

# Where Will You Be Evening of Feb. 17?

by Peg Knight

Whatcha know, or whatcha don't know - you can know more for sure if you turn out for next term of the Adult Education Program at the high school, starting Feb. 17.

This way of going to school is fun - no report cards, no "required" courses - all you do is learn what you want to know. If you've been dodging dances because you didn't know where to put your feet, there's a class for you. If you've been playing rummy, try beginning bridge - stretch the old head muscles a bit. And if you have a little extra cash and have always wanted to be "in Wall Street", there's a course on Investments. (Then there's one on Law for the Layman, so you can make out a proper will for all the money you make after you've invested.)

Wednesday nights Home Repair for Men is offered, and Thursdays, Home Repair for Women, so the women can fix what the men didn't understand.

Former students have told me they wouldn't have missed the classes for anything. Meeting others with the same interests was as important as the actual knowledge gained.

Others found the lessons paid for themselves in a hurry - sewing saved money for lots of ladies, while dog obedience classes saved tempers and who knows what else?

Eugene Dominic heads up the whole program, with help from Community Council's Committee Chairman, "Wally" Chisman, and numerous other Stowites. Dominic is principal of Stow Junior High, and can be reached there during school hours to answer questions or to take requests if the course you want to take isn't offered. If ten people want to learn something not on the list, he'll find a qualified teacher to teach that subject. (I was rather interested in the class on slide-rule until Mr. Van Brunt who's teaching it, told me it wouldn't help me add.)

Who knows, take the typing course and you might get a job with The Stow Press!

So many of our neighbors are

convinced Adult Education is a wonderful offering, they've formed sort of a Speaker's Bureau to tell clubs and other gatherings all about it. Bob Reynolds, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Winslow, Mrs. James Russell, Jack Dodd, Mrs. Joe Tilton, Jack Whalen, and Wally Chisman are all available for speaking engagements to tell everybody what's being done in the grown-ups' learning department this season. If you want them to speak to your group, call me at OV 8-4241, and I'll get in touch.

Because we're convinced that education is a life-long joy, we're including the whole list of courses offered, with times, fees, and descriptions, in this week's issue of The Stow Press, and even a coupon you can fill out and send in with your registration.

Don't be the only one sitting home Wednesday and Thursday nights. Join everybody else and take a course or two. Follow the theme of this term's activities: GROW WISE - NOT WIDE!

(See the back page of this paper for complete details.)

## Boosters off the Ground

(Story on p. 8)

Newly elected Stow Booster Club officers pictured below: seated, l. to r., R. B. Packard, Mertze Koski, Roy Leafgren, George Jackson, Standing, Arvid Ulto, Howard Hoskinson, and John Ruch.



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## THE Stow PRESS KEEP UP WITH STOW

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## UP THE FLOOR...

Nancy Lee Riney

Charles Call is one of the rare, worthy recorders of our nation's ways. Because of Mr. Call's caliber, many of the old things of our rich country are

The United States from many other lands.

Mr. Call calls square dancing.

With the resultant variety of this mixed ancestry and the set-



Charles Call on his farm. An avid enthusiast of conservation, he says, "Conservation is not the putting away and forgetting of something. It is putting it to the best use."

more than mere memories of yesterday's years. Charles' loyalty is keeping alive another of America's few cultures. He is an enterprising citizen; he is America; he is Ohio; and he is Stow.

No part of America's culture is more American than square dancing. Squares, or quadrilles, are rumored to have originated from the French. However, this part of square dancing is an integral part of every European national dance. Each step and pattern of our square dancing may be attributed to any nationality that one may name; Scandinavian, German, English, Irish or Scotch. This form of dancing, which has such a diversified ancestry, is descended from the many immigrants who came to

ting in different sections of the country by different immigrants, there are many regional differences in style. However, there are two definite forms of square dancing. There is the conventional style, or Eastern or Ohioan. This is the style that Mr. Calls calls. There is also

### SENATOR OCASEK TO SPEAK

State Senator Oliver Ocasek will speak to Junior and Senior PTA members at 8 p.m. Feb. 9. His subject will be "Experiences of a New State Senator."

Also on the program will be the Girls' Chorus, under the direction of Parke Cooley.

Mrs. Arlene Wheeler will give the invocation.

Refreshments will be served.



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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Mrs. Knight:

In your editorial column for January 21, 1960 you raise several questions to which I can provide an answer. These questions relate principally to a new gymnasium for the Stow School District. You stated unequivocally that Ohio State aid can be ours, with no strings attached, under liberal terms, and explained that Tallmadge's new high school was built with help from the State of Ohio, "can't we have them all?"

