



# School Bus Chassis Bids Taken

Bids for eight school bus chassis were opened at 4 p.m. Friday afternoon by Assistant School Supt. James Read.

Five bids were submitted, but the bid by O'Green Ford, some \$700 lower than the highest bid, was discarded because it failed to meet school district specifications.

Hall GMC, Inc., submitted the high bid of \$3,983 for one unit, \$31,864 for eight units.

Next lowest bid to O'Green Ford's unit price of \$25,913.20 was Town and Country Dodge, which bid \$28,289.20 for the total package or \$2,336.15 per unit.

A decision will be made by the Board of Education at its meeting Monday night, Feb. 26.

# 13 Place As Merit Finalists

Thirteen students from Farmington High School, two from Farmington High and 11 from North Farmington High, have advanced to the final stage in the National Merit Scholarship Program's testing program.

The 13 are now eligible, with 14,000 other finalists, to compete for college scholarships in two categories: 500 awards of \$1,000 and 2,400 four-year scholarships ranging from \$50 to \$1,500.

Farmington High School finalists are Bethany Smith and William Bailey.

Those who will compete from North Farmington include Mary Heinzen, Larry LeBlang, Michael Martin, Andrew Mitchell, Thomas Mohr, Kenneth Rogers, Shira Young, Allan Barak, Kish Kastenada, Lynn French and Robin Gephart.

# Farms People Have Fun

Residents of Quaker Valley Farms gathered in the Holiday Inn in Southfield recently for their annual dinner dance.

Preceding the candlelight dinner, guests were greeted by the subdivision association president, Jack Humphries.

Co-chairmen of the dance were Barbara Humphries and Claire Orleans.

Additional committee members included Mr. and Mrs. Dave Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Zoeders, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ellsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Hagen Hedfield.

Mrs. Yates entertained the group with a song telling of living-on-the-trees, hills and streams of Quaker Valley. And among the guests at the affair were Joan and Dick Moore, Ruth and Bill Kurick, Joanne and Charles Sullivan, Joseph and Jane Majorana, Perc and Edith Parker, Agnes and Cass Plagems, Rosemary and Stan Emmeri, Mercedes and Ron Buck, Hansens, Mike DeFazio, Lars Olsons, Gwen and Mike Tomkow, the George Bobalkos, the Bill Frizzellis, the Harold Mitches, Marcia and Jerry Brumm, Bobby and John Chasey and Dee and Jay Pease.

Theresa and Roy Kaschky entertained the party-goers with coffee in their home after the dance.

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Scott and Deryl Daggett's birthdays are a day apart so they combined their celebrations and had a bowling party and refreshments. Then several of the guests, the Blows boys and Barbara Lewis, stayed for the weekend and saw old friends in the neighborhood.

Another birthday party was on Feb. 10 for Phillip Denaro with his birthday really falling on Valentine's Day. The following weekend wasn't as much fun because he went into the hospital and had his tonsils removed.

Valentine's Day means another birthday for Dorothy Preston too, while Rita Weber held out candles on Feb. 15 and 16 and had a party.

A scrumptious cake on Feb. 17 (being our champion cake decorator of the neighborhood).

The truck drove off with Wicklanders furniture Feb. 14

It wasn't just cold-it was bitter, bitter cold on the Boyne

# Wood Creek Farms

ANNE M. PHILLIPS  
MA. 6-5335

I think all Wood Creekers know how popular the Perry's are in the winter time. Ann had asked the big boys not to play hockey until 5:15 p.m. in order to give the little boys a chance to skate. I am sure we have all seen boys, big and little skating there and Duane scraping and clearing the ice.

When those teen-age boys came on Valentine's Day with a big box of candy she asked them if they understood her request. They did. Then, to increase her surprise, the first arrived and on the card accompanying the flowers, were the names of all the hockey players.

Ann wants to express her sincere thanks to this group of fine Wood Creek boys, and wants them to know she and Duane are glad they have the pond for them to use.

CONRAD AND MARIAN Lam flew to Guadalajara, Mexico, the fifth of February to attend the convention of the Medical Society of the U.S. and Mexico.

