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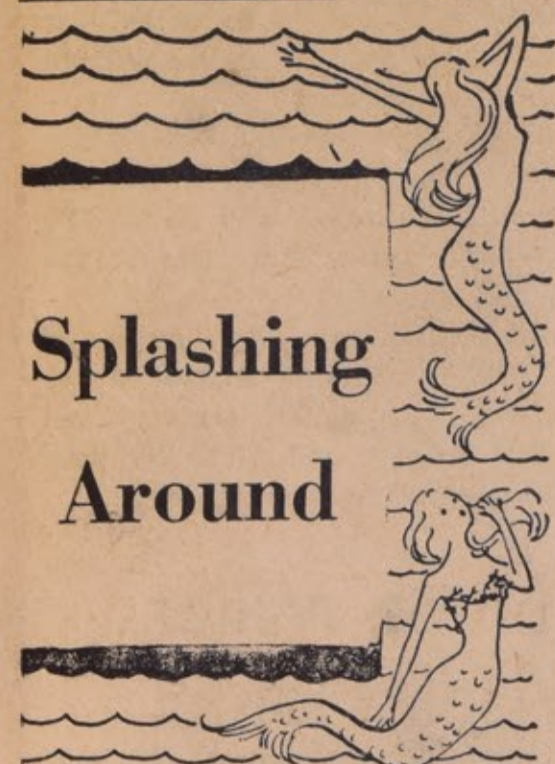
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## Splashing Around



Decoration Day was one of those wonderful May days as sunny and bright as polished brass on a ship's deck. Thousands of visitors milled around the resort enjoying the noisy activity and carefree crowds.

Some were transient visitors, others were spending the weekend at the resort and still others were streaming in to take up residence for the season.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Dodds, of Sharon, Pa., and their sons, Jimmie, Dick, and Doug, were among those to arrive on Memorial Day. They are staying at their lake-front cottage in Mapleton Beach and will be here until August 1. The Dodds have been coming to the resort for the last 10 years.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Born, of West View, Pa., and their three-year-old son, David, are staying in the Putnam cottage for the summer. Along with them to enjoy the lake is David's pup, "Twirpie."

Donna Lee Burton, of Lakewood, will spend part of the summer at Lakewood Lodge visiting her aunt, Mrs. William Heasley. Miss Burton is a sophomore at Ohio University, Athens, and was an honor student.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis, Akron, and Mr. and Mrs. John Cummins, of Canton, who are operating the new concession at the Texas Barbecue, have taken an apartment at Lakewood Lodge for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Krause, of Niles, recently spent a week at Lakewood Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rome are expecting to arrive soon to vacation at the Heltzel cottage at Palmetto Beach.

Staying at the Ford Cottages are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shilling and Mr. and Mrs. Markley C. Craven of Pittsburgh, who will spend two weeks at the Fords' Brighton cottage.

A honeymoon couple is expected to spend several days at Fords' Okeedoke cottage this weekend. They are Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pel-low, of Girard, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cook, of Eagle Cliff, visited Miss Margaret Kinison, of Winchester, Ill. the latter part of May and included in their visit a sight-seeing trip to St. Louis, Mo. Last fall they took a boat cruise from Cleveland to Sault Sainte Marie. It was such a restful vacation that the Cooks are planning another trip this fall, only this time it will be from Buffalo on up to the Thousand Islands and Quebec by way of the St. Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heasley, of Lakewood Lodge, visited Dr.

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## Noon Luncheon Planned for Tour Group

Sixty persons are expected to attend a luncheon at Idle-a-While Monday in honor of the Lake Erie Land Conference group making a four-day tour of major lake resorts.

C. E. Jolly, head of the Chamber of Commerce here, will represent the resort on the tour.

Forty persons will leave Cleveland at 10 a. m. Monday on a special chartered bus. First stop is Geneva-on-the-Lake where they will inspect the resort following the luncheon at Idle-a-While.

Their first night will be spent at Buffalo. They will visit resorts on both the Canadian and American shores of Lake Erie and will cover 700 miles during their four days' trip.

"Anyone is welcome to go," Jolly pointed out. "Cost for the trip is \$41.50."

The Chamber head said that the trip was scheduled so that the Lake Erie Land Conference might get a first hand picture of Lake Erie resorts for comparison purposes.

"It's a good idea to see what the other resorts are doing, especially this year when all resorts are expanding to handle the record crowds expected."

Jolly said that the Chamber was receiving an average of 15 letters per day inquiring about places to stay.

"I honestly don't know where we're going to put them all," Jolly said. He said that many people wrote in letters that they didn't care what it cost just so they could get accommodations for a vacation.

The Chamber head and his wife attended the Kiwanis convention in Atlantic City last weekend. He is vice-president of the Geneva Chamber of Commerce and attended the convention as a delegate. This weekend he will attend the Mid-Atlantic divisional meeting of the Ancient Order of Samaritans of which he is the supreme monarchos.

