

"GRAND RIVERIA" IS NEW NAME

Selected for Grand River Road Developments from List of Five Hundred Submitted

"Detroit's Grand Riveria and Suburban Delights," is the name selected by the Grand River Ave. association as the designation of those properties fronting and adjacent to the city's super-highway to the northwest which the real estate firms, as members of the association, have undertaken to develop as a great new suburban community, says the Sunday Detroit Free Press. The name was selected from more than 500 suggested in a contest during the last three weeks and was submitted by Mrs. Lorine Davidson, 275 Grove avenue, Highland Park.

The name linking as it does, the name of the thoroughfare on which the properties represented in the association are located, and that of Europe's famous Riveria, a beautiful resort region along the Mediterranean sea, noted for its grandeur of scenery and ideal atmospheric conditions, was chosen by the association's committee as the one most aptly fitting the purposes of the association.

Mrs. Davidson, in submitting the title which was accepted, in explanation of her suggestion pointed out that "Detroit's Grand Riveria" conforms with the rules of the contest in that the title should at once cause a visualization of both the Grand River avenue district and the world famous European beauty spot. Mrs. Davidson was awarded a prize of \$100 for her suggestion. The title selected will adorn all advertising and literature to be issued by the association in the carrying out of its program. The Grand River district on both sides of Redford. The association was formed last month to assist in procuring street car line extensions, new roads, public utility service and to encourage by all possible means the development of this great area now bordering Detroit's city limits and which is expected soon to become a part of the city proper.

The association embraces properties extending from Townline road to Farmington and seeks an orderly development of the entire area, already well built up and in course of improvement. The district will be stressed as to its desirability as a home site and as a promising investment field. A social time and refreshments followed the business meeting.

F. W. C. CELEBRATES PRESIDENT'S DAY

Twenty-nine members and five guests of the Farmington Woman's club gathered at the Meadowbrook Country club June 4th, 1924 to celebrate President's Day. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted.

Mrs. Mary Johnson, chairman of the costumes committee, for the Centennial pageant, gave an outline of the work. The program was then taken up by the special committee:

A Toast to Standing Committees—Bertha Steele.

A Toast to Club Officers—Past and New—Jennie Melow.

Mrs. Minnie Wilber gave a very interesting talk on her winter in the south.

The retiring president, Mrs. Flora Hendry, presented the gavel to our newly elected president, Mrs. Anna Brown.

After spending some time viewing Meadowbrook, we gathered in the screened-in dining room to a delightful luncheon.

The next meeting of the new year will be held October 8, with Edna Dohany.

IVA HATTON, Sec.

LIBRARY CLOSED CENTENNIAL WEEK

The library will not be open during the week of the Centennial. Those holding books will please return them, particularly ones that have been out for two or three months.

Please return these books this week Saturday: Madonna in the Tub; Seventeen; Lamp in the Desert; Mine with the Iron; Tembarom; Door; Postmaster; Who was Jane; Lengthened Shadows; Little Black Bear.

Mrs. Sherman Yerks entertained for her daughter Isabelle Wednesday afternoon ten little girls at a birthday party. Miss Isabelle was six years old, and received many nice gifts. Refreshments were served at the close.

ANOTHER CAR FAILS TO MAKE MCGEE HILL

Another car failed to properly negotiate McGee hill at the north end of the village last Sunday evening and went into the ditch, coming to rest with wheels in the air. The occupants were W. D. Eastwood, wife and daughter of 51 Beechey avenue, Detroit. The daughter was at the wheel, and as the descent from the north was being made she became confused and before her father could get control the car had left the road. All three escaped without injury. The car, a Studebaker touring, was badly damaged.

STILL JERKING 'EM UP

Cases for June 4th before Justice, Eva LaFerre.

The People vs. Thomas White, for speeding. Cost of \$5.00. Officer Wilson.

The People vs. William Mitchell, for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor. Placed under one year's probation and sentenced to \$10.00 costs. Officer Wilson.

The People vs. Andrew Caschurko, drunk and disorderly. Fined and costs \$25.00 and fifteen days. Committed to jail. Officer Wilson.

