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### The Year Was 1947

- WWII was over
- The county was returning to a peacetime economy
- Moreland School was on South Moreland near the intersection of Kinsman and Lee
- Our telephone numbers had 2 letters and 4 numbers
- Doctors made house calls
- Shaker Heights was expanding with new homes and businesses

## The Year Was 1947

- The Pledge of Allegiance did not contain the phrase "under God" which was not added until June 14, 1954
- Our flag had 48 stars (It didn't change until Alaska became a state on January 3, 1959; Hawaii followed suit on August 21, 1959)

## Fred Heinlen was already coaching at Shaker

THUBSDAY, JANUARY 9, 1947



#### Heinlen Looks to the Future and Benefits the Community

Fred C. Heinlen, basketball coach at Shaker Heights High, will demonstrate this month a sure-fire way to build better basketball teams at Shaker High in the future. More important, however, he'll be building better boys.

Heinlen is making a tour this rector of and principal of Moremonth of all Shaker elementary land School, has informed the schools and lecturing before P. T. School Board that basketball A organizations of those schools courts will be made available on in an effort to stimulate interest all school playgrounds as soon as

Heinlen feels that his program can only be accomplished through the cooperation of the parents of the elementary school youngsters. The parents can start the basketball rolling by providing the backyard. the hoop, the ball, and the encouragement.

Heinlen, who has worked with Y.M.C.A. boys for years and was recently named director of the Y's North Woods Summer Camp, feels that backyard and playground basketball is one means of keeping youngsters off the streets and out of mischief.

In addition, he'll be building cagers for future championship teams n the-Lake Eric League.

Principals of the elementary schools are cooperating with Heinen by making available assembly periods at which time the small ry can be told what they can do o prepare themselves for Varsity ind Intramural athletics in the unior and senior high schools.

Heinlen will take with him various members of the present Shaker High basketball team, who will stress to the boys the importance of clean living and good school work as it pertains to athletics.

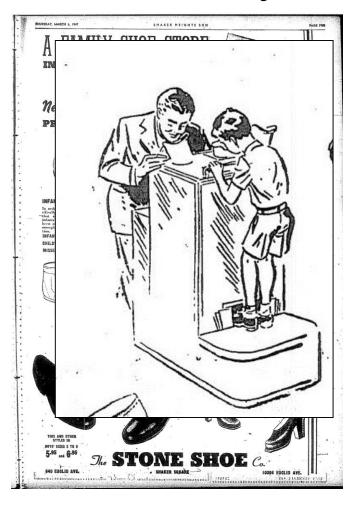
the weather permits.

Cooperation has also been promised by the physical education instructors of the boys and girls in all the elementary schools as well as at the Junior High School,

In carrying his basketball program into the elementary schools. Heinlen is serving the entire community. Juvenile delinquents are seldom youngsters who can play a sport properly and cleanly. It is the frustrated boy who doesn't know how to play the game that becomes the community

Good luck, Coach Heinlen.

# We bought our shoes and had our feet x-rayed



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# In April, Gruber's opened at Moreland Center

April 17, 1947

SHAKER HEIGHTS SUN

#### GRUBER'S SHAKER RESTAURANT OPENS ITS DOORS TODAY

Today marks the otheral openling of the Max Gruher's \$290,999 restaurant and cocktail bumpe at 20120 South Moreland Boulevard, in the new business center at the end of the Moreland Rapid Transit line. The restaurant covers some \$0.900 square feet.

Owned and operated by the well-known Gruber family, which has been in the restaurant business in Cleveland for 45 years, the newly-opened restaurant is the first Gruber "branch."

Spacious and modern, the dining room will operate on a sevenday week basis. Steaks, lobsters, scafood, sed, full course meals will be featured during luncheon and dinner hours. Sunday morning breakfasts and after theatre snacks will be other Gruber services.

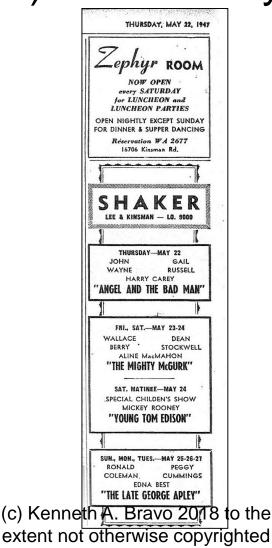
The sparkling kitchen includes bake ovens, a salad department, individual coolers, refrigerators, and depp freeze units. The cuisine will be of the French-Swiss-German type, with the accent on French flavor in the cooking. The chef will cater to special parties and banquets.

Alongside the dining end of the room there is a 'cocktail lounge where the liquor will be served at the tables. Soft music will play continuously.

The decor of the new Gruber restaurant is patterned in the New York manner. Indirect, variculared cold cathode lighting has been installed. Holzheimer, who embellished the Mounds Climband other spots, handled the decorations. Purnishings are by Halle's. The restaurant and cocktail lounge will be open every day from 11 a. m. to midnight.

Manager of the restaurant will be R. F. Gruber, former lieut, commander of the U.S.S. Bath, a frigate which any service in the South Pacific and Russian waters, Mrs. Ruth Walters will be assistant manager.

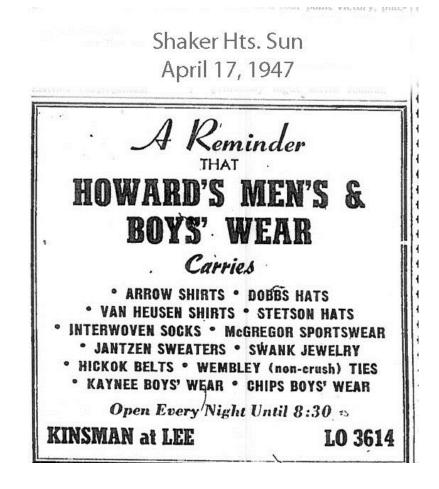
# The Zephyr Room was already on Kinsman and the Shaker Show (we never called it Theater) was already open



# The Vogue Theater opened and there was also the Fairmount



# Howard's was on Kinsman but close to Lee



## Lota Kelly was also on Kinsman

Delightfully Cool

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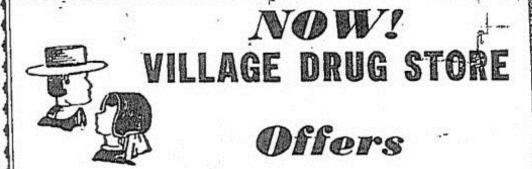
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## There was plenty of ice cream

Shaker Hts. Sun

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"THERE IS NO BETTER"

VILLAGE DRUG STORE WA 1270

LEE & MORELAND

FRED W. GEHRUNG

"20 YEARS AT THE SAME LOCATION"
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## Zinner's Florist was on Kinsman (later it moved to the corner of Lee)



# And there was C.L. Nicholls for our sporting goods

New! Larger Quarters! TO SERVE YOU BETTER C. L. Nicholls SPORTING GOODS CO. Shaker's Exclusive Sporting Goods Store ... CARRYING A COMPLETE SELECTION OF \* HUNTING EQUIPMENT \* FISHING TACKLE \* BADMINTON SUPPLIES . \* FOOTBACK \* BOWLING \* BOXING ★ C. C. M. ICE SKATES AND ACCESSORIES ICE SKATES SHARPENED (Between Kinsman and S. Moreland)

# The Rapid got an escalator downtown

### Shaker Rapid Transit Escalator to Begin Operating Monday

By Jane Artale

Mayor William J. Van Aken announced today that the Shaker Rapid Transit's electric stairway, the innocent victim of strikes and shortages for the past year, has finally been completed and will go into operation at 8 p. m., Monday.

To find out how well the electric stairway works, I took a trial ride yesterday on Paul K. Jones' \$60,000 "stairway to heaven." For a footsore commuter, it was like a long, cool drink on a hot July day.

This Monday, the Shaker Rapid's 28,000 riders will get the same kick out of riding the slick, chromium stairway that I did. Under construction for more than a year, the escalator will make the end of the rapid ride at the Terminal a pleasant affair rather than a stair-climbing ordeal.

Though Shaker's Rapid Transit is tops in transportation, the long climb at the end of the ride has always been a distinctly unhappy ending. Hurried commuters have elbowed weary shoppers

in the throngs that jammed through the turnstiles to the stairways. Now all that is changed.

I rode a swift and comfortable car to the Terminal where I alighted and headed for the new electric stairway installed by Westinghouse. Two stream-lined "electric eye" doors opened magically as I approached, a welcome change from the necessary shoulder-pushing needed to manipulate the swinging doors barring the old stairway.

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The Sun wants news of engagements, marriages, births, deaths, clubs, P. T. A.'s, lodges, travels, servicemen.

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The Shaker Heights Sun is a weekly newspaper of general circulation in Shaker Heights, University Heights, the Shaker Square district, and the Glen-Lee Section.

# And so we came to Moreland School

- I don't recall if I walked to Kindergarten but I do recall that I usually walked to school, in all sorts of weather, until I was old enough to ride my bike
- Thanks to Judy Lazarus Yellen and Marilyn Landau we do have a Kindergarten photo of one class



## Our Principal

Charles A. Thornton

# And We Learned Our School Song

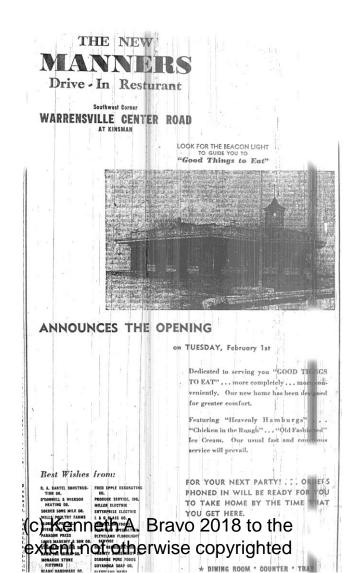
### **Moreland School Song**

This land of ours is full of schools There are schools both great and small, But when it comes to praising them Why Moreland Beats them all. I am proud of Moreland Is Moreland proud of me? What she needs is boys and girls Filled with the loyalty. When we work, when we play With our school friends dear Good citizens we will be So, I'll proud, be proud of Moreland School And I'll will make her proud of me.

