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Large Group Attends Installation

Kenn Loomis Takes Over Reins

The inauguration of new officers of Farmington Kiwanis Club... The inauguration of new officers of Farmington Kiwanis Club, with a dinner and dance at Botsford Tavern, Wednesday evening, attracted a large number of people.

Following a delicious turkey dinner, singing was enjoyed and guests were introduced. Neise Knudsen of Pontiac installed Joseph Himmelpach as Lieutenant Governor of Division No. One of the Michigan District of Kiwanis International...

New officers of the Farmington Club are Kenneth Loomis, president; C. C. Tagg, first vice-president; Leo Gledemester, second vice-president; James T. Warner, Jr., secretary; and John Rubberg, treasurer.

Following this portion of the program, dancing, both modern and old-time, was enjoyed in the ballroom.

MILDRED ADAMS AND CLARE GRACE ARE MARRIED

The marriage of Miss Mildred Adams and Clare Grace took place at high noon on New Year's Day, with Rev. A. Stanley Stone of First Methodist Church, Farmington, performing the ceremony in the presence of the immediate families...

JACKIE ERWIN ENGAGED TO BURKE JOHNSON

The engagement of Jacqueline Verall Erwin to Burke Neil Johnson, Motor Machinery Mate 27, United States Naval Reserve, of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Johnson of Wynarth Avenue, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Erwin of Washington Road.

DANIEL SCHLUSSER PASSES AWAY AT SON'S HOME

Funeral services were held for Daniel Schlusser on Wednesday afternoon, January 3, at two o'clock from the Spencer J. Heenev Funeral Home. Rev. Fred Fisher officiated and burial took place at Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Legion Auxiliary Meets Monday

The Auxiliary of Groves-Walker Post, American Legion, will hold their regular monthly meeting on Monday, January 8, at the Legion Home on Grand River Avenue, beginning at 8:00 p.m.

A Glance Back Through 1944

As we look to the year just beginning and make plans for the 365 days to come, it is fitting that we pause for a last glance backward at some of the events which made the year 1944 a memorable one. For those who might be interested in the panorama of news from January 1, 1944, until the present date, there is printed a brief summary of the headlines of 1944, gleaned from the Enterprise files.

January 6. Dorothy Gustafson selected as "outstanding Senior girl citizen" at Farmington High School.

January 6. Salvage Committee plans two intensive campaigns to collect old paper and tin cans.

January 17. Fourth War Loan Drive is launched in Farmington.

January 20. Mrs. Margaret Mitchell installed as president of Blue Star Mothers.

February 3. Dog owners warned that quarantines are in effect, and must be observed.

February 10. Boy Scout Week observed by local troop with excellent camping trip near Northville.

February 17. Red Cross drive goal set at \$9,500.

February 23. District Basketball tournament begins at Farmington High.

March 4. High School basketball squad wins district championship.

March 15. Kiwanis presents annual show, "Kiwanis Kaitos."

March 25. Burglars break into The Handmaker.

March 30. "Doc" Grosvenor retires from Detroit Edison Company.

April 1. Last bit of indecency against Farmington High School Gymnasium is erased.

April 7. Good Friday Union Service held at the Evangelical Church.

April 7. Marilyn Jones hailed as champion school speller.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION HELD ON WEDNESDAY

The County Republican Convention was held Wednesday, in Pontiac, for the purpose of naming delegates to the State Convention to be held Friday, January 12, in Grand Rapids.

Fred Stevens, County Chairman, called the Convention to order, as temporary chairman. Mrs. Alberta Light was named permanent chairman of the convention and Mrs. Elsie McCullough was named permanent secretary.

MRS. ANNA ALLEN DIES AT MASONIC HOME

Mrs. Anna Allen, a former resident of Farmington, passed away at the Masonic Home at Alma on December 23.

Funeral services were held at Royal Oak on Wednesday, December 27.

Liberty Tent Hive Will Meet Thursday

Liberty Tent Hive, 1027, will hold its regular meeting, January 11, at 8 p.m. at the High School cafeteria.

CLARENCEVILLE CEMETERY GROUP TO HOLD MEETING

The 30th annual meeting of the Clarenceville Cemetery Association will be held Tuesday, January 9, at the home of George Nacker, at 2:00 p.m.

LEATHERNECK PILOTS RETURN TO STATES



These eight Leatherneck pilots, who once flew as sergeant-pilots with the Royal Canadian Air Force, have recently returned to the United States after distinguished Japanese bases and shipping.

Left to right (sitting) they are Second Lieutenant William W. Cubbage, Miami, Florida; Frederick J. Young, Gainesville, Florida; John McCabe, Long Island, New York; and Robert C. Perry, of 2019 Poinciana Avenue, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry of the same address.

Memorial Home Donations Are Slowly Contributed

"BUD" DAWSON IS LISTED AS MISSING

Mrs. Henry Dawson has received word that her son, Corporal Henry A. Dawson, more familiarly known as "Bud", is listed as missing in action over Germany.

Wilbur Observe Anniversary

The most notable social event of the past week was the dinner party given Wednesday evening, December 27, at the Botsford Tavern by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wilbur, celebrating the 50th anniversary of their wedding.

MAY BE ERECTED ON Present Home Site

Contributions have been slowly coming in for the Memorial Home, to be erected under the sponsorship of the Federal Place Post, American Legion.

An architect's drawing of the home appeared in a recent issue of The Enterprise. This building will include all facilities for the use of the returning veteran, and will make an ideal place in which to hold meetings and social functions.

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Contributions, to date, have been \$200.00. There is a well-stocked State Bank, \$500; Al Ross, \$100; Clarence Barker, \$100; Judge John J. Schulte, \$100; Carl G. Hogue and James Hogle, \$100; Mrs. Mae Knight, \$20; Charles Wersch, \$10; Mrs. Glenn Leland, \$10; Lester, \$10, \$5.

FAMED PRODUCER COMES TO TOWN HALL

Guthrie McClintic, for 20 years a producer of Broadway smash hits, will speak on the theatre at Detroit Town Hall in the Fisher Theatre, Wednesday morning, January 10 at 11 o'clock.

HONOR ROLL IS BROUGHT UP TO DATE

The Honor Roll for the City and Township of Farmington has just been brought up to date, and all names have been added.

MRS. HENRY OTIS WILL ENTERTAIN GARDEN CLUB

Monday, January 8, at 2 p.m., members of the Farmington Garden Club will gather at the home of Mrs. Henry Otis, 32716 Grand River, for their monthly meeting.

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Pamela Nordway Sings "Sanctus"

Miss Pamela Nordway took part in the Christmas program at Farmington High School, and gave a lovely rendition of "The Sanctus."

Pam has recently made several recordings which have been greatly enjoyed by all her friends.