

NOVI SCHOOL NOTES

There will be a supper given by the Novi School at the hotel Friday of this week. Supper will start and continue until all are served. This supper is to be given to raise money for graduating exercises. Come and take your supper with us. Admission will be 50c and 35c.

Novi lost two baseball games within the last week. One to New Hudson and one to Keego Harbor. Two more weeks of school. Everyone is working hard in order to pass his grades.

The new president of our citizenship league is Dorothy Vogt. The Novi School is planning a picnic for the last day of school at some nearby lake.

CUT IN HUDSON PRICES

The decided cut in price of Hudson cars has caused a big demand for early deliveries, says W. H. Hart, of the Hart Motor Sales. There is now a shortage in the supply on hand, which is sure to soon become more acute. Those desiring a Hudson for this season's use are advised by Mr. Hart to get their orders in at once.

F. W. C.

The Farmington Women's club will have an "Open Day" meeting Wednesday, May 13 at the Farmington Community Hall at 2:30 p. m.

Mrs. Frank Hubbel, of Milford, will give a talk on her trip around the world. The public is invited.

DEATH OF MRS. BEN COURT

The death of Mrs. Ben Court occurred Monday in Lansing. Mrs. Court was formerly Miss Lida Farrington of Farmington and a sister of Mrs. Newton Roy. The remains were brought here and buried in the West Farmington cemetery, Thursday afternoon.

The Misses Ellen and Louise Perry will spend Saturday in Detroit. They will visit the Detroit News when Miss Loetus ETAD News where Miss Louise, eighth grade, will be presented with a Standard Dictionary which she won in the spelling bee at the Fairview school.

Ada Mary Button was the champion at the West Farmington school to win the International Atlas of the World.

Miss Louise Perry won the dictionary in the eighth grade at the Fairview school.

CONFERENCE WEEK FOR M. A. C. ANNIVERSARY

Commemorating significant dates in the history of the Michigan Agricultural College, a special series of conferences has been called by the state board of agriculture for the week of May 13. The college was first opened for students sixty-eight years ago on May 13. The date being known as "Founder's Day."

A number of important anniversary dates are included in the list to be recognized during the week. They will include: the 7th anniversary of the passage of the act establishing the college; the 40th anniversary of the inauguration of a course in engineering; the 30th year of the home economics course; the 30th anniversary of the passage of the law establishing a state-wide system of Farmers' Institutes; and the 10th anniversary of the acceptance of the Smith-Lexer Act by the State Legislature, and the consequent inauguration of the present state-wide system of extension work in agriculture and home economics.

The special conferences, called in recognition of the anniversaries and to plan programs for the future, include:

Conference on Engineering Education and the relation of the college to the industries of the state—May 13 and 14.

Conference on the education of women and on the civic and social interests of farm women—May 13 and 14.

Conference on extension work and continuing education—May 14 and 15.

Conference on rural community organization—May 15 and 16.

A special radio program, planned for alumni and friends of the college, will be broadcast from the college station, WKAR, on Wednesday evening, May 13, at 8:00 o'clock eastern time. An address by Pres. Kenyon L. Butterfield, and music by student organizations will feature the program.

The name of the college will also change officially on May 13 from Michigan Agricultural College to "Michigan State College of Agriculture and Applied Science."

A general invitation has been issued for all those interested in the subject matter of the conferences to gather at East Lansing for the meetings.

Try an Enterprise Liner.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the council held May 4, 1925.

Trustees present, Johnson, Bickling, Lamb, Cook and Warner. Called to order by President Wilber.

Minutes of the last regular and special meetings read and approved.

Following bills were read and allowed:

- George Grant\$85.40
Harvey Blough70.83
Diernan Kreager83.88
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Frank Steffens65.00
Eugene Edwards2.00
Clyde Adams65.00
Olin Russell53.97
Mark C. Wikom, gravel332.50
Smith Praywell2.85
Detroit Edison337.12
Lee & Schroeder11.10
William Ringle41.00
Orville Taggart120.00
Lee Hardware7.75
N. H. Power51.50
John E. Bice17.30
Clyde Adams1.50
Farmington Enterprise11.60
Auto Shop11.60
Detroit Lead Pipe Works93.19
D. U. R.5.47
Farmington Lbr. & Coal44.67
Farmington Hardware Co.117.04

Moved by Warner and supported by Lamb that the health officer be instructed to investigate the outside toilets in the village and if found in unsanitary condition that the same be condemned and the owners ordered to put them in proper condition at once. Carried.

Moved by Cook and supported by Warner that water committee arrange for the painting of water tank on Cemetery Hill. Carried.

A proposition to incorporate the village as a fifth class city was discussed. This is to be done under the Act of 1923, giving home rule to cities of that class. The project was favored by the entire council and steps will be taken to place the matter before the voters without delay.

By Bicking that May 11, 12 and 13 be clean-up days and all rubbish be placed in sacks and non-returnable containers and put where village truck can pick it up without difficulty. Carried.

Moved by Johnson and supported by Lamb that street committee be authorized to negotiate with the owners of the property at the junction of Brookdale avenue and Adams avenue to secure right of way for street opening at that point. Carried.

Moved by Warner and supported by Cook that in the future all water bills be sent to owners of property where the water rate is to be collected. Carried.

Moved by Bickling and supported by Lamb that light committee be instructed to make arrangements with Detroit Edison Co., to install two street lights on South Power avenue. Carried.

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Adjourned.

N. H. POWER, Clerk.

Pioneer Memorial

A new national monument created in 1923 is known as Pipe Spring. It consists of an old stone fort and spring of pure water in the desert region of Arizona and serves as a memorial to early pioneer life.

