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Two Injured

In Traffic Crash

At US-16 Junction Minor Accidents Cause Considerable Damage

Heavy traffic in the Farmingto

Heavy name week end resulted in a large number of accidents, local alice officials reported. The most serious accident report-l occurred Thursday evening at boat 5:00 p.m. at the east end of he Grand River Cut-Off. Two

Hospital where they for bruises and laceral ish occurred when a by Alakson Androsian,

. The accident occurs a car driven by Stanley I 35 Kendell. Detroit, stop uy, and two other cars cars, driven by John A , 12019 Stoepel, Detroit, ost badly damaged. The t

Francis Street

FIRES EXTINGUISHED

driven by Stanley McClo

re taken to Redford Re

et, Detroit, and a car driv in by Carl Ingram, Shawnee, Ok ioma, collided at the intersection of Grand River and the Cut-Off Minor damages resulted from erash of three autos on Grand

Around The Block

A MOST UNUSUAL .

OST UNUSUAL.... y came to our attention this week. It is the story of a muscovy set ho as adopted three kittens. This unusual procedure occurred to farm of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bell, old time residents on Fourteen Road. There have been a number of will caits about the com-ity, apparently belonging to nobody in particular. This mother thad the mistoriume to lose her ducklings, and feeling the need are something to mother, she adopted three of the wild kittens kittens stary will the mother duck, and ahe hovers them and cares them as she vould her young. When she goes down to the pond wim the kittens go along, but disliking the water as all cate do, stay on the shore and watch her until she comes back to them. Bells would like to get a picture of the duck and her kittens, but use the kittens are so wild they have been unable to get close gib to them to take a snapshot. At any rate, it seems like a mighty recombination!

VHAT PROMISED . . . b be quite a political campaign in Michigan before the primary

ome inquiries about registration, and it incy are not now them hey may do so at any time with either City Cierk Harry Moc Township Cierk Harry McCracken. A new rulling will probable ration on election day hereafter, and in order to vote residents e properly registered before the deadline for the approaching ele f you're not sure about your registration, check with the cierk time with either City

ONLY A MONTH remains before the date on which the Annual Flower Show, sponsores by the Farmington Garden Club, is to be held. It's not a bit too soot for you gardeners, the amateners and those who have risen above tha classification. To survey your garden and see what the prospects are if you do not have a schedule as yet, see any member of the Garden rest one — give Mrs. Glenn Leland a call if you don't know

identially, men, now are you making out as in as struction of bird houses and feeding stations is con-ip some evening give Bill Nuse, the director of the Recreation Commission program, a phone call a

o not have a schedule as yet, see any member for one - yive Mrs. Glenn Leland a call if pet one. You'll be amazed at the many clu ned this year, and surely there will be sever you might qualify. The Garden Club hopes ing show, and your participation will help to Incidentally, men, how are you making outs construction of bird² erses Bull Nines, the diffest the diffest set of the diffest set of the diffest

to watch, even though you may not v

Ball Teams Clash GROUPS ENJOY

At Clarenceville .

teball teams in the Clarence-Summer Recreation Program playing regularly scheduled s this week at the high school

at Sunday Heaphy's Redbirds the Grand River Aces five to Jerry Heaphy was the win-pitcher, holding the Aces to bits and fanning nine. Vern

this inning. he sixth the Kedbirds scored last run and the Grand Ri-ces their only one. Riggs, e Redbirds, singled, stole sec-nd third, and came in on an

you any information you may need.

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uite a political campaign in increases and not a very desirable one -- has now calmed down to a slow with the withdrawal of most of the candidates. However, we idications that already local residents are beginning to make nowiries about registration, and if they are not now registered nowiries about registration.

FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JULY 29, 1948

Youngsters Parade In Farmington As Gala Days End Playgrounds Full As Recreation **Program Hits Record Attendance**

FIVE CENTS A COPY

Future Plans Include Treasure Hunt, Swim Day, Baseball Games

A record attendance was reached ast week in the Farmington Area Summer Recreation Program, Di-rector Bill Nuse announced yester-

Attendance at the three play-

the week. Total as 1057 students, an a

neted preparations this week low a children's treasure hunt to be held at the three areas tomorrow, July 30. Nuse said the playground leaders will plant prizes around the grounds for the children to

the grounds for the children b find in the hunt during the day PLAN SWIM DAY Plans are also beins made hold a combined swimming day Cass Lake on Priday. August Nuce said. Children from all the school arcsa will leave in scho buses in the morning and will st at the lake all day, caling lunch the park. The children will

under the supervision of the play

ground directors during the entir-

ance was 1057 students, an av of 264 per day. Playground directors have pleted preparations this wee

