



Introducing Mr. Lester Smits

We are happy to introduce you to Mr. Lester Smits, one of our sixth grade teachers at Kent City-Casnovia Elementary School. He resides at 4252 Chesterfield N.W. in Grand Rapids and spends an hour a day commuting to Kent City thinking how happy he is not to be married. Although he does not have a permanent view as to his single state, he enjoys his freedom now. Lester Smits was born in Marion, Michigan, and began his elementary school education there. He and his family moved to Marne, Michigan, when he

was 8 years old and he attended Highland School in that area. He went on to Coopersville High School and graduated in 1965. He was a National Merit Scholarship finalist and attended Michigan State University, graduating in June, 1969. Mr. Smits obtained his B.A. degree with a major in Social Studies and a minor in History. An avid reader, Mr. Smits reads broadly and claims he is best as a spectator in the field of sports. (Photo by Woltanski)



Christmas will be a very lonely time for the G.I. who will be far away from home during this coming holiday season. Why not drop them a Christmas card or letter and let them know you care. We still need the help of everyone in this area in securing more names. If you have a member of your family or know of someone who is serving in the Armed Forces, please write his or her address on a card or letter and mail or bring it to The Sentinel Leader office, 343 S. Union, Sparta 49345. We will take this information over the telephone if necessary as we do want to include as many names as possible.

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261-4402
Plt. 1190, MCRD
San Diego, California 92140

New address
Sgt. Nelson Fuller
Box 1331
Forbes Air Force Base, Kansas
66620

Sp/4 David Moffatt
Co. A 2/133 Inf.
Ft. Carson, Colorado 80913

JOB-HUNTING TIPS

Tips on job-hunting for women who are changing jobs, the recent graduate, or the wife or mother returning to the job market are given in Alice King's new book, "Help Wanted: Female" (331.115), which can be obtained at the Kent County Library.

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ARMED FORCES

Sgt. A. D. Bujandra In Marine Corps

Marine Sergeant Andrew D. Bujandra, husband of the former Miss Dianna L. Wilson of Conklin, participated in a field exercise with Marine All Weather Attack Squadron 121 at Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, North Carolina.

The exercise served as a refresher course in the defense of an airfield against enemy aggressor forces.

The squadron is a part of Marine Aircraft Group 14 at Cherry Point. Its mission is to conduct anti-air warfare and of-

Pvt. David Eynon In Marines at San Diego, California

Pvt. David J. Eynon, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Eynon of Stebbins Avenue, Sparta, is receiving "boot camp" training with the U.S. Marine Corps in San Diego, California.

The young Marine is a 1969 graduate of Sparta High School and went to active duty around the middle of October. He expects to complete his basic training sometime in January.

fensive air support operations in support of fleet Marine forces.

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Outstanding Seniors Named at Kent City - Casnovia High School

The Outstanding Americans Foundation announced this week that three students from Kent City-Casnovia High School have been selected as Outstanding Teenagers of America for 1970. They are: Christine Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Matthews of Muskegon Avenue, Kent City; Timothy Woltanski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Woltanski of Rusco Avenue, Kent

City; and Kim Peters, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peters of Casnovia. The students, nominated for this honor by their school on the basis of ability and achievement, will compete for state and national awards in the Outstanding Teenagers of America program.



If you look like your passport photo, you probably need the trip.—R. Taylor Harris,

'Make It With Wool' Winner Announced

The District 3 "Make-It-Yourself-With Wool" Sewing Competition was held, Saturday, November 22, at the Woodland Mall, Grand Rapids. Mrs. Carroll Wells of Vermontville, the district director, has announced the winners. Miss Diane Smith will be the Senior Representative to the State finals. Her alternate is Mary Jule Veldman. The Junior Representative is Miss Brenda Rasch. The alternate for the Juniors is Karen

Glerum. Mrs. Vance Cole of Charlotte was the style show commentator. The style show was viewed by 100 parents and interested, style conscious teens and adults. Other winners include: SENIORS - Skirt lengths, Laret Bolthouse; Butterick Home Catalogue, Jill Koolman; Coats and Clark Sewing Book, Donna Brenner; Modes Royale Catalogue, Nannette Dunning; and Bonnie Bell Beauty Kit, Jean Rasch. JUNIORS- (in the same order): Ellen Workman, Denise Cole, Linda Vivan, Kathy Rasch and Ruth Borgman. SUB DEB: Carol Rasch, Corriedale Sheep Assn. The State Finals will be held Saturday, December 13, at 1:30 p.m., in the Union Building at Michigan State University. Everyone is welcome to attend.

