

Farnum Urges Continued Benefits for Veterans

Editor's Note: From now until the final election in November, The Observer will welcome statements on issues by rival candidates for various public offices. We'll edit them as to length and will attempt to give the same amount of space, each week, in the same story, to opponents.

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Jack Olsana, Mr. and Mrs. Norm Hittman, Mr. and Mrs. E. Aho, Then on to Roma Hall for the dance.

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WAS THE SITE

FOR THE 1964 CONGRESSIONAL DEMOCRATIC DINNER. Principal speaker was former Gov. G. Mennen Williams, Undersecretary of State in charge of African affairs. Attending from the Farmington area were Mrs. Vagnard, Mr. and Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. John Kirk, Dr. and Mrs. Ted McElvane, Perry Jamison, Mrs. Kathryn Keepsmith.

ON THE ROAD TO RECOVERY

... Is Julia Dawson, her recent birth with pneumonia, left home a bit, but still looking

white as ever, returning to work Monday, Oct. 19th is George T. Crook, electrical in-

spector for Farmington Town-

ship and the City of Farming-

ton. A former rodeo rider, two

world war veterans, a state fire

inspector, George en-

joys everything, but, inactivity.

His recent "vacation" gave him

an opportunity to enjoy his

horses and the beautiful pal-

mino ponies he keeps on his

farm.

Also, back again the Farmington

spa is Phine Young. Not only

will everyone enjoy seeing her

again but, to taste again the

gorgeous pies and pastries she

makes from her own recipes at

a local restaurant.

HEDDA HOPPER

would envy Grace Richardson

her warm smile, especially

the million of sunlight min-

On Monday, Oct. 19th Grace

Richardson was hostess in her

home on Nine Mile Rd. to the

Women's Republican Organiza-

tion of Farmington. After the

business meeting Mrs. Stanley

Thorp presented a presentation

award to Senator Ronald Rea-

gan. This speech is an appraisal

of government and the political

situation as it exists today. The

national TV programs have fea-

tured interviews with Reagan

concerning this speech as well as

as the first time he has been shown in this area.

Mrs. Harold Lang was hostess

for the tea. Her committee mem-

bers were Mrs. Howard Bond,

Mrs. Bruce Duke, Mrs. Ernest

Huebner, Mrs. Harley Walter

and Mrs. Willis Campbell.

THE LADY OF SORROWS

TOOK TIME OUT

FOR JOE'S "PIPER" Phillips' of

Forest Park Subdivision. Their

guests will include Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Ernie Ash, Mr. and Mrs.

Dems Challenge

GOP Rivals

Democratic candidates for Farmington Township offices have called on their Republican opponents to appear jointly at public meetings prior to the Nov. 3 election.

The Democratic challenge

was issued in the name of the

party's candidates for the

Township board — Aldo Vago-

nozi for Supervisor, Euline

Petty for Treasurer, and Mar-

tin E. Gluckstein and Bernard

S. Kahan for Clerk.

The Democratic candidates

firmly believe that any

candidate for public office has

a moral responsibility to open

fully the public records that

reflect the proper public per-

formance of vital matters may be

subjected to scrutiny," de-

clared Vagozzi in a letter to

all Republican candidates.

"The strengthening of local

government requires that the

community be given the proper public per-

formance prior to the voters ex-

pressing their choices."

"Truly public-spirited citi-

cates of both our parties have

found that they can appear

best, when they called round-

table forums or debates, pro-

vide the best vehicle for meet-

ing this need."

Vagozzi made it clear to the

Republican that the Democrats

would be willing to foot the

entire cost of the joint appear-

ances "should your campaign

funds not be sufficient to en-

able you to join with us in

sponsorship of these appear-

ances."

Vagozzi also called on the

Republican candidates to join

"Fair Campaign Practices

Pledge." Vagozzi said such a

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"From 1963 to 1963, GI business, home and farm loans increased 55%."

"In fiscal 1963, VA hospitals treated 112,000 patients, an increase of more than 70,000 over a three-year period."

"Since 1961, over 250 VA hospital construction projects have been completed. Seventeen major hospitals are in the planning or early construction stages."

"Medical research projects have increased 27% since

1960. The VA now has more doctors and nurses on duty than ever before."

"And that's far from all. Pay-

ments of GI insurance, dental and hospital benefits, with a special \$250 million dividend paid in 1961. Previous VA policy has been reversed to re-

open GI life insurance to give veterans additional protection for their families."

"The best part of all is

that: Because of the Kennedy-

Johnson Administra-

tion's

drive for veterans, VA has

done a 11% cut in administra-

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increasing services."

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