For your information and for the information of your readers, the Stow School District has made application to the State of Ohio for state aid in each of the last two years, and in each case a new gymnasium was a part of the plans.

On May 20, 1958 the Stow School District applied for state aid to build an upper elementary school of twenty rooms plus a modern gymnasium and cafeteria. On June 23, 1958 a Mr. Utterback of the State Department of Education visited Stow to inspect facilities and determine need. On July 29, 1958 a Mr. W. D. Darling of the School Building Section of the State Department of Education turned down the request for state aid with these words "we are suggesting that you proceed with a new eight room elementary building and that a kitchen be added at the high school . . . you would seem to have sufficient funds to meet your building needs until September 1959."

The Stow School District thereupon undertook the construction of twelve classrooms, multipurpose room, and cafeteria at Lakeview, and a new kitchen at the Junior Senior High School, which

was the extent of funds available to it at that time.

In July of 1959 the Stow School District projected its building requirements to keep pace with rising school population, determined that by September 1962 a new twenty-two room elementary school would be needed at a cost of approximately \$1,000,000 for the completion of high school or junior high school facilities (including a modern gymnasium). On September 3, 1959 a Mr. Dean of the State Department of Education made a visitation and inspection of Stow, and on November 2, 1959 Mr. Darling advised that the calculations of the State Department of Education showed that \$33,524 might be made available conditionally to the Stow School District, with these further observations "it is our opinion that a conditional approval for state funds amounting to \$33,524 would be meaningless. It would appear that your duplicate would increase . . . to the point that \$33,524 would not be required to supply the needed building. Our study indicates that your district does need a twenty-two room elementary building."

Under these circumstances the board of education has no choice but to ask for approval at the May primary of a bond issue to construct the elementary building according to the projection which will be the most sorely needed facility in 1961 and 1962.

The above are the facts found in records contained in my office, facts which you could have checked before writing your article published January 21, 1960. Likewise, your statement "and with no strings attached, under liberal terms" needs further examination. Certainly there are strings attached which can be inquired into at my office. Whether the terms are liberal is a matter of opinion.

I hope this serves to answer your questions.

Respectfully,

P. I. Van Brunt,  
Superintendent

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## Way Back When

ODDS AND ENDS

by Frank Green

I can vouch for all of these old memories: We yankees used a small potato to plug the spout of a kerosine can and a corn cob for a cork in a gallon jug.

Do any of you remember the fancy buttonhooks your mothers had? Do you remember the chawed hitching posts in front of stores and houses? The isinglass in the stove doors? The longlegged drawers



you.

When you were big enough in school so you had an ink well in your desk, and the ink bottles that sat in winter at night on the foot rest of the stove?

The bag of cooked onions your mother put on your throat or chest when it was sore?

After the dishes were washed, they were put back on the table and a cloth put over the top.

When I was a little boy, all

we wore in winter (the men, I mean) - the loose ends folded over so they made a lump under the sock?

The big wheeled coffee grinders in the stores? When you bought a sack of Arbuckle's coffee, it was ground for

of the menfolks wore leather boots. When the boots were new they were soft and pliable, but they soon got stiff and hard, and mutton tallow could not make them like new. In the mornings I had trouble getting mine on. The way we managed it was for me to sit down in a corner and Harvey, our hired man, would stand over me with his fingers in the boot straps. He would pull and I would push till the plagued thing slid on.

In the summer all the boys and some of the girls went barefoot.

We Green children usually went to school at Stow Corners. Across the road from the schoolhouse was a row of willow trees. We cut switches from them and played Lickety Cut. The boy who stood the switching longest won!

## 4-H CLUB NEWS

### Tree Planting

Application blanks are available for 4-H Tree Planting Projects at the Summit County Agricultural Extension Service Office, Post Office Bldg., Cuyahoga Falls, or by calling WA 8-2123. Deadline date is Feb. 10.

Over 3000 trees were planted as 4-H projects in 1959. It is an ideal project for a boy or girl 10-21 years of age who lives on a few acres, or who can work out an agreement with a neighbor for use of his land.

Applicants must be 4-H members in good standing, and must agree to inspection by the Division of Forestry, and plant according to specific regulations. 200 trees will be furnished to applicants without charge.

### Auto Meeting

One of the newest 4-H Club projects is the Auto Care and Safety project. This project is now available for three years and suited to boys and girls from the age of 15 years of age and

older.

