



BEAMING PROUDLY as they look over one of the two new police cars received by the Township Police Department recently are Chief Irving Yakes, standing at the door, and Sergeant Thomas Schreiber, behind the wheel. The new Fords are specially equipped "police interceptor" cars. Chief Yakes stated, "Put into use immediately upon arrival, one of the cars has been lettered and the other will be done in the near future, the police chief concluded."

### Six Candidates Seek 2 Seats On School Board

Six candidates will be vying for two seats on the Farmington School Board up for re-election this year. Incumbent trustee Douglas Hamilton is seeking re-election for another term. Also seeking election will be Mrs. Patricia Dates of 22512 Floral, appointed secretary, and recently resigned from the board by the resignation of Mrs. Elizabeth C. Downing.

Other candidates will be W. Al Nelson, 25708 Warner; Mrs. E. Jean Nelson, 34016 Alta Loma; William D. Bliss, 32117 Loomis Court; and Charles Anand, 31555 Leelanau. Nominating petitions filed by each of these candidates prior to the deadline last Saturday have all been checked and found acceptable, school officials commented Monday.

### Authorize Bids On School Sewer

Authorization to proceed in obtaining bids on the work necessary for running a sewer line from the Section 22 elementary school site at Alameda and Power roads to connect with the City of Farmington sewer system was authorized by the School Board Monday night.

### Little Progress On Water Plan

Checking of names on petitions for water service in the south and southeast portions of the township is still under way. This is a very critical matter, requiring the township to estimate the cost of expanding an existing line from Ten Mile to Looney to handle the extra flow of sewage.

### Runs Stop Sign at Ten Mile-Middlebelt

Failure to stop for the stop sign on Middlebelt Road at Ten Mile resulted in injuries to Lucille Graves, 58, when she was struck by a car. She was taken to William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak with a fractured arm and suffering from shock.

### Civil Defense Alert

Township residents are warned of a Civil Defense alert and a practice in one area will be held next Wednesday, May 21, sometime during the day. The time is not known, but will be announced by radio, and will be before 9 p.m.

### C'ville School Bonds Approved

In a light vote Monday Clarenceville school district approved issuance of \$750,000 in bonds for a building program. The vote: YES 123 NO 21. The district is authorized to issue \$750,000 in bonds for a building program. The vote: YES 123 NO 21.

### C'ville Board Asks New Light

A request to the Wayne County Board Commission and City of Livonia has been made by Clarenceville school district, for a new traffic light at Lathurs and Seven Mile.

### Cornwell Buys Land On Farmington Road

Sixty feet of frontage on the east side of Farmington Road, south of Conroy's Market, has been purchased from John Lutz by Virgil Cornwell, Farmington builder.

### Inside Features

- Levis, Jeans Ruffet ..... 4A, 5A
Out at Clarenceville ..... 6A
Bowls 300 Game Friday
At Farmington Lanes ..... 3A
County Gov't, Interceptor
Sewer Talks Stated ..... 1B
Summer Driver Education
Classes Planned ..... 6B
Sports Activities ..... 3A

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# Farmington Enterprise

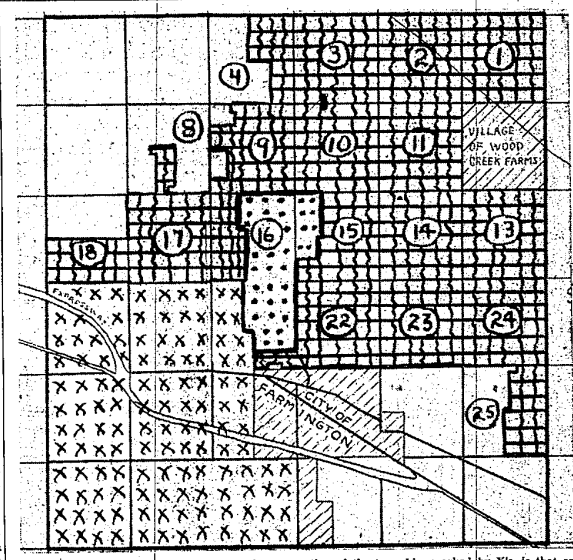
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## City Proposed for Most of Township

### Twp. Waiting Att'y Opinion on Annual Meeting

Hopes that an opinion from the attorney general will be received in a few days prompted the township board to hold a meeting or decision immediately on the budget and plans for the coming fiscal year.



