

## The Farmington Enterprise

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## OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Items of Interest From the Surrounding Country, Gleaned by Our Correspondents.

## Clarenceville Items.

Mrs. Elmer Weston was a caller in Detroit Friday.

Velma Teagan is out among her little friends again.

Mrs. William Schotts, of Pontiac, was a caller in Clarenceville Friday.

Mrs. Marshal Smith was a caller at Mrs. Frank Botsford's Sunday.

Miss Herrington is staying with Mrs. Jensen, while Mr. Jensen is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lyons will soon be going on their vacation for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Vorse, from Detroit, spent Sunday afternoon and evening with Mrs. Jensen.

The Embroidery club that was to meet with Mrs. B. Cook July 3rd, will be postponed until next month. Notice of date later.

Olis Jensen started Saturday for Grand Rapids, Manton, and Nashville. He expects to be gone about ten days. He motored through, and is visiting his sisters and brothers.

Mrs. William Eckler attended the funeral of her brother's baby, (Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hutchins, of Redford), Tuesday. The little one was laid to rest in Grand Lawn cemetery.

Mrs. William Shepherd was hostess Friday at a luncheon at her home near Franklin. Mrs. Clarence Everett being the honored guest. Other guests enjoying her hospitality were the Misses Ruth and Goldie Dickie, Mabel and Lillian Roediger, Fannie Gray, Ione Shepherd, Irene Curran and Mildred Gray from Detroit.

Compiling Mrs. Clarence Everett, a June bride, Miss Ione Curran entertained Thursday at luncheon at her home in Southfield. Her guests were Mrs. Charles Klett, Mrs. Ralph Pickering, Mrs. William Eckler, the Misses Elizabeth and Fannie Gray, Mae and Lella Wright,

Mildred and Mabel Gray, from Detroit, and Ione Shepherd. The table decorations were pink and white carnations. Favors were pink rose baskets filled with candies.

Seed Potatoes for sale. See Warner Dairy Co.

Enterprise liners pay.

## NOTICE OF LETTING OF DRAIN CONTRACT.

Notice is hereby given, That I, James S. Butler, County Commissioner of the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, will, on the 12th Day of July, A. D. 1917, at the residence of E. J. Verduyn, in the Township of Novi, in said county of Oakland, at one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain drain, known and designated as the "Bathrick Drain," to be located and established in the Township of Novi, in said county of Oakland, and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning in a creek known as the outlet of Walled Lake, at a point 37 feet east of the southwest corner of the ne 1/4 of Sec 15 of Section 15 of the township of Novi, in the county of Oakland and state of Michigan.

Thence over and across the said described parcel of land owned by E. J. Verduyn, a distance of 100 feet as follows: N 6 1/2° E 74 feet N 60° W 31 feet to the west line of said parcel of land, crossing said line 35 feet north of the southwest corner thereof.

Thence over and across the east 1/2 of W 1/4 of sec 15, except the part lying south of the Grand River Road and the Pere Marquette Railway right of way, section 15, town, county and state aforesaid, owned by Ford Brooks, N 8 1/2° E 87 feet N 80° W 30 feet to the west line of said parcel of land, crossing said line 100 feet south of the northwest corner thereof.

Thence over and across that part of the west half of the ne 1/4 of Sec 15, lying north of the P. M. Railway, except southwest corner, section 15, town, county and state aforesaid, owned by Ford Brooks, N 8 1/2° E 87 feet N 80° W 30 feet to the west line of said parcel of land, crossing said line 100 feet south of the northwest corner thereof.

Thence over and across the parcel of land above described and owned by said Ford Brooks, a distance of 503 feet as follows: N 21 1/2° E 309 feet N 8 1/2° E 25 feet to the north line of said parcel of land, crossing said line 114 feet east of the northwest corner thereof.

Thence over and across the s 1/2 of Sec 15, town, county and state aforesaid, owned by Mrs. Frances Regentik and Jerry Regentik, N 1 1/2° E 40 feet N 1 1/2° E 30 feet to the north line of said parcel of land, crossing said line 208 feet east of the southeast corner of the ne 1/4 of Sec 15, town, county and state aforesaid, owned by the estate of Louisa Bathrick deceased, a distance of 100 feet as follows: N 70° E 5 1/2° of the ne 1/4 of Sec 15 aforesaid.

