her experience in completing work towards her doctor's degree. She is particularly interested in using art to stimulate and teach these children who are classified as "learning disabled children." With the cooperation of Eugene Kurtz of the Tippecanoe County Schools, she was able to work with a group of four children. These children were observed in the classroom and tested by Mrs. Walker. She showed samples of her students art work and discussed the results of her testing. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCain with Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Goodwin in charge of the program.

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Barbara E. Walker, 60
Dr. Barbara E. Clawson Walker, 60, of West Lafayette, died at 12:17 p.m. Monday, Dec. 29, 2003, in Home Hospital, where she had been a patient since Dec. 13. Born March 24, 1923, in Warren County, she was a 1941 Delphi High School graduate. She received her registered nursing degree from Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis. From Purdue University she received a bachelor's degree in art education in 1967, a master's degree, and her doctorate in 1977 in art education. On Feb. 14, 1945, she married John E. Walker, in Boston, Mass. He died June 21, 1992. She was a nurse in the Navy during World War II, stationed at Great Lakes Naval Base Hospital in Chicago from March 1945 until August 1945. Dr. Walker was an instructor in the visual and performing arts department at Purdue, teaching art education from 1989 until retiring in May. She formerly taught at Southeastern Louisiana University in Hammond, La., for 11 years, and had been acting head of the art department. She also taught the lab school for elementary students at Southeastern Louisiana University. She was a visiting professor at Ball State University for one year, teaching education. She also taught art education at Delphi Community Schools from 1968-1973.



Walker

She was a member of First United Methodist Church in West Lafayette and a former member of Delphi United Methodist Church. She was serving as vice president of Wabash Valley Water Color Society in Lafayette and studying to become a Master Gardener Intern through Purdue Extension. She was a past president of Greater Lafayette Area Art League, a member of National Art Education Association and past president of Delphi Tri Kappa sorority, where she helped to develop the Delphi Art Show. An avid bridge player, she belonged to clubs in Lafayette and Delphi. She also was a member of JUNTO Dinner Club. Interviews about her duties as a female nurse during World War II in the Navy are on record at the National Archives in Washington, D.C. She traveled extensively throughout the United States and the world and enjoyed gardening. Surviving are four daughters, Robin Albaugh (husband: Rex) of Delphi, Jane Marzoli (husband: Antonio) of West Lafayette, Suzannah Walker (partner: Linda Purdue) of Indianapolis and Nancy Peter-Contesse (husband: Olivier) of Sultan, Wash.; a son, Philip Walker (wife: Lynn) of Columbia City; and a sister, Kay Clawson Burnett of Arlington, Va.

One of Barb's paintings was donated to Camden School



Mrs. John E. (Barbara) Walker is shown above in her rustic Art Studio working on a printing for the Art Show. Mrs. Walker is vice president of the Delphi Art Club. Each year during the week of Old Settlers' The Delphi Art Club sponsors an exhibit and sale of the work of its members. The show will be held Friday and Saturday, August 7-8 in the R.E.M.C. auditorium. Doors will be open from 10:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. each day. (Delphi Citizen 7-16-1964)

RITA BURNS WINGARD



- Branch Manager Brookston Hometown Federal Savings Bank
- Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority
- . President active chapter
- . President auxiliary chapter
- Secretary American Legion Auxiliary
- Secretary Delphi Little League
- Delphi Methodist Church
- . Faith Circle
- . Truth Circle
- Brookston Lions Club

Rita Burns was born March 28, 1930 in Irricana, Alberta, Canada to Fred and Tulsa Nance Burns. The Burns moved to Flora - Fred's hometown - in 1941, and Rita graduated from Flora High School in 1947. She married Ed Wingard, Jr. on June 20, 1948; and they had 5 children: Michael, David, Suzanne, Debbie, and Brian.

Rita reared 5 children while working full-time and being active in the community. She worked at Bright National Bank and at the Lafayette Production Credit Association and the PMA Office before beginning a long stint as a Secretary for the Delphi School Corporation. She earned a degree in computer programming in 1986 and became the Branch Manager for the Brookston Hometown Federal Savings Bank in 1989. She also served on the FiServ Data Center Research and Development Committee.

In the community, Rita was a long-time member of Psi Iota Xi philanthropic sorority, elected President of both the active and auxiliary chapters. She was Secretary of the Delphi Little League, an officer and active member of the American Legion Auxiliary, and a member of the Brookston Lions Club. A member of the Delphi Methodist Church, Rita was in both the Faith and Truth Circles. Like most Hilltoppers, Rita helped organize the annual Hill Picnics for several years.