## Property Sold At Driftwood

Alfred M. Ekern, lake office manager of The Miller Realty Company, reported two property transactions this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Stoll have purchased the W. L. Seelbach property at Driftwood just east of County Line road. After making extensive repairs and remodeling, they will make their permanent home there.

A year-round home in the Gardner allotment at Dock road has been sold to Dorothy Hocky, a teacher at Western Reserve college, Cleveland. This is a Cape Cod type home recently remodeled by the Realty company. It was moved to this site from Dock road where it had stood for more than 130 years. Whitewood boards more than three feet wide were used in the structure, Ekern concluded.

## Dancing Nightly At The Pier

Freddie Shaffer and his Victory Sweethearts' all-girl dance band will make a return engagement at The Pier this season, it was announced today by dance hall officials.

Beginning June 29, dancing will be scheduled nightly with the doors open at 8:30 p. m.



LOVELY PEN'BRYN ON LAKE ERIE, located 1200 feet east of Geneva Township Park, has re-opened its dining room this season to the public. Reservations are necessary because of the food situation, Helen H. Jones, owner, said.

## Public Phone Stations Listed

For the convenience of summer guests there will be 12 public telephone pay stations located at the resort, according to a recent survey.

By the first of July the local Chamber of Commerce will have six phones installed at the village hall with two secretaries to help make correct change.

Other pay phones are located at MAPLE MANOR, PENN LODGE, PERA RESTAURANT, BURNS' TEXAS BARBECUE, CHESTNUT GROVE, and LAKESIDE LODGE.

When making local calls to Geneva, Perry, Madison, or at the resort, drop the coin after the party answers. If you drop it in before, you'll lose your nickel as there are no coin returns.

The booths are completely sound-proof if the person making the call will talk directly into the phone.

## Council Seeks More Efficient Garbage Collection

The "city fathers" of Geneva-on-the-Lake were elbow deep in the discussion of ways to improve the collection of garbage at the resort when they met at the village hall Monday night.

The mayor appointed Edwin Koerner to collect the garbage fees for the season.

At the June 3 meeting of the Council garbage rates for all places of business that served meals were set at \$7.50. The rate was set at \$4.50 for cottage owners.

This was an increase over last year's rates, but councilmen pointed out that all expenses connected with the collecting of garbage had increased proportionately. The contract this year was reported to cost the village \$600 more than

## Former Vacationists Will Remember With Pleasure Those Chicken Dinners!

The end of the war has brought about the re-opening of many favorite eating places. Vacationists will be particularly pleased to note the re-opening by reservation of Pen'Bryn on Lake Erie just east of Geneva-on-the-Lake.

The 15-acre estate owned by Helen H. Jones is beautifully furnished with antiques and surrounded by spacious lawns sloping down to an exceptionally fine beach.

Guests are served dinners country style on the large veranda at drop leaf tables. Miss Jones does her own cooking and is anxious to once again serve her home made rolls and pastries. The hostess formerly taught home economics in Cleveland schools and has spent her summers at Pen'Bryn since 1929.

The large cottage was the lake home of her father, the late Franklin T. Jones. Born in Geneva, his grandfather, George Turner, had the first saw mill in the Western Reserve section just east of Indian Creek.

### Model Ship

A cabinet-maker by trade, Turner made the lovely old secretary which Miss Jones now uses as a linen closet. He also made the cherry dresser now in her possession and the model of an old lake sailing vessel which visitors may see at the guest house.

Miss Jones said that her father collected many antiques including early farm implements and carpenters' tools. She has an ox yoke that was actually used years ago in tilling the soil at the lake.

### Collector's Dream

Other antiques came from the home of her grandmother, Julia (Con't on Page 5)

## Historic Tavern Opened Again

The historic Old Tavern at Unionville that dates back to stage coach days in 1812, has been re-opened this year by its owners, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fritz.

Patriotically closed during the war, its owners have operated the tavern since 1927. Vacationists may spend some restful nights in the delightful early American atmosphere and enjoy chicken, duck and steak dinners in its spacious dining rooms.

The dining room is open to the public this year. Mrs. Fritz said that reservations would be appreciated because of the food situation.

The tavern is one of three outstanding historical buildings in Ohio and holds a document from the government to that effect.

It is located in Unionville, one mile south of Route 20 on Route 84. Phone Madison 2236.

## Motorettes Are Popular at Lake

Proving to be among the most popular new entertainments at Geneva-on-the-Lake this year is the rental of motorettes.

The U-Drive It Motorette company has 10 of these three-wheeled miniature automobiles and since their opening rentals on Memorial Day, vacationists have been swarming to their rental location at Golf and Short street, to take a ride on the novel vehicles.

The newly formed company is composed of C. J. Pallinger, Packard agent in Ashtabula; Kester S. Wade and Mrs. George Wilson, both of Ashtabula.

