

Robert Nelson Reconsiders, Will Run for Twp. Justice of Peace

Robert H. Nelson, the Township Justice of the Peace whose term of office is expiring this year stated Monday that he had reconsidered his decision not to seek reelection.

He filed for his second term as a Republican on December 31. The term is four years. Many people asked him to reconsider his decision, after reading the article in the Enterprise in early December, he stated. He did so, reversed his decision and filed petitions containing 272 signatures.

After taking office as the successful Republican candidate in 1959, Judge Nelson curtailed his civic activities. This is required by the Canons of Judicial Ethics adopted by the Supreme Court. He has, however, as a local judge, been serving on the Greater Farmington Youth Guidance Committee and the Northwest Traffic Safety Committee (serving southeast Oak

land County, including Greater Farmington).

IN THE YEARS before 1959, however, Judge Nelson was very active in civic affairs in Farmington Township. Besides working in the Normandy Hills Association, the Kendallwood Association, the former Farmington Township Civic Association and the former Greater Farmington Chamber of Commerce, he served as the secretary, and then as the president, of what he calls the "venerable" Farmington Township League of Subdivision Associations.

He assisted in the organization of the Briar Hill Association, the Franklin Forest and Fairway Association, the Holly Hill Farms Association, the Orchard Meadows Association and the Westbrook Manor Association.

Judge Nelson was an Eagle Scout, an Asst Scoutmaster, a naval officer who landed in Normandy on D-day and was employed as a Certified Public Accountant with Peat, Marwick, Dick & Co., Detroit.

FOR THE PAST eight years he has practiced law in Oakland and Wayne counties, his office being located in Westwood Center in Farmington Township. Judge Nelson graduated from Harvard Law School and also holds a master's degree from the Harvard Business School. He has been a member of various professional committees and has had two professional papers published in national journals.

He and his wife, Sibby, have lived in Farmington Township for almost seven years. She has been active in the Torch Drive and other charities. His daughter, Ingrid, was born on the night of the organization meeting of the Kendallwood Association (when he was scheduled for work as chairman of the by-laws committee). Ingrid is now a first grader at Woodlake School.

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Kendallwood News Bits

JANICE HAYDEL
GR. 6-2288

They are ours. They belong to us. Three hundred sixty-five days to do what ever we want to do with them. They can be the most satisfying ever, we can fill each one with usefulness, friendship, beauty, love and warmth. Let's make the most of this new year.

Many of our Kendallwood families welcomed loved ones home for the holidays or traveled to share the seasons blessings with family and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kull of Farmerville Rd. were happy to have son, Charles home for a fourteen day visit. Chuck is in the U.S. Army at Ft. Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Kay and Bill Goeble of Farmerville Rd. had to add a leaf to the table for their Christmas dinner when son, Dick, daughter, Nancy, and her husband, John, were home. Dick is in his junior year at St. John Military Academy in Dela Field, Miss. Nancy and Don now reside in Kalamazoo, Michigan where Don is a student at Western Michigan University.

Projects in the Farmington area. The hostesses at the ten open houses did a marvelous job as each home was a masterpiece to behold.

DADS OF BOY SCOUT TROOP 265 are reminded of a committee meeting to be held on Monday, January 7, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mr. Louis Beall, 33379 Heathstone Rd. Try to start the new year with perfect attendance.

Happy Birthday Barbara Conley, January 1st was the day.

Verda and Jack Elliott of Leamington entertained on New Years Eve. Members of their bridge club made up the guest list.

Elaine and Bill Dempster entertained their neighbors on Farmington Rd. on New Years Day. The highlight of the day was the serving of a delicious milk punch, a recipe the Dempsters brought to Michigan from Syracuse, New York.

Speaking of recipes: Chuck and Jo Owen have one that dates back to the days of George Washington! They serve "Fish House Punch" to deceive! Sir Walter Scott.

During the new year I would like to hear from more and more of the people in Kendallwood. If you haven't called me lately, please do. If you have, please call again. "You all" call - GR 6-2288.

THE FURLONGS VISITED with friends and relatives

At Home in Old Homestead

Jacqueline Davis
GR. 4-1230

Our new year is now three days old. Are you remembering the date on letters, checks, etc? This is a problem that will plague many of us for some time. How lucky we will be if that is our only problem in the coming year.

Were you short a chair at those holiday gatherings? Shirley Simmons reports that chairs were left at her house when the men gathered for the stag party last fall. She would like to return them to their rightful owners, so stop by if you are not sure what happened to that chair.

BELEATED BIRTHDAY wishes go to Linda Braun who became fifteen on Monday, December 17, to Nancy Preston, seven last Thursday, Susie Zeglen, five on Sunday, and to Mary Sue Wiedman, who became seven on the last day of the old year.

Three of our couples celebrated wedding anniversaries during the holiday period. Harry and Kay Steele, observed their fifteenth anniversary two weeks ago today. It was twelve years for Dick and Ann Frank last Friday, and twenty years for Bing and Doris Wiedman on Saturday. Congratulations to one and all.

Frank and Dorothy Furlong arrived home on December 21 after a three week vacation in Florida. Among the spots they visited were St. Petersburg Beach, Port Charlotte, Miami Beach, and Fort Lauderdale. They naturally visited many of the tourist attractions, Bush Gardens, Cypress Gardens, Silver Springs, and the Bok Tower to mention only a few.

The sun shone brightly every day of the three weeks, however the highest temperature was only 72 so they did not do any swimming. Frank and Dorothy saw some of the areas which suffered frost damage, however they visited an orange grove which had not been damaged and were able to purchase several bushels of oranges to bring home.

They were impressed by the machinery which is used in processing the fruit. The oranges are washed, waxed, polished and graded as to size all by machinery.

IN Florida and even looked up the retirement property that several of their Michigan family and friends had purchased sight unseen. They mailed their Christmas cards from Florida, which helped make them anxious to get home before the holidays got underway. The last day on the road they drove into a sleet storm, and of course snow when they arrived in Michigan.

Sledding still ranks high with the kids in the subdivision. If any one has a wooden saw horse that he would be willing to loan for use by the sliders it would be greatly appreciated by both the drivers and the parents of the kids. At present the warning horse is placed so that it faces traffic approaching the area on Paddockford from Lyman. A horse is also needed to warn drivers at the other end of the area. Strangers and delivery truck drivers are not as familiar with the sledding area as the residents are. To my knowledge accidents have been limited to bruises received from occasional collisions with a tree or the ditch. Lets keep it that way.

May each of us have a happy, prosperous, peaceful new year.

With each returning year, higher joys, holier aims, a purer peace and diviner energy, should freshen the fragrance of being.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The Post Office continued to set new records in mail volume during fiscal 1961. A nationwide Improved Mail Service program started to expedite delivery of first class mail by urging early in-the-day mailing.

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