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NEW ROAD INTO FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP

The paving this year of the Twelve-Mile road, between Southfield Superhighway and the Orchard Lake road, is one of the biggest projects on the 1926 program of the Oakland County Road Commission, says B. C. Spitzley, a prominent Detroit realtor. Completion of this pavement will open up a new and attractive route from Detroit via Southfield Superhighway to the beautiful lake district of Oakland County.

"The Twelve-Mile road," said Mr. Spitzley, "is one of the many famous byways in Oakland County. It winds through woods and over hills and streams through some of the most picturesque country scenery in Southfield and Farmington Townships. It is one of the little roads which serve to acquaint the tourist with so much of the romantic and the poetic in Oakland scenery."

ANNOUNCE HOUSE BUILDING CAMPAIGN FOR FARMINGTON

An announcement of extraordinary interest to rent payers and those of this vicinity who are interested in the development of Farmington Township is the plan for building houses in Farmington View (formerly Parker Farm, Grand River Cutoff at Nine Mile Road) announced by Eugene Realty Co., of Detroit who will build a beautiful 6 room, modern house for less than \$6,000, in this well restricted Sub.

"These houses will be very well built and specifications call for paneled dining room, oak floors, steel fenestra casements, built in tub, tile floor in bath room, shutters and flower boxes, and interior tastefully decorated. Improvements call for sewer disposal system, water, sidewalks, gravel streets, electricity, etc."

Exact duplicates of these houses are being sold in Detroit now for \$3175.

Farmington View is properly restricted; single homes must cost at least \$4500 and have a full basement; no persons other than those of the Caucasian race may occupy these premises, thus assuring you that you may build or live here to your detriment.

There will only be a few houses built at this price so if you are interested in a home fill in the coupon in Farmington View Building Ad on Page 7 Now.

OLIVET COLLEGE SELECTS NEW COACH

Al Cassell, four letter man at Carleton College, all star in football and baseball, captain of the football team, leader of track has been secured to turn out at Olivet College a team to be reckoned with in the M. I. A. A. next year. Mr. Cassell, who is finishing a term of successful coaching at Iowa Military School, comes to Olivet with exceptional training, prestige and experience. He is a leader of men, inspirer of confidence, and builder of morale. Olivet College might well look forward to a successful season under his leadership.

Plans are being made to hold the commencement exercises on June 12, 13, 14. On June 14th, the college will graduate sixty-five which is by far the largest class to leave the campus. At this time also Dr. Vesting will be formally introduced and give the commencement address.

NINETY DAYS IN JAIL

Albert Ciesiak, who pleaded guilty before Municipal Justice, John J. Schulte Jr., of City of Farmington, on May 17th, to the charge of breaking and entering a dwelling in the day time, was bound over to the Circuit Court where on his plea of guilty he was sentenced to ninety days in the Oakland County jail.

LEWIS-BEACH

On last Tuesday evening, Mr. Harry M. Beach, of Lansing, Michigan, and Miss Jennie Lewis of Grand Rapids, were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. E. F. Durlav officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Beach will make their home in Grand Rapids.

FARMINGTON MUNICIPAL JUSTICE COURT

The following parties complained against by Police Officer Herman Krueger and Deputy Claude Wilson were convicted or discharged by Municipal Justice John J. Schulte Jr., during the past week.

Arthur Ziehn, 8336 Logan Ave Detroit, speeding, \$15.00
Leo Flynn, Detroit, speeding \$15.00.
Jesse Patterson, Novi, Mich. speeding, \$5.00.
John J. Reska, 125 Adelaide Street, speeding, dismissed.
Joe Stone, 6454 Mt. Elliot Ave Detroit, speeding, \$15.00.
Carl Greenburg, 4090 Seyburr Ave, Detroit, speeding, \$15.00.
Albert Boehm, 8817 Olivet Ave Detroit, Reckless and Careless driving, \$5.00.
Bert Kelly, 6066 Woodward Ave., Detroit, City Ordinance \$3.00.

