

Seek Funds To Continue Welfare

The plight of needy families in Farmington Township and other units throughout Oakland County has been discussed at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors Friday. Relief offices in Pontiac were closed Saturday when welfare money gave out.

Chairman Cass B. Walters has said he expects to propose which would call for the county raising \$50,000 to take care of welfare on the rest of 1939 and to be spread on all units of the county pro rata on equal valuation.

"Situation Serious"
"The situation is serious, coming as it does at this time of the year when the wants of the needy are pressing," said S. S. Shelton, county emergency relief administrator, who expects to turn over his duties to a new county commission Dec. 1. "We are issuing no orders whatever for clothing or clothing I was surprised that there were not more applicants for assistance on hand at the Pontiac office today but the applicants were fewer than usual. The orders written up to Friday night were for a half month so the real demand for assistance may not be felt for a week or 10 days. I hope in the interval that something will be worked out."

New Commission
What happens in December will be up to the new County Welfare Commission, composed of George W. Burt, John A. MacDonald and Charles Hamilton, who expect to assume the responsibility for direct relief December 1.

The amount the State will allocate for December has not yet been ascertained but it is expected it will not exceed \$30,000. No appropriation has been made by the County for December other than to take care of administrative costs of the new commission.

For next year the Board of Supervisors has included in the County budget a welfare appropriation of \$249,702.50, which, it has provided, shall be paid over to the county commission in 12 monthly installments as follows:

Monthly Installments
January \$25,000; February \$25,000; March \$25,000; April \$25,000; May \$15,000; June \$15,000; July \$15,000; August \$15,000; September \$15,000; October \$15,000; November \$25,000; and December \$25,000.

The state is expected to match these sums with equal amounts. It is not expected this will take care of all the relief and townships and cities will be held responsible for what remains.

EXCHANGE CLUB GUESTS AT GRID DINNER WEDNESDAY

Plans have not been completed for the meeting Wednesday noon of the Farmington Exchange club. The entertainment committee is working on a program and expects to have it completed by Monday.

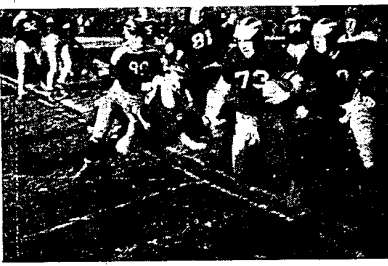
Members of the Exchange club were guests at a "football dinner" given Wednesday evening by the Kiwanis club at the Salem Evangelical church. The regular Wednesday noon meeting in the Exchange club was cancelled in order to attend this affair.

Byard Tupper, president of the club, gave a short greeting speech at the banquet. Other guests invited were the members of the Farmington high school football team, coaches and managers, and all the male teachers at the school. J. Fred Latvick, former University of Michigan football player and co-composer of the "Varsity" marching song, was guest speaker. Latvick's talk on football and his own grid experience was highly appreciated by the more than 50 persons who attended.

Ladies' Auxiliary Names Committee Chairmen

At their regular meeting held Monday evening, the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion, Grand Walker post, named committee chairmen for the coming year. They are: Child Welfare, Hattie DeVriendt; Music, Alma Ekin; Americanism, Alice Smith; Entertainment, Jean Niles; Flowers, Dorothy Smith; Publicity, Ethel Pettibone; Membership, Helen Eisenlord; and Poppy, Ada Goers. Alma Smith, Americanism chairman, gave two readings on "Armistice Day" and Hattie DeVriendt also gave a reading. Hostesses for the evening were Aleen Smith and Elizabeth Schreiber.

He's Over . . . !



The lad with the ball is Jim Barrows, Farmington high school halfback. The camera caught him just as he was stepping across the goal line for a touchdown, in the game between Farmington and Keego Harbor.

Farmington Team Wins Undisputed Grid Title

The Farmington high school football team Friday afternoon became the undisputed champions of the Southwestern Oakland County League, after scoring a smashing 25 to 0 victory over Milford. It was the first time in many years that a single team has held the championship.

The win meant more than the league crown to Coach Paul Shoemaker's hard fighting gridsters. In defeating Milford, Farmington closed its league season undefeated by a single loss or tie. Throughout the entire series of games, only one opponent was able to score one touchdown. Keego Harbor failed six points to keep Farmington from being entirely unscathed.

