

## Retailers want architectural style for business district

Discussion of the styles of architecture which might be used in the development of the Eureka central business district was the theme at the meeting of the Eureka Retailers Association at their semi-annual meeting Thursday night at the Chanticleer.

Suggestions included early American, modern, Swiss, Dutch, English and Greek. It was suggested that the style to be adopted should harmonize with the courthouse and that the prospective post office should be considered.

One suggestion was that the board of directors employ an architect to consider the question and submit sketches illustrating various possibilities. It is hoped that an architectural style can be adopted which will be suitable for both new buildings and the construction of new fronts on old ones.

LELAND GENE PARSONS and Kenneth Ulrich were elected to the board of directors of the association. They will replace Paul Gangloff and

Bill Bowald, whose terms have been completed. Virgil Chambliss, president, introduced Clarence Dickey for a report on the plans for improvement of Route 117.

Bowald reported on the status of the association's parking lot which was constructed with space to rent to members so that business owners' and employees' autos would not take up street parking space. Fourteen spaces are being used but five are available for rental.

Bowald also informed the members that the board of directors had taken an action that the association would not as a body take any position for or against the requested commercial zoning in the Lakeview area. Testimony at the zoning hearing, he said, was by individual business men.

Leland Zimmerman, promotion chairman, reported that the directors at their next meeting expect to set up the schedule of special promotions which will be advertised in 1971 through the New Era.



J. J. McHale (Kevin Locke), on the right, leads Joe Ferrone (Mike Lopata) back to Sylvia Barret's (Barbara Riley with back to camera) classroom. Other students shown at the left are Alice Blake (Debbie Schaal), Carole Blanco (Donna Knapp) and Linda Rose (Jane Grieder).

## Play spotlights teacher's problems

The problems beginning and experienced teachers face in the inner city school are spotlighted Friday and Saturday night in an all school production at Eureka High of "Up the Down Staircase". Curtain time is 8 p.m.

Sylvia Barret's (Barbara Riley) first class is chaotic, a sign of what's to come. Counseled by an older teacher, Bea Schachter (Rose Klaus), she also has a friend, Ellen (Cathy Allan), in whom to confide.

A dedicated teacher, Sylvia is sensitive to the problems of students like Joe Ferrone (Mike Lopata) and Alice Blake (Debbie Schaal).

A pompous school principal (Roger Gerber) is one of her trials, while Paul Barringer (Jerry Blunier), a fellow teacher, becomes a friend. Another discipline loving administrator is J. J. McHale (Kevin Locke), the assistant principal.

Other cast members include

Connie Miller, Becki Johann, Susan Allan, Ron Sears, Debbie Blunier, Con Willey, John Teagarden, Donna Knapp, Sue Miller, Norman Littlejohn, Jane Grieder, Randy Harnish, Debbie Hart, Bob Brandon, Gro Vitterson, Chris Hart, Gretchen East, Ken Coulter, Ed Klaus, Trish Grimm, Beth Spence, and Kathy Fehr.

Dramatics coach is Miss Sandra Leman of the high school faculty.

## United Fund goes over its goal

Eureka United Fund went over the top in its recent drive, with subscriptions and gifts of \$10,800, representing 112 percent of its goal.

This total was reported this week by Frederick J. Mall and Gerald Moritz, chairman.

Persons who served on the teams for the campaign were: Leroy Hines, zone chairman; Mrs. G. McGuire, Mrs. R. Payne, Mrs. S. Stanley, Mrs. G. Nooner, Mrs. A. Binder, R. Hinshaw, C. O'Marah, L. Locke, G. Dewees, Mrs. F. Gerber, K. Cable, Mrs. R. Teagarden, Mrs. A. Ritchie, Mrs. H. G. Smith, Mrs. M. Steffen, E. Bittner, Mrs. G. Ehling.

Mrs. W. Hohulin, zone chairman; Mrs. R. Moody, Mrs. E. Sancken, Mrs. W. Anlicker, R. Gustin, Mrs. Betty McCanness, C. Lehmann, C. Byrnes, William Eastman, C. E. Osborne, Mrs. J. Phifer, Sharon Grusy, Mrs. James Martin, Mr. and Mrs. J. Banwart, Mrs. L. Roth, Mrs. W. Brandon, Mrs. R. Humbert, Mrs. E. Riley, H. Reesman, Mrs. K. Collins, Mrs. W. Ludeman.

Mrs. M. Kennel and Mrs. M. Grusy, zone chairman; Rosemary Hartter, Mrs. Marge Johnson, Helen Kinder, Mrs. I. Bauman, Elsie Watkins, Mrs. H. Wettstein, Mrs. Ann Quast, Mrs. Mike Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Swigart, zone chairman; Mrs. Pauline Locke, Mrs. Joanne Milke, Mrs. Jeanette Dehnstosel.

