

Around The Block

COURTESY—A half-fledged virtue so often comes in its absence in the hustle and bustle of modern society. It hasn't died out completely. But sometimes it's a shock when it appears. Bernard D. Foster, 3308 Grand River, mentally snapped his surprise the other night when a driver of the Greene and Barwell Motor Co., Greenville, South Carolina stopped and asked permission to park in front of his house while he examined the motor of his car.

CANINE INFERORITY—An inferiority complex can be a serious thing. Even when it's in a dog. In fact it practically brought curtains for one canine in the Folker subdivision last Thursday. Troopers were called by residents who believed the dog was mad from its strange actions. Examination, however, ended in the theory that the poor animal was suffering from fright caused by an encounter with a larger dog.

AW, HECK—Shucks, not a gangster in sight. Excitement ran high for a couple of minutes Thursday morning when a police car with siren screaming dashed through town. Spectators strained eyes and necks for sight of the pursued gangster. Disappointment was great when spectators discovered that police were only clearing a path for seven or eight chartered Greyhound buses passing through the city.

READING, WRITING—Say, you got a geometry book to sell?—And I need literature and chemistry books, too. And that's the younger generation back in the school swing. The town, more or less depopulated of children and teen-agers during the summer, is again swarming with boys and girls, and Michigan's patriotic-colored school buses are part of the city traffic.

PAGING SAM GO'WYN—Calling MGM studio officials, Sam Goldwyn, David Selznick, and Margaret Mitchell, talk about first prize—one woman drove 57 miles to see the local theater's showing of "Gone With the Wind" this week.

Exchange Club Starts Contest

A new attendance contest was begun Wednesday when the Farmington Exchange Club met at the Methodist church for luncheon. The contest was announced by Charles Kowalski. It will run for four months. Each member will receive a certain number of points for each new member, referee, member, guest and the like.

Dr. C. C. Goodes presided over the meeting in the absence of the president, Dr. Lee Halsted. George Dewey was in charge of the program and read a paper entitled "Little Red Wagon and Little Red Boots" by Carroll Day and published by the D. Mond Life Bulletin.

Emory Hutton was named to keep a record of the progress of the attendance contest.

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Defense Bond Promotion To Begin Here

Pamphlets To Be Distributed This Week

Residents of Farmington Township and City will receive within the next few days, a pamphlet prepared by the United States Treasury Department, entitled "Buy Defense Bonds." The pamphlet points out the advisability of buying government defense bonds now, it explains thoroughly what the bonds are, giving the type of bond, interest rate, price, values, registration, limitation on holdtime, redemption and advises where to buy bonds.

The pamphlets will be distributed through the post office and rural mail carriers.

Joseph Himmelspach, who is local chairman for the selling of Defense Bonds, stated at a meeting of committee members held Wednesday evening in the Farmington State Bank, that up to this point little actual work has been done to promote the sale of Bonds, but now that September is here, and organizations are again holding regular meetings, school is started and living has more or less slipped back into routine after the summer months, the effort must be put forth to inform the residents of this community of the need for their participation in this great National movement.

Stamp System—Bonds may be easily purchased on the stamp system, whereby defense stamps in the denomination of 10, 25, 50 and \$1.00 may be purchased and collected in a stamp album furnished for this purpose, and when the album is filled it is to be presented at the Bank or the Post Office, and you will be given your Defense Bonds. Stamps are on sale in Farmington at the Post Office, the Bank, Civic Theatre, Retail Drug Store and the Kroger store, as well as at Farmington Public Schools.

Supt. Dunkel stated that Tuesday is being set aside as Stamp Day in Farmington Public Schools. A revolving fund has been set up to purchase the stamps, which in turn will be resold to the school children. Each child will receive a stamp album in which to keep his stamps until he has sufficient number with which to purchase a bond. The album will be numbered, and the number registered with the teacher. It will not be taken from the school room, and there will be no chance of losing the stamps.

Quantity Already Sold—To date a number of bonds have been sold in Farmington, but largely voluntary on the part of the buyers. Precise Tool Company is now on a regular payroll deduction for the purchase of the bonds. This system is found to have much merit, and it is hoped that other employers will follow the example set by Precise Tool Company, in establishing a deduction system for their employees. This system is adaptable to any business, even if there is only one employee. Deduction sheets, as well as any other material desired, will be furnished upon request from Mr. Himmelspach.

Postmaster Norman Lee announced that stamps will be carried by mail carriers. Store after, and patrons on the rural routes, may purchase them directly from the carrier.

Committee chairman will follow up the distribution of the pamphlets, and social and business groups will be contacted to promote the sale of the bonds within their own organizations.

Local committee chairman assisting Mr. Himmelspach are: Agriculture, Frank Steele; Service Clubs and Fraternal organizations, V. R. Blakeslee; Industrial, W. H. Weyer; Financial and Production, H. C. Kalkreuth; Women's Organizations and Religious, Mrs. Mary Johnson; Educational, Max Belser; Labor, Norman Lee and Trade and Transportation, E. J. Hober.

