

# Daniels Den

By EMORY DANIELS

## Heather's Partner Needs Help Too

If your thoughts have grown staid, you might want to consider for awhile the plight of the unwed father in today's society.

The topic was discussed last week when I visited the Michigan Children's Aid Society state headquarters in Farmington. The modern headquarters sits off Grand River in a clump of trees on the old Smith estate.

Other members of the round-table discussion were Al Morris, state director of the society; Phyllis Cornell, state director of casework services; and Dick Miller, public relations director for the Children's Aid Society.

YOU CANNOT talk for long about child adoption without mentioning unwed mothers. And mention of unwed mothers leads naturally to unwed fathers.

For years our society has mourned for the unwed mother. Heather must display her red "A" and the wearing of it symbolizes the emotional anguish which can accompany the arrival of an illegitimate child.

We accept the plight of the unwed mother and recognize she has problems to bear. But the unwed father escapes our recognition and we assume he has no great emotional woes.

But not so. Today, social agencies are putting more and more emphasis on programs to help the unwed father. Although



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# analysis

## Eight Tons Earn Praise

For the past couple of weeks, The Enterprise & Observer has enjoyed the pleasure of printing headlines in bold print telling of the good people who have done.

It's encouraging to write about good things when they occur because it uplifts one's faith in humanity. Recent headlines have told about a clothing drive originated in Farmington Township to aid victims of Hurricane Camille.

The dailies were running countless stories of death and destruction delivered by Camille. But this staff probably would never have learned to spell Camille had it not been for two township housewives, Mrs. Charles Brown and Mrs. Edward Eickhoff, who decided to help.

The results of their efforts and the work of many volunteers have been reported in detail. But now more credit must be given. True charity is spontaneous and comes from the heart. Charity is not given for self-reward but because a need and solution is recognized.

The ladies and workers did not contact this paper, but instead The Enterprise & Observer learned of their efforts from a source not connected with the drive.

The eight tons of clothing sent to Mississippi was a tremendous result for a spontaneous drive and speaks well for the Farmington area.

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## local news

By MARIE LONG GR 4-3114

Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Hatfield of Redford Township announce the birth of a daughter, Deborah Lynn born July 4 at the St. Joseph Hospital, Royal Oak, weight - 6 pounds 4 1/2 ounces.

She was welcomed home by brothers Mark and Steven, maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Goodhue and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Hatfield, both of Farmington, Richard graduated from the Farmington High, class of 1967. Martha graduated with the class of 1965.

MRS. RUDOLPH Sell of 23304 Brunswick was recently elected chairman of the alumnae council of the University of Michigan.

The council coordinates the work of all local alumnae groups and provides services for disadvantaged women in the field of scholarships and housing. Mrs. Sell

has served on the council board for many years.

A welcome is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Findlay, formerly of Livonia who have purchased the Collingwood Apts. on Oakland Ave. They reside at this address.

Mrs. Helen Abramson, Mrs. Gertrude Chambers and Mrs. Elizabeth Lintz all of Farmington, new to Winnipeg, Canada where they attended an engineering (Society convention.)

RONALD KUDLA a graduate of Farmington High and Ferris Institute, who has received a bachelor's degree in pharmacy and masters at the University of Michigan, is presently working for Merrill Company in Cincinnati.

Ronald plans on entering University of North Carolina in September to get his Ph.D. He taught at the University of Michigan for one year.

Former residents Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Le Maus, now of West Covina, California, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Sept. 13 in St. Christopher's Catholic Church in West Covina. A very happy anniversary to a fine couple.

Come join us at the drop-in center for our Senior Citizens' Meetings and Wednesdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Masonic Temple, Farmington Road at Grand River.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND

Estate of CLARENCE MYERS, Deceased. It is ordered that on October 13, 1969, at 9 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Pontiac, Michigan a hearing be held at which all creditors of said estate are required to appear and file their claims, in writing and under oath, with this Court, and serve a copy upon Norman E. Clayson, Administrator, 1077 Edgely, Farmington, Michigan.

Publication and service shall be made as provided by Statute and Court Rule. Dated: August 18, 1969. NORMAN E. CLAYSON, Judge of Probate.

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# Does Bigness For City Create Less Efficiency?

By JOHN ALLEN

(The following article is written by City Councilman John Allen, local architect, who is a spokesman for a city group of residents called WE which has formed to voice opposition to the consolidation question. The views expressed are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect those of this newspaper.)

The role of the satellite city is not one of competition or duplication. It is one of support and participation with the major metropolises in order to flourish and encourage the development of the core city for the benefit of everyone.

We are dependent in many ways on the city of Detroit. Its prosperity and development must be of great concern to every suburban citizen. There should be no doubt that the continued development of large competitive suburban communities are rapidly depleting the capabilities of the metropolis to function efficiently and effectively. Ultimately, the continued development of these large suburban communities can only shift the problems to the suburbs - not solve them.

Unscrupulous large business interests, land developers and speculators feed on the unreasonable exodus of the metropolis, not looking at the in-filtration of unscrupulous commercialism and industry and for the debris left behind. The continued development of the giant sprawling, underdeveloped, interrelated, throbbing suburban ring city, planned by expedience not prudence, destroys the health and vitality of the core city and ultimately will destroy itself. The city of

WITH THE proximity of a major metropolitan area, the proper and most successful role of the suburban community is to provide an environment of compatible groups of people desiring the conveniences, services, personal attention and protection only a small community can afford.

## Mrs. Colyer U.F. Leader

FARMINGTON Mrs. Robert M. Colyer of 22905 Hayden has been named to a leadership position in the 1969 Torch Drive residential campaign.

The Farmington homemaker will serve as a division chairman responsible for conducting a canvass of Farmington apartments during the 21st annual United Foundation drive.

The campaign, scheduled Oct. 14 through Nov. 6, will attempt to raise \$28,975,000 for nearly 200 health and community services in Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties.

Mrs. Colyer was a doorbell ringer in the 1968 residential campaign and is a member of Alpha Chi Omega Sorority, Farmington Jaycee Auxiliary and the Historical Preservation Committee.

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tomorrow must recognize its proper role and quantity.

THE FUTURE of the Farmington of tomorrow cannot accede to the pressures of promises, pie in the sky ambiguities.

The people have made the present city of Farmington a successful, competent, and efficient community. Financially, our projections show a predictably prosperous future for the next 10 years. In that time our efforts will be devoted to continually better planning, a program of practical renewal, concentration on selectivity and

control of our future development. Better zoning and better enforcement are our goals, not participation in a game of chance as the outmoded partner of an unpredictable and doubtful adventure.

It is true that citizen participation, commercial cooperation and good government are of prime consideration. It is also true that we do experience an alert, concerned and useful population. Many businessmen have shown real interest in the healthy development of our community. Our government, though small, is accessible and responsive. All of us, past and present, have contributed to a healthy and successful community. We choose to direct our own future when we vote against consolidation.

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Dr. Roderick Smith, superintendent of schools, spoke on concerns, goals and areas of study in the elementary schools at the morning workshop held at William Grace School.

Attorney Robert Thru spoke on legal considerations for administrators during the afternoon session.

Marinus Van Ameyde, assistant superintendent for instruction, and the district's new administrative interns were guests at the workshop.

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