



SPRING CLEANING seems to be in order, and all the housewives are making plans for their semi-annual scrubbing bee.

OTHER SIGNS . . . of spring noted this week. Wednesday afternoon one of our residents was seen driving a horse up Farmington Road, and judging from the accompanying equipment and the garb of the driver, plowing time is not far away.

I'LL DO MY BEST . . . is the most appropriate slogan for individuals to adopt, particularly right now when it is so important that everyone do his best.

CONGRATULATIONS . . . were extended by the Kiwanis Club Wednesday evening when they held their regular dinner meeting at The Handmark.

MORE CONGRATULATIONS . . . to the Exchange Club who celebrated their 31st anniversary on Wednesday, with a "Wings of Victory" program.

STILL CALLING . . . for women to volunteer for AVWS work. Anyone who can attend the Fire Prevention Institute at Blossing Township Hall next week between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12, is asked to contact the Enterprise office.

Three Farmington Boys Enter Bird Houses Bob Schroeder, Jim and Dick Bowman, Cub Scouts of Den No. 4, entered exhibits in the Detroit News Bird House Contest, entries of which are being shown at the Detroit Flower Show at Cony Hall this week.

Dorothy Goers Is Presented Gold Pin At Assembly Program In Her Honor

Dorothy M. Goers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Goers of Brookdale avenue, was honored at the special assembly Friday afternoon, when Mrs. Jessie McNeal, D.A.R. representative from the Three Flags Chapter of Birmingham, presented Dorothy with a G.C.P. gold pin, and invited her to attend the State Conference and luncheon on Jackson on March 27.

100 Persons Gather At Legion Party

Nick Salowich Delivers Forceful Speech On Unity

About 100 members and friends of Groves-Walker Post of the American Legion gathered at the Farmington Town Hall Saturday evening for the 23rd annual birthday party and past commanders' night.

Commander Niles called the party to order following the dinner. Howard Otis, mayor pro tem, gave a short talk and turned the meeting over to chairman Carson Baldwin, who introduced the toastmaster of the evening, Charles Eklind.

Past Commanders of the post have included Carl Goers, Carl Hogle, Fred Mass, Harley Schroeder, Fred Schaepfer, W. B. Gamble, Homer Eisenlord, Mark Owen, Joseph DeVriendt, Myron Carrier, Alfred Smith, Charles Eklind, Norman Lee and Erwin Plettburg.

Guest speaker of the evening was Nick Salowich, a member of the Washington Post No. 88 of Detroit. Mr. Salowich stated that he had long hoped for an invitation to Farmington. He commended the past commanders on the high degree of unity in the Post, and in their continued activity even after they had achieved the highest honor the Post could offer them.

Mr. Salowich told the Legionnaires, "You are the best soldiers that the nation has today, maybe not physically, but in thinking power, and thinking power is going to be one of the main reasons that we are going to win this war. In other words," he continued, "you are soldiers from the ears up. Did you know that we are taking a real thinking now and why? Through propaganda. Have you not had that kind desire to serve, to do something, to get yourself into it somehow, and in turn asked yourself and others, what can I do? You can do this—stop that rumor spreader, the fifth columnist, the propagandist. Be alert to anything that would hinder our production of the (Continued on Page Eight)



DOROTHY M. GOERS

Two Farmington Players Named To All-League Squad

Charles Asher, secretary of the Southwestern Oakland County League, picked the All-League First and Second teams last week. The coaches and players of all the teams made out an all-league team, and the players with the most votes were chosen.

The 1942 Championship basketball team from Farmington placed two players on the first team, one on the second team, and had one Honorable Mention. The All-League Team is as follows: First Team Stack, guard, Holly; Youngblood, forward, Farmington; Larsen, center, Keego Harbor; Russell, forward, Farmington; Coe, guard, Walled Lake.

Second Team Beckley, guard, Holly; Campbell, forward, Farmington; Binkley, center, Milford; Nelms, forward, Walled Lake; Appleton, guard, Clarkston. Honorable Mention Edgar, guard, Farmington; Hanes, guard, Keego Harbor; Pennell, center, Walled Lake; Hanfield, center, Keego Harbor. Bob Russell

Kiwanis Meet At Handmark

Perce Pauline's new restaurant, The Handmark, was the meeting place Wednesday evening of the Farmington Kiwanis Club. Plenty of noise was the main part of the program, with a six-piece band furnishing the entertainment. The band played several pieces outside The Handmark and then moved right inside to give the Kiwanians a real taste of noise-making.

