

## Yule Postal Help Closed

Farmington Postmaster Henry Trombley announced this week that applications for Christmas help are not being accepted this year except from those already declared eligible by the Civil Service Commission, from veterans or those with previous experience.

Even though there is an ever increasing amount of mail each year, the post office department has reduced by 30 percent from a year ago the number of temporary helpers that will be permitted to be hired this Christmas season.

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## WESTBROOKE MANOR NEWS

JOYE MCCORT GR. 4-2334

General Meeting of the Westbrook Manor Association, November 12 at 7 p.m. There is still time to submit nominations for Area Directors by mail. They will also be accepted from the floor.

The Westbrook Dinner Dance will be held at Orchard Lake Country Club Nov. 17. Due to a few ticket cancellations there are a few more available. Call Pat Mazzarelli, 474-0812, Joye McCort, GR 4-2334, or Joe Mikula, 426-6357.

ANN AND DICK BOGH, and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hirt of Birmingham enjoyed the operatic arias while dining at Rancucci's Oct. 23.

Catching up with Den 4 Oct. 22 meeting. The Den toured the Wixom Ford Plant and really got a thorough look at the assembly of a car. A treat of luncheon and drinks in the dining room completed the tour. Monday, Oct. 29, the day was designated as United Nations Day and was commenced on to be the best meeting yet. Flags from different countries were displayed.

John Hatfield of the Westbrook Friday Nighters has provided a good game, a pretty good game of 245, followed by a 202 and ending with a 616 series. Also scoring high was Nancy Valassis with 159 and sub Pat Vorce with 437. The over-average jackpot for ladies was won by Betty Brynn. Spills were taken by Mrs. Edna Valassis and Ruth McClean the 5-7. With the 500's are Jack Virgin 558, Jerry Brynn 520, Joe Vesilinen 552, Tony Valassis 548, Bill Jim Brynn 528 and George Valassis 512.

New residents on Nottingham are Dr. and Mrs. Bill Page, having moved from Redford with their children, Billy, Rick J., Patti Ann, and Peggy. Pat's Mother, Mrs. Monahan, recently visited and has now returned home to Pleasantville, New Jersey.

Around 30 alumnae members of the Phi Mu chapter, met at the home of the "Pinkie" Davidson for a dinner and their monthly business meeting on Oct. 16. Special guests and reporting on "National Conventions" were District President from Ann Arbor, Mrs. Harriet Perry, and President of the Delta Xi Chapter of Phi Mu of University of Michigan, Miss Ruth.

A "make and take home" Christmas Craft evening is planned at the Orchard Methodist Church on Farmington Rd. Tickets are available in advance of the Nov. 13 date for the Christmas Capers at 8 p.m. Call Mrs. "Pinkie" Davidson at 474-3338.

MR. AND MRS. KENNETH Hurlin treated their 3 children to their first big football game Saturday night to Ann Arbor for the Michigan vs. Wisconsin game. Although Michigan was defeated it was still a big day for the Hurlins.

The Westbrook Tenpins have in their first place spot Team No. 7 with at 1 and 1, 2nd and No. 10 with 12. Joe Kilmer was in the 500's with 560, rolled a high of 197, took the 3-10 split twice, and won a jackpot for over average. Another 500 was Jack Richards with 511. Betsy Bundy was high for ladies with 172. Cathy Kraft, Jim Redfearn also won jackpots. Lynn Kopynski took the 3-10 once, Jerry Konke got the 4-7 and 9-10.

Welcome home from the hospital to Libby Lucas.

Pat Hatfield spent her birthday in surgery, however, it is nice to advise you she is now home and recuperating nicely.

It was evident that all our Trick n Treaters were well rewarded on their night. Clever costumes are always fun to see. In case this one didn't get to your door, howls of laughter met Terry Davis as the organ grinder and her monkey, Lisa.

Anyone who is interested in joining a group is requested to contact the Farmington District Library, GR 4-7770.

If the response is great enough to warrant the formation of a group, the first meeting will be held Wednesday, November 28, at 8 p.m. in the library lounge. Subsequent meetings will be held the fourth Wednesday of each month, starting in January.

