

Metropolitan Bank Deposits Up 39.7 Pct.

The annual shareholders meeting of Metropolitan National Bank of Farmington took place at the banking house on Wednesday, January 26.

The shareholders re-elected all directors. They are Frank D. Boynton, Hassen J. Carroll, William J. Conroy, Wilbur H. Davis, Malcolm J. Delaney, M.D., Thomas A. Duke, Edward B. Emery, Charles J. Ghesbre, Curtis H. Hall, Henry M. Hogan, Jr., Louis J. Lavigne, Norman B. Lawton and William M. Skillman.

PRESIDENT Louis J. Lavigne reported that deposits during 1965 increased \$1,573,824.41 or 39.7 per cent. Total Resources were \$6,104,171.31 as compared to \$4,447,949.55 in 1964, an increase of \$1,656,221.76 or 37.2 per cent. Total Loans were \$3,182,012.06 as compared to \$2,481.07 in 1964 representing an increase of \$1,107,130.99 or 55.6 per cent.

Following the adjournment of the shareholders meeting the newly elected directors met for the organization meeting of the Board. The Officers of the Bank for 1966 are as follows: Thomas A. Duke, Chairman of the Board; Louis J. Lavigne, President; Edward B. Emery, Vice President; Jerald H. Reckler, Vice President and Credit J. J. Nymber, Cashier.

In addition to the officers the full and part time employees are as follows: Eleanor M. Oberman, Barbara Jean Shotwell, Francis Lou Russell, Helen Adams, Genevieve E. Currie, Bonnie B. Findlay, Jane Hoppstadt, Sharon Lee Polak and Louis J. Lavigne, Jr.

OBITUARIES

FLOYD S. OAK

Mr. Floyd S. Oak of 30831 Penridge Road in Farmington Township passed away on Wednesday morning, January 26, in Harper Hospital, Detroit, following an extended illness.

Floyd S. Oak was born June 7, 1915, in Carrollton, Kentucky the son of Ora and Eliza Smith Oak. He attended school in Kentucky and on May 21, 1939, was united in marriage to Evelyn Norvell in Napoleon, Ohio.

Mr. Oak was co-owner of the Supreme Tri-Bit Manufacturing Company in Livonia. He had been a resident of Farmington Township for the past seven years and had previously lived in Southfield for ten years. He was a member of the Church of the Redeemer in Southfield.

Mr. Oak was a member of Highland Park Lodge No. 468 F.&A.M., the Modern Temple in Detroit and the Scottish Rite, Valley of Detroit. He was also a charter member of Farmington Elks Lodge, B.P.O.E. No. 1986.

Mr. Oak resided in the Thayer Funeral Home until Saturday when funeral services took place at 1 p.m. in the Church of the Redeemer with Rev. R. Blanchford and John Slater officiating. Interment followed in Acadia Park Cemetery in Birmingham. An Elks Lodge of Sorrows was held on Thursday evening and the Masonic Memorial Ritual was held on Friday evening in the funeral home.

Surviving besides Mrs. Oak are one daughter, Mrs. Janis L. Fisher of Mt. Clemens, Michigan; and three sons, Robert D. of Southfield, Lance D. and Graham C. Oak, both of Farmington. He also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Temple Hanks of Lexington, Kentucky and Mrs. Itha Ogden of Carrollton, Kentucky; and one brother, Clarence Oak of Livonia. Two grandchildren also survive.

Coop. Nursery Program Set

Dr. Armin Grams, child psychologist from Merrill-Palmer Institute, will be guest speaker at the annual husbands' Night program of the Bulman Cooperative Nursery School, set for 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 10, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church in Livonia.

His topic will be "Sex and the Pre-School Child."

DR. GRAMS, a graduate of Northwestern University, has been with Merrill-Palmer Institute of Human Development and Family Life since 1962 and presently is head of its human development program. He also is coordinator of the Institute's parent education activities and is a certified consulting psychologist for the State of Michigan.