THE PROPOSED CITY of Farmington Woods, comprising about 142 3/4 square miles, is designated by the screen or waffle pattern. Circled numbers are the sections involved. The dotted area in sections 16 and 21 is that of the proposed Quakertown Village. The approximately eight square miles in the southwest portion of the township, marked by X's, is that on which votes will be cast on annexation to Farmington City.

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### To Use Jr. High For Temporary Grade Classrooms

An administration proposal that the six rooms in the old unit at the Farmington Junior High be used as elementary classrooms next year, until such time as another new grade school, not now under construction can be finished, was approved by the School Board Monday night.

### Stephenson in Apology to Owen

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### JC Road-E-O Set for Sunday

Final preparations are now being made for the Annual Township Road-E-O to be held this Sunday under the sponsorship of the Farmington Junior Chamber of Commerce.

### Street Names Not Plaintful

Not many names have been suggested yet for the old cut-off road which Farmington city councilmen will re-name at the next meeting May 18.

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### Will Run in "Red" Over \$300,000

Based on estimates possible at this time, an increase in the school operating tax rate will be necessary if the Farmington School District is to operate under the proposed 1958-'59 operating budget.

### Estimate Sizable Deficit in 1958-'59 School Operating Budget Based on Present Levy Rate

The school equalized valuation of the county qualified will run slightly over \$70 million and the State equalized valuation on which tax rates are figured, should be about the same, Harrison said.

### Poppy Days Set For May 22-24

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and Auxiliary will conduct their annual Poppy Days Sale throughout Farmington next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 22, 23 and 24.

### Staman Paving Road Funds Set

Paving petitions for Staman Acres subdivision, asking special assessment paving, have been checked and an engineer's report is favorable.

### City Hall Hours Advanced Half Hour

New hours are in effect at Farmington's municipal building.

### C-D Police to Help on Holiday

Auxiliary police in the civil defense organization will be drafted for traffic help over the Memorial Day week-end, the township board decided Tuesday.

## Surprise Filing Tuesday With 326 Signatures

An election on the incorporation of a major portion of Farmington Township as a fifth class home rule city called Farmington Woods was requested in petitions filed Tuesday morning at the County Clerk's office in Pontiac.

### Area Man, 2 More Killed in Crash

Charles E. Nye, of 33190 Playview Court, Farmington, and two other men were fatally injured in a three car crash early Sunday morning on 12 Mile Road just west of Lahser in Northville.

Members of the committee are: Robert W. Burton, chairman; Laurence A. Cingman, treasurer; David E. Krings, Cyril G. Johnson, Ralph W. Evert, James E. Ray, Wm. H. Hoelscher, Harlan H. Morris, George L. Callahan, John D. Chambers, Edmund G. Jara, George T. Bird, Richard L. Thoms.

### Post Office Dedication Plans Now Underway

Postmaster Henry L. Trombley announced this week that the Chamber of Commerce has agreed to sponsor dedication of the new Post Office building.

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### Gearly Is Still Twp. Fire Chief

Ray Gearly, township fire chief at station three, is back on the job. Reported Supervisor Frank Stephenson at the town board meeting Tuesday.

### Twp. Asks Cost C'ville Signals

Asked to share in cost of a traffic signal at Central school at Clarenceville, on 8 Mile Road, the township board of Farmington Township is asking Supervisor Frank Stephenson named Westlake and Fisher to get more information and report at the next meeting.