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High Baseball Team Defeats Northville in Fast Game

Farmington High Wins Five Games This Season

R. CATHERMAN PLAYS STELLAR GAME.

The High school base ball team won its fifth game of the season at the ball park Monday when it defeated the Northville nine 5-2. The visitors scored their two runs in the first inning on a combination of one hit produced by German, Northville's short stop, and four errors by Farmington infielders. In the Farmington half of the inning one score was brought in by R. Catherman who scored on Smith's two base hit. Two more runs were gleamed by the locals in the third when a hit delivered by Banfield made it possible for Smith and Harger to cross the plate. The rest of the scoring was done in the 7th inning when Smith came thru with a three bagger with second and third occupied. The Northville boys didn't seem able to connect with the ball for many safe drives as they

are credited with only two hits, one in the first inning and one in the eighth by Stilwell. Staman and Catherman did the pitching for the locals, Catherman replacing Staman at the beginning of the sixth inning.

Today the team plays its first game with Plymouth. The game scheduled for here two weeks ago was put off until the 14th of June on account of the weather. This will be the fourth league game of the season and if Farmington wins they will have defeated each member of the league once. Wayne comes here next Monday for the return game and Dearborn next Friday. All of these games promise to be worth seeing.

Celebrates Golden Wedding Anniversary

Friends Came From Many Sections.

MANY GIFTS RECEIVED.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leach celebrated their Golden Wedding Sunday, May 8th. This day also being Mr. Leach's birthday. A huge cake adorned the table. Guests came from Jackson, Detroit, Waterford, Rochester, Birmingham, Pontiac and Farmington.

Among those present were Mrs. Daniel Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Leach's immediate family, L. B. Charter, O. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Gitzel, A. Leach, John Leach, Mrs. E. Leach, Dorothy Leach, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Berry, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Baldwin, Wm. Malsursky, G. Schuster, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Locke, Miss B. Leach, Miss B. Schuster, L. Schuster, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Leach and family, Mr. and Mrs. O'Rourke, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Leach, N. Hunt, Floyd Leach, Glenn Charter, Allen Malsursky, and many others. A mock wedding was one of the features of the gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leach received many beautiful presents.

LADIES LITERARY CLUB.

The L. L. C. met Wednesday, May 11th, at the home of Mae Crossman.

Two fine papers comprised the program for the afternoon.

"Reconstruction Work in France," by Flora Hendryx and "Paris of Today," by Nola Switzer. Miss Boynton read a pleasing story, and an article by Ida Clyde Clark, "Women Want No More War."

The meeting adjourned to meet May 25th with Imogene Bickings.

North Farmington Auxilliary.

The North Farmington Auxilliary will meet with Mrs. Bert Simpson next Tuesday afternoon for supper, May 24th. Both two o'clock cars will be met at Nichols Siding.

Following are the names of those who attended:

George C. Martindale
C. G. Grant
Miller Davis.
Hanley A. Schroeder.
Carl J. Goers.
James Shear
Byron L. Collins.
Ray McCrumb.
Samuel Davis.
Joseph DeVriendt
M. Pettibone
Edward D. Thayer.
Joseph A. Ferguson.
Nye Humphrey.
Hugo Schaeppeler.
Carl A. Goers.
Howard G. Eisonford.
Carl G. Hogle.
Mark B. Owen
Fred Schaeppeler.
Fred H. Maas.
Alfred Smith.
William C. Way.
Edwin K. Tamm.
Walters Lee.
Norman Lee.



Spring Activities

Advised To Obtain Coal Supply Now

Will Be Shortage, He Says.

UNLESS BUYING STARTS.

"Less than one per cent of the coal consumers in Farmington have secured their supply of fuel for next winter," said Ralph Hogle. "Under normal conditions more than fifty per cent have stored their supply before June 1st. This is a bad situation. In view of past experiences. If the average consumers would buy and store one ton of coal each month from now on it would help keep some coal moving at least and we would be in a position to take our contract coal as it is shipped. It is impossible to store enough coal to supply all of the trade in and around Farmington and when our bins and stock pits are loaded we will be forced to stop shipments on it. This means that contracts and this means that later on if coal is scarce the shippers will naturally show preference to dealers who were in a position to take their allotment of summer coal."

