

William James, American Euphony, the quality of hav-  
philosopher and psychologist ing a pleasing sound; pleasant  
maintained that the value of effect of a combination of  
ideas is found only in terms of agreeable sounds as in speech  
usefulness or actual consequen- or music; from euphony, sweet  
ces: voiced.


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## Public Letter Box

Letters submitted to The Editor for publication must be signed. Names will be withheld upon request. Policies covering this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the policies of this newspaper. Handwritten letters to 1,000 words.

### Gives Views on Prayer

Dear Sir:

Twice in recent weeks you have reported one statement we presented to the Farmington Board of Education relative to establishing a written policy governing the role of the schools in religious matters for reasons of specific limitations; which we can understand, you chose not to publish the entire statement. It is therefore, doubly incumbent upon you to avoid presenting interpretations of the statement that are not logically drawn from the statement itself. This has not been the case.

Our statement treated three basic aspects of the problem: compulsion, sectarianism and the role of the teacher as prayer leader and religious instructor. The draft policy statement was submitted - which was adapted from policy statements of neighboring districts - would prohibit the teacher or other public employees of the school system from conducting prayer or religious instruction in any of the aspects of convocations and assemblies, but it would in no way prohibit any child, of his free will or on the request of his parents, from the recitation of a grace before or after a meal nor would it prohibit the inclusion of a period of silent meditation at the start of the school day, for each child to use in the manner he sees fit. The policy would assure that the beliefs and practices of no family in the district are made a matter of ridicule or disdain by any teacher or administrator.

Apparently the interpretation you have given to the statement was also the conclusion drawn by some of the School Board members. In as much as the School Administration neglected to inform us that the matter was on the agenda of the November 12 meeting, we were not present and could not correct these erroneous conclusions. We, incidentally, regard the failure of the Administration to inform us the matter was to be discussed as a serious breach of common courtesy. We also regard the actions of the four members of the Board in refusing to request that the Administration draw up a policy, in writing, as contrary to all established principles of good government and sound business practices. Other districts have faced the problem - it is high time that we did the same, regardless of its "difficulty."

Very truly yours,  
Dr. and Mrs. Martin E. Guckstein

### Public 'Thank You'

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your cooperation in helping the Farmington Historical Society in their recent exhibit in the Farmington Library on November 11.

The struggle of this Society in preserving items of the past for future generations to help in teaching our common heritage, requires a community effort.

We would like to extend our appreciation to all that participated and especially to the following people who so generously loaned family heirlooms for the exhibit: Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCracken, Mrs. George Guldemeister, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Button, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Gibson, Mrs. William Slocum, Mr. Harley Walters, Mrs. George Otis, Mr. Henry Trombley, Mrs. Howard Bond, Farmington Players, Mrs. Stephen Drege and The Friends of The Library.

Sincerely,  
Mrs. Eugene L. Brunk and Committee



GROVES-WALKER POST Commander Gordon Harlan (L) presented Legionnaire Jim Nourjian with a life membership to Farmington's American Legion Post 346 at a special dinner honoring the World War I veteran held recently in the Legion Memorial Home on Grand River. Nourjian has been an active Legionnaire for more than 40 years and a member of the Groves-Walker Post since 1939.

## Groves-Walker Post Honors Jim Nourjian

James M. Nourjian of Thom-1931, and paid dues there until July, 1939, when he joined Groves-Walker Post No. 346 in Farmington.

Nourjian served as Finance Officer for 3 years; Adjutant for 3 years; Commander for 2 years; Boys' State Chairman for 2 years; Americanism Chairman for 12 years, and has been active in all the functions of the Post.

When the Memorial Home was to be built, Jim was one of the most active supporters. He served as Treasurer of the Board of Trustees for 8 years.

### Economic Com. Terms Extended

Members of the City's present Economic Development Committee were all appointed to serve another one year term, with one exception.

James Pepper who had indicated earlier that he would not be able to serve longer was replaced by Roger Walker of 22890 Manning.