The nursery currently is accepting applications for its 1966-67 school year. To be eligible, pre-schoolers must be three or four years old by Dec. 1 of this year. Former members will be given preference until May 1, and after that applications will be accepted in the order received, with the two classes limited to 25 children and an even balance sought with boys and girls.

Parents interested may call the Bulman membership chairman, Mrs. Philip West (GA. 7-681).



A SOCK HOP ATTRACTED OVER 400 area students to the Our Lady of Sorrows High School gym last Thursday night with a "Battle of the Bands" contest featuring the Callenies, Marauders and Cars drawing a enthusiastic response. The balloting went in favor of the Callenies who collected a \$75 prize. The Future Medical Careers Club of

OLS sponsored the dance and will use the proceeds to help with their varied projects which include support of UNICEF and a Christmas program for the aged at Villa Francesca. Many of the Club's projects are aimed at preparing members for careers in medicine.

Local Teacher To Conduct Europe Tour

Mrs. Florence Coveyou, teacher at the Beechview Elementary School, Farmington, will conduct a National Education Association (NEA)-sponsored tour to Europe this summer.

Mrs. Coveyou will join the tour group in New York, where the tour will originate. The NEA group will be composed of public school and private school educators from all parts of the United States. This tour will provide the participants with an economical, high-quality trip with major highlights such as London, Amsterdam, the Black Forest, the Alps, Venice, Florence, the Riviera, the French chateaux country, and Paris. Academic credit or in-service credit is available from cooperating colleges and universities.

Mrs. Coveyou is a qualified educator who can help participants interpret and evaluate their experiences. She has been directing NEA groups to Europe since 1960. Her leadership of a 1965 tour, identical to the 1966 tour, was highly successful.

Women of WSU Plan Meeting

"How Safe is Your House?" is the question to be put before members of the Farmington-Livonia Women of Wayne State Alumni Club at their mid-winter meeting Tuesday, Feb. 8.

The meeting will be held at 8 p.m. at the home of club president, Mrs. R. Dewey Hansen of 31821 Bobrick in Livonia. The speaker will be Inspector Newstead of the Livonia Fire Department. He will point out common and often-overlooked fire and accident hazards in homes and suggest safety rules and devices.

THE CLUB INVITES all women in the area who have graduated from Wayne State University or attended classes there to attend the meeting and participate in its program.

A fund-raising theater party is planned Friday, Feb. 25, at the Farmington Players Barn, Twelve Mile and west of Orchard Lake Road, when the Farmington Players present the comedy "George Washington Slept Here."

Proceeds will go toward the WSU revolving scholarship fund and to finance the club's local service project, assisting needy families in the Farmington area.

Tickets are \$2 for all seats and may be obtained from Mrs. Betty Zann of 31718 Summers in Livonia (GA. 2-9414).



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Kendallark Chorus Performs For Kings Daughters & Sons.

Farmington's Kendallark Chorus, under the direction of Mr. George Asseman, performed for the Kings Daughters and Sons Home For The Aged on Friday, January 28.

The program included such favorites as "Hello, Dolly," "Tea For Two" and "Chim Chim Cherree." The women also presented variety acts that included a medley of moon songs sung by Marian Spencer and Betty O'Connor; "Angel Eyes" by the quartette, Albert Button, Mary Martin, Margaret Marlowe and Maria Spencer; "Blue Room" by the trio, Sue McCallum, Marlowe Belanger and Marian Spencer; "Michael Row The Boat" and "Camp Town Ranks" by the Hootin' Anlies.

SOLOISTS WERE Grace Coffman who sang "One Fine Day," Eleanor Catherine who did "Hard Hearted Hannah" and Betty O'Connor who sang two original popular songs, "Lately" and "Treasure Love," written by Mr. Lee O'Connor. Piano accompanists for the evening were Sue McCallum, Olga Miller and Mr. Lee O'Connor.

THE KENDALLARKS are now preparing programs for the Pontiac Coin Club on February 17 which is sponsored by the Pontiac Parks and Recreation and for the Catholic Women's Study Group, League of Catholic Women, February 21. Elections were held at the Kendallarks' business meeting, January 11. The officers elected were Betty O'Connor, president; Fay Williams, Vice President; Joyce Gregory, Sec.