In early 1948, while we were still in Kindergarten, Blaushild's opened on Kinsman



## About the same time Manner's opened at Warrensville Center and Kinsman



### As our Kindergarten year wound down, there were other news stories of interest

### SHAKER HEIGHTS SUN

### Moreland Honors **80 Safety Guides**

Eighty boys and girls who have served as Moreland School guides during the past year will be honored at a luncheon to be given by the Moreland P.T.A. on next Wednesday.

The guides, who were each elected for six week periods, devoted their free time to maintaining order and enforcing the rules Moreland School pupils. Mothers made by the Student Council, in the district Mrs. Frances Method and Mrs. Shaker council to place a guard Lucile Wetzell have acted as the at the four-way crossing.

guide leaders. William J. Slade Jr., superintendent of Shaker schools, has been invited to attend.

### **Guard at Ashby Corner**

Joseph F. Hart, 63, of 3511 Hildana Rd., went on duty Monday morning as a Shaker school policeman, assigned to the Ashby-Milverton intersection, used by had petitioned

# Who knew that Mr. Thornton was also the principal at Fernway?

Shaker Hts. Sun June 3, 1948

## Fernway School Honors Thornton

The P.T.A. Board of Fernway School held a luncheon yesterday in the school auditorium in honor of the teachers and of Charles A. Thornton, principal

Mr. Thornton, who is leaving the principal post at Fernway to give full time to his duties as principal of Moreland School, was presented with a token of appreciation at the luncheon. Lapel corsages were given to the teachers. Brownie Scouts helped serve the luncheon to the 56 parents and teachers who attended Mrs. Cilman B. Allen and her committee were in charge of arrangements Mrs. Eugene B. Myers, P. T. A. president, presided.

## Remember the wonderful summer program at Moreland? At \$2 per week!!

### 715 ENROLL IN 6 PLAYGROUNDS TO SET RECORD

Despite bad weather, 715 youngsters enrolled in Shaker's six playgrounds Monday and Tuesday, almost double the 415 who registered the first two days last year.

Charles A. Thornton, Shaker recreation director, was elated at the first week's turnout and predicted that all records for attendance in Shaker's eight-week playground program will be smashed this year.

Mr. Thornton pointed out that the 715 registration is approximately one of every third elementary school youngster in the city.

Monday, the swimming pool in the Shaker High School was open to adults only from 7:30 to 9 p.m., with a charge of 25 cents for suit and towel. On Wednesdays, the pool is open to parents and their children from 7:30 to 9 p.m., with the 25 cents charge.

Mr. Thernton also announced that leagues in softball, hardball, basketball, and touch football have been organized.

A special motion picture projector and a series of films on sports have been obtained by the Recreation Department for rainy day programs.

### Although we were too young, there were also summer courses. Remember any of the teachers?

### Shaker Summer School Offers Special Courses

New courses, increased enrollment, and smaller classes distinguish the Shaker Heights Summer Schools this session, according to E. W. Nieman, director of the Summer Schools. Compact classes have been achieved through the hiring of additional teachers and dividing classes.

Offered this year for the first are the following courses. auto mechanics for senior high boys, woodworking for elementary boys, senior high school English courses, American government, a tenthgrade mathematics review course, and an automobile driver training course.

. Enrollment in the elementary schools is 112: in the Junior High School, 216; arfd in the Senior High School, 318. Most popular are the typing courses in the Senior High School, with a total enrollment of 43 and the shop courses have enrolled 68.

Teachers in the elementary school are Marian Finch, Hester South, Velma Sibley, Dorothy Waldsmith, Velma Benson, and Frances Method. Teaching in the Junior High School are Alva Hatch, Robert Crosby, John Shuster, Merl

Deusen. Instructors in the Senior High School are Eugene Branson, Charles Hanes, Alvin Ames, R. L. Thrailkill, Frederick David, Guy Henry, Garner Robert Heil Jernhy 201 Starr, Alma Bowen, Worlden De Heil Bravo 201 Shito the man.

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# As we moved into summer, our parents worried about polio

## Here's 8 Rules To Fight Polio Mrs. Mary K. Porter, nurse of

Mrs. Mary K. Porter, nurse of the Shaker health department, reported today that Shaker Heights and surrounding area have been free of polio to date this year.

She urged the following precautions and instructions for children and their parents as well, inasmuch as polio has been striking with greater frequency among adults.

1. Avoid new contacts. Try not to mingle with crowds unnecessarily. (Schools and other gathering places, however, may remain open.)

Don't get overtired as extreme fatigue makes you an easier victim; avoid chills and don't stay too iong in cold water; keep clean, wash hands before eating, keep files and other insects away from food.

 Help keep your community clean, waste and exposed garbage may be sources of infections.

4. Don't swim in polluted waters.

Avoid removal of tonsils or adenoids prior to and during polio epidemic season.

 Watch for headache, unexplained fever, a cold, even upset stomach as the first symptoms of infantile paralysis.

Call your doctor immediately if any of these symptoms appear. Expert medical care may help prevent crippling.

8. Don't worry about expense. If polio strikes, get in

### As we were preparing for first grade, Moreland School became the local draft headquarters

### Moreland School Will Be Headquarters For Draft Boards 32 and 29, Beduhn Announces

Arthur A. Beduhn, head of the country draft board committee, announced today that Moreland School will be the headquarters for both Draft Boards 29 and 32. which embrace suburbs in the eastern half of Cuyahoga County.

Draft Board 29 includes East Cleveland and Cleveland Heights, and contingent villages and municipalities, while Draft Board 32 includes Shaker and University Heights and adjoining municipalities and villages.

Registration for men born after Aug. 30, 1922 will begin Monday and registration for other age for the various age groups.

groups will continue through Sept. 1

In Shaker Heights, men can register at the Shaker City Hall from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Shaker Post of the American Legion, Herbert Horn, 2884 Huntington Rd., commander, will conduct the local registration.

Beduhn said that most municipalities are providing registration facilities at their respective city halls. Anyone from Board 32, however, can register at the Shaker City Hall if they so desire.

Here's the registration dates

August 30-Men born in 1922, after Aug. 30, 1922.

August 31, Sept. 1-Men born in 1923.

Sept. 2, Sept. 3-Men born in 1924.

Sept. 7-Men born in 1925.

Sept. 8. Sept. 9-Men born in 1926.

Sept. 10, Sept. 11-Men born in 1927.

Sept. 13, Sept. 14-Men born in 1928.

Sept. 15, Sept. 16-Men born in 1929.

Sept. 17, Sept. 18-Men born in 1930, before Sept. 19, 1930.

# The Board of Education Hired New Teachers

### BOARD HIRES 18 NEW TEACHERS

(Continued from Page 1)
the scientific tests to enable Miss
Ruth Warnke, Shaker psychologist, to judge their fitness for
kindergarten entrance.

Beginning early in October the famed Wetzel-Grid tests for measuring physical fitness of each pupil will be set up, according to Mr. Slade.

A total of 18 new teachers have been hired by the School Board for the fall term. These include Mary M. Barnett as a swimming and physical education teacher at Shaker High School; Elizabeth Carson, Sussex School kindergarten teacher; Lois J. Clark, Home Economics and Biology, Shaker High; Annette Dakin, librarian, Ludlow School; Alice L. Evans, Onaway School, third grade; Jerry F. Katherman, Junior High Science teacher; Marjorie Katherman, Sussex School, first grade.

Richard D. Klyver, Shaker High, Social Studies; Margaret M. Kotsch, Onaway School, second grade; Barbara Merker, Sussex, fifth grade; Evelyn A. Moore, Junior High, physical education; Wilma M. Pippert, Malvern School, sixth grade; Ruth Raymond, Lomond, second grade; Pearl Schutz, Onaway, fifth grade; Harold A. Storms, Shaker High, mathematics, mechanical direc-

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# Shortly before school began, Halle Bros. opened at Shaker Square

AUGUST 26, 1948

SHAKER HEIGHTS SUN

### \*Unique Cake Is Feature of Halle Opening



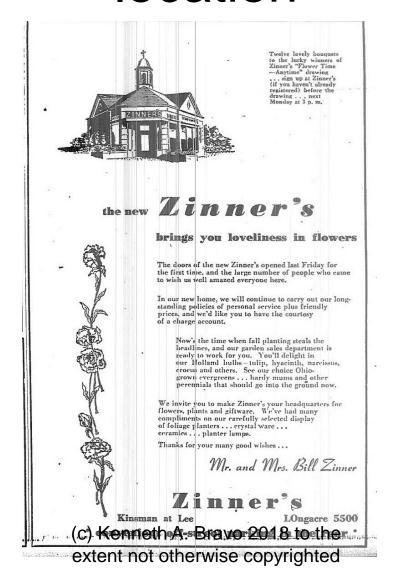
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Employees of Halle's Shaker Square store presented this unique cake in the form of a book, open to another page in the success story of the company, to Walter M. Halle, president, at the opening of the Shaker Square store Monday. Left to right: (Misk Martha Ditzhaunt appared department head; Edwin Crooks, assistant store manager; Miss Margaret Sauer, accessories; Mr. Halle, and Miss Lois Terry, in the Company of the Shaker Square store Monday.

