

Fruit Storage Plant Delayed For A Year

Fruit growers of this area intend to go forward with plans for building a central storage plant to serve the many producers of southwestern Oakland and northwestern Wayne County, but the effort will be to complete the project next year rather than this summer.

Thirty growers, meeting at the home of Jay Dutton in Farmington Township, Friday night, decided that it would be impossible to carry out the plan in time for the present crop. The summer season is already well advanced, and in addition, a number of growers have encountered severe loss to their crops this year through hail storms, making them hesitant to undertake additional financial obligations.

Effect Organization

However, plans for a permanent organization were formulated, with Howard McCracken as chairman and Arthur Green as secretary, and the project will be assisted by a committee, comprised of George Simons, Louis Spicer, James Erwin, Russell Butten, Harry McCormick. Moderate dues were fixed and two-thirds of those attending paid dues as evidence of the interest of the community in the project.

Considerable enthusiasm was manifested for the central storage idea, and several plans for financing the project were suggested. General opinion seemed to be that with the aid of a 45 per cent loan which aids co-operating groups of farmers, the financing of the remainder could be accomplished.

No location or other details of the proposed plant were decided on, these matters being left for recommendation of the committee.

ART POWER NAMED TO LEAD EXCHANGE CLUB

Arthur S. Power will head Farmington Exchange Club as its new president, for the ensuing term, it is indicated by nominations made Wednesday by the board of control. While election is still to be held by the club as a whole, no opposing names have been presented by the board, and nomination is regarded as equivalent to election.

Other officers whose election is anticipated next Wednesday, are: Secretary, having been submitted without other candidates for the offices are: Howard Otis, vice-president; George K. Checketta, secretary; and Emory Hatton, treasurer. All are at present holding those offices. While it is customary for the candidates to advance to the presidency, Mr. Otis requested that this not be done in his case at this election, because of pressure of business. Accordingly, he was nominated for re-election as vice-president, and Mr. Power accepted nomination for president.

Dr. Joseph Norton, retiring president, Judge John J. Schulte, and Dr. Lee Halsted, were elected as new members of the Board of Control. Lloyd Gulien, Rev. Dolph Stubbins, and William Van Eyck continue as members of the board.

20th Wedding Anniversary Scene of Two Marriages

What more unique and joyous manner in which to celebrate a twentieth wedding anniversary, than by having two marriages take place in the house during the celebration? And what more auspicious surroundings could those two brides and grooms select than in the home of a couple who have lived happily together for twenty years? And what if all three couples were under such circumstances that they were strangers to each other, that Phillip and Mrs. Gagner of 29100 Drake road, celebrated the twentieth anniversary of their marriage last Saturday evening. The other two happy young couples came unannounced and unexpected. When the first pair came along Mr. and Mrs. Gagner decided that "this is really something." But when the second couple arrived it almost took their breath away.

A Guest Does It
It all came about through one guest. He was Judge John J. Schulte of Farmington. When Jean Berger, daughter of Earl and Mrs. Berger, and Harold Bullis,

Exchangeites To "Treat" Kiddies at "Sunshine Special"



EARL GROSVENOR

Arrangements are being completed by the committee in charge for the annual "Sunshine Special" outing for kiddies of the Exchange Club, about three months ago. Rev. Crews, whose doctrine is that one's destiny is connected with the stars and can be foretold by those who know how, is pastor of the "Temple of Light" in Detroit.

"Messenger of Light" Gazed At Stars—So Did Braddock

He is a most convincing talker, but it was a decidedly skeptical crowd of Farmington men and women who listened to "The Messenger of Light," Rev. James O. Crews, at a meeting of the Exchange Club about three months ago. Rev. Crews, whose doctrine is that one's destiny is connected with the stars and can be foretold by those who know how, is pastor of the "Temple of Light" in Detroit.

W. G. Malcomson is Awarded Degree

William G. Malcomson, widely known Detroit architect, who has many interests in Farmington, is the recipient of a degree conferred by Wayne University, at present commencement exercises at the institution. The degree received by Mr. Malcomson was "master of science in architecture." A citation accompanying the degree recognized as one of the outstanding architects of school buildings in America. His skill in adapting the educational plant to an expanding program has contributed to the development of the present progressive system in Detroit.

Miss Marian Erwin, who taught at Fernside the past year, is vacationing with her parents, James and Mrs. Erwin, of 10 Mile road.

tan area, at Edgewater Park, Tuesday, June 29. A full afternoon of rides and refreshments is in store for Farmington boys and girls on that day. Earl Grosvenor heads the committee.