**Bill Conroy Does Too!**  
Phone GR. 4-3511



**THE DOWNTOWN FARMINGTON** window painting contest came to a successful climax last Friday evening as five winners were presented with their prizes in front of the first place landscape window painting on the Scott's 5 and 10 Store. Mike Gregory showed (R) receiving his first place prize from Ed Baldwin, contest chairman for the Downtown Farmington Association, and (L to R) Dennis Dubois (third place), Cynthia Wayne (fourth place) and Martha and Barbara Frankel (second place) stand arrayed with their gifts. The fifth place winner, Kathy Wiland, was not present for the picture.

## News From Briar Hill

**FRANCES MANN** MA. 6-3948

The Wolobes end of Pack 163 went to WXYZ Tuesday, October 23, to see "Action Theatre" with Johnny Gering but because of the world crisis, the show did not go on. They were entertained by Ricky the Clown, were given tour of the station, went to the control room, saw where sound effects are played, where news comes in on the telephones, and many other things. They were then taken to the control room, saw where sound effects are played, where news comes in on the telephones, and many other things.

**ELIZABETHS** sister, Judy, also had a November birthday. She became ten on Nov. 3. Helping in her celebration were an aunt and uncle as Bob Loo's sister and husband were here for a weekend visit from Waukegan, Wisconsin.

And speaking of birthdays, Miss Marsha Young of Old Bedford had her sixteenth on Saturday, Nov. 3.

The next meeting of the Briar Hill Book Club will be on Monday, Nov. 12, at the home of Mrs. Martha Crockett, 34209 Barbary, at 8:30 p.m. Mrs. Hitchcock of Birmingham is to give dramatic scenes and readings. Please don't forget to call the hostess if you will be unable to attend.

For the first time in the Men's Bowling League, a team will have a high game of 1,000. Last Friday evening, Team No. 3 bowled a game of 1,002 to realize their own dream.

The Farmington Enterprise recently carried the announcement of the engagement of Miss Sue Kingsley of Detroit and Mr. Donald C. Harms of Farmington. They are a senior majority in history at the University of Michigan. They plan on an August wedding. Our congratulations to them both.

**THE WEDDING** of Ensign Philip Andridge and Miss Mary Rathbun took place at 7:30 p.m. at the Judson Memorial Baptist Church in Lansing on Saturday, October 27.

Phillip's brothers, Doug and Ricky, were ushers and his sister, Linda, was a bridesmaid. The newlyweds left on Tuesday for England for Andridge's new assignment at MacGuire Air Force Base, Trenton, New Jersey. Guests from Briar Hill at the wedding were the Hugs, Etzigs, Jones and Grace MacLeod with son Ensign Larry MacLeod.

Along with the happiness of her son's wedding, Lucy Andridge, had the sorrow of the news that her sister had passed away in Cleveland, Ohio. The funeral took place in Lansing on Tuesday, Oct. 30.

The evening of Saturday, October 27, found five couples from Briar Hill attending the performance of "Come Back Little Sheba" by the Farmington Players. The couples were Margie and Bob Scott, Shelli and Mary Hodges, Casey and Marie Arkesteyn, Jim and Eloise Moreen and Kaye and George Brinton. Kaye Brinton is a member of the Farmington Players and if you desire a ticket to any performance, she has them.

There was excitement at the home of a shared resident on Oct. 27 when they came home to discover their cat had given birth to a stillborn kitten. They rushed to the vet and the kitten was undernourished and had three darling white kittens. Mother and babies are now home.

There is a new deadline for getting my column news into the office and so I am requesting if you have any item for the column, please call no later than Sunday evening.

Cheryl Homier and Elizabeth

Three University of Michigan professors have been awarded fellowships at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences at Stanford, Calif.

## Players Select 'Our Town' Cast

During the next few weeks, casting will be underway for "Our Town" on the stage, directed by George Kelly. The production is preparing for rehearsals in the near future.

The Farmington Players are an outgrowth of the American Association of University Women.

In 1951 the drama group prepared a play "The Torch-Bearers" by George Kelly. The public was invited for the purpose of raising fellowship funds for A.A.U.W. An equally important reason was to find out how popular a theater group would be in this area.

AS THESE PEOPLE hadn't any place to go, they went to the homes for their meetings and rehearsals. During this time they never knew from one week to the next where they would be rehearsing.

All the scenery, properties and costumes were borrowed or made by the group for "The Torch-Bearers."

As if this wasn't enough, they still didn't have a place to perform until space was given them in the Methodist Church of Farmington.