Mrs. Kaywin Hodel, zone chairman; Mrs. Diana Chambliss, Mrs. Thomas Eckart, James Witter, zone chairman; William Klaus, Don Litwiler.

Duane Nussbaum, zone chairman.

Ray Heitzman, zone chairman; Mrs. R. Yoder, Mrs. Bob Smith, Mrs. Lester Garber, Mrs. Roger Fehr, Mrs. R.

## 18-year-olds may register

Those persons over 18 years of age having resided in the state one year, Woodford County 90 days and in their precinct 30 days can register in the county clerk's office during office hours. The township clerks in each township have been deputized to register anyone meeting the requirements starting Nov. 12 through Jan. 7.

## Dinner planned for athletes

With the closing of the cross country and football season at Eureka High School, athletes, parents, administration, faculty, cheerleaders, and team managers will get together at a potluck supper Nov. 24 in the Davenport school gym at 6 p.m. As in the past, the school will furnish the meat and drink.

Trophies in several categories are to be awarded. Also to be named is the most valuable football player, the most outstanding line man, and the tackle making the most tackles in the season.

New this year will be a trophy for the most outstanding runner in cross country.

Spirer, Wayne Schertz, Eldon Locke, Dayton Springer, Earl Underwood, Clarence Onnen. Richard Leiken, zone chairman; George Hearne, Frank Myers, Charles Stiles, Phil Ruppel, William Bowald, Jack Keller, Ed Roberts, Melvin Bell, Wayne Wettstein, Manny Ulrich, Rick Wuethrich.

Miss Jeanette Schumacher, zone chairman; Mrs. J. Stalton, Mrs. H. Ridge, Mrs. C. Younger, Mrs. W. Mette, Mrs. E. Lauterbach, Mrs. O. Johnson, Mrs. E. Wernsman, Mrs. E. Kamp, Mrs. G. Schumacher, Mrs. F. Hickman, Mrs. P. Schroder, Mrs. H. E. Murphy, Mrs. Eli Fisher, Mrs. E. Myers, Mrs. Donna Morrow, Mrs. Ada Brubaker, Mrs. Alma Brubaker, Mrs. C. Ludwig, Mrs. C. Woods.

## Sanders nominated Coach of the year

At a meeting this week of the Greater Peoria Area Football Coaches Association, Jim Sanders, Eureka High School head coach and athletic director, was nominated for the title "Coach of the Year".

Five other area mentors were nominated to compete with Sanders for the title. The winner will be announced at

the Dec. 11-12 Football Clinic in Peoria.

In his first year at Eureka High the former Spalding assistant has a record of seven wins, one loss and one tie. His team placed second in the Illinois Conference.

Mr. Sanders, his wife Joanne and their family live on Pearson Ave. in Eureka.

## Speech tourney to be on Jan. 25

At a dinner meeting Monday night plans are to be made for an area high school speech tournament scheduled for Jan. 23, 1971, at Eureka College.

Don Littlejohn, speech instructor at the college, is general chairman of the contest. Detail work is to be handled by the county regional service education office.

According to Don Hawthorne of the education office, 12 high schools have shown interest in participating in such a competition.

## MIKE JOHNSON HOME FROM VIETNAM

Michael Johnson, son of Mrs. Don Littlejohn, returned last week from a year's tour of duty in Vietnam.

His leave will be over on Dec. 15 when he reports to Fort Benning, Ga. The young man has one more year of service in the armed forces.

## Phone bills will be in new form

John C. Brantingham, the General Telephone Company of Illinois manager for this area, has announced that the company will implement a new customer records and billing system in the Eureka area beginning with customer billing issued November through December.

The conversion from the present billing system to the new system will require from 60 to 90 days.

Changes will be made on the monthly bill format so that the customer will find it more complete and easier to understand. Each customer will receive with his new, invoice style bill a payment card that is to be returned with his remittance.

## Crow and Guild to give concert

A concert featuring "CROW" and the "GUILD" will be held at the new Eureka College Reagan field house on Friday, Dec. 4, at 8 p.m. The concert is to be part of the dedication activities centered around the opening of the new Eureka College facility. An admission will be charged.

## Auto pins Krause to tree

A 26 year old Minonk resident, Emil J. Krause, was injured Nov. 12 when he lost control of his car which struck a tree roadside on Rt. 116 about 4 1/2 miles east of Rockton.

Krause was pinned in his auto which was pulled away from the tree by about 30 bystanders. He was taken to St. Francis Hospital where he was listed in fair condition.

