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School District To Protest Decision Of Allocation Board

Superintendent Gerald V. Harrison of the Farmington Public School District received the support of the Farmington Board of Education at their meeting on September 24, in protesting the Oakland County Allocation Board's ruling on a variable millage on the grounds of discrimination.

The preliminary rate set by the Allocation Board last week denies the Farmington School District a variable millage that would produce revenue amounting to \$44,785.94.

Rec. Program To Start on Mon. June 28

The Farmington Area Recreation Commission received the approval of the Board of Education on May 24 to operate their summer recreation program again this year.

The program will begin on June 28 and end August 6, according to the new director, Evans Bageris. Registration forms can be picked up by the youngsters at the principals' offices at all elementary and junior high schools sometime during the last two weeks of school, June 7 through June 18. The program schedule appears on these forms.

IN ORDER To participate, youngsters must have attained the age of eight (8) years and must not exceed fifteen (15) years of age. Entry forms should be filled in by parents prior to opening day registration, June 28, and given to playground supervisors at the respective schools.

Art for Twp. Seal Is Lost

The reason that you are still not seeing the official township seal stamped on any township papers or a plaque with the seal on it to display in the township office is because the company supposed to be doing the work on forming the seal for use has lost the artwork.

An official of the company hired to do the work admitted this last week, Supervisor Curt Hall explained to fellow Township Board members at their regular meeting Monday night. It will now be necessary to get copies of the art work on the seal and start all over again. And, if copies of the art are not available then the problem is multiplied.

State Police Seek Knife Assailant

State Police are investigating a stabbing incident which occurred in Farmington Township early Monday morning, May 24, and hospitalized William Bradley, Jr., 18, of 21374 Jacksonville.

Bradley was attacked by a knife-wielding youth outside his home at about 4:30 a.m. on Monday and suffered multiple lacerations. He was treated at Botsford General Hospital.

Bradley was found by State Police in the home of Edward Andrews of 21325 Whittington, one block away from the scene of the stabbing. Andrews told police Bradley came to his house and Andrews and a friend asked him to call the police.

THE ACCOUNT Of the stabbing given police by Bradley stated five youths came to his home at about 4 a.m. shortly after his father, William Bradley, Sr., had left for work. According to Bradley, the youths talked and whistled and then left without incident. He was aroused, he said, when four of the youths returned to his home shortly before 5 a.m. and entered the house without permission.

A scuffle broke out in the house between Bradley and one of the youths and progressed into the front yard where one of them pulled a switch blade knife out and began slugging at him. Bradley told police he also suffered cuts when his wrist and the upper part of his body were struck through the glass in the storm door during the fight.



"GOING ONCE, TWICE, three times, sold," was the familiar refrain of auctioneer Curt H. Hall at the annual Farmington Township Police Department auction last Saturday at the Township Hall. Supervisor Hall is pictured above getting a bid from somebody in the throng of bargain hunters who attend the event. Bikes, tires and other items left un-

Expect Memorial Day Parade To be the Biggest and Best

The Memorial Day parade in Farmington this coming Monday, May 31, promises to be the biggest and best ever with three high school bands, all branches of the armed forces, Veterans of Foreign Wars, American Legion with their auxiliary units, scout groups and the Mounted Division of the Farmington Township Police Auxiliary all taking part.

Bonds Sold For Sewers

Bids for the sale of bonds totaling \$339,000 for special assessment improvement projects were received and opened by the Farmington Township Board at their regular meeting Monday night.

Hamlin Is Outstanding Citizen in Co.

Delos Hamlin, City of Farmington representative on the Oakland County Board of Supervisors and longtime chairman of the board, was the recipient last week of the standing Citizens Award presented annually by the Oakland Citizens League.

To Publish Thurs. June 3

The Enterprise will be published on Thursday next week a day later than usual because of the Memorial Day holiday. The office will be closed on Monday in observance of the National holiday and most deadlines will be advanced accordingly.

Parnin Outstanding JC State President

The Farmington Junior Chamber of Commerce walked off with four honors at the annual Michigan Junior Chamber of Commerce convention held in Detroit Wednesday and Thursday, May 14 and 15, in Grand Rapids.

Post Office To Close Mon.

Farmington Postmaster Henry Trombley announced yesterday that the Post Office will be closed all day on Monday, May 31, in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

Section One Selected For Elementary School

The next elementary school for the Farmington Public School District is to be built in section one by unanimous vote of the Board of Education at a regular meeting on May 24.

Two Police Cadets To Be Hired by City

Two new police cadet positions have been opened by the Farmington City Public Safety Department, according to an announcement made this week by City Chief Maurice DeWolf.

Bias Come in Higher On Sewer Projects

Discussion at the regular Farmington Township Board meeting Monday night centered around the continued efforts of township officials to get adequate sanitary sewer facilities extended into more areas in the township.

Twp. Board Rejects Dog Warden Plan

Farmington Township Board members have turned "thumbs down" on a suggestion by City Manager John Dinan asking him to bring this matter up before Township Board members was read at the regular board meeting held Monday night.

Full Agenda For Zoning Board Thurs.

A full agenda awaits the Township Zoning Board's meeting tomorrow evening, Thursday, May 27, at 7:30 p.m. Although only one new item is scheduled, several reviews of previously presented requests will be heard.

Attention Teens For Free Ads

Teenagers looking for summer work or part-time jobs are reminded that the Enterprise will run a "Work Wanted" classified advertisement for them absolutely FREE in the June 9 edition of the newspaper.

Deadline Near For Free Ads

The deadline for placing the ad is only one week away — Wednesday, June 2, at 5 p.m. The only requirements are that the boy or girl placing the ad be between the ages of 13 and 18, that the ad be completely prepared in 15 words or less and include their age, and that the name and address be submitted with the ad. (The name and address is for a record and need not be included in the ad.)

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The board approved preliminary plans presented by Linn Smith Assoc., architects for the new school. (Smith had prepared a plan that could have been used at either site.)



THE BIKE RODEO STAGED for youngsters in the community by the Farmington Junior Chamber of Commerce drew a fine group of participants last Saturday in the Farmington Junior High School parking lot. The scene above of the sound trailer provided by Welsby House of Music shows a few of the many bikes ranging in size from 12 to 28 inches which were decorated up and put through

paces for their young owners. Farmington City Police officers were also on hand to provide bike riders with important tips on traffic safety and also give the youngsters a great opportunity to get their bicycle license which can enable bikes lost or stolen and recovered by police to be returned through proper identification to the rightful owner.