Church Notes

Farmington Methodist Church
Rev. Edward F. Dunlavy, Pastor
M. E. Church Notes
10:30—Worship and sermon. Special Music by the choir. Sermon by the pastor on "Our Privilege."
11:50—Sunday school.
6:30—Epworth League.
7:30—Evening service. Special numbers by the choir and quartet. The pastor will speak on "The Best Things Evenly Distributed."

Evangelical Church
Rev. J. Bollens, Pastor
Sunday and Monday were busy days at Rosemond Hills, the best of the season.
Evangelical church
10:15—Services. English.
11:45—Sunday School.
Wednesday, June 10th, Y. P. L. Lecture with pictures. A trip to Washington, D. C.

First Baptist Church
Rev. E. W. Palmer, Pastor
10:30—Morning worship and communion service.
Junior sermon, "Let Go and Let God."
Adult message, "The Church as a Family."
Reception of new members.
11:45—Sunday School. We are growing each week. Come and visit us.
6:30—B. Y. P. U. for all young people.
7:30—Gospel service. Sermon subject, "Religion Enough to Hurt."

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Clarencville

(At Switzer Road)
Rev. Paul Graupner, Pastor
9:30—Sunday School.
10:15—Confessional Service.
7:30—English Service.
Wednesday, June 9th, at 8:00 p. m. Rev. Marmaduke N. Carter, a colored pastor of the Synodical Conference, who graduated from our institutions, will lecture on our mission among the negroes. Everybody welcome. The collection will be for the benefit of negro-mission!

Clarencville Community
M. E. Church
Rev. Harry Felton, Pastor
Livonia Center Com. Church
Everybody's Church
Dr. Helen R. Phelps, Pastor
Coventry Gardens, Farmington and Five Mile Roads

Universalist Church

Services Sunday at 3:00 p. m. conducted by Rev. Frank D. Adams, of Detroit. Subject "The Only Sensible Hell!"

Group Two of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. E. F. Dunlavy, Wednesday June 9.

This being the last meeting all members are urged to be present.

MICHIGAN 'AT WORK'



When a steaming pot of baked beans is brought to the table in an American household, the chances are just about even that the beans were raised in Michigan.

Beans are one of the principal vegetable products of American agriculture and Michigan raises 41 per cent of the entire crop of the country. This is shown by the estimates of the Department of Agriculture for 1925.

The bean crop of Michigan is estimated at 7,336,000 bushels. The crop of the entire United States is placed at 17,740,000 bushels.

California's crop is second to that of Michigan. It totaled 3,338,000 bushels. The Colorado crop is third, totaling 2,331,000 bushels. Beans is only one crop of which Michigan is an important producer. Cucumbers or pickles, sugar beets, potatoes and hay are others for which the state is famous agriculturally. The diversified nature of Michigan farming insures her against agricultural distress from the failure of any one crop.

TEN YEAR OLD BOY KILLED ON HIGHWAY

George Crockett, 10 years old who lived at the Methodist Children's Home on West Grand River avenue, was struck by an auto last Friday morning while on his way to school. He was taken to Dr. Aschenbrenner's office here by Herbert Simmons of Five Points, driver of the car which struck him, but died from loss of blood soon after.

An investigation by officers decided the fact that the boy had been hailing passing autoists for a ride and that he suddenly stepped out into the road directly in front of the car which was traveling between 20 and 25 miles an hour. The accident happened suddenly. Mr. Simmons stated that it could not be avoided. Coroner Gordon decided that an inquest was not necessary.

The lad leaves a father in Detroit, who was notified and made the funeral arrangements.

Services were held Saturday afternoon from the Heene Family Home, Rev. S. D. Eva officiating. Interment at Oakwood Cemetery.

OUT OF POLITICS

The Grand Rapids Herald emits the following chuckle over Governor Groesbeck's announcement that the highway program is "out of politics."

