

Civic Arena Hearing On Aug. 18 At FHS

FARMINGTON
Farmington city's proposal to build a civic arena on property presently owned by the school district will be discussed at a public meeting to be held at Farmington High School, 32000 Shawwassee at 8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 18.

According to proponents of the plan, the structure with a seating capacity of 3,000, an ice rink and adjoining meeting rooms cannot be built unless the six acres on Orchard Lake Rd. and Shawwassee adjacent to the high school are donated since land costs would make the undertaking prohibitive.

Given Medal

Coast Guard Petty Officer First Class Peter J. Murray, son of Mr. Justin H. Murray of 2870 Foxgrove, Farmington, was awarded the Army commendation medal during ceremonies at the Coast Guard Group, Ludington. He was cited for meritorious service during combat operations in Vietnam.



MYRON KOPIN, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kopin of 28539 Kirkside Lane, Farmington, has been selected to enter Michigan State College of Human Medicine this fall after completing three years of pre-medical schooling at Oakland University in Rochester. He was an honors graduate of North Farmington High School in 1967 and was awarded the Biological Science Medal.

The next council meeting is a very important one. It will NOT be the usual first Tuesday of the month which would be Sept. 1 but WILL be the second Tuesday, Sept. 8.

As usual, it will be in the Sarah Fisher Home at 8 p.m. Our village president, Bill Brown, is inviting every concerned resident to be present for a discussion of anti-litter and refuse burning. He wants opinions about an ordinance on this very important matter.

TUESDAY NIGHT the DAC bought out the Bob-Lo boat and amusement park.

A group of us enjoyed the ride down the river, the dancing on the boat following a hot dinner, and a couple of hours being kids again in the park. The trip back up the river was greatly enjoyed for the lights were beautiful and dancing wonderful.

Then Saturday evening some 60 guests gathered at Jim and Marilyn Brown's for a

Piasta Mexicano. It was a perfect evening.

Two Mexicans strummed and sang. The Mexican menu Marilyn planned and prepared was unusual and very delicious. It was an evening we will all remember as one of the most delightful of the summer

MAXINE CARLSON'S parents, Mr. and Mrs. Telford Fringle, drove up from their home in Seminole, Fla., arriving here July 28.

They, too, were here for the wonderful evening at Maxine's next door neighbors. But they

did leave Monday morning for Akron, Ohio, where they will spend another two weeks with another daughter, and then some time with relatives in Columbus before driving back to Seminole.

Our climate is now more enjoyable than the Florida we all enjoy going to in the winter time.

DAVE AND HARRIET Goldman have just returned from a wonderful two week trip to the Scandinavian countries.

Dave's sister, Mrs. Lillian Rubenstein, also of Farmington, accompanied them. An SAS plane took them to Bergen, Norway, where they met the other 29 members of their party plus their courier.

After two delightful days in Bergen they bussed around Norway's serpentine mountain curves, cruised through four breathtaking fjords, even changing boats in mid-stream of one to reach the small port of Balestrand where they boarded the famous "Flam" for a thrilling 12 mile rail trip over thundering waterfalls and through towering mountains to Myrsl where they boarded an express for Oslo.

Here they visited the Kongsfjell, the polar ship Fram, and visited the famous Vigeland sculpture park. They then flew to Stockholm, Sweden, to the sights offered in that beautiful city.

On the return they were met at Metropolitan Airport by son Alan.

Schools Buying Textbooks Back

FARMINGTON
The Farmington School District is now buying books for the coming term.

After a State Supreme Court decision requiring all school districts to furnish school supplies, the district has decided to purchase books currently in use and in reusable condition.

WILLIAM PRISK, business manager of the Farmington District, says books should be tied in bundles of not more than six. Sellers will be issued a receipt and a check will be mailed later.

Only the main bookstore at Farmington Junior High, 33000 Thomas, is accepting the books. The store's hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The problem which has thrown many districts throughout the state into a last-minute quandry about book distribution stems from the State Supreme Court decision requiring Ann Arbor schools to furnish textbooks to students there.

Other school supplies might also have to be provided to students, school officials say. Attorney General Frank Kelley is preparing an opinion of which supplies schools must provide.

The trustees ordered letters sent to state legislators from the area asking them to support emergency state funding to pay the extra expense of distributing books.

As trustee Gary Lichtman commented at the latest board meeting: "Unfortunately, we find ourselves in a bind. It seems like nobody knows what to do, especially us."

Trustee Aldo Vagnozzi was optimistic about the chances of emergency funding.

"I don't think its out of the realm of possibility because some 60 per cent of the school districts are in the same bind," the chairman of the board's legislative committee said.

local news

By MARIE LONG GR 4-3114

With the passing of Tom Isley, Farmington has lost one of its most loyal residents. Tom loved sports, was an avid sports fan and encouraged the young folks along this line.

1. For one, knew Tom since he was eight years old, and he always had that rosy smile and a "shock" of curly hair.

All who knew him over the years knew him as their friend. He lived in his home on Oakland since birth. Tom loved Farmington so much that his mother chose old North Farmington Cemetery as his final resting place, where his former school buddies carried him.

DR. AND MRS. ELIEZER MONGE, of Jamestown Apts., flew home last week from a trip to Europe. They visited Denmark, France and Spain.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Tobin, of Hemlock Dr., announce the birth of daughter Kathleen Maureen July 30 in Providence Hospital, Southfield.

Weight was six pounds, seven ounces. She was welcomed home by sisters Mary Kate, Peggy and Patty and brother Richard. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Margaret Tobin of Detroit. The father is administrator of the eastern

and western regions of Argonne Realty Division of General Motors Corp.

CARL AND ANNA DYAR of Walled Lake (old friends of many people in Farmington) have purchased a summer cottage in St. Helen. Carl and Anna both are retired after many years with Ford in Northville.

Mrs. Paul (Berniece) Lentz and daughter Joy of Chesterbrook spent a week at their farm in West Branch and visited her mother, Mrs. Ralph Priest, at Houghton Lake.

The highlight of Berniece's and Joy's enjoyment at the farm was climbing an apple tree to have their lunch.

Mrs. Priest, who is 81 years old will be taking a jet tour of the New England states.

Lawrence Rock of Argonne Rd., who recently came after a two months stay in Detroit Osteopathic Hospital in Highland Park, is now convalescing at home under the watchful eye of Mrs. Rock. We are glad to welcome him home again after his surgery.

MR. AND MRS. Frank Kittlas of Farmington are returning home recently from the Virgin Islands where they had a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Landquist of Kendallwood Apartments are formerly of Illinois. Mrs. Landquist is a national baton twirler and teacher. He is district engineer for Torrington Co. We welcome them to Farmington.

Mrs. Rolfe Smith of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Harley Walters of Oakland Ave. Steve Felt and friend Jim Boford of Oswein, Iowa, flew home Saturday after visiting with Steve's parents, Arthur E. Felts of Farmington Rd.

Mrs. C. A. Felt of Mendon, Mo., who has been enjoying a three-week vacation with her son, Arthur E. Felt, and family, left for home Monday. Felt is driving his mother back to Missouri. Mrs. Irene Felt and the family will keep the home fires burning in his absence.

Mrs. and Mrs. Mel Kennedy of Jamestown recently enjoyed a very pleasant trip through Canada.

More Phones

Spain had an estimated four million telephones in service at the end of 1969, compared with one million in 1955.

Hope Money

FARMINGTON
The City of Hope has been given permission to place canisters throughout the business area in the City of Farmington from Sept. 22 to Dec. 23.

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