She enjoyed playing bridge and golf and was proficient in both. But most of all, Rita enjoyed and supported her family, from working on the After-Prom Party to tolerating the antics of my buddy Mike and me in whatever mischief we were making.

Ed died in 2013, and Rita now lives with son Mike in San Rafael, CA, all her children within a few miles of her.



Above: Faye Burns (left) and Rita Burns (right) with a friend
Below: The Wingard home at 206 W. Vine Street



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burns and three daughters, Peggy, Rita and Louise, of Irricana, Canada, arrived in the city last Saturday afternoon and are now at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burns, South Center street. They expect to make this section of the state their future home. Mr. Burns went to Canada 24 years ago and this is his first trip back to Flora since 1927.

Senior Sub-Deb PARTY HELD BRIM HOME LAST WEEK
The Senior Sub-Deb party was held at the home of Miss Joy Brim, North Center street, Thursday evening of last week. The honored Senior girls were Misses Faye Burns, Betty Flora, Rita Burns, Eleanor Bewley, Shirley Reid and Harriet Clingenspool Broser.

HAPPENINGS IN THE 4-H CLUB ORGANIZATIONS IN CARROLL
The Happy-Go-Lucky 4-H Club of Monroe township met at the school building in Flora Thursday, June 22, at 1:30. The president called the meeting to order and the pledge to the American flag and the 4-H pledge were given. Twenty members answered the roll call by giving their pet peeve. The minutes of the last meeting were given. Joan Pullin gave a health talk. Each member gave a report on the amount of 4-H work done. Round-Up reports were given by Laura Dillman, Betty Harter, Peg Allbaugh, Bonnie Branstetter, Lois Kingery and Pat King. Mrs. Julius gave several announcements. Donations were given by Joan Draper, Marilyn Draper, Rita Burns, Peg Allbaugh, and Donna Oyer. Games were played and refreshments served. Our next meeting will be Thursday, July 13, at 1:30 p. m., at the school building.

ORRS PURCHASE HOME
Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Orr Jr., have purchased the Foster Haines house near City park and will move there from the Sieber apartments. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wingard who have been living in the Haines house will move to the Redding apartment being vacated by the Louis Kent family in South Delphi.

BURNS-WINGARD
Mrs. Tulsa Burns of Flora has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Rita, to Eddie Jordan Wingard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wingard, Sr., of Delphi. No date has been set for the wedding.
Miss Burns is a graduate of the Flora high school and is now employed at the Bright National Bank in Flora. Mr. Wingard, a graduate of the Delphi high school, is a veteran of World War II and is now employed by the Carroll County R. R. N. C. C. Delphi Citizen 1-8-1948

Miss Rita Burns, Bride-elect, Feted at Lovely Shower
Miss Rita Burns, this city, who on Sunday will become the bride of Eddie Wingard, of Delphi, was feted at a lovely miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening, June 4th. Hostesses were Mrs. Rolla Brim, Miss Joy Brim and Miss Bette Flora. A dainty color theme of pink and green prevailed throughout the entertaining rooms. A large umbrella, decorated in the colors, was suspended from the chandelier, with a canopy of crepe paper streamers centered above the shower table. Following a social hour dainty refreshments of sherbet, cookies and iced tea were served.

BURNS-WINGARD
In the presence of 150 guests, a wedding ceremony was performed at the Flora Methodist church Sunday, June 20, by Rev. John W. Barkley, when Rita Burns, daughter of Mrs. Tulsa Burns and Fred Burns, of Flora, became the bride of Edward J. Wingard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Wingard, of Delphi. The ceremony was performed before an altar lighted by seven branch candlesticks and adorned with urns and baskets of gladioli and Madonna lilies. Mrs. Richard Letter played an organ prelude and accompanied Mrs. Rolla Brim, who sang. Miss Faye Burns, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and bridesmaids were Louise Burns and Bette Flora. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Ewan H. Julien, of Delphi, was best man and the ushers were Richard Coble, Will Frazer and David Woods, of Delphi, and Alfred Moss, of Flora.
A reception followed in the church parlor. The three-tiered cake, topped by a miniature bridal couple, was served to the guests by Joy Brim, Betty Harter, Debra Curmale, Pat Carter, Mrs. Charles Loy and Mrs. Carl Flora. The couple left on a wedding trip to Chicago and upon their return will live at 202 1/2 East Main street, Apartment 4, Delphi.