## Resort Theater May Open June 29

Resort Theaters Company officials who are erecting the new theater at Geneva-on-the-Lake said this week that they were making a supreme effort to open the theater by June 29.

It was pointed out that problems of materials and labor have made it impossible to open by the middle of June as scheduled earlier this spring.

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# Splashing---

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and Mrs. H. H. Wagner, of Springfield, Mass. during the winter. The Wagners will be guests of the Heasleys during the latter part of July. The Heasleys also took time off to vacation at a hunting lodge in Pennsylvania during the winter.

Mrs. Edith G. Rose, of Youngstown, will begin her second year at Alta Vista. She formerly operated Lakeside Lodge with Mrs. Goldie Hodgson for 10 years. Mrs. Hodgson will make her home in California.

Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Autenreich and daughter, Ruth, of Youngstown, Ohio, spent the Memorial Day holidays at Alta Vista. Miss Autenreich is well known for her dance ensemble.

C. E. Jolly was surrounded by the fairer sex when he took off for Windsor, Canada on a business trip in connection with the Ancient Order of Samaritans of which he is the Supreme Monarchos. Accompanying him were his wife, Clara, his sister-in-law, Mrs. Howard Rigney and sister, Mrs. Frank Farnbauer. Both Mrs. Rigney and Mrs. Farnbauer are of Youngstown.

Jolly recently made a similar trip to Danville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lewis and son, Jack, of Warren, moved to the Lake last fall to make their permanent home at "the Kenmore." Mrs. Lewis, who we believe will have one of the best sun-tans this summer, reports that they enjoyed the winter tremendously. As Mrs. Lewis puts it, "There always seemed to be something doing. We went ice skating and enjoyed our fireplace."

We caught Mrs. Lewis down on the beach in early May this year, taking time out between correspondence to catch a little sun. It was one of those gorgeous days when everyone was out hammering, plastering, painting and cleaning, all the while casting longing eyes at the glistening water, lapping against the white sands. Mrs. Lewis simply donned her bathing suit, grabbed a bottle of last year's lotion and set out to get herself a tan!

The Lewises have an addition to the family. They call him Sammie. He has big sad brown eyes and long, floppy ears. You're right. He's a full-bred Beagle hound pup.

During the month of February, they took time out to visit Mr. Lewis' parents in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holden and son, Richard, will be here for the summer. Holden was discharged from the service early this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shatto and son, Hiler, or "Chuckie," as he is better known, vacationed at Riviera, Fla. during the winter. They reside on New street at the Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. David Owen, of Pittsburgh, are making their permanent home here. Owen retired last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reynolds also are making their permanent home at the Lake.

Miss Mary Whited, of Mapleton Beach, has spent the winter at Geneva-on-the-Lake and will remain here for the summer season.

Mrs. Snell sold her home on Lake Grove avenue to Mrs. E. H. Lewis, it was learned this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zaic, of "Wanna-Kum-Bak" Tourist cabins, located on Route 20, east of Geneva, vacationed at Titusville, Fla. during the winter. Formerly of Willoughby, the couple purchased the cabins last year and will continue to operate it this season.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Burns, who operate the "Hotte Shoppe" Texas barbecue, spent the winter at Bradenton, Fla.

# Go to Church On Sunday



For vacationists who would like to attend the church of their choice while staying at Geneva-on-the-Lake, the Geneva churches extend their whole-hearted welcome.

- FIRST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
351 Eagle Street  
Worship services at 11 a. m.  
Rev. John B. Arthur, pastor
- BAPTIST CHURCH**  
75 South Broadway  
Services at 10:30 a. m.  
Rev. C. C. Conrad, pastor
- ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
917 W. Main Street  
Services at 10 a. m.  
Rev. Martin Vogelsang
- FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
89 South Broadway  
Services at 10 a. m. with Sunday School following  
Rev. W. S. Hamilton
- FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
216 South Eagle Street  
Services at 11 a. m.  
Rev. R. J. Striffler
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# Louise Malott Opens New 'Hollyhock Hill Gift Shop'

Louise Malott's new shop which she calls "The Hollyhock Hill Gift shop, has proven completely successful in all ways except one: She just can't seem to get hollyhocks to grow!

"They just aren't coming along very good," she exclaimed unhappily. "But maybe they'll do better when we have some rain."

We've had the rain during the past several weeks and Miss Malott can breathe easier because the hollyhocks are coming along better now.

Open since January 1, the gift shop is housed in the 117-year-old McKenzie home where her ancestors once lived. It's located on Route 20 near Saybrook, only a short distance from Geneva-on-the-Lake.

Miss Malott studied art in Indianapolis and formerly had a gift shop there. She paints pictures and gorgeous trays in oils and has built up quite a reputation for herself during her first six months of operation.

Vacationists will like her Rome creation stationery with trees sketched from this locality. They are genuine etchings and only a dollar a box. There is an especially attractive box of postcards at only 50 cents.

