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Farmington Wins First Grid Game

Conquer Belleville In Season's Opener, 19-0 Play This Friday

Cheered by a stirring 19-0 victory over Belleville high school in its opening football game, Farmington high school gridgers are awaiting their second clash of the schedule Friday afternoon. Farmington will play Melvindale there.

Minor injuries to several players may handicap the team in its second test. Tony Himmelspach and Carl Smith may not be available for service. Tony turned his ankle last week in practice and the injury was further aggravated at Belleville. He will not play unless absolutely necessary. Smith has a slight attack of pleurisy.

H. B. Kammerer, coach, indicated that Bob Lockridge may be tried at left end, Alvin Rose taking the right end and two scoring chances faded when the breaks went against the Blue and White. Jack Glassford received a pass out in the open only to lose his footing on the soft ground and fall with no tacker near. The other opportunity came as the result of a long pass, Harney Hamilton to Carl Smith. With goal to go, Farmington was held for downs.

Farmington clearly held the upper hand in the last two periods. Chuck Lee plunged over for the first touchdown in the third period, Jack Glassford received a pass and scampered 20 yards to score and Harney Hamilton accounted for the last marker with a slant off tackle after Alvin Rose had recovered a Belleville fumble deep in enemy territory.

Starting Lineup
The starting lineup is as follows: Mitchell, left end, Leon Robinson, left tackle; Bob Lockridge, left guard; Doug Parker, center; Fred Bailey, right guard; Wendell Rose, right tackle; Carl Smith, right end; Harvey Hamilton, quarterback; Jack Glassford and Harney Hamilton, half backs, and Chuck Lee, fullback.

The following substitutions were made: Himmelspach for Harney Hamilton, Trotter for Bailey, F. Hamilton for Smith, Rose for Robinson, Clappison for Rose and Linklater for Lockridge.

Chevrolet Averages 22.4 Miles Per Gallon In Test

An average of 22.4 miles per gallon over a 3,000 mile non-stop test is the record claimed by Ted Ellis, a veteran long distance driver, who piloted a Chevrolet knock-out sedan over a several hundred mile course between Coalinga and Sequoia National Park, in California. The total fuel consumption is reported as 2 1/2 quarts.

The route included desert and mountain tracks, deep rutted roads and a wide range of altitude and temperature between San Joaquin Valley and Sequoia. Each circuit included a speed spur of 100 miles on a track laid out in the desert near Coalinga. Ellis was at the wheel for 98 hours, being relieved only for short periods from time to time.

Miss Ernestine Pierce attended a faculty reception and tea in Ypsilanti Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Emil Rief of Detroit spent Friday with J. B. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Aittama and daughter Dorothy and son John Herman, Jr., were at Grasse Isle Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Gravin is entertaining six little girls in honor of the seventh birthday anniversary of her granddaughter, Joyce Wardell of Lansing, Saturday afternoon.

Truck Gets Shower Of Champagne In Orient

First a shower of champagne, then a ritual of purification and blessing, greeted a Chevrolet truck when it rolled off the assembly line at Osaka, Japan recently.

The Chevrolet was selected for these special honors because it marked the completion by General Motors Japan, Ltd., of the 70,000th unit in 7 years. In Japan, 7 is regarded as the number particularly favored with good luck.

The Osaka plant has similarly celebrated other important occasions as when it turned out an all gold car (No. 50,000), and a car colored to match the hoo-bird (No. 60,000).

Boy And Girl, 17, Held In New York

Will Be Returned To Face Charges At Pontiac

Charles Friedly, 17 years old, and Geraldine Butler, also 17, both of Farmington Township, will face charges of unlawfully driving away an automobile in Judge Russell Holland's court at Pontiac Saturday morning.

They will be returned to Oakland County Friday night from Silver Springs, New York, where they were located after being alleged to have stolen an automobile from the Carey Co garage in Farmington Saturday night.

Deputy Sheriff Joseph De-Vriendt and Mrs. Roy Reynolds, matron of the Oakland County Jail, left for New York State Thursday noon to return the couple after they had waived extradition.

The stolen car is the property of Mrs. Hazel Young of Greening Blvd., Farmington Township.

