O BE TRUTHFUL. Sont the whole thing, we can modestly say that we dislike only one ing about this time of the year, and the thing we dislike the most winter. It may be wonderful for belly-whopping down a slick hill, or reaking your less the hard way' (with a pair of skis), but for driving and general confort, it is far from ideal. However, even we wouldn't sind winter if again it wasn't for one small item; cold weather.

WE NOTICE NOW . . .

WE WOILDE RUW ... a rather unusual phenomena of human behavior. Perhaps it is the tendency to consolidate and join forces in the face of overwhelming opposition, but for some reason, there is an unusual altitude of friendil ness and comaraderia among drivers in cold weather. Perhaps it comes out when one is stuck in the sow, and several others lend a hand, arm pumer to ease the stuck one out of the ditch. Or prehaps it co a wayside service station, where cars congregate for anti-fre elear windshield. Light banter over the common misery red, and from those words the jump to the conclusion that d friends is a short one. Perhaps what we need for world pe highways and frozen windshields on a world the formation of the second state. slick highways and frozen windshields on a world-wide

THOSE LIGHT POSTS ... dight prow that grees stuff overnight. It came out under cover of darkness. Farmington is having a community Christmas tree and decor-ated iamp posts this pear, courtesy of the Farmington Jayces. The gaug stathered in Roy Erdmann's basement Monday night and weat to work on the weating of the green, then carried these of an out-and wound them around the present, then carried the off not remove that to some than meets the eyer right now, too. More decorations, will be not un Studiay. Sunday.

T WASN'T SO BAD ... uring the warm months when the screens were on and the doc pen, but with the coming of cold weather returns one of our everse. It's the use of those strong-orm air brakes on doors. I trange that business places and public buildings try so har copie to come into their parlors, and then har therr at the last making them haul back on ieventy nounds of door and leven dontds of air brake. Perhaps some day some good clean-eut A or, are 3, will invent some method of keeping a door closed he use of muscle-testing airbrakes.

BY NOW. that Thanksgiving turkey has been reduced to a few dark stains on Dad's necktie. We often wonder if the Thanksgiving diamer isu' just the necessary preamble to the actual enjoyment of the turkey. Cer-talinj ail those cold turkey (with cranberry felty) sandwiches, the soup and turkey hash, aren't to be passed over lightly.

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THE FARMINGTON GYM ... will also be tail of activity Friday night when the local high takes on Pymouth in a contest too seam make a leather-make of spherical and mission and the search and attract unabout the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the search and the search and the search and the however the search and the sea out When the whistle blows Friday right, most of Farmington will sammed into the gym, rooting for the old home team. Clarencevill will have bo old lite way to Northvill (to plug their team thi lay. But no matter — a fast basketbail game is the same no matter rol it is. And the local hoys are promising fast games from her e jamn on in.

. orden freaks. Only after so much suo hearing of those garden freaks. Only after so much suow, they are by coming more freakish than ever. We hear now that a forsyltha bus is bravely blooming in the back yard of Mrs. E. G. Grace. She report every leaf on the plant is group, but it continues to blossom. And in th West Farmington correspondence this week there is a abort squtb about a bouquet of flowering quince. From now on, we're willing to believ almost anything.

Girl Scouts Get 1950 Objectives

1950 Objectives Delegates Mrs. William Barnum and Mrs. James Lillie, commission er and Viec-commissioner of the Barnington Girl Scout Could the have returned from the National los holve to be held in the Farmington Girl Scout Council, los show to be held in the Farmington Girl Scout Council, los show to be held in the Farmington base returned from the National los show to be held in the Farmington Girl Scout Council, los show to be held in the Farmington base returned from the National los show to be held in the Farmington base returned from the National los show to be held in the Farmington base returned from the National los show to be held in the Farmington the description of the State attended the consenting an errory Novembet (Brough and Novembet (Brough and advells, and interest in program with the models ing in the descent preconfigued, accompliabed, accompliabed, accent preconfigued, accompliabed, accent preconfigued, and maying batter Girl Scoutts, These ing in the descent preconfigued, accent preconfigued, accompliabed, accent preconfigued, accent

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TOWN CLUB CARD PARTY SET FOR THIS SATURDAY

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Around The Block The Farmington Enterprise



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LEADERSHIP-OUR PURPOSE

SERVICE-OUR GOAL FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1949

> Detroit Institute Appears At P. T. A.,

The International Institute of De

troit will present a program of dancing and music at the Decem-ber meeting of the Farmington P. T. A., R. M. Benjamin, publicity

JCC BEGINS WORK ON CHRISTMAS

the lights with Christmas me ages and drawings on them. pel stated that every effort is made to add color and a festiv to Farmington this Christman The Pathana and State

to Farmington and to Hall Park where he will

DECORATIONS

READY FOR ACTION Friday night are these members of armington varsity basketball squad. to right standing: Dick Louys, Jim r Majors, Herb Deubel, Dave Dir-ter and the standing the standing

SIXTY-SECOND YEAR - NUMBER

regular Falcon guard, is not pictured. Farmington will open its 15 game schedule against Plymouth Friday night in the Farmigton High School gym. The Farmington Plymouth Junior Varsity gan will begin at 7:15 p.m.

