

City Taxes Due Monday, Township February 28

City residents are being reminded this week that the 1952 winter taxes must be paid before Tuesday, January 20, to avoid penalty. Kathryn Cotter, City Treasurer, stated Tuesday that approximately 46% of the taxes have been paid to date. She added that this percentage is expected to increase sharply in the next few days as the deadline draws near. The total tax levied is about \$125,000.

Township residents have until February 28 to pay their 1952 win-

ter taxes. Last week The Enterprise incorrectly listed the deadline as January 20. After February 28 a penalty will be charged to all unpaid tax statements. To the city, a 4% penalty will be levied on all taxes on or after January 20. Taxes not paid before March 1 are delinquent and will be returned to the Oakland County Treasurer.

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CHURCH GROUP WILL FEATURE MISSIONARIES

A special Missionary series is being planned in connection with the annual observance of the Fort Hills United Missionary Church, located at Twelve Mile and Stansbury. The church opened January 28, 1951. The Missionary series will extend from Wednesday, January 21, through Sunday, January 25.

The missionary speaker on Wednesday evening will be Rev. Arthur B. Ruffell, home on furlough from Salaka, Nigeria, W. Africa. Thursday evening Miss Edna Priddy, on furlough from Shere, Nigeria, will speak. It is expected that she will show other moving pictures or slide pictures of the mission work in the Shere area.

Rev. Roy P. Adams, a former missionary in the Orient with the Oriental Missionary Society and now General Secretary of the United Missionary Society with headquarters at Elkhart, Indiana, will speak on Friday evening.

Services will begin at 8:00 p.m. On Anniversary Sunday, January 25, Rev. Joseph H. Kimball, Home Missions Director of the Indiana Conference of the United Methodist Church and Professor of Art at Bethel College, Mishawaka, Indiana, will be the speaker in the morning worship service. It is quite likely that he will do a chalk drawing as a special feature in the Sunday School hour.

Mrs. Edna Brubacher, on furlough from Yelva, Nigeria, will speak in the evening service on Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

A warm welcome is extended to the public to enjoy these services.

Sign Contracts
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Schmidt, Clarenceville School superintendent. Letters to the various successful bidders on the new school project, authorizing them to proceed with the construction, were mailed out this week. It is expected that as soon as the letters have been received the construction work will get under way.

THE CONTRACT for the purchase of laboratory equipment for the new high school addition was awarded to the Ogleby Equipment Company, Detroit, for the sum of \$7,597.79, at the regular meeting of the Board Thursday evening. The various bids on the equipment were opened by the Board on December 18 but were tabled for further consideration at that time.

The Board approved a motion that \$100 per year be allowed for teaching experience outside of the Clarenceville School District for a period up to four years. Previously the amount allowed for outside teaching experience was \$50. However, the maximum of \$400 was not changed.

The Board was authorized by the Board to secure an art instructor for the year 1953-54. The new teacher would probably handle some high school instruction in addition to supervising art work in the elementary grades.

Airman Lindall Serves On Bon Homme Richard

Air Group Seven arrived in San Diego January 9 aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Bon Homme Richard, after a tour of duty in the Korean combat area. Among the airmen is William D. Lindall, aviation machinist's mate third class, USS Bon Homme Richard, assigned to 23225 Orchard Lake Road.

Air Group Seven is normally based at Quonset Point, Rhode Island.

The 27,000 ton carrier has completed her second Korean cruise, the highlights of which were the initial strikes on North Korea's hydro-electric power plants and the U.S. massive July 11 raid on Pyongyang.

Farmington Couple Plans To Attend Inauguration

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Nedz, owners of Duffy's Supply Company of Farmington, are preparing to leave for Washington, D.C., for the inauguration this month.

Later they plan to fly to Florida for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Nedz also have reservations for the inaugural ball and parade.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR of EVENTS

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17

1:00 p.m. Blue Star Mothers
4:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 9
6:30 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 7
M.S.C. Alumni

FRIDAY, JANUARY 18

8:00 a.m. Birthdays Celebration
Farm. vs. Keego Harbor
Clar. vs. Northville
Young Republican Meet

SATURDAY, JANUARY 19

10:00 a.m. Girl Scout Troop 4
8:00 p.m. Square Dance
Republican Dance

SUNDAY, JANUARY 20

6:45 p.m. R. P. W. Meeting
7:30 p.m. V. P. Fellowship
7:30 p.m. Farmington Jaycees
8:00 p.m. City Council

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22

8:00 p.m. P.T.A. Safety Meeting
8:00 p.m. P.T.A. Open Forum

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

12:15 p.m. Exchange Club
6:30 p.m. Kiwanis Club
4:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 2
7:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 3
7:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 8

NORTHSIDE NEWS
MRS. LORRAINE PORTUS
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Cpl. Howard Packard called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Packard of Greening, Sunday evening from Japan, where he is on a five-day rest period from Korea. Cpl. Packard has been in the service for sixteen months, eight of which have been spent in Korea. His brother, Pvt. James Packard, is stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. Pvt. Packard expects to return to Greening when his basic training is over.