Facilities Enlarged By Farmington Grower

Mrs. Imogene Bickling, well-known flower-grower in Farmington, has decided to enlarge her facilities and enter the commercial field, she said Wednesday.

Plans call for a new greenhouse, which she is now building, and other improvements to her gardens.

Mrs. Bickling entered several dahlias in show sponsored by the Detroit chapter of the Dahlia Society of Michigan at the Hotel Statler, Detroit, Friday and Saturday, where she won two first and two second places.

HOMEMAKER'S CORNER

by Home Economics Specialists Michigan State College

Little economies when counted up will make a large showing on the annual household budget. For example, ordinary household lard will be found effective in removing automobile grease or dirt from light or dark shoes. Rub the lard gently into the soiled spot with a soft cloth, then polish with a clean soft cloth.

Have you any old kegs, about 16 1/2 inches in diameter, which are of no further use? Take out one head and saw the back down about six inches as steps toward making a sturdy chair for the two or three year old. Make curved cuts to form the chair arms. Then use the head for the chair seat, securing it with the cuttings from the sides. Use screws to fasten the seat tightly. Sew the seat tight. When the form is completed, pad it with cotton bats and cover the chair with a piece of solid upholstery material, using upholstery tacks of the same color to hold the material in place.

If you have several closets without doors, a colored shower curtain will prove more substantial and satisfactory than ordinary paper or drapery material to keep out the dust.

Painting one and one-half inch strips white on the outer side of each tread will help brighten up a poorly lighted stairway.

Some women have found that stains from canning can be prevented by painting the entire sole of the fingers and across the nails with liquid nail polish. A weak soluble liquid fluid rubbed on the hands with a soft brush will help remove the fruit marks. And speaking of canning, if there is any leftover syrup from spiced fruits, it is excellent for basting ham or pork.

N. H. POWER, City Clerk.

Workmen Discover Indian Burial Ground In Farmington Gravel Pit

Remnants of all that is left of a race that dwelt in this section more than a century ago were discovered near Farmington this week.

Seven skeletons, identified as Indian by Dr. Wilbur Hinsdale, of the University of Michigan, who is in charge of the Great Lakes division of the study of the American Indian and an authority on anthropology, were found in the L. F. Fendt gravel pit, two miles southwest of Farmington. There were seven skeletons found in all but Dr. Hinsdale was of the opinion that there were many more in the vicinity.

Workman Makes Discovery
A workman at the pit accidentally discovered a skull Saturday while scooping gravel. It was imbedded in the wall of the pit about four feet below the level of the ground above. Examining further he discovered other bones and believing perhaps that his findings were a matter for the attention of police officers, he notified Deputy Sheriff Joseph De-Vriendt. De-Vriendt took samples of skulls and other bones to Pontiac for examination and later called in Dr. Hinsdale, who quieted any fears that there might have been foul play in connection with the grave.

After making a cursory examination of the grave Monday, Dr. Hinsdale with his assistant, C. W. Angell, planned to return later in the week and thoroughly go over the ground.

With the aid of maps, Dr. Hinsdale pointed out that an old Indian trail, formerly passed through Farmington corresponding roughly with Grand River between Farmington and Detroit but bearing more to the northwest of Farmington. He said that the place where the grave was found was as what was known in Indian times as the Tonquish Plains and that an Indian reservation was formerly located about three miles directly east of Farmington. Dr. Hinsdale could not identify the tribe that lived there, stating that the Chippewas, Hurons, Sauks, Miami and Potawatamies all lived in this area at different times.

The position of the bones seemed to indicate that the manner of burial was rather haphazard. Dr. Hinsdale accounted for this by what he described as a bundle burial. The Indians seldom buried their dead during the winter months because they were unable to penetrate the frozen ground. Dr. Hinsdale explained that they would store the dead in any convenient place and in the Spring tribes from many sections would gather and hold a mass funeral.

Mrs. J. B. Snyder spent Wednesday in Redford.

The Misses Anna and Gertrude Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Richardson will spend Sunday in Waterford, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

You have never heard real bragging unless you have listened to the fat lady who took off two pounds by heroic dieting.