PROFIT OF \$38.08 REALIZED FROM FIREMAN'S BALL

Figures were released this week on the money raised from the first annual Fireman's Ball sponsored by the Young People's Club of Farmington at the Farmington Town Hall last Tuesday evening. A clear profit of \$38.08 was realized on the dance after expenses of \$37.72, including payment of Federal tax were deducted. All profit will be given to the volunteer firemen to purchase needed equipment.

The Young People's Club wishes to thank everyone who cooperated in planning the dance, and special thanks to Norman Barrows, Pietro Tata, Harold Oldenburg and to Helen McDonald who sold the student tickets in the High School.

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Red Cross Ladies Honor Birthday of Mrs. Ferris The ladies who gather each Wednesday to sew at the Red Cross workrooms in the American Legion Home, helped Mrs. George Ferris of Dresden boulevard, celebrate her birthday anniversary this week. The cake, in the shape of a cross, was baked by Mrs. Albert Grimwade and Mrs. Sam Billings. The ladies have already exceeded their quota of Red Cross sewing and at the present time, are completing other quotas which were turned back to Camp Headquarters, without being filled.

Defense Registrations Almost to the 300 Mark

Up to Tuesday morning, March 24, when the registration drive for civilian defense closed, 293 persons living in the city of Farmington or Farmington Township had registered. At the opening of the drive on Monday, March 23, a total of 283 persons were registered. This represents an increase of 30 over the two week period.

Salvage Drive Enters 3rd Week

Old wash pails and buckets, galvanized wire and tin roofings which are no longer in use—can go directly into the production of projectiles for battleships or into essential parts for tanks, trucks, and a variety of other war materials.

Churches Sponsor Lenten Movie on Friday

A moving picture of the life of Jesus, entitled, "The Life of Our Saviour" will be shown at the Civic Theatre on Friday afternoon, March 27, at two o'clock. This picture is being sponsored by the churches of Farmington and they urge that everyone who can do so, plan to attend the picture.

Scouts Plan Family Night

The Farmington High School gymnasium will be the scene of a large Scout celebration Friday evening, when the Southern Neighborhood, Bond School, New, and Farmington families together to enjoy the annual Scout Get-Together. In previous years it has always been a father and son banquet, but this year Scout families asked to have a family get-together.

TWO LOCAL BOYS GIVEN RANKING IN THE SERVICE

Two items released by the Public Relations Section of the U. S. Army services, concern Farmington boys who are serving in the Army. Thoroughly trained in all phases of: radio communications, Pvt. George D. Brykalski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brykalski, 28905 Middlebelt, has been graduated with the last class, included among these men was Pfc. Merle C. Campbell, who was promoted to Corporal.

"I'll Do My Best" Rally To Be Held March 31

THIS YEAR'S TAX COLLECTION SETS NEW RECORD

This year shows the highest percentage of taxes collected in the City of Farmington, in any year of the City's history, according to recent figures released by City Treasurer Avis Jamison. A percentage figure of 92.6 were collected for the entire year. This figure is an average of the 95.0% of City taxes collected last June and 92.7% of the current collection of County and School tax.

Cubs of Den 4 Sell Half Ton of Paper

The Cubs of Den No. 4 sold a half ton of paper last Saturday. To date the boys have collected and sold more than a ton of paper, from the proceeds of which they have purchased a blanket for the emergency hospital at the American Legion Home. Other money earned in this manner will be used to further Den projects.

Miss Robbins Engaged To Don Anderson

The engagement has been announced of Miss Catherine Robbins of Redford, to Don Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson of Randall avenue. Miss Robbins is a niece of Mrs. and Mr. James Raphael of Redford.

Captain Estes Addresses Club

The Farmington Exchange Club along with other clubs throughout the Nation, Wednesday noon celebrated the 31st anniversary of the founding of the Club by Charles A. Berkey, who is still an active member of the No. 1 Club in Detroit. Lloyd Guillen was in charge of the program for the day. Many guests were present at the luncheon meeting, and they were introduced by Delos Hamlin. The covenant of service was awarded to three new members, Fred Menke, Arthur Lamb, and Howard Buchaling.

Evangelical Church Postpones Confirmation

The Confirmation Exercises at the Evangelical and Reformed Church, originally scheduled for this week, Palm Sunday, have been postponed and will now be held on April 5, Easter Sunday.

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