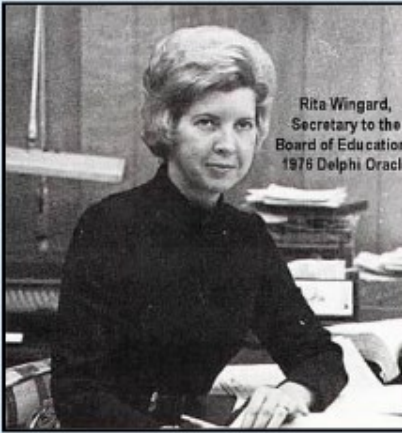
The following Carroll County students have graduated from Ivy Tech, Lafayette:
Cutler - SHEILA LOWERY (honor graduate) and DONALD ROBERSON II.
Rockfield - PATTY BROWN, Camden - DENNIS PETERS, Brimhurst - DAVID HOLLIS, Delphi - TONY BURNS, MICHAEL CARLSON, MADONNA CARTER, ERIN FASSNACHT, REBECCA ISOM, DAVID JEFFERY, PAMELA NEWMAN and RITA WINGARD.



Mrs. Eddie Wingard has accepted a position as secretary in the PMA office here to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. Robert Myers.



On September 22 and 23, 1977, Mrs. Rita Wingard, Delphi Community Schools secretary, attended a two day financial management workshop in Greenwood.



Rita Wingard, Secretary to the Board of Education 1976 Delphi Oracle
The Wingard children: Mike, David, Suzanne, Debbie, and Brian



55-year reunion
Flora High School Class of 1947 met July 27 for its 55-year reunion. Those attending were, from left: Front - Ruby Thompson, wife of Harold Thompson, class sponsor; Mary Lee Ketchiff Stout, Eleanor Bewley Pardon, Rita Burns Wingard, La Donna Shields Allen, and Mary Lee Sharp Johnson. 2nd Row - Betty Flora Thompson,

Fred Oyster, Fay Burns Ehrlich, Charles Shafer, Don Lowery, Buck Vaughn Garrison, Bill Ayres, Robert Kinsery, Bill Helvie, Robert Kuffner, Joe Danks, Robert Albaugh, and Dean Lowery. Not pictured are Shirley Reid Roberts, Dave Mills, and Bill Williams. Steve Mills photo

Eight Area Women To Attend Seminar

Eight women employees of the Lafayette Production Credit association will represent that organization at a seminar for PCA women employees of Indiana and Ohio at French Lick Sunday through Tuesday.

They are Miss Alberta Smith and Miss Ruth Kening of Lafayette. Mrs. Helen Jones of Monticello. Mrs. Marjorie Pratt of Fowler. Mrs. Edith Shannon of Williamsport. Mrs. Rita Wingard of Delphi. Mrs. Gerry Hoover and Miss Evelyn Erb of Rensselaer, and Charles T. Mays, assistant secretary-treasurer.

Among those appearing on the program will be Dr. J. H. Atkinson, agricultural economist, Purdue university, and Mrs. Wingard.

New officers elected were: Rita Wingard, president; Judy Conner, vice president; Virginia Emerson, secretary; and Sandy Seale, treasurer.

On September 22 and 23, 1977, Mrs. Rita Wingard, Delphi Community Schools secretary, attended a two day financial management workshop in Greenswood.

DELPHI-Parents are meeting with co-chairmen of committees to make plans for the After Prom Party May 17. The party will be held from 12:45 a.m. to 4:30 a.m. at the Armory in South Delphi.

A group "The Friday Forum" from Ft. Wayne will play for the dancing.

General chairmen are Mrs. Edna Grimm and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brehmer.

Committee chairmen are: Finance, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schilling, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lee; Decorations, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Nipple, Mr. and Mrs. William Dickinson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Delaney, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Long, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Deel.

Food, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Onis McGhee; Gifts, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Talbert; Registration, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gebbe; chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wingard, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Arice; tables and chairs, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mays.

LEAGUE AUXILIARY
April is designated as Community Service month and this theme will dominate the next meeting to be held at the Legion Home on Tuesday evening, April 21st. The committee in charge has been named as Sue Wingard and Bessie Boone, co-chairmen, Rita Wingard, Sue Beale, Edna Aasha, Margaret Koeniger, Lillie Myer, Mabel Fraser, Clara Stucc, Dorothy Wingard, Mary Way, Alice Carrier, Marjorie Craig, Nancy Clark, Mary Hagan, Pauline Kaufman and Helen Hayden.

