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A Week Of Suspense Begins For Junior Miss Hopefuls

Saturday a panel of judges will be selecting 15 finalists for the Jaycees' "Junior Miss" pageant to be held Saturday, Nov. 18 at Harrison High School.

The annual contest has attracted 31 entrants this year, the most ever, according to the sponsors.

They will be competing partly for prizes, including a \$25 gift certificate, and a chance to go on to the state and national contests where they can qualify for \$10,000 in scholarships.

The girls are being judged on poise, fitness, scholastic achievement, creative and performing arts and an interview with the judges.

The judges Saturday include Cathy Crawford, Oakland County district vice president of the Jaycees auxiliary; District Judge Michael Hand, and Shirley Richardson, past president of the beautification committee.

They will interview all the girls at a tea, to select the entrants in next week's contest.

The contest entries include:

From Farmington High: Susan Ayres, Judy Capla, Patricia Deering, Janice Galli, Arlene Huff, Diane McDevitt and Elizabeth Ann Tuschak.

From Our Lady of Mercy: Yvonne Arens, Yvonne Baginski, Marybeth Ann Comite, Felicitas Anne Engelbrecht, Charlotte Gignac, Catherine Mary Potocki and Virginia Ann Sullivan.

From Harrison High: Andrea E. Blackburn, Linda Kay Foran, Cathy Semack, Patty Stubbs and Susan Toohey.

From North Farmington High: Debbie Dickson, Robin Diebel, Karen Dyer, Terri Kleinke, Brooke Jenks, Janet Letland, Maria Laura Moratorie, Terrie Pape, Susan Elizabeth Reed, Susan Roberts, Sue Starr, and Wendy Worack.

Final Returns

The vote totals for the local elections came in the wee small hours Wednesday morning. With the final tallies in, the Republicans did even better in Farmington than nationwide, with one exception.

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Northwestern Freeway

For about 10 years, they have been talking about making Northwestern Highway into a freeway. Now it is a little closer.

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Variety

Meetings with exchange students, a series for expectant parents, sorority holiday meetings are among the upcoming activities for clubs' and women's groups. You'll find them reported today.

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Canned Sermons

They may not be considered quite ethical, but they provide some funny material for our religion columnist, Lester Kinsolving. You won't want to miss Religion Update in our church section today.

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At Madonna

Madonna College's theater department is opening its play season next weekend with the popular "Summertime." Observerland students have important roles.

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Community Band To Open Season

The Farmington Community Band will open its third concert season at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 14, in the Harrison High auditorium with a musical program entitled "Autumn Interlude."

Feature performer will be a 17-year-old Harrison senior, Ann Osterdale, performing "Concertino for Flute."

Miss Osterdale is "Outstanding soloist in the State of Michigan," an award presented by the Youth Arts Festival Committee.

The 70-piece band, conducted by Paul Barber, is made up of both student and adult musicians from the community.

Barber promises "something for every taste."

including marches, overtures and a finale of the work of Richard Rodgers.

The performance is free, and the Farmington Exchange Club, the sponsoring organization, will provide refreshments after the concert.

Shopper Wins \$300 Gift

Mrs. Robert S. Henrich, 22861 Bella Vista, won a \$300 gift certificate during Crowley's "Courtesy Day" at the store's 64th anniversary sale.

She was one of eight winners of the contest held during the sale.



Jammed Traffic

TRAFFIC JAMS like this are common to motorists at the intersection of I-696 and Orchard Lake Rd. in Farmington. As part of a plan to the state highway department for a new interchange in Farmington, Developer Mel

Rosenhaus flew Township Clerk Floyd Cairns over the intersection at 5 p.m. recently. The township is seeking another outlet at either Drake or Halstead Rd. to help move the traffic. (Evert photo)

Voters Had Troubles Attempting Write-In

Some voters trying to "write-in" Earl Teeples for Farmington Township supervisor reported problems in working the machines.

Teeples claims some voting machines "did not work right," but Township Clerk Floyd Cairns, backed by three machine experts, says the problem was caused by voters who failed to understand how

the machines function on a write-in.

Teeples polled 2,557 votes in his defeat by Robert McConnell, the Republican candidate on the ballot, who had 11,823.

MOST OF the trouble apparently came from the locking system built into the machines to prevent voting twice on the same office, according

to Earl Bracken, custodian of the machines, who sets them up for the elections in both the city and the township.

"The complaints were not due to a malfunction of the machines," he said.

Some voters, however, apparently raised the lid over the write-in spot on the machines, and then found they could not pull a "straight party" ticket. Others complained they could not lift the slide over the write-in slot.

Bracken explained that once a slide is lifted, it is necessary to vote individual names on all the rest of the ballot.

familiar to those desiring to use it," he said.

"I feel it is the clerk's responsibility to provide instruction."

He said he is asking for written reports from voters, and any further action "depends on the gravity of the situation."

OAKLAND COUNTY Elections Director Howard Altman said he sent out two men from the Automatic Voting Machine Co., after he was asked by Cairns.

They reported no major problems, according to Altman except for some covers off the blank Democratic pointer on some machines, and "stickers where they shouldn't be."

"There was nothing seriously wrong," he said.

New Clues Found In Hit-Run Case

A new clue has turned up in the search for the driver of the car which killed Isaac Agar, 17729 Telegraph Oct. 28 and then sped off, according to Farmington Township police.

Analysis of paint chips points to a 1973 General Motors car, orange-yellow in color and damaged on the right side, Township Police Director Ronald Holko says.

The color of paint found from the hit-run vehicle is used on 1973 Corvettes, Chevrolets, Oldsmobiles and Pontiacs, he said.

Agar, 22, was killed by a hit-run vehicle on Grand River just east of Middle Belt.

Persons with any information are being urged to contact the township police.



LAURA HERZOG, a senior at Our Lady of Mercy High School, displays her prize winning Torch Drive poster. Miss Herzog's entry took second prize. The award was presented at the United Foundation Youth Day luncheon.