day

TROOP 45 SCOUTS ENJOY WEEK OF CAMPING

Fifteen boys and two leaders of Boy Scout Troop 45 returned Sat Irday, July 24, from a week's troop amping at Camp Agawam on Tom From all reports ev ryone had a fine time, many lear grounds was the highest si program started, althoug forced the area to close out of the week. Total

eryone had a tine time, incomplete de to swim and several complete Second Class Scout requirement Several more passed their Fir Class swimming. All ate hear and well, and from Secontmasto on down, all gained extra pounds The Scouts learned some ne crafts, how to make a rope inclu Firs All ate hearty hem and they made all the

riginal. boys slept in pup tents and eir own couking over camp id their own cooking over camp ires, making their camp a pioneer

one. The Scouts wish to thank all who gave them scrap metal, and also parents who drove, for making p. possible. The service and o of Mr. William Barnum and Richard Erickson were greatly reciated by parents and boys.

Farmington Team Trounced, 16 - 4

stay. The program at Noble School, which was shifted from William Grace last week, has been successful: Nuse said, and attendance has been as good as at the Grace aréa. Nuse directed some of the boys in the program in several races The Farmington Junior Legion all team ran into trouble over the e end when they came up is their old jinx, the Ferndale After a hearty nine innings with the sound of bat against week in the program in several Sunday afternoon in the Gal celebration at the Legion Prizes were presented the v of the various contests. preboard showed bait, the scoreboard showed Pera-dale with 16 runs, 20 hits and 2 er-rors, against Farmington's 4 runs, 6 hits and 3 errors. Farmington tailed to score for the

Farmington failed to score for the first three innings, but in the fourth, Wheeler started out by gaining first on a Ferndale error. Bunge, next up, struck out, Mark-ham taking a walk to first behind him, advancing Wheeler. MeLean scat abdd eff one in bit up at the Th

imm advancing Wheeler. Melecan jot ahold of one in his turn at the hate and went all the way around scoring Wheeler and Markham. Bates then singled, and it looked ike Farmington was beaded for a well-needer anly. Thompson next up, flied to first, however, and Nicholson singled, forcing Bates at second and ending the liming. The next local pro carma in the

at second and ending the inning. The next local run came in the sixth. Bunge opened up by getting a base on bulk, and Markham fol-lowed by reaching first on a field-er's choice, Bung's being tagged at second, Markham then stole second, and went the rest of the way around to score when McLean hit a long single. To finish the inning, Bates field out to corter field and Thompson

out to center field, and Thompson was fanned. Ferndale

ndale made at least ever inning court other inning court, scoring two runs in the first inning, one in the third, two in the fourth, one in in the fifth, one in the seventh, and nice in the minth. Charles Larson, business and publicity director for the Farming-

team. stressed the fact that Sendale was runner up for the listrict in the first round of cham-bionship playoffs. The starting line-up for Farming-

The starting inneup or ramme, ton was, Wheeler, if; Bunge, ss; Markham, 2b; McLean, 3b; Bates, cf; Thompson, 1b; Ditchfield, rf; Nicholson, c; Rudberg, p. Plum relieved Rudberg on the mound in the ninth. Grecu batted for n the ninth. Grecu batt Thompson in the same inn

Mr. and Mrs. William Tamm ell surprise pa

taken imme of the bonds. uy ar. periat, in which I played trumpet. From there I went to our everyday band rehearsal held from 9:00 to 11:00, which was con-ducted by Leonard Falcone. Ther I attended the choir rehearsal from 11:00 to 12:00. In the choir I sang tet Base As soon as the bonds cat architect will be is secured for the the addition to be be built on the Middlebelt School property

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In the final program of the American Legion Gala Days, the Pet and Doll Parade attracted the youngsters of Farmington en masse to show off gaily decorated bikes, dell carriages, and peta ranging from jegs to horses. Above, top, the bicycle section of the parade moves out onto FIRES EXTINGUIGHED The Farmineton Fire Department was called out twice Sunday even ing to extinguish auto fires. J borted vire was believed the cause of a fire in a car owned by Mar-garet Ealer, B419 Brody Avenue Detroid, Sauday evening. The Farm Bigton Fire Department watcher entry and the fire. Little dan tage was caused. The Fire D partment was called shortly aftr that time to extinguish a fire in car parked in the lot next to Con-tinguished the serve of the serve of the server o Pet And Doll Parade And Contests Draw Variety Of Sounds, Sights The children's Pet and Doll 2- the hue and ery and tried to drown ade, which wound up the activities and each other. It he American Legion Gala D.ys The overall effect was astound-Farmington, after a large mainty ing tinguish a f the lot next The owner to Con of the rade, which wound of the American I in Farmington, dri r was not present at the time the fire. No damage was caus

Memorial and pets

oot, preceding bikes at

as the parade moved out Grand River but tempers, us short in such jams, were quic passing motorists and parade

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Another minor accident was r

Monday evening at 9:20 I Grand River Avenue near ay. A car driven by Arthun key, Coldwater, collided with k driven by Russell Spear Washington Street, La

Mrs. Bernard Foster

contraito solo, "Rock of Ages", Remick, will be sung by Mrs nard Foster at the 10 o'clock tried to do the same with their off-

ways welcome at Salem Evangel-ical Church on Sunday morning, August 1. Friends of the community are al-ways welcome at Salem Church.

