

# Historic restoration started in Camden

At his installation in January, the new worshipful master of Camden's Mt. Zion Masonic Lodge No. 211, Fred Hartman, urged the members to support his plan to restore and repair the brickwork on the fraternity's building this year. The members agreed to do so at the March meeting and authorized funding for Twin Lakes Tuckpointing of Monticello to start the necessary repairs on the building that has graced Camden's Main Street since 1902. In light of the building's historic significance to the community and the state, the lodge has applied for a grant from the SIA Foundation of Lafayette to aid in meeting the financial obligation for the restoration work.



**Cheryl Milburn  
Burlington 566-3453**

Kiwanis Club will meet Saturday morning at 7:30 for breakfast and meeting at the fire station. The SCA group from Purdue will give a demonstration to youth at 1 p.m. Saturday at Burlington Church of Christ. Everyone is invited to attend. The United Methodist Cluster Lenten Breakfast will be held at 8 a.m. Sunday at the Michigantown church. United Methodist Women will meet at 1:30 p.m. Monday at the church. Maundy Thursday Service at the United Methodist Church

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will be March 20 at 7:30 p.m. Crossroads Community Christian Church will have a Palm Sunday dinner and Easter egg hunt following services on Sunday. Holy Week services at Crossroads Community Christian Church will include Maundy Thursday, March 20, at 7:30 p.m. and Good Friday, March 21, at 7 p.m. Youth and sponsors from Crossroads Christian Church recently went on a weekend ski trip to South Haven, Mich. Participating were Adam, Elizabeth and Adyn Ayres, Jay and Kim Bordner, Ashley Bordner, Brian Bordner, Kaylea Bordner, Jason Spann, Caleb

## Washington Twp.

**Marilyn Hile  
Deer Creek 859-4871**

The Rev. and Mrs. Dave Heron have moved into their new home in Deer Creek. He will have his first service at Deer Creek Presbyterian Church on Palm Sunday. Everyone is invited to attend. A Style Show & Brunch will be held at the Deer Creek Community Center on Saturday at 10 a.m. All proceeds will go to the Center. Faith Lutheran Church will have a soup and sandwich supper for Lent on Wednesday evening starting at 6 p.m. Lenten service will follow at 7 p.m. Choir practice will immediately follow. Everyone is welcome to attend the supper and service. March 16 is Palm Sunday and both churches will have special services. Faith Lutheran will have a fellowship time following worship service. A birthday celebration will be held for Don Catt at the Deer Creek Community Center on March 22 from 2 to 4 p.m. This is to celebrate his 80th birthday. No gifts, but cards would be appreciated. The party is being hosted by his family.

## Looking Back

**From the files of Hoosier Democrat, Delphi Journal, Journal-Citizen and Carroll County Comet. Photo provided by Carroll County Historical Museum.**

### 10 YEARS AGO

A new commercial center may be on the horizon for Delphi. At the Area Plan Commission meeting, the preliminary plat for a 32-acre business park was accepted. The proposed location is on U.S. 421, south of Delphi, near Indiana Packers and Express Car Wash. The park, Delphi Commercial Park, as proposed by the developer, Concord Corner, Inc., would be split into 13 lots initially. Names of businesses interested in the park have not been released to the public, but would include retail stores and a warehouse. According to Executive Director Bill Brown of Carroll County Economic Development Commission, a business park area would provide an excellent opportunity for Delphi. One of the yet unnamed stores would employ as many as 50 people.

**25 YEARS AGO**  
As mercury climbed into the 70's last week, area farmers took advantage of the early thaw and broke ground the first week of March. Keeping busy is part of Eve Davidson's daily regimen to keep active during her retirement. She received the honor of "Sagamore of the Wabash" for her service to the Governor's Advisory Board for the Indiana Veterans Advisory Home. Governor Robert D. Orr appointed Lee R. Thompson of

Delphi, as judge of Delphi City Court.

Sunday, March 27, will be "Bill Perigo Day" in Delphi to honor Perigo and his family after his induction into the Indiana Basketball Hall of Fame on March 24.

### 50 YEARS AGO

The alarm box at the Camden Bank, works. And what's more, the sheriff's department reacts to it with dispatch. Sheriff Sparkey Carey can testify to this as the result of a speedy departure from town last Friday noon. Sirens screaming and engine racing, the sheriff took off for Camden in answer to a message that the bank had been robbed. With all this activity going on, it was a let-down to find that someone in the bank had tripped the alarm accidentally. Bob Hall and Bob Pearson brought back the evidence that

fishing is good in Florida. They caught 440 pounds while deep sea fishing near Homestead, with a variety of kinds including a 33 pound Grouper and several 15 to 18 pounders.

### 75 YEARS AGO

It is the expectation of the Union State Bank, Delphi's only financial institution, and other Carroll county banks that they will reopen for a resumption of banking operations next Friday morning.

"As far as we can foresee," said Chas. B. Shaffer, president of the bank, yesterday forenoon, "we will resume banking operations at the usual time for opening business Friday morning."

"We do not know under what restrictions we will be permitted to resume business. We are holding ourselves in readiness, however, to begin rendering such banking service as may be

authorized, beginning at the time mentioned.

"That in the interim between now and then some plan of operations will have been worked out in Washington for adoption by banks generally, we think we are safe in assuming. We know nothing as yet, of course, as to what the details of that plan will be."

### 100 YEARS AGO

At the regular monthly meeting of the stockholders of the Camden Co-operative Telephone Company much business of importance was disposed of. The trustees were instructed to buy a home for the telephone company. In all probability a lot will be bought and a building suitable for the business will be built thereon. The salary of the secretary was raised from \$20 to \$60 per year and he was allowed \$40 for extra work last year.