The People vs. Max Vachek, drunk and disorderly. Fines and costs \$25.00 and fifteen days. Committed to jail. Officer Wilson.

The People vs. Frank Fitzgerald, for parking on paved surface of a highway outside the limits of the village. Sentenced to costs of \$5.00. Officer Wilson.

The People vs. Ed. Davis, operating a motor vehicle but one number plate. Forfeit, of \$10.00. Officer Kregar.

The People vs. Harry Handorf, Farmington, operating a motor vehicle but one number plate. Sentenced to \$10.00 fine and costs. Officer Kregar.

Fines and costs turned in to County Treasurer, \$332.00. Cases for June 11th:

The People vs. Martin O'Neill, speeding. Suspended sentence. Officer Kregar.

The People vs. Edward Covert, one license number plate. Fines, \$5.00, costs \$5.00. Officer Kregar.

The People vs. Edward Vermette no trailer license number plate. Forfeit \$10.00. Officer Kregar.

The People vs. Thomas Bowen, speeding. Forfeit \$10.00. Officer Kregar.

The People vs. George E. Hunter, parking. Forfeit \$5.00. Officer Kregar.

PIERSON SCHOOL DISTRICT TAKES TWO PRIZES

Wayne county rural schools held their annual picnic at Elizabethtown Park, near Trenton, Saturday. The forenoon was devoted to games and contests in which the Pierson district carried off prizes. Ernestine Wolfe taking second prize for ball throwing and Homer Middlewood first prize for running and jumping.

In the afternoon graduation exercises for eighth graders were held, each one receiving a diploma.

NOTES OF THE CHURCHES

Farmington Methodist Church.

S. D. Eva, Pastor

10:30 "The Size of the World."

11:45 Sunday School.

8:00 "A Great Program for a Great Life." Baccalaureate sermon.

Clarenceville Community

M. E. Church

Rev. T. J. Gregg, Pastor.

10:30 Morning services.

11:45 Sunday School.

8:00 Evening services.

First Baptist Church

C. W. Townsend, Minister.

9:45 Sunday School Adult lesson, "The Return and Re-building of the Temple." Sermon, "The Christian's Crown."

6:30 B. Y. F. U.

7:30 M. E. Baccalaureate service at M. E. church.

Wednesday at 7:45 Mid-week service.

Universalist Church

A. E. Bergdorf, Minister.

10:30 Worship and sermon.

Dr. Beresford will preach.

12:00 Sunday School and Adult Bible class.

Evangelical Church

Rev. J. Bolles, Pastor

10:15 Services in English.

11:45 Sunday School.

HONOR BANQUET A BIG SUCCESS

Second Annual Event Held Last Thursday Largely Attended—Sixty Pupils Honored

The "Honor Banquet" given by the P. T. A. of the Farmington schools at the M. E. dining hall Thursday evening, June 5th, was a decided success and everyone who attended was inspired to do just a little better than before.

Miss Bernice Millard acted the blessing, after which the bountiful dinner was served by the young ladies of the school. The music furnished by the orchestra throughout the meal was greatly enjoyed by all.

When at last the tables were cleared Mrs. Sayres D. Harger introduced the toastmaster, A. G. Leonard.

In response Mr. Leonard presented Bernice Millard and Maurice Graham with individual cups for being the best round athletes of the school, after which he thanked the P. T. A. for their splendid cooperation in the work they have done the past year.

The following is the list of "Honor Students" as presented by the toastmaster:

Scholarship—Bernadine Ver Duyn, Marie Walling, Florence Bachelor, Margaret Brann, Genevieve Green, Avis McCafferty, Ruth Roggenkamp, Viola Walters, Alice Arnold, Helen Bachelor, Elizabeth Clark, Byron Lapham, Mabel Mahaney, Louise Roggenkamp, Mildred Tredway, Genevieve Forsythe, Ellen Perry, Rowland Snook, Adaline Wixom, Irene Vander.

