

GOERS, FARRELL NEAR COMPLETION OF BASIC TRAINING

Private Clayton Goers, Jr., son of Mrs. and Mrs. C. H. Goers of 21416 Roosevelt Street in Farmington, and Private Patrick Farrell, son of Mrs. Eleanor Farrell of Greening Street, are nearing completion of a 16-week training cycle at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, with a unit of the 6th Armored Division.

As trainees, they received eight weeks basic training in the fundamentals of Army life and the use of infantry weapons. They are now completing an additional eight weeks engineer training.

Competent instructors are teaching them the use of pioneer and power tools, construction of fixed and floating bridges and related subjects besides additional combat skills.

At the end of the 16-week training cycle with the famed "Super Sixth" the men completing training at Fort Leonard Wood will be sent either to specialist schools or sent as replacements to other units.

Electric utility power plants consumed more than eight million tons of coal in July, according to the Federal Power Commission.

NORTHSIDE NEWS

By Mrs. Harley Dix
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Mrs. Carl Duquet of Greening and Mrs. Charles Henyan of Lexington did some Christmas shopping last Wednesday morning and then were luncheon guests of Mrs. A. Kouba of Middlebelt Road in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kovarik and their four children, Lynn, Patricia, Kathleen and Lauraine, have just recently moved into our neighborhood on Bartlett. Mr. Kovarik is originally from Redford. Mrs. Kovarik is the former Phyllis Martin of Grand River and a Farmington High School graduate. Their last residence was in Brown City and because they lived in this vicinity for a number of years they are looking forward to seeing old friends and renewing friendships. At present Mrs. Sarah Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Kovarik's grandmother from Peck, Michigan, is visiting at their home.

Mrs. Harry Eymon of Wellington Drive and Mrs. E. L. Dwyer of David Road are two of the neighborhood women who have generously devoted some of their time in tak-

ing the Bond School children to the free dental clinic for work on their teeth. Here is a wonderful opportunity for women with a little free time in the afternoon to do a worthwhile service for their community and its children. Anyone willing to do this service on Thursday afternoon in Royal Oak can do so by calling Mrs. Roy Larch at Mayfair 6-3265.

Tuesday afternoon last week Mrs. C. Grant Heiker and Mrs. Al Barney of Rollcrest were in Royal Oak where Mrs. Barany is taking a Brownie leadership course.

Mrs. Joyce Wilt of Detroit was a visitor at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lambert, on Bartlett last Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson of Orchard Lake Road entertained guests last Sunday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. James Ulbrich of Detroit.

Mrs. W. Chapp and daughter Carole and Louise Duquet, all of Greening, were in Detroit Thursday of last week.

Rita Hoskinson, daughter of the Ivan Hoskisons of Clairview, is recovering nicely from chicken pox. Sunday visitors at the Heiker home on Rollcrest last Sunday were Mrs. Trellis Pierce of Highland Park, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Owens and their three children from Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schervert and their four children of Wyandotte.

The Bond School PTA has completed plans for an informal Christmas meeting Monday, December 17, at 5 p.m. in the Bond School. Plans for the evening include a group of songs by the girls' choir of the United Missionary Church on Stansbury in Forest Hills Subdivision. There songs will be "Was It A Dream" by Jacobus, "When Jesus Meets The Soul In Prayer" by James Reid, "Make The World A Better Place" by Lida Leach, and a group of lullabies including "The Christmas Lullaby" by Charles Gabriel, "Bring A Torch" by Jeanette Isabella and Luther's "Away In The Manger". Following this the entire group will join to sing Christmas carols. The meeting will be based in a house party theme including the playing of games of our and other lands. Refreshments for the evening are being taken care of by the Second Grade Room Mothers. Can we count on seeing you among those present? We can promise you a very enjoyable evening.

One ton of bituminous coal is equal to 10 barrels of gasoline in energy content.

Obituaries

Kurt R. Wagner
Mr. Kurt R. Wagner of 28255 Park Hill Avenue, Farmington Township, died Tuesday morning, December 11, at the Highland Park General Hospital following an extended illness.

Kurt Robert Wagner was born in Detroit on June 11, 1908, the son of Hugo and Augusta Dickman Wagner. He attended the Lincoln High in Ferndale and was married in that city in 1931 to Miss Mary Rangus. Mr. and Mrs. Wagner had lived in Farmington for the past two years, coming here from Clawson, Michigan. Mr. Wagner was employed by the Detroit Steel Products Company.

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Thayer Funeral Home with Rev. Anthony Bellegante from the church of Jehovah's Witnesses in Garden City officiating. Interment took place in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens.

Surviving Mr. Wagner are his wife, Mary; two sons, Bradley and Curtis; and his father, Mr. Hugo Wagner of Ferndale, Michigan.

TN. Sgt. Francis F. Fox
TN. Sgt. Francis F. Fox, son of Mrs. Mary Fox of 21645 Jefferson Street, Farmington, was killed November 13, 1951, when the C-53 "Flying Boxcar" on which he was a flight mechanic crashed into a mountain side in France. The plane was enroute from Wiesbaden, Germany, to Bordeaux, France, carrying 36 men aboard to organize a motor pool. All the men in the plane were lost. Another Michigan soldier, Sgt. Ramon L. Deken of Adrian also was reported killed in the crash.

Sgt. Fox had been in the Army since 1941. For the past three years he had been stationed at Rhine Main, Germany. He was killed in Farmington most of his life and attended Farmington High School.

His body is expected to arrive here about December 20th at which time funeral arrangements will be announced by the Thayer Funeral Home.

Surviving besides his mother are two sisters, Mrs. Effie Silver of Farmington and Mrs. Mildred Hixon of Pennsylvania, and two brothers, Richard of California and Ernest of Detroit.

SOMETHING DIFFERENT

It is the unexpected which fascinates us as we open Christmas gifts. That is why the "woman who has everything" is deeply touched with a gift of appliance cake, a jar of homemade mincemeat or a tiny jar of jam with your own little verse or greeting attached.

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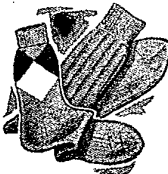
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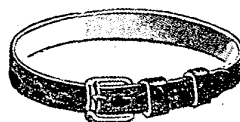
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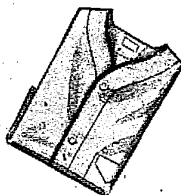
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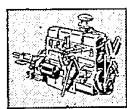
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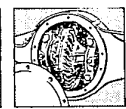
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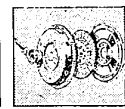
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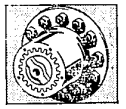
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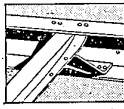
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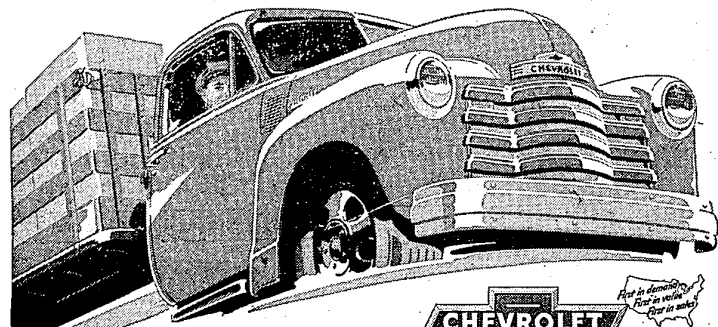
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