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School Elections

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proposals is required for adoption. According to William J. Emerson, Superintendent of the Oakland County Schools, there are over 5,320 handicapped children among the 100,000 boys and girls of school age in the county. Of these, only 1,572 are receiving schooling designed to help them overcome their handicaps. In addition, only 11 of 33 visiting teachers needed were employed for the handling of specially maladjusted children. This has been due to lack of adequate funds, lack of an administrative system for the operation of local special education centers, lack of provisions for capital outlay, and lack of a proper law to make it possible for local people to solve the problem.

Emerson stated that if both proposals are approved, approximately \$400,000 will be raised annually in the county for the special education program. Under the plan local educational centers would be set up throughout the county with facilities and trained instructors designed to help handicapped youngsters. The program for homebound children would also be broadened as would the education of mentally retarded youngsters. It would also be possible under the program to secure additional funds from the state to underwrite special education in the county.

The Annual Meetings of both the Farmington and Clarencville School Districts will be held Monday evening following the closing of the polls. The Farmington meeting is scheduled to begin at 8:30 p.m. in the high school gymnasium building on Thomas Street. The Clarencville Annual meeting will begin at 8:15 p.m. in the high school building.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR of EVENTS

THURSDAY, JUNE 10	
1:00 p.m.	Blue Star Mothers
1:00 p.m.	W. S. C. S.
8:00 p.m.	American Legion
SUNDAY, JUNE 13	
2:00 p.m.	Wolverine Trail Club
MONDAY, JUNE 14	
7:30 p.m.	Y. P. Fellowship
7:45 p.m.	Library Tent Five 1027
8:00 p.m.	School Board
8:00 p.m.	P. T. A.
8:15 p.m.	Daughters of Isabella
8:30 p.m.	Legion Auxiliary
TUESDAY, JUNE 15	
6:30 p.m.	Kiwanis Club
8:00 p.m.	Exchange Club
8:30 p.m.	Optimist Club
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16	
12:15 p.m.	Universalist Church
8:30 p.m.	Huck's Redford Inn

TOWN HALL RENTAL TURNED OVER TO TOWNSHIP CLERK

Applications for rental of the Town Hall are now being handled at the Township Office instead of the Municipal Building, officials announced this week.

The records were transferred from the city to the township late last week in accordance with a recently amended court decree. Prior to this time, the City Clerk had been charged with the responsibility of handling all applications for reservation of the Town Hall.

At the request of the city and the agreement of the Township Board, A. C. Leonard, Township Attorney, drafted a proposed amendment to the court decree, making it legal for the Township Clerk to handle the reservations. The amendment was signed by Circuit Judge Frank Doty several weeks ago.

Little League

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after each boy trying out his individual merit at a position of his choice in competition with boys of his own age. Managers make alternate choices in selecting boys for their respective teams with the ratings as follows: 1, 2, 3, 4; then 2, 3, 4, 1; then 3, 4, 1, 2, etc. The managers choose players in the reverse order of their team's final standing in play the preceding year.

A pitching rule allows one boy to pitch no more than six full innings a week. Neither is a pitcher allowed to throw in more than one game a day or to pitch on two consecutive days. Moreover, a pitcher who has thrown four complete innings in one game must be given three calendar days rest. A pitcher moved to some other position in a game may not return to pitch again in that game.

An 18-game schedule is set up with exhibition and Klee-league games over and above this number prohibited. If a shorter schedule is set up, outside games may then be played. A player on a team may take part in the National Tournament played each year over and above the regular 18-game schedule.

If the program interests you and you think you would like to be a part of it, just call Farmington 6140. A job of your own choosing is awaiting you in this fine boys' recreation program.

Red Oak Acorn Crop Only Fair, Bad For Deer Herd

The acorn crop from red oaks in Michigan's northern lower peninsula can be at best only fair this year, conservation department workers report.

Acorns are highly important as deer food.

The potential acorn crop from white oaks has not been appraised as yet; these trees blossomed later than red oaks.

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RECEIVES PURPLE HEART

From her son, Corporal Alfred Schult, serving in Korea, Mrs. Herman Schult of Shady Side Avenue has received the Purple Heart awarded him last year. Some interesting gifts of Pacific origin accompanied the medal. The young serviceman expects to be home in August.

In the heart of the corn belt, Iowa in 1953 produced 1,170,000 tons of bituminous coal.

Jet Mechanic



BERT G. GATELEY

Albert Bert G. Gateley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer G. Gateley of 33501 Stocker in Farmington, has been assigned as a jet bomber mechanic with the 3333 S. Squadron at Amarillo Air Force Base in Texas, an Army release disclosed this week.

Gateley was transferred to Amarillo from Sampson Air Force Base. He was a student at Farmington High School prior to entering the Air Force.

Tax Rates

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drop from 4 1/2 mills in 1952 to 2 1/2 mills in 1954. These are the only rates which affect township property owners, since no local tax is levied.

City property owners will receive, some reduction as a result of the lower tax rates since the 1951 equalization factor has also been cut below last year. The City Council has set the local tax rate at 17 mills, the same as 1953. Both the Farmington Township School District and the county will receive more tax money this year in spite of the lower mill rates. This is due to the large increase in building throughout the county. The assessed valuation of the township increased over \$2,000,000 during the year, while the city's assessed valuation jumped approximately \$350,000.

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Maxwell Smith Enroute To Optimist Convention

Maxwell J. Smith left this week for Houston, Texas, where he will act as a delegate to the 36th Annual Convention of Optimist International from the Optimist Club of Clarencville, Dr. John F. Vos, president of the club, announced. The convention will be held from June 16 through June 19.

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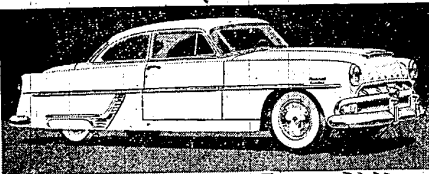
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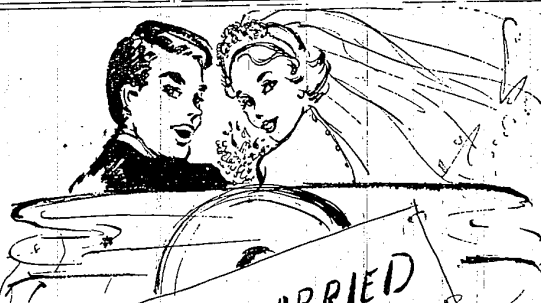
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