



ANOTHER STORY... of the blackout comes from Clarence Bickling...

THE GOOSE... that laid the golden egg turned out to be a chicken...

ANOTHER CHICKEN STORY... from Russell Ault, who reports that a setting hen he owns...

A NEW PAINT JOB... is in progress on the building just west of the Twins Beauty Shop...

Methodist Church To Have Organ

The annual conference of the Farmington Methodist Church was held on Thursday evening, May 3...

The annual reports of the church officials representing the Trustees, Men's Club, W.S.C.S., High School League, Young Peoples League...

It was announced that \$2,200 was needed in subscriptions for redecoration carpeting and the new organ...

Officers of the church for the coming year were named as follows: Trustees: Edward Baker, Walter Grimwade, Lloyd Gulen, Walter Lane, S. D. Harger, William Long, Mrs. Harry Page, Edgar Pierce and Howard Thayer.

Stewards: Mildred Adams, Edward Alexander, Murel Burdick, George Checketts, Alna Hedley, Henry Mahoney, Peter Stewart, Mrs. Ethel Stewart, Mrs. George Newlin, Clara Grace, Carl Everly, Mrs. Fred Cook, Harry Page, E. S. Smith and A. L. Ross. Mrs. Evelyn Veitch is steward and director of music and Miss Ernestine Pierce is recording steward.

FIFTY-FOURTH YEAR—NUMBER 32

FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, MAY 28, 1942

5 Cents a Copy

Graduation Arrangement Announced

Eighty Three Seniors To Receive Diplomas

Plans for the Commencement programs for the Class of 1942 of Farmington High School were completed and made public this week by Superintendent E. E. Dunckel.

The Commencement program will be held on Thursday evening, June 4, at eight o'clock in the Auditorium. The High School Band, under the direction of E. V. Ayres will play for the Processional, and Rev. Fred B. Fisher will give the invocation.

The budget for the coming year was submitted and adopted, in the amount of \$5,880. This does not include the improvement program of the church.

It was announced that \$2,200 was needed in subscriptions for redecoration carpeting and the new organ. Over \$500 was raised toward this by written ballot at the conference, bringing the total amount collected to very near the required \$2,200.

Continued on Page Eight

Governor Van Wagoner Endorses 1942 "Michigan Days" Program

LANSING, May 28—Governor Murray D. Van Wagoner today gave his unqualified endorsement to the 1942 "Michigan Days" program, jointly sponsored by state agricultural and business leaders.

Archie G. Leonard, Pontiac attorney, who makes his home in Farmington Township, will be speaker at the service. Judge H. Russell Holland of Pontiac was previously announced as speaker, but inasmuch as he already had made a speaking engagement, he was unable to accept the Legion's invitation to come to Farmington.

These awards were based on American and all the qualities that can make an outstanding American citizen. The awards were made by F. W. Lowrie, who gave a short patriotic talk.

Continued on Page Eight

Register Early For Blood Donor

The Mobile Unit of the Red Cross will come to Farmington for its second visit on June 10, to secure blood donations for use by the Armed Forces of our country.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Heoney Funeral Home for Chester E. (Happy) Orbaugh, who died at 8:45 on Saturday, May 23, from a heart attack which occurred just outside the door of his wife's room at Detroit Ophthalmic Hospital.

Continued on Page Eight

RESIGNS



ROBERT STEWART SCHOOL PRINCIPAL ACCEPTS POSITION AT BOMBER PLANT

Robert Stewart, who has been principal of the Farmington Elementary and Junior High School for the past five years, will leave his teaching duties here at the end of the school year.

Mr. Stewart is leaving Farmington to take a position at the Willow Run Bomber plant at Ypsilanti. He and Mrs. Stewart expect to move about the middle of June to their new home in Ann Arbor.

St. Paul's Church Marks Jubilee

Sunday, May 31, starts a week of festivities for St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Eight Mile at Middlebelt, as it celebrates its Golden Jubilee. The Rev. P. Graupner is pastor of the church.

Continued on Page Eight

First Blackout Violator Arraigned in Local Court

LOCAL RESIDENTS RESPOND TO CALL ON POPPY DAYS

The women of the Auxiliary of the Graves-Walker Post of the American Legion wish to thank residents of Farmington for the fine cooperation given in the recently held Poppy Days.

Kiwanis Study Types of Light

"The Evolution of Light" was the title of a lecture given at the regular Wednesday evening meeting of the Farmington Kiwanis Club.

Talk Explains Sewage System

Austin C. Habermehl, chemist at the Detroit Sewage Treatment Plant, spoke to the Farmington Exchange Club, Wednesday noon.

Marine Corps Auxiliary Asks For New Members

The Marine Corps League Auxiliary drive is on for new members. Come on all you mothers, wives and sisters. We need you and your marine needs your cooperation.

Failure to Stop For 15 Minute Period Costs Driver \$100

Farmington's first blackout violation ended in a \$100 fine and \$5 costs Wednesday afternoon before Judge John J. Schulte.

Blackout Very Successful

According to City officials and Air Raid Wardens the cooperation of the citizens in Farmington and Farmington Township was excellent and the blackout was very successful and impressive.

Defense officials agreed that Sunday night's blackout was more effective than that on May 3 although the first test was considered quite successful.

Continued on Page Eight

INSIDE FEATURES

Table with 2 columns: Feature Name and Page Number. Includes Blue and White, Classified Ads, Correspondence, Editorials, Local Items, Michigan Mirror, Women's Items, Victory.