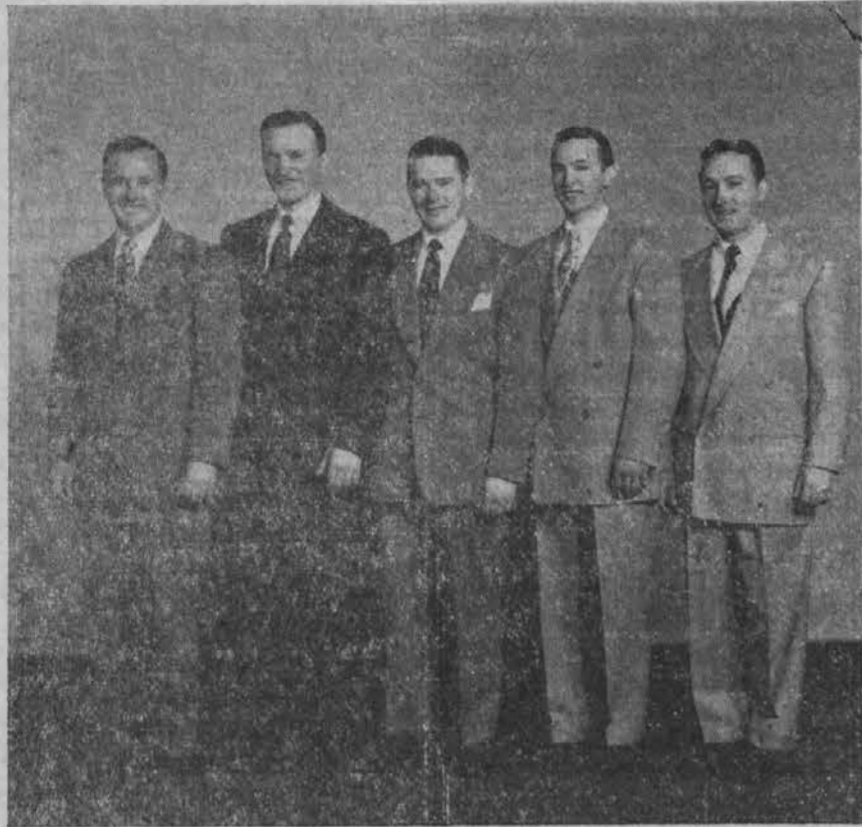


MERRY CHRISTMAS

SIMS BROS. OPEN NEW BUICK AGENCY



Euclid's first Buick agency at 18781 Lakeshore Blvd., was opened recently by brothers Frank P. and Andy A. Sims, who previously operated a used car lot for seven years at 7945 Broadway Avenue, and prior to that a lot on East 123rd and Buckeye for two years. Their agency, known as Sims Bros. Buick Inc., occupies a one story brick building with an adjacent used car lot. Frank P. Sims is

president and his brother Andy A. is secretary-treasurer.

Frank Sims, 36, is married, has three children and resides at 10311 Gay Avenue, Cleveland. His brother Andy is 31, single, and lives at 6303 Brecksville Rd., Independence. Three other brothers, Joseph, Rudy, and Stanley, and sister Mary, are in the retail furniture business. They are the sons and daughter of Joseph Simcic.

ATTEND GALA NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION

Thursday, Dec. 31st, the Slovene National Home on St. Clair Ave. will have its annual New Year's Eve celebration. Music for the occasion will be furnished by Johnny Vadnal and his orchestra.

Chicken supper with all the trimmings will be served throughout the evening in the lower hall.

Two door prizes, dancing to the fine music by Vadnal, get together with your old friends, splendid food, what more can you ask!

Let's make it a point to celebrate the old year and welcome the new, at the Slovene National Home, St. Clair Ave., Thursday, Dec. 31st.

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OBITUARIES

Azmann, John—69 years of age. Residence at 54 East 226 St. Husband of Rose, father of Earl and Mrs. Madeline Zupanic. Brother of William, Frank, Mrs. Carrie Slocum, Ida and Anna, all of Rome, N. Y.