Miss Malott makes some of her own jewelry. Among these are earrings made of tiny jugs filled with perfume. Yes, you can actually wear them and they are complete with even a cork on the jugs.

She has decorated the gift shop with huge mirrors and sunny chartreuse drapes. It is one of those shops so attractively arranged that it is a real privilege to look at her wares.

Along with her regular gifts, there are hundreds of different items; she has antiques. Visitors are particularly enthusiastic about her glass and charming collection of antique cups and saucers.

So, if you want to get a head start on Santa Claus (you can't get around the fact that Christmas is approximately six months off) visit the Hollyhock gift shop and you'll be sure to find some unique gift items.

**STORES CLOSE HALF DAY**

For the benefit of vacationers: Please note that Geneva stores are closed on Wednesday afternoons and that Ashtabula stores close at noon on Thursdays!

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# Hearing Set For 1947 Budget

The Geneva-on-the-Lake council passed a motion accepting a tentative budget for 1947 drawn up by the village clerk and finance committee when they met for their regular meeting Monday night.

A hearing for objections to the tentative budget is scheduled for 7:30 p. m. July 1, at the village municipal building.

The budget included \$10,000 for general fund purposes within the 10 mill limitation and \$12,482.85 for bond retirement outside the 10 mill limitations.

Broken down, the requested \$12,482.85 included \$3,360 of the park refund; \$1,800 sanitary and sewer refund; and \$7,322.85, four and one-half mill voted levy.

# James Miller Visits Home

James Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller, of Ridge Manor Farms, was home on leave from the Navy. He spent eight months of duty aboard a mine sweeper in the Pacific theater.

His sister, Elizabeth Ann Miller, editor of the Ohio State Lantern during the last year, will be graduated from Ohio State University June 7. Their father heads the Miller Realty Company.

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## Shopping with Suzette

Part of the fun in coming to Geneva-on-the-Lake each year is seeing friends you've met the previous year.

Maybe you're down at Gaetano's ready to take a speed boat ride in the Pee-Wee when lo and behold you see that cute little gal with the sun-burned nose from Pittsburgh.

Or maybe you're devouring a steak at the Chef's steak house (I did too have a steak there) and, by gum, whom do you see but that tall, lanky lad from Youngstown!

Anyway, no matter whether this is your second season at Geneva-

on-the-Lake or your tenth summer, you're bound to meet someone you've met the year before.

The other day I ran into Suzette. And guess what she was wearing—boy, are we clothes conscious up here! She was wearing one of those new cholo coats they are featuring at Carlisle's in Ashtabula. (Yes, you'll undoubtedly go on a shopping spree at Carlisle's while you're at the lake, 'cause it's such a nice store.)

Well, this beach coat has a high round neck that ties in a bow and has two huge patch pockets in the shape of a polo shirt and a pair

of shorts. It has short sleeves and comes in white or natural. Suzette told me confidentially that it only cost \$4.98.

She also took note of the new slack suits they had that came in aqua or melon. She said they had a mid-rif top—the top was striped rayon jersey and they cost \$14.98. Pretty snazzy, I'll say!

And, if you really want a buy, check their cotton fleece cardigans. It's the first time they've had them for five years. They come in blue or yellow and sell for \$2.98. Suzette says they are perfect for beach parties.

If you want something sort of dressy—say for dancing at The Pier, dress up your skirt with one of those sheer peasant blouses of white ninon. They are really beautcatchers with their feminine rose chintz appliques. They're on display at Carlisle's for \$5.98.

Suzette says that she suffered all last summer with a cheap pair of sun glasses that wouldn't stay on her nose and really didn't do much good. This year she's sport-



ing one of Carlisle's new oculens sun glasses. They're scientifically correct for eye protection with style-right frames in bright colors and pastels. They come with a leather case at \$3.98 and \$4.98.

I got a terrific bang out of Suzette dashing around madly trying to get food for a beach party.

She finally got some weinies at the Friendly Food store located in the Colonial building, some of those luscious strawberries from Carpenter's grocery in Geneva (you know they stay open until noon on Sundays) and then she got enough vegetables for a mixed salad at that new Oakley's Quali-



ty Food store located one block east of Chestnut Grove. Boy, what a spread!

Those weinies were done to perfection. Over charcoal. Suzette got the charcoal from Payne's Hardware in Ashtabula. They've got a good supply of it. And, you should see their classy portable grills. Of course, Suzette's got one. They're portable and are complete with a spit for broiling maybe a ham, or little piggie with an apple in its mouth. What am I saying? Stop your drooling. Any day now, you'll walk into the butcher's and get that choice end of ham. You can see that we at Geneva-on-the-Lake are a bunch of optimists.

All the vacationists throng in

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to look over the lovely gift items on display at The Beach Shop. You want to be sure to see their two-piece bathing suit that can be worn four different ways. They come in chartreuse and navy blue or chartreuse and raspberry red.

