

Walled Lake

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cure good used books before school starts, and those who get their books now will not be forced to stand in line on opening day.

School is also made more efficient for boys and girls who are adequately provided for the opening day, it was pointed out.

Late and previously unannounced additions to the teaching staff include Miss Gata Herick, Carson City, Michigan, who will teach vocal music in the grades; Miss Winifred Ann McCordie, Northville, who teaches junior high home economics and physical education; and Miss Georgiana Beck, St. Clair Shores, Michigan, who will teach

the second grade.

Miss Herrick is a graduate of Central State Teachers College, Mt. Pleasant, had special instruction in music and comes very highly recommended, according to Board officials.

Miss McCordie is a native of Northville and received her college training at Michigan State, specializing in home economics. Emphasis on home economics and shop courses for junior high girls and boys has always been a strong point in the Walled Lake Schools, and officials announce with pleasure the selection of a second permanent teacher in the home economics department.

Miss Beck is a graduate of Michigan State Normal College and has had experience teaching in the Traverse City Schools.

Very few other changes were made in the teaching staff of the Walled Lake Schools this year, which now numbers 40.

The Walled Lake Board of Education has purchased two large buses of \$5 pupil capacity each, replacing the two oldest buses in their fleet of 12. These replacements will aid materially in the transportation problem, which is complicated because of the short hauls and the compactness of the school population in the territory.

"We have a thousand children within our district to be transported, and we feel we have a very good system worked out in transporting these boys and girls to the three schools within an hour's time each trip," Board members said. "Walled Lake Schools do not, however, transport any non-resident pupils because of the financial difficulty and the lack of extra school rooms; the policy of the Walled Lake Schools is to welcome non-residents in the high school who will provide their own transportation, and refuse to transport anyone outside of the Walled Lake district."

Because of the shortage of school rooms, it is impossible for the Walled Lake district to accept non-residents in the lower grades.

"Four districts asked to be annexed to the original Walled Lake district, and they have done their part in voting taxes to secure additional rooms. So we do not feel it is just to accept others who have not shown a willingness to help share the costs," the Board explained.

The regular staff of maintenance men and carpenters have had additional help in putting the school buildings in first class condition. Considerable repainting, painting and the like have been done to make the schools ready for the resumption of classes. A quantity of new equipment has been provided.

The work of leveling the playground and athletic field was started late in the summer, but is progressing very well. Half of it has been completed, and it is expected that the remaining half will be finished in the next two weeks. Dirt, which had to be moved the greatest distance has been moved, and most of the rest of the work will consist of leveling off the remaining high places and smoothing the transported dirt with a bulldozer.

Michigan Holsteins Shown at Fairs

A solid carload of 20 of Michigan's best Holsteins were shipped from Ionia last week for the annual showing of the State Fair circuit. First showing is at the Illinois State Fair at Springfield this week, from where they will be shipped to be shown the following week at the Ohio State Fair at Columbus. The herd will then be shipped back to Michigan to be shown at the Michigan State Fair at Detroit, August 30 to September 8.

The herd is composed of the finest cattle on Michigan's state fairs, national fairs, and was selected from 30 head which were shown at the Ionia Fair as a preview. William J. Drakel, Traverse City, is in charge of the herd on the circuit.

This will be the third year in which Michigan has participated in the out-state fair circuit. In former years herds from this state have made very commendable showings, and it is expected that many honors will again be carried off this year.

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STATE FAIR TO HAVE SPECIAL PRESS HOUSE

"Press House", a specially built four-room log-house containing an exhibit housing the rural and small city newspapers of Michigan, will soon arise on the Michigan State Fair grounds, on the outskirts of Detroit, in preparation for the annual State Fair which opens August 30 and continues through September 8.

One of the features of "Press House", according to Dr. Linwood W. Snow, general manager of the State Fair, will be a mammoth map of Michigan on which, instead of cities, there will be shown the names of the newspapers throughout the state. The building will shelter an interesting array of exhibits, some of them devoted to explaining the importance of the rural press. It will be erected in the grove, opposite the Coliseum, one of the finest locations on the grounds.

