

V. 9 No. 1

Sept. 1966

# The Town Crier

WANTED:

## Members and Guests

to hear ALLEN STROSS, Your Photographer, discuss the Historic American Building Survey, Central Michigan Project. MR. STROSS will bring with him slides and a photographic display. This meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. at the Lansing Y.W.C.A., 217 Townsend Street.

This program promises to let us catch some of the new excitement about architecture and historical preservation that has not been prevalent in other years.

WANTED:

## News, Views, and Activities

of members of the Historical Society of Greater Lansing. Share your discoveries, activities, and interests with us via The Town Crier. Send materials to Ruby Jennings, 730 Downer, Lansing 48912

WANTED:

## Your Name and Address

for the new historic map, Michigan's Historical Attractions. Send your request for a free copy to Michigan Historical Commission, Michigan Dept. of State, Lansing, Michigan 48918.

According to Secretary of State James M. Hare, the new map... a revised edition of the 1965 publication... lists every significant historic site in Michigan. Several new photographs have been added, including one of the recently opened Indian Dormitory on Mackinac Island. This new map lists thirty additional historic buildings, museums, and sites, as well as a brief summary of Michigan history, and other items of historical interest.

WANTED:

## People Interested in Biography

Allen Stross is a native Michigander, born in Detroit and educated in the Detroit Public Schools, studying art at Cass Technical High School.

After service in the Navy during World War II, he attended the Art Center School of Photography in Los Angeles. After living in California for five years, he returned to Michigan and worked as a portrait photographer for the J. L. Hudson Company. In 1958 he entered the business of commercial photography.

Mr. Stross' interest in photography dates back to the age of 12, and it is this interest combined with his interest in journalism (he has a degree in journalism from WSU) which enabled him to achieve such excellence in the field of architectural photography.

WANTED:

## Calendar Space for These Dates

September 10 The Marshall Episcopal Church is having a historic house tour. There will be an antique sale and a special luncheon at Schulers. The luncheon menu will be from recipes used in some of the houses on the tour.

September 23 - 24 The Historical Society of Michigan will hold its annual meeting in Lansing. Sessions are open to the public. Registration fee is \$2.00.

October 20 Dr. Jacobson, MSU, will discuss some of the exciting events taking place in research now being carried on by himself and/or his graduate students. Remember this next meeting date! Thursday, October 20, at the Lansing Public Library, Gallery, Room C.