Benigar, Frank—Residence at 5156 Wilson Mills Rd., Richmond Hts. Passed away suddenly. Age, 53 years. Member of SDZ and secretary of Lodge 173 AFU. Husband of Mary (nee Cesarek), father of Anthony. Brother of Rose Benigar, Anton Joseph and Milan.

Fier, Louis E.—Passed away after an illness of one week. 56 years of age. Residence at 19405 Mohawk Avenue. Survived by wife Rose, daughters Mrs. Betty Won and Mrs. Evelyn Roberts, step-son Frank Maklar and brothers and sisters.

Grosinic, Blaz—Age, 67 years. Residence at 513 East 152 St. Member of CFU. Survived by son John Grosinic of Littleton, Ill.

Hocevar, Joseph—Passed away in Warrensville hospital, where he was a patient for the past 10 years. 42 years of age. Son of Mary (nee Habjan). Brother of Mrs. Mary Perko, Mrs. Frances Laseak, Frank, John and Edward.

Kodrich, Mary—48 years of age. Residence in Geneva, Ohio. Member of SDZ. Wife of John A., mother of John Jr.

Ponikvar, Louis J.—of 1220 E. 61 Street. Age, 29 years. Husband of Josephine (nee Miller). Father of Sharon and Lois. Son of Joseph and Johanna Ponikvar, 1056 E. 62 Street. Brother of Ludwig, Mrs. Sophie Krasovec and Mrs. Antoinette Nosan.

Pozelnik, Joseph—Age, 60 years. Residence, 15721 Waterloo Rd. Member of SDZ, SMU, St. Clair Rifle & Hunting Club, and Euclid Rifle & Hunting Club. Husband of Angela (nee Grebenc), father of Edward and Mrs. Angela Znidarsic.

Rebek, Joseph—Passed away after a long illness. Age, 66 years. Residence at 832 East 216 St. Member of SDZ. Survived by wife Jennie (nee Gnidovec).

Schimitz, George V.—of Calcutta Ave. Husband of Catherine (nee Markovich). Father of Frank, Massilon, Ohio, George, Mike, Anthony and Mrs. Ann Hoag. Brother of Mrs. Josephine Lindic.

Sitar, Frank—58 years of age. Residence at 785 East 260 St. Member of SNPJ. Husband of Josephine (nee Bostjancic), father of Mrs. Dorothy Kodra and Martha.

Tereck, Johanna—32 years of age. Residence, 6600 Schaefer Avenue. Survived by daughters, Mrs. Jeanette Sercely, Josephine and Mrs. Victoria Wallace.

First Aid—Don't let the excitement of Christmas ease even the smallest burn or injury to go untended! Keep a complete kit of first-aid supplies handy . . . know how to use them . . . then use them promptly! And keep your doctor's and nearest hospital's numbers by your phone . . . just in case.

DRIVING HABITS WASTE GASOLINE

Enough gasoline to keep more than 4,058,000 automobiles in normal operation for one year is wasted by Americans annually through improper driving habits, according to a study by Universal C.I.T. Credit Corporation.

This estimate was based on experience gained in operating the company's own fleet of cars which travel 30 million miles a year, said Leonard M. van Noppen, operations vice president, of New York.

"Our studies show that the average driver gets about 15 miles per gallon of gasoline," van Noppen said, "but the same driver will average 16 miles per gallon after he learns how to drive economically."

Van Noppen said this average waste of one mile per gallon of gasoline means that Americans in 1952 frittered away enough gasoline to drive 40,584,530,000 miles. The average individual motorist would waste about 42 gallons of gasoline in one year, enough to travel about 667 miles.

The auto-financing company executive said that costs per mile drop when drivers observe these basic rules:

1. Don't make "jackrabbit" starts. Accelerate smoothly and shift into high gear as quickly as possible.
2. Don't speed. Moderate, steady speeds save gasoline and brakes.
3. Keep the car in top mechanical condition. Have it serviced regularly and keep tires properly inflated.
4. Don't race the engine when warming up the car or waiting for a traffic light.
5. Anticipate stops and slow down gradually.
6. Don't "ride" the clutch or brake.