Tickets are available for 150 Farmington youngsters. Each ticket entitles the holder to several different rides, and a three refreshments. Upon arrival at the park, a star will be placed on each child so in event any child is lost, which oft times happens, the tag will tell where he is from and from which party he strayed.

The children will be divided into two groups, one will consist of children under 10 years and the other of those over 10 years. The children will leave here at 12:30 p. m., on three special buses. All those planning to go are asked to meet at the school club.

Expense of the outing is being met by the Exchange Club. Any Farmington girl or boy so desiring may make the trip without expense. A number of older people will accompany the children to insure safety of them.

Members of the committee are Chairman Grosvenor, Howard Otis, Judge Schulte, Curt Hall, Paul Pare and William Leefe.

ual efforts were made to assemble a large gathering to hear him, and accordingly, wives and friends of the members of Exchange were invited. This despite the fact that meetings of the year.

"The Messenger of Light," suave orator and highly persuasive though he is, did not convince all present, and a goodly number expressed skepticism after his address. This despite the fact that among many other prophecies, he asserted that he had foretold the stunning defeat of Joe Louis, now heavyweight boxing champion, by Max Schmeling a year ago.

The Farmington scoffers may feel somewhat more justified in their doubts of the "Messenger of Light" as a forecaster, following the Louis-Braddock fight Tuesday night. A Detroit newspaper Wednesday morning printed what it said was a publicity release received a few hours before the battle. It reads as follows:

The Stars Say "Braddock Will Win"

By the Rev. James O. Crews, Pastor "The Temple of Light" (Editor's Note: On June 19, 1935, the Rev. James O. Crews, pastor of the "Temple of Light," before a congregation of more than 750 persons in the temple, delineated the charts of both Joe Louis and Max Schmeling. The time was two hours before the fight between them took place. He stated that the "Temple of Light" foretold the victory by Max Schmeling by a knockout in the eleventh round. Schmeling, actually won in the twelfth round in one of the biggest upsets in fistie history. The following is a prediction regarding the heavy weight title battle for the world between James J. Braddock and Joe Louis, based on the astrological aspects in the charts of the two contenders.)

"The stars say that James J. Braddock will retain his heavyweight title in tonight's fight with Joe Louis. The fight will be an uninteresting spectacle for the fans, but Louis will be so badly hurt at the conclusion of the bout that he (Continued on back page)

JOHN GOODIN IS KILLED BY TRAIN SOUTH OF NOVI

John Goodin, a farm hand employed by Arne Skoaki, of Lathrop Subdivision, Southfield Township, died in Sessions Hospital, Northville, early Wednesday, approximately three and a half hours after a train crew on the Pere Marquette railroad found him lying on the railroad right-of-way south of Novi, seriously injured. It is believed he was struck while walking along the track by a Pere Marquette train which passed an hour earlier. His legs and right hand were cut off in the accident.

Coroner Donald C. Bell of Birmingham was called, but when death occurred in Wayne County, it was outside his jurisdiction.

The body was taken to the Wayne County morgue.

New Band Stand To Be In "Bowl"

A handsome and spacious new bandstand, in a new and more advantageous location that will accommodate hundreds of listeners comfortably and safely, is likely to be realized within the next month, it is now indicated. The new and larger structure, if the project is approved, will be located in a corner of the school athletic field "bowl", on Shilawassee street.

Blue prints of a stand 22x33 feet, with a sloping back of modern design have been submitted to a committee of the City Commission by Marcus R. Burrows, Detroit architect whose home is in Farmington. The committee is now obtaining estimates as to the cost of materials and labor.

Many Advantages

Half a dozen distinct advantages are pointed out for the suggested new location. The congestion attending band concerts of the past would be eliminated, and many times the number of people could listen to the concerts while sitting in cars, as compared with the present location in Town Hall park. The possibility of children being injured in traffic would be greatly minimized. Those living near the Town Hall who find the noise of many cars and tooting of horns objectionable would be relieved of the annoyance. The objection that has occasionally been raised because of proximity to the Heene funeral home across the street would be disposed of.

An advantage which it is believed would be immediately proved at the first concert in the new location, is a vast improvement in reception of the music. Not only would there be more ample space, but the athletic field "bowl", it is known to be remarkable at least as far as volume is concerned. People talking in a normal voice on Power avenue on some evenings, "hear" far as the top of the hill at Shilawassee and Warner streets, it is reported. This "carry", it is believed, would mean much in improving the band concerts.