Summit County started the project in 1957 on a pilot basis, says Bob Benson, County Extension Agent, 4-H, and it has gained in popularity ever since. Benson said that on January 26th a group of Summit Countians will attend a progress meeting in Medina. Highlights to be featured are a modern look at 4-H, promotion and explanation of the auto project in a community, organizing clubs, resources available to clubs, possible auto club activities, review of available literature, and sponsorship for the project.

Those attending from Summit County will serve as the committee to give the auto project some direction. Sheriff Russell Bird, Chief Deputy George Vaughn, Insurance Agent A. H. Point of Tallmadge, 4-H Advisors R. G. Scott of Green and O. R. Bloom of Copley, 4-H member Art Fenn of Hudson, Home Economics Agent Ann Welser and son Ted and Benson will attend the Medina meeting.

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## New Library Books and Records

Fri. Jan. 29 the following books were added to the Stow Public Library's list. After one week of display, they go into circulation.

More Plywood Projects for the Craftsmen — Robert Schmitt  
 San Francisco — Barnaby Conrad  
 King's Ransom — McBain, Ed  
 Horse Heaven Hill — Zane Grey  
 How to Score High on College Entrance Tests — Nathan Majer  
 I Believe in Immortality — John Bonnell  
 Sleep Long My Love — Hillary Waugh  
 Yesterday's Hero — Otis Carney  
 The Strong Men — John Brick  
 The Merry Wives of Massachusetts — James Parker  
 Loblolly — Frank Glibreth  
 Fiery Flower — Paul L. Wellman  
 In The Days of McKinley — Margaret K. Leech  
 Kindergarten — Minnie Berson  
 The Book of Sports Cars — Charles Markmann  
 The Scientific American Book of Mathematical Puzzles and Diversions — Martin Gardner

Latest Stereo records to be added were:  
 Ralph Vaughn Williams — Symphony No. 9 in E Minor L.P. — Swingin' Sounds  
 Osie Johnson's All Stars

the more recent influx of western influence into square dancing.

For the last 80 years The Darrow Street Grange has sponsored dances through February and up to May. This February 6 will mark the first sponsored dance of this year. The last will be held the first Saturday in May.

Jean, Charles' busy wife, is responsible for a flock of chickens on the farm. She is also responsible for two children, their son, Howard, 11, and their daughter, Suzanne, eight. The Calls attend The Congregational Church in Hudson. Jean is president of Woodland PTA and Charles is president of Summit County Agricultural Society. Mr. Call has a long day, beginning at 5:30 a.m. He is raising a herd of dairy cattle to supply milk for The Lawson Dairy Company. He also raises hybrid seed corn. There is a maple syrup camp on the farm.

Three generations of Calls have farmed the Call homestead, 180 acres, on Fish Creek Road. As a youngster, Charles attended the square dancing at Darrow Street Grange Hall, Darrowville. In 1939 he graduated from high school. At that time gloom had descended upon The Grange Hall. The old-time caller, who had been providing the entertainment for the section, had announced that he must give up this calling.



Charles Call calling at Darrow St. Grange

Mr. Call stepped in and volunteered to call. Again The Grange Hall was filled with glowing, happy faces and the traditional folk music rocked the social hall.

Some of the older citizens came to Mr. Call's rescue and taught him the words, tunes and steps of the dancing. These dances, backgrounded by our most popular folk songs, are very nearly the same that have been danced for the last 200 years. Some families had preserved the words and tunes by transcribing them on yellow parchment. Others had been preserved exactly by keen memories and word of mouth.

His forbears instituted one of the first forms of conservation in the county. A woodlot was fenced off and cattle were kept from grazing there. This resulted in the present day maple syrup camp, where literally millions of young green saplings grow so thick that it is almost impossible to walk through this area. These Call acres had been analyzed by their owners and with help from The National Soil Conservation Service and The Ohio College of Agriculture Association, necessary details have been applied from analysis to each situation. Many awards have been bestowed on these Call farmers. The growing of alfalfa, clover, Brome grass and orchard grass is maintained.

Providing background music for Mr. Call at the dances are: Hazel Osborne, at the piano; her husband, Dewey, at the drums; and their grandson, Gerral Morgan, on the trumpet.

These dances that take place now are a far cry from the dances in the eastern states in former years, when dancing was the only form of general entertainment to include both young and old. Many times in communities where there was not a social hall or meeting-place, individual farmers or citizens would hold the dances, called Junkets, in their kitchens. Everything would be removed from the kitchens,

except the kitchen sink. That had to remain because into it climbed the caller-fiddler, who led the merriment. Any slight excuse, wedding, birthings or houseraising were used for get-togethers. Dances started then right after the noontime meal and continued, not only into the small hours of the next morning, but for several days.

