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DOROTHY UGRIN, FARMINGTON City Police Clerk, is seen here about to administer a road test to North Farmington High School Sophomore Gary Adams, of 30900 Orchard Lake Road. She is believed to be the first woman to give driver's examination road tests in Michigan. Gary is driving met with her approval.

Demery's Coming to Kendallwood

A new Demery's Store will soon begin to rise out of the ground in Farmington Township's Kendallwood Shopping Center... The new building will abut the two building complexes that presently comprise the Kendallwood Center. This unified, the entire Center will undergo a face-lifting; making the facades of all of them identical to that of the new building.

over the brick. The brick columns in front will also be identical. In step with these improvements, the Center's parking lot will be expanded to maximum capacity. That is to say, the remainder of the site will be paved asphalt—additional lighting will be provided for the new parking area.

entirely on the first floor. The addition will increase Heper's size by about 700 square feet, from approximately 5,600 to 6,300 square feet. Construction will not interfere with the parking facilities for the existing businesses.



THE NEW DEMERY'S STORE will rise from this excavation in Farmington Township's Kendallwood Shopping Center to height of two stories. Also included in the new construction will be a branch of S&H Green Stamps and an addition to Heper's of Farmington. Here viewing the excavation is E. L. Clark, Manager of the Ben Franklin Store in the Kendallwood Shopping Center.

Govt. Grants Urban Aid To Farmington

Cong. Billie S. Farum announced that Federal grants under the Urban Planning Assistance Program will be used for planning studies in Farmington and Walled Lake. Farmington will get \$3,147 and Walled Lake \$9,875.

through the Michigan Department of Economic Expansion. Both grants were made today.

The money will cover about one-third of costs, with local contributions making up the remainder. Farum said the studies will be concerned with such things as thoroughfare, land use, capital improvement programs, zoning, subdivision regulations and other matters bearing on orderly growth and development.



THE FARMINGTON CHAPTER of the American Association of University Women held their first meeting of the season at Farmington Savings and Loan on Wednesday evening, Sept. 15. The affair featured a pot luck supper. They also discussed plans for their book sale, which will be held in the Farmington Plaza on Sept. 22, 23, and 24. From the left: Mrs. Clarence Stolt, and Mrs. Robert Grininger, Past Presidents; Mrs. Edige Cook, President; and Mrs. Robert Simanek, Fellowship Chairman.

Rape Case Bond Set

Donald Riggs, of Plymouth, has been bound over in Oakland County Circuit Court, on a charge of rape. He was arrested by Farmington Township Deflectives several weeks ago as a result of an alleged assault on a young Detroit girl in Farmington Township. Circuit Judge Robert Anderson set bond at \$10,000, on Friday, Sept. 17.

Farmington Women Organize A Course

A group of homemakers in Farmington met recently to organize the 116th Extension Study group in Oakland County. Warner Farms Subdivision homemakers indicated an interest in the home economics extension program brought to communities from Michigan State University Cooperative Service by county or area Extension Agents.

Break Into Service Co.

It was discovered on Monday, Sept. 20, that sometime on the past weekend the C.C. and S. Service Co., 29504 W. Eight Mile Road, Farmington Township, was broken into. Stolen were tools—including an aluminum chain fall, a 10 ton hydraulic jack, and tool chest—valued at approximately \$11,005.

Shady Salesmen Reported Plaguing Farmington Twp.

The Township's Chief Building Inspector Al Gain reports that his Department has been receiving numerous calls from residents who feel they have been taken advantage of by shady garage salesmen. According to Gain, many people neglect to read the fine print on contracts drawn up by modernization companies. They sign a contract to have a garage built on their property until the impression that they are buying a complete package. But many times they have been sadly surprised that things they had taken for granted were not included in the deal.

Bob Dusseau Broken Into

At sometime during the evening of Sunday, Sept. 19, a person or persons broke into Bob Dusseau Mercury, 33015 Grand River, Farmington. It was discovered by employees of the Company, when they arrived for work on the next day. Missing was a small amount of petty cash.

Oked in City

The Farmington City Council has granted permission to the United Foundation to hold its annual fund-raising drive in the city from Oct. 12 through Nov. 4 this year.

'Keep Us Posted' - Mrs. Avery

"When people move into a new home, one of the first things they should do is go to the Treasurer or Assessor in that community and announce their new address."

This is the advice of Elise Avery, Farmington Township Treasurer. "If this advice is not heeded," she points out, "the bills we continue to come to the person who previously lived in the house, or in the case of a new home, to the previous owner of the lot."

