local news

By MARIE LONG GR 4-3114

Mrs. Clara Wixom of Grand River Avenue, one of the descendants of the pioneer Steele family at Drake and 11 Mile of Farmington, was given an open house on her 90th birthday Sept. 13. The open house was held in the American Legion Hall on Grand River.

Some 200 guests arrived to help her celebrate throughout the afternoon. Mrs. Wixom has two daughters, three sons, nine grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Wixom's daughters are Mrs. Adaline Jamieson and Mrs. Dorothy Smith, both of Farmington. Her sons are Kenneth, Ralph and Russell Wixom. Mrs. Wixom makes her home with Ralph at the Grand River address.

Two of the granddaughters were present from Washington D.C. and many nieces and nephews were present. Guests were from Gaylord, Grand Rapids, Davison, Grand Ledge, Harrison, Pontiac, Southfield, Detroit and Farmington area.

Mrs. Wixom is a member of the Unitarian Universalist Church, of which her parents were charter members when it was known as "The Universalist Church." She is also an active member of the Farmington Historical Society and the Woman's Club of Farmington and the West Farmington Farm Bureau. We all wish her many more active years and much happiness for many birthdays to come.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE MAIER, of West Brandon, Farmington, were happy to welcome the birth of daughter Jennifer Lynne Sept. 12 in Botsford General Hospital.

Little daughter weighs eight pounds three ounces. She was welcomed home by sisters Laurie and Joanne and brothers Douglas and Dennis. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ewart Hodgins of Quebec, and Mr. and Mrs. George Maier of Southfield.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. MacDonald of Power Rd. was given a surprise 25th wedding anniversary party by daughter Diane and sons Douglas, Dennis, and David on Sept. 6.

The surprise silver anniversary party was held in the home of Mr. MacDonald's sister Helen and husband Jerry Lema of Farmington.

MEETING THE WHIP — U.S. Sen. Robert P. Griffin (R-Mich.) chats in his assistant Republican leader's office in the capitol with leaders of the U.S. Jaycees from Michigan. From left are: Patrick Nowak of Farmington, Jaycees national vice president; Griffin; and Donald E. DeMoss, Michigan State Jaycees president. Nowak was in Washington to attend the U.S. Jaycees' Environmental Improvement Seminar.

Sonnenberg

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SECOND WITNESS called was Bernard T. Christy, a township auxiliary patrolman, who had assisted Sonnenberg with the family trouble call July 3 at the Braun residence.

Christy testified Braun had resisted arrest with force numerous times inside the house and outside knocked him unconscious for a few seconds with a blow to the head.

Christy told how Raun pointed a rifle at him in the upstairs hallway and then dropped it and ran. He also testified about Braun throwing a doll buggy and a log outside before being shot.

Mrs. Braun followed Christy on the stand and told her version of what happened in her home the day of the shooting.

Mrs. Braun confirmed there was a lot of scuffling between her husband and police, told of her husband's resistance, and recalled the doll buggy being thrown.

She testified she did not see her husband with a gun and was in the garage at the time of the alleged log-throwing and did not know if the log was thrown at an officer.

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NEXT TO TESTIFY was Dr. Sheldon Eichler, a dentist who lives across the street from the Braun residence. Eichler told of watching activity on the Braun driveway from inside his home through the library window.

Eichler said he saw Braun bend down as if to pick something up before the first shot was fired. He also told of seeing an object fly through the air, land in the lawn, and roll into the street.

The officer who fired three shots, Eichler testified, was standing on the lawn near the street at the time. Mrs. Braun was inside the garage when the shots were fired.

Final witness called was Mrs. Janet Hauser, Eichler's fiancee. Mrs. Hauser was at Eichler's home at the time of the shooting across the street.

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THE WARRANT against Sonnenberg was issued the same day, Sept. 12, as a warrant was issued charging second degree murder against Corporal Thomas Godwin of the township police department.

Godwin at arraignment stood mute and was released on $1,000 bond. Godwin is being charged in the Aug. 30 slaying of Eldon Kephart of Farmington Township.

The pre-trial examination for Godwin will be held Nov. 16 in Farmington District Court. It is expected Judge McCann will also conduct Godwin's examination.

There were four township patrolman, including Godwin, who were at the Kephart residence to answer a family trouble call.

Two officers have given written statements, under pressure, to the prosecutor's office. The third, Patrolman Noah Wormack, had fired a shot on the scene and has been advised not to give written statements.

Gage had advised the four officers not to make statements about the Kephart shooting. The two officers did, however, after prodding by Chief Irving Yates.

Dancers Begin Group

FARMINGTON

A new square dancing club is starting Oct. 2 at the William Grace school, 29040 Shiawassee between Inkster and Middle Belt, with Tom Liversedge, caller.

Arrangements have been made to have the school facilities available Friday evening from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. The club will dance every other Friday. Alternate Fridays will be for beginners.