Clarenceville Man Weds Detroit Girl August 2

Miss Virginia Miller of Detroit became the bride of George Frantz, son of Mr. Mottie Frantz of 21216 Waldron avenue, Clarenceville, Saturday, August 2. The ceremony took place in Ohio. They are living with the bridegroom's mother for the present.

Eagle Scout Award Given To John Hunt By Governor

Farmington was very much in evidence last Wednesday at the State Fair, when it shared honors with Romeo in prizes spoken for Governor Murray D. Van Wagner, when he presented the highest scouts award, the Eagle Badge, to two scouts from these communities.

John W. Hunt, of Oakland Road, son of Neighborhood Scout Commissioner John Hunt, and Mrs. Hunt, and James Haines of Romeo were the two boys found to be eligible and receive the high award in the presence of Coby, Boy Scouts and Sea Scouts from various parts of the State.

Wednesday was Governor's Day and Boy Scout Day at the State Fair, so the Governor asked the privilege of making the awards to Scouts eligible for the Eagle award. He extended his own congratulations, and those of his staff, and the advice to "carry on" in the good work throughout their lives. Van Wagner appealed to parents to help their children through life by standing behind scout organization and assisting them to know the real meaning of Scouting, so that finally they, too, would have sons receive the coveted Eagle Badge and be as proud of both Haines and Hunt.

John is a senior patrol leader of the local Scout Troop 45. Several members of the Troop, with their flags, under the direction of Assistant Scoutmaster Albert Beals, attended the event.

Farmington Couple Weds

At a simple wedding ceremony performed Wednesday evening, Helen Kripko, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kripko, became the bride of Forest Durham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Durham. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Bostick at the Redford Baptist church.

For her wedding, the bride wore a gown of shell pink, with a lace bodice and full skirt, and matching pink veil. She carried a bridal bouquet of white baby chrysanthemums and white rubrum lilies.

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Cecil Hutchins of Redford, acted as his cousin's best man.

Miss Ruth Kripko was the sister's maid of honor, and she wore a long gown of aqua blue, with lace bodice and net skirt. She carried bruce chrysanthemums.

Following the ceremony a reception for a hundred guests was held at the Kripko home on Grand River avenue. The bride table was lovely, centered with a beautiful floral arrangement and tall white tapers. A miniature bride and groom stood near the tiered wedding cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Durham left for a week's motor trip through northern Michigan. For going away, the bride wore a teal blue dress with brown accessories.

The young couple will make their home in Kalamazoo, where Mr. Durham is employed by the Pennsylvania Airlines as a radio technician.

Scouts To Show New Equipment

The fall scouting season is here, and with the opening of school Farmington Boy Scouts are once more assembled in the Community. During the summer months Troop 45 has been represented by its various members in many places, far and near.

The fall season will open with its official meeting Monday, September 15, at 7:30 p. m. at the Scout Hall. A new and interesting Scout program which includes a large amount of handicraft work has been planned for the year.

The troop is very enthusiastic over a fine new camping outfit which has been procured for its use, through the efforts and contributions of the friends of Scouting in Farmington. The outfit consists of eleven tents and suitable cooking utensils for troop camping.

The equipment will be displayed for the public's inspection, Saturday, September 13. Troop 45 invites anyone interested in Boy Scouts to come to the Town Hall lawn, opposite the Precise Tool Company, any time Saturday to have a look at this newly acquired equipment. Someone will be there to explain the use of the equipment, and answer any questions.

If you have a son of Scout age who has not yet joined the organization, why not bring him to see this display which is designed to build good loyal American citizens?

Past Matron's Club Sponsors Card Party

The Farmington Past Matron's Club will sponsor a card party to be held in the dining room of the Masonic Hall on Wednesday afternoon, September 17. A dessert luncheon will be served at one o'clock. Prizes will be awarded for each table.

Assistance Asked By Kowalski

Air Rifles Proving Menace to Motorists

The regular meeting of the Commission of the City of Farmington was held Wednesday evening in the Municipal Building, with all Commissioners present, except Fred Bagnall. A number of varied problems were presented to the Commission for their consideration.

Mrs. Jennette Wallace of 23801 Orchard Lake Road, appeared before the Commission to ask an opinion concerning the question of the Ely property. Mrs. Wallace explained that if the property is deeded back to the City, the Wallace property would have no outlet for further investment.

When action was taken, her problem would be considered before any decision was reached.

William Spiller appeared before the Commission to ask for a month's pay from the City, for injury received while doing work for the City. Commissioner Otis brought up the question of securing insurance to cover liability of this type, that might be incurred by the City. The question was deferred for further investigation.

Help at School Crossings—Police Chief Kowalski pointed out the necessity of getting more help at the crossings on Grand River near the school. He asked for more protection at School street, and at Warner street, as these two crossings are the ones most widely used by school children.

Mr. Huelt moved that a committee of two be appointed to confer with school officials on a plan to work jointly in this matter as far as expense is concerned, and employ two men to aid the children in safely crossing Grand River.