Fair's Doll Baby



A finger ring fits easily over the arm of Baby Olsen, who weighs only 725 grams and is the smallest baby in the infant incubators at the World's Fair in Chicago, as Nurse Evelyn Mann demonstrated. Cool fall weather and the announcement that the exposition closes before October 31 are drawing daily throngs.

Many of the bodies were probably decomposed before burial and might not have been wholly intact.

Charcoal In Found
Charcoal found in the grave indicated that another peculiar Indian custom, that of placing fire in the graves, had been carried out in this instance. Dr. Hinsdale said. Some of the bones were charred.

Dr. Hinsdale said that one of the most unusual things about the discovery was the skull that had a quarter inch hole bored in the top. He said that he had found four or five skulls with similar borings at Flat Rock and some at Imlay City. This custom of the Indians extended from Canada to Saginaw but Dr. Hinsdale could assign no particular reason for the Indian for making the borings.

Blue clay, of which there is none in the vicinity of the grave, was found encasing the skull and packed in the nose and mouth cavities.

Armed Bandits Take \$20 Loot

Otis Service Station Held Up Thursday Morning

State and local police are today searching for the armed bandits who held up the Otis Super Service filling station Thursday morning and escaped with about \$20.

Entering the station about 4:30 o'clock, the bandits, one of whom was masked, pointed a gun at Stephen Keith, attendant, and demanded the money, which was handed over. They then bound Keith with a rope and left in a gray Buick sedan. Keith was released after a short time later as he was making his rounds.

Keith described his assailants as men about 25 years old.

STATE CONVENTION OF FARMERS' UNION STAGED AT OWOSO

The first state convention of the Michigan Farmers' Union was held in the armory at Owosso, Tuesday and Wednesday. About 600 delegates were present and an equal number of alternates and friends. E. H. Everson, national president, and Edward E. Kennedy, national secretary, were present to assist in setting up the office organization.

Congressman Lemke of North Dakota addressed the convention Tuesday. On the second day Paul Hansen of Denmark spoke on cooperatives of the Danish farmers.

Mrs. H. J. Gibson of Farmington, was chairman of the credentials and registration committee. Delegates representing South Oakland Local No. 72, at the convention were Jay C. Butler, William Ramsey, John DeConick and Robert Hunt; alternates, B. A. Holden, Harley Gibson, Charles Ramsey and John Graham. Howard and Harold Giegler and Thelma and Wilma Graham were elected delegates to the young people's meeting which was held on the second day of the convention. A State Union of Farmers' Union Juniors was organized, and state officers chosen by the young people themselves.

The last meeting of South Oakland Local No. 72, at the Farmington Town Hall, was addressed by Matthew Smith, secretary of the Mechanics Educational Society of America. The next meeting of the Local will be at the Wixom Community Hall, Thursday evening, October 4. Judge Edward J. Jeffries has been invited to speak.

DISCUSSION GROUP MEETS

Mrs. George Peacock, of Redford, is to lead the discussion on Public Ownership at the Economics Discussion Group this week Friday evening, September 28, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Crooman.

Mrs. Peacock is a teacher of social sciences in the Detroit Public Schools. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

Clarrie Peris spent Sunday in Monroe the guest of Miss Virginia Smith.

Views of Four Parties To Be Heard Monday

Congressman Dondoro, Unable To Attend, Will Send A Representative

Three of the four aspirants for the Congressional seat from the seventeenth district will be in Farmington Monday night to participate in a political symposium sponsored by the Economics Discussion Group of Farmington.

The three candidates who have assured sponsors of the meeting that they will attend are Charles P. Webster, the Democratic nominee; Walter Allmendinger, Socialist candidate for Congress; and W. Allen Nelson, the Farmer-Labor candidate.

George A. Dondoro, the incumbent in the office, will not be present because of an earlier appointment. He assured the sponsors however, that he would see that someone conversant with national issues would be in Farmington to represent the Republican side of the issues expected to be discussed.

It is expected that the desires and aims of the four parties will be aired at the meeting which will be held at the Farmington Town Hall. There will be no admission charge. The meeting will be held in the open, weather permitting.