SPACE WANTED

Wanted to lease about 2,000 sq. ft. Partly office space, partly storage for supplies by man in same business in Detroit for 25 yrs. Plush office not wanted because we seldom have customers come to visit. Want low rent. No objection to side street, side entrance. 2nd fl. Must be well heated and air cond. Prefer NW section. Farmington or other suburbs. Want reasonably safe neighborhood for employee's security. Would consider buying small old bldg. if price is right and would take our chances on renting portion of it. We do no manufacturing, are quiet and orderly and would disturb no one. No objection to sharing space with another tenant. Expect to put up with some disadvantages for low rent. Also would consider old house in good condition that could be converted into an office. Drop post card in mail, owner will phone for an appointment.

Box K
FARMINGTON ENTERPRISE AND OBSERVER

OGLESBY & OGLESBY, Attorneys
33314 Grand River Avenue
Farmington

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
102,236

Estate of JAMES M. NOURJIAN Deceased.

It is Ordered that on December 16, 1970 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to prove their claims and on or before such hearing file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon Grace Ann Zientarski, Executrix, 2609 Los Angeles, Walled Lake, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: September 16, 1970

EUGENE ARTHUR MOORE
Judge of Probate

Oglesby & Oglesby, Attorneys
33314 Grand River Avenue
Farmington, Michigan 48024
A True Copy
WILLIAM M. TRAVIS
Register of Probate Court
Newspaper Farmington Enterprise and Observer

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
102,304

Estate of NORMA ETHEL MacARTHUR, also known as NORMA E. MacARTHUR, Deceased.

It is Ordered that on December 16, 1970 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan, a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to prove their claims and on or before such hearing file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon Leona M. Stapert, 32254 Valley View Court, Farmington, Michigan 48024.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: September 14, 1970

NORMAN R. BARNARD
Judge of Probate

Albert P. Herzog, Attorney
23290 Farmington Road
Farmington, Michigan
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WILLIAM M. TRAVIS
Probate Register
Newspaper: Farmington Enterprise & Observer

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
102,456

Estate of Nida B. Moran, Deceased.

It is Ordered that on December 16, 1970, at 9 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to prove their claims and on or before such hearing file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon The Executor-H. James Moran, 4400 Warner, Howell, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: September 14, 1970

EUGENE ARTHUR MOORE
Judge of Probate Court

Albert P. Herzog, Atty.
23290 Farmington Road
Farmington, Michigan 48024
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William M. Travis
Register of Probate Court
Newspaper: Farmington Enterprise and Observer

9-27,10-4,11

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
102,548

Estate of ANNA MAAS, Deceased.

It is Ordered that on October 27, 1970, at 9 a.m. in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Dorothy Maas for the admission to probate of an instrument purporting to be the Last Will and Testament of said deceased, and for the granting of administration with will annexed of said estate to Albert P. Herzog or to some other suitable person, and to determine who are or were at the time of death the heirs at law of said deceased.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by statute and Court Rule.

Dated: September 14, 1970

DONALD E. ADAMS
Judge of Probate

Albert P. Herzog, Attorney
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Farmington, Michigan 48024
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WILLIAM M. TRAVIS
Register of Probate Court
Newspaper: The Farmington Enterprise & Observer

9-20, 27, 10-4

LARSON and HARMS, Attorneys
28700 Orchard Lake Road
Farmington, Michigan

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
103,501

Matter of CAROL ANN TOUT

IT IS ORDERED that on October 20, 1970, at 9 A.M., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Carol Ann Tout to change the name of Carol Ann Tout to Carol Ann Paski.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: September 9, 1970

NORMAN R. BARNARD
Judge of Probate

Larson and Harms, Attorneys
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Farmington, Michigan
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SANDRA ROWLAND
Deputy Probate Register
Newspaper: The Farmington Enterprise and Observer

9-20, 27, 10-4, 70

ALBERT P. HERZOG, Attorney
23290 Farmington Road
Farmington

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
77,285

Estate of ADOLPH E. NACKER, also known as ADOLPH NACKER.

It is Ordered that on October 7, 1970, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of Russell Nacker, Executor, 19451 Westmore, Livonia, Michigan praying for the allowance of his seventh and final account, allowance of fees, assignment of residue and for the discharge of said executor.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: September 3, 1970

DONALD E. ADAMS,
Judge of Probate

Albert P. Herzog, Attorney
23290 Farmington Road
Farmington, Michigan 48024

9-13, 20 & 27-70

WENDELL BROWN, Attorney
Ford Building
Detroit

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND
102,578

Estate of LOUISE M. HENKEL, Mentally Incompetent.

It is Ordered that on December 1, 1970 at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to prove their claims and on or before such hearing file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon the guardian, Wendell Brown, Ford Building, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule.