"On the Herald's own state page we read that there seems to be a strong element in Michigan in favor of Governor Groesbeck's reelection following his recent announcement that M-13 will be paved to Howard City this summer." Then—down in another corner of the state—we read in the Adrian Telegram: "Praise Alex Groesbeck from whom, all blessings flow; the governor has announced that M-8 will be built at once; now if the governor can get Adrian a new union station, we're willing to deed him the city hall." Then as in a dream, we revert to the governor's fourth term announcement when, with a perfectly straight face, he announced that "all matters pertaining to highway construction are effectually removed from politics." Despite his own pretty posture of political detachment, we should say that our distributor of largess runs into some uncannily profitable coincidences. Of as one of the familiar characters in an Octavus Roy Cohen story would observe: "Politics and roads ain't nuthin' else but." As a matter of fact it has been explained to us by one Groesbeckian philosopher that the correct theory of voting in Michigan in 1925 is to "give 'em roads!" Also: if they get roads, they'll not stop to listen to dissertations on arithmetic or constitutionalism and they won't inquire who pays for 'em or what they cost." Concrete, in other words, is useful for all machines—automotive or political; and voters are expected to think with their carburetors. We, too, welcome voters; and we never backward about crediting the governor with large public service in stressing highways. But government is not all gasoline and—with highways effectually removed from politics—we should dislike to think that nothing counts with the electorate, in the determination of large and complex problems, but the immediate music of a concrete mixer. Road money, after all, is tax money—and not a gubernatorial dole. The public "pays the freight."

James Halsted is reported not gaining as well as expected.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bradley visited in Royal Oak, Wednesday.

Miss Evangeline Bradley spent the week end and Decoration Day at her home on the Seven Mile road.

Mrs. Claude Leach was able to be in Farmington the first Tuesday since her bad fall several months ago which injured her knee.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Sprague of Detroit, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Sprague, Maple Hill Farm.

Mrs. Herman Horton of Bay City is visiting her brother Charles Andrews and family and nephew, Fred W. Daines and family. Mrs. Horton was formerly a resident of Farmington.

Fifteen members of the local Exchange Club played with members of the Birmingham Exchange Club at Meadowbrook Club Wednesday afternoon. A victory for Birmingham was the outcome.

LOCAL NEWS

Memorial Day luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Sprague were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gaston, Mrs. Mary Gaston and daughter, Miss Harriet Gaston and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Sprague, all of Detroit.

Tuesday afternoon at the Baptist Church the members and Friends of the Ladies' Auxiliary listened to a very interesting and inspiring talk by Mrs. Grimshaw, a missionary from Africa. Lunch was served at noon to a good attendance.

500 FARMERS ATTEND BUREAU RALLIES

Nearly 500 farmers and their families attended the Farm Bureau Rallies held at Oxford, Holly, Milford, Clarkston, Walled Lake and South Lyon.

Much interest was manifested in the volunteer drive for members which is in progress in connection with the twenty-nine other Michigan counties.

Two hundred and all seventy-five workers in Oakland county have been selected to go out and ask their neighbor to join the Farm Bureau.

On Monday, June 7 each worker and his wife are expected to meet at the Clarkston M. E. Church at 9:45 where Mr. Barbre from the General Organization Co., of Chicago and Mr. Alfred Bental, Manager of the Organization Department, Michigan State Farm Bureau will conduct a team school which will be both instructive and entertaining.

At noon they will be the guests of the Farm Bureau at a banquet served by the Eastern Star ladies of Clarkston.

INTERESTING PIANO RECITAL

Miss Irene T. Kremer presented her Farmington pupils in an unusually interesting piano recital last Thursday evening, May 27, at the Community Hall, before a large and appreciative audience.

The stage was prettily decorated in lilacs and tulips.

Great credit is due the pupils and their teacher for the splendid manner in which the numbers were rendered.

The Kremer Mandolin Quartette deserve favorable mention for their two numbers on the program as they began their study of the mandolin only a little more than a month ago.

