

A BAKER... or any of his assistants, has to be a mighty versatile person these days, for each new rationing order, or change in tax collection, brings a new duty for him to perform. Probably his work has been increased more than any other particular field, by the war and operations and the systems resulting from the war. And it's a fine job they are doing at the Farmington State Bank, too.

SHOW YOUR FAITH... in our boys, and your pride in the job they are doing, by being present at Honor Roll dedication exercises on Sunday afternoon, at two o'clock, on the lawn of the Farmington Town Hall.

MUCH CAN BE ACCOMPLISHED... these beautiful days, with a little more than hot to work, too wet, too cold, or anything else. Of course, there is the little matter of wanting to play hooky because it is so wonderful out-of-doors. A little self discipline should do the trick, however.

CITY PICNIC GROUNDS... are well patronized these days with those who would rather picnic than most anything else they can think of, and yet do not have a sufficient amount of gasoline, or food enough tires, to take them far from home. It's a mighty nice little park, a pretty spot, and has all the advantages of a larger park—as well as some extra ones you can't beat. If you haven't tried a picnic in the City Park, why don't you plan to do so soon?

SOME GARDENERS... who braved the elements, judgment of their neighbors, and at a sacrifice of their time managed to put in an early garden and nurse it through the cold, wet spring, are reaping their reward with stories of fresh green peas, string beans, beets and what have you. The rest of us struggle along, still hoping that maybe some day we can have at least one meal out of the garden. Every year we think, or at least hope—that it is going to be different, but it never seems to be.

NEW BOOKS NOW AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY

Those residents of this community who desire to get some good reading material, will find plenty available at the Farmington Public Library. Among the newer books at the library, which readers will find highly entertaining are the following:

- "Great Tradition," Allen.
 - "Forest and the Fort," Allen.
 - "Swing Shift," Brier.
 - "Payment Deferred," Forester.
 - "Mother Russia," Hildus.
 - "Chimney Tree," Hutton.
 - "Story of Dr. Wassell," Hutton.
 - "Lassie Come Home," Knight.
 - "I Wanted Wings," Lay.
 - "Q Boat," Mason.
 - "John D. Rockefeller," Nevins.
 - "Life in a Mexican Village," Steinbeck.
 - "Destination Chungking," Steinbeck.
 - "One World," Wilkie.
 - "Journey for Margaret," Wynne.
 - "They Were Expendable," White.
- New books to please the juvenile readers are "You Shall Have a Castle," "Up the Hill," "Brushland Bill," "Benjie's Hat," "Little Grey Gown," "Betty and Bill" and "Thomas Jefferson."

Jean Samborski Honored At Showers

Miss Jean Samborski was recently honored at two bridal showers. Her parents entertained twenty neighbors and friends at their home on Cambridge Avenue on June 24, and on June 28 she was honored with a shower in Detroit, at which fifty friends were present.

Defense Council Postpones Meeting

The regular meeting of the Farmington Civilian Defense Council has been postponed from Monday to Thursday, July 15. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock in the City Hall.

Marie Terresant is spending a two weeks' vacation with friends in Detroit. Her visit will include a fishing trip on the Anishnabe. Marie Terresant is observing her fifth birthday on July 8th.

Withholding Tax Must Be Deposited

Local Bank Named Depository

The new 20 per cent withholding tax went into effect on the first of July, and all salaries are now subject to this tax.

One provision of this law with which many employers are unfamiliar is the requirement to deposit the total amount withheld with an authorized depository on or before the 10th day of the following month, providing the employer withholds a total of \$100.00 or more monthly. This means that almost all employers will be required to make a monthly deposit of the tax withheld, for only very small companies will have less than \$100.00 per month.

Howard C. Knickerbocker of the Farmington State Bank, this week announced that he has been designated as depository for such deposits. All employers may deposit their withheld tax funds at the Farmington State Bank and receive an official receipt for them. This receipt will be remitted to the collector by the bank. If you haven't tried a picnic in the City Park, why don't you plan to do so soon?

Deposits to the tax account should be made either in cash or by check payable to The Farmington State Bank.

Anyone desiring any further information concerning the withholding tax, or making arrangements for payment of the tax, may call upon one of the officers of the bank, and they will gladly help you.

LOCAL PEOPLE GREATLY ENJOY GUEST MAGICIAN

Adults and children alike were baffled by the mysterious performance by Mr. Bartholomew, Northville business man and magician, who appeared at the Farmington Community Hall in the Methodist Church, Wednesday evening. Mr. Bartholomew was presented by the Farmington Kiwanis Club, with Al Ross acting as program chairman.