Dated: September 4, 1970

NORMAN R. BARNARD,
Judge of Probate

Wendell Brown, Atty.
Ford Building
Detroit, Michigan 48226
Newspaper: The Farmington Observer

A True Copy
SHAKEY GODOSHIAN
Deputy Register of Probate Court

9-13,20,27

REGISTRATION NOTICE

FOR

GENERAL ELECTION

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1970

To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Farmington (Precinct No. 1-18)

COUNTY OF OAKLAND, STATE OF MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law", I, the undersigned Clerk, will upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Township, City or Village not already registered who may APPLY TO ME PERSONALLY for such registration.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I WILL BE AT THE FOLLOWING PLACE ON

SEPTEMBER 30, 1970, at 31555 Eleven Mile Road, until 8:00 P. M

AND ON

Friday, October 2, 1970 - - Last Day

From 8 o'clock a.m. until 8 o'clock p.m.

The Fifth Friday preceding said Election

And on Saturday, September 26, 1970 — 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

As provided by Section 498, Act No. 116, Public Acts of 1954 As Amended.

For the purpose of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said TOWNSHIP as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the Constitution if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

ELECTOR UNABLE TO MAKE PERSONAL APPLICATION, PROCEDURE

SEC. 504. Any elector who is unable to make personal application for registration because of physical disability or absence from the Township, City or Village in which his legal residence is located, may be registered prior to the close of registration before any election or primary election by securing from the Clerk of the Township, City or Village in which is located his legal residence, duplicate registration cards and executing in duplicate the registration affidavit before a notary public or other officer legally authorized to administer oaths and returning such registration cards to the Clerk of the Township, City or Village before the close of office hours on the last day of registration prior to any election or primary election. The notary public or other officer administering the oath shall sign his name on the line for the signature of the registration officer and designate his title.

UNREGISTERED PERSONS NOT ENTITLED TO VOTE

SEC. 491. The inspectors of election at any election or primary election in this State, or in any District, County, Township, City or Village thereof, shall not receive the vote of any person whose name is not registered in the registration book of the Township, Ward or Precinct in which he offers to vote. (As provided under Act 116, P. A. 1954.)

TRANSFER OF REGISTRATION, APPLICATION, TIME

SEC. 506. Any registered elector may upon change of residence within the Township, City or Village cause his registration to be transferred to his new address by sending to the Clerk a signed request, stating his present address, the date he moved thereto, and the address from which he was last registered, or by applying in person for a transfer. The Clerk shall strike through the last address, ward and precinct number and record the new address, ward and precinct number on the original and duplicate registration cards, and shall place the original registration card in proper precinct file. Such transfers shall not be made after the Fifth Friday next preceding any regular or special election or primary election, (unless such Fifth Friday shall fall on a legal holiday in which event registration transfers shall be accepted during the following day).

TRANSFER OF REGISTRATION ON ELECTION DAY

SEC. 507. Any registered elector who has removed from one election precinct of a Township, City or Village to another election precinct of the same Township, City or Village and has not recorded such removal with the local Clerk shall execute a transfer of registration request, listing the new residence address thereon over his signature, with the election board in the precinct in which he is registered at the next ensuing primary or election. The inspector of election in charge of the registration records shall compare the signature upon the applicant's registration record card, if the signatures correspond, then the inspector shall certify such fact by affixing his initials upon said request. The applicant for transfer, after having signed an application to vote as provided in Section 593 of this act, shall then be permitted to vote in such precinct for that primary or election only. The application for transfer shall be filed with the Township, City or Village Clerk who shall transfer such voter's registration in accordance with the application. When the name of any street in a Township, City or Village has been changed, it shall be the duty of the Township, City or Village Clerk to make the change to show the proper name of street in the registration records, and it shall not be necessary for the elector to change his registration with respect thereto in order to be eligible to vote.

Floyd A. Cairns, Township Clerk

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A Special Election to be Held in Conjunction with

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Elizabeth Brines, City Clerk

Publish: September 26 and 30, 1970

No. 70-278

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Farmington Public Schools will receive sealed bids for the construction of a modular addition to Shiawassee Elementary School, 30415 Shiawassee, Farmington, Michigan 48024, at the Board of Education Offices, at which time and place bids will be opened and read aloud.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 P.M., E.S.T., October 7, 1970, at the Board of Education Offices, at 32500 Shiawassee, Farmington, Michigan 48024.

Plans and specifications may be obtained at the offices of Ralls-Hamill-Becker Associates, Inc., 15223 Farmington Road, Livonia, Michigan 48154.

A deposit of Fifty (.$50.00) Dollars will be required for each set of plans and specifications, deposit to be refunded when plans and specifications are returned within one week after bid opening.

Each contractor will be able to obtain two (2) complete sets of plans and specifications. Any additional sets of drawings only will be available for the charge of printing. No additional specifications will be available.

Proposals must be submitted on forms furnished by the Architect and must be accompanied by a certified check or bidders bond payable to the Owner for a sum of not less than five (5%) percent of the amount of the proposal.

In the event that the successful bidder fails to enter into a contract with the Owner, this security may be forfeited to the Owner.

All proposals shall remain firm for a period of sixty (60) days after official opening of bids.

The Owners reserve the right to reject any or all bids in whole or in part and to waive any formalities therein.

Mrs. Katherine Stirling, Secretary
Farmington Public Schools
Farmington, Michigan

Publish: September 27, 1970