Tom Weisheit, Jr., of Northwestern Highway has just entered his third year at Michigan State College. "Good Luck, Tommy!"

Home on leave are Airman 2/c Fred Giroux, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Giroux of Ayles, Ky. and his bride, Airman 2/c Helen C. Giroux, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Giroux of Ayles, Ky. They were married December 6 in Texas, where she is stationed at Randolph Field, Camp Kilmer, New Jersey. They returned home Sunday after spending a few days in Kentucky visiting her family. They will leave for their bases Friday. Fred expects to be sent to Germany when at that time.

Roger Eble of Drake Road has received his call to the Army and will report on January 29. Roger was married on Christmas Day to Miss Pat Moe of Midland.

Albert Soszok, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Soszok of Ayles, Ky., left last Tuesday to return to his base in Williamsburg, Virginia. Albert, who is in the Marine Corps, has been home on furlough since December 26.

Kathy Garner, six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Garner of Clairview Drive, has been ill with a virus infection for a week. She seems to be improving now.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Myers of Walpole Lake visited Mr. and Mrs. Harley Eble of Greening on Saturday evening.

Shirley Glesne of Detroit was the week end guest of Miss Joan Koppelo of Farmington Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Clark of Fourteen Mile Road spent Saturday evening with her sister and

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of the charter, the present Justice of the Peace Court is to be abolished on July 4, 1953, and the duties consolidated into one Municipal Court to be presided over by a Municipal Judge. According to the provisions, one Municipal Judge and one Associate Municipal Judge are to be elected in the coming election. The Court must, before February 1, fix by ordinance the compensation of the Judges.

It is expected that some discussion will also be held on the possibility of establishing a seven-man Council. At the present time the Council is composed of five members.

Farmington Students Hear Safety Program

A special safety assembly was presented Tuesday morning to the students of the Farmington High School through the cooperation of the Farmington Police Department and the Oakland County Sheriff's Office.

Chief Frank Vanatta, of the Sheriff's Office, and Joseph DeVincent, Farmington Police Chief, were the speakers. A safety film entitled "A Day In Court" was shown to the students. Vanatta commented on the film and commended the students on their fine accident prevention record during the year 1952. DeVincent spoke on the filing of applications for restricted and beginner's drivers licenses.

POLICE NAB YOUTH AFTER CHASE IN STOLEN CAR

Farmington Township and City Police as well as State Police, Oakland County Sheriff's deputies and the Livonia Police were led on a merry chase Monday evening by a teen-aged youngster in a stolen car.

Needless to say the youth was picked up a few hours after the chase began and is now at the Oakland County Juvenile Home awaiting court action. He was arrested near his home by State Police after he had abandoned the stolen car, a 1948 Dodge, at Haynes and Ten Mile Road.

The chase began when the youth took off without paying for gas at the Zephyr Station, Grand River and Middlebelt. The station attendant immediately notified the Farmington Police and Sgt. Yakes, Township Policeman, on patrol, spotted the car on Power Road between Ten and Eleven Mile Roads.

Yakes took up the chase, but because of the bad conditions, lost him. A general call was dispatched over the police radio and the other police cars moved in to set up a road block. The car was found. The youth was traced by checking the license plate which he had taken from his mother's car. When he was picked up at 11:30 p.m. the youth had a clipping of the story from last week's Enterprise warning motorists to leave keys in their cars. The automobile was stolen Sunday, January 4, from the parking lot at Our Lady of Sorrows Church.

Township Board
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of licenses of journeymen electricians living in the township. Cards are now being printed and will be ready for issuance the latter part of this week. Harry McCracken, Township Clerk, stated.

A letter was filed with the Board signed by residents of Jacksonville Street north of Liberty requesting aid on the repair of the road. A spokesman for the group stated that the residents are willing to raise some money for the necessary travel to make the road passable, and that they have a man who will handle the work. The Board agreed to look over the situation and offered to match the amount the residents could secure.

Mrs. L. W. Beals, representative of the Farmington Hills Board of Revision, appeared before the Board to inquire about the feeling in regard to future planning and the construction of a new Town Hall. Blanchard stated that no consideration was being given to a new Town Hall at this time and that no organized planning was under way.

Obituaries

Grant Arthur Burns
Mr. Grant Arthur Burns died January 10, 1953, in Meriden Hospital, Meriden, Connecticut, following a three week illness.

