

## Looking Back



Ross & Elgie Maggart Barnard, ca: 1918

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### 10 YEARS AGO

A four-year long fundraising effort aimed at preserving the covered bridge at Adams Mill yielded an impressive \$85,404.31 in private funds being deposited in county coffers last week.

The historic, but dilapidated, all wooden bridge has been the subject of several attempted preservation efforts. As the grant funding process dragged out over the past four years, engineers speculated as to whether the structure would be standing when federal funds were finally released.

Donations ranging from pennies, to thousands of dollars, combined with fundraising dollars from a host of activities were held to finance the volunteer effort.

### 25 YEARS AGO

Don Craft and Greg Michael, auctioneers, have purchased an auction truck, equipped with a commercial public address system. The truck enables the auctioneers to see the bidders better, and the bidders can see and hear the auctioneers better. There are only a few such trucks in the state, according to Craft and Michael, both of Flora. They have been in the business six years and handle all kinds of auctions. They said the truck is especially helpful in farm sales.

A month-long investigation of a burglary and an arson to a residence belonging to Larry Parker, Rt. 1, Rossville, concluded with the arrest of the minister of the Delphi Pentecostal Church.

### 50 YEARS AGO

The Delphi Chamber of Commerce and co-operating merchants have developed an unusual pro-

gram to attract Christmas shoppers and friends to Delphi. Besides the traditional visit of Santa Claus with treats for the kiddies, there will be a number of portable TV sets given to the adults. Stores will be especially attractive with gift suggestions and the Christmas spirit will be reflected in beautiful decorations in the town.

### 75 YEARS AGO

725 men have applied for positions under the Civil works program in Carroll county. The total force of 310 allotted to Carroll county will be at work this week, according to Wade Farr, disbursing agent.

The payroll was made Saturday by the various road superintendent of the county except those in Deer Creek township who received their money at the court house.

Charles Meade, of Carrollton township, whose athletic aspirations at Purdue have been handicapped by injuries, and Doxie Moore of Delphi are again after berths on Coach Ward (Piggy) Lambert's Boilemaker varsity.

### 100 YEARS AGO

The mad dog scare is still raging in Delphi and every little while comes in a report of some dog having been infected with the rabies and killed. Saturday night a dog made things rather lively at Pittsburg. Nearly all the male residents of the town who were able to get out and who learned of a chase having been given John Hayden, turned out with lanterns in search of the dog.

Several mad dogs have been reported from the Lime Kiln district and some children are said to have been bitten. It is also said that Jesse Bowdle's dog became cross some time ago and after frightening the women nearly to death, was finally killed to avoid any possible danger.

## Burlington

**Cheryl Milburn  
Burlington 566-3453**

Town Council will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the town hall.

Kiwanis Club will meet Saturday morning at 7:30 for breakfast and meeting at the fire station.

College care packages will be packed Sunday at the Church of Christ. A carry-in dinner will be held, along with the annual meeting.

Members of the United Methodist Church are re-

minded to bring mittens, socks, hats, scarves for the Mitten Tree. A Christmas party will be held at 11:30 a.m. Those attending are reminded to take a \$1 gift the exchange (gender appropriate) and a side dish.

Oakland Christian Church will have a W.M.P. work day at 6:30 a.m. Dec. 10.

Classy Classics E.H. Club will hold its Christmas party on Dec. 8.

Crossroads Community Christian Church youth group will meet at 6 p.m. Sunday.

## Camden

**Mary Whitfield  
Camden 686-2553**

Camden Woman's Literary Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the United Methodist Church basement for a cookie exchange. Those attending are asked to bring two dozen cookies to taste and exchange. Jimpie Doyel will be storyteller and Mary Anna Selvidge, song leader. Hostesses will be Sharon Ashby and Helen Yeager.

Camden-Jackson Twp. Public Library board will meet at 7 p.m. Dec. 10 in the Reading Room.

United Methodist Women will meet at 6 p.m. Dec. 11 in the home of Mary Trapp for a carry-in dinner. Installation of officers will be held. Those attending are reminded to bring Temple Hall boys gifts.

Camden Town Council will meet at 7 p.m. Dec. 11 in the Reading Room.

