

SIXTY-SIXTH YEAR - NUMBER 17

## State Attorney General Addresses Business Women



The Farmington Chapter of the Business and Professional Women's Club played host to the State Attorney General, Dr. Frank Kenyon, at a luncheon at the Wood Creek Hotel. The speaker, flanked by Mrs. Margaret Ward, District News Service chairman, Millard, Mrs. Millard, and Dr. Kenyon.

## Workers Collect \$4,800 In Pledges For St. Mary Hospital Building Fund

### First Report On Community Appeal Phase Announced Following Meeting Monday

Approximately \$4,800 has been pledged to date in the Community Appeal phase of the St. Mary Hospital Building Fund, Mrs. Louis Nolan, chairman, announced Tuesday.

Additional workers are urgently needed if the campaign is to be stepped up, Mrs. Nolan stated. A number of new volunteers have been secured during the past week, which will help to

## NOTICE!

State Police are attempting to learn the identity of a lady who was bitten by a small black dog on January 9, 1954, at the Smith Drug Store at Eight Mile and Grand River. The lady was given Tylenol by the druggist.

## AROUND THE BLOCK

A BIT OF ALABAMA... we've had 'em both during the past week. So why travel? Just stay right here in Farmington and let the weather come to you.

THE MOTHERS... will be marching tonight, Thursday, in their annual assault against the dreaded disease, polio.

ONCE AGAIN... we want to remind you that a lot of work is being done by a comparatively few people in the interest of the safety and security of the entire community.

REJECTION OFFICIALS... had plenty of time to catch up on their reading and sewing last Thursday during the special primary election.

## Set Up Schedule For Construction Of Sewage Plant

### Hope To Have System Completed By December

A tentative work schedule for the proposed sewage disposal plant has been set up, according to city officials, with the letting of construction contracts expected by July 1.

The schedule has been set up following a series of conferences between L. N. Hayden, City Engineer; James Tennant, City Manager; disposal plant engineers and officials of the state. Tennant stated that final preliminary plans for the city plant are now ready to be submitted to the Michigan Water Resources Commission.

Ground work on the sale of bonds to finance the proposal has been completed. The Council will be required to pass a bond ordinance before the letting of the contract.

Following the letting of the contract, approximately 100 feet of sanitary sewer will be required for the construction of the proposed plant. It is being estimated that the system will be in operation about December 1, 1954.

Approximately 20 to 30 persons are expected to attend the first citizens' advisory committee meeting of the Farmington School District to be held Thursday evening at the high school.

All organizations in the community are being invited to participate in the committee meetings. A number of groups have already advised the Board that they will have representatives at the first session of Thursday.

## Prepare For Vote In Woodbine

Details for the special election to name five commissioners to the Woodbine Subdivision Water System are now being completed, with the voting set for Tuesday, February 23.

## CITY MANAGER ON PROGRAM AT LEAGUE MEET

James Tennant is one of 20 city managers from various sections of the state who will participate in the sixth annual Management Institute, to be held this week end at the University of Michigan.

## Everybody's Headache

## Search Goes On For Answer To Parking Problems

"Oh, for a place to park!" is becoming an ever-increasing plea of motorists in the Farmington community as well as communities throughout the state.

## Township Board Takes Initial Steps To Employ Second Police Officer

## "Spotty" Joins Fight Against Polio



Spotty, Farmington's mascot for the 1954 March of Dimes Campaign, is shown surrounded by his trainers and young friends as he posed last week in his campaign against polio.

## Annual Mothers' March Thursday To Climax March Of Dimes Drive

## Porchlight Parade To Be Held In Farmington And Clarenceville From 7:00 To 8:00 Tonight

"Light your Porchlight!" will be the watchword throughout the Farmington and Clarenceville areas this Thursday evening, January 28, when the 1954 March of Dimes Campaign comes to a climax with the annual Mothers' March.

## Need Registrars For Adult Classes

Three more adult education classes will be started at the Farmington High School within the next two weeks if there are sufficient registrars, James Read, assistant superintendent, announced.

## COUNCIL VISITS PLANTS OF PROPERTY BIDDERS

Members of the City Council, along with the City Manager, visited the plants of the two bidders who submitted proposals on the possible sale of the city-owned property south of the Grand River Cut-Off and east of Gill Road.

The visitation was made Monday afternoon. Arrangements for the visit were completed at the meeting of the Council last Monday. The trip was held to give the Council members an opportunity to see the kind and type of plants constructed by the bidders. No action on the proposals was taken.

## Approve Motion Authorizing Clerk To Advertise For Application

A motion directing the Township Clerk to advertise for applications in connection with the hiring of an additional police officer was approved by the Township Board Tuesday evening.

Headline for receipt of the applications was set for Friday, February 19. The Board indicated that a schedule for interviews would be set up at the regular meeting on February 23.

The action following another inquiry from the Wood Creek Farms Association asking what action was being taken in regard to the hiring of an additional police officer. A number of city groups and individuals have, in recent months, requested the Board to provide more police protection.

## Farmington Board Continues Visits To New Schools

A tentative approval was given to one change in the Zoning Ordinance and a new proposed amendment was introduced. The Board approved the rezoning of a portion of property at Nine Mile and Farmington Roads from residential to light industrial, subject to the draft of a final resolution by A. G. Leonard, Township Attorney.

## P.T.A. Group Approves Proposed Building Plan

Members of the Farmington School Board are continuing their visitation of new classroom buildings this week in preparation for further planning on the proposed school building program.

Wendell Brown, president of the Board, stated Tuesday that at least one more visit is being planned for this week. During the past Tuesday approved a resolution authorizing the Board to make numerous visits to newly completed schools in this general area with the view to types of construction and estimated costs.

It is expected that more complete plans will be developed at the next regular meeting of the Board set for February 8. A tentative program was presented by the Board at the last meeting.

Harry McGeehan, Township Clerk, stated that two bids have been received in regard to the possible purchase of a new police car. The Board decided to leave the bids sealed until all of the local dealers have been contacted and have had an opportunity to submit proposals.

A motion was made and approved that the Township Offices be closed on Thursday, February 11, the date of the Special Representative Election.

Ward Eagle served as chairman of the Board meeting in the absence of Ernest Blanchard, Township Supervisor, who is attending a state meeting.

## Few Ballots Cast In Primary Vote

Richard C. VanDusen, Republican, and John C. Westerdale, Democrat, will oppose each other in the February 23 election. Fred Wilkinson is Representative to the State Legislature, Third-Oakland County District, as a result of the Primary Election held last Thursday.

## Defense Council Plans Central HQ

Members of the executive committee of the Farmington Area Civil Defense Council met last Wednesday evening at the Farmington Enterprise office to discuss further plans on the organization of a central control agency.

### How Farmington Voted

TABULATION OF VOTING Special Primary Election, January 21

Township Precincts	1	2	3	4	Total City
Republican					
Allen C. Ingle	8	57	23	14	102
Richard Van Dusen	0	27	15	19	61
Stanley Brown	0	4	1	8	13
Lawrence McKay	0	1	2	1	4
Democrat					
Fred Wilkinson	41	22	14	9	86
John Westerdale	0	1	1	5	7
Harry Kuschky	1	1	0	0	2