WHO'S WHO



Helping to Serve the North Kent Area.



This section, dealing with established business people, is an effort to acquaint area residents with the positions these people occupy in the eyes of their friends and customers. Articles contained here were researched and authorized by Don Shade, Business Relations Consultant.

HAAG'S TEXACO SERVICE

COMPLETE CAR CARE CENTER

The men who operate this section's service stations are among the most important in bringing good will to the community. Their establishments are often the unofficial greeting headquarters for newcomers and are the last persons to attend those leaving the area. We seem unusually fortunate in having men of high caliber in this important field. Foremost among them is Richard (Dick) Haag who operates a large Texaco station located at the corner of Turner Ave. and Lake Michigan Dr. N.W. at the Pearl St. freeway exit in downtown Grand Rapids. Their phone is 454-9767.

You can rest assured when you fill up here. Your car will start better, run smoother and engine wear will noticeably be reduced. Taking care of the crankcase, changing oil, grease jobs, brake and mu"ter service, tune-ups and all r"nor repairs are a specialty here. This modern Texaco

station handles Goodyear tires, batteries and auto accessories which indeed makes them a credit to the community.

Dick is doing a fine job as an ambassador of good will. He is always willing to do a little more than is required of him and is an ardent booster for the community. He makes every effort to keep his station in step with local progress and his help in community affairs is cheerfully given as are all the little extra free services motorists always receive when they visit Haag's Texaco Service. They are open seven days a week featuring towing and road service, plus valuable S & H Green Stamps with all purchases for added savings for their patrons.

Dick will certainly appreciate his friends and neighbors paying him a visit in the near future. You can always expect courteous service with a smile at this large Texaco Service Station.

WOOD AUDIPHONE CO.

TOP QUALITY HEARING AIDS SINCE 1936

In this review, dealing as it does with business and professional people from Grand Rapids and the north Kent area, we would like to call your attention to the men who have worked for the best interest of their community as they are usually the leaders in whatever they undertake in all fields of endeavor.

Therefore, we feel the inclusion of Kenneth and Lewis Wood who operate the Wood Audiphone Company with offices located at 9 Ransom Ave. N.E. just north of Fulton St. in downtown Grand Rapids is most appropriate. Their phone is GL 9-8313.

The Wood Audiphone Company handles all types of hearing aids that are available on the market today. We feel that this concern is fully equipped and well trained for the scientific fitting and adjustment of hearing aids for those with a slight hearing problem and the more unfortunate who feel there is no hope of reasonable reception as they will be amazed by the many hearing aids sold by this firm. Such as the Radio-ear (the most prominent in this field) plus the Audivox, Tel-ex and Vicon, all popular hearing aids that can be purchased here. They have helped so many

people with all kinds of hearing problems.

The Wood Audiphone Company has been in business since 1936 specializing in the most popular hearing aids on the market today. You will find that most are hardly noticeable as they are small and inconspicuous and made to fit the ear perfectly. Some are made to use behind the ear as well as in hearing glasses. This firm also handles batteries and repairs plus service on all makes when necessary.

Call them today for yourself or a friend and make an appointment at their office or in your home with no obligation on your part. They will be happy to serve you and with their policy of "Try before you buy". How can you go wrong as they have a 30-day Rental Plan which can be deducted from the purchase price when you are satisfied with the product.

So call them soon. You will be glad you did.

All appointments are promptly taken care of and prices are within the reach of every one. This popular concern has gained a reputation for careful attention to detail and efficient service. You are assured of complete satisfaction here.

QUALITY MODERNIZING CO.

HOME MODERNIZING IS OUR BUSINESS

A tradesman who takes pride in the quality of his workmanship and the materials used in remodeling work is assured a host of satisfied customers. Ones who are proud to be associated with and eager to give praise to him.