Again, thanks to Judy and Marilyn we have a first grade picture



# Zinner's Florist moved to their new location



## The fall of 1948 also brought the World Series; school was cancelled for a once-in-a-generation" event

## Play Ball: Church Gets Television, School's Out

World Series fever is sweeping through schools in the Heights today.

All of Shaker's schools will be closed on Friday to celebrate the once-in-a-generation event at Cleveland Stadium, Superintendent known, to meet the situation with William Slade, Jr. announced.

In Cleveland Heights, Superintendent Frank Wiley said the schools will remain in session, but two television sets will broadcast

tickets to the series opener or on | 400 junior church members in the the request of parents. And the game Friday will be broadcast throughout the school system.

Plymouth Church of Shaker Heights became the first church of Greater Cleveland, as far as is television.

Rev. Joseph R. Ludwigson, assistant minister of the church, said pupils will be excused who have each of the series games to about

recreation room. Tickets have been distributed and must be presented at game time for admission.

A decision to install the sets in the church came after a meeting last week of the church's building committee. One set has been purchased by the church and the other was obtained through the efforts of Wendell Falsgraf, L. A. Wells and A. F. Head, members of the committee.

## In October, Fisher Foods opened on Kinsman near Lee



## At the same time, the Winslow Road Extension was opened



## Remember Viny's Hardware at Scottsdale and Lee?



### Moreland School Has a Christmas Operetta

#### Moreland Operetta

There seems to be nothing too difficult for the youngest generation to attempt nowadays, as first night audiences at yesterday's opening performance of the Moreland School Christmas Operetta will tell you. The show, entitled, "Toyland," is being presented by second grade youngsters again today.

The infectious children's music from the Victor Herbert hits, "Little Nemo," "Red Mill," "Babes in Toyland," and "Sweethearts" is sung by the junior size cast and chorus. The children act out the Story of the Toy Soldier and the China Doll, and in these roles they meet many interesting characters, nursery story folk who come to life.

The cast includes Marc Konvissor, Howard Kruman, Tom Haber, Bruce Wolf, Dick Schulte, Judy Novasat, Peggy Wolf, Karen Rowland, Evelyn Feld, Carol Carr, Betty Schade, Tina Aaronson, Phyllis Rehmar, Judy Glyde, Joan Heller, Janet Wolf, Jimmy Frank, Melvyn Resnick, Judy Snider, Jane Bradley, Eugene Katz, Bobby Bambeck, Dick Erickson, Stuart Burk, Gary Fromson, Vincent Teresi, Elena Naso, and the Moreland School chorus.

"Toyland" was arranged and directed by Mrs. M. Waldsmith, assisted by Miriam Antone as

## We even had a small grocery store across Lee Road from Moreland



### Mr. Thornton also ran the Recreation Department

Shaker's Thornton, Baby Sitter for 4,395 Tots

By Jane Artale

The chaspest "baby sitting" in the program last year.

Financial comparisons show that ing musician goes from 192 yround resching musician goes from 192 yround for player,—and the best, that what they've nicknamed the Shakes er fielgits playground program. And clifton Wable ir-a small-timer compared to Charlie Thornton and. At there are 60 regular supervise.

And as proof of the pudding is

in the eating, so too are the skyrocketing attendance records at the city play spots, proof positive of their growing popularity. The Shaker playgrounds, ably staffed and crammed check-full with fun events, are the perfect vacation at home for tots.

Thornton, director of recreation, in his preliminary recreation re-port, showed that 4395 Shaker youngsters enrolled in the pro-gram during one week alone. This is nearly 1000 more children who attended during the third week of



Charles A. Thornton ors and 13 special teachers, this

is an average of 16 children to each supervisor. I was given a panoramic view of how the playgrounds operate when Ralph Deucker, an assistant to Mr. Thornton, took me on a

quick tour of several of them. At Susex a gay group of little girls were staging a play for their own amusement in the auditorium under the professional eye of Mrs. Gertrude Meunch the Recreation Department's traveling drams coach. These playlets are the high spot of the week at each of the schools Mrs. Meunch visits.

If the shows sparkle and have polish the tots take them on tour. staging presentations for children at other playspots. Preparing at other playspots. Preparing 'Snow White and Rose Red" for a 'road tour" were Helen Lustig, Kay Wolf, Sondra Fain, Kathy Clark, and Marilyn Evans.
Presently at all playgrounds,

which include Fernway, Hamp-stead Road, Shaker Junior High, Lomond, Ludlow, Moreland, Ona-way, and Sussex, the youngsters are diligently practising for the Junior Olympic try-outs, sched-aled for July 20. This is the first year that Shaker Heights has been singled out to have its own suburban finals. Star athletes selected for the Shaker team will take part in the national Junior Olympics competition at Berea on August

At Lomond School we heard melodious notes floating out of a

An innovation of the Recreation An innovation of the Recreation Program this year is the enlarged and specialized program for jun-ior high school youngsters. In pre-vious years the Junior high group was intermingled with the smaller children and took part in the regluar playground activities, Now they have a special set-up of their own, with a schedule scaled to their wider interests. Ceramics, tennis, swimming, and baseball periods are included in this upper age level program.

This week the spotlight is on ennis at the playgrounds, since the Northeastern Ohio Open Tennis Tourney is being played on the Shaker High courts. The tour-nament committee handling this

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# Over the summer between 1<sup>st</sup> and 2nd grade, James Halderman was hired as Shaker's football coach

#### Halderman Named Shaker High Coach

Announcement was made today of the appointment of James F. Halderman, 29, football coach at Gallia Academy High School, Gallipolis, O., as athletic director at Shaker Heights High School.

Halderman succeeds Coach Robert B. Breitenstein, who left Shaker for a coaching post at Miami University. At Gallipolis, Halderman's Blue Devils won 19 consecutive football games and two titles in the Southeastern Ohio League. He also coached basketball and baseball.

#### And Edward "Zip" Zednick was hired was hired as his assistant

#### Shaker Appoints Assistant Goach

Appointment of Edward A. Jednik, assistant line coach at Ohio University, to the post of assistant football coach at Shaker High School was approved at a special meeting of the Shaker Board of Education, Friday.

The board also approved the appointments of Louis Sturn to the science department of the junior high school and that of Mrs. Elaine Walchenbach as assistant elementary music teacher.

librarian at the high school.

The board approved the new post of registrar at the high school and the appointment of Miss Ethel Wood, formerly employed in the personnel department of the American Steel and Wire Co. for 20 years, to that post. She will principally work with college placement problems.

The board meepted the resiga nations of Mrs. Margaret Kotsch. elementary teacher; William Walton; speech instructor at the high school; and Mrs. Gretchen Garrett.

### Shaker opened a new post office on Lee Road



When Shaker's Lota Kelly sets of telegrams to Washington before out to do the impossible it gets done. Latest accomplishment is the new Shaker branch postoffice which was quietly opened last Thursday at 3601 Lee Rd., just south of Kinsman Rd.

The opening of the postofice battle for the building waged by Miss Kelly, who then headed the Shaker Heights Businessmen's Association.

The postal branch, designed as a finance station, is located in its own neat brick building built expressly for it by William C. Chakford in a record-breaking six

All the financial service of the downtown postoffice will be offered at the Shaker branch including the sale of postage stamps, wholesale stamp lots, savings bonds, and the handling of parcel post, money orders, and postal

permission was granted for the branch.

Stanley B. Smarsley, who has been with the postoffice department for 23 years, is the superintendent of the new Shaker branch. He directs a staff consisting of wrote "finis" a year-long uphill Edward I. Greenberg, Marshal J. Benson, and Ernest Jambor. For the present the postoffice will be open on a limited basis until, the interior has been completed. Hours will be from 8 a. m. to 6 p. n. daily and from 8 to 12 noon on Saturday.

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#### New teachers were hired

#### **NEW TEACHERS**

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New members of the school staff and their assignments are: LaVerne Busek, Sussex, Joyce B. Campen, Boulevard; Marjorie M. Crowe, Moreland; Alice C. Davis, Shaker High; Joan Dobbs, Moreland; Mrs. Mildred Freed, Lomond; Jean E. Goretzka, Ludlow; Lois D. Greene, Moreland; James F. Halderman, Shaker High coach; Hugh B. Hawthorne, Shaker High; Elaine M. Jackson, Onaway and Moreland; Jane S. James, Moreland; Jean E. McGeorge, Onaway.

Elizabeth McLaughlin, Ludlow; a Clara Neustadt, Moreland; Eleanor K. Paucker, Shaker High; Frank R. Rood, Junior High; a Louis Sturm, Junior High; Helen S. Terpenning, Music; Elaine Walchenbach, Librarian; Ethel Wood, Registrar; Edward A. Zednik, Assistant coach; Edith Reichel, Boulevard; Michael DePaola, Moreland; i and Francis Hammond, Music.



### And introduced at the PTA meeting

### P.-T.A. Notes

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#### Moreland

Moreland School's eight new teachers will be introduced at a tea to be given by the PTA executive board for the teaching staff and room mothers on Thursday, Sept. 22, at 2 p. m. in the school

auditorium.

Charles Thornton, Moreland principal, will introduce the new teachers: Miss Elaine Jackson, kindergarten; Miss Clara Neustadt, first grade; Miss Joan Dobbs, second grade; Mrs. Lois D. Green, third grade; Miss Marjorie M. Crowe, third grade; Michael De Paola, sixth grade; and Mrs. Helen Terpenning, music.

The room mothers will be greeted by Mrs. Norma Gibbons, chairman of the group. Mrs. David Genuth, membership chairman, will explain the duties of the mothers in the forthcoming membership drive.

Tea will be served by the hospitality chairman, Mrs. Philip Coldstein, and her co-chairman, Mrs. Carl Snider.