Peoples State Bank of Redford Gives Big Banquet

Clarenceville Board of Commerce Are Guests.

In his inimitable style Thomas Sherwood acted as toastmaster at the banquet held Tuesday evening in the Lamphreys Hall given in honor of the Clarenceville Board of Commerce by the Peoples State Bank of Redford. C. H. Krugler outlined the bank policy and stated in brief that it was the idea of the directors and stockholders of the institution which he represented to serve the community in the broadest sense of the term. Mr. Krugler looks forward to a great growth in the Grand River section and he is planning on an outline of financing which will be of mutual interest to both the bank and the community at large. This young man came to this community to take charge of this bank a few years back, when the assets of the bank were below a hundred thousand dollars. Today he is in conjunction with his Board of Directors and stockholders, is guiding the reins of a large and growing financial institution. He is a practical banker and his plans are worked out for many years in the future. All are watching with interest just what C. H. Krugler has in mind in the way of getting in closer touch with the community at large. It is understood that he will soon present a plan in conjunction with the future growth of the community.

In Our Churches

Salien Evangelical Church. Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 11:45.

C. Wm. Roth, Pastor.

Universalist Church. 10:30 a. m. Morning services. Dr. Beresford will preach Subject "Is it Evolution or is it God? Is it Darwin or is it Christ?"—some reflection upon a living human problem.

12 Noon—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class.

New Pavillion To Be Opened Soon

Whereas the new pavillion at Cemaque Shores, Walled Lake, is near completion, and whereas it is the desire of Mr. Czekush to give a grand opening which is set for Thursday evening, May 26th, therefore a complete and entertaining program has been arranged. The new pavillion is the largest dance hall under one roof in this section, the seating capacity will be two thousand.

It is Mr. Czekush's intention to have the new pavillion opened with a religious service. Hence Mr. Czekush has called on Rev. P. A. Brass to deliver the address on that occasion. Mr. Czekush is endeavoring to make this occasion one of the greatest musical entertainments ever held in this section. He has secured one of Detroit's best pianists, and two well-known violinists. Local talent will furnish the singing numbers.

He is putting forth every effort to give the people the best entertainment possible upon that night. It is his intention to serve the entire congregation with ice-cream after the opening ceremonies have been completed. Moving pictures will then be thrown on the screen. Each and everyone is extended a hearty welcome.

Clarenceville

Mr. Frustin of Detroit, called on Mrs. Martha Cook Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Eckler spent Wednesday with his uncle in Green Oak.

Mrs. V. G. Lockwood was the guest of her sister in Trenton from Thursday to Monday.

Mr. Rose has his new store completed and has opened for business.

The two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wanck are out again after their recent sickness.

Everyone enjoyed themselves last Friday evening at the C. A. G. dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lockman of Keego Harbor, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Botsford over Sunday.

The first base ball game was played on Wednesday afternoon by the C. A. C. team. They played the B. A. C. Score 11-20.

Mrs. Otis Jensen, Mrs. Martha Cook and Mrs. Burr Robinson attended the Alumnum Demonstration at the Baptist church in Redford Tuesday.

A Measuring social will be given May 20th, at the school house by Mrs. S. Wood's Sunday school class. Everyone come and enjoy yourself. This is to be something different.

The annual Cemetery meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Otis Jensen Thursday, and was very well attended, about 75 people being present. Two new members were taken in at that time. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Elmer Dhaney, President; Mrs. V. G. Lockwood, Vice-President; Mrs. George Lockman, Secretary; Mrs. Ad. ph Nacker, Treasurer and Mrs. Otis Jensen, Chairman of the Quil Committee. adjourned to meet with Mrs. Frank Botsford at her work room on Thursday afternoon, June 9th. Everybody welcome.

Adequate Road Widening Solution Sought For Grand River

Movement is Started by The Wayne County Road Commissioners.

USE REFUSE CLAY FROM SEWER CONSTRUCTION TO FILL IN SIDE OF ROAD.

