

# THE ORTONVILLE

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Ortonville, Michigan

### Senior Class Graduation Next Week

Seniors graduating from Brandon township schools Thursday, June 2, are as follows:

Donna Arcand, Kenneth Auten, Mary Ellen Beckett, Elaine Burt, Sam Evans, Ralph Green, Charles Hicky, Barbara Jarvis, Joyce Koester, Mary Lutz, Betty Nerassen, Willard Pelc, John Roberts, Mildred Ross, Dick Smith, Edith Smithling, Catherine Sprague, Ardith Stock, Joan Stayton, John Tatu, Wanda Quigley.

They will start on their 10-day trip June 6, returning June 16. Chaperons will be Mr. and Mrs. Burt and Miss Davis.

Baccalaureate services for Brandon township schools will be held May 29 at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist church. The Rev. R. E. Winn, pastor of the Methodist church, will be guest speaker.

Tuesday, May 31, at 8 p.m. the students will hold their "Class Day" informal program at Brandon town hall.

According to Principal Ralph V. Hartwig, 21 seniors will graduate this year.

### 50th Year of Marriage



## Memorial Day Services Honor Wars' Dead

### Seniors Wash Cars for Trip Money

In order to raise money for their annual trip the seniors of Brandon high school are inviting their friends and residents of the school district to have their cars washed and cleaned Saturday, May 28.

Seniors will do the work at the school house between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. and will make a \$1 charge for their services.

The senior trip begins June 6.

### MICHIGAN CROP DRIVE REPORT

In the recent CROP drive, Michigan was eight per cent over its goal and this contribution placed Michigan fourth in the nation. The state contributed \$335,556 in the campaign for food for Europe.

Oakland county was unable to meet its two-car quota, but collected \$1,819 towards the pur-

Memorial Day will be observed with the Bald Eagle Post, VFW, having charge of the program. Included will be appropriate music by the high school band. Boy Scout troop 135 will participate in the parade, which will form at Brandon town hall at 10 a.m. and march to the cemetery led by the band, under direction of Miss Rosemary Harland.

At the cemetery, there will be an address by the Rev. R. E. Winn. All veterans and service men are asked to take part in the service.

### Legion Auxiliary Sponsors Poppy Sale in Goodrich

The auxiliary of the Miller-Auten post, American Legion, of Goodrich is having its annual poppy sale to help disabled veterans' families, May 26, 27, and 28.

Funds from the sales go to help children of veterans at the billet

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Boy Wolfe of 47 1/2 Oakwood road will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary from 3 to 5 p.m. June 7.

A reception will be held in the Ortonville Methodist church parlors at 7 p.m. to which everyone is invited.

Married at Fargo, Michigan, have made their home in and around Ortonville and are members of the Methodist church. They are the parents of Ross Wolfe, Cleveland, Ohio; Mrs. Ora Schank, Goodrich; Mrs. Dale Dickason, Ortonville; and Mrs. Earl Austin of Royal Oak. They have six grandsons and two granddaughters.

#### MEASLES REPORT

What could be more tragic than being five or six years old, the school year drawing to a close, parties and trips to the zoo being planned, when all in a flash one gets the measles?

That is what has happened to 16 first grade pupils, according to their teacher, Mrs. Lucille Frick.

Things aren't quite as bad in kindergarten, according to Mrs. Mary Conklin, teacher; although she has several pupils out of school due to measles, and the group was going on Friday to the zoo.

It is one of the tragedies of childhood only comparable to being without your two front teeth when sweet corn is in season.

#### New 4-H Agent

John K. Trocke, an agricultural student at Michigan State college, has been appointed 4-H club agent, replacing R. L. Lewis, who resigned in September of 1948. This work has been handled since by Fred Gettel, assistant 4-H club agent.

The appointment of Mr. Trocke is effective June 1 and he will begin his new duties June 7. He will graduate from Michigan State college in June.

The greatest tribute we can pay those Americans who have died for our country's freedom is to approach the future with courage, confidence and determination to keep alive our individual freedom—drawing hope and inspiration from their example.

#### TEACHERS PLAN

##### CONFERENCE MAY 31

In order to complete the work in a study of the local school curriculum, the faculty will meet for an all-day conference Tuesday, May 31. This study was begun at a weekend conference a month ago, when the high school faculty met at St. Mary's Lake camp near Battle Creek. This camp is being used by many high schools and colleges, for conferences as well as recreation. It has been leased to the Michigan Education association by the W. K. Kellogg foundation for a period of three years.

