



CHECKS MAPLE -- Inspecting the branch of a maple which will be sold to a Farmington Township homeowner during the Founders Festival are Barbara Moehlam (left) and Dorothy Gordon, both members of the Farmington Township Beautification Committee which is sponsoring the tree sale. (Ever photo)

Buy Shade During Festival

Once again, Farmington Township residents may purchase shade for their backyard during the Farmington Founders Festival July 23, 24 and 25.

The 1970 fall tree planting, offered by the Township of Farmington Beautification Committee, will officially get underway during the Festival with orders by residents being placed.

MEMBERS OF the Beautification Committee will be operating a booth at Demery's shopping center, 12 Mile and Farmington Rd.

Entry blanks will be available at the booth for residents wanting to order trees. The entry blank reprinted in today's paper may also be used to save time by filling out in advance and handing it in at the booth.

Application blanks may also be mailed, with check, to Supervisor: Township Office

Tree Order Form

Send application to: Township Supervisor, Township of Farmington, 31555 11 Mile Rd., Farmington, Mich. 48024.

Please furnish me _____ trees. Enclosed is a check in the amount of _____ made payable to Township of Farmington.

NAME (print) _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

DATE _____

I understand the cost of the trees, if planted by the nursery with a one-year guarantee, its pin oak and Moraine locust, \$25; sugar maple, Norway maple and red maple, \$21. If planted by myself, the trees will not be guaranteed and will cost: pin oak and Moraine locust, \$13; sugar maple, Norway maple and red maple, \$12.

TREES	NUMBER WANTED	PLANTED BY (circle one)
Pin oak	_____	nursery/owner
Moraine locust	_____	nursery/owner
Sugar maple	_____	nursery/owner
Norway maple	_____	nursery/owner
Red maple	_____	nursery/owner

Deadline for ordering trees is Sept. 10. Trees will be delivered this fall.

Color TV Given Away

Visitors to the Farmington Founders Festival July 23, 24 will have the chance to purchase souvenirs commemorating Oakland County's 150th anniversary.

The Founders Festival in Farmington is the last scheduled event of a year of activities as part of the county's celebration of its sesqui-centennial (150th birthday).

Gerald Lacy, coordinator of the county's celebration announces that the sesqui-centennial executive committee will arrange for a concessions stand to be located in Farmington during festival days.

The souvenir booth will offer for sale such commemorative items of the county's sesqui-centennial as straw hats, playing cards, lighters and decals for car windows.

The booth will be located in the Downtown Farmington Center.

Threshers Dinner Is Only For The Hungry

A person can work up an appetite romping around the Farmington area taking in all the activities of the Farmington Founders Festival July 23, 24.

One of the best places to get your fill is at the Farmington Masonic Temple at Grand River and Farmington Rds.

THE MASONIC TEMPLE will be the site for the annual Threshers Dinner which features country-style food at the dinner held especially for the festival.

The Threshers Dinner will be held Friday, July 24, with the serving line opened at 5:30 p.m. and plates filled until 8 p.m.

The dinner is sponsored by Farmington Chapter 239 of the Order of Eastern Stars.

DINNER CHAIRMAN Bessy White, who has directed the dinner for the past three

Sell Trees During Festival

By Betty Frankel

"Plant a tree" suggests Mrs. Dwight Gordon, chairman of the Farmington Township Beautification Committee. Once again shade trees are being sold to the residents of the township by the Beautification Committee during the Farmington Founders Festival, July 23, 24, and 25.

THIS YEAR, five kinds of trees are being offered so that homeowners will be able to select the proper kind for their soil and growing conditions.

Sugar maple and Norway maple need light, sandy soil. The red maple grows in heavier clay soils and so does the pin oak. The Moraine locust thrives in any type of soil.

The sugar maple (Acer saccharum) is one of the best loved native American trees, providing both maple syrup and wood for furniture and paneling. They grow into large, handsome trees that eventually are over 100-feet tall with oval, rounded heads.

Even when young, they are excellent shade trees. A 10-year-old tree is more than 20-feet tall. The sugar maple leaves are a medium green which turns to red and yellow in the fall.

They are sturdy trees, but tend to be slower growing than either the Norway or red maple.

Sugar maples need light, sandy soil with good drainage.

THE NORWAY MAPLE (Acer platanoides) is a native of Europe that has been widely planted in this country ever since colonial times. It grows into a broad, round-crowned tree that eventually reaches about 75-feet in height.

The leaves are a deeper green than those of the sugar maple and are thicker. They are broader at the base than are the leaves of the sugar maple. In fall, the leaves turn a clear yellow color that is very attractive.

The Norway maple casts a very dense shade. Unfortunately this tends to make it difficult to grow grass beneath them. However, since they grow relatively quickly and have dense foliage they can be used to screen an unwanted view.