Thence over and across the n 40 acres of E 70 acres of s 1/2 of ne 1/4 section 15, town, county and state aforesaid, owned by the estate of Louisa Bathrick deceased, a distance of 100 feet as follows: N 1 1/2° E 380 feet N 34 1/2° E 185 feet, N 1 1/2° E 215 feet, N 27 1/2° E 116 feet, N 1 1/2° E 65 feet to the north line of said parcel of land, crossing said line 521 feet east of the northwest corner thereof.

Thence on the s 1/2 of ne 1/4, section 15, town, county and state aforesaid, owned by William Flint, n 1 1/2° E 40 feet to a point in a water course 10 feet south of an elm tree 10 inches in diameter.

Survey or grade-stakes are set 100 feet apart the entire length of said surveyed line, being 40 in number, and are known as stations and fractional stations. The first station being station No. 0, the next station being No. 1, thence numbered in their order to station No. 40.

The sides of such drain where open, shall be on an outward slope from the bottom to the surface at an angle of forty five degrees.

The depth and width of bottom, width of surface excavation, and extreme width of land necessary for the deposition of the earth in the construction of said drain shall be in accordance with the following table in feet and hundredths of feet, to-wit:

No. of Station	Width of Bottom	Depth	Width of Surface Excavation	Width of Land	Extreme Width
0	2.00	2.25	7.44	50.00	
1	3.00	3.25	9.58	50.00	
2	3.00	3.07	8.28	50.00	
3	3.00	2.78	8.56	50.00	
4	3.00	3.90	10.80	50.00	
5	3.00	3.13	9.25	50.00	
6	3.00	3.25	9.56	50.00	
7	3.00	3.55	10.10	50.00	
8	3.00	3.92	10.25	50.00	
9 plus 50 Tie	3.41				
10	3.40				
11	3.71				
12	4.06				
13	4.34				
14	4.49				
15	4.41				
16	4.29				
17	3.76				
18	3.61				
19	3.77				
20	3.62				
21	3.55				
22	3.50				
23	3.78				
24	4.15				
25	4.21				
26	3.53				
27	3.91				
28	3.28				
29	3.72				
30	3.34				
31	3.15				
32	3.19				
33	3.30				
34	3.50				
35	3.40				
36	3.23				
37	2.96				
38	3.44				
39	3.45				
40	3.03				

Between stations the depth is to follow the grade of the bottom which is based upon the depth of the drain at each station.

The grade of said drain between sta-

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The width of surface excavation of open drain shall be two times the depth added to the width of the bottom.

The extreme width of land necessary for the deposition of the earth in the construction of said drain shall be 50 feet.

The center line of said drain shall be the above-surveyed line and the width of said surveyed line shall be 50 feet.

The earth in the construction of said drain shall be at equal distances upon each side of said surveyed line.

June 11th, 1917.

JOHN H. THAYER, Surveyor & Engr.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of said drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said drain, in the office of the County Drain Commissioner of said county of Oakland, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment thereof, shall be announced at the time and place of letting, and will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said drain, viz:

W 1/4 of S 1/4 of SE 1/4, Section 10, 8 acres of NW corner of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, Section 10.

S 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 15, N 40 acres of E 70 acres of S 1/2 of NE 1/4, except 1 acre off E side, also W 1/4 of S 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 15.

W 1/2 of W 1/2 of SE 1/4, lying North of R. R. except W corner, Section 15.

All in the Township of Novi, County of Oakland, State of Michigan.

Also the said Township of Novi at large.

Now, therefore, all unknown or non-resident persons, owners of and persons interested in the above described lands, and you L. B. Flint, W. Leavenworth, W. D. Flint, L. J. Leavenworth, Mrs. Louisa Bathrick Estate and Frances Regentik, Jerry Regentik, E. J. Verduyn and Sybil Verduyn, Ford Brooks, Herman Treger, and you George Neuman, supervisor and William Mater, highway commissioner of the Township of Novi are hereby notified that at the time and

Probate Order

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Oakland

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the city of Pontiac, in said county on the Eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1917.

Present Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Hannah VanAlstyne, deceased. Claude Dunlap, nephew of said deceased, having filed in said court a petition, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to George Francis or to some other suitable person. It is ordered, that the

Fourth day of July, A. D. 1917, at 8:30 o'clock in the forenoon, said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL, Judge of Probate.

A true copy JUDSON A. FREDENBURG, 6 July 1917 Register of Probate

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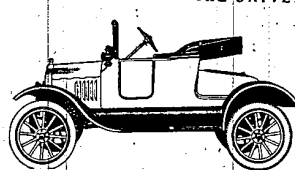
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