Police Chief Kowalski also asked that an Ordinance prohibiting the use of guns within the city limits be drafted and passed. He stated that boys are shooting at cars, and in some cases the cars have been hit. He asked permission from the City, to allow the police department to confiscate any air guns found in the City, and that the Ordinance be passed as soon as possible. This question was referred to the Ordinance Committee, upon the suggestion of Commissioner Griffith, and the possibility of an Amendment to the Firearms Ordinance was suggested, so that air rifles would be included under the regulations set forth in the Ordinance.

Commissioner Otis moved that the Boy Scouts be allowed the use of the room in the Fire Hall again this year, as a meeting place and activity hall. This is the same room the Scouts have enjoyed the use of the past year.

Chief Kowalski also urged the Commission to more strictly govern the running of dogs in the City. Without a leash. There is at present, City Ordinance forbidding the running of dogs within the city limits, unless they are properly leashed, but according to Kowalski, there are a number of dogs running loose, making a general nuisance as well as being a danger in case of a rabies scare. The operation of residents is asked, in keeping their dogs at home, and see that they are properly leashed when taken away from home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hatton and Mrs. Elizabeth Holcomb attended the regular meeting of the Farmington Freemont, Ohio. Thursday afternoon, Mr. Thomas was a former resident of Farmington.

Clarenceville Public School Adds New Building to Present Facilities

By September 23 Clarenceville students should be housed in the new building. If there are no interruptions or set-backs in the construction work.

The building, constructed of cinder block inside, with a brick veneer finish outside, is being constructed on a 10 acre site on Middlebelt Road, between Seven and Eight Mile Roads. The building, on the new site, will be completed at a cost of about \$46,000, including architects' fees and all other expense. Present plans are to make the location a community playground, as well as an athletic field for the school.

The new construction is a two-story building, 74 feet by 58 feet, and houses eight rooms. The largest room is a combination study hall and library, and there are five smaller classrooms, with two small classrooms to be used for commercial work.

Office in New Building—All offices in the new building will be located in the new building, and all pupils in the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th grades will be in the new building.

School began in Clarenceville on

Enrollment Reaches New High at Farmington School

FAILURE TO STOP AT INTERSECTION CAUSES ACCIDENT

A minor accident occurred at Grand River avenue and Middlebelt Road at 7:15 p. m. Tuesday when a car driven by Miss Doris Powers of 20220 Angling Road called to stop at a stop sign and crashed into a Greyhound bus.

Miss Powers, who was going north on Middlebelt, crashed into the bus, the rear end of her car swung around striking the bus again and then jumped the curb to the island. Driver of the bus was Charles H. Maurath of Lansing.

No one was injured. The front of the Powers' car was rather badly smashed and little damage was done to the bus. Troopers Roberts and Dougherty handled the accident.

League Schedule Is Announced—Football practice has begun in earnest for members of the Farmington High School football squad, under the direction of Coach Paul Shoemaker. The first game of the season will be played on September 19, and it is expected by that time the Farmington boys will be in first class condition.

Following is the schedule for the Southwestern Oakland County League, in which Farmington plays:

September 19
Reford Union at Farmington.
September 26
open
October 3
Holly at Brighton
Farmington at Walled Lake
Keego Harbor at Milford
October 10
Walled Lake at Holly
Farmington at Keego Harbor
Brighton at Milford
October 17
Northville at Farmington
October 24
Walled Lake at Brighton
Holly at Keego Harbor
Milford at Farmington
Brighton at Keego Harbor
October 31
Keego Harbor at Walled Lake
Milford at Holly
Farmington at Brighton
November 7
Milford at Walled Lake
Holly at Farmington
Brighton at Keego Harbor

Students Eligible—The question has been asked of Superintendent Dunkel a number of times this week by parents of students, as to whether or not a student graduating from Farmington High School was eligible for Michigan.

Farmington High School is a member of the Western Central Association, which means that the school is on the list of accredited schools for the next three years. At the end of that time, the school is revisited and if it is again approved, it is placed on the accredited list for the next three years. As long as Farmington High School remains on the accredited list, and it is on the list now, students from here are eligible for enrollment at the University.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of School District No. 5, City and Township of Farmington, was held on Thursday evening, at eight o'clock in the High School building.

P.T.A. Begins New Season—The Farmington Parent-Teachers' Association will launch its activities for the ensuing year at the opening meeting, to be held Tuesday evening, September 16, at the high school cafeteria. It is announced by Mr. Albert T. Beals, president of the organization.

The first meeting will be devoted principally to meeting and greeting the members of the faculty, according to Mrs. Lee Monts, program chairman. A brief report will be given by Superintendent O. E. Dunkel. Refreshments will be served at the close of the evening.

The theme of the year will be "Keeping Faith With America," which will stress building, development, and guidance of the character and activities of our American youth. Inasmuch as this is of paramount importance to both parents and teachers, all are urged to come to the meetings and support this timely program.

Sportsman's Club Opens Shooting Season—The Farmington Sportsman's Club Inc., will open the fall shooting season on Sunday, September 14. The skeet field is located at the end of Maple avenue, at the Grand River Outfit.

Members and their friends are invited to join in the party.

Plans are being made for an open night, when parents will be given the opportunity to look over the new building, and see what a vast improvement it will offer to the Clarenceville Schools.