Ahead From Start
Ed Barrows, Carl Hunt, and Joe DeVriendt, accounted for Farmington's touchdowns against Milford. At no time 20:00 the game did Milford appear to have a chance to duplicate their win of last year. Outstanding defense work was done by linemen Tom Barten, Hans Schultz and Karl Parrel, aided supported by George Byrka, Hugh Schram and Jim Belcher. Jim Barrows showed a real talent for feeling off yardage on spin plays, while Bill Peltz stuck to his specialty of reverses. Ed Barrows consistently gained on long runs, and quarterback Carl Hunt was all over the field, passing, kicking and blocking, as well as taking his turn at toting the ball.

Surprise Touchdown
Joe DeVriendt's alertness accounted for a touchdown play that

Harbor, Farmington won 25 to 0. Others in the picture are Bill Peltz (60), and George Byrka (81). The picture was snapped by James Collins, 31629 Shaw street, a graduate of F. H. S.

wasn't in the books. With the Milford team nearly on its own goal line and preparing to punt, De-Vriendt rushed through, grabbed the ball off the kicker's toe before he could boot it, and continued right on across the goal line. The play, an unusual one, was allowed by the referees.

A pass from Bill Peltz to De-Vriendt on the one yard line set up another score, with Carl Hunt going over. The other two touchdowns were scored by Hunt and Ed Barrows.

All Seniors Play
All senior members of the squad, playing their last game, were sent in. Seniors included: Hunt, Peltz, Jim Barrows, DeVriendt, Schultz, Bacon, John Brooks, Sam Cook, Bob Hinger, Don Koebel, Bill Bieleman, Russ Rozenboom, Bud Auten, Tom Dwyer, Jim Davis, and Norm Parent.

4 on All-League Team
Four Farmington players were selected on the all-league team. These were Tom Bacon, center; Hans Schultz, guard; Carl Hunt, quarterback; and Ed Barrows, halfback.

The all-league team:
RE Krenner, Holly
RT King, Keego Harbor
RG Leith, Brighton
C Bacon, Farmington
LG Schultz, Farmington
LT Sak, Brighton
LE Foulz, Keego Harbor
QB Hunt, Farmington
RH Losh, Holly
LB Barrows, Farmington
PB Baker, Milford

Turkey Day Bargains Featured By Merchants

Turkey and all the trimmings were never displayed so luxuriously and at such reasonable prices as they are this Thanksgiving season by Farmington merchants. The Thanksgiving-Christmas holiday season is one of the biggest for the average citizen and the merchant who serves him, and the Farmington storeowners are preparing their stocks to give the utmost in value and service to their patrons.

Hattie's Food Market offers special bargains on all types of food, the kind which you'll want to have on your Thanksgiving Day table.

For Your Table
The appearance of your dining table is important as well as the food on it. Beautiful table linen and rayon tablecloths are offered this week at special prices at Fred L. Cook and Co.

Deer hunters, attention! When you are out on that hunting trip don't take chances with your car. Before you leave drive in to Buynett Bros. Service station and have the auto winterized. You'll get more miles per gallon with Sinclair gasoline in the tank too.

Light Up the Corners
For throwing light into dark corners, you've never seen anything like those light adaptors handled by Detroit Edison Co. Simply screw the entire appliance in, just like a light bulb. They come in many attractive styles and colors.

For coal that burns down to a clean ash, lasts longer and gives more heat, call the Farmington Lumber and Coal Co. The masses is 20. You'll feel the difference on cold, wintry mornings.

Milk Gives Energy
Children need more energy in the winter time and there's nothing like pure fresh milk to give it to them. The Farmington Dairy milkman will bring the highest grade milk to your doorstep. A simple phone call to Farmington Dairy will do the trick.

The most beautiful of the new cars, that's what they are calling the 1940 Pontiac. The "Torpedo" with its "ultra-streamline" styling, is truly among the outstanding cars this season. See it at Keego Sales & Service, Keego Harbor.

The advertisement for Redford's "The Wizard of Oz" movie, which was shown last Friday evening, December 1, stated that the picture "The Wizard of Oz" and its companion feature would begin Friday and run until Monday. It should have read "Sunday" to "Wednesday." This week the Redford presents a moving picture film "Each Dawn I Die" co-starring James Cagney and George Raft. Also to be shown is "Fast and Furious" with Franchot Tone and Ann Sothern.

"Warning" Cheer
Holiday cheer will be more complete if your home is furnished with a Quaker Oil Heater, as displayed by Dickinson Hardware. These beautiful stoves provide a steady flow of cheerless heat. Try one in your home today.

Standard Service means the best in gasoline, oil and all products for your car. Get these and many other services at Erdeneo's Standard Service station, Grand River at Cass.