**Men in front of Harve Hoshaw Barber Shop, east side of square, Delphi, 1932; Bert Mayhill on far right**

## Police & Fire Calls

Police reports are gathered from available records on file at local police departments. This information is a matter of public record and does not imply guilt or innocence. Information for fire reports is also gathered from reports on file with local fire departments.

### Delphi Police Dept.

March 4 - Domestic battery, 404 N. Union St. Jessie J. Hibbs, Delphi, was battered. Officer David Yeager responded.  
March 5, 4:45 a.m. - Property damage, Dairy Queen parking lot. Kevin L. Sparks while driving a 2007 International snow plow backed into a light pole. Officer Paul Vondrasek responded.  
March 9 - Warrant service, National Guard Armory. Christopher M. Pederson, 18, Kokomo. Warrant served at the Armory for a subject on weekend training. Yeager responded.

### Sheriff's Dept.

#### Criminal/non-criminal reports

Feb. 29, 9:03 a.m. - Theft, 6400 block of N. CR285W. Charles Burgdorff, Rockfield, reported a vehicle in his driveway was entered without authorization. Maj. Tobe Leazenby investigated.  
Feb. 29, 2:15 p.m. - Criminal information, 3700 block of S. CR350E. John Denmark, Bringhurst, reported Internet scam. Leazenby investigated.  
March 1, 10:22 a.m. - Theft, 7930W CR50S. Cell phone taken from a vehicle at the Thomas J. Lynch residence. Sgt. Dennis Randle investigated.  
March 1, 4:58 p.m. - Criminal information, 2500 block of N. SR29. Credit card fraud reported in Carrollton Township. Deputy Jay Schimmel responded.  
March 2, 12:32 a.m. - Assisting another agency, 700 block of N. CR1150N. Assisted ISP in a leaving the scene. Schimmel re-

sponded.

March 2, 11:37 a.m. - Criminal mischief, 491S. CR 200E. Mailbox damage reported at a residence. Randle investigated.

March 2, 3:19 p.m. - Harassment, 42W. CR900N. Harassing telephone calls and criminal mischief reported. Randle investigated.

March 5, 1:11 a.m. - Driving while suspended/prior, SR25 at CR300N. Jose Rosendo Reyes-Briseno, 25, Logansport was issued a summons to appear in court. K-9 Deputy Tony Liggett responded.

March 5, 6:30 a.m. - Vehicle impoundment, SR25 north of SR218. Randle responded.

March 5, 12:19 a.m. - Burglary, 7593S. Prince William Rd., Rossville. Collectible coins and other items missing from a residence reported. Det. Steve Mullin investigated.

March 5, 2:25 p.m. - Identity deception, CR100N. Henry Benitez, Hawaii, reported that an employee of Indiana Packers Corporation was using his name and personal information for employment. Deputy Mike Thomas investigated.

March 5, 2:53 p.m. - Death investigation, 6467N. CR1200W., Monticello. Gary Burt, 75, was pronounced deceased by corner Jerry Reinke after being found unresponsive. Leazenby responded.

Property damage reports  
Feb. 26, 4:30 p.m. - CR350 near CR150S. Kali N. Cline, 18, Cutler. Thomas responded.

March 3, 3:30 p.m. - CR900W at CR1100N. Jennifer L. Parrish, 18, Monticello. Deputy John Chapman responded.

March 4, 7:25 p.m. - CR100N

near CR450W. Brittney N. Mundy, 18, Camden. Deputy Zachary Hall responded.

March 5, 8:19 a.m. - CR400E near SR218. Ricky C. Burge, 55, Bringhurst. Randle responded.

March 5, 2:48 p.m. - CR800W near CR200S. Serena J. Maxwell, 27, Camden. Det. Kevin Hammond responded.

March 6, 2:25 p.m. - 2451W CR750S. Norma G. Martin Elsea, 70, Cutler. Randle responded.

March 6, 2:50 p.m. - 6531W CR800S. Bethany A. Wagoner, 26, and a vehicle owned by Lew D. and Jean A. Brower, both of Rossville. Leazenby responded.

March 9, 9:45 p.m. - SR25 near CR863N. Jeremy A. Marcum, 23, Milford and David K. Neal, 19, Lafayette. Both drivers were cited for reckless driving. Hall responded.

### Flora Police Dept.

March 3, 9:34 a.m. - A fraud report was taken at 103 N. Division St. Chief Paul Redmon

March 6, 12:15 p.m. - A vehicle driven by Michael A. Acebedo, 37, Delphi, backed into a parked vehicle owned by Joe Ayres, 78, Flora. Officer Randy Larimore investigated.

March 7, 1:10 a.m. - A report of telephone harassment was taken at 718 S. Center St. Officer Josh Disinger investigated

March 7, 10:45 a.m. - A juvenile complaint was taken at 516 E. Main St. Officer Mark Thomas investigated.

March 7, 2 p.m. - A theft report was taken at the Flora Park. The complainant stated articles were stolen from his vehicle. Thomas investigated.

March 7, 8:27 p.m. - A juvenile complaint was taken near Mohawk and Main streets. Disinger responded.

March 8, 3:10 p.m. - A juvenile complaint was taken at Flora park. Juveniles were reportedly skateboarding on the stage in the 4-H building. Thomas investigated.

March 9, 12:31 p.m. - A domestic disturbance was reported in the 200 block of E. Third St. Thomas investigated.

March 10, 9:27 a.m. - A theft report was taken at 510 S. Center St. The complainant reported a wallet missing from a vehicle. The wallet was located and returned. Redmon investigated.

March 10, 12:02 p.m. - An animal complaint was reported in the 1100 block of S. Center St. Redmon responded.

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