"This year," says Dr. Snow, "will be the first year since 1935 that the Coliseum has been used for the objective for which it was built in 1922—the judging and showing of the finest livestock in the world. Under previous administration, the Coliseum was—due to an error in policy—devoted to theatrical shows and dancing."

"Where the Coliseum is not being employed for the showing of livestock, it will house a rodeo, which will perform every day during the fair. With the rodeo will be presented a dramatic and musical feature entitled 'Back to Texas', depicting a typical western celebration after a round-up."

According to Dr. Snow, the Fair will provide about three times the space for agricultural exhibits than in 1935. As against last year, housing the agricultural exhibits this year in a much larger building.

The Fair will provide more entertainment—and better entertainment, Dr. Snow says—than ever before. A new feature, the "Moonlight Dance Pavilion", with a mammoth dance floor, will present the world's greatest dance bands—Wayne King, Shep Fields, Dick Rogers, and Ted Fio Rito. Commencing Monday, September 2, there will be six afternoons of high class harness racing, with several thousands of dollars offered in purses.

Standing on the front bumper of a stock automobile without any protection whatsoever, Earl Pucheny, Canadian stunt star, will allow Milt Fargo to drive him through a solid grinding ball wall at a mile a minute, as one of the twelve motor stunts which will be with Dick Rogers' All American Motor Maniacs when they show at the Fair three afternoons only, Saturday, August 31, Sunday, September 1, and Sunday, September 2.

Jumping an automobile over six other automobiles is another of the thrills in the show. Four feature stunts will keep the thousands of spectators laughing between the thrills.

For the first time in its history, the State Fair was made self-supporting under the present management in 1939. The policies that instituted are being followed this year and have enabled the Fair to proceed without state subsidy.

Admission to the Fair will be 50 cents, with a 10-cent admission for children under 14 years of age. Up until August 22, however, half price tickets in books of four can be purchased from county agents, 4-H clubs, Ford Motor Company agencies and Hi-Speed Service Stations, also Cunningham drug stores.

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HOWARD HOND, Attorney, 236 N. 23rd St., Pontiac, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE PROBATE COURT, FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 20th day of August, A. D. 1940.

Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna Jane Herburn, Deceased.

Mary Rita Vanderburgh, daughter of said deceased, having filed petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate, the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Mary Rita Vanderburgh, Administratrix with the will annexed or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 16th day of September, A. D. 1940 at 2 o'clock, Eastern Standard Time, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Farmington Enterprise a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and the proponent cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail, return receipt demanded, to each of the known heirs at law, legatees and devisees of said last known place of abode at least ten days prior to said date of hearing.

Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
Eubank Smith, Deputy Register of Probate.
Aug. 22-Sept. 5

LOCAL RESIDENT, EUGENE SMITH, JOINS MARINES

Enlistment of Eugene M. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey C. Smith, 20825 Farmington Road, in the United States Marine Corps was announced by the Marine Corps Recruiting Officer in Detroit this week.

Private Smith, who is 18, finished two years at Farmington high school. He enlisted in the Marine Corps to serve with "Marine Corps 1500", the three Defense Battalions of Marines now being formed in Michigan.

The new Marine has been transferred to the Recruit Depot, Marine Barracks, Parris Island, S. C., where he will receive the basic training for all Marines, completing instruction in rifle and pistol marksmanship.

Upon completion of this training period, Private Smith will be eligible for instruction in any of 150 courses of study or to assignment to one of the 19 trade schools maintained by the Marine Corps.

He will also have an opportunity to express his desire for a specific duty, such as Foreign Duty, Sea Duty, aboard ship, or specialized training here in the United States.

NEW LIVONIA DIRECTORY TO BE AVAILABLE SOON

A new directory for Livonia Township is being compiled by George S. Carter, of Maple avenue, who reports that it will be on sale at various places within the district near the end of September.