The association has two more years to prove their success in operating the camp. If the camp is properly used during the three year period it will be given permanently to the Michigan Education association.

In addition to the curriculum study, the faculty will study school policies, and lay the ground work for a student handbook to be ready for distribution to students when the new school term begins in September.

Before the opening of school next fall the entire faculty will hold a three day conference at St. Mary's Lake camp.

Registration in Brandon township for kindergarten pupils starting in September will be Tuesday through Friday, May 31-June 3. Hours will be from 9 a.m. to 12 and 1 to 4 p.m. Parents should register at the school office with secretary, Mrs. Edythe Pregel. If possible, bring child's birth certificate at time of registration.

#### NO SCHOOL

There will be no school next week until Friday, June 3, except for students who are going on trips. Friday, grade students will be returned in the morning as soon as they receive report cards. This arrangement will give the teachers three days for their conference and completion of final reports, examinations and inventories.

Robert Frick, recently enlisted in the Air Force and stationed at Lockland Airbase, San Antonio, Texas, thinks the weather is a little too warm and dry for comfort. This was the information he relayed to his grandmother, Mrs. Dollie Frick, when he telephoned her last week. Even now the temperature is reaching 109°.

Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. Clyde Today, Mrs. Earl Nicklas, Mrs. Thomas DeBask, Mrs. Adolph Broecker, and Mrs. Cleve Munger from the White Extension club of South Hadley attended the Laper county Achievement Day at the Almont town hall Thursday, May 19. Plans were made to attend the Waldenwoods camp for extension club members Monday, June 6.

Mrs. Earl J. Robertson entertained the Friendly Sewing class at her home on Schoolhouse street Thursday, May 18.

Mrs. E. George Price suffered a broken arm last week during the windstorm, when she slipped and fell on the back porch, while trying to close a door.

The 83 counties participated in sending 167 carloads of food overseas.

#### VFW MOVING BUILDING

VFW Bald Eagle post is making preparations to move its building according to commander, Volney Cotton. At the present time, it is located at the corner of M15 and Grange Hall road. The new site is adjacent to the school site on South street, the basement has been excavated. This work is being done by members who work each Monday and Wednesday evenings, weather permitting. Any member having free time on these evenings is asked to help.

According to Cotton, bids are now being accepted for moving the building.

## News in Brief

Mrs. Ellen Hummer was quite ill last week in her home on South street.

Brandon Grange met last Saturday night at Brandon Grange hall for a regular meeting.

The baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stack of Oakwood road has been ill, but is now improving.

Mrs. Robert Wilders of Oakwood road is critically ill.

Mrs. Daisy Featherston and daughter, Mrs. Wilma Wilders, were dinner guests of the former's brother in Postiac Sunday.

Members of the board of education and their wives entertained the school faculty and their wives and husbands at a picnic lunch Monday night, May 23, at Tamarack farm on Grange Hall road.

All but four of the present teaching staff of Brandon schools have signed contracts to return next fall. At least four apartments will be necessary, besides the usual homes for single teachers. Anyone having an apartment is asked to notify the high school office.

community. Poppies are made by disabled veterans in veterans hospitals throughout the United States.

Last year the auxiliary sent gifts to the veterans; for their use in sending to their families at Christmas time.

## GM Forfeits; Rochester Here Decoration Day

Ortonville won an uncontested game from G. M. Truck on Sunday, when the opponents complete line-up failed to report at game time. They were awarded a 9 to 0 score according to the rules.

On May 29 they will play Pontiac Local 653 at Pontiac and on Monday, Decoration Day they will play M & M Motors of Rochester on the new local diamond at 2:30 p.m.

#### Mrs. Amy Brandt

Mrs. Amy Brandt died at her farm home in Groveland township Monday, May 23. She was born in Atlas township April 6, 1868, the daughter of Philip and Philena Armstrong. She married John F. Brandt November 25, 1891 in Ortonville.

She had been a resident of Groveland township for the past 41 years. A member of the Ortonville Methodist church and also the Ortonville chapter of OES 224.