Now a good evening of 4 hours constitutes the modern day square dancing.

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## Socials and Personals

Mrs. John Heard and sons Idris (Welsh for Arthur) and Jeffery, who arrived in Stow from England just before Christmas, are anxiously awaiting the arrival of their husband and father, John Heard, expected to sail from Kent, England Feb. 6, to arrive about the 13th.

They will stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spicer, 2230 Lynwood Dr., until they find a permanent one of their own here.

Mrs. Spicer and Mrs. Heard are sisters, originally from Wales.

Mrs. Donald D. Rose of 3477 Lakeview Blvd. is in City hospital for the fifth time within the year, and not enjoying it this

time as much as she did the last trip, she came home with her third child. This time, as a result of an automobile accident on Jan. 15, her neck is in traction, a most confining position, and has just recently been allowed the use of a telephone.

Mrs. Rose's sister, Nancy Reynolds, is here from Orrville supervising the Rose household, where two of the three children have mumps. Does seem to prove that troubles come in bunches, doesn't it? A card or phone call to City Hospital would be appreciated.

The "Jack" Henterlys, 3499 Adaline Dr. will entertain 25

couples at a pre-dance party on February 6 before attending the Hearts and Darts Ball at the University Club in Akron.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Rickert, 3953 Darrow Rd. are proud to announce the arrival of Brian Timothy (8 pounds 8 ounces) on Saturday January 23. Young Brian brings the count up to nine (six boys and three girls). Most of these youngsters were recovering from the mumps while their mother was recuperating at St. Thomas Hospital.

Jimmy Lee Gorrell, Woodland School first grader, has been in Children's Hospital for two weeks, and must remain at least another three. He had a serious kidney operation which he is struggling to overcome. Bob Flavel, patrolman of our Police Force, has promised Jimmy an honorary police badge which is being specially made up, the thought of which is the highlight of Jimmy's days. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gorrell, 2345 Samira Rd.

Other Stow children at Children's Hospital last week were Richard Miller, 3585 Lakewood Blvd., and Vicki Kurligh, 3724 Hile Rd. Both had tonsillectomies.

Are they "Cheaper By the Dozen"??? Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Dannemiller, 3516 Adaline Dr.

## Terry Talks of High

by Terry McIntyre

How would you like to have some cake or some cookies? How about some candy? No? I know, you want some donuts. Still no? Oh, of, course, I should have guessed. It's pie you want. Well, you can get any or all of these delectable items at the Stow Co-op Saturday, February 6. The F.N.A.'s (Future Nurses), who are sponsoring the bake sale with Carol Burns and Karen Williams in charge, will no doubt be busy keeping the table well stocked with their home-baked goodies. As I mentioned previously, the girls have been taking proper care of the health room and their funds are growing small. So let's all support this project. I'm sure the returns will be good on both ends of the line, yours and the F.N.A.'s.

Now that we have turned over a new leaf to make a fresh start in the second semester, we find everyone vowing to do much better as far as grades are concerned. We

We also find we have six new students with us. Jo Ann Van Kirk and Judith Smith are both freshmen and are both from Tallmadge. There are three new students joining the sophomore class: Judith Allen and Richard Shoemaker from Cuyahoga Falls and Daeen Lindstrom from East High. But Doug Adkins seems to be the envy of everyone because he had the opportunity to spend the first semester of his junior year at Radford High in Honolulu Hawaii.

WELCOME TO STOW!

Six couples helped Judy Werner celebrate her seventeenth birthday Friday night. The party didn't end with the good-night kisses the girls stayed all night exchanging secrets and eating the remains of the sloppy joes.

The committees for the senior play, "Time Out for Ginger", have been posted. Tim Rogers is in charge of Programs, Delores Burdette has hand props, Evelyn Heidbrider has ticket sales, Cheryl Bee has ushers, Dave Antes has stage furniture, Linda Henderson has costumes and I have publicity -- so beware!

### APPOINTED MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Mrs. Harry Toban, 3789 Northview Dr., a 5th Grade teacher at Mogadore School, homemaker and mother of three (Danny 10, Richard 8, and Diane 4) has recently been appointed Elementary and High School Vocal Music Supervisor for the Mogadore School system, effective Feb. 1. Mrs. Toban will teach music and voice to the pupils in Grades 1 thru 6 and Grades 9 thru 12.

The Tobans moved to Stow 2½ years ago from Columbus, Ohio. Mrs. Toban studied music for 3½ years at Ohio State, and 1½ years at Ohio Northern in Ada Ohio, where she graduated in 1952. Additional vocal study was continued later at the Cleveland Institute of Music and at Western Maryland College in Westminster, Maryland.

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<b>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> - 3503 Darrow Rd.	
Rev. Theodore Cord	10:45 a.m. Services
<b>ST. STEPHEN'S LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> - (Highland Elementary School)	
Rev. Charles O. Wallick	10:45 a.m. Services
<b>COMMUNITY CHURCH of STOW</b> - 3541 Elm Rd.	
Rev. William R. Wolfe (CONGREGATIONAL CHRISTIAN)	10:45 a.m. Services
	9:30 a.m. Sunday School
<b>ZION EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN</b> - 1624 Northmoreland Ave., C.F.	
Rev. Dean Smith	9:30 a.m. Services
<b>HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> - 3163 Kent Rd.	
Rev. John H. Archibald	
Sunday Masses: 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00, 12:00	
Confessions: Saturdays 3:30 - 5:00 and 7:30 - 9:00	
<b>UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</b> - (Woodland School)	
Rev. Douglas R. Potter	11:00 a.m. Services
<b>STOW CALVARY CHAPEL</b> - 1981 Graham Rd.	
Rev. Joseph Denton	10:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Services
<b>STOW FOUR SQUARE GOSPEL CHURCH</b>	
Rev. Robert Kasten	11:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Services
<b>STOW MISSIONARY CHAPEL</b> - 4060 Kent Rd.	
Rev. Dewey Hale	11 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Services
<b>STOW CHRISTIAN &amp; MISSIONARY ALLIANCE CHURCH</b> (Glenn Fausz Home)	
Rev. G. W. Busse	10:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Services
<b>GRAHAM ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH</b> - 705 W. Graham Rd., C.F.	
Rev. Stanley E. Collison	11:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Services
<b>GRACE GOSPEL CHURCH</b> - 4017 Darrow Rd.	
Rev. Lenny Akers	11:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Services
<b>MUNROE FALLS BAPTIST CHURCH</b> - (Riverview School)	
Rev. Arthur Derry	11:00 a.m. Services
<b>MUNROE FALLS METHODIST CHURCH</b> - Monroe Falls Town Hall	
Rev. George Mayer	10:45 a.m. Services
<b>GRACE BRETHREN CHURCH</b> - Treasch & Bailey Rds.	
Rev. Richard Burch	11:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. Services

## Youth Banquet

The annual youth banquet for all teenagers of Stow Christian Church and Bible School will be held Sunday, Feb. 7. Mr. Glenn Douthitt, Director of Education of Indiana State Reformatory, will be the principal speaker.

## Church Circles Reorganize

Mrs. Anthony Cookro, president of the Altar and Rosary of Holy Family parish in Stow, has announced at their most recent meeting that because of the great increase in the parish census that the original 12 Circles which comprise the Altar and Rosary Society have been reorganized into 25 Circles to facilitate holding meetings and contacting members. Mrs. Hans Schlichting and Mrs. Phillip

Meyers have had the responsibility of reorganizing the entire parish into the new districts. The following 25 women have been appointed as Circle chairmen and will serve until the election of officers in May:

Circle 1, Mrs. Richard Ruhe; 2, Mrs. Delbert Cline; 3, Mrs. Ralph Burkley; 4, Mrs. Frank Zucco; 5, Mrs. Wilfred Mishler; 6, Mrs. Paul Stitzel; 7, Mrs. Jack Henterly; 8, Mrs. John Buckley; 9, Mrs. John Milec; 10, Mrs. John Wahl; 11, Mrs. Fred Bebb; 12, Mrs. Frank Pelliteri; 13, Mrs. Richard McClosky; 14, Mrs. Carl Stevens; 15, Mrs. John Yasvac; 16, Mrs. Donald Marko; 17, Mrs. Geo. Pfeiffer; 18, Mrs. Paul Dockety; 19, Mrs. Ralph Brower; 20, Mrs. Clement Crock; 21, Mrs. Winston Bryant; 22, Mrs. Lawrence Miller; 23, Mrs. Thomas Miller; 24, Mrs. James Bedell; 25, Mrs. Warren Cassidy.

## Munroe Falls Pipeline

### VILLAGE HALL TOPICS

At a recent meeting of Village Council, authorization was given for \$400 monthly for fire protection, with an additional month to be added to the past number to give the Council time at the end of the year to determine a new contract. This year they were under no contract from January 1, until the new contract was passed upon. Fire protection is purchased from a privately-owned volunteer fire department under a yearly contract. The department has stated a need for 600 feet more of fire hose and an addition to the present station.

Council also authorized an ordinance prepared requiring chimneys to be constructed of masonry where incinerators are connected, and an ordinance specifying outside vents for gas appliances be approved by the National Board of Underwriters.

Council accepted the Building Committee's recommendation that no new offices be built in or in addition to the present Village at this time. They voted to remain a member of the Tri-County Planning Commission, and agreed to purchase eleven new street signs at \$5.75 each and approved improvements on Belmont and Lindsay, from Route 91, 1400 feet east with payment by special assessment. Lossie Van Meter was selected to take the position of custodian, left vacant by the recent death of Frank Thompson.

### Munroe Falls Garden Club Names Committees

The first meeting of the Garden Club was held at the home of the president, Mrs. Monroe Carpenter, 251 North River Road, January 25. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Ford Grubb and Mrs. Donald Lyle.

### ROCK AND ROLL DANCE CLUB SELECT NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Richard Miller will once again be at the helm as president of the Rock and Roll Dance Club. Serving as vice-president and secretary will be Mrs. Earl King, with Oral Iverson as treasurer. Dances are held the first and third Saturdays of each month at the Munroe Falls Town Hall. Music is furnished by records. At the present time the Club has \$217.92 in its treasury, owns a

public address system, two loud speakers, a new record player and a selection of over 200 records. On Saturday, February 6, from 8 till 10:30, a Sweater Hop will be held at the Town Hall, with prizes to be awarded wearers of a color sweater to be selected by the Board. The Board will meet Thursday, February 4, at the home of Mrs. Oral Iverson, 118 Lindsey Road.

### Valentine Dance

The Methodist Youth Fellowship will hold a Valentine Dance, Saturday, February 13, from 7 till 10:30, at the Munroe Falls Town Hall. Tickets are 50¢ in advance, or 75¢ at the door. Members will have tickets for sale soon.

### Personals

Mrs. E. J. Spriggle a patient at St. Thomas Hospital for the past ten days, has returned to her home, 176 Munroe Falls Avenue, where she will convalesce.

Little Brynn Wellman of Cleveland Heights will spend the February 5 week-end visiting her grand-parents, the Herb Lauers, Munroe Falls Avenue.

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# Stow Sports

by Roy Kincaid

The Bulldogs of Stow are apparently destined to remain cellar-dwellers in the Metro loop this season. Two more humiliating defeats last week at the hands of Kent Roosevelt and Coventry point in that direction. The Kent Roosevelt shellacking is forgivable as they are probably the top team in the league - but on the other hand, Coventry is the same team, if you recall, that Stow led for three periods and finally lost a heart-breaker to by the merest of margins.

Last Friday night's game, however, on Stow's home court, found Coventry rolling to an easy 61-41 victory.

It has been my honest opinion - that is, until last week - that the Bulldogs were developing, and would be a very good team by this time next season. Since observing the last few games, it is apparent that this speculation was inaccurate.

In all due respect to Coach Sonnhalter and his charges, injuries of every imaginable sort have played an adverse role this season. But no player has been able to stand out and lead, as it were, consistently. Each of the boys has had his spectacular moments, but they have been all too sporadic.

The nucleus is there - whether or not this group of fellows develops it depends on one word: effort!



## HOLY FAMILY WHIPS ST. HEDWIG 35 - 15

The latest victory for Holy Family's basketball team was chalked up Saturday, January 30 when St. Hedwig was whipped 35 - 15 bringing the total to 5 victories and 2 defeats for H.F.'s cagers. Points scored were, Tom Schmitt 16; Bill Gassie 6; Lenny Nalencz 6; Bob Martin 3; Ray Habyan 2; Larry Delble 2.

Next Saturday morning February 6 H. F. will tangle with St. Bernards' at the St. Vincent Field House in Akron.

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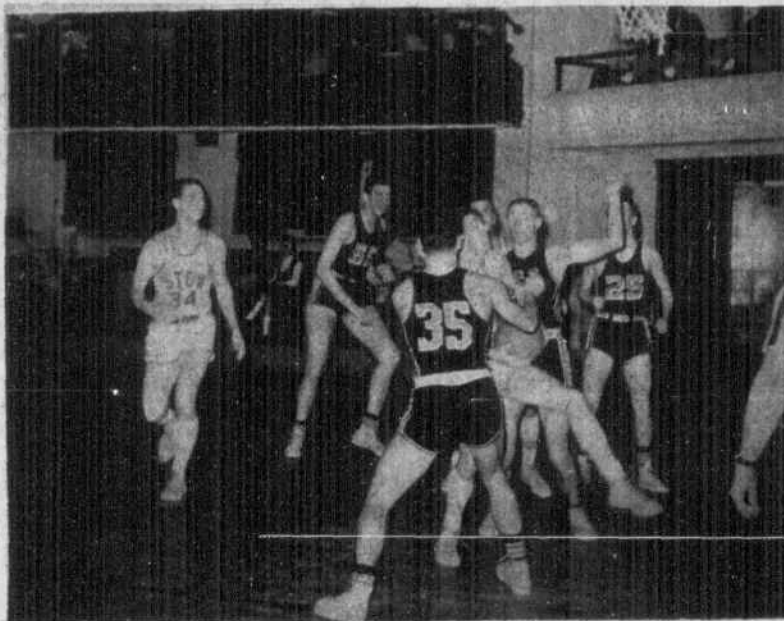
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Cowles re-captures ball for Stow from Coventry.

## KEEP UP WITH STOW

### SMOKE SIGNALS

On Jan. 15, 172 fathers and sons from Rolling Plains Longhouse, Y Indian Guides, attended the annual Father-Son banquet in the Hudson High School Cafeteria.

Emcee'd by out-going Chief Bob Heath of the Stowhawks, perfect attendance awards were presented to little braves. New officers were installed, and Frank Smith of the Stowhanees tribe became Chief for 1960. The group was entertained by Mr. Wood of Cleveland, who presented a talk and display on hobbies.

Jan. 24 the annual Matchbox Derby was held at Bolick Jr. High in Cuyahoga Falls. Tim Hanna, 3930 Baumberger Rd., Bill Gron, 4092 Burton Dr., and Marty Grogg, 2235 Graham Rd., were among the winners in a field of 190 cars.

### Stow Grads

#### Make Dean's List

Eight Stow students attending Kent State University made the dean's list with 3.0 or better averages. (3.0 is "B", or superior.)

The former Stow High School students are: Trent Bunker, 4336 Newcomer Rd.; Frances J. Allen, 3409 Margaret Ave.; Mary Kinsey, 3120 E. Graham Rd.; Margaret J. Macy, 3760 Greentree Rd.; Ted Root, 4563 Hudson Dr.; Donald Schmeidel, 4963 Young Rd.; Martin R. Shafer, 3448 Yukon Rd. Richard M. Williams, 2738 Progress Park.

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## Scouts Observe Fiftieth Year

In observance of the Golden Anniversary of Scouting in America, the week of Feb. 6 through 12 has been set aside as Scout Week.

Boy Scouts from Holy Family Troop #177 are preparing window displays to be set up at the W. T. Grant Co. and Millers United Shoe Co. at the Stow-Kent Center.

The troop will also set up camp at the shopping center on Friday evening Feb. 5, and remain all day Saturday demonstrating scouting skills. They will break camp Sunday morning.

Troop #177 has 50 active Boy Scouts in four patrols. Patrol leaders are Denny Gerber, Bill McMillen, Jim Schulz and Paul Haas.

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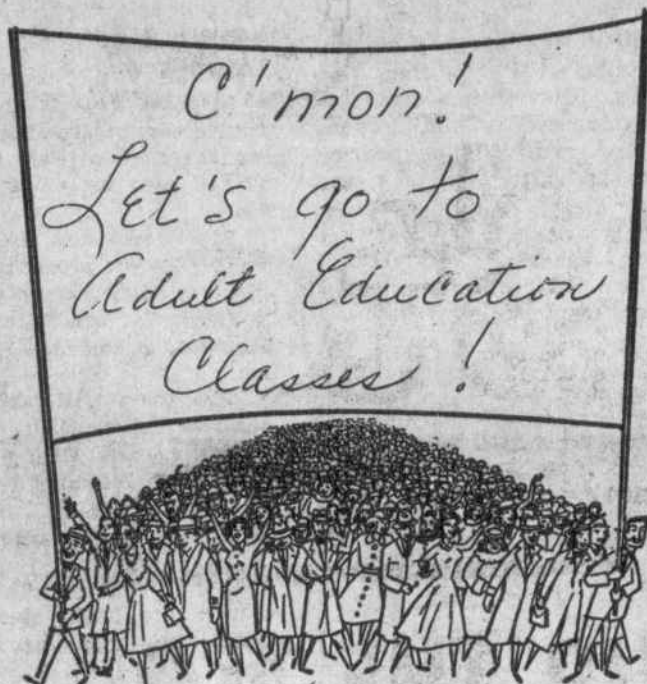
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## Winter Term at Stow Jr Sr High to Begin