## Here's one second grade class



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# I believe that this is also second grade (the other class)



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## Although we were probably still too young, there was Kinsman-Lee Bowling



In March of 1950, our telephone numbers changed and an additional "1" was added after the exchange

### SATURDAY at Midnight



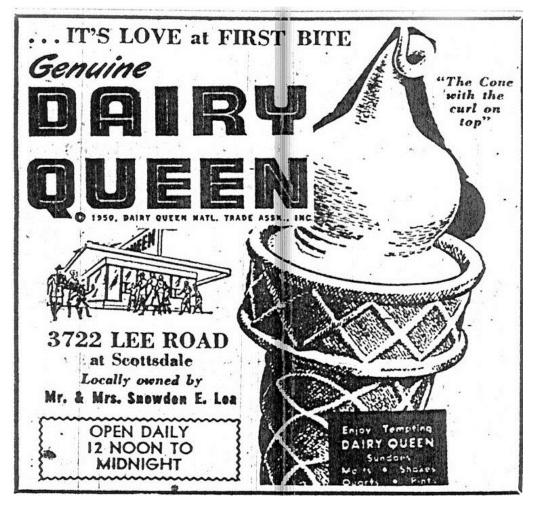
Saturday at midnight most telephones in Greater Cleveland will have new type numbers. Instead of just a name, Cleveland telephone offices will have a name plus a numeral. Your new telephone number is under the yellow mask on your telephone dial. Remove the mask before you go to bed Saturday. After midnight you should use the new type numbers in dialing calls.

#### 3 THINGS TO DO after midnight Saturday

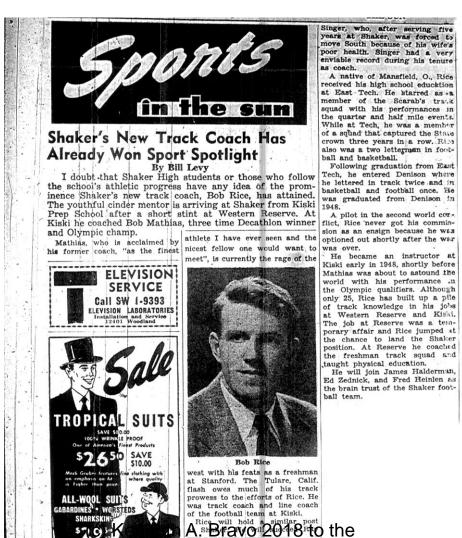
- 1. Remove the Yellow Mask from your dial. Your new telephone number is underneath.
- 2. Know the Number you are calling before you place a call. Look in your new BLUE directory for it. Fractically all numbers in your old gray directory are obsolete.
- 3. Dial the New Figure of the office name. For example, to dial WAshington 1-7009, dial WA I first and then dial the remaining four figures of the number

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## A new Dairy Queen opened on Lee near Scottsdale



### While we were between 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, Robert Rice was hired by Shaker



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### More New Teachers Were Hired for What Would Be Our 3rd Grade Year

### 26 New Teachers

Twenty-six new teachers will greet Shaker pupils when they re- matics. turn to school on Sept. 6. Nine of women, seven are single women, and the remainder are men.

The new teachers and their tentative assignments: Mrs. Mary J. Allen, Onaway, Grade 2; Mrs. Helen C. Armstrong, Ludlow, Grade 3; Mrs. Myra L. Cahaney. Junior High, social studies; Mrs.

Jean Cinardo, Fernway, Grade 3; William Cunningham, Sussex Grade 5; Miss Ann M. Cutler, elementary schools, art; Mrs. Serene H. Farmer, Junior High, mathe-

Mrs. Ruth P. Harris, elementthe new teachers are married ary schools, music; William A. Howe II, elementary schools. physical education; Fred E. Klaisner, Junior High, science; Miss Patricia Krivan, Sussex, Grade 4; Miss Elizabeth McConoughey. Lomond, kindergarten; John F. McCullough, Fernway, Grade 6; Richard S. Marous, elementary schools, physical education; Miss Eris M. May, Junior High, clothing; Miss Helen Miltenberger. Ludlow, Grade 3.

Mrs. Marian F. Ratnoff, Fernway, Grade 1; Robert J. Rice. Senior High, mathematics and coaching; Mrs. Mildred Richards, Onaway, Grade 4; Vada Mae Ridenour, Sussex, Grade 3; Miss Maryalice Ryan, Moreland, Grade 3; John Sanders, Junior High, mathematics, coaching; Miss Dorothy A. Siley, Senior High, spanish; Mrs. Dolores P. Smetana, Boulevard, Grade 24 Miss Marilyn Stone, Boulevard, Grade 4; Lawrence C. Vincent, Junior High.

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# Shaker Heights Began to Look at Using Radar

## SHAKER CONSIDERS USE OF RADAR CAR AGAINST SPEEDERS

Thomas E. Walker, Shaker's police chief, said today that Shaker Heights was seriously considering the installation of radar on one of its cruisers to use against speeders in the suburb.

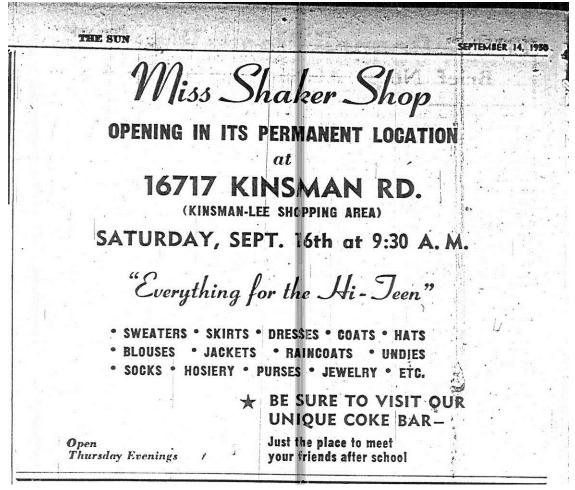
Walker and Lieut. Bernard F. Dowling, head of Shaker's traffic bureau, have been working with Cleveland Heights police this past week to learn how radar functions against speeders.

Cleveland Heights began using radar against speeders with good results about six months ago.

From his observation, Walker said radar would be effective on residential streets where clocking speeders in an actual chase is difficult.

Through radar, a control vehicle could clock speeders as they passed and radio ahead to a second car to flag down the speeders and present the tickets. The 1951 Shaker budget has \$750 earmarked for the purchase of radar equip-

### Miss Shaker Shop Opened



# As 1951 was beginning, the new Library on Lee Rd. opened

#### \$325,000 LIBRARY IN SHAKER HEIGHTS WILL OPEN JAN. 3

Shaker's new library will open at noon, Jan. 3 and Miss Virginia Robinson, head librarian, and staff will greet visitors at an open house until 9 p.m.

The two-story brick colonial buildings is at 3450 Lee Rd., just north of the present rented quarters at 3488 Lee Rd. at Kinsman Rd. The present library will close Dec. 26 to facilitate the move.

The library, begun 15 months ago and delayed in recent weeks by material shortages, will cost approximately \$325,000. The land on which it is situated cost an additional \$15,000.

Taxpayers in the Shaker school district approved a \$350,000 bond issue for the new library in No(Continued on Pg. 6)

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#### **New Library**

(Continued from Pg. 1) vember of 1948.

The new library will be air-con-

ditioned. It will have a full basement, elevator service from the basement, and toilet facilities there.

The first floor includes a children's, room, a reference room, and a large general reading room lined with books. The reference room is named for the late Ellen Ewing, head librarian who died in the S.S. Noronic fire.

On the second floor, there will be a storage room, a book repair room, a meeting room for the library board, a staff room, and a room furnished by the Shaker Heights Historical Society through funds of the will of the late Bertram Woods.

Architects were C. B. Rowley and Associates. Lewis and Son of South Euclid were general contractors.

David Dietz, science writer for the Cleveland Press, is head of the library board.

## As 1950 was drawing to a close, Mayor William Van Aken passed away

## SHAKER HEIGHTS COUNCIL HONORS ITS LATE MAYOR

In a special meeting Tuesday evening, the Shaker Heights Council paid homage to the memory of William J. Van Aken.

of us can say that has not been said but we wish to give formal recognition of our loss," said Mayor John W. Barkley.

He asked Clerk Thomas E. Cook to read the following statement for insertion in the minutes of the meeting:

The death of William J. Van Aken has taken from us not only an honored neighbor and beloved friend but also one of that little group of men to whom we owe the Shaker Heights we know today.

To those of us who have had the privilege of working with him at City Hall through the years, his passing is an especial loss.

Mayor Van Aken guided this community safely through its transition period from its earliest beginnings as a real estate project to its maturity as one of the finest residential suburbs.

We owe him a debt we can-

not repay.

We at City Hall join all of Shaker Heights in heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Van Aken and her family and are sharing the sorrow which they are called upon to endure.

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### This led to a movement to change the name of South Moreland

#### MOVE TO CHANGE S. MORELAND TO

night she would oppose any attempt in Cleveland Council to change South Moreland to Van Aken Blvd. The short stretch from South Woodland to Shaker Square lies in her to Shaker Square lies in her-ward in Cleveland, She re-ported "tremendous opposi-tion" from merchants on South Moreland and from apartment residents there. The merchants, she said, pro-tested the hardship of reestablishing their location.

Mayor John W. Barkley said Monday that there had been no op Monday that there had been no op-position voiced to the renaming of South Moreland Blvd. in Shaker Heights to Van Aken Blvd. in memory of the late William J. Van Aken, mayor of Shaker for 35 years

The renaming proposal, approved by the Shaker Council, was first announced at the conclusion of a memorial service for the late mayor at Plymouth Church, Sun-

day afternoon.