Two New School Farmington To Open Cage Season This Friday Against Plymouth

Inis rriday Against [riymouth Farmington Hilps, School will or-en their Piday areating. December Carhevale, Phil Curnow, Doug 2 the heir Piday exerting. December Carhevale, Phil Curnow, Doug 2 the heir Piday exerting. December Carhevale, Phil Curnow, Doug 2 the heir Piday and the school beam of the test. The Piymouth game will be the larged by the Falcons this ser-fute of is Schoduled games to be addition to the fis contests, a ref trigver the same tickets have the falcence games. In been subtactional the series the beam on saile. Previous to this trid addition to the regular backetball the beam school for De-nament has been scheduled for De-nament has been schedule for De-nament has the School for at the beam of the games the beam of the games the beam on saile. Previous to this time addition to the regular backetball the beam of the backetball the for the same.

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rations such as the Mothers Clubs Parent Teachers Associations, the Inarenceville Recreation Commission and the Boy and Girl Scouts Phese groups have the use of school

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TOWNSHIP BOARD TO HOLD SPECIAL

igton Township. Board will be May: Stamper before her marriage. 1948; eid Thursday evening, December at the Farmington Town Hall or the purpose of receiving his Memo — Those Unsealed Christmas

lon. This will be the third meeting

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os set up the mechanism for the before the myste construction of a well, pumpling sta-lion and water mains. "The watter (Aristmas" wish a system is being financed entrely by led to him, he home owners of the subdivision. (Or your cards

Canvassing Not Completed Total Stands At \$4,444.98 With

\$369.35 Needed To Fill Quota

Farmington's attempts to form a single charity campaign received encouragement Tuesday night when the local committee on Budgets and Admissions to the Farmington United Fund and Community Cheet met at the Town Hall. Secretary-treasurer John Hunt told the commit tee \$4,443\$ had heen collected toward its quota, set Tuesday night at \$4514.33

tes \$1,44.95 had been collected toward its quota, set 1 usuw, 1,51 \$45113.7. The quota, tentratively pogged at \$5014.32, was pared \$200 by drop-ping he Our Lady of Sorrows Recreation Commission. According to members of the committee, this commission is already included in the **Christmas Rush** On **At Post Office** An estimated 25 persons will be mission, and \$400 for the Clarance of the Carter of the Sorrow State of the Sorrow State of the State of the Sorrow State of the Sorrow State of the State of the Sorrow State of the Sorrow State of the State of the Sorrow State of the Sorrow State of the State of the Sorrow State of the Sorrow State of the Sorrow State of the State of the Sorrow State of the Sorr

United Fund Stalled At 93%;

T. A. R. M. Benjamin, publicity chirman, has anonomeed. The non-profit organization of professional and amateur musicicas and dancers will present a program with a Christman theme on Tues-day, December 20, at 8:00 pan. In the Farmington High School gym-nasium-auditorium. The night and twelful grade room .mothers will serve refreshmenis Clobwing the entertainment, Mrs. C. E. Downing said. An estimated 25 persons will be added to the present Farmington Post Office staff to bandle the ex-pected volume of Christmas mail this month. Norman C. Lee, Post-master, announced this week Farmington Area Recreation Com mission, and \$400 for the Charence ville Recreation Commission. Although the campaign was or ginally set to end November 1, th date for terminating the campaig

matric, annunced his week, The extra personnel is in addi-start it rerminating the can was postponed because of the start it had. Farmington's tion to the regular staff of 18 per-vas launched three weeks att christmas runch are now burg til all areas of the city and screened," Lee stated. "We have a stificient number of application by Normebr 19, to close the now." the Postmaster added, "It is Some areas of the to start the business area bell the temporary employees will act orchard Lake and Right Mile sorters. Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has been canvassed Tuesday hg Lee stated that some Christmas runched River Arenue has the source River Arenue has the Members of the Farmington Jun-ior Chamber of Commerce are hard at work this week completing Christmas decorations throughout the Farmington business district. the Farmington business district. Kenn Chappell, chairman of the project, stated this week that the work is expected to be completed by this Sunday. A large Christmas tree has been erected in the Town Hall Park. The tree was secured through the courtesy of Harold Ald-rich, and is expected to be decor.

on Grana hive been canvassed Tuesday n.g., CALL CAMPAIGN SUCCES Members of the Budgets and missions committee called as terms in sorters. Lee stated that some Christmas mall is already beginning to come in and a record volume is expected. Last 'year's Christmas mail was the highest up to that time, but Lee stated that undoubledly this year's total would be much greater. The local would be much greater. Evergreen boughs have been plac d on the street lamps throughou he business district. Special dec rative ornaments will be installe to the Detroit Torch Drive

initice felt n normalized sourcessful and comparison in the Farmington are compared in the farmington are "West year we can expect to better; well be organized sourcessing and better;" Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better," Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better," Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better," Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better," Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better," Chairman George and better, "Chairman George and better, "Chair heavy Christmas mailing. The Postmaster stated that efforts are still being made to sel-No cure a location for a temporary par-bette cel post office. A local building and is urgently needed to house the par-McLi cel.post patchages and allow space group for the sorting of the packages. Detri stated that they have already being con-The special parcel