With the growth of Grand River Avenue business and residential property the proposition of widening Grand River Avenue has become a vital issue with the people who use this street as an artery of travel. In the heavy traffic during the busy times of the day considerable delay is encountered on account of the extreme narrowness of the road. A stalled automobile or truck holds up the traffic; a truck stopping to make deliveries; in fact the stopping of any vehicle for any purpose calls a halt to all traffic on the side of the street that the vehicle stops.

The Wayne County Road Commission has started the movement for the widening of the street by having clay hauled from sewer construction jobs and used as a fill on the side of the road. Business men, residents, club, Boards of Commerce, Automobile

men, and property owners have been faced with the problem of widening Grand River Avenue for some time but in spite of the fact that several solutions have been presented the same old condition remains. Private interests have urged the construction of a pike located between Grand River and Woodward Avenues, but such a road would lead nowhere in particular and would relieve only a portion of the traffic and would benefit only the adjacent property holders at the expense of the majority of the taxpayers.

Whereas the road known as Grand River Ave. is in point of the amount of traffic which goes into the State of Michigan, one of the most-travelled roads in the state and is a direct artery of communication between Michigan, Indiana, Ohio and Illinois. The day is not far distant when practically all inter-city hauling within the radius of one hundred and fifty miles will be handled by mechanical transport. If proper force is not shown by widening the proper roads the expense will be so large in the future and the problem will be so complicated that the commercial life of the whole state will be affected. For example you cannot send a boat thru a canal seventeen feet deep that draws twenty feet of water.

The Wayne County road officials the Oakland county road officials and other road officials whose district is affected by this much-travelled road should co-operate to the fullest extent in order to bring about the solution of this problem at the earliest possible time. The Michigan Manufacturers Association, the various farm associations, the towns and cities which Grand River traverses should all get together and put their shoulders to the wheel for their is no time like the present to start this proposition. An eminent road engineer stated that in order to have a comprehensive road building program an adequate plan was essential. The plan includes necessarily both the engineering and financial sides of the problems.

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The Enterprise Entertains 25 Ex-Soldiers

Aviation Country Club Thrown Open to Former Service Men.

Seven cars loaded with former service men drove to the Aviation Country Club where they were greeted by a table of honest-to-goodness "chow," and the hospitality of Fred Hudson and a group of distinguished golfers. Among the prominent sportsmen were Walter Hagen, twice open champion of America and one-time holder of the French championship; Joseph Mack, president of the Oakland Hills Golf Club, Willie Robertson of the famous Everglades Club of Florida, Mr. King, prominent clubman and sportsman and Mr. Wales C. Martindale, Detroit banker resident of Farmington.

In spite of the fact that it was Friday the 13th there was no hoodoo to mar the evening. It was a gathering of men who understood each other and who were proud to be together. Bowling, music and friendly groups talking over present and past events took up the evening.

BASE LINE NEWS.

Harry Simmons of Detroit spent Sunday at his home here.

Mr. Balkley is having his buildings painted. Avery Garfield of Northville, is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Greer and two children, Kenneth and Gerald, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Muirhead of Orchard Lake.

The Busy Bee club met with the Misses Shuman Thursday. The next meeting will be on May 26th, at the home of Mrs. Herman Spallier.

School in the Thayer district lets out this Friday with a picnic.

Quite a few around here lost tomato plants from the frost Sunday night. Summer Pows and 1200 set out and lost them all. Will Greer is driving a new Ford touring car.

THE AMERICAN SOLDIER: HIS SERVICE TO HIS COUNTRY AND TO MANKIND.

Will be Dr. Beresford's subject when the members of the Grand Army of the Republic and the Ex-Servicemen of the World War assemble in the Universalist church on Sunday morning, May 29th, at 10:30. The public is most heartily invited.

Have your Car shining for Sunday. The Park Garage will do it. Adv. 28p

PROGRESSIVES MEET.

The regular meeting of the Progressives will be held Wednesday, May 23rd, at Mrs. Rustling's at 6:30 p. m. Eats—Winnie Boast.