Mayor Barkley, who presided at the service, told the audience of 600 that filled the main hall, of 600 that filled the man man, that the Shaker council's memorial committee had agreed to the renaming of South Moreland Blyd. The change was appropriate, he said, "because it ran past City Hall where Mayor Van Aken served so well and alongside the rapid transit line whose acquisition by the city he considered his greatest achievement."

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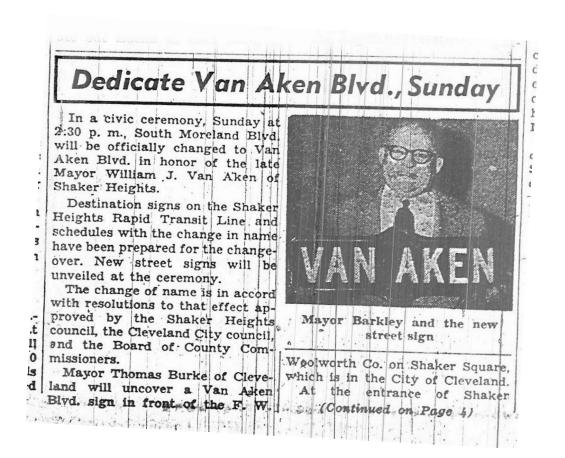
Van Aken Division, which was a prime consideration in selecting South Moreland, Mayor Barkley

Mayor Barkley also announced that a permanent memorial plaque would be erected at City Hall and

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#### Which occurred in June of 1951



# In April, Mrs. Keim's 5<sup>th</sup> grade class presented "Hansel and Gretel"

On Friday, April 13 at 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Evelyn Keims' Fifth Grade Class at MORELAND School will give the operetta "Hansel and Gretel." The class has rewritten the words in the modern version as a class project. Adults of the community are invited to the evening performance. Music will be under the direction of Mrs. Helen Terpenning assisted by Mrs. Miriam Anthon and a picked chorus of voices from grades 4-6. Miss Ann Cutler of the art department is in charge of the scenery. The cast will include every child in the class. Leading roles will be as follows: Gerald Zucker, Thomas Haber, Joyce Zucker, Frances Young, Michael DiDomenico, Kathleen Hanes, Patricia Digby, Lucinn Thomas Vio-(6) Senous de l'avo 2018 to the uillet. extent not otherwise copyrighted

## Remember our Civil Defense Drills?



Mrs. Joan Geiger, second grade teacher at Moreland School in Shaker Heights, is shown explaining the meaning of the red and green plastic squares on the walls of the first floor and basement of the school. Safe areas in air raids are bounded by green squares while areas inside the red squares are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights have been so surveyed and marked and pupils have been led to safe areas nearest their classes in preliminary security drills. Students, left to right in photocark principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights have been so surveyed and marked and pupils have been led to safe areas nearest their classes in preliminary security drills. Students, left to right in photocark principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights have been so surveyed and marked and pupils have been led to safe areas nearest their classes in preliminary security drills. Students, left to right in photocark principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights have been so surveyed and marked and pupils have been led to safe areas nearest their classes in preliminary security drills. Students, left to right in photocark principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights, and pupils have been led to safe areas nearest their classes in preliminary security drills. Students, left to right in photocark principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights, and pupils have been led to safe areas nearest their classes in preliminary security drills. Students, left to right in photocark principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights, and principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights, and principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights, and principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights, and principles are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights are to be avoided. All schools in Shaker Heights are to be avoided. All

## In May, Mosters Opened on Lee Road



According to the Cleveland Press, "Ronald Sabatos, Harvey Laidman, Walter Berghauser, Milton Kaufman, Charles Kalan, Kenneth Bravo, and Paul Kathrens dress up for the freak show at the Shaker Heights circus"



## Over the summer, Moreland won the Playground League Baseball Title

## Moreland Wins Playground Title

Moreland School won the championship of the Shaker Hts. Playground League by defeating Lomond in two straight games, 8-2, 6-4, in the best of three series.

Moreland compiled the best team average during the season. Other teams in the league besides Lomond were Fernway, Sussex, Onaway and Ludlow. Sparking champs were the playground Arnold Eisenberg pitcher; Jim Lavadas, shortstop; and Marvin Rubin, catcher. Lending them strong support were Lee Fierman, Jerry Davis, Ron Altfeld, Dick Horowitz, Bill Levine, Dave Young, Nelson Salem, Larry Berman, Martin Speigel, Al Shroyer, and Jim Pollak.

# September 1951 and we start 4<sup>th</sup> grade

## The PTA starts a pre-school unit

#### Moreland PTA Starts Pre-School Unit, First in Shaker Schools

Junior's first day of school need no longer be a problem to Moreland parents, who now have the aid of a Moreland PTA Pre-School Discussion group, the first in Shaker Heights.

First meeting of the year is Thursday, Nov. 29 at 8 p. m. at the school. Mrs. Gladys McKay of Family Health Association discusses "Where Are We and Our Children Heading", along with a film, "Family First."

Mrs. Harold Klein, continuing the efforts of Mrs. John Hosken last year, has issued invitations to parents of all pre-school children in the Moreland area.

With the encouragement of William Slade, Jr., superintendent of Shaker Heights Schools, and Charles Thornton, principal of Moreland School, she has planned a program by which parents may prepare their youngsters toward a happy and successful school experience, through the recognition and application of a few fundamental principals.

Kindergarten Prep Course led by Miss Betty Scherer, Morelands kindergarten teacher. Both fathers and mothers are members of the group, and all parents of preschool children in the Shaker are are invited to attend next Thursday's meeting.

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## Shaker Heights was growing and needed a new elementary school

#### New Elementary School Is Approved in Shaker

Board, which has never lost a Washington. Of the balance, \$300,sponsored school bond - issue, 000 will be used to provide Shaker scored another smashing victory High with two music wings; \$200,when 82 per cent of the voters 000 will be used to modernize in the Shaker School District ap- school lighting, and \$250,000 for proved a \$1,750,000 bond issue for new furniture and furniture rean expansion program in the placement. Shaker schools. A 55 per cent ma- Rufus S. Day, Jr., president of jority was required.

for the bonds and 1,605 against, ident of Shaker Savings, won the Clerk-Treasurer J. W. Main said two school board posts easily. the results were better expected. The last school bond issue was approved by a 78 per cent majority.

Mr. Main said that the plans for the expansion program, which includes a new \$1,000,0000 elementary school on Mercer Rd. in the Green Rd.-Shaker Blvd. area. will now be completed as rapidly as possible and application for-

the school board, and his run-Incomplete returns gave 7,172 ning mate, Alexander Mintz, presthan Both were backed by the Shaker

The Shaker Heights School warded for the required steel to Citizen's Committee which has endorsed and supported school board candidates for 25 years. Incomplete returns gave Day. 6,577; Mintz, 5,060, and Theodore Wohl, who ran as an independent, 2,057. Terms are for four years at no salary. Five members constitute the board.

# In December, we had a holiday program

Teachers, students, and mothers participate in the MORELAND PTA "Program in Song" Thursday, Dec. 20 at 1:30 ir. the school auditorium. The orchestra, directed by Mr. Jack Booth, will perform. Music teachers are Mrs. Helen Terpenning and Mrs. Miriam Anthont. The upper grades present nationality carols, translated into English. Fourth grade sings German carols, fifth grade French. carols and sixth grade English carols.

## 1952 started with a PTA program for our parents to learn about Moreland

Sun Press Jan. 17, 1952

Parents learn about phases of school life at MORELAND PTA "Report to the Parents" program tonight at eight, at the school. Miss Alice Barnes, cafeteria director, tells about cafeteria administration; Miss Helen Waters about Library Administration: Lt. John Mullaney about traffic control and Miss Marjorie Danforth and Mr. George McCourt about physical education, Principal Mr. Charles A. Thornton speaks on other special services. Mr. Harry Gross, Jr., is chairman of the program, Mrs. Samuel/Restifo supervises refreshments after the program.

### Followed by a program on preschool

#### Pre-School Child Is Study Subject In Series of Talks at Moreland PTA

Fathers can start on the ground floor of their child's education by attending the four talks sponsored by Moreland Pre-School PTA. Mrs. Harold Klein-has organized the series beginning Wednesday evening, Feb. 13 and continuing every two weeks, on the subject "Study of the Pre-School Child" or "What Makes Him Tick?"

Mrs. Gladys Mackay of Family Health Association has selected es tell about their projects. Boys

tion about the series into pamph- pairs. lets to be sent to each parent.

First session, Wednesday evening Feb. 13, at eight, is "At His -Own Pace, On His Own Life." Wednesday evening, Feb. 27, Mrs. Mackay discusses "The Happy Chilld Is the Well-Disciplined Child." She shows the movie "Why Tommy Doesn't Eat."

Topic of discussion Wednesday evening, March 12, is "Play Materials and Pick-Up Time." March 26, Charles A. Thornton, principal, Miss Scherer and Miss Jackson and a mother and father to be selected later, present the panel discussion 'Preparation for School." At that session a personality chart will be distributed.

Shaker Heights Public Library will loan books for display at each meeting, which deal with the situations under discussion.

Mrs. Klein extends a cordial invitation to all fathers to join the group and present their opinions,

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subjects with the aid of Miss Betty from Joseph Woodell's classes Scheler and Miss Elaine Jackson, show what they have learned Moreland's kindergarten teachers, about mechanical drawing, print-Mrs. Klein compiles informa-ing, woodworking and home re-

## In May, Ignatius Sanna was hired as a phys ed teacher at Shaker

#### Set Special Shaker School Board Meeting May 20

holds a special open meeting at ton, Alice Hill, Catherine Hitch- Mrs. Annette Plass, who retires in the Junior High School on Tues- cock, Jacquelyn Jones, Marjorie June. Mrs. Plass, who has been day, May 20, to discuss Citizen- Wheeler, Ann L. Bish, and Mary with Shaker Heights schools since ship and Mental Health programs, Lou Stewart. and the possibility of re-issuing "The Shaker Review", a bulletin senior high physical education in- Sauze write French textbooks, and formerly sent to all Heights parents.

