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### NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE  
TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT OF  
FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP, WAYNE AND  
OAKLAND COUNTIES, MICHIGAN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an election will be held in the Township School District of Farmington Township in the Counties of Oakland and Wayne and State of Michigan, on Monday, the 29th day of March, 1954, from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 8:00 o'clock p.m., Eastern Standard Time, to vote upon the following propositions:

(a) Shall the Township School District of Farmington Township, Counties of Oakland and Wayne, State of Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed one Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) and issue its bonds therefor, for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting and furnishing new elementary school buildings and an addition to the high school building if said school district and acquiring sites for such new elementary school buildings?

(b) Shall the limitation on the total amount of taxes which may be levied each year for the support of the Township School District of Farmington Township, Counties of Oakland and Wayne, State of Michigan, for all purposes except taxes for the payment of interest and principal on obligations incurred prior to December 31, 1932, be increased as provided in Section 21 of Article X of the Constitution of Michigan, for a period of two (2) years from 1954 to 1955, both inclusive, by \$25.100000s of 1% (\$3.25 per \$1,000) of the assessed valuation as equalized, and for a period of (18) eighteen years from 1956 to 1973, both inclusive, by 5 1/10ths of 1% (\$9.00 per \$1,000) of the assessed valuation as equalized, for the purpose of defraying the cost of erecting and furnishing new elementary school buildings, bonds aggregating not to exceed \$1,500,000 in principal amount to defray the cost of erecting and furnishing new elementary school buildings and an addition to the high school building in said school district and acquiring sites for such new elementary school buildings, and for the purpose of establishing a reserve for the payment of said principal and interest?

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the voting place for said election will be at the high school gymnasium, No 33000 Thoms Street, in the City of Farmington, Michigan, in said school district.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the Board of Education of said school district has estimated that One Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,500,000) is the amount of money necessary to be borrowed for the project for which bonds are to be issued.

The following statements have been received from the County Treasurers as to previously voted increases in the total tax rate limitation affecting taxable property in the school district, to-wit:

I, Harold E. Stoll, County Treasurer of Wayne County, Michigan, do hereby certify that, as of February 26, 1954, the total voted increases in excess of the Constitutional fifteen mill tax rate limitation and the years such increases are effective are as follows affecting the taxable property of Local Unit:

TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT OF FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP  
for that portion lying in

City of Livonia, Wayne County, Michigan

Local Unit	Date of Election	Voted Increase	Years Increase Effective
Township School	June 11, 1951	5 mills	1951 only
District of Farmington		12.5 mills	1952 to 1970 incl.
Township	June 8, 1953	4.5 mills	1953 only
		2.5 mills	1954, 1955, 1956
Total Increases in Effect			
Years: 1954 to 1956 incl.		1957 to 1970 inclusive	
Mills: 15 each year		12.5 each year	

Signed: HAROLD E. STOLL  
Harold E. Stoll  
Wayne County Treasurer

Date: February 26, 1954  
FJB: 1

I, Charles A. Sparks, County Treasurer of the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, do hereby certify that according to the records in my office, as of February 26, 1954, the total of all voted increases in the tax rate limitation above the 15 mills established by Section 21 of Article X of the Michigan Constitution, affecting taxable property in that portion of the Township School District of Farmington Township which lies in said county, is as follows:

Local Unit	Voted Increase	Years Increase Effective
Township School	12.5 mills	1952 to 1970
District of Farmington	2.5 mills	1954-1955-1956

CHARLES A. SPARKS  
Oakland County Treasurer  
By Lloyd M. Sibley  
Deputy

Dated: February 26, 1954

SAMUEL B. TURNER  
Secretary of the Board of Education  
of said school district.

Dated: February 27, 1954

### REVEREND GIEGER HOLDS SERVICE AT NORTHVILLE

Last Sunday, Rev. Richard A. Gieger, minister of the Farmington Presbyterian Church conducted Protestant church services for the patients at Northville State Hospital.

Rev. Gieger has offered his services to the hospital until a replacement for Reverend William F. Hoot is furnished by the Detroit Presbytery.

Reverend Hoot, who had been the Protestant Chaplain at both the State Hospital and Marybury Sanitarium, died suddenly last week. Funeral services were held Monday at the Olivet Presbyterian Church in Detroit, where Reverend Hoot had been Pastor.

### GOODWILL OPENS FOURTH RETAIL STORE IN DETROIT

Goodwill Industries of Detroit opened its fourth retail store at 2250 E. Davison Monday, March 22. The store will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Saturdays.

The new store will be managed by Norman Fowler and manned by three other of Goodwill's handymen, according to Mr. Harold H. McKinnon, executive secretary.

The store will sell a complete line of men's and women's clothing, furniture, stoves, toys and small appliances.

Goodwill's other three retail stores are located at 356 E. Congress, 6522 Brush and 4729 W. Warren.

Proceeds from all sales go toward paying the wages of Goodwill's nearly 400 handicapped employees.