They are also popular street trees. Norway maples grow best in light, sandy soil.

THE RED MAPLE (Acer rubrum) is a native American tree that is attractive at all seasons. It eventually grows into a medium large round-headed tree, but young trees are often pyramidal in shape.

The bark is a silvery color and the leaves are bright green with a red stem. The red maples are one of the first

trees to turn color in the fall and they are noted for the brilliance of their red color which shows to good advantage against the green of other trees.

They are colorful, also, in early spring when they are covered with many tiny flowers, and in late spring when they are laden with red winged seedpods.

The red maples are fast growing trees. In nature they are often found in low swampy areas. They will grow in heavy moist soil, but will also tolerate drier soil conditions, too. They are adaptable trees.

PIN OAKS (Quercus palustris) have an attractive pyramidal or conical form. The upper branches grow upright, the middle branches are horizontal and the lower branches droop down. They eventually grow about 75-feet tall. A 10-year-old pin oak would be about 20-feet tall.

The leaves are sharply lobed with a tiny pin-like bristle at the tip of each lobe. They are a deep rich green in summer and turn scarlet in autumn.

In nature, pin oaks grow in moist bottom lands. They will grow well in heavy soils as long as they are not alkaline.

These graceful trees are not suitable for street trees because of their pendulous branches, but they make excellent lawn trees.

THE MORaine LOCUST (Gleditsia triacanthos) is a seedless and thornless type of honey locust tree.

It has a wide spreading crown with horizontal branches and lacy, open foliage. Because of its spreading form it is often used as a substitute for the American elm tree.

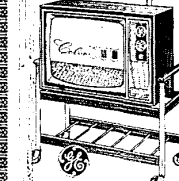
The leaves are compound, composed of many little leaflets on a stem six-12 inches in length. It has a delicate fern-like appearance.

The leaves are light green in summer and turn yellow in fall. They leaf out rather late in spring and the leaves are shed relatively early in fall. Since they are so small they are often blown away by the wind so raking up in fall is not a big chore.

The Moraine locust is a very fast-growing tree, reaching 30-feet in 10 years. It thrives under a wide variety of conditions and soils. Another advantage is that the shade is light so grass grows well beneath the tree.

Free Gifts.

There's a courtesy gift for you at our NBD Farmington offices. 23309 Farmington Road and 31806 Grand River at Lakeway, Thursday and Friday (July 23 and 24).



Here's your chance to win a Free GE 18" Portable Color TV

Estimate the number of pennies in the coin bank on display in the lobby of the NBD 23309 Farmington Road branch. The person closest to the correct number WINS! Fill out an entry card at the branch. One entry per family.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE _____

We estimate the number of pennies in the coin bank is _____

This offer good at 23309 Farmington Road branch only. One of the correct entry cards.

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OFFER EXPIRES JULY 24, 1970 MEMBER FDIC

Come in and celebrate Farmington Founders Festival with us. And go home with a free gift from NBD.



We'll give you free, for a new \$100 or more savings or checking account or adding \$100 or more to your present savings account or new rental of a safe deposit box your choice of:

The famous West Bend 10" Teflon II Fry Pan. No-stick cooking. No-care cleaning.

or

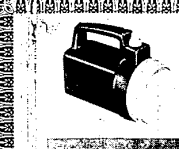
A Pepperell Airweave Thermal blanket, perfect for year-round use. Size 72 x 90 ft. full or twin beds. Gifts limited to one per family.

This offer good at 23309 Farmington Road and 31806 Grand River at Lakeway branches only.

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There's another free gift for opening a new NBD savings or checking account with \$100 or more. Or adding \$100 or more to your present savings account. Or for a new rental of a Safe Deposit Box. You decide. Then decide on your free NBD gift shown in the coupons.



For a new \$100 or more checking or savings account or for adding \$100 to your present savings account or new rental of a Safe Deposit Box, we'll give you free your choice of:

A Handy Ray-O-Vac Nite Hawk Floating Lantern. Ideal for apartments, home or travel.

or

Nine serving pieces of internationally-known International Silverplate. Gifts limited to one per family.

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But there's more. A chance to win a free GE 18" portable color TV. Just hop on over to our 23309 Farmington Road NBD office. Estimate, closest, the number of pennies in the giant piggy bank on display, and the color TV set is your very own.



Here's a money-saving alternate choice: A Kodak Hawkeye Instamatic II camera for just \$3.90!

Instead of the free gift, you can choose to buy a new Kodak Hawkeye Instamatic II camera for just \$3.90. When you've won \$100 or more saving or checking account, add \$100 or more to your present savings account or new rental of a Safe Deposit Box. Offer limited to one per family.

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Everybody wins! There's a free courtesy gift waiting for everyone visiting the above NBD Farmington offices July 23 and 24.

Remember, for every banking need, the bank to see is NBD.

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