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possible. The special parcel post iradificantly most office was set up in the 'Town Hall irad raising agents has used for parties and activities used for parties and activities during the holiday season, a separ Farmington. "Al d the kiddles all the youngstors and the kindee with ave a last minute characteristic of the bollday season, a seen with ave a last minute characteristic of the bollday season, a seen the season of the season of the season of the season of the last of the season of the season of the season of the last of the season of the

Christmas Club Checks Total \$78,68450 Total \$78,68450 Total \$78,68450 Total \$78,68450 Total \$78,68450 Total \$78,68450 Tuesday night. As it stands, better than 33% were mailed to Christmas Club members from the Parmington State Bank Monday. This is as increase of 125 members over the committee data year's 975, who received a total of \$63,990. Determined the member from the participation of the second the participation of the participation of the second the participation of the total base bene collected. To State Bank Monday. This is as year's 975, who received a total of \$63,990. Determined the second the participation of the total base bene collected. To Base the participation of the partis and the participation o

Election of officers for the com-ing year will take place at the reg-ular meeting of the Farmington portion will be redeposited in sav-Garden Club to be held on Nonday, begeennper 5, at 2 p.m. at the bank of the same and persone will absorb of Mrs. William John Spicer, 23215 The new Christmas club starts All Longacre exchange num All Longacre exchange numbers will be changed to "Mayfair" at 12:01 a.m. December 4, next Sun-day; J. R. Sarton, manager of the Farmington Office of the Michigan Bell, Telephone Company, has an ownered

Armington Road. Officers for the past year will be amount also. The new Christmas club starts officers for the past year will becember 5. Under the Christmas give their annual reports at this (Club plan, depositors open a weekly-meeting, "following the meeting, deposit account, with deposits range-there will be a special Christmas ing from 10c to \$20.00. This is de-portens will Mrs. Walter Hum- positic acch week for 5 weeks, the phrises as soloist. Dessert and her-ture will be served by the hest-esses. Subscribers in the exchange will Christmas of saving

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nounced. Subscribers in the exchange will call each other by dialing the first two letters of the name, then the numeral 6, and finally the four dis-section of the same, the section of the Saxton said the number changes were being made in order to fit the present Longarce exchange into the company's overall extended area plan. Under this plan, sub-scribers with extended area service will be able to call nearby com-munities without a toll charge. Extended area service already has beechange and the extended calling area consists of Farmington, Southfield, Birmingham, Ponitac, Commerce, and Walled Lake. How-ever, a new dialing code, represent-nit cautomers to dial directly to pertain exchanges without having to go through a long distance

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Buses To Begin Trips Next Week

District Adds Buses To Reduce Overcrowding

Two new school buses, one a 48-Two new school dusse, one a pass-passenger and the other a 54 pass-enger, are expected to be in opera-tion in the Farmington Township School District next week, O. E. Tuesday. The Board of Education, at their

egular meeting last week, approved motion to secure bids on the bus-s. Action was taken immediately nd the contracts awarded to the

schedule, a special Christmas Torr-nament has been scheduled for De-cember 29 and 30. The tournament will be held at Berkley High School with Farmington, Berkley, Claward, This is the first year that Farming-tion has engaged in a tournament mid-way in the season. Coach Robert Hutton announced this week that the Falcons have been speedings up their practice sessions in preparation for tho opener against Plymouth. The ed-tir I2-man varsity squad has been stilling every evening. Hutton stated that his probable starting line-up Friday night would be as tollows: Cantain Dick Tupper and Herb Deubel, forwards: Dave Dir moyer, center; George Barrons Jave Dir moyer, center; George Barrons Jave Dir moyer, center; George Barrons Jave Dir and the contracts awareer two lowest bidders, Smith-Berling Company and Dick Bruster Sales. The 48-passenger bus has been pur-chased from Smith-Berling and the based from Dick Bruster. ger from Dick expected to be

TO REDUCE OVERCROWDING Both buses are being rushed into revice in the School District in an flort to eliminate overcrowding ind to reduce the number of runs Smoky AschenBrent , Jim Bates, Di Bunge will see luring the game, r members of the ee plenty of acre Homer Majors, Art Olson and

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With the addition of the two busextra trips will b d, Dunckel stated. It will also Yuill, Continued on Page Ten) Plum. Other m

Farmington Digs Out From Under



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acilities free of charge. nd regulations adopt Soard will take effect in All groups other than lent school activities,

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MEETING THURSDAY

A special meeting of the Farm acton Township Board will h

is will be the third meeting. Don't try to mail your Christmas in the Woodbline Subdivi dorp the Board for the purpose cards this years. The second s opening and reading sealed bids the sale of the water system nds. A months