THREE NEW COURSES ADDED AT SCHOOL AT CLARENCEVILLE

With three new courses introduced in the curriculum and with the student body planning many new enterprises for the school year, Clarenceville schools are well launched on the 1934-35 program, according to M. J. Beiser, who is starting his third year as superintendent.

The total enrollment, 472, is not as large as in other years. Three new courses offered for the first time in the newly created commercial department are proving popular with the students. Sixty-one enrolled for typewriting, 22 in shorthand and 15 in junior business.

To Buy Equipment
This year the two high school classes voted to buy the following equipment and finance it through their own efforts.

1. Complete football equipment for 13 players.
2. Basketball outfit for girls' outdoor basketball.
3. Volleyball outfit for girls.

The graduating class plans short excursions for the year to places of interest in Detroit and nearby cities while the football team will engage reserve teams of nearby schools. Beiser said.

Announce Faculty
Teachers engaged for the year are Ruby Monroe and Mary Brady Layton, first grades; Edna Fischler and Margaret Hughes, second grades; Mira Mark and Etha Smith, third and fourth grades; Mildred Kercher and Loretta Nugent, fifth and sixth grades; Vida Walker, mathematics; M. Mittle, social sciences; A. J. Lawski, language and science; A. J. Weston, commercial; and M. J. Beiser, superintendent.

The enrollment in the several grades was given by Mr. Beiser as follows:

Grade 1.....47 Grade 6.....49
Grade 2.....48 Grade 7.....47
Grade 3.....48 Grade 8.....48
Grade 4.....58 Grade 9.....38
Grade 5.....56 Grade 10.....33

John Aittama Is Named Association Secretary

John Aittama, master of Farmington Masonic lodge, was chosen treasurer of the Masonic Masters Association of Oakland County Tuesday night at a meeting in Birmingham.

The officers of the Association are Wylie E. Groves, Birmingham, president; Alfred Cooper, Ortonville, vice-president; Charles Fey, Red Oak, secretary; and Aittama.

TAG DAY PLANNED
Farmington will hold a Tag Day on Saturday, September 29. The benefits are to be for St. Joseph's Hospital, Pontiac.

Improvement Planned At Oakwood Cemetery

Officers of Farmington Cemetery Association met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Minnie Wilbur and completed plans and let the contract for building new concrete bases for the outer walls at Oakwood cemetery. New gate abutments and improvements to the approach are also planned. The total cost is estimated to be \$400.

Any farmers in the vicinity having stone or gravel which they will donate to the Association, are asked to communicate with Fred Stettman.

The committee in charge of the work is composed of Fred Stettman, chairman; Mrs. Elizabeth Holcomb, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warner.

Exchange Club Hears Leonard

Proposed Amendments To Constitution Are Discussed

Members of Farmington Exchange Club heard an illuminating discussion of the seven proposed amendments to the State Constitution at their weekly meeting Wednesday when Archie G. Leonard addressed the meeting. The seven proposals are to be voted upon November 6.

Leonard did not express himself for or against any of the proposals but he did point out certain weaknesses or hidden meanings which lurk in some of the proposed changes to the Michigan law.

First Proposal Has Merit
He dismissed the first proposal, that of providing for a non-partisan selection of judges, as one which seemed to have merit and would probably be favorably received by the electorate.

The second and third proposals are similar, the first limiting taxation on gasoline and the latter placing a limitation on automobile weight taxes. He pointed out certain provisions of the former, which he said were inadequate, notably that they did not guarantee that any saving effected by lowered taxation would be passed along to the consumer of gasoline.

He asserted that he did not believe the Constitution was the proper place for such measures, believing that if any laws were to be enacted on these subjects, the Legislature is the place to do it.

Is An Enabling Act
He pointed out that the proposed amendment relative to providing County home rule was only an enabling act which might be utilized in the future to change the manner in which the county government is run.

He said that this proposal would make no difference whatever with the present form. He passed briefly over the three other proposals, classification of property for taxation purposes, a State income tax for the support of public schools, and changing the civil jurisdiction of justices of the peace.