The Livonia Directory will contain many interesting and useful facts for the citizens, among which will be found the officials of the Township, County and State, the churches and their pastors, schools and teachers. Also listed are the local societies and clubs, together with the officers.

All residents are listed, giving their occupation and address. One of the most useful features is the road and street guide.

As soon as the directory comes out, the names of the houses will be printed across the houses in the Enterprise, and places named where copies may be purchased.

Sees Straits Bridge Boon to Tourist Trade

Tourist trade in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan would be greatly stimulated by the construction of the proposed Mackinac Straits bridge, by increasing accessibility to the scenic and vacation areas of the peninsula, according to James H. Cissel, professor of structural engineering at the University of Michigan.

Time spent in crossing the straits would be reduced from the present ferry time of an hour and a half to twenty minutes needed to drive across the bridge, Professor Cissel stated in an interview.

Tourist traffic has reached sufficient volume, Professor Cissel believes, to warrant construction of the 26-million dollar bridge on a self-sustaining basis.

When built, the bridge would experience a high initial volume of traffic, predicted Professor Cissel, since the bridge would include the longest suspension span in the world. Following this initial boom, he foresees a slump for a few years, during which the bridge might even operate at a loss.

Soon, however, Professor Cissel predicts, the traffic volume would build up steadily to the maximum limit and the people of Michigan and bordering states become aware of the increased accessibility of the upper peninsula.

Feasibility of the bridge from the construction standpoint has long been accepted by Professor Cissel, who was formerly secretary and engineering consultant to the Straits Bridge Authority, and by engineers engaged by the authority to report on the project.

ADDRESSES TOWNSENDITES

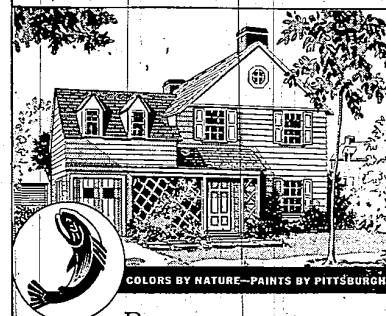
George E. Gullen, former pastor of the West Point Park church and a brother of Lloyd S. Gullen, local justice of the peace, will be the guest speaker at a mass meeting of the Townsend Club members Sunday, August 26, at 2:30 p. m. at the Townsend Club headquarters, 275 E. Ferry avenue, Detroit.

Gullen is a candidate for Congress in the 17th District. Everyone will be welcome at the meeting according to Club officials.

SMA BUYS PRODUCE

Until further notice the Surplus Marketing Administration will purchase green beans, cabbage, carrots, corn, celery and beets at the Detroit Farmer Markets. It was announced this week by Agricultural Commissioner Elmer A. Beamer in accordance with a report from the Lansing office of the SMA. This program is being introduced in an effort to relieve dairy surpluses of produce on the Detroit markets. All purchases will be made at the Western Market.

WET PAINT A Sign of Brighter Days!



BRUSH UP on beauty with nature's gay colors, Pittsburgh's sturdy finishes. But be sure to see us first. For our years of experience in selling fine paints have equipped us to be of invaluable assistance to you in choosing the proper color schemes and the proper finishes. You will also find that our new color book will better help you visualize new rooms in your home. Let us recommend a reliable Painting Contractor, too. Phone us and we will send one of our capable Representatives to your home.

WALLHIDE The original one-day paint for walls and ceilings. Wide variety of soft and semi-gloss shades. Per Quart, 85c	FLORHIDE For handsome, durable, wear-resisting luster on painted floors. Dries in no time. Per Quart, \$1.35
WATERSPAR ENAMEL Quick-drying. Easy to apply. Brings new life and beauty to woodwork and furniture. Per Quart, \$1.00	SPECIAL This week only, 1 Quart Can Wallhide, 1 Quart Can Waterspar Enamel, 1 Quart Can Florhide—all three will be offered at the special, money-saving price of \$3.00

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Notice of PRIMARY ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a General Primary Election will be held in the City of Farmington, State of Michigan, on TUESDAY, SEPT. 10th, 1940, for the purpose of nominating State, District and County officers.

