

police/fire calls

Listed below are some of the Farmington-area police incidents, fire calls and court cases from the past week:

• SUSPECTS NABBED

Three teenagers face felony charges in connection with the theft of two speakers valued at \$120 from a car parked at the Farmington Tennis Club, 2277 Farmington, Nov. 8.

Arraigned Nov. 11 before District Judge Margaret Schaeffer of Farmington, the three — a 19-year-old from Redford Township, an 18-year-old from Redford Township and an 18-year-old from Detroit — stood mute to one count of breaking and entering of an automobile.

Innocent pleas were entered. All were released on bond pending a preliminary exam in 47th District Court. Conviction could bring a pen-

alty of up to five years in prison.

An Oakland County Probate Court Juvenile Division petition will be filed against a 15-year-old Detroit boy.

Farmington Hills Police Department undercover officers cooperated with Farmington Department of Public Safety officers in the arrests, said Commander Peter Amato of Farmington.

• MONEY TAKEN

A vending machine stolen from Jean's Hardware, 29550 12 Mile, was recovered in a field near Inverrary Condos Nov. 11. An unknown quantity of quarters were taken from the machine, which was damaged when recovered. Three teenagers are suspects in the theft, according to a Farmington Hills police report.

A customer buying cigarettes at a Farmington gas station Nov. 11 shoved an employee and took \$100 from the register. After the man asked an employee at Citgo, 31233 Grand River, for a pack of cigarettes, he pushed her away when she opened the register. Officers believe the theft may be related to a similar incident in Redford Township, according to a Farmington Department of Public Safety report.

• THEFTS REPORTED

Tools and a deck speaker were reported stolen from a car parked at the Farmington YMCA, 28100 Farmington, Nov. 4.

An unlocked bicycle valued at \$172 was reported stolen from outside Tom's Market, 20925 Inkster, Nov. 5.

A 1984 Pontiac Trans Am valued at \$10,000 was reported stolen from Polo Club Apartments Nov. 5-6.

A 1987 Pontiac Grand Am valued at \$15,000 was reported stolen from Polo Club Apartments Nov. 5-6.

A 1983 Pontiac Sunbird valued at \$3,000 was reported stolen from Orchard Place Nov. 6.

A cellular telephone valued at \$2,900 was reported stolen from a car parked at S&S Auto, 32310 Eight Mile, Nov. 6.

Car accessories valued at \$200 were reported stolen from a car parked at the Crossroads Shopping Center, Nine Mile and Farmington Road, Nov. 6-7.

A microwave oven, a VCR and a color TV valued at \$900 were reported stolen from R.M. Gilligan Inc., 28237 Orchard Lake, Nov. 6-9.

An in-dash radio valued at \$150 was reported stolen from a car parked on Longwood Nov. 7.

A bronze Liberty-type bell valued at \$700 was reported stolen from a wooden frame in the front yard of a house on Herndonwood Nov. 7-8. The bell is 30 inches in diameter at the end.

A VCR valued at \$900 was reported stolen from a house on Ryan Drive Nov. 7-8.

A 1977 Ford valued at \$500 was reported stolen from the parking lot behind Page's, 23621 Farmington, Nov. 8.

A radar detector valued at \$120 was reported stolen from a car parked at Greenhill Apartments Nov. 8-9.

A cellular telephone valued at \$1,500 was reported stolen from a car parked at Greenhill Apartments Nov. 8-9.

Jewelry, furs, sterling silver, a color TV and a VCR valued at \$3,450 were reported stolen from Summit Apartments Nov. 9.

Cash and money clips valued at nearly \$1,000 were reported stolen in two separate incidents at the Racquetball Courts of Farmington, 34200 Nine Mile, Nov. 9.

A cellular telephone valued at \$2,000 was reported stolen from a car parked at Blakeney's Ranch House, 28333 Grand River, Nov. 9.

A lawnmower, a compressor and other items valued at \$800 were reported stolen from a garage on Congress Nov. 9.

Steel curb forms valued at \$1,000 were reported stolen from a pickup parked at the Rustic Pub, 31030

Man dies from fall

The death of an electrician who fell from a ladder Oct. 28 while working in downtown Farmington has been declared accidental by the Oakland County Medical Examiner.

William Fisher, 46, of the Flint suburb of Goodrich, died at Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills two days after the accident, according to a Farmington Department of Public Safety report.

Oakland County medical examiner Bill Brooks said Fisher's death was due to injury from a blunt trauma he suffered when he fell from the ladder and hit his head on the concrete sidewalk, according to

his autopsy results.

The accident occurred as Fisher was doing apparently unauthorized electrical work on the Books Abound building, 33336 Grand River, shortly after 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 28. According to witnesses, he was standing on the upper part of an 8-foot wooden step ladder, when he lost his balance and fell to the sidewalk.

Although the victim had been working with electrical wires, Brooks reported Fisher had received no electrical shock. Fisher was a licensed electrician who did many jobs for the city of Southfield during the past 17 years, the public safety report said.

Grand River, Nov. 10.

Stereo equipment, coins and jewelry valued at \$876 were reported stolen from a house on Brookdale Nov. 10.

A 1982 Ford Mustang GT valued at \$6,500 was reported stolen from along Hemlock Nov. 10-11.

A battery valued at \$70 was reported stolen from a car parked at the Chesney Building, 28972 Orchard Lake, Nov. 10-11.

A cellular telephone valued at \$2,150 was reported stolen from a car parked at the Summit Apartments Nov. 10-11.

An in-dash radio valued at \$200 was reported stolen from a car parked at Livonia Towing, 24701 Hathaway, Nov. 11.

A 5-foot-tall Bonsai tree valued at \$500 was reported stolen from a house on Meadow Hill West Nov. 11-12.

A stereo valued at \$3,000 was reported stolen from a house on Middlebelt near 12 Mile Nov. 12.

• DAMAGE REPORTED

Damage was estimated at \$150

when an unknown object was propelled through the windshield of a car stopped for a traffic light at Orchard Lake Road and I-960 Nov. 6.

Damage was estimated at \$200 when the front door to a room at the Holiday Inn of Farmington Hills, 38123 10 Mile, was kicked in Nov. 6-7. The room apparently was the setting for an unauthorized teen party.

Damage was estimated at \$200 when a Detroit Free Box outside the Convenience Food Market, 29405 12 Mile, was blown up Nov. 7.

Damage was estimated at \$100 when five mailboxes and a wooden mailbox shed on Hidden Valley were damaged by an explosive Nov. 8.

Damage was estimated at \$2,500 when light fixtures in front of the Heeney-Sundquist Funeral Home, 23720 Farmington, were broken Nov. 11.

Damage was estimated at \$400 when a pellet was fired through a window at Howard's Jewelry, 28350 Eight Mile, Nov. 13.

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