GRANT FIRST DAIRY PERFORMANCE RECORD

First certificate awarded in the new Record of Performance, inaugurated recently by the dairy department at the Michigan Agricultural College for cows under association test in the state, goes to Mr. E. B. Loche, Central Lake, a member of the Antrim County cow testing association.

More than 800 applications have been made by members of cow test associations for the record of performance certificates. To qualify, cows under three years must produce 280 pounds of butterfat; under four years, 310 pounds butterfat; under five years, 350 pounds; and over five years, 400 pounds butterfat.

Mr. Loche's cow, winner of the first certificate granted, had a record of 484 pounds of butterfat for the association year.

Commercial Item

Mrs. Smith stepped into a hardware store at the corner to purchase seven eighths of a yard of olecloth. Mrs. Cohen, the storekeeper's better half, waited upon Mrs. Smith. Poor Mrs. Cohen, after puzzling a bit over the seven-eighths, stepped to the back of the store and called, "Papa, vat is seven-eighths?" Mrs. Smith wants dat much by the olecloth. The answer came back promptly: "Ma'am, tel her we hain't got dat; she better take a yard 'unt a quarter."

Jewish Farmers

There are in the United States 70,000 Jews on farms. They are especially numerous in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Michigan, Ohio and California. There are 40,000 Jewish farmers in South America. Most of them in Argentina.

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VAIL MEDALS GIVEN TELEPHONE WORKERS

MICHIGAN BELL HONORS SEVEN EMPLOYEES FOR OUTSTANDING ACTS IN PUBLIC SERVICE

RISKED LIVES TO SAVE OTHERS

Seven employees of the Michigan Bell Telephone company, four women and three men, have been awarded the Theodore N. Vail bronze medal for 1924. It is announced by Franz C. Kuhn, president of the company. Letters of commendation for meritorious acts performed last year have been written eight others.

The awards were made for the performance of outstanding and unusual acts in the public service and in the application of practices and principles a knowledge of which was acquired in the line of duty. The medals are given as follows:

Eula M. Diem, operator, Marine City.

Yvonne E. Farman, operator, Marine City.

Elsie A. Feltler, night operator, Mt. Clemens.

Maxine Turner, operator, Carleton. Nathan C. Strong, plant man, Hillsdale.

Frank W. Mikolajeska, cable splicer, Detroit.

James W. Ryckman, plant man, Detroit.

The citations announced by the Committee of Award, Theodore N. Vail Medal, show that in each case the act meriting presentation of the medal, while performed in the line of duty, was not required by duty but was inspired by unselfish devotion to public service and humanity.

Eula M. Diem and Yvonne E. Farman were working at their switchboard in the Marine City central office, early the morning of January 6, 1924, when fire started in an adjoining building. They notified the city officials and fire department and business people whose properties were threatened, and called nearby towns for assistance in fighting the blaze. Not until the central office was in flames, did the two brave young women leave their posts.

ttempted burglary and the capture of all but one of the band of criminals.

Maxine Turner, whose mother is the operating agent for the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. at Carleton, stayed at her switchboard, during the dark hours of the morning of July 25, and, by her calls to townspeople and to the fire departments of nearby communities for aid in a fire emergency, saved the business section of Carleton from destruction.

Nathan C. Strong, of Hillsdale, in charge of service maintenance saved the life of a janitress, September 10. The woman's clothing had taken fire and Strong succeeded in putting out the flames. He was badly burned.

Frank W. Mikolajeska, of Detroit, saved the life of a drowning companion at White Lake, on August 3, 1924. The victim of the accident had gone down the second time before Mikolajeska could reach him. Artificial respiration, practice of which was learned in the telephone First Aid course, restored consciousness.

James W. Ryckman, hearing cries of distress from the City of River Mt. Clemens, the morning of July 4, rushed to the bank of the river, and seeing a woman's hair floating on the surface of the stream, plunged in and saved the life of the victim.

The eight letters of commendation, inspired by unusual performances in the line of duty but not sufficiently outstanding to call for the medal award, were written to the following:

Lee O. Gallagher, lineman, Flint, for attempting to save the life of a fellow employee who was electrocuted when he touched a live wire.

Evelyn Giles, operator, of Ponton, prompt action in a fire emergency.

Joseph Wagner, formerly a cable splicer's helper, Detroit, for saving a little girl from probable drowning in the Fox Creek canal.

Andrew Johnson, installation foreman, Detroit, who, through the practice of artificial respiration, restored to consciousness a laborer employe of the Detroit City Gas Co., who had been overcome by gas in a trench.

Gordon L. Mast, lineman, Battle Creek, for an act similar to that performed by Mr. Johnson.

Mrs. Clara Armstrong, operating agent at Athens, for prompt and intelligent action in connection with an attempted burglary.

Sadie and Daisy Cairns, operators, Farmington, for prompt and intelligent action when the Farmington State Savings bank was held up.

The Theodore N. Vail medal award was established four years ago by Mrs. Vail to perpetuate among the quarter million employes of the Bell System, the high ideals and perfect service of the System's former head.

A Home On Valley View Avenue Will be a Good Investment!

I have contracted to build four new homes on VALLEY VIEW or PROSPECT AVENUES. Six more wanted.

A splendid seven room home now nearly finished, will be sold at cost. This makes real opportunity. Whether or not interested in buying, your inspection cordially invited.

NOTE--Watch succeeding issues of this paper for prints and floor plans of these homes.

Leroy K. Fleming

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