Mrs. H. J. Gibson Hostess At A Variation Bridge

Saturday evening, September 22, Mrs. H. J. Gibson entertained at a variation bridge, members of the Detroit Methodist Alumnae of University of Michigan, Kappa Phi, in honor of Laura Trombley Sutherland, recently the bride of Charles Sutherland of Redford.

Mrs. Sutherland was presented with pieces of silver and numerous pot-holders which the girls made after arriving.

The bridge was assisted by Louise Burks of Ypsilanti and Mildred Fritz of Detroit.

Remodeled A & P Store Ready In Farmington

An entirely remodeled Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. store opened Tuesday with a complete new department added to its grocery stocks. New counters, display tables, remodeled windows and other new fixtures have been installed.

Alfred L. Whitlock continues as manager of the grocery department while H. Lehman has been engaged to manage the meat department. The managers expect to need the services of seven clerks in the store.

Plan Approved For Refunding 3 Bond Issues

Commission's Move Seen As Satisfactory Solution Of City's Financial Problem

A solution to the City's debt problem is believed to have been found by Farmington City Commission following a conference Monday night with C. A. Fitzgerald, Detroit attorney.

Mr. Fitzgerald outlined in detail a plan which the Commission approved, for refunding three bond issues of the City. The scheme would retire the new issues in 20 years and would insure the City's high credit rating, he said.

Two For Waterworks
Two of the three issues were for water works and the third for sewers. The first dated January 15, 1923, was originally for \$23,500, dated January 15, 1923, paying at 4 1/2 per cent interest and maturing as follows: \$10,000 January 15, 1938 and \$13,500 January 15, 1943. There has been nothing paid on the principal of this issue.

The second issue for water works dated August 1, 1924. It was for \$30,000 paying at 4 1/2 per cent interest, but this has been cut down to \$12,000 which was to mature \$3,000 on August 1 in each year, 1932 to 1935 inclusive.

The third issue, for sewers, originally \$52,000 paying 4 1/2 per cent and dated August 1, 1930, has been reduced to \$48,000 which was to mature as follows: \$2,000 on August 1 each year 1932 to 1941 inclusive; \$3,000 on August 1 each year 1942 to 1946 inclusive; and \$5,000 on August 1 in each year 1947 to 1949 inclusive.

Retired In 20 Years
According to Fitzgerald's plan, the bonds can be obtained to surrender them for cancellation and accept refunding bonds in exchange, the City would provide for their payment by a sinking fund of \$4175 of the former bonds, which would retire the principal. The interest charges would be additional.

The refunding bonds are to be dated October 15, 1934, and are to bear the same rate of interest as the old ones, payable semi-annually. There will be one issue of \$23,500, Water Refunding 4 1/2%; one issue of \$12,000 Water Refunding 4 1/2%; and a third of \$48,000 Sewer Refunding 4 1/2%, known as term or sinking fund bonds, due October 15, 1954. All of the bonds will be redeemable however, at the option of the city, on any interest date, par and interest.

The sinking fund to retire the bonds will be obtained from a general tax. The \$4175 will be provided for next year and in subsequent years in the City's budget.

Fitzgerald To Supervise
Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone, Detroit attorneys, will prepare the necessary resolution for adoption by the Commission setting forth the details of the refunding bonds and providing for their payment.

Mr. Fitzgerald told the Commission that he would personally supervise the exchange of the refunding bonds for the old ones.

Fitzgerald is to receive one per cent of the par value of Refunding Bonds delivered as his fee. In commenting on the decision of the Commission, Mayor Howard Warner said, "It is an excellent solution and gives the city a chance to work out its financial problem."

Mickey Mouse Contest On At Farmington Hardware

If you know the answer to Mickey Mouse's latest question you may win a valuable prize, or even two, according to an interesting announcement in the Farmington Hardware advertisement this week. Three Congolour rugs will be given away by the Farmington Hardware store. An automobile goes to the winner of the contest as a gift from the Congolour company.

REDFORD WOMAN DIES
Mrs. Martha "Honey" 94 years old, mother of Dr. Clayton H. Redford, died at her home in Redford Saturday. Funeral services were held at the home of Doctor Holcomb in Redford Tuesday.