Deer Season Attracts Many Hunters

One of the most important seasons of the year, ranking even on a par with Thanksgiving and Christmas, opened this week for approximately 40 Farmington people, Wednesday, November 15, heralded the opening of the deer hunting season, and a goodly number of nimble from this area joined the thousands throughout the State who left for points north, Indian summer weather, and the weatherman's forecast of "fair and warmer" for the first few days caused official predictions that the kill might be small at first.

The following persons purchased licenses in Farmington: A. G. Fowler, Martin Hultz, Robert Fowler, Carl Coleman, Walter Durham, Charles Rutenbar, Basil Mulholland, William Speller, Joshua Clifford, Percy W. Briggs, Jesse Ziegler, Floyd J. Reid, Frank Schwein, Thomas Calms, Arnold Stolz, John Cox, James Fanzini, Earl Latrop, Delos Hamlin, Howard A. Schuneweiler, Donald Geddes, Lester Lohr, Percy Wilcox, Tracy Windhorn, Edward Thayer, John Simpson, Alids B. Geary, John C. Edgar, James R. Tolman, James Henderson, Edward Hupner, Frederick Ragunall, Elmer Heichman, Mr. Hester Heichman, Daniel Welter, Lester Tripp, Fred Coates and E. G. Coates.

Plenty of Deer
Hunters who come back empty-handed will not be able to say "there weren't any." According to conservation officials, the deer population is about 1,000,000, of which about 150,000 are bucks, but on the basis of past year's experiences, it was predicted that approximately 40,000 legal deer could be brought down.

Farmington hunters are urged to exercise great care while hunting. Because of the increased number of persons who will be out this season, the danger is even larger than in past years. Records of other deer hunting seasons yield the grim probability that eight or nine hunters will lose their lives.

Due to Carelessness
Conservation officials know that 99 per cent of hunting accidents are due to carelessness, but the law of probability holds that, with a larger number of hunters, there will be at least as many accidents. Reports from conservation officers indicate that deer are pursued on the most of the major deer yards and hunting prospects are considered excellent.

Seven State game refuges that have been closed to deer hunting from six to 15 years proved as attractive to many early hunters in the Ogemaw refuge, 6,432 acres will be open. The remaining 2,000 acres have been kept closed to protect a herd of semi-domestic deer.

Other Refuges
Other refuges thrown open are Alpena, Alpena County, closed seven years; Cusino, Schoolcraft County, closed seven years; Lundin, Montmorency County, closed 13 years; Pleasant River, Cheboygan County, closed 10 years; Muskegon River, Gladwin County, closed six years; and Midland, Midland County, closed 19 years.

Refuges have been opened to hunting because the deer herds in the vicinity have become sufficiently large to withstand hunting pressure without endangering the breeding stock. In practically all of these refuges, also, the deer food supply available in these regions in winter. Game refuges are normally of a temporary nature, established to protect and develop a game supply for hunting.

MACCABEES TO HOLD CARD PARTY SATURDAY
The Macabees, Liberty Tent Five of Farmington, extend a cordial invitation to all their friends to attend a card and bingo party on Saturday evening, November 18, at eight o'clock, at the Callan home at 23369 Shawassaw avenue. Cards will be played, prizes awarded and a lunch will be served.

On Friday evening, December 1, the organization is giving a dance at the I. O. O. F. hall, at Clarenceville. Music will be furnished by Betty and her Pals. A door prize will be awarded.

ANNOUNCEMENT ENGAGEMENT
Announcement is made this week of the engagement of Gerald Lord, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lord, to Miss Marie Fields, of Detroit. No date has been set for the wedding, as yet.

Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving Day is the day set apart by proclaiming for the returning of thanks to God for the blessings which He has bestowed upon state and nations. So much does it betoken a Christian spirit to acknowledge with gratitude our debt to God that from the earliest days was a distinctive mark of Christianity that its disciples were not, "as we heathen, who, when they knew God, glorified Him not, nor gave thanks." Thanksgiving Day recalls to our minds the obligation we are under of recognizing the Author of every good gift and giving suitable expression of our gratitude to the blessings which His providence strewn along our pathway in life.

Religion can enumerate several titles to the claims which the Creator has upon all His creatures. He is our first beginning and last end. He created us, He preserves us, and He redeemed us. Life is infinitely better than non-living; existence means an exercise of the Divine goodness, in drawing us from non-existence into the realms of beings that are. The fact of creation is in itself a reason for life-long acts of grateful praise. His Providence sustains us in every instant, and were He to withdraw His upholding hand we would sink into the primal nothingness from which His goodness has drawn us. Nor is this all. Humanity is indebted to Divinity for its redemption. Human life would be worth while if it were simply the prelude to an eternity of woe. The incarnation gave mankind the right to hope for everlasting happiness as the final end of our human existence.

