

# FIVE DRIVERS FINED \$125 IN LOCAL COURT

Local Man Pays \$110 On Drunken Driving Charge — Another Bound Over to Grand Jury On Not Guilty Plea.

Roger Stopher, 711 South Main street, was fined \$110 and costs Thursday evening after a hearing before Mayor John B. Lehmkuhle on charges of driving while under the influence of alcohol and without due regard for safety.

Mr. Stopher, who is home on leave from the U. S. Navy, was arrested Wednesday night by city police on a triple count of drunken driving, reckless driving and driving without a license. He told police he had lost his driver's license about 3-months ago.

While lodged in city jail Wednesday night the Navy-man broke two panes of window glass and during the escapade he fell receiving a shoulder injury.

Roger Robison, 302 South Jefferson street, pleaded not guilty to charges of driving without due regard for safety filed by William Whitney, East Fourth

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street, Thursday evening and was bound over to the Grand Jury by Mayor Lehmkuhle.

The charges against Robison were filed after his car struck and killed a dog last June 30 owned by the plaintiff. Shortly after the hearing the charges were withdrawn by Whitney but Mayor Lehmkuhle stated Friday he did not know what disposition would be made of the case.

Three traffic light violators were also fined \$5 and costs each in the Mayor's court Thursday. They were Harry J. Odellger, Palm Beach, Fla.; W. G. Andrews, and Anthony Leardie, Chicago.

## Youthful Fisherman Bitten By Dog Here

Michael Stepleton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Stepleton was bitten by a dog, not seriously though, owned by William Owens, North Canal street, while fishing along the canal Thursday evening.

The youth was taken to the office of a local physician for examination but no treatment was required, according to city police records.

## Putnam-Allen Tour Event Set July 31

The annual tour for Putnam and Allen County 4-H Club members, their parents and advisors will be held on Thursday, July 31, according to a report from the county agent's office.

The party will visit Cleveland and the gala feature will be attending the ball game between Cleveland and Boston. The tour train will leave Bluffton at 6:30 a. m. and Findlay at 7 a. m.

# O. P. SCHMIDT DIES SUDDENLY

Death of Former Local Resident Occurs Thursday — Seven Children Survive — Funeral Monday at Lima.

O. P. Schmidt, 808 East Albert street, Lima, died very suddenly of a heart attack, Thursday, July 10, 1952, at the Lima Locomotive Works, as he was leaving after his day's work. Death occurred at approximately 4:00 p. m.

Mr. Schmidt was born in Delphos, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt, July 4, 1886. He had recently celebrated his 66th birthday. Forty-two years ago, he was married at St. John's church here, to Miss Eda Krebs, who died in August, 1948.

An employee of the Lima Locomotive Works, Lima-Hamilton Division, the past forty-three years, Mr. Schmidt was a member of St. John's Catholic church, Lima, and of the Lima K. of C. and Eagles lodges.

Surviving, are the following children: Mrs. Harry Schlott, Mrs. John O'Grady, Paul, Barbara, Jean, Marilyn and Jack, all of Lima; 6 grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. George Speaker, and Mrs. B. T. Mullen, both of Lima; and Mrs. Marion Alspaugh, Delphos; and one brother, Charles Schmidt, Delphos.

His parents, five brothers and two sisters preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held Monday morning at a time to be announced later. The remains will be taken to the residence on Albert street, where friends may call until time for the funeral.

## Ottoville Men In Service

New Address  
Pvt. Robert B. Byrne,  
U. S. 52163857,  
Prov. Co. S. E.,  
A P O No 613, % P. M.,  
San Francisco, California.

### On European Furlough

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Deitering received word that their son, Cpl. Roger J. Deitering, had returned to duty at Rigenburg, Germany, after a furlough through Italy, Switzerland and Garmish. While in Rome, the Ottoville soldier had an audience with the Pope.

### Leaving For Overseas

Pvt. Jim Trenkamp left for Seattle, Washington, for overseas embarkation, following a twenty-one day furlough with his wife and mother, Mrs. Anna Trenkamp, and other relatives and friends. He had been stationed at Camp Rucker, Ala.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt appreciation to those who gave floral offerings, to the Rev. Clayton Strawser, the pallbearers, Harter and Son Funeral Home and to those who helped in any way during the death of our beloved one Levina Garimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Byrd,  
Mr. and Mrs. Neil Byrd  
and Family

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

The Treasurer of Van Wert County will be at the Commercial Bank Monday and Tuesday, July 14th and 15th for the collection of taxes. — Adv. hc\*\*

### NOTICE

Special meeting of K. of C. at 8:00 o'clock Saturday evening on account of the death of Brother Sylvester Gerdeman. — Adv. 24 H. J. Ricker, G. K.

## Junior Church To Hold Bake Sale

Members of the Junior church of the E. U. B. church are planning a bake sale for Saturday, July 12, 1952. The sale will start at 9:30 a. m. at the Jones and Powell Store, North Main street.

Proceeds from the sale will be used to send the children to Camp St. Marys.

The public is invited to patronize the sale.

### BAKE SALE

Sponsored by the Junior Church of the E. U. B. church, Saturday, July 12, starting at 9 p. m. at Jones & Powell Store. — Adv. \*\*

## Chicken Dinner At Continental

A chicken dinner will be held at St. John's parish, Continental, Sunday, July 13. Serving will begin at 12:00 noon in the parish hall. The menu will include both chicken and ham dinners.

In addition, there will be various amusements, games and refreshments available during the afternoon and evening at the summer festival.

The Rev. Eugene C. Arnoldi, formerly assistant at St. John's church in this city, is pastor at Continental.

## F. F. A. NEWS

### Local Chapter Goes To Spencerville

The Delphos Chapter Future Farmers of America are scheduled to journey to Spencerville Monday evening, July 14, for a joint session with the Spencerville FFA chapter.

A softball game between the two chapters will precede the meeting which will be followed by a feed served by the Spencerville lads. The Spencerville FFA Chapter was the loser in a Pest Hunt conducted last year.

The local farm boys will leave at 6:15 p. m. Monday.

## Firemen To Make Final Picnic Plans At Meet Tonight

A special meeting of the Delphos Volunteer Firemen's Association has been called for this evening by Fire Chief Lewis Leonard.

Final plans will be made for the holding of the Annual Firemen's Picnic on Sunday at Fisher's Grove at this session.

Fire Chief Leonard is urging the attendance of all firemen at the meeting called for 7:30 p. m. this evening in the fire station at the city building.

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## Ideal Summer Weather Forecast

Forecaster C. G. Andrus reported today that Ohio will have ideal summer weather for the next few days.

Andrus said that temperatures will be on the rise along with humidity but that it will remain 'reasonably comfortable.' The forecaster added that the humidity today was expected to range between 58 and 65 degrees.

Andrus said that Saturday's temperatures will be about the same as those of today but the humidity will be slightly higher. He added that the general weather conditions look stable with no radical change in sight.

He reported, however, that cooler air is expected either late Sunday or Monday, but said that it was a long range forecast.

Following is the weather bureau's five-day forecast:

Temperatures will average near normal. Cooler Sunday or Monday and somewhat warmer by Wednesday. Showers and thundershowers Sunday and again Tuesday or Wednesday. Total rainfall one inch.

# JAYCEES WILL ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

Two-Day Event at Cedar Point This Week-end — Local Group Plans Meet Monday.

Five Delphos Jaycees are scheduled to attend a State Junior Chamber of Commerce meeting to be held at Cedar Point, on Lake Erie, this week-end.

The Sandusky Jaycees will be hosts for the two-day session, Saturday and Sunday, July 12-13. Representing the local Jaycees at the convention will be Ohio Vice-president Gilbert Wellman; Philip Gressel, president of the local chapter, and Norman Geier, state director of the local chapter.

They will leave Saturday for Cedar Point and will be accompanied by Mrs. Wellman and Mrs. Gressel. Scheduled to attend the Sunday session are Dr. and Mrs. Clint Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Laudick.

The Delphos Jaycees will hold a regular meeting next Monday evening in the Commercial Bank's conference room. The session Monday is scheduled to start at 8 p. m., according to President Phillip Gressel.

Reports on the state convention will be given at this meeting by the three officers attending.

## Removed To Lima Hospital

Frank Fischer was removed from his home in Ft. Jennings to St. Rita's hospital, Lima, Thursday. The removal was made in the Oscar A. Kolkmeier ambulance.

# ELIDA MAN TAKES BRIDE

Wedding of Miss Helen Siniff and Gordon May Performed Saturday — Couple to Reside in Lima.

In a ceremony performed in the Mendon Methodist church by the Rev. W. E. Weaver, Miss Helen Gae Siniff, daughter of Mrs. Nellie B. Siniff, of Lima, became the bride of Gordon E. May, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis May, Elida, Route 2. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 p. m. July 8.

For her wedding, the bride chose a white suit with blue accessories with a corsage of red roses. Her cameo necklace and earrings were gifts of the bridegroom. Miss Mary Kohler, Cleveland, maid of honor, was attired in a

blue suit with white accessories and had a corsage of white roses. Her bracelet was a gift of the bride's.

Charles Pund, Cleveland, attended Mr. May as best man.

The bride, a graduate of South high school, has been employed by Dr. Gail E. Miller, Lima. Mr. May, a graduate of Elida high school, is employed by J. M. Williams Trucking Co., Vaughnsville.

Following a trip through the New England states, the couple will reside in Lima.

## Breaks Leg In Fall Thursday

Marcin Ringlein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ringlein, East Third street, suffered a broken leg above the ankle, in a fall at her home early Thursday evening. She was removed to St. Rita's hospital, Lima, in the Oscar A. Kolkmeier ambulance, where the injured leg was x-rayed and set.

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