Methodist Circles Meet Tuesday
Faith Circle of the Delphi Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Russell Smith with Mrs. Rachel Manning assisting. The lesson will be given by Meris Guff and the devotions by Rita Wingard at 8:30 p.m. next Tuesday.

METHODIST CIRCLES
Methodist WPCS circles will meet Tuesday, July 3 as follows: Love Circle at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Eva Daniels, 308 W. Summit; Light circle, 2 p. m., Mrs. Joe Danfield 121 E. Summit; Hope circle, 8 p. m., Mrs. Paul Greer, 694 N. Griggs; Truth circle, 8 p. m., Mrs. Edna Wingard, 206 W. Vine St; Faith circle, 8 p. m., Mrs. Willard Lee, 702 E. Monroe St.

Sorority's Thrift Shop Is Successful Venture

Four years ago the Pal Otes XI Sorority ventured into a new field of endeavor - that of setting up a Thrift shop. It was done only after much thought, work, and planning.

The Pal Otes have felt that this project has been a success. Not only has it been a way for the sorority to have funds to use in their charity work, but it has been a service to the community by providing inexpensive clothing to many families.

The sorority members and any other persons with good used clothing donate these items. They are then marked for price and sale. The Thrift Shop is located in five rooms on the second floor of the IOOF Building with entrance on Washington Street next to Jerry's Barber Shop. The Thrift Shop is open each Saturday afternoon from 1:45 p.m. Two Pal Otes are on duty each Saturday to help persons find items they are seeking.

All profit realized by the sorority goes to charitable projects for our community.

Rita Wingard and Sue Jarstard are the current co-chairmen of the Thrift Shop. Anyone wishing to donate clothing or information may call them.

Rita Wingard, president of Delta Psi chapter of Psi Chi XI, has asked that reservations for the mid-year luncheon to be held at the Murat Temple in Indianapolis on Feb. 11, be in by Jan. 25. Members were to take their Christmas cards to the meeting Thursday.

Ed and Rita Wingard of Delphi were concerned when they heard about the quake because they have four children living in the quake area. Three live in Main County, north of the Golden Gate Bridge, and a fourth lives in Antioch, east of San Francisco. The Wingards were happy to learn that all are fine and their homes were not damaged.

One daughter, Suzanne Moore, manages a sporting goods store in Concord. She said merchandise fell off the shelves, but there was no broken glass.

Another daughter, Debbie Kirk, is an RN at Oakland Children's Hospital. She travels 800 to get to the hospital, but doesn't cross the bay bridge. She was at the hospital during the earthquake, and had to work a double shift. She lives one and a half hours away from the hospital and has had to find a different room since the earthquake.

Michael Wingard told his parents that he had sidewalk and driveway damage, but his home came through fine.

David Wingard was working at the time and his wife was in San Francisco, where she goes to school. Their children were at home, and got under a table, as they had been told to do if there was ever an earthquake.

The Wingard children all consider themselves lucky, but they told their parents that they have friends who were not as fortunate.

Margaret Cayhill and Thelma Rasmell were guests from the Lafayette Unit and Mrs. Cayhill, Second District President affiliated at the installation of the following officers: Edna Kerlin, president; Ina Mitchell, 1st vice-president; Betty Huffman, 2nd vice-president; Rita Wingard, recording secretary; Mary Ford, corresponding secretary; Bess Carey, treasurer; Eve Davidson, Historian; E. Robson, chaplain; Vera Ward, assistant chaplain; Opal Bowman, sergeant-at-arms; Arnelia Rowe, parliamentarian.



RETA WINGARD TO HEAD PWS OFFICERS
Mrs. Edward J. (Rita) Wingard was elected president of Beta Psi chapter of Psi Chi XI sorority at the April business meeting of the sorority. Mrs. Jack Brown was elected vice-president, Mrs. Don Kelly corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Joseph Fowler conductress. Re-elected were Mrs. Robert Sullivan, recording secretary and Mrs. William Riley, treasurer. The officers will be installing at the June business meeting. By virtue of their respective offices Mrs. Wingard and Mrs. Kelly will be the chapter's official delegates to the National Convention which will be held at Louisville, Kentucky June 17 and 18.

Supt. Weddell, Mrs. Pauline Moore, Mrs. Edith Berninger and Mrs. Rita Wingard, secretaries, were in Indianapolis today for a budget workshop sponsored by the Indiana Department of public instruction.