### WEDNESDAY EVENING CLASSES

#### Beginning Typing \* Room 301

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#### Interior Decorating - Room 101

This workshop course covers the use of color; hints on buying; and decorating on a budget. Discussion period covers individual questions and problems.

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#### Home Repair for Men - Room 104

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#### TO REGISTER:

Mail in coupon below, or come in person to Stow Junior High any school day from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., or to Stow High School Feb. 15 or 16 from 7-8 p.m. or Feb. 17 or 18 from 6-7 p.m.

#### COST:

Dog Obedience, \$5; all others, \$10 for residents of Stow School District. Non-residents, \$12.

#### TIME:

7 - 9 p.m. except dog obedience and Slide Rule which are one hour courses. Classes are held weekly for eight weeks, beginning Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 17 and 18.

### THURSDAY EVENING CLASSES

#### Sliderule - Room 302 - 7:00-8:00

Instructor - P. L. Van Brunt  
A one hour course for people interested in learning how to use a slide rule.

#### Dog Obedience - Small Gym

Instructor - Mr. J. Thompson 7:00-8:00  
Planned exercise to teach dog to obey commands and proper behavior in the presence of people and other dogs.

#### Dog Obedience - Small Gym

Instructor - Mr. Thompson - 8:00-9:00  
An advanced course for those dogs who have successfully mastered the beginning course in dog obedience.

#### Beginning Typing - Room 301

Instructor - Miss Townsell  
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Who awoke at the sound.

Warm sun briefs the fingers  
A breeze licks the sting  
While little things push  
An upheaval toward spring.

...Gracious Sakes

### STOW BOOSTERS OFF THE GROUND

Membership is now formally open for the new Stow Athletic Boosters Club which held its first meeting last Sunday at Village Hall.

Earl Steffy, past president of Ellet Boosters, spoke to the group about Ellet's experiences in the hows and whys of organizing a successful club.

First year officers were elected and included R. B. Packard, president; George Jackson, vice president; Roy Leafgren, secretary; Mertze Koski, treasurer.

Board of Trustees will be made up of the officers plus Howard Hoskinson, John Ruch and Arvid Uitto.

Sights are set on a membership of 3000, and each of the 24 members present at Sunday's meeting is asked to bring at least one new recruit with him to the next meeting. Other interested men and women are welcome.

#### Date Changed

Original plans, for next meeting date called for Sunday afternoon, Feb. 14, but finding the high school, which is site of all future meetings, would be filled for the band Musicale, members are asked to note that Saturday, Feb. 13 has been set instead, with the time set for 2 p.m.

All present at the first meeting took out \$1.00 memberships, creating a treasury of \$24. Several businessmen have offered their help and members of the school board have offered full cooperation, though the organization will not be formally under their auspices.

The need for funds lies in outfitting teams which play interschool sports. No school funds may be used for sports equipment except in physical ed. classes, according to state law. School funds may be used for building or maintaining fields or stadiums, but when balances are low, as they are everywhere now, they must be supplemented from other sources, such as Boosters and/or admissions to games and events.

One immediate need here will be re-surfacing the Stow track for track meets. (Reports say that track meets were quite splashy last year.) Boosters will confer with School Board members to be sure both are not earmarking funds for the same purpose.

Some of the projects discussed for Booster future action were broom and peanut sales, which

have been successful elsewhere in raising funds.

Stow High, 2 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 13, will be the place and time to join the latest organization of this growing community.



Danny Ferriot (l.) and Lamont Pittman showed the Scout salute in a skit at Highland PTA meeting which featured the Scout Re-Chartering Jan. 27.

### CAROL CAME CLOSE

Carol Blanchard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Blanchard, 1999 Liberty Rd., a finalist in the Fruit-of-the-Loom annual Socks Scholarship Contest, has been notified that she won a Hammond Nature Atlas. Only 11 years old, Carol will have 7 more years to compete for the top prize of full college scholarship. She's a sixth grader at Woodland School. Mrs. Blanchard praised school personnel for their needed cooperation in filling out the comprehensive questionnaires.

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