Those who have done business with Vern Felton, the owner of the Quality Modernizing Company, located at 808 Bridge St. N.W. in north Grand Rapids (their phone is 459-2394) are lavish in their praise of the quality of the workmanship and materials received. This concern has built garages, additions (such as bedrooms, recreation and family rooms), remodeled kitchens and patios in some of the finest homes in this section as well as office and commercial buildings throughout this area. They also apply roofing, aluminum siding,

awnings, storm windows, doors and insulation in system remodeling for this section of the state.

Mr. Felton is popular in civic and social circles for pride is a quality that is most often carried into all fields of endeavor. We are pleased to include Vern Felton in this review because such solid citizens are key figures in the orderly progress of any community. His reliable and honest business practices deserve special praise and his standing in the community is assured because his basic business foundation is sound.

We, therefore, join with friends and customers of the Quality Modernizing Company in pointing with pride to this concern, and to Vern himself, for providing fine services in a good community in a highly reliable manner.

ARSULOWICZ REAL ESTATE

INVITES YOUR LISTING

In this busy day and age with conservative folks constantly seeking investments where they are assured not only of a permanent source of income, but a reasonable certainty of it increasing in value, the realtor is doing more than his share in meeting present day demands.

This locality is fortunate to have in its midst the Arsulowicz Real Estate firm with offices located at 615 Bridge St. N.W. just east of Stocking Ave. in north Grand Rapids. Their phone is 458-1515. It is operated by Edward A. Arsulowicz who has

identified himself with the growth and expansion of this city and has made a close study of real estate conditions of this entire area. This enables Mr. Arsulowicz to offer both the buying and selling public the very best and most complete real estate service for residential, commercial, investment, resort and farm properties.

Mr. Arsulowicz and the people of his firm endeavor to list property for sale at not more than its true value. Edward's study of local conditions renders him an authority on property values and in all transactions his word is as good as his bond. Hence, people have come to look to his firm when seeking a realtor through whom they can deal with absolute confidence.

It will be to your advantage for you to investigate the facilities of this well known real estate firm. Call or stop in and discuss your problems with them as they will gladly assist you in meeting your individual needs, whether you wish to buy, sell or trade.

Mr. Arsulowicz can also be depended upon in civic affairs as in business, and we look forward to his serving this area in the same reliable and friendly manner for many years to come as he has in the past.

HOMEMAKING IDEAS

Ideas on all aspects of home improvement and repair are given in "The Complete Encyclopedia of Homemaking Ideas," edited by Barbara Bradford (747), which can now be obtained at the Kent County Library.

Past campaigns have gathered several millions of dollars for the world-wide healing work of the Wheat Ridge Foundation. The goal of the 1969 Campaign is \$595,000. The funds gathered during the Christmas season, will enable many to touch others with love, healing, and compassion.

'A Time to Touch Others' Campaign for Peace Lutheran

Peace Lutheran Church announced that the 1969 Wheat Ridge Christmas Seals Campaign is officially under way. The theme is "Jesus Comes Again in Mercy".

The Wheat Ridge Christmas Seals Campaign is conducted annually among families of the Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. The contributions received support the Wheat Ridge Foundation.

The Wheat Ridge Foundation, with its offices in Chicago, carries out numerous medical and social services throughout the world. The Foundation sup-

ports and promotes medical and social services in India, Japan, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Nigeria, New Guinea, and Brazil, as well as the North American continent.

In addition, Wheat Ridge provides scholarships for social workers and mental health consultants, underwrites a variety of social services, and has carried out a number of pilot projects: education of the deaf, human relations, and family counseling.

The Seals have been distributed to families of the congregation.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU!

- SPARTA MENU
- December 1 - 5
- MONDAY
- Italian spaghetti
 - Buttered corn
 - Apple coffee cake
 - Bread and butter
 - Milk
- TUESDAY
- Beef stew on baking powder biscuits
 - Pineapple bars
 - Bread and butter
 - Milk
- WEDNESDAY
- Hamburger sandwich
 - Pickles
 - Buttered peas
 - Fruit cobbler
 - Milk
- THURSDAY
- Pizza
 - Green beans
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 - Bread and butter
 - Milk
- FRIDAY
- Grilled cheese
 - Buttered corn
 - Apple crisp
 - Milk

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