Among the feats he accomplished was escaping from handcuffs, while both his hands and feet were shackled. Another trick which left the audience amazed involved the apparent swallowing of 24 needles and a quantity of thread. Just to add to the digestion of this rather unusual food, Mr. Bartholomew took a drink of water, and then 24 pieces were needed to pull the 24 needles, threaded on the piece of thread, from Mr. Bartholomew's mouth.

Preceding the program, Kiwanis enjoyed a delicious chicken dinner.

Staff Sergeant Edward Fink of Salinas, California, was a guest at the dinner and gave an interesting talk about his work in the Army Air Corps.

More Local Young Men Report For Service

Oakland County Selective Service Board No. 8, of which Farmington is a part, has announced names of men leaving for military service on July 8.

Those from Farmington going in this group are: Audra C. Epp, Marine; Richard D. Bedson, Navy; David J. Flannery, Army Air Force; Gordon Nelson, Navy; Richard R. Lewis, Army.

WARNING ISSUED ABOUT THE USE OF AIR RIFLES

A warning was issued this week by Police Chief Joseph DeVriendt, concerning the firing of air rifles within the city limits.

A number of complaints have been received, he stated, that boys have been using air rifles within the city, shooting many song birds. This will not be tolerated.

DeVriendt said, and all air rifles found will be confiscated. Not only are the song birds wanted and needed within the city, but there is great risk of doing property damage, such as breaking windows, and of injuring the many small children at play within the city limits. Parents are asked to cooperate with the police department.

FOOD ORDER WILL APPLY TO ALL GROCERS

Effective July 1, grocers are equally responsible with bakers for complying with the terms of Food Distribution Order No. 1, which rules out the practice of selling state and federal health and safety products on a consignment basis. Reports received indicate that the baker, bakery salesman and the retail grocer are jointly responsible for alleged violations which have been reported, according to the War Food Administration.

Under the terms of the amended order, the purchaser of bakery products including retailers, restaurant operators, hotels and institutions are prohibited from continuing the wasteful and unsanitary practice of returning unsold bakery products. Trade practices, such as giving away samples and influencing sales by giving premiums, are also prohibited. It is estimated that the elimination of consignment selling will return to the government 45 million pounds of dry milk, 6 million pounds of sugar and 5 1/2 million pounds of shortening from livestock feed and waste to food for human consumption. Persons who are unwilling to comply with the provisions of the order will be investigated and dealt with firmly, War Food Administration officials announced.

Further provisions continue the requirement that all white bread be enriched and remove restrictions which require bakers to use direct quantities of three parts of milk solids or skim milk to each 100 parts of flour in white pan bread formulas. It retains the maximum that no more than four parts be used. Dry skim milk normally used in most bread formulas has been replaced by whole milk.

Conditions in quantities sufficient to meet the minimum of previous requirements.

EXTRA PROFITS OFFERED TO SHEEP HERDERS

One way to save grains and reduce purchases of war-scarce concentrate feeds offers extra profits to sheep herders, according to a new report from the War Food Administration.

Proper management, including adequate control of internal parasites, indicates that sheep flocks marketed with a minimum of grain to the local market.

Midsummer is the best time of the parasite season, according to C. L. Cole of the Michigan State College animal husbandry department. Lambs should be watched carefully and treated regularly if they are to be kept free of parasites.

Infested lambs become thin and fail to grow. Such lambs usually scur; their wool becomes harsh and their skin and eyelids pale in color. Regular treatment will prevent such conditions from developing. If lambs are in good condition and make maximum growth, according to the recommendations, the lamb crop can go to market directly off pasture, at desirable market weights and in good finish.

Directions for parasite control can be obtained from the county agricultural agent's office at Pontiac. The treatment is described in the Michigan State College Extension Folder "F-33, Controlling Sheep Parasites."

John Knight Badly Injured

John Knight, son of Frank J. Knight, whose farm home is located at 26701 Drake Road, is in Redford Receiving Hospital, remaining in very serious condition, following an accident Saturday, late in the afternoon.

Knight, driving a '30 Ford Pickup, was involved in a head-on crash with Perry Lee Good, 25601 Drake Road, who was driving a 1936 Terraplane. The accident occurred on Drake Road a quarter of a mile North of Grand River.

Knight suffered serious head injuries and lacerations. Roger Schroeder, 14, a passenger in the Knight automobile, received lacerations of the face and arms, and was taken to Redford Receiving Hospital also. He was released from the hospital Wednesday evening.

Good received only minor injuries.

