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MRS. IRVIN KNAPP

Leon Graham, Stacy Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Graham Jr., Wanda Graham, and Donna Graham attended the young people's banquet at Farmington Baptist Church Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ivan Graham opened her house for the meeting of the Wal-e Lake W.C.T.U.

Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Graham attended the funeral of the latter's uncle, George Wikom, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Maud Glimmer has returned home after spending two weeks on a trip to South Carolina, Florida and other points of interest.

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Farmington was held on April 16th, 1946.

Meeting called to order by Mayor Hamlin at 8:30 p.m.

Commissioners present: Nacker, Bagnall, Hinger, Hatton and Conroy.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT ENDING MARCH 31, 1946

RECEIPTS	This Month	Year To Date
TAX COLLECTIONS	\$ 259.25	\$ 26,119.20
Current	—0—	4,388.14
Delinquent	—0—	104.42
Weight	—0—	—
Total Tax Collections	\$ 259.25	\$ 29,611.95
OTHER RECEIPTS		
Employees' Withholding Tax	\$ 118.00	1,222.55
Accounts Receivable	—0—	178.06
U.S. War Bonds Sold	—0—	20,000.00
General Fund	1,282.90	13,387.97
Water Accounts	38.86	6,931.18
Cemetery Trust Fund	—0—	29.72
Agency Fund	7,688.25	31,739.03
Total Cash Receipts	\$ 4,306.26	\$103,100.66
Cash on Deposit—First of Period	29,883.35	6,126.76
TOTAL	\$39,249.61	\$109,227.42
CASH DISBURSEMENTS		
Employees' Withholding Tax	—0—	\$ 1,142.25
Bond Retirement	—0—	5,000.00
Interest on Bonds	—0—	825.00
General Government	384.93	4,073.06
Division of Finance	105.48	1,179.85
Public Works	866.07	28,019.19
Police Department	1,012.15	7,278.62
Fire Department	650.00	1,548.34
Public Buildings	389.92	1,960.00
Water Department	252.15	3,150.56
Cemetery	68.50	360.80
Agency Fund	17,170.07	31,433.71
Treasury Land Contract	—0—	66.50
New Water Mains	—0—	2,537.79
New Fire Equipment	388.76	385.76
Total Cash Disbursements	\$21,297.52	\$ 91,275.33
Balance on Deposit in Following Funds	\$17,952.09	\$ 17,952.09
General Fund	\$14,427.97	
Sinking Fund	2,379.50	
Cemetery Trust Fund	\$39.30	
Agency Fund	305.32	
Total on Deposit — Farmington State Bank	\$17,952.09	



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Mrs. Charles Heliker is very sick and under doctor's treatment.

Mrs. George Heliker, Mrs. Richard Heliker, Mrs. Irvin Knapp, Mrs. Edward Borgne and Mrs. Edith Graham attended a delicious buffet shower Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Lindley in honor of her sister, Margie Bachelor and Leon Bachelor who will be married in the near future. Mrs. Aldo Smith and Mrs. Ray Pickard were also hostesses at the shower. Both girls received many lovely and useful gifts.

George Barton died Monday night at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Thelma Wakeman at Hartland, at the age of 81 years. Mr. Barton was formerly from this vicinity, moving to Hartland about twenty years ago. He has many friends here. His wife preceded him in death. Besides his daughter he leaves a granddaughter, Agnes McDevitt and seven grandchildren. The funeral was held at 1:30 Thursday, with burial at North Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heliker attended a turkey supper at the Farmington Baptist Church Saturday evening.

Mrs. Eugene Cleveland and infant son, who have been staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heliker, on 15 Mile Road, left last week to join her husband, Dr. Eugene Cleveland at Cleveland, Ohio.

Retarding Paint "Skinolac"

The careful stowing of a small quantity of turpentine over the surface of the paint in a partially used can, which is being set aside for only a few days, will generally prevent a "skin" from forming on the paint. In addition, the lid of the paint can should be handled carefully to avoid shaking. It should be borne in mind that this is merely a temporary procedure.

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Water Softener

To soften water for washing, white cotton or linens, dissolve half a teaspoon of washing soda in each gallon of water. For other fabric, dissolve one to two teaspoons of borax in each gallon of water. To get a soft lather in which to wash flannels, add a couple of teaspoons of glycerin to the water in the washing machine.

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