William Slade Jr., superintendent of schools, told board members Tuesday that the Shaker Heights Teachers' Association had asked about more community publicity for school activities.

The board approved the ap- Advertising begins May 19. pointment of nine teachers for next season. The six elementary Mrs. Nancy Womer, a sixth grade Slade reported.

Shaker structor, and Eugene Thompson, has coached junior high dramajunior high industrial arts and ties. math.

> to advertise for combined contractor bids for Mercer Elementary School, to be constructed Wimbledon and Hardwick Rds.

Shaker Heights School Board teachers are Mrs. Freda Harring- teacher at Sussex School, and 1929, taught French in elementary Ignatius Sanna was appointed grades, has helped Dr. Emil de

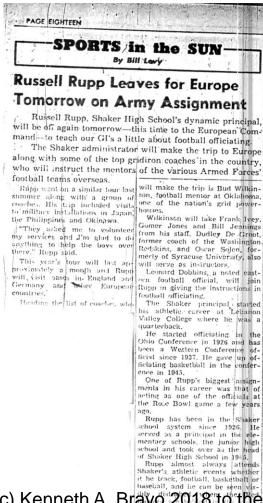
> At the June meeting, the Shaker . The board adopted a resolution Heights School Board will hear reports on teacher's salary investigations, from the League of at Women Voters, and PTA groups.

> Commencement is scheduled for June 6, and the summer recrea-Resignations were accepted from tion program begins June 9, Mr.

# And that same month, Solomon's opened at Cedar-Center



# Summer 1952 – Russell Rupp goes to Europe to teach GIs about football officiating



# In September we started 5<sup>th</sup> grade and in December the entire school participated in Miss Casey's 3<sup>rd</sup> grade class Christmas program

Pupils of Miss Patricia Casey's third grade class at Moreland School present an original operetta, "Feathers from Fairyland", at the school's Christmas program on Wednesday, Dec. 17 at 2 p. m. The operetta was written and directed by Miss Mary Brandt, music instructor, and will follow a processional by the fifth and sixth grades, and carol singing by the second, third and fourth grades. A chorus of fifth and sixth graders accompanies the operetta.

# Remember how the Moreland gym was open over Christmas vacation?

## Holiday Recreation Program in Shaker

Charles A. Thornton, director of recreation in Shaker, announced a holiday recreation program for youngsters and adults from Dec. 22 through Jan. 2.

School gymnasiums at the Senior High School, Junior High School, Junior High School, and Fernway, Lomond, Moreland, and Sussex elementary schools, will be open, under supervision, from 9 to 12 a.m. and from 1 to 4 p.m., daily, except Dec. 25, Dec. 27 and Jan. 1.

The swimming pool will be open for boys and girls of all ages on Dec. 22, 23, 24, 29, 30 and 31 from 1 to 4 p. m. Charge will be 25c per swim.

Supervised skating, weather permitting, will be held on rinks at Van Aken Blvd. between Avalon and Ingleside Rds. on Warrensville. Center Rd. south of Shaker Blvd.; Douglas and Shelbourne Rds.; Warrington and Fernway Rds.; Weymouth and Coventry Rds.; and on the Hockey Field at Lomond School. Hockey will be permitted on the Lomond

#### 1953 began with a PTA panel discussing Moreland and its educational system

#### Moreland Panel

Moreland parents and teachers next Thursday evening examine their school and the educational system as a whole, through the opinions of three teachers and four parents on a panel moderated by Principal Charles Thornton. The panel will discuss questions submitted by parents, concerning their comments on school progress. Postcards telling about the meeting and inviting remarks and questions were mailed to PTA members Monday. Replies and topics, returning on unsigned postcards, will be tabulated and organized for the panel by Mr. Thornton and Mrs. Harold F. Klein, program chairman.

Panel members are Mrs. Marjorie Foss, first grade teacher, Mrs. Zelma Sibley, fourth grade teacher and Martin Meshenberg, sixth grade teacher. Parents on the panel will be Mrs. Robert La-Chance. Abraham L. Feinberg, Harry Volk and Harold F. Klein. Refreshments will be served after the, meeting, which begins at 8 p.m.

## Also early in 1953, Van Aken Center Opened



Members of the Van Aken Center Fromotion Committee: Seated, l. to r., Walter Backus, F. W. Woolworth; George Fisher, Fisher Bros.; T. W. Walters, Bank of Ohio, Standing, l. to r., Jack Davenport; Pick-N-Pay; Ted Roberts, Joseph Laronge, Inc.; Roy Scott, Miller Drug; John Henninger, Bank of Ohio; Paul Meldon, D. O, Summers, Not shown: Sy Wachsberger, The Oxford Shop; Milt Wolf, Zehman-Wolf Chestwetten Co. and Via Colk, Okio Myorising Against Model of the Control of the Colk Oxford Shop; Milt Wolf, Zehman-Wolf Construction Co., and Vic Gelb, Ohio Advertising Agency.

The formal grand opening for at Van Aken Blvd. and Center Rd. famous "Mawby Hamburger" and the Van Aken Center has been are already open, and the remain- will have an ultra-modern 20-stool set for Thursday, Feb. 26, Details ing stores will all be open by the counter. The restaurant will be for grand opening festivities and latter part of February. Newest open daily from 7 a.m. to 1 a.m. promotion are now being worked stores announcing plans to join the serving breakfast, lunch and supout by the Van Aken Center Pro- list of merchants are George Maw- per. He plans to open on Feb. 16. by's Restaurant and Marian's Gift Approximately half the stores in Shop.

this new Shaker shopping center George Mawby will feature the The store wil feature 60 feet of

Marian's Gift Shop will open its doors the latter part of February display cases with Hallmark, Gibson, Norcross, and Ruscraft greeting cards plus numerous gift items. The store owners are Mr. and Mas Daniel M. Burdeshaw, who also

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# Miss Foss left to become principal at Ludlow; replaced by Miss Hosford



NEW TEACHER AT MORELAND. Miss Jean Hosford, left, replaces Mrs. Marjorie Foss, right, first grade teacher at Moreland Elementary School in Shaker Heights. Mrs. Foss, who takes over as principal of Ludlow Elementary School this fall, reported to Ludlow Monday, to teach, a section of the third grade there and to learn administrative duties from the present principal, Mrs. Alice Van Deusen. Mrs. Van Deusen becomes principal of the new Mercer Elementary School this fall. Miss Hosford is a graduate of Middlebury College in Middlebury, Vt., and is now working on a Master's Degree at Western Reserve. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald M. Hosford, 3299 Ingleside Rd., S.H.

# In February, the PTA celebrated Lincoln's birthday

Moreland PTA celebrates Lincoln's birthday on Feb. 12 with a card party and style show in the gymnasium at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Cynthia Parker will be accompanist. There will be a bake sale, in charge of home room mothers, and favors, door prizes, table prizes and refreshments. Girl Scout Troop 541, led by Mrs. Rex Cook and Mrs. Morris Snider makes the table decorations. Admission charge is 85c, and child care will be provided. Mrs. Robert Heller and Mrs. Steve Teresi are chairmen of the party, and their committee includes Mrs. Andrew Teplany, Mrs. Morton Marcus Mrs. Leo Emch.

# The PTA also had a series of parent education courses

#### Moreland Conducts Unique Parent Education Course on PTA Topics

Two Moreland PTA members who were sent to school are now conducting a different type of parent education course at Moreland. Mrs. James Bravo, parent education chairman, and Mrs. Harold Goodman, co-chairman, were the two school-going members who atterded a 10-week session in lay leadership training at Cleveland College, which emphasized the importance of participation in learning.

Now laws, Branco and Mrs. Goodman for using the techniques featured from Mrs. Arthur Shephord, Cleveland Gollege's director of general educatior. As they plan and organize Moreland's Dardni education discussion group, they consider the importance of words and the need for it co-leader and a balance of ideas in a discussion group.

Each monthly session, from Feb. 26 until May, will be based on an article in the National Parent Peacher Magazine: Instead of lectures from outside speakers for the series, information will come from members, as they express themselves through buzz sessions, parel Jiscussions, dramatizations or a juestion box

The Feb. 26 do pie, Pareht Feacher Conferences, in addition to being in the National Parent Feacher imagazine, was recently liscussed at a mediting of Shaker leights PTA Council, so that many nembers are familiar, with phases of it. There will be skits showing tood and bad conferences, and the peeting will be att 1,30, in the eacher's limith roops.

Doing Ilway with the formal dastroomia-rangement of rows of harts facing the front of the oon, members will face each ther in round-table style, with hame plates in front of them.

\*According to Mrs. Bravo, this is ne course where everyone will get chance to speak. Methods have seen designed to deal with the conversation monopolist or the froup member voicing her peronal problems.

The series Mrs. Bravo says, will be not for clinic purposes, but will consist of a group of mothers with questions as general as possible, in an impersonal discussion.