At End of Field
It is proposed to locate the band stand at the extreme west end of the "bowl", in the bend of the creek, where the skating rink was originally planned two years ago. A new advantage of this which has appeared is that the band might play in the stand during athletic events.

Action on the proposal is expected Monday evening, July 5, when the city commission holds its next regular meeting. Commissioner Hargis is expected to present the plan. It is calculated that if the Commission acts favorably, the new band stand may be completed some time next month.

Mr. Burrows donated his services in preparing the plans, and the committee has extended its thanks for his help.

Alumni Meet

Alumni band members met at the school Monday night for the purpose of organizing a series of rehearsals in preparation for the concert to be played by the organization the latter part of August. Fifteen members were present at Monday's session and it is hoped by Director Banta more will join the band so as to insure a successful season. He states he has a list of names not registered as yet, still have time to do so.

LADIES EVANGELICAL UNION TO MEET

The regular meeting of the Ladies Evangelical Union will be held Monday, July 7, at the church hall. A special mission program has been arranged, with Mrs. S. D. Harger as the speaker. Her topic will be "Foreign and Home Missions." Musical selections will be given by Miss Carol Harger, and Mrs. Hayward Salow.

Value-wise shoppers can enjoy a "field day", by making a tour of business houses—whose advertising appears in this issue. It's still June and time for plenty of weddings and the thing to talk to is the stock of advertising merchants. Forgotten graduation gifts may be obtained in a few minutes at any of these stores. "All signs point to the Ford V8 for value," reads the Ford ad on page two, and all roads lead to Olds Russell, Inc. the place to buy that car. The Detroit Edison offers the "Dutch Oven Susan" as a means of freeing Mrs. Housewife from a hot kitchen during the summer months. Burnett Brothers Service introduces the new Good Year R-1 tire to Farmington. The

Early Summer Specials Feature Current Week

Consumers Power Company continues its gas heater special—\$17.95 in your home. Hardware offers more money-saving hardware specials. Blakeslee Motor Sales, Chevrolet dealers, give notice of a big free show and band concert to be held next Wednesday, June 30, at 8:00 p. m. Incidentally the way to have more fun for less money, is on your vacation, they say, is "go in a Chevrolet."

"Coal prices are lowest now," reads the Farmington Lumber and Coal Company ad, which urges you to fill your bin in June and save. The Farmington State Bank offers a trouble-saving travel service.

Lucky Girls—Or Unlucky?



DOROTHY WARNER

EVELEIGH NOBLE

"Other Woman" Goes To Jail

Mrs. Kaite Meyers can go happily about her work in a Farmington restaurant, secure in the knowledge that the "other woman" will not be consorting with Mrs. Meyers' husband, for twenty days at least. The "other woman" Mrs. Barbara Fetters, formerly a neighbor, was sentenced Monday to serve 20 days in the County Jail for violating an injunction prohibiting her from associating with Mrs. Meyers' husband, Harry.

Mrs. Meyers is suing her husband for divorce. She declares that efforts to prevent Mrs. Fetters from associating with Meyers have been unavailing. She asserted that she went to her husband's house at 1180 Meadowlawn, Drive in Pontiac, and found Mrs. Fetters there with Meyers.

"Would Burn House"

Mrs. Meyers asserts that not only did Mrs. Fetters curse her, but threatened to burn down the house rather than let Mrs. Meyers occupy the home with Meyers. A private detective was engaged by Mrs. Meyers to watch her husband and Mrs. Fetters, following the issuance of the injunction against the latter.

Circuit Judge H. Russell Holland questioned the eight-year old daughter of the Meyers and what the girl said coupled with the detective's testimony, convinced him that Mrs. Fetters had violated the injunction, despite denials of herself and Meyers. He then passed the 20-day sentence on Mrs. Fetters.

Schulte and Pare are attorneys for Mrs. Meyers, and Leon H. Hubbard of Pontiac represents Mrs. Fetters.

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ALMA MAE BICKING IS MARRIED TO LAVERNE TURNER

Alma Mae Bicking, daughter of Clarence and Mrs. Bicking, and LaVerne C. Turner, son of Mrs. Dora Thompson, are on a trip in Michigan, following their marriage Saturday afternoon at Methodist Episcopal Church, by Rev. Delmore Stubbs. Relatives and friends of both families witnessed the ceremony at the church.