Services were held at the Sherman funeral home Thursday, May 26, at 2:30 with the Rev. Ralph Winn officiating. Burial was at the Goodrich cemetery.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. Beattie Frick of Ortonville and one son, Dean, of Saline; also a daughter-in-law, Lois Brandt, of Ortonville. She has a brother and sister, Erastus Armstrong of Goodrich and Mrs. Eta Stiff of Plymouth; six grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

## News in Brief

Miss Phyllis Featherston of Mt. Pleasant spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Featherston.

The Farm bureau was host Wednesday, May 25, at a meeting in the Pilgrim Congregational church. Hadley, Elba, Dryden Lapeer, and Almont Farm bureau were invited to listen to a talk by Dr. H. B. Ziemer of Lapeer. His topic was socialized medicine.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Suchy of Drayton Plains are the parents of a daughter, Patricia Ann, born May 12 at Goodrich general hospital. She weighed six pounds, nine ounces.

Ten ladies from this vicinity attended a stork shower Friday night in Centerline, honoring Mrs. Glenn Brandt, Jr. Those attending from here were Mrs. Hudson Ransier, Mrs. Orla Dawley, Mrs. Ernest Barrett, Mrs. Helen Flanders, Dorothy Dawley, Mrs. Kenneth Dawley, Mrs. Frank Dawley and Mrs. Ruth Amy. Following the opening of the gifts refreshments were served.

Volney Cotton was named commander when VFW, Bald Eagle post, had installation of new members. The ceremony was in the VFW building, located on the corner of M-15 and Grange Hall road. Senior vice commander is J. C. Kier, Jr. vice commander Clyde Hitchcock; chaplain, Glenn Kier; trustees, Merlin Saunders, Ross Frantz, and Leonard DeLauder; quartermaster, Ray Long; adjutant, Carl Wodarecki.

Bids on school bonds will be opened June 8.

Many of the grade pupils are going to the Detroit zoo. Students of the high school are planning a picnic at Walled Lake June 3. Grades 7 to 12 will participate. They will be accompanied by Paul L. Conklin, superintendent, Ralph Hartwig, high school principal; Howard T. Burt, elementary principal; and all high school teachers.

The Birthday club met Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Neal Storm on Ball street.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mashinske of 38 Glass road, Ortonville, entertained a group of 75 guests over the weekend which included a free demonstration of a new television set. Mr. Mashinske does radio and television work.

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Mrs. Mary DeLano entertained the Contract Bridge club Monday night. Eight guests were present.

Bald Eagle post, VFW, will hold its annual "buddy" poppy sale on May 27 and 28. All proceeds will benefit needy veterans and their families. The poppies are made by disabled veterans. Containers will be placed down town in business places, and you may also buy your poppy from a vender.

Pfc. Melvin Ousnamer, stationed at San Francisco, is home visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ousnamer, of South street.

Mrs. John Bussema has been visiting for the last ten days with relatives at Grand Rapids.



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drive at Bald Eagle Lake. They  
both graduated from Ortonville  
high school in the class of '41. Mrs.  
Wills is one of Ortonville's younger  
matrons, and is a member of  
the Birthday club.

Besides being an efficient  
home maker and mother, she is  
fond of bowling. Here is her recipe  
for Date Bread which we will  
vouch for from personal experi-  
ence.

**Date Bread**

1 cup chopped dates  
1 cup sugar  
Pour over the above 1 cup of  
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## NEWS IN BRIEF

A number of Ortonville people attended the "People Are Funny" show at the I.M.A. in Flint Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Sims of Ortonville, formerly Thelma Dennis, were the most recently married couple and were awarded a number of gifts from the platform, including a coffee table and coffee maker, a Westinghouse electric iron and heating pad.

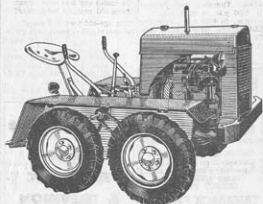
Ernest Dawley is confined to his home with illness.

Gail Ann is the name chosen for the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Kilbourn.

SZ/c Clarence Sage, and stationed at Pensacola, Florida, is spending a 24 day leave with his parents at Clarkston.

Miss Edna Protrock entertained the Past Matrons club on Wednesday night of last week. Fifteen members were present and they completed 87 cancer pads.

Mrs. H. A. Protrock and her daughters, Edna and Mrs. Jay Auten attended the tulip festival at Holland last Saturday. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ar-



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