The Farm Bureau groups of Walled Lake and West Farmingto held a plonic together has Sai urday at Cass Benton Park. Abou 75 adults and children were pro-

sent. sent. A most delicious pot luck dinner was enjoyed by everyone, after which there were games for both the adults and the youngsters, un-der the direction of Alden Green of the Walled Lake Group. There but also striking out nine. rick Ice and Coal defeated Jummi team bine to eight in test Wednesday, July 21. Es-vas the winning pitcher as as the leading pitcher as bits in three trips to the Jack Brennaman was the herd and family with them to there and tamily with them to

PICNIC OUTING

as the leading hitter, getting as the leading hitter, getting the hit in there trips to the So urier. So the Walled Lake and West Farmington members were happy to have Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shep-and Shepherds at Carbon the so urier. The Shepherds formerly lived on Thriteen Mile Road and allies on two hits and two er the Marker made by Mac-te third terest.

third inning saw two more ross the plate for the Red- GARDEN CLUB on hits by Allen and Riggs the. There were three stolen this inning.

The Farmington will hold their next meeting of Monday, August 2, at the home Mrs. James Robertson, 24627 Far ington Road.

ington Road. The program for the day will be the making of flower arrangements by the members, using flowers from their own gardens. The com-mittee would like every member to participate in this because only from mether armonic before Aurori grounder to score. The ined their run on two hits next game was scheduled for the next game was scheduled for dnesday, July 28, when the and River Aces met the Alums, games are played at Clarence-e athletic field, evening games about 6:30 Augus Garde . iels. director of the lub Flower 5.... hat this year's Purple Ribbon Show, and every member can help.

The standard director of the bar of the sears's show will be bar of the search searc

ANOTHER EVENT... shalo looms in the offing as a very important part of the fall season is th Third Annual Autumn Horse Show, sponsored by Farmington Por No. 403, Veterans of Foreign Wars for the benefit of the Farmingto V.F.W. Memorial Home, and pot on by the Farmington Valley Saddi Club. The show is to be held Saturday and Sunday. Spotenber 11 an 12, at the club grounds, located between West Nine Alle lead Tomal River Culf, wesh your and Lis antichnated that it will dra: growing in polynomic from a large area to Farmington. It is always how any one wonton from a large area to Farmington. It is always how any one wonton from shares area to Farmington. It is always how any one wonton the shares area to the shares. was injured although bo and truck were damaged. The grounds in front of the home choed to a chorus of yelps, barks, chinneys, grunts, screeches, queals, and scoldings as the whinneys, grunts, screeches, squeals, and scoldings as the youngsters tried to keep their pets

roy's Market

To Sing Solo Sunday

caused several times by Sauo, sur-sinnick's small pet pig, who appar-ently was unaware of all the fun ne should have been having. It was obvious that the pig would Mrs. Lyman Farrand of Farmin n, Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Stear Pontiac and Mrs. Jennie Stephe have preferred to remain at home for every so often he voiced his of Dotting and Arr. Adming Stephens of Detroit were visiting their bro-ther, Orville Robb, of Hubbard Lake, who is ill.

Clarenceville Cub Pack To Perform

In Huge District Scout Circus

A great deal of commotion

aused several times by Sandy Min-

Don't be alarmed, folks! These Clarenceville is a part,

tertain with a wild v that some of his friends will come ndian dance Dailey. Kenneth the Cub Scouts in

Grand River from the Band House. LIGHTO DIVERTITION THE BARG HOUSE. Below, child-ren in all types of costumes line up in front of the Legion Home while judges try to pick first and second place winners. In right foreground are the three blind mice, chosen fanciest dressed boys.

