

Township and Dettore To Drop Court Case

The Observer has learned that the court case between Farmington Township and the Louis Dettore Construction Co. will be settled out of court.

Farmington Township Supervisor Curt Hall said that an agreement was being worked out by the attorneys to settle the case out of court and that no judicial settlement on the part of the Township was involved.

Dettore charged that the Township had not awarded a contract for a sewer project to the firm when it was the low bidder.

It also charged that the Township allowed the Zeff LaDuke Construction Co. to alter its bid after all the bids had been opened.

Township officials say that LaDuke Construction Co. is the lowest and most responsible bidder by the Township Engineers, Pat Hinz and Bogue.

Oakland County Circuit

Judge William J. Beer had ordered a pre-trial hearing last week and he continued a temporary injunction against the Township restraining any work on the project.

Last week he denied a motion for summary judgment in the suit at the Circuit Court.

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acting in the best interests of the people of Farmington Township.

When asked if this was legal and if so was it ethical he replied "If you want to put it in that light the City and its land is legal, but it's not ethical."

Farmington Township is currently undergoing extensive work around the Township Hall for landscaping and considering the partitioning of the meeting hall for additional office space.

In fact the Township officials are more than a bit crowded. At the last meeting of the Board the Trustees authorized him to obtain the figures and to proceed with providing office space in what is now the Board meeting room.

When this happens the Board will be forced to find new quarters to hold its sessions and those of the Planning Commission. One of the schools will probably be rented for this purpose.



JOHN E. ATKINSON of 21621 Lamar Drive, Farmington has been assigned new duties as electrical equipment and station engineer for Detroit Edison's general engineering department. Atkinson holds degrees from the State University of Iowa and Wayne State University.

City Foregoes Radio Show

The voices of City Manager John Dinan and Mayor Wilbur Brotherton will not interrupt the music over Station WYATK this year during the holiday season.

A year ago they accepted an invitation to extend the City of Farmington's greetings over the air waves for a fee.

This year the invitation was extended again, but the fee was raised.

The City Fathers agreed that the money could be spent to better advantage. So the City Manager and the Mayor will be able to save some Christmas and enjoy the music.



RONALD G. J. TIPPING has been named assistant secretary of Farmington, Inc. in Farmington. He will continue his present responsibilities as personnel manager of the company and secretary-treasurer of Caribool, Inc. in Farmington and Farmington Ltd. of Toronto, both subsidiaries of Farmington.

Township Seeks Contractor

Much like the proverbial Little Bo Peep who lost her sheep, Farmington Township is encountering similar problems with its rubbish collector.

The company—Tringalli of Southfield—hasn't been heard from for the past several days.

In the meantime local housewives are bombarding the Township Hall with complaints about poor service and asserting that their trash is overflowing.

Farmington Township Supervisor Curt Hall told The Observer that he understood Tringalli's truck was out of commission for a few days, but that no one at Township Hall had heard from the firm.

"We are making every effort to have the rubbish collected at the earliest possible date," Hall said.

How does that nursery rhyme end . . . "Leave them alone and they'll come higning, wagging their tails behind them" . . . enough said.

Farmington Camp Fire Girls Busy

Farmington's Merry Campfire Girls of the Camp Fire Girls are busy making Christmas presents for their parents. During the month of October they visited the Kenda Nursing Home and sang songs.

O-K-i-Gi Girls held a ceremonial Dec. 7 at the home of the Kulls. Parents were present to see the girls receive beads and special awards.

The O-K-i-Gi Junior High Girls celebrated Halloween at the home of Leader Mrs. Marilyn Waite, while members of the Horizon Club conducted their annual Arts and Crafts Sale at the Kenda Shopping Center.

Concert Scheduled The Farmington Junior High School music department has scheduled a Christmas Concert for 8 p.m. Dec. 13 at the school gymnasium. Both the band and orchestra will play, while the choir will sing. Tickets may be purchased at the door for 50 cents.

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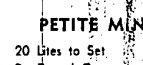
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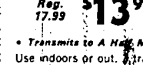
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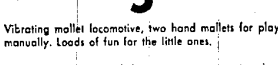
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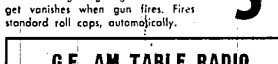
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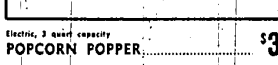
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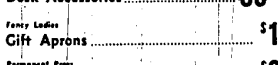
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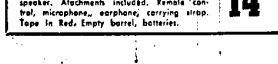
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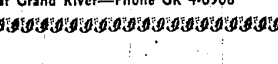
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