

Merry Christmas to everyone

I was cleaning some papers out
and I came upon this. My mother
~~Ruby~~ (Ruby Edmonds) wrote this out
about to village of Eagle.

and I want to see if you all
would want this, its her hand
writing.

I found it interesting.
about Eagle

Sherry Waters Edmonds

A warm and friendly wish for a very happy holiday!

Changes in 40 years.

Harry Smart garage + Sales of Ford Cars, where Chapman's Service + Standard Oil Company is now

Louis Sasso bought Lin's tavern.

~~Telephone Company~~ was above the Bank.

Eagle State Bank. was robbed, and the good work of now, Mrs. Louise Hyland, who was night operator at that time, gave the alarm.

Sasso tavern burned down in March 1930.

and was rebuilt a few years later.

and soon after bombed, doing damage to Bank and tavern,

~~Telephone Company~~ was moved to now.

Stocks Electric Shop.

Mr. Arthur Belling had a meat market near by and also shoe maker shop, where Eagle Sport Shop now is.

Mealis Furniture + Understaken parlor is still there. Mealis bought the Partridge Home where they live, and have a nice Funeral Home.

Baker Bros, Levi + Ralph had store where M. J. Kerston now is. Kerston's bought store from Mrs. Helen Peegle they built on, where the ~~Honor Roll of World War + and War A.~~ was on lawn.

A new front was built on the Band after bombed in Sasso building

The Eagle School, built in 1905, was destroyed by fire March 5, 1928, and a new School built in 1929 and 1930 finished. Now a large addition has been added, and is crowded, last 3 years older grades were sent to new Catholic School which was built, and used for several years, now not in use.

The Band Stand which stood in Village Park is gone and a new Covered bench built,

Railroad ^{depot} ~~tore~~ down in 1957, only for 2 freight trains going through Eagle, now. At one time Eagle had 3 feed mills, they are gone, also, last one Dadman mill or one Donald Pardee had, was tore down in 1970.

The Village, and Opera Hall has gone, and a new one, with Fire trucks, built, also new building near lumber yard, has Village trucks and other equipment, Masonic Hall has a new look put on.

A new Post Office building was built and moved into August 1964, also a Barber Shop with John Schmidt as Barber and also Village Treasure, in the same building. Arthur Stocks has a Electric Shop with J. V. Sales, where old Post office, and Barber Shop was.

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U. J. Sherman and Mother had a fine grocery Store, with Mrs. Sherman having embroidery and novelty shop for many years, now. Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Sherman are retired, But very active in gardening and poultry, also Church work, out in front of Store greeting friends every day.

Methodist Church, added on much needed educational unit, in 1957, which makes a nice appearance on Main Street.

Eagle American Legion 535 was organized in January 11, 1948, under names of deceased Veterans in War 1 and War 2. of names Sargent, Splechter, Schmidt Post 535.

In 1949 they bought a parcel of land from Village next to A. H. Gale garage, where old Blacksmith shop, and Frank Jaken had a elect repair shop, for the construction of Legion Club House, through the hard labor and tedious hours, of many of our members, and finally able to move into our new building in 1954.

Eagle American Legion, jointly with Eagle Fireman held 1st annual Kettle Moraine Days Social and Parade

In summer of 1960, had 1st Soft Ball tournament with large crowds.

1966 had 1st Fisherie, in conjunction with the Fireman and Lion's Club.

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On Memorial Day May 30-1967 in our Village Park dedicating the Memorial Stone to our deceased Veterans, from War's 1+2, also Korean, and Vietnam, donated by Eagle American Legion Auxiliary.

We have a shoe maker repair Shop the last few years on Eagle Street.

Eagle Village + town officials planned to together on forming Eagle Advancement Corporation to build Medical Clinic for a Doctor to come here. 40 years ago Eagle had 2 good Doctors. But both passed away. In 1954 new building was put up and, young Dr. out of Service come to our Community by name W. E. Rosenkranz.

1957 he left Eagle, with another young Doctor Zwisler and went to bigger Clinic at Mukwonago. So Eagle has no Doctor now.

The Village drilled a new Well and built a nice building near Legion Club House on Main St., in 1953.

J. J. Large was a registered druggist here then and has changed hands twice since. Tom and Mary Sasso Crosswaite sold Store in 1970 to Mr and Mrs. Tom Webber of Milwaukee.

Sasso's Little Moraine Inn, is by railroad tracks across from old depot, with Mrs. Louis Sasso, (France) and Son Mike have a nice dining Hall and tavern. They done a lot of fine remodeling.

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The Mich Tavern is still ⁱⁿ operation by Mr. and Mrs. George Brockman. But the old ice house in back of building was tore down years ago.

The old Sasso Tavern across from old mill is now owned by young Couple, Mr. and Mrs. Lupone from Waukesha.

There are 2 garages, one where A. J. Atkin was on corner of 59 + 67 Highway owned by Runquest Bros. other on 67 + main St. owned by Archie Gale who is still active and helps out there.

Eagle Hardware Store is now the same way as 40 years ago, owned ^{by} Arthur Ritterbuck who bought out Victor Rohdie.

The old Ed. Whetten building near railroad tracks, that housed pool Hall, and Barber Shop run by Harold Finley was tore down, when Mrs. Frances Sasso & Son remodeled their place.

Only a few of Eagle elderly people are still among us. Mrs. Arthur Belling, Miss Alice Baker, Mrs. Ariel Pardee, and our gracious News reporter, Mrs. Florence Pardee, and Levi Baker and wife Edna, also Harold and Archie Chapman and families.

Many New Homes have been built, and lots of new families in our Village, which we are proud to be part of.