TREATMENT OF WAR PRISONERS IS SET FORTH

The following information, received from Rep. George A. Dondero, is timely because it relates to the law regulating the payment and maintenance of prisoners of war:

"The Geneva Convention of 1929 relative to the treatment of prisoners of war to which the government of the United States and all principal belligerents subscribed, provides for the conclusion of agreements between belligerents concerning the pay of prisoners of war and also the wages of prisoners engaged in labor not connected with the administration, maintenance and management of internment camps. Pursuant to these provisions, certain agreements were concluded with the enemy for the payment of officer prisoners of war in scrip coupons on a retrograde basis. German and Italian officers received from \$20 a month for majors and above. The corresponding pay of Japanese officer prisoners is \$5 less in each grade. The enlisted prisoners receive an allowance of ten cents a day in scrip coupons which are redeemable only at internment camp canteens for merchandise.

"Prisoners employed on certain types of labor receive compensation of 40 cents a day for their labor. In general, compensation is paid for labor for the maintenance, administration and management of internment camps. The Geneva Convention also provides that the food ration of prisoners of war shall be equal in quantity and quality to that of adults at base camps. To comply with this provision, the ration furnished prisoners of war is equal to that of our own troops.

"As for the clothing of prisoners of war, except as circumstances warrant or climate requires, no uniform or suit is issued to a prisoner until the one in which he is captured has become unfit for use. Uniforms of prisoners of war are renovated and used whenever practicable, but when items of clothing are issued to prisoners of war obsolete stock is used if available."

NEW MEMBERS INVITED TO MOTHERS' CLUB

The Blue Star Mothers of America will hold their regular July meeting at the Farmington Town Hall on Thursday, July 15, at eight o'clock in the evening. Every mother who has a son or daughter in the service of the country is invited to meet with the Blue Star Mothers, and enjoy the companionship of other mothers.

Mrs. Harold Friedley of Detroit, and president of Chapter 30, was a guest of the Farmington Chapter in June.

Graham Family Plans Reunion

The Graham family reunion will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hopkins, 2888 Lakeway, on Sunday, July 15. For further information, call Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hopkins.

ADMINISTRATOR



V. R. BLAKESLEE

Mr. Blakeslee was recently appointed to the office of County Administrator for War Transportation Conservation Committee, succeeding D. E. Edstrom who has gone into private industry as executive vice-president of the Manville Corporation.

The duties of the office consist of furthering the conservation plan, promoting the use of air and automobile conservation, highway safety, and working with industry to see that transportation needs are met with all efficiency possible. It was through this office, under Mr. Edstrom's leadership, that the "Push-it" plan gained national renown.

Mr. Blakeslee was well qualified for the appointment, having served on the Oakland County National Board, and as Farmington's local administrator of war transportation conservation. The county office is located at 501 People Bank Building in Pontiac.

Mr. Blakeslee's many Farmington friends wish him well in his new position.

HOME NURSING HELPS LIGHTEN DOCTOR SHORTAGE

Faced with a shortage of doctors and nurses, Oakland is building its own army against illness, an army made up of persons who have studied Red Cross Home Nursing since the beginning of the war. In the fiscal year, 1942-43, a total of 3008 Home Nursing certificates were issued, according to Mrs. Hugh Little, Oakland County Home Nursing chairman.

This total considerably exceeds the quota of 1850 assigned to the county. One hundred and seven nurses have been authorized to issue certificates. The total of 2995, 250 certificates were issued to school students and 1848 to adults. A total of 128 classes were conducted during the year.

Because hospitals are crowded, the importance of improvising sickroom equipment is stressed in Home Nursing classes. The instruction is fortifying Oakland County against the danger of a war time epidemic, by teaching how to prevent the spread of disease and the value of vaccines and immunization. Little stated.

The course includes a simple training in keeping the family well, caring for its members in sickness, and adequately and efficiently carrying out the physician's orders. Care of expectant mothers and their babies also is stressed. Instructors, all of them registered nurses, who have been authorized to teach Red Cross Home Nursing in this vicinity are as follows: Farmington, Gertude Bittich, of the Oakland County Department, Mrs. Schenck of Clarencville, and Mrs. Ledwidge of Birmingham.

Frazer Staman Joins Holstein Association

Frazer W. Staman, Farmington, is one of 60 Michigan Holstein breeders recently admitted to membership in the Holstein-Friesian Association of America by unanimous vote of the Board of Directors. The National Association is the largest cattle recording organization in the world. Its membership now numbers more than 35,000 cattle breeders.

Mrs. W. G. Brown and son David of Abilene, Texas, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams.