STATE AND DISTRICT	COUNTY
Governor	Judge of Probate
Lieutenant Governor	Prosecuting Attorney
United States Senator	Sheriff
Representative in Congress	County Clerk
State Senator	County Treasurer
Representative in State Legislature	Register of Deeds
	Circuit Court
	Commissioner
	Drain Commissioner
	Coroner
	Surveyor

LOCATION OF VOTING BOOTH
Farmington Town Hall at Grand River and Farmington Roads.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF POLLS

The polls of said election will be open at seven o'clock A. M. and remain open until eight o'clock P. M., Eastern Standard Time, of said day of election.

H. W. MOORE, City Clerk

Auction Sale

Tuesday, August 27

12:30

1/4 Mile East of Middlebelt,
1/4 Mile South of Seven Mile
Road on Maplewood.

About ten rooms clean house-
hold furniture, rugs, stoves,
dishes. Terms: CASH.

Leaving for Florida.

Robert Fredericks,

Owner.

HARRY C. ROBINSON,

Auctioneer

VISIT

East Shore Tavern

Walled Lake's New Cocktail Bar

Foot of 14 Mile Road & East Lake Drive

PROPERLY MIXED DRINKS

KOOLER KEG DRAUGHT BEER

DINNERS — LIQUOR — DANCING

WIXOM CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY

WIXOM, MICHIGAN

Balance Sheet---June 30, 1940

ASSETS (What the company owns)	LIABILITIES (What the company owes)
We have in cash to operate the business \$ 5,173.29	Commercial trade creditors for supplies purchased not paid for \$ 6,006.44
Customers owe us on account and on their notes for supplies sold them 21,165.02	Money borrowed from individuals and banks 21,927.96
Members owe us on their stock notes 1,169.38	Taxes and interest not yet paid since last payment not yet due 1,218.03
Our stock of supplies, grain, gas and oil on hand unsold amounts to 23,212.24	Set aside for payment this summer dividend on patronage and dividend stock 5,749.56
Insurance premiums paid in advance 579.33	Total value of members equity \$34,901.99
Land, Buildings and equipment at depreciated values are worth 31,018.55	
Invested in Stock of other companies to meet trade requirements 801.90	
Invested in mortgage on Wixom Community Bldg. (This was reduced \$100.00 during the year) 1,400.00	
Sinking Fund for retirement of Preferred Stock set up in accordance with article 7, sec. 3 of our by-laws 935.00	
Total value of all we own \$85,395.22	

Operating Statement for Year Ended June 30, 1940

		% of Net Sales
GROSS SALES	\$213,723.96	
Less: Returns and Allowances 2,488.14		
Discounts Allowed 228.59		
Net Sales 211,007.29	100.0	
COST OF MERCHANDISE SOLD		
Opening Inventory, July 1, 1939 117,098.38		
Purchases 153,601.31		
Transportation Costs 15,632.02		
State of Mich. Gas Tax 5,650.77		
Total 391,980.98		
Closing Inventory, June 30 23,212.24		
Cost of Merchandise Sold 368,768.74	80.0	
OTHER INCOME--NET	\$ 42,338.55	20.0
Interest Income--Net 608.57		
Over and Short 47.14		
Less: Interest Expense 773.45	117.64	
Less: Operating Expense 42,120.91	20.0	
Operating Profit 3,408.81	16.2	
Patronage Dividend 8,012.10	3.8	
Operating Profit 3,400.00	1.6	
NET PROFIT 4,612.10	2.2	
Federal Income Tax 576.51	0.3	
AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR STOCKHOLDERS 4,035.59	1.9	
Preferred Stock Dividend 314.00		
Common Stock Dividend 1,014.50		
AMOUNT RETAINED AND ADDED TO SURPLUS 2,707.09	1.3	
Earned Surplus, July 1, 1939 14,873.66		
Earned Surplus June 30, 1940 17,580.75		