Sussex and Longold are the two

# Remember when Daylight Saving Time was a local option?

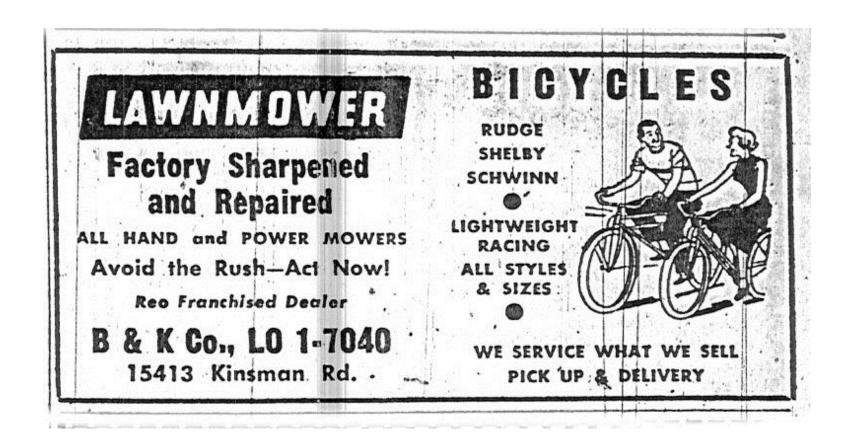
Sun Press April 23, 1953

#### Daylight Time Is Here Again

Beginning at 2 a. m. Sunday you'll lose an hour out of your life when Greater Cleveland goes on Daylight Savings Time. In case daylight time is something new in your life, it's all simple. Just set your clock an hour ahead before you go to bed Saturday night, and when you get up Sunday morning you'll be in step with the rest of Greater Cleveland.

One other point to help you over a rough spot this summer—especially if you travel—the trains planes and busses remain on Eastern Standard Time, and all schedules mean Eastern Standard.

#### And B & K on Kinsman for bikes?



# The May PTA meeting had an original song

An original song The Spirit of America," was featured when Moreland PTA held its final meeting at the school, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Schultz, 3673 Ludgate Rd., S.H., says she was inspired to write the song by the
interest which her son's 5th
grade class had in cooperating
with efforts of the Freedom Foundation. It was sung by the
school chorus, under the direction
of Miss Mary Brandt, with the
orchestra accompanying.

Officers installed at the meeting were Mrs. Harold F. Klein, president; Mrs. Edward Martens, vice president; Mrs. Edward Martens, vice president; A. Charles Thornton, second vice president; Mrs. Samuel Restifo, recording secretary; Mrs. Alex Zirin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Gustave Kalan, treasurer; Mrs. Richard Haber and Mrs. Norman (C) Medinethac Brayon 2048 40 the extent not otherwise copyrighted

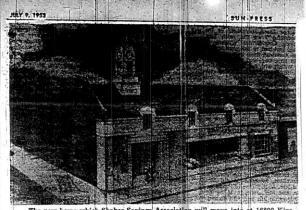
#### Then summer vacation

No more pencils

No more books

No more teachers' dirty looks

### Over the summer, Shaker Savings moved into its new home on Kinsman



The new home which Shaker Savings Association will move into at 16800 Kinsman Rd., S.H., this November will faithfully reflect the colonial atmosphere so long a tradition in Shaker Heights. Exterior design is simplified Georgian Colonial. An illuminated three-faced clock tower to be built on the roof over the entrance will

Contracts will be let and alterations will begin this coming week \$100,000, according to Alterinder ters, and the building will be caron new and expanded quarters for the Shaker Savings Association and loan association.

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on new and expanded quarters for the Shaker Savinga Association in the one-story building at 1800 thin the one-story building at 1800 thin the one-story building at 1800 thin the present offices of the hassociation. The building directly Mrs. [Carollie Piercy, an outstanding local authority on Shaker S

conducted on one floor. There will be eight teller stations as for over \$18,000,000. Mr. Mintz is also a member of the Shaker. School Board, William A. Kellner is secretary of the company Directors of the Association are Judge Edward Blythin, Chairman of the Board; William Greenbaum, Ray Shimmon, Miss Lota Kelly; Leonard Church and Rodney Up-

## Looking at the last farm for a new junior high (ultimately Byron)

#### Eye Shaker's Last Farm For Site of Junior High

By Willard Blum

A 10-acre farm—the only one in Shaker Heights and unknown to mist Shaker residents—is the probable site of Shaker's second junior high school.

Business Manager J., W. Main said the school board was now in of Warrensville Center Rd. the process of selecting an archi-south of Shaker Blvd., are he tect for the second junior high and taciturn Malecck brothers, Jun that Superintendent of Schools, and Anton, who have farmed the William Slade Jr. was gathering land for 47 years and have no information as to latest in junior thought of stopping now. high courses of study. A bond issue for the junior high, amount acreage in 1906, they have stubas yet undetermined, is scheduled bornly rejected scores of offers for the November ballot, Main by realtors who want to divide it said.

Shaker's lone junior high at South Woodland and Woodbury Rds. was built for 900 and last year 1060 attended. Enrollment this fall is estmated at 1200 with a 1500 enrollment seen in the next few years. The new junior arating the house from the farm. high, Main said, will house some ture expansion.

Owners of the choice tract east

Since the Maleceks bought the into single home lots that today would sell for \$3,000 each. The bachelor brothers built their own home in 1907 that still stands at 2869 Warrensville Center Rd., but today Fayette Rd. cuts across the western end of the property, stip-

The Maleceks, who once oper-900 pupils, relieving the present ated a 40-acre truck farm in M 11junior high and providing for fut tua, O., say working their 10 acres is "just exercise." But their

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### September

We're finally in 6th grade

# In October, Mr. Thornton was honored for 20 years as Moreland's principal



TWO DECADES AS PRINCI-PAL of Moreland School won a surprise ceremony and gift of this plaque for Charles A. Thornton during an open house attended by some 700 people at the school Oct. 15.

The plaque was presented by

Mrs. Harold Douda (above), first grade teacher at the school and a former pupil. It was a gift of the Moreland PTA. Thornton came to the Shaker schools in 1921 as a teacher of science and chemistry at the high school, then became assistant principal at the high school in 1928 and principal of Moreland in 1933. He was principal of both More-

# In the fall, all of the PTAs got new presidents



GUIDING SHAKER'S PTA PROGRAMS for parents and teachers this year, are these PTA presidents: Front row, left to right, Mrs. Warren E. Hacker, Sussex; Mrs. William B. Levenson, Onaway; Mrs. Lincoln C. Dickey, Senior High; Mrs. P. Hoffer Sload, Junior High; and Mrs. O. C. Sherman, Lomond. Rear row, left to right, Mrs. Frank E. Joseph, Boulevard; Mrs. Ralph R. Maier, Ludlow; Mrs. William D. Stillwell, PTA Council; Mrs. Sidney Pearlman, Fernway; Mrs. Harold F. Klein, Moreland; and Mrs. G. Robert Klein, Mercer. Mrs. Daniel W. Holmes, Malvern, was not present.

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# In mid-November, Heinen opens its new store on Kinsman



# This ad from 1954 reminds us of how we called home

"Don't worry, dear I'll be home in an hour"



A telephone call or two can take a lot of the sting out of an unexpected delay. The telephone can summon the assistance you need . . . change an appointment . . . and wipe out needless worry.

When you're on the move, you'll find brightly lighted outdoor telephone booths along main highways and thoroughfares particularly convenient.

Open 24 hours a day, these handy public telephones offer service when and where you want it. Installation of more of these booths is part of the constant expansion of telephone facilities to increase our service to you and our thousands of other customers.

the best possible telephone service

at the lowest possible cost!

# A water tower in Beachwood helps the eastern suburbs



# New York Bakery opens at Lee and Walden



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#### The PTA elects new officers

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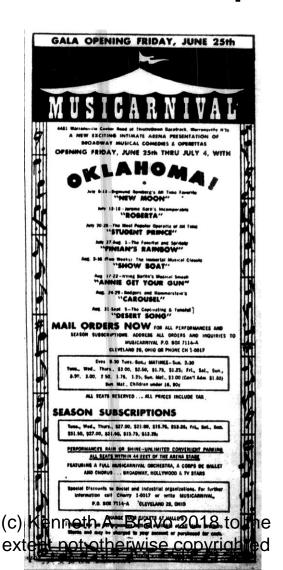
Installation of officers will take place at the final meeting of Moreland PTA at the school tonight at 7:30. On the new slate are Mrs. Norbert Schapiro, president; Mrs. Samuel Restifo, first vice president; Charles Thornton, second vice president; Mrs. Lawrence Piazza, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Robert Heller, recording secretary; Mrs. Gustave Kalan, treasurer; and Mrs. Harold F. Klein and Mrs. Harold Goodman, council representatives.

### Dorothy Cooper provided this photo



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# In the summer after 6<sup>th</sup> grade, Musicarnival opened



### Post Script

- In the fall of 1954, we moved on to Shaker Heights Junior High School
- Two years later, without changing buildings, we were at Woodbury Junior High and going to school half days (in the morning)

#### Charles Thornton

 Retired as the principal of Moreland School in 1956

## Retired Principal to Get Portrait

By BETTY KLARIC

Milking cows is a far cry from teaching chemistrybut that's how educator Charles A. Thornton got his start.

Farm job that paid his college tuition was starting point for program by Moreland Parent-Teacher Assn. Heights. which paid tribute to him "for 23 years of devoted servive" is Moreland principal.

His resignation as principal in June ended some 40 years in the teaching profession.

However, Thornton hasn't

ended his work with youth. He's serving now as recreation director for Shaker

Thornton initiated Shaker's first summer recreation program some 30 years ago. He continued that work as a side line, until last June when he took over on full-time basis.

PTA program pointed out that Thornton joined Shaker school system in 1921 as chemistry teacher at high chool. He later served there is dean of boys and assistant principal.

In 1933 he was named principal at Moreland, He headed both Moreland and Fernway schools from 1941 to 1951.

Oil portrait of Thornton presented by PTA and student body now is hanging in Moreland School.

At the end of the term, it will hang in a favored spot

er Heights.