The Eureka Rescue Squad was called to the scene and helped with operations.

## Miss Wilson injured when auto hits pole

An accident three miles north of route 150 on the Deer Creek blacktop last Thursday night sent a 19 year old Washington woman to Methodist Hospital with head cuts and broken ribs.

Miss Alice J. Wilson, 508 Walnut, was pinned in her car for an hour and a half after it went out of control and struck a utility pole.

She was northbound when she apparently lost control of the wheel and struck the pole. The Washington Rescue Squad removed her from the car.

## Reagans will attend dedication

Dedication of the new Reagan Physical Education Center on Wednesday, Dec. 9, will bring California Governor Ronald Reagan and his brother Neil to the Eureka College campus.

Tentatively, ceremonies will begin at 4 p.m. in the main gymnasium of the building with Bob Pettit, former National Basketball Association star, as the main speaker.

This is the second visit in the past few years for Gov. Reagan, who was on campus in 1967 for the dedication of Melick Library.

## Brown appointed to new position

Robert C. Brown, 809 S. Main, has been appointed director of technical facilities, a newly created position, at Caterpillar Tractor Co. The appointment was announced Monday.

R. R. Robinson of Morton, associate director of research since 1963, will replace Mr. Brown as director of research. The appointments are effective Jan. 1, 1971.

## School board will attend sessions

Members of school unit district 140 board of education, Donald Magee, superintendent of the school district, Keith Middleton and personnel from the Middleton architectural firm in Normal will be in Chicago Saturday to attend sessions of the State School Board convention.

To be headquartered in the Sherman House the three day meet will feature Donald V. Strong, superintendent of the Arlington Heights Elementary Schools; John Neimayer, president of a New York City college; and Lowell Fisher of the North Central Association. Many topics will be explored from school and community relations to collective bargaining.

Alf E. Grusy, Karen S. Habbs, Floyd R. Hall, James R. Harnish, Mrs. Bill Hart, Mrs. Gilbert Hasenyager, Gilbert Hasenyager, Thurman J. Hinrichsen, Kaywin C. Hodel, James D. Hoff, Roland E. Hoffman, K. D. Hohulin, Robert E. Hohu, J. David Johnson, Robert Kaiser, Mrs. Donald Kamp, Gary M. Kanarr, Mrs. Frank Kennell, Joseph Klaus, Mrs. George A. Knapp, James W. Lehman, Sandra K. Leman, Mrs. Gerald Leman, Vernon L. Leman, Carl E. Miller, Mrs. Herschell Mooberry, Robert Morris.

Clara E. Nohl, Dean I. Nohl, Ivan J. Nohl, Wilbur D. Packard, Leland G. Parsons, Bates J. Prather, Harry B. Locke, Steve J. Locke, William M. Sager, Douglas D. Schertz, Lorine A. Schumacher.

Richard W. Snyder, Dorothy L. Smith, Melvin Stoller, Mrs. Robert Stoller, Tom L. Stoller, Clifford D. Strubhar, Clayton J. Ulrich, Elmer O. Ulrich, John D. Wuethrich.

Merle F. Wuethrich, Clarence Wenger, Mrs. Owen West, Cathryn A. Wettstein, Wayne C. Wettstein, Willis R. Wettstein, Thomas L. White, Mrs. Gordon Whittington, Elton E. Wiegand, Mrs. Elton Wiegand, Robert L. Wiegand, David L. Witzig, Mrs. Kenneth Yaeger, and Howard L. Zobrist.

## Income tax funds will be used to reduce tax levy

Consideration and adoption of budget appropriations and tax levies occupied the morning session of Thursday's meeting of the Woodford County board of supervisors. Appropriations in the amount of \$898,250 were passed by the board, an increase of \$36,400 from last year.

However, the tax levy approved a total of \$450,350, a lower figure than last year's \$499,600.

The biggest single factor in reducing the levy is a \$40,000 addition to the general fund from state income tax monies returned to the county. The board's finance committee will decide how to use an additional \$30,000 of state tax money.

A rise in budget needs in the general corporate fund from \$428,400 to \$467,700 reflects the addition of a part-time sanitation officer for the county, the hiring of a microfilm operator, increased mileage, printing, and office costs.

In other funds appropriation increases are as follows: Illinois Municipal Retirement, \$44,000, up from \$35,000; civil defense, \$5,750, up from \$1,300 due to equipment purchases; dependent children, \$8,500, up from \$6,000; tuberculosis, \$22,400, up from \$21,900 due to increased cost for care of patients.