Thanksgiving Day was enjoyed in the home of Mary Whitfield by Mary Frances Stilson, John David and Karen Whitfield, Frank Daniel, Shanell, Zackery and Chelsie Whitfield, and Goldie and George Trapp.

## Washington Twp.

**Marilyn Hile  
Deer Creek 859-4871**

Faith Lutheran Church will have a congregational meeting Sunday after worship. A vote for new council members will be taken. All members of the church are urged to attend.

The women of Faith (WELCA) will meet at the church at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday. All women of the church are invited to attend.

Faith will have Family Fun Night at the church on Friday at 6 p.m. Everyone is invited, young and old

alike. Those attending are asked to bring a covered dish to share.

Deer Creek Presbyterian Church will serve its monthly breakfast at the church Saturday Dec. 6, from 7 to 10 a.m. The benefit breakfast is to help Dan Bott who is having health problems.

There will be a carry-in dinner at 6 p.m. at Deer Creek Presbyterian Church. Bring a well-filled basket, drinks and table service will be furnished. The Rev. David and Dot Smook will share their experiences and photos from their trip to the Holy Land this year.

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## 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.

Nov. 2 - Theft, 1038 W. Bellline. Keys from the Misty Rice residence taken from inside and vehicle from outside by unknown subject. Officer David Yeager investigated.

Nov. 6 - Neglect of a dependent, 321 W. Front St. Four-year-old male child found wandering. It was later determined the child lived on Front St. and the father was in search of him. Yeager responded.

Nov. 13 - Warrant service, Carroll County Jail. James A. Snapp, 48, Lafayette. Officer Shane Bernhardt responded.

Nov. 16, 1:16 a.m. - Public intoxication, Front and Washington streets. Miguel Lucus, Delphi, was arrested. Officer Justin Wilson responded.

Nov. 17, 9:35 a.m. - 1146 E. Main St. Side window of a vehicle owned by Jean Sales, Delphi, was broken by unknown person. Bernhardt responded.

Nov. 25, 4:25 p.m. - Property damage, 123 E. Franklin St. Vehicle damaged by unknown vehicle while parked at Wallmann's Grocery Store. Sgt. Brook McCain responded.

Nov. 26, 7:57 a.m. - Property damage, S. Washington St. Edwin Cruz, 17, and Diane Coghill, 41, both of Delphi. Bernhardt responded.

Nov. 30, 12:40 p.m. - Property damage, SR25 at High St. Drew A. McCulley, 21, Walton, and Henry I. Wilburn, 63, Delphi. McCain responded.

### Property damage

Nov. 20, 10:50 a.m. - CR500S. at CR300E. Amy L. Swanke, 28, and Dennis Ingle, 58, both of Cutler. Swanke was cited for two infractions. Sheriff Tony Burns responded.

Nov. 24, 12:30 p.m. - US421 near CR1154N. Eric A. Stahl, 29, Monticello, and Brooke A. Lewis, 18, Delphi. Maj. Tobe Leazenby responded.

Nov. 24, US421 near CR900W. Robert A. Scroogs Jr., 43, and Tammy G. Merkel, 38, both of Delphi. Det. Kevin Hammond responded.

Nov. 25, 4 p.m. - SR25 at CR225W. Hector J. Guillen, 30, Logansport, and Timothy A. Popenfoose, 23, Warsaw. Deputy John Chapman responded.

Nov. 27, 10:28 a.m. - SR25 at CR750N. Kristopher A. Paulson, 27, Louisville, Ky., was cited for a misdemeanor, was treated at the scene by EMS and had a blood al-

cohol level of .064 percent. Randle responded.

### Deer crashes

Nov. 21, 7 p.m. - US321 near CR400E. Dawn L. Bentler, 37, Delphi. K-9 Deputy Mike Thomas responded.

Nov. 22, 7:28 p.m. - Meridian Line Rd. at CR1200N. Kay Stover, 49, Burnettsville. Schimmel responded.

Nov. 23, 7:37 p.m. - US421 at CR700N. Ralph L. Payne, 72, Delphi. Schimmel responded.

Nov. 24, 9:45 p.m. - CR900W. near CR650N. David Watson, 20, Delphi. Liggett responded.

Nov. 25, 12:10 a.m. - CR1050N. near CR900W. Timothy T. Seibert, 20, Monticello. Liggett responded.

Nov. 25, 6:16 p.m. - CR800W. near CR650S. Christa D. Kunkel, 25, Rossville. Liggett responded.

Nov. 27, 6:15 p.m. - SR29 near CR300S. Jean A. Grant, 76, Kokomo. Thomas responded.

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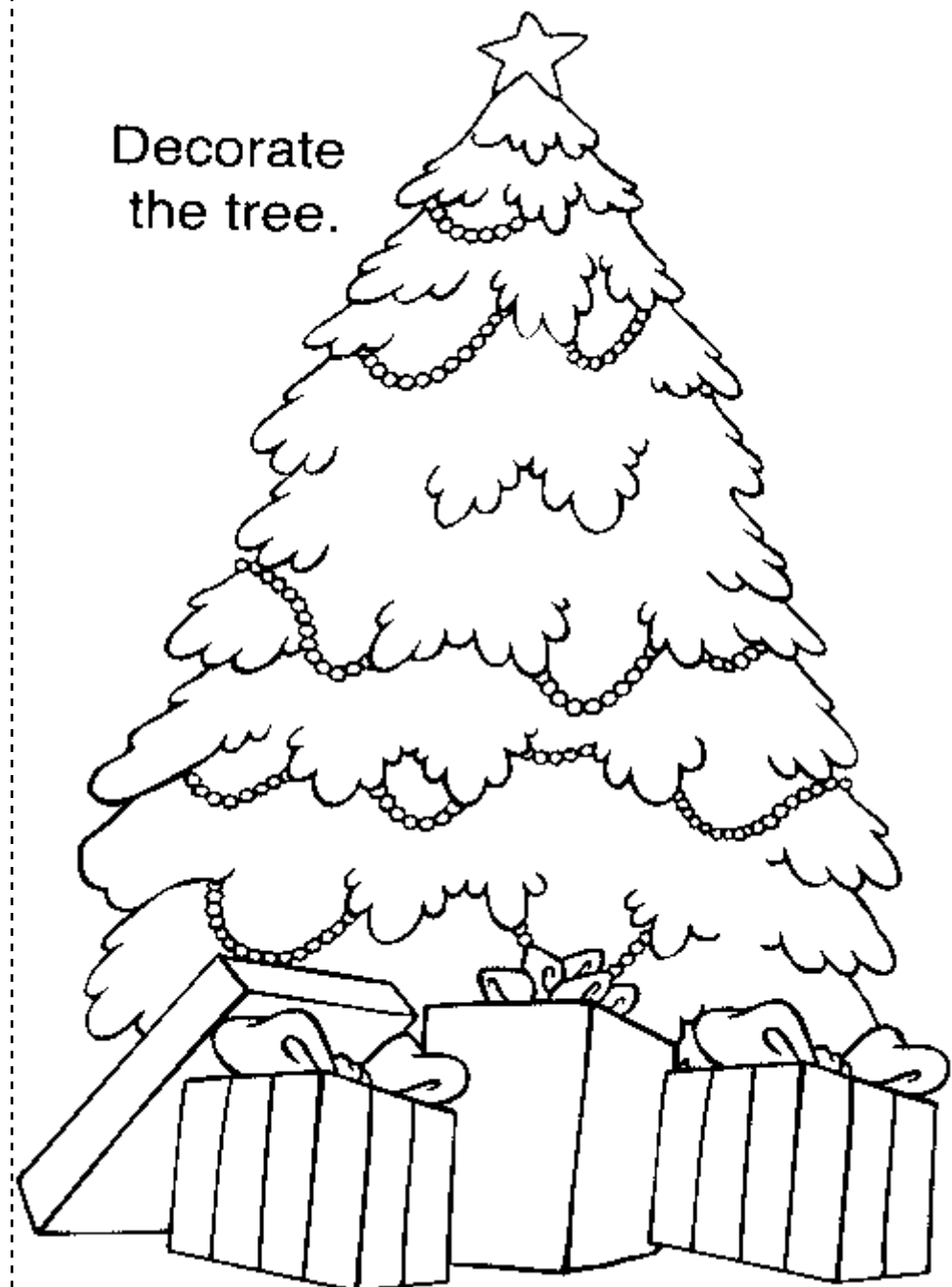
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