PORTRAIT of Charles A. Thornton was presented to him by Mrs. Edward Kater, president in the Tho(c) Kenneth AnBravo 2018 to thend PTA, and Benjie Horwitz, Moreat 3662 Lyextent not otherwise copyrightedent Council president.

#### **Charles Thornton**

- Retired as the principal of Moreland School in 1956
- In 1958 he retired from his position as Shaker Heights Recreation Director

#### Mr. Recreation Quits in Shaker

By JOHN BORKOWSKI

Mr. Recreation of Shaker Heights is going to retire this month.

He is Charles A. Thornton, recreation director for the schools and city for 37 years. "Charlie," is going to devote his time from now on to lighter recreation - reading and playing bridge.

Thornton joined the Shaker Heights school system in 1921. Two years later he inaugurated the suburb's first supervised playground program.

#### Staff Now 150

The retiring director said he has seen his recreation program grow from 50 children directed by four members at two schools to a program in which more on a weekly or scasonal basis. than 3,000 youngsters partici- His plan worked. pate at eight schools under supervision of 159 persons.

ried over to adult life.

taught physical education and named for him recently. there.

#### "Play As You Go" Plan

when lack of funds caused the Air Lines pilot, Shaker school system to withdraw its support.

Thornton pointed out that residents needed recreational facilities more than ever dur-





CHARLES A. THORNTON Retires

#### Park Honors Him

Thornton has stressed tennis. The retiring director feels swimming and badminton be- he was honored as anyone cause those sports can be car-could ever hope to be when a park in Shaker Heights off

The couple have a daughter,

#### **Charles Thornton**

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- The park on Farnsleigh Road bears his name

### Shaker Hts. to Honor Thornton

Framed scrolls of commendation from Shaker Heights Council, School Board and Recreation Commission will be presented to Charles Thornton, retired recreation director, when the city's new municipal park is dedicated at 4 p. m. Sunday.

The park, at Fransleigh and Helen Rds., will be named for Thornton. If a bond issue passes this fall, it will be the site of a municipal swimming pool.

#### **Charles Thornton**

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- In 1958 he retired from his position as Shaker Heights Recreation Director
- The park on Farnsleigh Road bears his name
- In July, 1971, he passed away in Hawaii

## C. A. Thornton is dead, was "Mr. Recreation"

Word has been received of the death Friday in Kailua, Hawaii, of Charles A. Thornton, former Shaker Heights teacher, principal and recreation director. He was 79.



"Charlie" Thornton and his wife Madeline moved to Hawaii after his retirement as recreation director in 1958. They returned here in June, 1962 for the dedication of Thornton Pool, named for Mr. Thornton. Four years previously, Thornton Park had been named in his honor,

MR. THORNTON When "Mr. Recreation" retired, he recalled that in 1923, two years after he joined the Shaker school system as a teacher, he inaugurated the city's first supervised playground program. He saw it grow under his direction from 50 children, supervised by four people at two schools, to a program in which more than 3000 youngsters took part in eight schools, under supervision of 159.

During the 1930's he inaugurated a "Pay as you go" plan to compensate for lack of operating funds.

From 1921 to 1928 Mr. Thornton taught chemistry, physics and biology at Shaker High and from 1928 to 1933 he was assistant principal there. He was named Moreland School principal in 1933 and from 1941 to 1951 he headed both Moreland and Fernway Schools. He then became full-time supervisor and director of recreation for the City of Shaker Heights and its Board of Education.

In Shaker he was active in the American Legion and in Rotary and he continued these interests in Hawaii. He and his wife moved to Hawaii to be near their daughter, Mrs. Paul Hundsdorf, and her family.

Surviving Mr. Thornton, besides his wife and daughter, are three grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and (c) Kenneth A. Bravo 2018 to the at the National Cometer of the Pacific Copyrighted

# Whatever happened to (our teachers)?

- Tracking down our teachers has proven to be a difficult task
- Most were woman and, for many, I never knew their first name
- Many probably married and I don't know their married name
- Others may have moved out of town
- So here is what I have

### Martin Meshenberg

He and his wife are currently living at The Greens of Lyndhurst

### Michael J. De Paola (1915 – 1968)

### M. J. De Paola Dies; Byron School Adviser

Michael J. DePaola, 53, a guidance counselor in Shaker Heights schools for 20 years, died of cancer yesterday in . St. Luke's Hospital.

Mr. DePaola had been an adviser at Moreland Elementary school and for the last 10 years was at Byron Junior High School. Earlier he taught and coached in Chagrin Falls and Bay Village.

He was a long-time member of the Chagrin Valley Little

Theater and had acted at Karamu Theater.

MR. DePAOLA also was a professional singer and sang at Calvary Presbyterian Church, Windermere Methodist Church and the Federated Church of Chagrin Falls.

He was a member of Garfield Memorial Methodist Church, 3650 Lander Road, Pepper Pike, where memorial

services will be at 4 p.m. tomorrow.

Mr. DePaola was director of the Hiram House Camp from 1938 to 1948 and for the last three years was director of the Bellefaire Summer Camp.

Mr. De Paola was graduated from Hiram College, received his master's degree from Ohio State University and took graduate work at Western Reserve University.

His wife, Doris; daughters, Carole A. and Barbara L.; this mother, Mus. Christina DePaola, two sisters and a brother survive. His nome was at 29150 Villago Brio, 100 ange.

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## Blodwen Davies (1892 – 1972)

### DAVIES

Blodwen Davies, beloved sister of Ruth M., Dan H. and Arthur M., Sam T. and Elizabeth R. Lippincott, Friday, April 21. Memorial services Monday. April 24, in the Chapel of Plymouth Church of Shaker Heights, at 2:30 Family will receive friends church parlors after services. terment private. Please omit flowers. Memorials may be made to YOUR favo (c) Kenneth A. Bravo 2018 to the extent not otherwise copyrighted

## Clara Neustadt (1906 – 1987)

Cleveland Jewish News, Jan. 23, 1987

Clara Neustadt, a prominent Ohio educator, died on Jan. 5 in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Miss Neustadt's teaching career spanned a period of 42 years, first in Columbus, and then in Shaker Heights, as teacher and vice-principal of Lomond School.

During World War II she joined the American Red Cross, immediately going overseas to London during the Great Blitz. She was in Germany during the final surrender where she helped repatriate many prisoners.

She was later stationed in Japan and Korea, where she was active in communications with the American Red Cross. She made several crossings on the Liberty Ship accompanying servicemen and their war brides.

She was a former member of Fairmount Temple.

Surviving Miss Neustacht are sisters, Leah Rivitz, Hannah Neustacht and Naomi Canowitz, all of Ft. Lauderdale; Celia Byer and Frieda Wise, both of Columbus; and brother, David of Ft. Lauderdale.

### Mildred G. Keim (1902 – 1990)

#### KEIM

MILDRED G. KEIM Manning), beloved wife of the late Henry Keim, mother o Donald Keim, grandmother of two. Passed away Sunday Jan. 14. Memorials may be forwarded to The United Presbyterian Church, Avon Lake. All services at The United Presbyterian Church. 32340 Electric Blvd., Avon Lake Friday, Jan. 19 at 10 a.m. Interment Sunset Memorial Park Cemeters. Friends may call at THE BURMEISTER AVON LAKE FUNERAL HOME, a BUSCH COMPANY. AVON-BELDEN 7.9

### Allan R. Raymond (1927 - 2010)

 Al was born in Avalon, Pennsylvania, and shortly after his high school graduation in 1945, joined the US Navy. He served aboard the USS Repose and USS Sussex, traveling to both the Asiatic Pacific and American Theaters. He returned from the service in 1949 and enrolled in The State Teachers College of West Chester, PA. This is where he met his future wife, Mary Lou Bollman, and shortly after they both graduated in 1953, they were married and moved to the Cleveland Area. Both Al and Mary Lou began their teaching careers in the Shaker Heights School System. Mary Lou went on to teach in the elementary schools of the South Euclid-Lyndhurst system for a total of 30 years and Al was a teacher/coach in the Shaker system for 38 years.

### Allan R. Raymond (cont.)

 Al coached and taught Physical Education in Byron Junior High before he went to the high school as an assistant football coach for five years and then as the head football coach for twenty three years. He was also a basketball coach and the varsity golf coach. His 1967 Golf Team won the Ohio State Title. His 1985 Varsity Football Team was undefeated and earned him the Greater Cleveland Coaches Association's Coach of the Year Award. He was named the Lake Erie League Football Coach of the Year on three different occasions. Al was also an avid high-average bowler and scratch golfer even after his retirement in 1990. Al is survived by

### Allan R. Raymond (cont.)

 his wife, Mary Lou Raymond (nee Bollman) of Lyndhurst, OH, his sons, Charles M. of Lakewood, OH, and David S. (Patricia) of Twinsburg, OH. Al's son, William A., died in 1993. He was the dear grandfather of Brandon, Diana and Thomas. The family prefers that those who wish may make contributions in his name to The Hospice of the Western Reserve, 300 E. 185th St., Cleveland, OH 44119 or an organization of choice. Family interment will be held in Knollwood Cemetery. FRIENDŚ MAY CALL AT BROWN-FORWARD FUNÉRAL HOME, 17022 CHAGRIN BLVD., SHAKER HTS., OH, SUNDAY, JANUARY 10TH FROM 5-7 PM. BROWN-FORWARD SERVICE 216 752-1200

"I remember playing football with AI Raymond at Moreland School way back in the early '50s when I was in elementary school there ... and then seeing him regularly throughout my days in the Shaker System. He was always someone special to me ... his straightforward and dignified manner, his no-nonsense approach to others and, I sense, to life which was usually accompanied by his warm smile, his friendliness, and his unstated message that he cared. I will never forget him."

Posted on Tributes.com by: Rabbi Roger C. Klein Beachwood, *OH* Jan 08, 2010