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Cdr. Rudolph P. Nadbath
Mrs. Antonia Nadbath of 979 East 74 Street, was notified that her son, Navy Doctor Cdr. Rudolph P. Nadbath is now serving as medical officer on the staff of Rear Admiral Walter E. Moore, Commander Task Force 90.

Cdr. Nadbath, is a graduate of Western Reserve University, Rochester School of Medicine and the University of Iowa, and has served as associate professor and guest lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania. He is the husband of Mrs. Florence Nadbath of Oakland, California.

IN HOSPITAL

Mr. Louis Zevnik of 1035 East 69 Street, is confined to Highlandview County Hospital on Harvard Road. Visitors are not permitted.

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LODGES ELECT '54 OFFICERS

Annual lodge meetings of various organizations are being held this month, at which time officers are elected for 1954. Among the newly elected officers reported are:

Lodge 29 SDZ (Euclid) — President Joseph Macarol, Vice-President Anton Omahen, Secretary-Treasurer Frank Pozar, 23020 Tracy Ave. (RE 1-6048), Recording Secretary Ivanka Macarol and Auditors John Dodich, Vincent Kolman and John Jamnik.

Lodge 12 SDZ (Ribnica) — President Andrew Sadar, Vice-President Joseph Sankovich, Secretary Joseph Ban, 1201 East 168 St. (IV 1-2246), Treasurer Anton Debelak, 893 E. 75 Street, Recording Secretary Anton Tauzel, and Auditors Frank Debelak, Eddy Herbst and Frank Lunder.

Lodge 129 SNPJ (Lipa) — President Joseph Trebec, Vice-President Andy Skerl, Secretary Mary Stokel, 14503 Saranac Road, Treasurer John Sivec, Recording Secretary Charles Penko, and Auditors Stanley Pockar, Frank Pyke and Joe Filipich.

CONVALESCING

Convalescing at her home, after being confined to Huron Road hospital, is Mrs. Mary Tomaric, 1251 East 173 Street.

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PROMOTED

Thomas Jurkovich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Angela & Matt Jurkovich, 1470 East 175 Street, was promoted to the rank of Corporal. He is stationed in Korea. His wife, Leslie Jean, resides with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Marshall at 1370 Larchmont Road.

DANCE AT SNH

The Maccabees Red Jackets are sponsoring a dance tomorrow, Saturday, December 26th at the Slovenian National Home, St. Clair Avenue. Johnny Vadnal and his orchestra will be at the bandstand. Everyone is invited.

"PRESCRIPTION FOR LIVING"

"Prescription for Living," So-hio's state-wide television health show, will change back to its late Sunday afternoon time of 4:30 p. m., with a shift of one station, on December 27.

Dr. Bruno Gebhard, director of the Cleveland Health Museum, one of the sponsors of this popular weekly health series, will be guest medical authority on the program entitled "Live Longer—and Like It."

The show, now in its second year, will be carried on the following stations at 4:30 p. m.: Cincinnati WKRC Channel 12; Cleveland WXEL Channel 8; Columbus WBNS Channel 10 (new); Dayton WHIO Channel 7; Youngstown WKBN Channel 27; Zanesville WHIZ Channel 50.

It is presented as a service to all Ohio by The Standard Oil Company (Ohio) in cooperation with the Academy of Medicine and the Health Museum in Cleveland. Warren Guthrie is moderator, with unique exhibits and models provided by the Health Museum.

BIRTHS

Twin boys were born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and Mary Sommers (Somrak) of California. Mother is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Zivoder, East 74 Street, who became grandmother for the sixth time. Mrs. Mary Somrak of 994 East 74 Street, became grandmother for the tenth time. Mr. and Mrs. Sommers have recently moved to their new home at 115 Suraway Drive, San Mateo, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley and Josephine Rotter of 19605 Kewanee Avenue, are announcing the birth of a baby boy, named Terry their second child. Mr. and Mrs. John Ludvik of 20331 Naumann Avenue, became grandparents for the fourth time. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rotter of 19608 Kildeer Avenue, are grandparents for the second time.

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