He was born March 7, 1910, in Cheboygan, Michigan, the son of Sherry and Ruth (Burtrum) Burns, and had formerly lived in Detroit.

He was employed by General Motors in Meriden, Connecticut. Mr. Burns leaves one daughter, Laura; one son, Ray; his mother, Mrs. Ruth (Burns) Grayson; Farmington, and three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Krogman of Pontiac, Mrs. Beulah Monette of Florida, and Mrs. Mildred LaForge of Farmington.

Funeral services were held from the Spencer J. Heene Funeral Home at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday with Rev. Carl Schultz of the Salem Evangelical church officiating. Interment was in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Detroit.

John Bertie Payne
Mr. John Bertie Payne passed away suddenly January 9, 1953, from a heart condition at his residence, 20749 Murwood, Southfield, Township.

He was born in England April 2, 1885, and was a construction employee of The Barton Mallow Company of Detroit, and had resided in Southfield for the past six years.

He leaves his wife, Edith; two sons, Charles of Hazel Park and John of Southfield; Township; one daughter, Mrs. Florence Purchase of Detroit, and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held from the Spencer J. Heene Funeral Home at 2:00 p.m. Monday with Rev. Duane Moore of the Fourteen Avenue Methodist Church, Detroit, officiating.

Interment was in Grand Lawn Cemetery, Detroit.

Vote Registration
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the Township Office in the Town Hall. Prior to Saturday, township residents may register at the Township Office from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. or at the home of Harry McCracken, 35270 Twelve Mile Road.

Because of the record registration prior to the Presidential Election last November, it is not anticipated that the current registration will be very heavy. McCracken stated that persons should contact the Township Office if there is any doubt in their minds as to whether they are registered or not.

ERNEST BLANCHARD MARRIES LILLIAN CURTIS JANUARY 8

Ernest Blanchard, Township Supervisor, and Lillian Curtis wed Thursday, January 8, at the bride's home in Royal Oak, Michigan.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Smith of the First Methodist Church of Royal Oak. Witnesses at the wedding were Mary Jeanne Curtis, daughter of the bride, and George H. Hartwick, Assistant Prosecutor of Oakland County.

Mrs. Blanchard was employed in the Probate Court Office in Pontiac for over 12 years. Mr. Blanchard is a life-long resident of Farmington Township and has been a township official for many years.

Jaycees To Hold Annual Minstrel Show March 20

Tickets for the annual Farmington Junior Chamber of Commerce Minstrel Show are expected to go on sale next week, James Warner, Jaycee president, announced this week.

Plans are now under way for the annual show, which will be held on Friday, March 20, at the Farmington High School gymnasium. This year's show will feature an outstanding variety of talent drawn from the Farmington area.

Tickets may be purchased from any member of the Farmington Junior Chamber of Commerce beginning next week.

March Of Dimes
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ing, January 23. Mrs. George Steele, chairman of the "March," stated this week that additional volunteers are needed. Persons interested in joining the "March" are requested to contact Mrs. Steele at Farmington 2451-R as soon as possible.

The "March" will be conducted for one hour on the evening of January 23. Under the plan volunteers will canvass the city and heavily populated sections of the township and wherever there is a porch light burning they will stop for a donation. Thus residents desiring to contribute to the March of Dimes are asked to turn on their porch light during the hour when volunteers will be on the street.

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(Well, be sure yuh git a 3 lb. can of Crisco fer 79c and a 25 lb. bag of either Pillsbury or Gold Medal flour fer \$1.99 then yuh'll have the basic things on hand anyhow, and speakin' of bakin' we, around here, sure wanna thank all our nice customers that brought us fruit cake and cookies during the holidays fer us to eat with our morning coffee. We've always believed we had the nicest customers and we're sure of it now!)

Should it be a choice beef chuck roast fer Sunday with potatoes and carrots cooked in the same pot? That's awful easy. Well — the beef roast is 59c a lb. and the Maine potatoes are 69c fer 10 lbs. Now since yuh got bakin' stuff on hand, wanna have hot rolls with yer dinner? Then yuh'll need butter and that's Vlasic's fer 69c a lb. If yuh wanna fix somethin' kinda ahead of time wouldcha like a shank end of ham fer 49c a lb. Now we got sandwiches and baked beans. Yuh can fix up the Campbells beans whatcha git 2 big cans of fer 31c and nobody'll know but whatcha bin workin' on 'em fer a week — or do yuh like hot dogs with yer beans? Yuh can git a lb. of skinless dogs fer 49c. Didcha know we have strictly fresh country eggs? Git 'em all the time from the local farmers. We got some large ones this week fer 69c a dozen. There's Conroy's bacon fer 69c a lb., too, and an egg fried aint really worth a gosh darn unless it's got some Conroy's bacon with it. That's our opinion — what's yours???

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