Staman Acres Still Thinking

The Public Hearing on the necessity for water in Staman Acres, held last week, has been postponed to Tuesday, Oct. 5. The people in the Subdivision, located west of Orchard Lake, located between 10 and 11 Mile Roads wanted more time to consider the question.

Proclaim Football Week

As Mayor of the City of Farmington, Wilbur V. Bradstreet has proclaimed Sept. 28 through Oct. 2 Junior Football League Week in the City.

Open Sewer Causes Anger in Farmington

At the urging of Councilman John Allen, the Farmington City Council will, on Wednesday night, Sept. 29, try to come to a final agreement with Carl Shaw, of 31231 Valleyview, about how and when the work on the sewer that is involved in their dispute with him will be completed.

Shaw brought this matter to the Council Monday night under the miscellaneous part of the agenda. But the issue is no stranger to the Council. It has existed, according to Shaw, for over a decade. And it has made him a very angry man.

Each series is planned on a different theme to allow students to repeat the series with the knowledge that all new materials will be used. The enrollment fee allows for the materials to be used and the instructor.



Farmington Men Finish Bank Course

Among the 14 officers and managers of National Bank of Detroit completing two weeks of advanced schooling at the graduate School of Banking at the University of Wisconsin in Madison area is Theodore E. Heiman, of 30319 Richmond Hill Road, Farmington, and Richard J. MacPherson, of 13139 Nashville MacPherson Drive, Detroit, who is manager of the NBD's Farmington office.



Four of the 14 are completing their senior year at the school. Three are scheduled to graduate in 1966, and seven are freshmen. The school is sponsored by the Central States Conference, composed of bankers' associations of 16 midwestern states. It requires two weeks resident attendance each year for three years to earn the certificate of graduation. Between resident sessions, students are required to do extension work involving problems in all phases of banking.

Farmington Schools Begin Art Classes

Saturday Art Classes, sponsored by the Farmington Public Schools in cooperation with the Detroit Institute will be on Saturday, Oct. 2, 1965 at Farmington Senior High School. Enrollment forms for the classes will be distributed this week to Farmington public school students and are available to any students in the area by calling GR 4-5132 or picking them up at the Board of Education office.

Three Hurt In Township

Twelve Mile Road at Orchard Lake Road in Farmington Township was the scene of a personal injury accident on Sunday afternoon Sept. 19.

Treated for minor injuries at Beaumont Hospital, were Bruce Delong of Orchard Lake, the driver of one car, and the driver of the other, Edward Dwyer, of 28137 David Farmington, as well as 11 year old Mary Dwyer, of the same address. According to Farmington Township Police the accident occurred because DeLong disregarded a traffic signal.

Township Miss Chosen Birmingham Ski Queen

Rose Ann O'Callahan, of 30108 Pipers Lane Ct., Farmington Township, was chosen to be the title of Queen of the Metropolitan Detroit Ski Council, at the Detroit Veterans Memorial Building on Saturday evening, Oct. 23.

A member of the Birmingham Ski Club, she won the right to compete for the Metropolitan crown when she was chosen Birmingham Ski Queen on Wednesday, Sept. 15.



Miss O'Callahan is 16 years old, stands 5' 6", and has brown hair and brown eyes, was chosen for her physical attractiveness. To be eligible for the contest the young ladies had to have skied for at least a year. Rose Ann took the sport up two winters ago. Most of her experience has been on and off the slopes of Boyne Mountain.

Fire Trucks Set For Big Parade

Farmington will be the scene of a unique parade on Oct. 8. In addition to bands, it will consist of fire trucks from all over the area. The parade will stage as part of Fire Prevention Week — to make people more fire-conscious. It is hoped such an activity will cut down on needless fires.

School to Begin Talking Spanish

Conversational Spanish lessons will be offered for the first time at Longacre Elementary School, 34850 Arundel, for children in the second through sixth grades on Saturday mornings starting Oct. 2 and continuing until Jan. 15, 1966, except for holiday weekends.

This first series of 12 Spanish lessons are available to all students in the Farmington School district. At present Longacre Elementary School is the only grade level offering Spanish instruction to Farmington area students by the PTA.

Truck Hits Bus Then Rolls Over

A Chevrolet truck driver by Elmer Johnson, of Detroit, rolled over on his side after striking a bus in Farmington Township on Tuesday, Sept. 14. Johnson was taken to Botsford Hospital with minor injuries after the accident, which took place on Middlebelt Road about 125 feet north of Highmeadow.

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FRED WOOD, an Engineer for the Oakland County Highway Commission is seen here examining one of his organization's recent accomplishments, the asphalt paving of 11 Mile Road, running across the path of the Farmington Township Hall up to Orchard Lake Road. The work was just recently completed.