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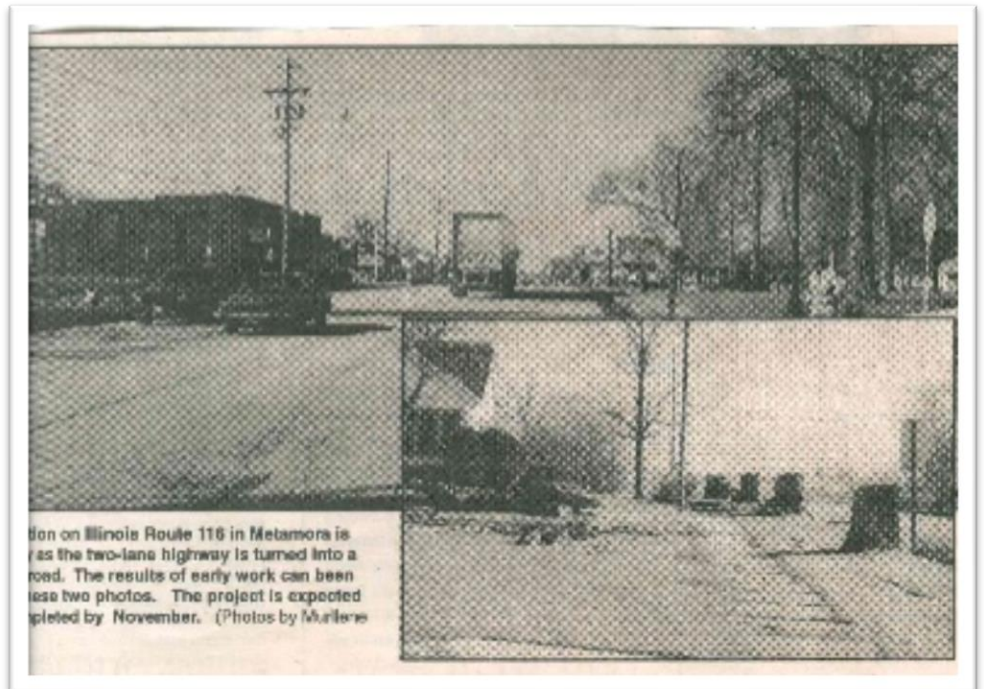
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OPEN HOUSES AT THE STEVENSON HOUSE. The next open house is August 5 and 19 from 1:00-3:00. Stop by and view history!

Many Thanks... To John and Eleanor Meister for their generous donation of several old tools and household items. Makes you realize how good we have it today!!

From the Files... Special thanks to Bob Remmert for sharing these pictures.

UPDATE: In the last issue, we incorrectly identified Charles and Lillian Abel's daughter as Brenda. Her name is Barbara.



1964 GRADE SCHOOL BAND -Metomora Grade School band from not-quite-so-long-ago 1964. How many musicians can you identify?



Do you remember who the band instructor was?



Metomora resident Ariens Rush helps Michelle Plack of Brimfield make a whistle using a plastic straw during Lakeview Museum's annual Summer Circus. Three members of the Rush family, including Ariens, volunteered to help during the week-long event. "We thought it would be neat to come out and do," Ariens said.



Annela Heinz, a 22 1/2 year veteran cook at St. Mary's Grade School cafeteria retired from an active cooking career June 2. The Metomora native is shown here serving up one of her best batch of cookies to hungry students.