APPROPRIATIONS for all other funds either remained the same or were slightly lower. These include the county audit fund, county highway, federal aid matching tax fund, county bridge fund, mentally deficient persons, and the complete elimination of the county offices fund.

In other money action salaries of recently elected county officials were set at \$11,000, up from \$9,000. Voting "no" on the raises were Howard Heinold, Lloyd Wagner, Erwin Beenders, Elmer Gerjets, Harold Crump and Arthur Sparks.

Salaries for two janitors were raised from \$4,748 to \$5,500, effective Dec. 1. The cost of living increase or decrease provision will go into effect Jan. 1, 1972.

The state's attorney's office was also allowed \$3,600 for pay for clerical help, effective Dec. 1.

## Zoning action upheld

A lengthy afternoon session included two recommendations from the Woodford county zoning board of appeals.

The first, denial of a petition from Don Litwiler and Gerald Smith asking that a portion of their property in Lakeview Acres be changed from residential "CS" status to commercial, was upheld by vote of the board.

Litwiler and Smith spoke for themselves, while Don Pioretti represented the objectors.

Voting to uphold the recommendation of the zoning board and deny the rezoning were Francis Kull, Maynard Durst, Leland Klein, Erwin Beenders, Arthur Sparks, Les Garber and Harold Crump.

Voting to deny the recommendation were John Wuethrich, Leonard Stonier, Lloyd Wagner, Arthur Garber, Ivan Beavers, Howard Heinold, Bob Hocker, Lawrence Guard, Elmer Gerjets and Erwin Beenders. A three-fourths majority of 13 votes were needed to overturn the recommendation of the zoning board.

Chairman Art Garber ruled that the vote of the supervisors to deny a special use for a landing strip on the property of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schertz, El Paso, overruled the recommended approval of this request by the Woodford county zoning board of appeals. Whether or not a 3/4 majority vote was needed in this case is subject to a decision by the state's attorney.

Use of the landing strip by Schertz in his crop dusting business was objected to by neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rundles, Mr. Hospelhorn and others, represented by Eureka attorney Sam Harrod.

Among the communications read by the county clerk, Cecil Nohl, was a letter of resignation from Richard Dickinson Jr., the county zoning administrator. Mr. Dickinson will leave his post as of Dec. 1.

The board of supervisors appointed Curtis Pelz, Washington, to the Woodford county Housing Authority Board; approved a request of the Eureka Rescue Squad to sponsor its application for a federal grant of \$2400 to buy equipment; gave the go ahead on the formation of a Council on Environmental Quality for Woodford County to be headed by Mike Sager; approved the purchase of surety bonds for newly elected officers from Joe Isoardi, Roanoke; and heard a report that local garbage haulers are meeting with sanitation officer, C. E. Skogley, to work out disposal problems.

## John Gerber returns from Vietnam

John Gerber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gerber of Eureka, has returned from service in Vietnam. He arrived home Nov. 9. While on his way Spec. 5 Gerber happened to meet and had a chance to visit with Spec. 4 Dale Rhodes, who is with the 7-11 Arty., at Da-Nang, Vietnam. Gerber was serving with the 2-14 Infantry while at Vietnam.

## Edward Schertz pilots mission plane



Joseph Fabick president of Wings of Hope of St. Louis, presents key to new aircraft for mission duty in New Guinea to pilot Edward Schertz of Lowpoint as Wings of Hope secretary-treasurer. William Edwards and E. A. DaRosa, faculty chairman of the Southern Illinois University Aviation Technology program near Carbondale, smile approval. Schertz, a graduate

of both pilot and maintenance training in the SIU program, flew the plane from Southern Illinois Airport, where Wings of Hope delivered the craft, to New Orleans, where it was crated for shipment by boat to New Guinea. There it will be used as a mission plane at Wewak to fly food and medicines to remote areas, and move out persons who need

hospitalization. Planes cut 150 time from one week to 20 minutes. Wings of Hope is a non-profit group that obtains donations to buy planes, pay salaries of the combination pilot-maintenance people, and provide transportation of the planes to their destinations. Schertz will leave in December to fly a Wings of Hope mission plane into remote areas of Peru, South America.



During the annual meeting of township officials at Peoria last week Rivinus, Inc., was one of the manufacturers who had the opportunity to display road machinery. The company introduced two new products—the trailers for hauling heavy equipment and Wing Gate which is an extension onto

the moldboard. Peoria Tractor loaned a 120 Caterpillar Motor Grader on which a Snow Wing, Wing Gate, Push Block, Hyd. Moldboard Tilt, and R400 Trencher Loader were displayed. Also, a set of Clamp-On Forks was mounted on the bucket of a 941 Traxicavator.