The Burns women: Faye, Louise, mother, Tulsa, and Rita

Auxiliary Chapter
The auxiliary chapter of Psi Chi XI met at the Wildcat Creek Bed and Breakfast in Cutler with 22 members present.

Roll call was answered by each member telling something about themselves or their family that had taken place over the winter, which gave everyone the fuel to get reconnected.

Polly Grantham gave a report from the scholarship committee. The scholarships will be presented at Awards Night.

Clara Whitman installed the officers for 2003-2004. They are Wanda Duff, president; Rita Wingard, vice president; Mary Kelly, secretary; Sandy Seale, treasurer; and Mary Clifford, advisor.

The ladies golf tournament is underway. Championship flight - Mary Kerlin vs Hope Cooney; Annabel Hanna vs Doretta Bradshaw; Rita Garrison vs Helen Bradshaw; and Maxine Adams vs Freeda Leish. First Flight - Jan Myer vs Deanna Pearson; JoAnn Jonsson vs Betty Jo Crawford; A. Manahan vs N. Price; and E. Sullivan vs Evelyn Kerlin. Second Flight - Edna Kerlin vs Noia Isenbar; Linda Campbell vs Lynn Stooz; Coky Little vs Leta Schneider; and Rita Wingard vs Evg Hayden. These matches should be played in a week.

Officers of the Delphi Little League are: Robert Brookbank, president; Robert Bruce, vice-president; Rita Wingard, secretary; James Miller, treasurer; and Ron C. Groves, player agent.

RITA WINGARD has been appointed branch manager of the Brookston branch of Hometown Federal Savings Bank.

She will be responsible for the savings operations of the Brookston office, as well as consumer and mortgage lending.

She attended Flora High School and later obtained a computer programming degree from Indiana Vocational Technical College. She previously worked for the Delphi School Corporation and Lafayette Production Credit Association.

Wingard serves on the Research and Development Committee of the FiServ Data Center, is a member of the newly formed Brookston Lions Club, and is a member of the Delphi United Methodist Church.

She and her husband, Edward, reside in Delphi.



1st place team
Members of the Tuesday Night Golf League first place team are, from left: Stephanie Van Sickle, Barb DeBoer, Thelma Douglas, Kay Trent, Jan Israel, and Rita Wingard. Photo provided



I was born in 1949 and lived in Delphi until 1965, when I was 15. I grew up at 129 W. Summit St., with my grandparents - Grace and Gearold Clawson - right across the street. We moved to Lafayette after my freshman year, and I graduated from Lafayette Jeff. But the Oracle Class of 1968 is my class. They're the kids I grew up with.

I graduated from IU and worked in administration at Rider University in New Jersey and the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia. Then I switched from education to public service, and I served at the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development in Philadelphia and Washington DC for 24 years.

My hubby Russ and I moved to Tucson in 2001. We live 15 minutes from my sister Shelley and most of her 5 kids, and - just as we did in Delphi, lo, those many years ago - we have family dinners on Sundays.

After I retired in 2005, I indulged my passion for family history and did a little volunteer work for the Carroll County Historical Museum. My Clawson cousin, Bonnie Maxwell, encouraged me to write a book about the Hill, after hearing my endless stories about growing up there. This is my fifth book about my childhood neighborhood.

I hope my love for my hometown - and especially the South Hill community - comes through. I may not live there, but - in my heart - I'll always be a "Delphi Gal."

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This is my third book about the "Doyennes of the Hill." I am fascinated with these women who had so much to do with the character of our Hill community, and I want to be sure they "get their due." Some of their family names are gone, but the impact of the women who carried them is undiminished.

Each of us has a story to tell. Each of us holds a piece of history. I hope you'll find a way to tell your story... write it down... tell your family... tell a friend. We all can learn from - and be inspired by - the lives of others.

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You can find more photos and memories about Delphi's South Hill neighborhood on the Facebook page:
<https://www.facebook.com/DelphiHill/>

You can see all my books on the Delphi Library website: <https://delphilibrarydigital.weebly.com/delphi-neighborhood-histories.html>



This book is dedicated to my three favorite doyennes of the Hill:

- My great grandmother, Ida Davidson Todd;
- My grandmother, Grace Todd Clawson; and
- My mother, Mary Clawson

They taught me to appreciate and contribute to our community; to revere those who shaped it; and to use the strong women who came before me as models of vision and courage and grace.

I'll never forget.