MURDER SUSPECT TO FACE COURT

Gillie Hernandez, 27 years old factory worker, who is charged with the murder of Thomas Miller, 32 years old, in the midst of a crowded carnival grounds north of Pontiac Tuesday night, Wednesday waived examination in municipal court and was immediately bound over to the circuit court for arraignment.

Prosecutor Clyde D. Underwood plans to take him before one of the circuit judges tomorrow morning. Hernandez was not moved by sight of Miller's body. He had intimated to officers that he didn't believe "the man had died and they took him to the morgue for a view of the dead man."

BOY SCOUTS PRESENTED WITH PARADE FLAG

A very pretty and impressive service took place at the Methodist church a week ago when a beautiful parade flag was presented to the Boy Scouts of our city. Through the influence of Mrs. Samuel Lohk, who is a member of the Ladies National League of Detroit, this splendid gift was made possible. A number of ladies from the Detroit society were present, and in a very pleasing way presented the flag to the Boy Scouts. Mr. E. High Hardy accepted the flag on behalf of the Scouts.

BOOKS OVERDUE AT LIBRARY

Following are books that have been absent from the library for some time. If convenient would like to have them returned Saturday, June 5:

Twelve Tests of Character. Bob. Feb. 20.
With Indians in the Rockies. Flower of the North. April 3.
Cloudy Jewel.
John Dover.
Fortune's Yellow. April 3.
Desert Gold.

PLYMOUTH DEFEATS SHOREHAM

The Shoreham Park base ball team lost in a good game to the Plymouth nine at the latter place Memorial Day, by a score of 3 to 0.

The Shoreham team will cross bats with the Oakland Motors at Shoreham Park next Sunday at 3 o'clock.

BIRTH

Joseph and Mable Palmer are the proud parents of a daughter, born Wednesday, June 2, at Pinehurst Hospital.

BOOSTING FARMINGTON

As a result of a meeting of business men and citizens at the Town Hall, Tuesday evening, a campaign was launched for boosting of Farmington and vicinity that promises well for the advancement of this locality.

It is the purpose to let the world know of the many advantages this city and locality offers as a home town, through a series of large and attractive advertisements in the Detroit-News and the Detroit-Free Press, the first of which will appear in the real estate sections of those newspapers next Sunday.

The business men of Farmington and several of Detroit who are interested in this locality, have subscribed liberally toward the expense of the advertising campaign and all that is needed to make a big success of it is the hearty co-operation of every citizen.

For the purpose of perfecting the organization another meeting here of citizens has been called for next Monday evening, June 7, at the Town Hall, which should be largely attended.

ISRAEL MARKHAM

Funeral services for Israel Markham, who died Saturday at his home in Farmington Acres were held Tuesday morning at Our Lady of Victory Church, Northville. Burial at Northville.

Deceased was 84 years old and leaves three sons, Theodore of Buffalo, N. Y., Horace, of Northville; Oliver, of Detroit; five daughters, Amanda, Victoria, Mrs. Ben McIntyre, Mrs. Alfred Ducharme of Farmington, Mrs. Charles Bensette of Walkerville, Ont.

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TAX ROLL APPROVED

The city board of review, consisting of J. L. Hogle, chairman, H. A. Schroeder, W. D. Butterfield and N. H. Power, was in session on Tuesday and Wednesday. The tax roll, prepared by Arthur Lamb, assessor, apparently is quite satisfactory, but few complaints, being registered. The roll was approved.

FIRST DINERS AT ORCHARD GARDENS

The Orchard Gardens, corner Orchard Lake and Thirteen Mile Roads, G. W. Merritt, proprietor, was opened to the public on Memorial Day. The first guest to be served at the inside table was Dr. Edward E. Maxville, president of the Detroit-Institute of Music. The first guests to be served at outside tables were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. May of Dearborn.

An automobile accident occurred on West Grand River Wednesday when a car owned by Mrs. W. C. Banfield and driven by her sister, Mrs. Amy Perry, struck a Lansing bus. Mrs. Perry luckily escaped with only a sprained ankle. The car was not damaged beyond repair.

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