### Building Plans

(Continued from Page 1-A) ion as well as the Council if itself.

The leg of the "Y" at the other end of the building will have area for the City's fire trucks and fire fighting apparatus as well as storage area and shower room. A square room for the public safety department and volunteer fire fighters will also be located in this portion of the building.

### Northwestern Hwy. Scene of Car Crash

Northwestern Highway was the scene of another auto accident this week in Farmington Township which resulted in injuries to two drivers at that highway's intersection with 13 Mile Road.

Leo O. Nye, 64, and Mae Nye, 64, were driving east on 13 Mile and struck a car driven by Henry Small, M.D., of Detroit who was driving southeast on Northwestern. Farmington Township Police said Nye admitted failure to stop at the intersection. The accident occurred on Sunday, November 18, at 2:45 p.m.

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## Suggests Steps To Prepare for Yule Mailing

Postmaster Henry Trombley launched his 1962 Yule Early for Christmas Campaign this week by offering some helpful suggestions to guide you in planning your Christmas mailings this year.

Bring your Christmas card and gift lists up-to-date immediately. Be sure each address is complete, with full name, street and number, city, zone and state. Avoid abbreviations of city and state names.

Send your Christmas cards by first class mail, using the new 4-cent Christmas stamps, to secure priority of dispatch and delivery, forwarding with an additional charge, and return to you without cost, provided you put your return name and address on the envelope. Also, Christmas cards sent First Class may be sealed and carry written messages.

Separate your Christmas cards into Farmington and other bundles, using the handy labels you can secure from the Post Office or your letter carrier.

Stock up on the new 4-cent Christmas postage stamps. They will "dress up" your Christmas cards and gift packages.

Schedule your Christmas mailings to that your cards and gift packages going to most distant points are mailed by December 10. Mail Christmas packages for local destinations by December 15, and by all means, be sure to mail your Christmas cards for friends and relatives in this area at least a week before Christmas.

Use air mail for Christmas cards and gift parcels for distant points, especially for your last minute mailings.

A gable is the triangular wall of a roof enclosed by sloping ends or the end wall of a building, the upper part of which is a gable; sometimes over a door.

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## Farmington Acres News

MARGE STOCK GR. 6-3489  
IRENE WALKER GR. 6-2330

The "Fiendish Finnessers" from Livonia at The Cloverlans, they were among the lucky ones to be awarded prizes of a Turkey for their high averages.

Nancy Smith celebrated her tenth birthday with a "Cake Bake" for her friends. Scott Straine is sporting a brand new "racer" as a direct result of being 11 years old.

The only member of our girls and his dept: this week is little Maureen Stock, who now knows what an earache is all about. Happy to report she is feeling much better, although mama is tired out from spooning medicine every few hours.

We'll be waiting to hear what you did on Thanksgiving day besides eat, that is!

Also busy with Thanksgiving preparations is Pat Clouse. She and hubby, Roland, will be entertaining Mr. and Mrs. John Shields, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clouse and Mrs. Buist.

KEN OSBORNE and Bill Oakes made it easy for their families to enjoy a nice plump turkey on Thanksgiving day. At their Friday Night mixed bowling League, were the Oakes and Osbornes joined friends

Wine, woolen goods, cattle, ceramics and building stone are exported by San Marino, a small independent republic near Italy's Adriatic coast. The population is about 14,000.

Irish liberation from British rule was achieved as the result of a rebellious struggle extending over several centuries.

TRY A CLASSIFIED AD

## City Hearing

(Continued from Page 1-A) ask questions about the proposed moving of the house. Among them was Michael Hand of 31247 Cass Court, an attorney, who brought out the fact that provisions of the City's ordinance had not been followed to the letter.

It did not appear that most present at the hearing were there to object to the house moving but rather to learn more about what was proposed in the moving, before voicing any opinion.

Obtain all the information they want since they will have time to longer before the necessary steps can be taken to hold another hearing. Whether or not this delay might prevent Wyman from closing a sale on his property at Farmington Road and Alta Loma was not discussed.

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## The Old Timer

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