

# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hatton and daughter were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. Roy Hatton, celebrating the birthday of their mother, Mrs. Martha Hatton of Ypsilanti.

Rev. H. Addis Leeson, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. McCracken, N. H. Power, the Misses Ida and Zaida Steele, Miss Meriah Andrews, attended the 44th Oakland County Pioneer banquet at Pontiac Saturday, February 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hargor and daughter Marilyn were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Harger over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Andrews, who have been ill, are improving.

Virgil of the Michigan State College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Button.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Cook and daughter Florence Alice visited Robert Cook at Ann Arbor Sunday.

Miss Mary Foster attended the funeral on Wednesday of Mrs. Emma B. Dean, mother of George E. Dean of Albion.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bergue and Mrs. Florence Bachelor of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lamb.

Several Farmington women attended the bridge party given by the King's Daughters of Redford on Thursday at Sunset Ballroom.

Group No. 1 of the W. H. M. Society were entertained at the home of Mrs. F. Storms Tuesday afternoon. The ladies sewing on layettes are to be sent to the Medical Mission at Boston, Mass. A dainty lunch was served.

Miss Natalie Knapp of Yale is spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Thayer.

Mrs. L. F. Schroeder spent Wednesday in Detroit.

William Way, L. C. Thayer, Amos Otis, H. R. Wester attended the Past Masters' night at Northville.

Howard Thayer spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Waite at Novi.

Les Ivy Hawkins of Lansing called on Farmington friends on Saturday and Sunday.

Andrew Milne of Northville was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hatton Wednesday.

Clive Ford of Ypsilanti, C. B. Leeson and Miss Edith Weston of Detroit were luncheon guests at the M. E. Parsonage, Saturday, February 22.

Miss Helen Hard and Miss Mary Foster attended the 35th annual reunion of Detroit Teachers' College alumni, held in the First Baptist Ballroom of Masonic Temple.

Mrs. F. L. Cook spent Monday in Detroit.

Leland Lamb of Lansing spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harper of Decatur called on Mrs. J. H. Greenman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Billett of Jackson spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Melow of Salem were Farmington callers Tuesday.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society will hold their regular meeting March 4 with Mrs. L. R. Pike on Maple avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ross entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Davis and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Fernstrom and children, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lent and daughter, at dinner Sunday.

Little Vera Briggs has returned home after spending six weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Asterline at Northville.

Mrs. Frances Halstead is home from Harper Hospital.

F. & A. M. No. 151 will confer the second degree Monday, March 3rd.

Thomas Irving was taken to Harper Hospital Monday.

Mrs. Leland Schultz spent Monday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson entertained friends Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Fink, Mrs. K. E. White and Mrs. L. Ferrara were callers Tuesday at the Ireland Dancing School at Redford where a number of Farmington girls and boys are taking dancing lessons.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nash left Monday for a motor trip through the South.

The Farmington Cleaners are improving the front of their place of business with a large new sign.

Mrs. Barrons of Detroit spent Sunday with her son, Norman and family.

On February 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rye of Commerce, a son, at Pinehurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bennett of Novi was dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Alice Tuttle, Saturday.

Mrs. Alice Tuttle and Miss Ruth Tuttle spent Thursday at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Borough of Elsie, Mich., called at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Charles Walling on Tuesday afternoon.

Winnifred Walling entertained for luncheon on Washington's birthday Mrs. Anna Back, daughter, Mrs. Wanda Rye, son Stanley Constock and grandson, Junior Rye of Detroit, Mrs. Katherine Mudge and son Earl of Pontiac and Mrs. Bessie Drake of Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fritz and son Donald and Mrs. A. C. Walling spent Wednesday at the home of Charles Walling, Mrs. A. C. Walling remaining for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Jay Borough and daughter Mrs. Clifford Campbell spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Borough's sister, Mrs. Charles Walling.

Mrs. A. R. Kruzer entertained a few of her neighbors at a bunco party Wednesday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Howard

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right to vote. Mr. Nelson was asked if he would be willing to have another vote. He answered that he "only wanted the question brought out in the open where citizens will have a chance and the vote was taken. It resulted 14 to 11 against the resolution."

The meeting adjourned after the nominating committee had been granted an extension until the April meeting, when the election of officers will be held.

The resolution offered by Mr. Nelson is as follows:

Whereas, the selection of a new Superintendent of Schools for Farmington School District No. 5, has, to a large extent, the effect of defining the policies of the school for some time to come, and whereas, the present Board of Education, through a controlling majority of its members, has seen fit to ignore and refuse to give due consideration to the wishes of a large number of citizens, (as expressed in a petition thereon), and

Whereas some of their acts in connection therewith are of doubtful validity and may therefore later be declared null and void, and

Whereas the foregoing mentioned circumstances seem to warrant a course of action in connection therewith, that will surely and definitely settle these matters, therefore,

Be it resolved by the P. T. A. of Farmington, in regular session assembled, that the resignation of any member be contingent upon the presentation of the resignation of at least two other members on or before Saturday, 12 noon, March 1, 1930. That it is hereby understood and expected that any member so resigning, shall seek vindication of his course of action by being a candidate for re-election at the District School meeting which will be called as a result hereof. The vote on this resolution shall be taken by written ballot.


MANY AT O. E. S. PARTY

A large gathering attended the bridge and pedro party given by Farmington Chapter, Order of the Epitaph Star, in the Chapter dining-room Tuesday evening. Bridge and pedro were played.

NEW MANAGER


R. L. Whitlock is the new manager of the Farmington A. and P. Store, succeeding E. J. Stokes. Mr. Stokes has been expecting a transfer for some time.

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