Lions Club Enjoys

Members of the Farmington Lions Sub-enjoyed a very interesting an musual program at their regula neeting on Tuesday evening. After the men had their dinne

Judging of the costumed children The Buffet, they went out to eld a short distance outside e city where they saw a demo ration of canine training. T ity of festive; townspecifie 2rd youngsters to the new Merican and provide the parade whi Home grounds hast Suday. White kids of all aged intermit festigation and the state of the state of the state by the state of the state o lield a the city stration ation of canine training. The nonstration was put on by Mr. eston Mann and his dog, "Pep-", a German shepherd. Mr. no, who is from Wayne and erryhill Roads, is an ex-service ed young by the smallest costumed y ers riding on a truck dona the parade by the Smith-Lumber Company. Following the gally de truck came more masquera an and has tak inte ing, and was greatly enjoyed the men.

under control — and as parents kite-tails. tried to do the same with their off. Traffic was snarled and halted Summer Band Ends Best Year

Ending the most successful sum are season in five years, the Farm ogton Summer Band brought it ix week music program to a clos

six week music program to a close Director Lioyd Smith snid this summer's band Leilvilles were the summer's band Leilvilles were the point of attendance and accomp-lishments than any of the programs for the past five years. Smith reported a record attend-ance on the band boat trip to Ce-dar Point Wednesday, July 28. Parents, friends, and students of Clarenceville, Milford and Farm-ington Summer Bands left Farm-for Detroit, where they banded the steamer Puth-Ray. The cruise took them to Cedar Point where they swam, went beat-ing and enjoyed anuscements and

Ares. Minety boys and girls took part the Bandalee concert Sunday evenings at a farewell surg front of the new Legion home by for Earl Lasich who w part of the Gain Days celebar. on Wednesdy, for earlie (Continued on Page Twelve) United States Marines. rides. Ninety boys and girls took par in the Bandalee concert Sunday in front of the new Legion home

Scholarship Winner Has Busy Time

scholarships through the Farming-ton Kiwanis Club. even more scholarships

I am taking this through the Farmington ne Kiwanis Club or r or a wonderful 3 we ourse at M.S.C. I doul ind words to tell you ightful time I had. I was never busier in

as every minute was packed full of music. I hope every boy and girl will have this opportunity. Ov-er 500 boys and girls shared in the Music Festival and I will al-ways look back and thank the Ki-wanis Club for giving me this op-portunity. e of star

portunity. I should like to tell you of my

Fred Grose, Clarenceville High every day schedule. School music student, tells of his scift, I wahed for br scyperiences while attending a sper 7:00. From Sci0 to 20 clail three wock's music course at ed our band sectional. Michigan State College, Fred Grose by Mr. Berndt, Ja while and Kenneth Siler, Farmington mu-trumpet. From there is student, bolk were extended our everyday band rehu

At 2:00 I attended the C Class taught by Dr. Reed. 4:00 to 5:00 I returned to the for another hour of practices bt if I can what a derest of in all my life sons and pra

day I spent in At the end of the 3 weeks we had a Music Festival in which the Band, Choir, and Orchestra participated.

three Sincerely, Fred Grose, Jr.

et than aw, and let out war-whoops effect. driver, thoughtfully clutching his scalp, stopped the truch and the parade while the brave dismounted, momentarily pacified After the safari was under way two little bride lecked in lace, reversed (Continued on Page Twel

Mail Delivery Improves Under New System

Norman C. Lee, Farmingto Postmaster, announced Tuesday af-ternoon that mail under the new system of city delivery and mount-ed service is now going out on cabadula.

schedule chedule. Lee stated that chrriers are lear in the post office at \$:45 eac ing the post office at S:45 each morning and mail is being delivered as fast as possible. As soon as large relay boxes can be installed, bandled nail will be bandled fficiently, Lee added.

Some delay is still being created due to the lack of mail boxes and source numbers, the Postmaster pointed out. But in general, most esidents have cooperated very well. This has been a big help n working out the program he first month under the new

from mounted are classifi is and are ized to handle stamps or postal

Thanks again for a

Team Wm Grace Farm. Bond 566 .666 .500 .333 anized schedule which has dhered to in spite of several The Farmington Junior High (Continued on Page Seven)

The player of the winners of the winners of the various contests. TEAMS ACTIVE The player ound basebalit teams have been playing off games in heir schedule every week. The nidgets, made up of the smaller logs in the program, have an or-

MIDGET LEAGUE STANDINGS

have by their so midgets

Samuels Retained As School Coach

The Clarenceville Board of Ed - a # 1 cation, at its regular monthly motor ing, held at the Clarenceville High school, approved a motion calling for continuance of Lloyd Samuel as high school coach and instructor The vole to reached the actio of last year's Board regarding Sam uels was approved three to two The Board of Education in Apri voted not to issue a contract to Samuels for the coming year. The school of the coming year. action of the present Boa that Samuels will contin that Samuels will contin previous capacity as a of the Clarenceville teach

for the sale

Board meeting to be held Au at 8:00 p.m. at the Clarence

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of the Clarenceville teachi Samuels, by action of sent Board, was bired to the Clarenceville Summer tion Program. He has be ing in that capacity thr

Advertising for bids for the sal of bonds for the new Clare school addition began las Sealed bids on the sale bonds are to be opened and

pproval for the sale of ds was granted some time the Michigan Finance Com . However, some delay sed due to the recent que property clearance. The s decided in favor of the t two weeks ago and as a taken immediately for