Norbert Ronk Joins Crew of 'Coral Sea'

Norbert Ronk, Jr., machinist, mate third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Ronk of 34127 Harlow Street, Farmington, and husband of the former Miss Charlotte D. Threlf of Jamestown, Tennessee, was among the 236 men to report for duty aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Coral Sea during the period January 12 to February 21.

The Coral Sea, also known as the "Big 13," is completing a four-month overhaul at the U. S. Norfolk Naval Shipyard.

Mirle Rescoe of California is visiting his sister, Mrs. Carl Huize of Lathmar Avenue, and his mother, Mrs. Edith Rescoe, who has been seriously ill in St. Joseph Hospital in Pontiac.

### Honored



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### OLDS DEALER TO STAGE GALA SPRING SHOWING

Academy Awards Night, March 25, followed by a two-day Gala Spring Showing of new 1954 Oldsmobiles, will be celebrated in this community under the auspices of Art Vivier, it was announced this week.

Mr. Vivier said that his program plans to trap dramatically with the recently-announced sponsorship by Oldsmobile of the national telecast and radio broadcast of "Oscar" presentations to Hollywood's foremost stars.

"Exceptional public interest attaches itself every year to the Academy Awards presentations," said the dealer. "Oldsmobile Division is cooperative with local television stations in the promotion picture necessary to bring this glamorous event into the homes of millions of Americans through television and radio. Between now and March 25 the popular question of the day will be, 'Who will win the Oscar?'

"Our own part in the national effort will be to serve as an up-to-the-minute information center on the Academy Awards presentations and to conduct a Gala Spring Showing of glamorous new 1954 Oldsmobile models.

The glamor-packed Academy Awards presentations will be carried over 105 stations of the NBC-TV network and the CBS-TV network. Both the telecast and the broadcast will be from 10:30 p.m. to 12 midnight Eastern Standard Time and will be heard locally over WWJ-TV and WWV.

"Academy Awards Night in Farmington will serve as a brilliant beginning for our record-setting spring sales drive," said Mr. Vivier. "On March 26 and 27 our Gala Spring Showing follows, coincident with a full-scale demonstration campaign. We are inviting motorists to inspect the Oldsmobile style-setters at their leisure -- and then find out just how the 1954 version of the famous 'Rocket' engine outperforms last year's engine and at the same time gives approximately ten per cent better fuel economy."

Mrs. George Throne of Ypsilanti and Mrs. Loren Read of South Lyon were calling on their mother, Mrs. Austin Ault, on Brentwood Avenue last Wednesday morning.

High strength low alloy steels containing nickel along with other alloying elements are minimizing labor and expense in railroad applications. Besides their corrosion-resisting properties these steels combine qualities such as ability to withstand shocks, battering, piercing and abrasion.

### 4-H Clubs Schedule Joint Meeting April 2

The Novi 4-H Club has invited the Walled Lake 4-H Club to a pre-achievement day project display followed by a talent show and square dance at the Novi School April 2. Clubs from Northville, South Lyon, New Hudson and Commerce will also participate in the program.

The original achievement day will be held at a later date in Pontiac.

An election of officers was held at Walled Lake on March 18. Nominees were Fred McElroy, Walled Lake, president; Andy Grant, Farmington, vice-president; Delphine Grant, Farmington, secretary; Bill Andrews, Walled Lake, treasurer; and Mary Wegener, Farmington, reporter.

During 1953 the nickel industry continued its extensive search for new nickel deposits. In Canada, particularly, this search has been on a scale for surpassing anything previously undertaken.

John Clappison Sells Insurance.

### MSC Alumni Club Plans Social Evening April 2

The Northwest Suburban Alumni Club will sponsor an evening of square and modern dancing in the Farmington Town Hall on Friday, April 2, beginning at 8:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be served and old schoolmates will be afforded an opportunity to get acquainted.

Anyone who has ever attended Michigan State College is invited to attend. Guests from the particular areas of Farmington, Plymouth, Northville, Livonia, Wallingford, South Lyon, Novi and South Lyon are urged to be present.

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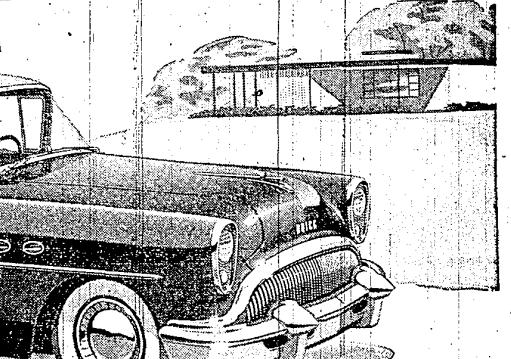
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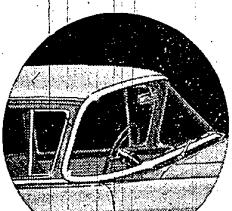
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