Conrad had been invited as guest speaker and gave three papers while there.

Following the convention they went to Chihuahua as guests of Dr. Pedro Leal. Dr. Leal had been a resident in Conrad's department at Ford Hospital the previous year. His father, brother and he operate a hospital in Chihuahua. Conrad, of course, gave a talk to that staff which was greatly appreciated.

The most exciting event of this trip, for Marian, at least, was when they were taken in a light, single engine plane, for a flight over Cabreda-Cobra-Copper Canyon-which is reputed to be 2,000 feet deeper than our Grand Canyon. They flew home Feb. 13.

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# Brnar Hill NEWS

Highlands last Saturday where Marilyn and Walt Daggett were skiing. They joined a group of friends for the weekend up there and on Sunday the skiing was much more enjoyable.

When a certain gentleman on the corner of Beantree and Briarton goes to learn to quit playing sports with his son and his son's friends? I now hear he has a fractured shoulder as a result of one of these games and I can remember this summer when he had to miss games in the softball league for this same reason - "Is it fragile bones or age?"

Some of you may have missed the column for the past several weeks - there was none simply because no one called with any news. I am very happy to write the column so won't you please

CONGRATULATIONS to Elaine Braunreuther on the announcement of her engagement to Robert Norman. They plan to be married this summer.

Sunday at 8:30 p.m. will find the Andridges in front of the television set. Their son, Ricky Andridge, is to appear on the program, the Mothers-in-Law, and they aren't sure when so no phone calls please till after nine.

The night was cold but 17 members came to the Book Club meeting the night of Feb. 12, and two guests. Hostess Ginny Bleh served refreshments, a business meeting was held and Rita Weber did an excellent job reviewing two movies she most heartily recommends in the softball league Seasons' and "Camelot."

BABY SHOWERS are delightful and Ginny Robb, of Beantree, gave one last Saturday afternoon for a family friend. Ginny's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gillem, have been in Florida since November and don't plan to return until April 1.

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SHEIK OF ARABY-That is the role Dwayne Perttunen took in Larkshire School's "Sing Me A Rainbow," a concert of songs and dances from around the world held Thursday afternoon and evening in the school.



AH SOO!-Lynn Kirby (left) and Laura Stomber exchange Japanese greetings as they took part in Larkshire School's "Sing Me A Rainbow" last Thursday. Fourth, fifth and sixth graders at the school presented the program of ethnic songs and dances from around the world.

# YGC Report Reviews Delinquency Statistics

The annual report of the Greater Farmington Youth Guidance Committee (YGC), indicates little change during 1967 in the three major areas of offenses committed by youth in the local area.

Offenses against property went from 48 to 52 per cent from 1965 to 1966; against society from 43 per cent in 1965 to 38 per cent in 1966; and against persons from nine per cent in 1965 to 10 per cent in 1966.

Leading the list of offenses were 80 of the miscellaneous offenses committed against society, 60 cases of theft from cars, about 58 of malicious destruction of property and a few less of runaway cases.

THE HIGHEST NUMBER of offenses continue to be committed in January, April and September.

"High incident" areas, designated in the report are Drake and Orchard Lake Rds., bounded by 10 and 11 Mile; Orchard Lake and Farmington Rds., bounded by Nine and 10 Mile; Middle Belt and Farmington Rds., bounded by Eight and Nine Mile; Haggerty and Halstead, bounded by 10 and 11 Mile; Farmington and Inkster, bounded by Nine and 10 Mile; and Farmington and Drake, bounded by Eight and Nine Mile.

The YGC annual report lists successes for the group in some instances, disappointment in others.

A success has been the increase in allocated city and township funds by 50 and 60 per cent, respectively.

As cited by case work committee chairman, Dr. Sanford Bloomberg, a disappointment was "the frequent finding of parents unable or unwilling to deal effectively with their children."

ANOTHER disappointment was the failure of the committee to gain support for an all-out community program.

As conceived by the YGC, this project would have led to total use of school facilities for recreation programs for adults and youth.

The YGC spent most of 1967 working for a community program with hopes that maturing funds could be obtained from the Mott Foundation.

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