And, by the way, fellows, the Miller-Jones Shoe store in Geneva has men's slippers at \$1.99 and tennis shoes at \$2.19. You should just visit that store for summer foot comfort.

One of the cottagers (no, I'm not going to tell who) wanted some wall paper to go on her living room wall. She's been frantically working to get her new cottages in shape and needed all sorts of things. Well, we just sent her to the Geneva Wall Paper store for her wall paper and to the Central Hardware store in Geneva where she could get just about anything she wanted in the way of cottage supplies. There are two Central Hardware stores in that town and brother, what you can't get in one, you can get in the other if it's available at all!

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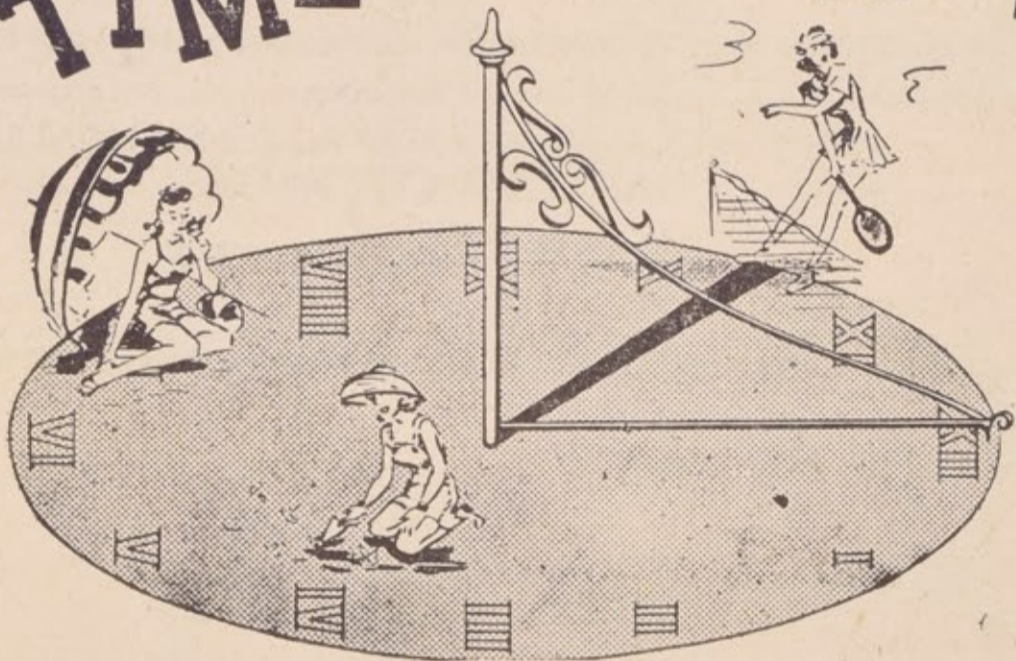
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### THE BEACH SHOP

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## TIME TO RELAX!