Department—Thelma Aldrich, Lucille Halstead, Florence Bachelor, Esther Middlewood, Helen Bachelor, Evar Hedberg, Byron Lapham, Mabel Mahaney, Clara Tredway, Mildred Tredway, Alice Arnold.

Attendance—Barbara Empson, Robert Shaw.

Girls' Athletics—Basket ball and track—Lillian Reynolds, Janet Nutnam, Helen Steele, Grace Chamberlain, Esther Middlewood, Virginia Nichols, Margaret Pickett, Bernice Millard, Mildred Adams.

Boys' Athletics—Base ball, basketball, foot ball and track—Kenneth Wixom, Albin Salow, Percy Spall, John Bryson, Wm. Chamberlain, Harold Cousins, Harlie Walters, James Quinn, Fred, Allyn Clarence Manzel, Maurice Graham, John Veitch, Marmon Boice, Irving Lancaster, Rev. Sallow, Evar Hedberg, Robert Cook.

Mr. Leonard mentioned the fact that the teachers were planning their vacations and spoke of one in particular who was really going to take a "Lark."

The program was as follows: "Basket Ball and Life"—Lillian Reynolds.

"Making Athletics Successful"—Kenneth Wixom.

Song, "Over the Ocean Blue"—Bessie Glee club.

"Being a B"—Viola Walters.

"The Right Place at the Right Time"—Robert Shaw.

"Loyalty by Brain and Brawn"—Rev. S. D. Eva.

Song—"Percy Pauline, 'Aristocracy of the Intellect'"—Ray Alexander.

Mr. Alexander especially emphasized hard work as the key to success.

FLEMING-KELLY

At 2:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon Miss Eva, F. Fleming spoke her marriage vows to Mr. Robert Kelly of Bowling Green, Kentucky.

The ceremony which was performed in the home of the bride's brother Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Fleming of Farmington, was read by Rev. W. D. Campbell of Hamilton Blvd. Church of Christ.

The bride party entered the living room to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Mrs. Feildon Fleming.

The bride who was given in marriage by her brother Mr. F. D. Fleming, was lovely in a gown of white and carried a bouquet of flowers.

The attendants were Mrs. Leroy K. Fleming as matron of honor, and Mr. Leroy K. Fleming, as best man. Miss Virginia Fleming acted as ring bearer.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was served with a bride's cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly left immediately for an eastern trip and will be at home on their return in Detroit for the summer. Their parents Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Green, Kentucky.

Miss Fleming was an honored guest at many pleasant affairs before her marriage and received many beautiful gifts.

EXCHANGITES ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

The summer convention of the Affiliated Exchange Clubs of Michigan was held at Monroe Monday.

It was the largest in point of attendance, of any held by the clubs. Much interest was manifested in the affairs of the organization and particularly in the fine program furnished. Monroe did nobly in the matter of entertainment.

There was a not a dull moment during the day. Those attending from Farmington were Clarence Bickling and wife, Carl Hogie and wife, Ralph Hogie and wife, E. O. Hatten and wife, Leo Gildemeister, Fred Pauline, Floyd Nichols, Fred L. Cook, Spencer Heene, Olin Russell, and W. N. Miller.

The securing of first prize by the Redford Exchange club for the best stunt was most pleasing to Farmington Exchanges.

LEE HARDWARE CO. GIVES A PARTY

The Lee Hardware Co., had as its guests a large number of people of Farmington and vicinity at the new store building last Saturday night.

Perkins orchestra furnished the music and a jolly time until midnight was spent in dancing on the smooth maple floor.

RESUME SCOUT MEETINGS

The Boy Scouts will be glad to learn that the scout meetings will be resumed next Monday evening at the Methodist church.

A new Scoutmaster will direct the work of the scouts and endeavor to begin to make preparations for camp this summer. Ohyesa will again be the camp for the scouts.

This popular camp will take care of a limited number of Farmington boys. All Boy Scouts who desire to join the scouts are asked to be at the meeting place at 7:30 on Monday evening.

CENTENNIAL NOTES

The printed programs are out and are being put into circulation. They can be had at the banks and business place in town. Be sure and get one. They cost nothing and they will tell you all about the event that is to take place on June 19, 20, 21. Besides, there are bits of interesting history scattered through its pages. Better keep one for a souvenir so that your children's grandchildren will have one to look at when the town celebrates its next birthday in 2024.

