

Historical district honored nationally

By SYLVIA B. DEVLIN

The Farmington Historic District was accepted nationally by the National Park Service on June 18, 1975 and entered into the National Register of Historic Places. The district was nominated for listing in the National Register because the Michigan Historic Division of the Department of State and the State Historic Preservation Review Board believe the district has outstanding historic and architectural significance according to Martha Buglow, director of the historic division.

We believe that the Farmington Historic

Commission should be complimented for several years hard work, which included a very detailed presentation relative to what historic buildings and places are included within the District, she says. Preparation for this presentation took many months which included visiting each site and making a detailed evaluation of some of the history, types of architecture and past ownership of each site, according to Mrs. Buglow.

Special thanks should go to Paul Schreiber, V.O. Bates, John Allen and Louis Galan for their work on this important project, she adds.

Wounded Marine asks for hometown letters

After seven operations Marine Lance Cpl. Guy Browning, is mending a little better at the Philadelphia Naval Hospital. But the 1975 Farmington High School graduate would like to hear from his friends.



GUY BROWNING

Browning was shot after resisting a robbery attempt by two youths at the Philadelphia Naval Base on May 14. For two months the Marine son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Douglas, of 21405 Mayfield, Farmington Hills, was listed in critical condition. According to his mother, Geri, his condition has improved enough now so he has been removed from intensive care.

"IT HAS BEEN A HECTIC few months for us," she says. "We've spent most of our time in Philadelphia."

Browning was shot in the stomach with a .38 caliber revolver.

Those interested in writing should address their cards and letters to Lance Cpl. Guy Browning, 273-44-134, NRMC 17th and Pattison, Philadelphia, Penn. Ward 4C. Because Browning was able to give a description of his assailants, two persons have been indicted by a federal grand jury and charged with intent to commit murder.

The men also were charged with assault with intent to commit robbery, assault with a dangerous weapon, robbery and theft of a motor vehicle. But Guy would like to forget about all that and have some good word from home. So be sure to write.



Farmington Mayor John Richardson (left), Nancy Leonard, Paul Schreiber and Howard Albright, historical commission members, watch as DPW workers erect the city's third historical sign in front of the First Baptist Church on Shiawassee. Two other historical signs mark the sites of the city's first post office and the old township hall and Masonic Temple at the Grand River and Farmington intersection. (Staff photo by Harry Maute)

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OBITUARIES

KARL O. TRICK

Services for Mr. Trick, 77, of 33802 Orangelawn, Livonia, who died July 28, were at St. Peter Lutheran Church of Plymouth 8:30 a.m. with the Rev. Leonard J. Koenig officiating. Memorial Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

Mr. Trick was retired from Ford Motor Co.

He is survived by his wife, Freda, son, Herman of Farmington Hills, daughter, Mrs. Terry (Marlene) Lando of Northville, four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

HOWARD M. CLARK

Services for Mr. Clark, 67, of 8801 Arden, Livonia, who died July 27, were at Harry J. Will Funeral Home the same day with the Rev. David H. Krut officiating. Burial was in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Mr. Clark was retired from the central supply department of Wayne County General Hospital.

He is survived by his wife Doris, son, Howard of Detroit, daughter, Mrs. Janet Schroeder of Kalamazoo and four grandchildren.

WILLIAM DALLAS

Services for Mr. Dallas, 53, of 1800 Doris, Livonia, who died July 23, were at St. Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church July 26 with the Very Rev. James Stathakos officiating. Burial was in Forest Lawn Cemetery and arrangements were handled by the Harry J. Will Funeral Home.

Mr. Dallas was a partner for the Cadillac Motor division for 25 years.

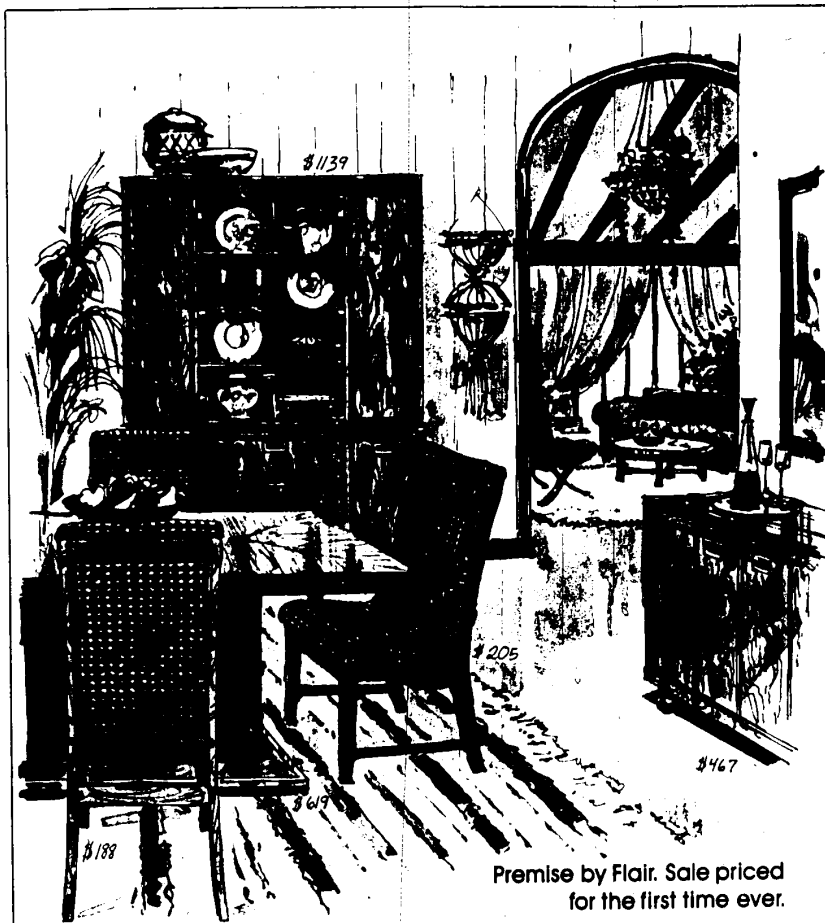
He is survived by sisters and brothers, Mrs. Frank (Keturah) Cronkrite of Largo, Fla., Christ and Eugene Dallas of Livonia and Dr. Soterios (Sam) and Athena Dallas of Glendale, Calif.

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