

City Drama at Redford



Irving Bacon, Spencer Tracy, Luise Rainer in "Big City."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letters To The Editor MUST be signed with the name of the person writing the letter. An assumed name will be withheld from publication upon request, but the letter without the real name of the writer will be published.

An unusual experience in first aid came to a group of young skaters at the Farmington Municipal Skating rink on Tuesday evening. Darkness had begun to fall and all but about a half dozen skaters had left the rink when a car came tumbling into the athletic field from the highway.

A man nearly seventy-five years old, a resident of Pontiac, in coming down the Baguall Hill, the old Methodist Church Hill, felt his car begin swaying on the ice with him just east of the bridge. It finally left the road beyond the baseball diamond, snapped off a couple of fence posts and dragged the fence down the hill. The embankment at this place has a cut a 15 foot drop.

The children were horrified to see the car careening and to witness it taking a couple of turns over before it came to a stop on its side, not fifty feet from the skating rink.

The boys helped the driver out of the car from the overturned door. Although the car was badly damaged the driver escaped with a few scratches from broken glass.

The roads leading to the Ten Mile Road have been in a hazardous condition since the ice came in the middle of December. The vigilance of the City employees in sanding only the hills and corners makes the narrow stretches of roads between the hills more dangerous.

A CITIZEN.

NOTICE

A special communication of Farmington Lodge No. 151 F. & A. M. will be held Monday, evening, January 17th for work in the 1st degree. Lunch at 6:30 p. m. James L. Hogie, Secretary.

STRAUSEN BAND PLAY AT ANNUAL PRESIDENT'S BALL

Longy Strausen and his orchestra will furnish the music for the annual President's Birthday Ball. It was announced this week by Spencer Heene, chairman of the committee in charge of the affair. The annual dance, one of the many throughout the country, will be held this year, Saturday, January 29, at the High School gymnasium.

Tickets for the ball went on sale this week at the High School. The Junior class members are in charge of sales. Tickets may also be secured from Mr. Heene or any of the other members of the committee.

The ball annually contributes all proceeds to the aid of crippled children. It is hoped by the committee that Farmington will make a real contribution to this cause.

Surface Height Faults Cause Tired Feeling

Aches and pains that make many jobs hard to complete in Michigan rural and city homes often are caused by having working surfaces at incorrect heights.

There can be as much as 10 inches difference in the average preferred height for such a job as cutting cloth and one for such work as can be done on a kitchen planning desk. Studies of working surfaces have been made by Irma H. Gross, professor in home management at Michigan State College.

She finds that for rolling dough the average preferred height is 33.7 inches from the floor. For cutting cloth the height which makes the work easiest to complete is 35.4 inches. For beating, 31.6 inches; for dishwashing, 32.3 inches; for ironing, 32.6 inches; and for the surface of a kitchen planning table, 25 inches.

Less energy is required to do these jobs of homemaking when the posture of the body is correct rather than when reaching up or stooping.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the following positions:

Junior-graduate nurse, \$1,620 a year, U. S. Public Health Service, and Veterans' Administration.

Full information may be obtained from the Secretary of the United States Civil Service Board of Examiners at the post office or customhouse in any city which has a post office of the first or second class, or from the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

CHARLES E. SORESENSEN SELLS GUERNSEY BULL

A purebred Guernsey bull, Cosor Pharo's Marshall 25110, was sold recently by Charles E. Sorensen of Farmington, to A. A. Creaves of Wauconda, Illinois according to the American Guernsey Cattle Club, Peterborough, New Hampshire.

Gorge Sees Only Non San

Only at midday does the sun ever peep into the bottom of Indian pass, that narrow, mile-long gorge cut deep through solid rock between MacIntyre and Wallace mountains in the heart of the Adirondack wilderness a few miles southeast of Lake Placid. Called by the Indians "Hemodowda," the Path of the Thunderer, Indian pass is one of the scenic marvels of the Adirondacks. Its walls rise straight up over a thousand feet. On the western (Wallace) side the perpendicular rock face rears itself 1,300 feet into the air. Near the middle of the pass, high up on MacIntyre, are two small springs, so close together that their waters almost intermingle. Separating a few feet farther down, they flow on to the bottom of the pass in two little rivulets. One rivulet finds its way south to the headwaters of the Hudson river, while the other heads north where eventually its sparkling content mingles with the mighty St. Lawrence.

Operator's Head Set Weighs Only 17 Oz.



Telephone operators of the 1880's wore a telephone set weighing 40 pounds, as they sat at the switchboards developed during the first decade of the telephone's growth. The operator who today responds "Number, please" to the signal at a modern switchboard wears a telephone set weighing one pound and one ounce. In the six decades since the invention of the telephone, there have been 160 changes and improvements in the design of telephone transmitters and receivers.

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Scout News

At the troop meeting Monday night the Scouts practiced on a new "color ceremony" for opening the meeting. A "dramatic bugle call" is being planned for the troop. Troop 45 is sending a "German Band" to help provide entertainment at the Annual Council Meeting to be held in Pontiac January 20 at 6:30 p. m. It is hoped that several members of the troop committee will represent Troop 45. Reservations for the dinner should be made.

The Scout cabin is being prepared for patrol and staff meetings. The heating system will need some inspection and repairs.

A hike with the Bond School Troop is being planned for Saturday a. m. January 22.

A campfire meeting is planned for the Troop to be held in place of the regular meeting Monday, January 24.

Troop 45 wishes to thank all who helped to make the Alumni-Faculty basketball game a success.

MICHIGAN STATE HOLDS AMATEUR CAMERA CONTEST

Announcement of a camera contest open to any resident in the state is being made by the publications department at Michigan State College, East Lansing.

The best pictures depicting phases of Michigan rural life are to be selected soon after the last of them is received. The deadline for mailing has been set for midnight, Wednesday, Feb. 9, and envelopes postmarked after that date will not be considered.

Best pictures submitted will be made up for use by newspapers in the state, with credit to those who take the snapshots. No actual cash prizes are being offered. Material will be returned to contestants after the quality is judged.

Conditions around which the contest are based are simple:

1. Must be taken by amateurs.
2. Must be submitted by person who took the picture.
3. Send negative with picture.
4. On additional paper submit name and address, when and where picture was taken within the state of Michigan.
5. Mail not later than midnight, Wednesday, Feb. 9, to Publications Department, Michigan State College, East Lansing.

Purpose of the contest is to stimulate not more pictures, but better pictures. Pictures can help enhance the value of the tourist business, of private farming enterprises and the sale of farm products.

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