We especially invite the pioneers and older citizens to the meeting of the 19th at 2:30 p. m. at the town hall. This is the time and place to tell one's experiences.

Many things of interest have taken place that have never appeared in print and are not generally known. Come and tell us about them. You may think they are not worth relating. But some event that happened long ago apparently trivial in character may give us a correct glimpse of the past that could be had in no other way.

Quite a number have signified the intentions of taking part in the parade. But our flag society as soon as possible. If you can present some phase of pioneer life in its construction or some episode in the history of the town it will be very satisfactory and what we greatly desire. But our flag society has greater freedom in the building of something typical of the present day and its activities will give it free rein and see what it can do. Your constructive ability may be much greater than you think.

Please decorate your auto. Perhaps it looks old and commonplace. You can change all that and make it present a very different appearance by the exercise of a little ingenuity and skill in the decorative line. And to you, stand a chance of winning a prize. It is hoped and expected that there will be a great many autos in the parade. Many of our citizens possess one and we hope that most of them will be there. One hundred years from now you will not be here to drive one and it is probable that the machine may be worn out at that time.

Visitors are welcome to inspect the log cabin and its contents. Come and see the things of interest that it contains. We are still without a table of the older time and we would like another chair.

Again I wish to thank the many who have helped what they could to help furnish the cabin with the things that the pioneers used.

N. H. P.

Mrs. Frank Bradley entertained at dinner Thursday night at the home of Mrs. D. L. Dickerson, Mrs. R. G. Adams, Mrs. Frank Allyn, Mrs. S. D. Eva, Mrs. John Thayer and Mrs. Minnie Osamus.

THE LEGION'S NOBLE WORK

Groves-Walker Post Raising Money to Help Support the Children's Billet

The Grove-Walker Post of the American Legion will endeavor to raise its quota of one hundred and fifty dollars for the support of the Children's Billet at Otter Lake. A stand will be conducted by it during the three days of the Centennial and a major part of every nickel spent there will go to this institution.

The following from the American Legion Weekly tells of the billet and explains the prompting that led to its establishment.

The "boys" are giving freely of their time and money. Let your nickels roll across their counter. They will return in blessings—to yourself and many little ones.

Bud Terry was child and his child mind was confronted with the greatest of all mysteries when he was still lisping his first words. His father had died in France. Daddy would not come back. Bud had been told while he was learning to walk. His mother sorrowed as she bravely worked to hold her home but there came a day when she found herself no longer strong and she knew that she, too, was going to die.

Bud had wondered what Heaven looked like and whether the railroad that wound out of sight over the hill led to it. His Sunday school teacher had spoken of the kingdom of heaven and of the Great Father who said, "Suffer little children to come unto Me and forbid them not."

Then came the day when Bud said good-bye to his mother, sobbing as a train gathered speed and rolled on toward the top of the hill at nightfall. That night Bud cried himself to sleep. When morning came he looked about in another world, a world without blank walls or dreary streets, a world that stretched away on every side in a panorama of dazzling light. And Bud was a new boy, warm and comfortable looking upon this other world, while a new mother was welcoming him and a score of new-found brothers and sisters were about him. Surely, Heaven could be no better place, although there were no streets of gold and no body had wings.

Bud is one of the twenty-six children who are living in the American Legion's Children's Billet at Otter Lake, Michigan, the first working unit of the legion's national program for the care of wives and children of deceased and disabled service men.

High up on a wooded hill overlooking Otter Lake and facing the village of Otter Lake on the opposite shore, stands the first cottage of the first Legion home, proof that the godfathers of the Legion and the godmothers of The American Legion Auxiliary are varying out their pledge to preserve the heritage of happy childhood. Founded by the Michigan Department of the Legion and several months ago placed under the control of the Legion's National Child Welfare committee the home at Otter Lake has become the inspiration of the Legion's whole effort to help the needy and orphaned children of its comrades. It is perfectly located in the heart of a 96-acre tract of virgin Michigan timberland which encompasses three beautiful lakes.

