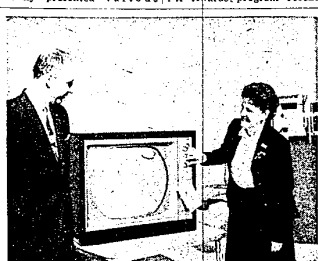


Suburbanites Win Awards, Honors from County 4-H Clubs

The Wayne County 4-H Clubs awards at the Wayne County recently presented various 4-H Awards program recently



WINNERS of a 1965 Zenith color television set awarded in conjunction with Wonderland Center's fifth anniversary celebration, were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon T. Bastian, of 1441 Meadow Lane, Inkster. An employee of Cadillac Division of General Motors, Bastian said the only other time his name has been drawn in a lottery occurred in the World War II draft.

held at the Ford Central Office Building in Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hauk of Plymouth were the recipients of a certificate for ten years of service and a Gold Clover Award pin.

Five year certificates and Silver Clover Award pins were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Chaudoin of Livonia and Mrs. Marian Miller of Garden City.

Leaders in the Plymouth and Livonia areas receiving Bronze Clover pins for their third year of service were: Mr. Charles Adams; Mrs. Alice Armstrong; Mrs. Janet Magraw; and Mrs. Isabel Spigarelli.

First year Bronze Clover award pins were presented to: Mrs. Edna Condash; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Earehart; Mrs. Barbara Soth; Mrs. Leah Whitefield; and Mrs. Violet Whitmore. All of these recipients are residents of the Plymouth-Livonia area.

Two 4-H members received

the top Michigan 4-H Key Club Award. They are: David Magraw, 16, of Plymouth and Cathleen Theisen, 17, of Garden City. This award is for "outstanding participation in the 4-H program over a period of several years, including service to the club and country program."

Miss Theisen also received a leadership award during the program. This award was presented to four members of the

Airman Promoted

William F. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Brown of 9646 Arcola, Livonia, Mich., has been promoted to airman second class in the U.S. Air Force at Offutt AFB, Neb. Airman Brown is an administrative specialist in a unit that supports the Air Force's Weather Service mission of operating a global weather data network in support of U.S. military and civilian flight activities. The airman is a graduate of Bentley High School.

Wayne County group by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation.

Other Plymouth and Livonia residents to be honored were: Susan Brinks, Dress Review;

Susan Hauk, Home Economics; David Magraw, Beef and Dairy;

Bruce Niemi, Handicraft; Sue Roberts, Dress Review; Kathleen Roshirt, Dress Review;

Carol Scheppele, Clothing and Dress Review; Jolanne Wendel, Handicraft; Lennart Wendel, Sheep, and Kathie Williams,

Sheep, and Kathie Williams, Dress Review.

Junior Leaders from the area receiving their first year pins were: Lynn Allen; Susan Brinks;

Susan Hauk; Carol Scheppele; Eugene Armstrong; Carol Clark; Donna Moers; and Jolanne Wendel.

David Magraw and Marilyn Moyer received second year pins while Charles Haselbach received a third year pin.

More than 200 awards in all categories were presented at the program.

Principal speaker at the program were Dr. Russell G. Masby, Assistant Director of the M.S.U. Cooperative Extension Service, and in charge of the State 4-H program. Speaking before an audience of 4-H members, leaders, parents and friends, he emphasized the challenge our young people will meet in the future and the need to prepare for it.

Three Minor Parties Face Voters on Tuesday's Ballot

The current battle of Michigan's Prohibition Party before the State Supreme Court for recognition on write-in votes in the upcoming presidential election brings to mind other minority parties in Michigan and the success they have enjoyed in the state since back in the 1880's.

Secretary of State James M. Hare, Michigan's chief elections officer, reports the first minority party appeared on the ballot for governor of Michigan back in 1841 . . . and with few exceptions, one or more minority parties have been on the ballot ever since.

Hare said even the Communist Party enjoyed some success with Michigan voters down through the years.

As might be expected, the great depression of the 1930's found minority parties in their heyday in Michigan with no less than eight of them appearing on the ballot in 1934. The largest number which appeared since that time was in 1960, a total of five.

In the gubernatorial races through the years, the top number of votes polled by a so-called minority party was in 1912 when Lucius Whitney Watkins, running on the National Progressive ticket (Teddy Roosevelt's Bull Moose Party), ran up a total of 152,969 votes, only 42,609 votes less than the winner, Woodbridge N. Ferris, a Democrat.

Strangely enough, the Prohibition Party did not enjoy its biggest success at the polls during the prohibition era, from 1917 through 1933 in Michigan. The Prohibitionists counted their largest number of votes back in 1890 when their gubernatorial candidate, Partridge, polled some 28,681 votes.

Popularity of minority parties in Michigan . . . although certainly not discouraged be-

cause Michigan makes it rather easy to qualify for a place on its ballot . . . seems on the wane since 1950, when together three minority parties polled less than 5 percent of the vote for governor.

For the past 14 years, even this modest popularity has subsided. In 1962, the minority parties collectively were able to garner only a scant .19 percent of Michigan's popular vote. Only in 1952 and in 1960 were minority parties even able to get as many as 10,000 popular votes. The Prohibition Party, which did not appear on Michigan ballot in the 1962 general election and

did not qualify this year, was still the most popular of the minority parties during the 1950's, although its popularity dropped in 1960.

This year's general election on November 3 brings out three minority parties . . . Freedom Now, a new party, and Socialist Labor and Social Workers, both of which have appeared in the past.

Primary Turnout Six-Year Record

Percentage of voters who were registered in April and cast votes in the primary election this past September hit a six-year high total, figures released by the Secretary of State indicated.

Secretary of State James M. Hare said that in 1964, a total of 35.1 percent of the April registrants went to the polls to cast votes. This compared with 18.5 percent in 1958; 29.5 percent in 1960; and 20.6 in 1962.

However, Hare noted that Michigan registration was down in April to the lowest ebb in the six years to 3,351,730. Elections returns indicated that 1,174,611 cast votes for governor in the primary, compared with 767,271 in 1962; 1,021,217 in 1960; and 646,365 in 1958.

Hare said that many city and township clerks reported new all-time highs registered for the general election, and the Secretary of State said he "wouldn't be surprised if the general election on November 3 produced all-time records on the number of votes cast."

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September 23, 1964

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Circuit Judge,
1421 City-County Building,
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Dear Judge:

At the regular monthly meeting held in the City-County Building on September 21, 1964, the Judges of the Wayne Circuit Court endorsed the Judges of the Wayne Circuit Court and your record as a Judge of the Circuit Court and recommend to the people that you be retained in such office.

Yours very truly,
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