In the temporal order as well as the spiritual we in America have many reasons for raising our hearts in thanksgiving to God. In a particular way we should be grateful for the peace that is ours and that is not enjoyed by other nations of the earth. That this peace may continue, that peace may indeed reign everywhere is our prayer at this time.

Thanksgiving Day this year comes to the United States, and brings with it far more than ordinary significance, in view of events in other lands the present hour. As a Christian people we should rise to the occasion and make the day one on which will be carried out the features with which its founders endowed it—to give thanks to God for His mercy in our behalf.

Football Dinner Well Attended

Approximately 80 guests attended the "football dinner" tendered by the Farmington Kiwanis club Wednesday evening at the Salem Evangelical church. Many were players of the Farmington high school football team, who were guests of honor, male members of the high school faculty, and members of Farmington.

Guest speaker was J. Fred Latvick, well-known as a former University of Michigan football star, and co-composer of the famous "Varsity" march of that University. Mr. Latvick held the attention of his audience from the time he was introduced by Toastmaster Glen H. Leland. He spoke of his early days as a football player, his experience at the University, and included some timely tips to the Farmington boys about the "do's" and "don'ts" of the game.

Coach Paul Shoemaker, of the Farmington team, gave a short talk, coaching his squad, praising them for their sportsmanship and ability. Superintendent Orville E. Dunckel, a member of the Kiwanis also gave a short address.

Led by Alvin Benner, school musical director, the entire group sang the two University songs, "Varsity" and "The Victors." The following officers were elected: President, J. Fred Latvick; Vice President, J. Fred Latvick; Secretary, J. Fred Latvick; Treasurer, J. Fred Latvick.

A welcoming address to all the guests was delivered by Joseph Himmelspach, president of Kiwanis. He introduced the Exchange club, which was extended by President Bayard Tupper. Each of the individual members of the football team was introduced as well as the teachers.

Mrs. E. S. Worsfold Elected Or. Ida's Worthy Matron

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 14, the annual meeting of Farmington Chapter No. 239 O. E. S. was held. The following officers were elected for the coming year.

Worthy Matron, Mrs. Ida Worsfold; Worthy Patron, Mr. J. Lowell Ramsey; Associate Matron, Mrs. Hazel Ramsey; Associate Patron, Mr. Walter Durham; Secretary, Mrs. C. Ada Bond; Treasurer, Mrs. Edith Sonnenberg; Conductress, Mrs. Florence Ramsey; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Elaine West.

Other officers to be appointed by the newly elected Worthy Matron will be announced later.

The following were elected as alternates to Grand Chapter and Oakland County Association meetings: Mrs. Robbie Harrison, Junior Past Matron; Mrs. Hazel Lynch, Mrs. Loretta Cox, and Mr. Charles Perry.

Installation of the newly elected and appointive officers will be held on Tuesday evening, Dec. 5th and the public is cordially invited to attend.

School to Close For Thanksgiving Holiday

Farmington high school and grade school will be closed Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holiday. According to an announcement from the office of Superintendent Orville E. Dunckel, classes will be resumed Monday.

Traffic Offenders Fined in Court

Arrested on a charge of improper passing on Grand River avenue in Farmington, Gordon Matthews, 25355 Tuck road, was fined in the court of Justice John J. Schulte this week.

Richard Dehrens, 33, 13599 Wisconsin St., Detroit, was given a fine of \$7.50 by Justice Schulte for passing on a hill. He was apprehended on Grand River avenue near Haggerty Highway.

Failure to stop for a thorough highway was the complaint lodged against Floyd Sanderson, 3670 Greenlake Road, Walled Lake. He was picked up by an officer at the intersection of Grand River and Middle Belt Roads. He was given a fine of \$3.35.

Clarence Speth, 36, 14099 Hone, Detroit, was arrested for a similar offense at the corner of Telegraph Road and Long Lake Road. He was fined \$5.00.

Failure to carry a car without an operator's license brought a fine of \$3.35 to Frank Balke, 32, 21010 Delaware, Redford Township. William Herman Waltrav, 29, 12425 Maryland street, Detroit, was fined \$3.35 for failure to stop for a thorough highway. He was arrested October 30 at the intersection of Eight Mile and Inkster Roads.

Failure to stop at the corner of Nine Mile and Telegraph brought a fine of \$3.50 against Louis J. Neldert, 27, of Fowlerville.

Leslie Cook, 31, 4714 Rivard street, Detroit, was arrested when he failed to stop at the intersection of Grand River and Tuck Roads. He was fined \$3.00.