Honor Roll Dedication Set For Sunday Afternoon

BANDAGE UNIT TO BE CLOSED FOR TWO WEEKS

Work at the Red Cross bandage unit has been discontinued for about two weeks. Mrs. W. A. Nelson, unit chairman, has announced. The reason for this temporary closing of the workrooms is to await the arrival of the August quota of bandages.

For a long while, the Farmington unit was behind in their quota, and it was necessary to work as much as possible to catch up on the work. Now, however, the unit has completed their quota to date. The August shipment is en route, and until it arrives at Oakland County Headquarters and is distributed to units, the Farmington workrooms will remain closed.

Cubs Enlist New Members

Boys of Cub age, who would like to become members of a den, may make application to Eddie Alexander. Mr. Alexander will have blanks for registering, and a new den will be formed with Mr. Robinson as den mother, just as soon as a sufficient number of boys are registered.

At the last Cub meeting, the boys made Turk's Head knots, and took samples of the knot and material home. If they bring back a properly completed knot to the next meeting, which is this Thursday, the boys will receive a neckerchief slide. A fire demonstration is planned for Thursday's meeting. They will be shown how to build a campfire properly and what precautions to take.

Mr. Alexander has asked people to bring broken toys into the store so that they can be repaired, repainted and generally reconditioned for use as presents for children. He urges that contributions start at once inasmuch as it will take some time for the toys to be reconditioned.

The Cubs are still requesting books for the organization of a Cub Library. As yet, no books have been turned in. Anyone having books that would be of interest to boys of Cub age, and would like to donate these books to a Cub Library, may call Bayard Tupper at the Farmington Lumber and Coal Company.

The next Cub Pack committee meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, August 3.

Obituary

Faith Kallnowski
Faith Dolores Kallnowski, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Kallnowski, 21618 Parker Avenue, passed away Monday afternoon at St. Carmel Mercy Hospital. The funeral was at the Thayer Funeral Home until Wednesday afternoon when cremation took place at White Chapel Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Kallnowski was the former Dorothy Seland.

PEOPLE ARE GOOD— THE GIRL SCOUTS KNOW

The girls who belong to Girl Scout Troop 7 know there is such a thing as being kind regardless of who you doubt it. This week they at long last succeeded in getting their garden plot plowed, and found that the plowing had already been paid for, by an interested resident. They are indeed grateful for the help.

New Officers To Be Chosen Monday

Officers will be nominated at the meeting of the Auxiliary of Groves-Walker Post, American Legion, to be held Monday evening, July 12, at the Legion Home on Grand River Avenue. This is a regular meeting of the Auxiliary.

Missing Names Should Be Turned In

Arrangements have been completed for the dedication of the Honor Roll on Sunday afternoon. The dedication ceremony will be held, beginning at two o'clock, on the Town Hall lawn.

City employees have already put the posts up. The Honor Roll is being installed on the lawn, right at the corner of Farmington Road and Grand River. It has been sponsored by the Groves-Walker Post of the American Legion, as a gift to the City and Township of Farmington. At the dedication exercises, Fred Bagnall, mayor pro tem, will accept the roll in behalf of the City.

Invitations have been mailed to parents, asking that they attend the dedication exercises on Sunday afternoon. A fitting program has been arranged, and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

If some names are missing from the Honor Roll, it is possible that the name of that service man may have been missing from the list which the Legion had to work from. If you know of some service man from the City or Township, whose name was not on the Honor Roll, please turn it in to Joseph DeVriendt at the City Hall, so it may be added to the list. No oversight is intended, and it is desired that a complete list be turned in. It is only through your help that this will be possible.

LIST SURPLUS FOOD PRODUCTS FOR QUICK SALE

Don't forget the Surplus Food Plan when you find you have extra fruits and vegetables above your table and canning needs.

Call Mrs. William J. Spicer at 119-R, and list with her all such produce you may have. Or if you desire some seasonal produce, call her and she may be able to tell you if it is available, and when and where you may obtain it.

If you cannot reach Mrs. Spicer, for any reason, call Mrs. Donald Stewart at Farmington 657-73, and she will relay the message to Mrs. Spicer.

This plan, sponsored by the Farmington Garden Club, is part of the waste not want not program, striving to supply as many people as possible with the food products they want, and letting nothing go to waste for lack of a market or buyer.

HELEN MCARTHUR MARRIED TO HAZEN NELSON

Mrs. and Mrs. A. A. McArthur of Inkster Road announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen, on June 25, at Holly, Michigan, to Hazen Nelson, son of Mrs. Nelson and the late Mr. Nelson of Oxford Avenue. Both the bride and groom were students at Farmington High School.

Following a wedding trip to Niagara Falls, New York, the young couple have taken up residence in their new home on St. Francis Road.

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