The bride wore a gown of ivory lace over satin with a small train and carried a bouquet of gardenias, sweet peas and white delphiniums. Mrs. Harold Turner, matron of honor, was dressed in peach tulle, with blue accessories, and carried a bouquet of blue delphiniums. The bridesmaids, Virginia Hilsberg and Mary Jane Schroeder, wore like gowns of yellow and blue, respectively, of lace over tulle and carried bouquets of yellow roses and blue delphiniums.

Harold Turner acted as his brother's best man. Dick Russell and Edward Pink served as ushers.

Miss Carol Harger played the piano and accompanied Mrs. Hayward Salow, who sang "Oh Promise Me."

100 At Reception
Following the church ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents at Power and Shilawassee. About 100 guests were present. Cake, coffee and ice cream were served.

Upon their return, the couple will be at home to their friends at 22315 Brookdale avenue.

NEW MEMBERS OF OUR Community

Edgar S. and Mrs. Reed and family are new residents living on 12 Mile road, just east of Orchard Lake road. The Reeds have three children; eldest of the three is a daughter, Beth, who attends Ypsilanti Normal School. Jean and Richard are high school students. The family formerly resided in Berkeley.

Mr. Reed is vice-president of the Standard School Supply Company, of Detroit.

A son, Jon Charles, was born to Rev. and Mrs. Carl Schultz on Thursday, June 3.

Wednesday Closing Is Abandoned

Wednesday afternoon closing of stores by Farmington merchants for the past two months has been definitely abandoned. Only four remained closed Wednesday afternoon. All other merchants continued to operate. Those places closed were Farmington Mills, three barber shops, and the Chamberlain Jewelry store.

Leo F. Gildemeister, proprietor of the Farmington Mills, early Thursday, reiterated his determination to continue remaining closed Wednesday afternoon. Clyde Chamberlain, proprietor of the jewelry store, and the operators of the barber shops, have also expressed their intentions of remaining closed.

The first break in the plan developed June 2, and the number has increased weekly to the present time. Those active in organizing the movement charged the withdrawing members with "having broken their promise."

Merchants who refuse to maintain their store under the impression other merchants in surrounding towns, such as Plymouth and Northville, would do likewise, at the time they agreed to the plan. Failure of those towns to have similar plans, they felt, would be responsible for their reopening, they assert. They maintain that for them to remain closed while other merchants in nearby towns stay open is impractical and unsound business.

The merchants remaining closed have expressed their intentions of continuing the plan in spite of the withdrawal of the majority. It is believed they will join the others within a short time.

The only other closing plan of similar nature is reported in Birmingham, where the closing is confined to food stores.

It all depends upon your point of view. Certainly it isn't exactly good luck to be sitting in an automobile at a railroad crossing and have another machine bump from behind and push your own car up on the tracks in front of an on-rushing locomotive. But, there's pretty good fortune anytime to miss being hit by a train, so probably it's a toss-up.

Anyway, Dorothy and Eveleigh are still alive and unharmed, and after a couple of days, they're just beginning to realize what a close call they actually had and that they really were in great danger Tuesday afternoon. They had thought it was much at all until newspaper reporters and photographers hustling to see them created quite a stir, and relatives and friends expressed overwhelming thankfulness.

Pushed Car

Undoubtedly this lack of realization of their own peril led the girls to do the unusual in such circumstances—the two of them, jumping out of the big Buick sedan and trying to push it off the tracks, after the motor had failed to start. Unable to push the car out of the tracks, they stamped back in time to avoid being struck.

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Dorothy, the daughter of Mrs. Tom Edwards of 34005 Oakland Road, and Eveleigh, who lives at 2561 Semple avenue, Detroit, had been traveling east on Seven Mile at John R., where the Grand Trunk also crosses—a crossing that has claimed more deaths than any other in Michigan. As they approached the tracks Dorothy stopped, the signal having begun to blink. Another car, driven by Mrs. Sylvia Snyder, 207, 19313 Santa Barbara avenue, Detroit, struck the rear of the Warner car, pushing it onto the tracks.

Motor Stalls

Seeing the train bearing down on them, Dorothy attempted to start the motor, which had stalled after the bump. This proving to no avail, they jumped out. The engineer, meanwhile, seeing the stalled car, attempted to stop the train, but its speed was too great and as the girls stepped back, the sedan was struck and carried down the track.

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