Golden Age Club Has Good Turnout

The Pioneer Golden Age Club of Farmington held its first sock-luck luncheon of the year on Wednesday, January 26.

A large turnout made the event a huge success. The group heard Father John, O.P., of Mary Knoll speak on conditions in China, where he was a prisoner for two years.

John I. Bain, assistant prosecuting attorney of Oakland County, spoke on tax relief for the elderly and answered many questions.

Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Duell of Orchard Lake Road. New members are Mrs. Mabel Shewell and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Lyons of 32560 11 Mile Road.



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Eastern Star Honors Masons

"Top Hats and Masonic Aprons" were the theme for Chapter 239 Order of Eastern Star's recent meeting honoring the Masons.

A hilarious play "The Masons Meet" which was presented by members of Tuebor Chapter No. 518 was greatly enjoyed by the 90 guests in attendance.

WORTHY MATRON Margaret Williamson presided, welcomed the visitors and presented "appropriate" gifts to the Worshipful Master and Masonic Guests.

Worshipful Master Charles Yelutsky introduced his officers who were present. They included Donald Smith, Sergey Forbaska, James Williamson, Wayne Derby, Paul Miller, James Dyer, and Edward Hammond. Mr. Hammond is Dam Advisor to the Order of DeMolay.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thomas, Guardians of Farmington Bethel No. 55, represented the Order of Job's Daughters.

Refreshments were served following the festivities by the luncheon committee. Esther Dorset, Shirley Terrill, Gladys Thomas, Mary Legg and Ann Lair.

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Detroit Mayor To Speak Here

Detroit Mayor Jerome Cavanagh will be the featured speaker at a joint meeting of the West Bloomfield and Farmington Democratic Clubs scheduled for 8 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 9, at the West Bloomfield Township Hall, 4460 Orchard Lake Rd. near Walnut Lake Road.

CAVANAGH, who was recently re-elected mayor of Detroit, has been mentioned prominently in state Democratic circles in relation to his possible

Plan Blue Star Chpt. Meeting

The Blue Star Mothers of America, Chapter 49 of Farmington, will honor the Gold Star Mothers on Feb. 9 at 12:30 at the home of June Koehler, 23020 Mayfield Ave. in Farmington.

For reservations call: Mary Jo Brown (GR. 4-5623), Catherine Byrne (GR. 4-2404), or Marjorie Stevenson (GR. 4-3384).

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE - SCHOOL VEHICLES
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The Board of Education of the Farmington Public School District will receive bids Two (2) 1956-60 passenger Ford School Buses - standard transmissions at the Administration Building, 32500 Silwassee, Farmington, Michigan until Wednesday, Feb. 9, 1966, 4:00 p.m.

At that time bids will be opened and read aloud.

Detailed specifications may be obtained from J. M. Read, Assistant Superintendent at the Board of Education office, GR. 4-1050.

All proposals should be firm for a period of thirty (30) days after the reading of the bids. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to waive any informalities therein.

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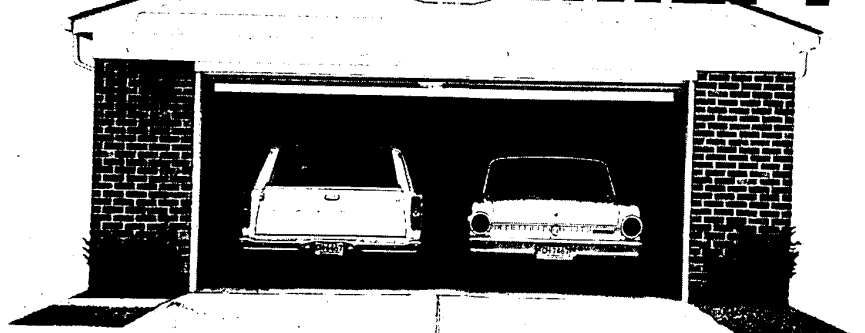
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