THE HIGH SCHOOL TATTLER

News

Kindergarten—

Several suits and dresses have been made for the kindergarten dolls.

The boys are interested in furnishing the three room house they built with "Paddy Kili" blocks.

For nature study the children have been studying the iris and the lilac.

Several trips have been taken to the creek where graham crackers were fed to the minnows. Several spring birds including the golden oriole and the cedar waxwing, have been seen on these trips.

Second Grade—

They are memorizing "Little Tommy Grace."

They have begun a race in numbers which so far has proved very interesting.

In concluding their bird study for the year they will take up the woodpecker, quail, owl and night hawk.

BACCALAUREATE SERVICES

The baccalaureate service for the high school graduating class will be held at the Methodist church on Sunday next at 8 o'clock p. m. The united congregations of the churches will join in this service. The order of the service is as follows:

Hymn—"Rejoice ye pure in heart."

Chant—"The Lord is in His Holy Temple."

Prayer—Rev. C. W. Townsend, Baptist Church.

Antiphon.

Scripture Lesson—Rev. J. Bolles, Evangelical church.

Offertory.

Hymn—"Fight the good fight with all thy might."

Sermon—"A Great Program for a Great Life," Rev. S. D. Eva.

Hymn—"Be strong. We are not here to play."

Closing Prayer—Rev. A. B. Beresford, D. D., Universalist church.

Parents and friends of the graduating class are especially urged to share with the students this important event in their school life. It is one of the crowning days of their career and a large gathering of citizens and friends will help make the day and service a memorable event in the life of the students.

GRADUATION NOTES

The baccalaureate services will be held at the M. E. church Sunday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Rev. S. D. Eva will give the address.

Monday evening at 6:30 the eighth grade will have their commencement banquet at the La Cosmopolitan Hotel. The color scheme will be worked out in the class colors of blue and yellow.

Following is the program:

Introduction of Toastmaster—President Kathleen Goers.

Song—Class.

Piano Solo—"Hayward Sallow."

"It Ain't Goin' to Rain No More"—Boys, accompanied by King Harger with the piano.

Prophecy—Elizabeth Holcomb.

Song—Madelyn Walters, Margaret Dolson and Edith Pearson.

"Why We Plan to Go to Night School"—Evelyn Dennis.

Mr. Leonard will also address the class.

Wednesday, June 18 is senior class night at the Methodist community hall. Members of the class will participate.

The salutatory will be given by Mable Wheeler. The valedictory by Bernadine Ver Duyn.

On Thursday evening commencement exercises will be held in the community hall. Professor M. S. Pittman of Ypsilanti will be the special speaker.

On Saturday evening is the Alumni banquet to be given at the M. E. dining room. Each member will be permitted to bring a guest.

A GOOD STORY

Everybody enjoys a love story; the motion picture, "Happiness" which will be seen at the Methodist community hall on Saturday with Laurette Taylor, the star, is the kind of a story. Picture lovers will remember this star in that wonderful screen story, "Peg O' My Heart" which made such a hit not long ago. A Hal Roach comedy will be a part of the Saturday program.

Mary Pickford's first grown-up picture, "Rosita," will be the screen feature on Tuesday evening. The picture is all story, and a wonderful story at that. The elaborate settings, the romantic theme and colorful dramatic display are the background for America's sweetheart in her first effort to be grown-up. A comedy will also accompany this picture.

Sixth Grade—

Gertrude Sherlock, after being absent a week, is back in the school again. She injured her hand on the playground apparatus, after which blood poison set in.

The first graders are learning how to use the ruler.

The second grade is planning a California trip. They are going by train and by airplane.

The third grade is learning how to mix colors by painting landscapes.

The high school art class is finishing up their lamp shade.

The Girls' Glee club sang a special number at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

The Boys' Glee club and Percy Pauline furnished the special singing at the Honor banquet last week Thursday.

The "News Editor" has an apology to make to the school for scarcity of news, but as it is nearing examinations all the grades are reviewing.

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