KIWANIS CLUB PLANS 'LADIES' NIGHT' MEETING

Next Wednesday evening will be "Ladies' Night" at the meeting of the Kiwanis club. Final arrangements as to the program for the evening have not yet been made. Glen H. Leland is in charge of preparing programs in the absence of Howard Otis, program chairman.

Members of the Farmington Kiwanis club, and their wives, have been invited to attend the meeting of the South Lyon Kiwanis club Monday evening, November 20. The meeting, at which the South Lyon group will serve their regular weekly luncheon, will begin at 6:30.

At their last meeting, which was the "football dinner" Wednesday evening, members of the Farmington club voted to help pay the hospital expenses of Hans Schultz, a Farmington high school student, and a member of the grid team. Schultz was taken to Pontiac after the Milford game Friday for an appendectomy. He is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Brotherhood to Hold Feather Party Saturday

The Evangelical Brotherhood of the Salem Evangelical church invites the general public to attend its big Feather Party, to be held Saturday night, November 18, at the Farmington Hotel. There will be lots of chickens and ducks, as well as door a prize.

News items are always welcome.

Growers To Fight New Apple Law

Several growers and farmers in the Farmington area are plaintiffs in a suit which questions the legality of the new Michigan State Apple Commission. Judge H. R. Haddock, Oakland County, is to show cause to the defendants directing them to appear December 1 and show why a temporary injunction should not be granted preventing the enforcement of the law until the further order of the court.

Vladimir Regent, Ray J. Howard, Fred Tamm, Starr W. Graham, and Leon Marsh, from the Farmington district, were among the plaintiffs. Others named John T. Miller, L. F. Forman, Donald A. Fildew, Joe B. Jattieri, Clarence Higby, Andrew F. Kovacs, Philip Anderson, Joseph Longest, Vernon E. Patch, Jay Bassett, Earl A. Welch, Leon J. Yoder, Albert W. Dowd, Chancy Cornell, August Hopp, William Gee, J. Leo DeConick, Clarence Jameson, Edward H. Seeley, Howard W. Seeley, Thomas James Leane, and E. A. Salow, farmers and apple growers from Oakland, Macomb, Wayne, Lapeer, Livingston and Monroe counties.

Defendants Named
Defendants named were the Michigan State Apple Commission, Edward Lyman, Wesley G. Mawby, Wallace Van Cleave, W. K. Bristol, C. C. Taylor, Elmer A. Deam, V. R. Garwood, and Harvey Kabachnick, who are either members of the commission or employed to enforce the provisions of the law, and Sheriff Spencer C. Howarth of Oakland County as a law enforcement officer.

Under the law, which became effective May 12, apple growers must pay a tax of one cent per bushel or two cents per 100 pounds to provide funds with which to advertise Michigan apples. Growers are required to buy stamps from the State commission to place on every container of apples sold.

Plaintiffs' objection to the law is that it works a hardship on fruit growers in Oakland and Wayne counties because it delays the marketing of a perishable crop. A number of reasons are set up in the bill of complaint why the law is unconstitutional. One of these is that it is a discrimination between growers of apples and growers of other fruits or vegetables and who have to pay no such tax; that they are placed under a handicap when they have to meet competition with fruit growers from other states where there are no such requirements; that it seeks to place a specific tax on property; that it requires money to be paid to the State Apple Commission; that the law provides for double taxation; and that the law has no relation to the police powers of the State and does not affect public health or welfare.

The plaintiffs ask that the court declare the new law unconstitutional and enjoin the defendants from making any move to enforce it.

Daughters of Isabella Hold Installation

Our Lady of Sorrows Circle No. 611, Daughters of Isabella, held a public installation Tuesday evening, Nov. 14, in school hall. Mrs. Star Longe, of Ionia, State Regent, was the presiding officer. Mrs. Agnes Zeller, National Organizer, was also present.

Regents and Daughters from several nearby circles were well represented. Corsages were presented to Regents and a gift presented to Mrs. Longe. A program was arranged and lunch was served. The choral club of Sacred Heart Circle assisted with the program.

Rev. Joseph M. LeMire, a priest at Farmington, and Rev. Blessed Sacrament Cathedral, gave a short talk.

Mrs. Bickings Speaks Before Northville Club

Mrs. Clarence Bickings, 23614 Power avenue, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Northville chapter of the National Farm and Garden Club Monday. She gave a talk on "Bulbs and Perennials."

The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Myron Anderson, Northville. About 40 members and guests were present. Tea was served after Mrs. Bickings' talk and a general discussion followed.

Mrs. and Mrs. Charles Thornton and daughter Nancy, of Trenton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore.