MAY, 1965

### Notes From The Commodore

Last month the Log included an interview with Mr. Jack Steele, lake superintendent in which some of the plans were revealed. The one item which aroused considerable comment from the membership was the proposal to establish a single water ski zone extending from about the Club to Sellers Point. I have gone on record to Mr. Steele that we urge him to reconsider this proposal since the establishment of a ski zone in the most heavily travelled area of the lake would create a considerable hazard to both the water skiers and other boats using the lake.

We express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to Dave Reynolds who most graciously donated the material and labor for the railing which is now in place on the new patio.

We now have a supply of Club pins, pocket patches for blazers and burgees and these can be purchased from Theda Smith.

Our members are reminded that DUES are DUE. Those members who hold facility assignments must pay their 1965 dues and other charges by May 15 or risk losing their assignments. Other members must take care of their dues by May 31 or suffer the embarrassment of having their names posted on June 1.

The uniform for officers and members will be "A" effective May 1, 1%5. Uniform "A" calls for white cap covers.

Com. Paul W. Holstein

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## BLYC Ladies Auxiliary News - Rusty McGinnis

The Ladies Auxiliary held their annual meeting at the Jai Lai on April 13, with 35 present. Our May meeting will be held at the Walnut Hill Country Club. \*\*\*\*

The patio party to be held on Saturday, April 24, is bound to be a gala affair. It has been planned and will be conducted by our young members. They have spent a lot of time and effort to make this an enjoyable evening. The orchestra will play from nine till one. There will be a floor show at 10:30. Let's get behind our young members, bring our friends, and come to the party. Our new patio is complete and ready for use and this is the way we can all help pay for it. \*\*\*\*\*\*\* Our annual work day is Sunday, April 25. Bring your buckets and work clothes and help put our Club in shape for the coming season. It is a lot of fun and we all work together. The chairman will be Arthelda Haggard. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

our auxiliary. For the benefit of members who were not at the last meeting, the following names and addresses are for your new directory: Theda Smith, BLYC; Margaret Ann Warren, 1125 St. Cecelia Dr., Cols 4; Madeline Martinez, 1239 Manfeld Dr., Cols 27. \*\*\*\*\*\* We have just learned that former member Bill Coffman passed away in Sarasota, Florida two or three weeks ago. Those who knew him will certainly be saddenedby this news.

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Woody and Annabelle Johnson and Charlie Schulte were at Ft. Meyers Beach at the same time as the Wilsons and the Benedicts. Naturally, they made contact with George and Alma Crites at their home in Naples and the men crewed the Crites cruiser up to Ft. Meyers Beach for three days of fishing and fun in that area. In the last Log we mentioned George Benedict's quick return from Florida due to the death of his wife's mother and upon his return to Florida after the funeral, the combination of the bright sun and a cool breeze enticed him into over exposure and a severe case of sunburn - under medical care. We are glad to report George is back in condition. \*\*\*\*\*\*

George and Alma Crites are leaving their Naples home this week to return to their winter home in Norwood Village, Circleville. \*\*\*\*\* Ernie reports the freeways to Florida are a great joy, including the breeze right through Atlanta, with no further delays. This probably means there will be more migratory birds next season. \*\*\*

Lowell Frost, who should have received a couple of awards for his outstanding contributions to the economy in the last two months, has lucked it all out. He received a phone call that he had won a new Ford Thunderbird from a contest held by "Dude" magazine and was to come to New York for the ceremonies. When they went to pick up their good fortune, they had more as Ellen won a door prize of a mink boa. Upon return, she got a telephone call from a local radio station offering her \$770. prizes if she had the radio tuned on and could answer some questions, but unfortunately, she was not lucky that time, although as a consolation prize, she received five gallons of gas and six bottles of Pepsi Cola. This was quite a comedown from the previous two experiences. Lowell still isn't even with the carpenters doing his remodeling, but certainly some of the sting has been taken out of the repair jobs. \*\*\*\*\*

HEAR YE - HEAR YE - HEAR YE - All able bodied members of the Club are requested to give serious consideration to crewing for some sailboat skipper. Dave Reynolds is general fleet captain and will gladly place those desiring crew positions for the season. The sailing adds a great deal of excitement to our summer, spring and fall seasons and you will enjoy being a part thereof. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

We understand that Eddie Wolfe is having a pheasant feast on the front porch on May 2 for the members of the Gun Club. I doubt that they are taking membership applications between now and that date, but you can try. \*\*\*\*

We regret to report that Howard H. Snyder, formerly of Fairfield Beach, lost his cottage there in a fire and has had to move to 1272 Mulford Rd., Columbus. We are certainly sorry for Howard's misfortune and we hope that the insurance companies will ease the damages somewhat.