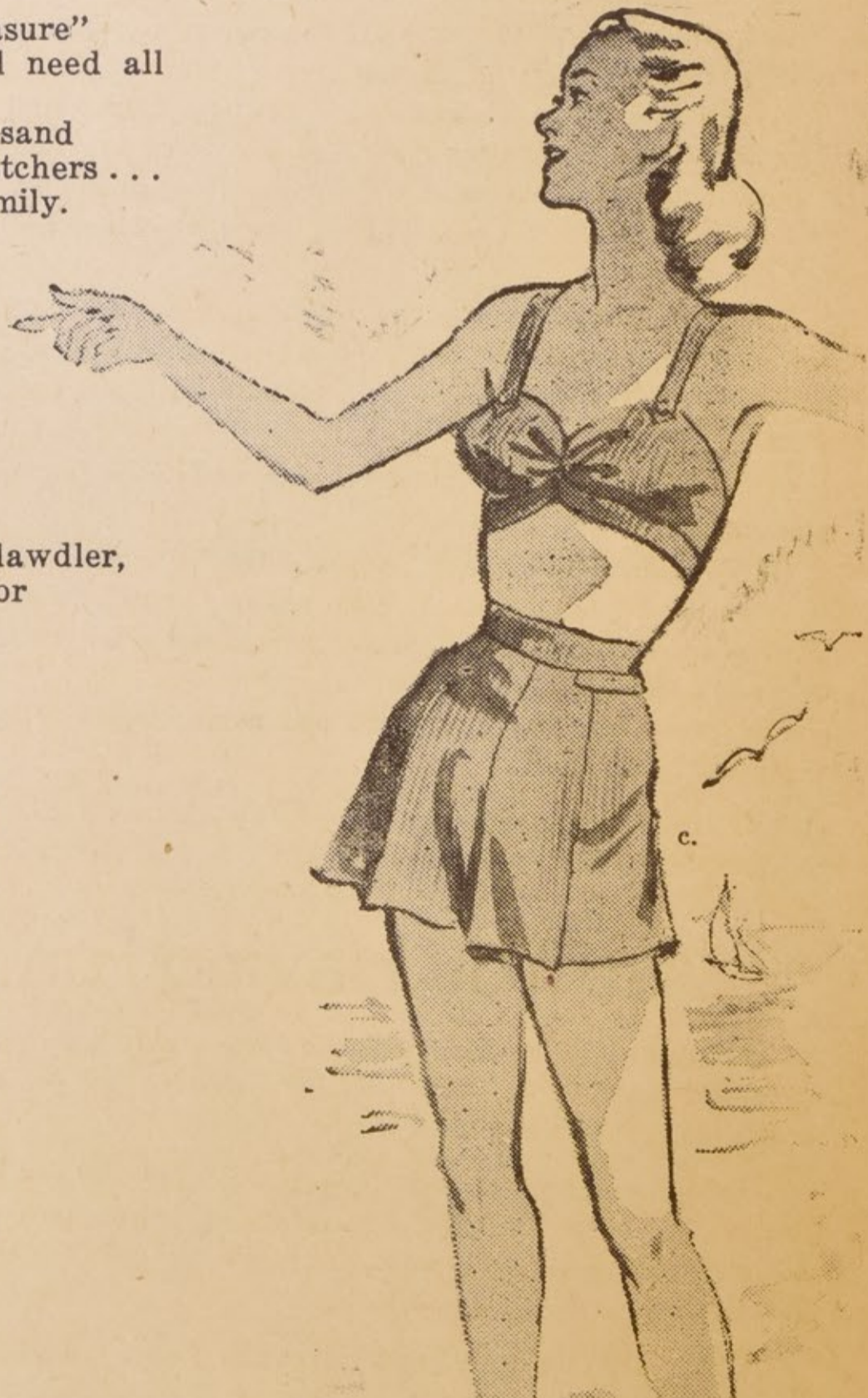
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## Swim for Health Week

It won't be long now until every week throughout the year will have a special name. Some of these nationally celebrated weeks are promoted largely for the benefit of merchants through advertising. Others are promoted chiefly to benefit the great American public.

SWIM FOR HEALTH WEEK which extends from June 24 to June 29 is worthy of consideration by every person who does not swim.

LEARN TO SWIM. Some day, it may save your life. There is a therapeutic value in swimming found in no other sport.

You may have heard the old story often related about the student who was being taken across a river by an old boatman. The student asked the ferryman if he knew anything about astronomy. The boatman said that he did not. The student shook his head regretfully and said, "One third of your life is lost." A little later, the student asked the ferryman if he knew anything about physiology. The boatman said he did not and the student remarked, "Another third of your life is lost." Suddenly the boat hit a rock and upset. The men were thrown into the water. The boatman called out to the student, "Can you swim?" The student cried back, "No." "Then all of your life is lost," the boatman shouted while swimming toward shore.

This brings up the point that we never know at what time we may be called upon to save ourselves or another person from drowning.

Mayor Cook recently appointed Leonard Gaetano as life guard for the season. This is a heavy responsibility and calls for cooperation on the part of vacationists.

Here are a few safety valves for swimmers:

Never swim alone.

Avoid swimming at least two hours after eating.

Stop swimming when exhausted and assume a back float or tread.

When rested, continue swimming.

When seized with a cramp, float and apply treatment, or swim on the back, using the arms if the legs are affected or vice versa.

Avoid long-distance swimming unless accompanied by someone in a boat. Remember, it is just as far back to the shore as it is going out.

If caught in the undertow (yes, there's an undertow on Lake Erie in rough weather), avoid struggling but recede with it until the next wave is met, then coast in on it, or swim with it and the following ones.

Do not dive in unknown waters, jump in feet first or in a sitting position.

The Council has taken every precaution to assure the safety of vacationists while swimming. The resort is now equipped with a dual micro unit for the resuscitator which makes it possible to care for two drowning victims simultaneously.

Cooperate with our life guard and avert vacation tragedies by using safety measures.

COTTAGERS, POST THIS EDITORIAL IN COTTAGES AND ROOMING HOUSES. IT MAY SAVE A LIFE.

## Are You Having Fun?

The post office at Geneva-on-the-Lake was a busy place when it opened last Saturday with cottagers anxious to get the same postal boxes they had rented the year before.

The Beachcomber was there bright and early too, and got a box so that you can send in any news, complaints or what have you! You can reach us by dropping a line to THE BEACHCOMBER, Box 643, Geneva-on-the-Lake, Ohio.

And, incidentally, we'll be at Edgewater Lodge hovering close to the phone during the first part of the week. The number is 3404.

But, mostly, we will be roaming from one end of the resort to the other, picking up stray bits of news from the throngs of happy vacationists.

Are you having fun up here? Well, then, drop us a line and let us know who you are and where you're from. —A penny post card—that's all it takes!

