

# Forest PTA Will Hear Weldon Petz

FARMINGTON  
Weldon E. Petz, principal of Forest Elementary School, will speak on "A Pilgrimage with Abraham Lincoln" at 8 p.m. April 28 for the last meeting of the school year of the Forest Elementary PTA.

The meeting will be held in the school at 23445 Old Timber Rd., Farmington, and will include a business meeting and election of officers for the 1971-72 school year.

Petz is internationally recognized as an authority on Lincoln. He has published many articles and is widely quoted by other authors. In the past 20 years, he has spoken to more than 300 groups.

In 1954-55, he served as a member of the national advisory board to select the outstanding Lincoln magazine article and newspaper cartoon for the year.

Petz recently completed a five-year term as advisory board member of the University of Iowa for its civil war publications. Serving on the 20-member board were such Lincoln historians as Allen Nevins, Bruce Catton and Carl Sandburg.



**WESTBROOK PLANTING** -- Site development plans are moving along for Westbrook School in the Farmington portion of the Clarenceville School District. Students and faculty members recently went to Clarkston to dig trees for the school grounds. The trees were transported on a truck owned by Bill Wright and planted under the direction of Mrs. Dorothy Cox, Westbrook science teacher who initiated the site development plan. Part of the manpower was supplied by Farmington Supervisor Earl Teeples. (second from right) who helped unload the fir trees from the truck.

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## Farmington Socially Speaking

By KATHY ZISKA GR. 4-7261

Farmington Country Club's annual ball to honor the President and Ms. Bruce Sauer of Southbrook Rd. and new members, was held on a recent Saturday night. Besides lots of good company and dancing, members enjoyed a gourmet dinner. Some of the members attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Al

Brandon; Mr. and Mrs. William Conroy; Mr. and Mrs. Max Bell; Mr. and Mrs. R. Andridge; Miss Catherine Kary; Mr. and Mrs. O. Ellis; Mr. and Mrs. D. Lonsberg; Mr. and Mrs. William Bell; Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Foster; Mr. and Mrs. M. Damschke; Mr. and Mrs. Vern May; Mr. and Mrs. George Welch; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Birney; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cowan; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neilson; Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Spencer; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunn; Mr. and Mrs. Dave Taylor; Mr. and Mrs. D. Berglund; Mr. and Mrs. R. Rutherford and many more.

Mr. and Mrs. Obie Kinney of Bycroft Rd. and their four children, Dinanna, Eileen, Kate and Andrew, drove to the Dauphin Island in the Gulf of Mexico for a very relaxing two weeks. You reach the island by the way of Alabama. A stop was made in Kentucky to view Lincoln's birthplace. All of the southern exposure resulted in sunburns for the Kinney clan.

The Mercy High School annual spring fair will be held on Friday, April 20 through Sunday, May 2, on the school grounds at Middle Belt and 11 Mile Rds.

The fair will be open on Friday from 5 to 10 p.m., Saturday from noon to 10 p.m., and Sunday from noon to 8 p.m. Those that attend are promised thrilling rides, interesting games and tantalizing food.

**MRS. MARGARET HOWARD** of Ivywood is home after major surgery at Mt. Carmel Hospital. We might add she is doing very well, but I'm sure this remarkable woman wouldn't mind being remembered with a sunshine card!

Gene and Betty Jorgenson of Austin, Minn., spent three days in the home of Jane and Harry Ramsay on Hawberry Rd. The Jorgensons were here to attend the Men's ABC Bowling Tournament in Cobo Hall, team event as well as singles, and to reminisce with long-time friends.

Serving overseas together and being best man at the wedding is more than enough for a long time friendship. And, next year, it will be the silver anniversary for both couples. There was a hint of "wouldn't it be nice to celebrate the 25th anniversary touring Europe?" wouldn't it be nice to celebrate the 25th anniversary touring Europe? between the two couples. Many dreams do come true and we in Observerland are predicting this will come through for them.

### 3 Honored

FARMINGTON  
Three Farmington residents were among those making the dean's list at Farm State College in Big Rapids.

They are: John T. Roughley of 3400 Quaker Valley Rd., a business major; Patricia A. Socali of 31923 Hull, health sciences and arts major; and John V. Stockell of 26345 Middle Belt, general education.

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**PAUL W. MCGOVERN, Chairman**  
Board of Oakland County Road Commissioners

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