

High Tribute Paid Daley Pleases Friends

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ed by the people, and the issue was as to how it would be placed on the ballot for the April 5 election. Charter amendments are framed and put on the ballot by vote of the council, with approval of the mayor. The council refusing to put this amendment on with the provision that the mayor appoint the auditor-general, and Mayor Cousins finally approved the amendment providing for appointment by the council, rather than deprive the city of the benefits which might be obtained through the plan.

Who would be appointed by the Council is unknown, but immediately upon development of the possibility that the council rather than the mayor might make the choice, a number of politicians and job holders of long standing and extensive political background began to angle for the post, seeking to line up political support among the councilmen.

Glen Oaks Golf Club is holding their formal opening for the year on April 1. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shaw will continue the management this year.

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Weather Is Poor Sign Of Spring—Easter Is Better

Among the surer signs of Spring, far better than March weather, are the bright, colorful cuttings worn on Easter Sunday. It is on that day that Easter lilies enjoy their annual prominence. At Spring Brook Gardens a number of exceptional specimens of such flowers are being offered. Spring lilies are being featured at Fred L. Cook and Co. At the West Point Greenhouse flowers are being shown to suit the taste and pocket-books of all flower lovers.

Another sign of Spring is contained in the advertisement of the Farmington Lumber and Coal Co. which is offering long-time payment-plans to those wishing to build garages. Easter is the predominating note at the Smith-Bradley drug store where appropriate candies are featured in this week's "Super Specials." Household needs of great variety are offered in the advertisement of Hutton's Farmington Hardware, "Rain or Shine"

the Burnett Brothers continue to offer the best of service and the best of products at their Sinclair filling station on Grand River. Farmer's experience with Laro for that product sold by Farmington Mills. Landscaping and lawn maintenance is the offering made by Homer Middlewood.

The advantages of having a checking account is told in the advertisement of the Farmington State Bank. Special Election Day dinners and lunches on Monday, April 5, will be held by the ladies of the Salem Evangelical Church. How telephone service was continued despite the floods is told in the advertisement of the Bell Telephone company.

The Ford V-8, distributed in Farmington by Olin Russell, Inc., is winning even greater favor than its predecessors in the low-price field.

RALLY SUPPORT ON BEHALF OF CHIEF JUSTICE

Throughout Oakland County friends and supporters of Chief Justice, Louis H. Fead of the Michigan Supreme Court are making a special effort to interest the public in re-election of Justice Fead. They point out that members of the State's highest tribunal by tradition and the requirements of dignity are prevented from making any active campaign for re-election to office, and so it remains for other citizens convinced of the fitness of members of the supreme bench, to volunteer for the task of assuring a judge's retention.

These active in the campaign to re-elect Judge Fead are making a special appeal on a non-partisan basis, asking members of all parties to vote for the present Chief Justice. They point out that not only are all circuit and supreme court judges elected in the spring at the present time in an effort to keep judicial positions away from the spirited party contests in November elections, but that there is a strong movement to bring about non-partisan election of all judges in the State.

Louis H. Fead, present Chief Justice, was born in Lexington, Michigan's "Thumb" district, 59 years ago. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan Law School through which he worked his way. Going to Newberry, in the Upper Peninsula, to begin law practice he later served as circuit judge there and in adjoining counties. During the World War he went to France in charge of Red Cross activities in two large hospitals, resuming his court service after the war. He has been a Supreme Court Justice for the past nine years.

Members of the Farmington Woman's Club will have a change in the plan for the next meeting from those announced in the year-book. The program on Wednesday, April 7, will be a trip to Detroit. The club will not go as a group but many are planning to attend the Detroit Exposition at Convention Hall.

Wednesday's meeting at the home of Mrs. Theodora Norton, was presided over by Mrs. Ritter, vice-president. In the absence of Mrs. Georgian Bagnall, who is Mrs. Paul Shaeffer told the history of Hobbles. Mrs. Anna Cook, who had brought an exhibit of an African violet, told of her hobby, "House Plants." Mrs. Elsie McCulloch discussed the technique of knitting, while Mrs. Ritter spoke of her hobby, "Birds and Flowers." These were a few of the many varied hobbies exhibited and discussed in detail. These included, also, antiques, china, crocheting, embroidery and old books. Miss Mariah Andrews and her committee were responsible for this interesting program.

Will Discuss Court's Usurpation of Power

The judicial usurpation of legislative power by the Supreme Court will be discussed Tuesday, April 6, at 8 p. m., in the Royal Oak High School auditorium by the Rev. Charles C. Jatho, Miss J. Constance Kirgman, Larry Davidson, and O. C. Marckwardt of the local community. Miss Mary Brumfield will preside.