With the help of the following people Farmington Players, Inc. began: George and Hope Nabstall, Ron Jackson, Mildred Sullivan, May and Clarence Stoll, Al and Jane Whiting, Kay and Jim Cavanaugh, John and Mary Ann Perry, Eric and Liz Hickman, Dick and Kathryn Stutz, Dorothy and Lloyd Smith, Craig and Doris Porter, Beverly Hamilton, Benjamin Barbara Brown, Dorothy Castell, Barbara Luker, Hazel Quisenberry, Virginia Clark, Chuck and Betty Elschel, Barney Conn, Ray Sherpitts and Ruth Mann.

It is a busy, happy time at the Spillman Capital Records Co. promoting Barbara Dane's new album "Going My Way". Barbara, you may remember is Gil's daughter. I hope many of you watched her on the Hitecock Hour recently. She, with her two younger brothers, flew on from California to Chicago, where Barbara was to spend some time. She put the children on a plane for Detroit and Gil and Dot met them at the airport, and have been enjoying them tremendously. Barbara flew on last Saturday to be on several radio programs here plus time on Ch. 9 at 2:30 Monday afternoon.

The members will make Della Robla wreathes and table centerpieces under the able guidance of Mrs. Ralph Rundle, hostess. Chairman Mrs. John King will be assisted by Mrs. Joseph Ziska, Mrs. Walter Frisch, Mrs. Blaine Ford, Mrs. Merrill Andrews, Mrs. Edward Dalbois, Mrs. Emil Jesse, Mrs. Donald Faller, and Mrs. Robert Giles.

## Hill & Dale Garden Club Plans Workshop

There will be a touch of Christmas in the air when the Hill and Dale Garden Club meets tonight at 8 p.m. in the City National Bank Hospitality Room at Ten Mile and Orchard Lake Roads for a Christmas Workshop.

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## Wood Creek Farms Village

ANNE M. PHILLIPS MA. 6-6335

Grace Clark was taken to New Grace Hospital a week ago Saturday. Surgery was performed the following Wednesday. I am glad to say, was pronounced successful. Alice hopes Alice will be home very shortly.

Barbara Reader left a week ago Wednesday for the Sunnyside Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida, and the convention of the American Academy of Periodontology. A good time is always planned for these conventions - there was a formal dinner dance, they went to interesting eating places each night, did some swimming and sunbathing on the beach, the women had coffee klatches, shopped, watched the movements of our ships at sea during those convention days, and were taken to a special luncheon at Hialeah.

**MANY HAD PLANNED** to go to the islands following the convention, but all those trips were cancelled. The Readers returned on Sunday.

Last Wednesday Diana Haynes had a Halloween party for 22 of her school friends at the North Farmington High School, which, of course, included a number of Wood Creek young people. They went through Wood Creek on a scavenger hunt, then returned for the special events of the evening such as: bobbing for apples.

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Now they have five stores combined into one - Freddie is the owner and Sy the sales manager. If you see Hi-Fi Systems Co. at 17131 W. Six Mile Rd., which is between Greenfield and Southfield, drop in, and be introduced to very fine hi-fi systems.

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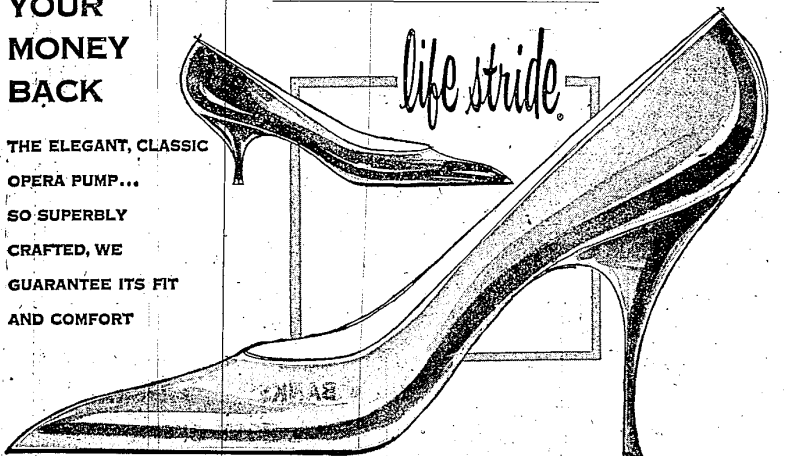
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