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Did you see the big write-up in the Columbus Dispatch on William Reynolds (son of Dave and Jeny) saving a life due to his junior life saving course two years ago. He was with fellow church members from Broad Street Presbyterian Church attending a swim session at the Jewish Center pool when he bumped something in the water that he thought could be a body. He checked with another swimmer, who said he knew there was someone in deep waters. Down went Billy, with his fastest time ever to reach the bottom. Fourteen-year-old John Fippan was brought to the side of the pool and Billy was able to get him up on the deck where Mrs. Maria Stewart, the life guard on duty, was ready to go into action with mouth-to-mouth resusitation. Fippan was saved. It was the first time in 15 years that Mrs. Stewart had used her water-safety training as well. Billy is a ninth grade student at Bexley High School and learned to swim when he was four years old. During the past season he was a member of the Bexley High swim team. Billy is equally versatile with a tiller or a jib sheet. It makes us proud to have such youngsters in the Club and such good families as Dave, Jeny, Billy, Dave, Jr. and Tim aboard. \*\*\*\*\*\*

## Notes from Gov. Gil Martinez

Voted into membership on April 16 was Richard L. Hutchinson of Columbus, originally proposed by Jimmy Dressel and Sam Hays. One new applicant has been proposed for membership. Paul K. Durant (Josephine) proposed by Dean Hazlett and Bernard Morgan for active membership is a power boat type, interested additionally in swimming, fishing, bowling and dancing. Paul works for Owens Corning Fiberglass as an engineer. He lives in Newark, Ohio at 243 Vam Tassell Ave. \*\*\*\*\*\*\* At last count there have been 21 applicants proposed for membership since Oct. 1964. This includes 4 non-resident members, and leaves us 15 shy of Commodore Holstein's goal. Of particular good news is that these new applicants represent a broad spectrum of our membership proposing them. The list includes: Dwight Haggard, Newt Davis, G. A. Brawley, Sam Van Voorhis, Paul Holstein, Robert Irwin, Bill Green, Dave Reynolds, Gus Schell, Lowell Frost, Tom Boswell, Walter Rosshirt, Joseph Waldeck, Paul Doritan, Larry Greiner, Marty Headlee, Chet Thompson, Jim McLane, Paul Travis, Zane Sherman, F. B. Sproat, Claude McGinnis, Charles Schulte, Pete Burns, Ken Merrill, George Fisher, Sam Hays, Jimmy Dressel, Bernard Morgan, Dean Hazlett.

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Susan Titus will not be around for much Highlandering this season. Susan is a senior at Ohio University and has received an acting scholarship to Ohio University's Monomoy Summer Theater at Chatham, Mass., which is on Cape Cod. Therefore, her Pop is looking for Highlander crew for this season.

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\* OFFICIAL NOTICE TO ALL ACTIVE MEMBERS!

\* In accordance with the Constitution Article VI,

\* Section 4, Paragraph b, notification is made to

\* all Active Members.

\* The Semi-Annual Meeting of the Club will be held

\* May 2, 1965 at the Club. Meeting will begin

\* promptly at 3:00 PM.

\* GOV. EDWARD C. METZGER

\* Secretary-Treasurer

At the April 1st meeting of the Power Squadron our Commodore received a 25-year gold membership pin and these pins are presented by National Headquarters to those with 25 years continuous membership. He was also presented a

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framed scroll by the squadron in appreciation for his efforts in working out the financing and planning which led to the acquisition of the permanent headquarters building at 441 N. Park St. Three other members who also served on the committee received identical awards. \*\*\*\*\*

Jean and Harry Ludwig recently returned from a 5-week auto trip to California. They went out the southern route through Death Valley and returned the northern route through Wyoming. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Gail Cruikshank retired a few months ago to "Snake Hunting" at Buckeye Lake, after a long career with North American Aviation. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

It was sure good to have P/C Ken Ross back at the Club last week end, with Lillian, following his operation. He looks completely recovered and enjoying good health.

# \$168,000 In Simpson Fund

Tom Lane, administrative assistant, of the Onio Dept. of Natural Resources said there is one fund totaling \$163,213 committed to improvements at Buckeye Lake and a second one of \$250,000 to be used at Buckeye Lake or Lake Loramie.

Roughly \$168,213 remains in the Simpson fund from sale of land at the lakes several years . ago This would help get rid of stumps so the boats wouldn't hit them; & dredge the channels and get rid of the water lilies, so boats could pass thru Maple Bay.

GAME HEARING IS SET

The annual Perry county Fish and Game hearing will be held Weds., April 21 at the Somerset mayor's office at 8 p.m.

On the picture page you will notice No. 1 is the new concrete bridge over to the island. This is one of the several accomplishments of the Holstein adm. The ladies particularly approve because of the security of their high heels. No. 2 shows new member Dick Hutchinson and his wife, Sue, with their new Lightning No. 6906. No. 3 shows Dale and Bea Dupler with their grand daughter and No. 4 shows their new 22 ft. Sea Skiff, which gives them the award of the month for a major contribution to the economy. No. 5 is the Commodore in what appears to be acres and acres of patio. Actually, it is only 30 by 36 ft., but it is a magnificent gift to the Club from the Ladies Aux. The rail that he is holding on to was contributed by Dave Reynolds and the Commodore himself put up the decorative lights. No. 6 is Lil and Ernie Wilson right after Charlie Schulte told them a good joke. We are indebted again to Ken Merrill for the pictures this month and for the many other helpful contributions he makes to the Club; not the least of which was the idea to start the monthly Snake Hunters dinner. Last month there were 44 present and the last meeting of the winter season will be Friday, May 7. All are invited to have a pleasant dinner at the Club, preceded by "bring your own cocktails and hors d'oeuvres". We are particularly eager to have pictures of new members and their families in the Log. Both the editor and Ken Merrill hope each member will help us achieve this objective.

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