## Harper Girl Is Married

Culminating a summer romance, Miss Ida Harper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Harper, of the Lake Diner, was married April 27 to David Richards, of Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Richards was employed at the Chef's Steak House before working at Harper's Diner. Her husband is studying for a degree in engineering at Carnegie Tech. They reside at Swissvale, Pa. at the present time and are expecting to vacation at Geneva-on-the-Lake this summer.

Dorothy June Harper finished her second year at Marietta college this year and will be back on the job at the diner again this summer, along with her mother, Mrs. Geraldine Harper.

Another daughter of the Harpers is Norma Louise who recently applied for admission to Kent State college where she expects to enter as a freshman this fall. Miss Harper was graduated from Geneva high school May 27.

## Eight Units Added To Bonnie-View

Eight new units are being completed at the Bonnie-View cottages on Lake road, according to E. Harold Copeland, of the Universal Development Company, Inc., of Youngstown.

Copeland, who is president of that company, said that the cottages will be equipped with apartment-size ranges, modern sink and cabinet units and refrigerators.

"We're going to have a playground for children of guests staying at the Bonnie-View cottages and are planning to have a barbecue pit on the terrace leading down to the beach."

Copeland said that the old homestead belonging at one time to Miss Meda Warner, has been made into a duplex.

The new units have been built to accommodate six people. The interiors are being done in natural wood, the company official said.

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### Peterson Builds New Cottages

E. H. Peterson, of Geneva, is building four new cottages at the corner of Lake and Austin roads. They all will have fire places, and two of them will have screened-in porches. Peterson began construction last August. They promise to be among the most modern cottages at the lake.

Peterson himself was employed at the Cleveland Pneumatic Tool company during the war, and worked with a thirty-eight and one-half foot Libbey gap lathe. The company was engaged in making landing gear for bombers.

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# Add Six New Concessions To Playland

Six new concessions are being added to P. G.'s Playland, one of the Bartko-Edwards' Enterprises, according to P. G. Bartko, manager.

The concessions include new ball games, "pitch 'til you win," penny pitch, an astrologist's booth, a ferris wheel, miniature train and merry-go-round.

Bartko pointed out that there would be parking accommodations for 400 and free rest rooms. A new refreshment stand also is being built.

"We've got plenty of space and anyone wanting to operate a concession can do so by contacting us," Bartko said.

A. L. Edwards, brother-in-law to Bartko, has re-enlisted for another three year period. At present, he is stationed in Europe.

# Vet's Station Opens at Lake

Harry E. Holden, son of Mrs. Vern Lewis, of Geneva, is operating the new Vet's Gulf station at the resort this season.

He was discharged January 31 this year after serving with the Air Transport Command as crew chief of a C-47 in both the European and Middle Eastern theatres. He joined the army Nov. 2, 1941 and was sent overseas Oct. 16, 1943.

His wife, Evelyn, is the daughter of Frank Branford, chief of police here. He has a three-year-old son, Richard. The Holdens are living on South Spencer avenue.

# Spaghetti House Begins 6th Year In Business Here

Mrs. Jennie Dama, of the Dama Spaghetti House, has been checking every car that pulls up in front of her business to see if it isn't her son, Carmen, whom she expects home this week.

A corporal with a supply outfit in Germany, Dama has a wife, Rose, and two children, Joan and Carol Jean. His family are living in Youngstown but expect to visit back and forth at Geneva-on-the-Lake.

Mrs. Dama's son, Cory, arrived home from service last November. He served for two years in Germany and France with an infantry outfit, and has been in the Army for four years.

The restaurant owner's daughter-in-law, Irene, operates a concession at Higgins Midway. Also working at the Midway is her daughter, Mary Ann. Both of her other two sons, Charles and Frank, live in Youngstown.

Mrs. Dama is beginning her sixth year at the resort. She has been a cook for more than 30 years, and a dish of her famous spaghetti is a "must" for every vacationer.

# Hamburgers are Best In Town

Clyde Culver promises Geneva-on-the-Lake vacationists the biggest, best hamburger at the resort, when he opens his stand this year in the Popcorn Ball.

A resident of Warren, Culver was in service for three years and was discharged Feb. 19. He saw duty in Hawaii with a chemical warfare unit.

# Pen' Bryn - - -

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King Smith, of Bloomfield. There is the ornate black walnut divan that came from England, a curly maple bedroom suite that is a collector's dream, numerous chairs, a collection of clocks and actually so many smaller items that one would have to spend days seeing them all.

**Box-Car Cottages**

Cleverly, Miss Jones converted old railroad box-cars into cottages that accommodate four to seven persons.

Located near the master cottage, Pen'Bryn, that also accommodates guests, are Pinwydd (meaning among the pines), Delwyn (under the oaks) and Gardenview cottages.

Miss Jones pointed out that guests may come to Pen'Bryn for their meals or do their own cooking in the cottages.