Mr. Jatho is rector of St. John's Episcopal church; Miss Kirgman is a high school teacher of history and a former president of the Sixth District of the Michigan Education association; Dr. Davidson is an attorney for the United Automobile Workers; Mr. Marckwardt is a professor of English at Wayne University. Miss Brumfield who has been a congressional candidate, is a former president of the Business and Professional Women's clubs of the state.

The tickets are going fast so make your reservations now at Cook and Co. for the Farmington High School Senior play, "A Full House," to be given at the Town Hall, Thursday and Friday, April 8 and 9. 22-1-c

Calendar of Coming Events

Monday, March 29, 4-H Club Achievement Day exhibits at the Southfield School.

Tuesday, March 30, Card party at the Masonic Hall dining room for the benefit of Farmington Chapter, No. 235, O.E.S. Public invited.

Thursday, April 1, The Sunshine Harmony Circle of the M. E. Church will hold its meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Pagel on Grand River avenue with a dessert-luncheon at one o'clock.

Thursday, April 1, The Devotional Department of the Salem Evangelical Ladies Union will hold a card party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eech on North Farmington Road. Everyone welcome.

Thursday, April 1, Benefit dance at Redford Gardens sponsored by Our Lady of Sorrows Church.

Thursday and Friday, April 8 and 9, "A Full House" will be the stage presentation of the Senior class of Farmington High School.

Thursday and Friday, April 15 and 16, "Sound Your Horn" will be given by the Epworth League of the M. E. Church.

Former Resident Taken By Death

Mrs. Clyde Chamberlin has received word that her aunt, Mrs. Della Wilcox Walter, widow of Charles Walter, of St. Johns, passed away at her home there on Wednesday morning, March 24. Mrs. Walter was 83. She made frequent trips to Farmington to visit friends and relatives until two years ago.

Della Wilcox and her brother Hudson were born and raised in the vicinity of Elverio Mills Road and Drake Road. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Horace Gohn of St. Johns; a grandson Walter Gohn of Jackson; a great grandson, Richard Gohn; and a niece, Mrs. Clyde Chamberlin of Farmington. Another daughter, Mrs. Reta Carus of St. Johns died some years ago. The funeral will be at St. Johns on Friday. Burial will be there, also.

Get your "personally autographed" Easter eggs and homemade candy at the American Legion Auxiliary sale at Dickerson's Hardware on Saturday. 22-1-p

Mrs. William McCulloch was hostess to a group of friends at luncheon on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Frost and sons, Charles and Melvin, Mrs. Jennie Frost and Miss Shirley Roberts of St. Johns, and Mrs. Caroline Martin of Breckenridge were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Osamus. Mrs. Martin, who is Mrs. Osamus' mother stayed for a fortnight's visit.

Miss Minnie Coon, teacher at the Michigan Convalescent Home for crippled children, will spend her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Siggels at Elsie.

ELECTION DAY DINNER

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But "Pat" Van Wagoner quickly proved the man that Michigan needed for the times. He brought an entirely new, fresh viewpoint, to one of the State's most important departments. In a few years new habits of travel had crept up on road-builders unawares. Motor cars were being built for higher touring speeds, and most people were travelling 50 and 60 miles an hour — on roads that had been built, and still were being built, for 35.

The new Commissioner's first great contribution to better administration was his immediate realization that constructing 35-mile highways for 50 and 60-mile times was inhuman, short-sighted, and financially wasteful. Within a few months the new viewpoint permeated Michigan's highway department and the entire system was attuned to modern conditions.

Thus Michigan, due to Murray D. Van Wagoner, builds "modern roads for modern days." New roads are constructed wider, safer, more durable. Old death traps by the thousands have been wiped out — sharp turns eliminated, curves flattened out, hills reduced, and America's finest warning system developed.



Meanwhile, alert to modern business methods as he has been to modern road conditions, Michigan's Highway Commissioner has pioneered in such developments as roadside parks, rest-stations, and road-side tables — first in America.

Murray D. Van Wagoner, building for Michigan in terms of today and tomorrow, has contributed greatly to the upbuilding of our State.

Michigan needs the continuance of his outstanding services and ability, which will be assured by his re-election at the polls on April 5.

Ending the death toll on the Farmington Cut-off is an outstanding example of the accomplishments of Murray D. Van Wagoner. On this former "Suicide Stretch" inherited by him, and one of the worst in the entire State, study and action by Mr. Van Wagoner has resulted in the fact that IN THE PAST FIVE MONTHS, NOT A SINGLE PERSON HAS BEEN INJURED AND NOT A SERIOUS ACCIDENT HAS OCCURRED on the Cut-off.

(Contributed by friends)