<p>CUSTOMER COPY</p> <p>C. ROHMANN & SON COAL, GRAIN, LIVESTOCK, ETC. Phone 275</p> <p>Metomora, Ill. 61846-1947</p> <p>Name <i>Wilbur Gehring</i></p> <p>Address <i>Metomora Ill</i></p> <p>DATE <i>C.C.R. 2/20/67 ON A.C.C. PAID 0/0</i></p> <p>TYPE OF CASH <i>World Std. Chk.</i></p> <p>AMOUNT</p> <p>DUES <i>19500</i> <i>54.87</i></p> <p>ISS. <i>2500</i> <i>2000</i></p> <p>NET <i>11800</i> <i>2000</i></p> <p>YOU SAVE <i>8367.90</i></p> <p>IF PAID BY</p> <p>DEBIT <i>B. Gehring</i></p> <p>COLLECTED BY</p>	<p>MEIAMUKA IMPLEMENT CO.</p> <p>MEIAMUKA, ILLINOIS</p> <p>RECEIVED FROM <i>Wilbur Gehring</i></p> <p>DATE <i>4-11-67</i></p> <p>AMOUNT <i>2000</i></p> <p>NO. <i>03518</i></p>
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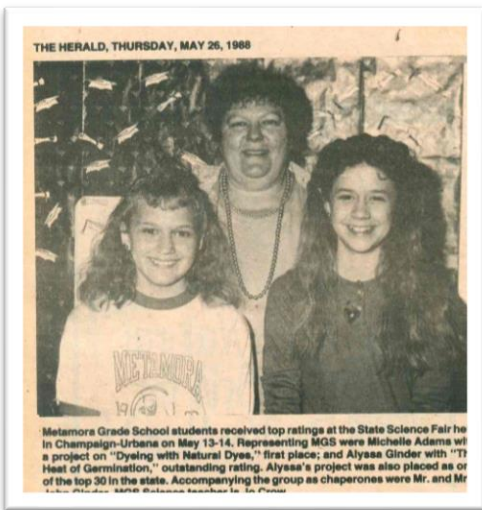
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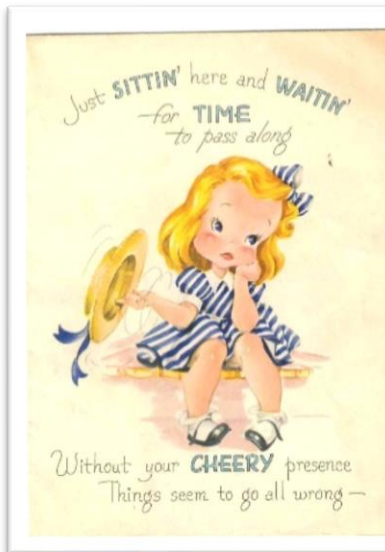
Twenty *Dollars*

No. 135 *C.R. Heinemann*



THE HERALD, THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1966

Metomora Grade School students received top ratings at the State Science Fair held in Champaign-Urbana on May 13-14. Representing MGS were Michelle Adams with a project on "Dyeing with Natural Dyes," first place; and Alyssa Ginder with "The Heat of Germination," outstanding rating. Alyssa's project was also placed as one of the top 30 in the state. Accompanying the group as chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. [Name obscured]



The Summer Reading Club of the Illinois Prairie District Library held its annual party Friday in the American Legion Hall. Mrs. Earl Hahn presents awards to Susan Adams, Lisa Alig, and Bryan Marchand. Club awards were presented and cartoons and refreshments were enjoyed by all.



St Mary's Picnic - 1947

K. of C. Hold First Annual Picnic

The Knights of Columbus, Our Lady of Sorrows council 3060, Metamora, held their first annual picnic for members and their families on Sunday afternoon of last week at St. Mary's grove. The general chairman was Henry DuBois.

At noon a basket dinner was enjoyed by more than 225 persons, and during the afternoon various contests and games were played, with prizes awarded to winners.

The Mother of Sorrows council 3060 is sponsoring a closed retreat at White House on Dec. 8. All interested should contact Grand Knight Francis Carroll.

The council is sponsoring a card party for the public on Columbus day in St. Mary's hall at 7:30 o'clock. This will also be Communion day for the council, whose members will attend the 8 o'clock Mass in a body at St. Mary's, Metamora. The same custom will be observed for the members residing in Washburn and Roanoke parishes.

The Te Deum Forum committee for St. Mary's parish is: Francis Carroll, Russell Shea, and Lambert Stickelmaier.

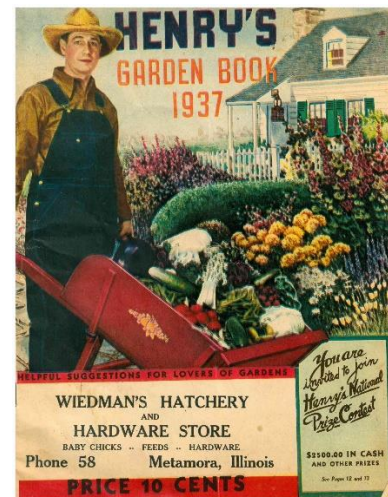


These pictures are from Magdalen Hagemann's book. In the picture on the right, Magdalen is in the second row right in the floral dress. In the middle of the second row is Rose Fandel (later Mrs. Joseph M. Hagemann) of Henry, IL. Rose was the daughter of John G. and Mary Veronica (Blum) Fandel.

The pictures were taken at a wedding believed to be in the 1925-35 time frame. Can anyone help with the names or the date? (The pictures were provided by one of our favorite readers, Larry Hagemann)



So far, the following band members have been identified as: Rudy Atig, still by bass drum; Harvey Mar seated third from right; J. Voelker, Sr., sitting behind snare drum; two of the clarinetists are probably C. Hindson and Glenn Tant. The bass player might be Henry Parker.



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