Reservations for meals will be accepted by calling Geneva 5834.

# Florence Ford Adds Two Units

Miss Florence Ford, of Worthington Cottages, Grandview and Lake road, has added two apartment units to her guest house. Each will have a private bath with hot and cold water. They will be newly furnished with apartment sized ranges and refrigerators. The units have private entrances and are attractively decorated.

Miss Ford spent part of her winter in Cleveland visiting friends, but much of her time was devoted to the redecorating of her cottages.

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# Golf Bugs Are Getting in Form

Approximately 125 golf enthusiasts were on the greens last Sunday, it was reported this week by John Evans, golf pro at the Geneva-on-the-Lake Municipal golf course.

The C. E. I. tournament scheduled for a week ago Saturday was expected to be played off this Saturday with from 30 to 50 persons participating, Evans said.

Low score man for Monday was Bully Moury with a score of 37-38. Another low score man this week was Don Errington at 39.

Evans said that the golf committee, composed of Walter Banig Jr., chairman, George Konold and Art Taylor, were out this week inspecting the course in view of new improvements to be made.

The golf pro said that the course was in excellent shape, but that if the rainy weather continues the course would be flooded in spots. "If the sun just comes out now and really shines, the course will be in perfect condition," he concluded.

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# Pee-G Speed Boat Ready for Use

The Pee-G speed boat will be running again this year with two more boats on order, according to Leonard Gaetano, operator.

Gaetano's four brothers have all been discharged from service now and will be at the lake this summer.

Arthur Gaetano was discharged the latter part of March from the Navy. He saw action in Okinawa and at Pearl Harbor. The store keeper third class served aboard an escort carrier.

Leonard's brother, Frank, was a sergeant and served with the Army on New Guinea; Paul was on duty in Italy with a Seabee outfit, and Donald was a shipfitter with a Navy salvage crew.

Leonard has served as a life guard at the resort for the last five years.

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## Garbage ---

It was pointed out at the meeting that the village has an ordinance which requires property owners and business places to have metal containers with suitable tops in which to place their garbage.

three times a week.

### Taxi Cab Limit

The council placed a limit of 10 taxi cabs to be located at the resort this season with only one license issued to any one person or company.

Licenses may be obtained from Mayor Cook. Taxi operators are required to carry liability insurance and must have fares posted, it was brought out.

### Road Oiled

Representatives of the Robert Dunham and Company were present to get a road-oiling program underway so that the roads will be in good condition by the first of July.

The Council thoroughly discussed the new motorettes and motor scoots at the resort and passed a resolution limiting 10 vehicles to an operator with not more than 50 permitted at the resort.

Licenses are issued by Mayor Cook for a fee of \$5. The operators must have governors on the vehicles keeping them at 20 miles per hour, and must carry ten and \$20,000 insurance as a protection to the public. All persons renting the motorettes and motor scoots must have a driver's license.

### Re-appraised Issue

At the early June meeting the council passed a resolution calling for the re-appraisal of all property at Geneva-on-the-Lake. The appraisal will be made by disinterested parties.

The councilmen expressed the opinion that the appraisal would benefit the entire village, inasmuch as real estate and prices generally were going up and it was desirable that resort property be appraised in accordance with prevailing conditions.

## Breen Reports Additional Sales Of His Allotment Properties

Francis J. Breen, prominent cottage and land owner, reported this week the purchase of four lots in his log cabin allotment by Paul Kuncik, of Mt. Lebanon, Pa.

Breen also reported that Charles Frisco, of Pittsburgh, has started the erection of a home on two lots he recently purchased.

John Coach, contractor, who recently purchased two large lots in the Breen plan, has erected a home and four cabins.

### New Home Built

Another Pittsburgh purchaser, John Connolly, is also erecting a home on his two lots.

Breen said that Eleanor Kiefer who purchased the Pines cottage on Kathryn street will be a summer resident there for the season.

Erecting another cottage is Don

Impell, of Pittsburgh, who recently purchased the Carrick cottage with four additional lots on Kathryn street. All are a part of the Breen Plan.

### Guests at Breen's

Mrs. Flora Eck and family are occupying the Floradora cottage; Mr. and Mrs. John Ebken, Pittsburgh, the Knotty Pine cottage; Mr. and Mrs. Al Klein are staying at the Perry Villa; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shetline, of New Brighton, are living at The Carrick; Jane Maxwell and her friend from Baden, Pa. are visitors at the Breen cottages; George Vincent and friends from Cleveland are staying at the Loena; and John Sarnof and friends from Pittsburgh are guests at Ricks Lodge.

## New Parking Lot

The Jollys, of Youngstown Manor, are transforming part of their grounds into a parking lot, complete with a full-time attendant.

Bob and Eddie Bennett will operate motor scoots this year and in addition will offer as a new attraction 12 ping pong tables to be located next to the Popcorn Ball.

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