

LICENSE WIRED ON LEADS TO ARREST AND CONFESSIONS

Tennessee Youths, Stopped By Deputies, Admit Stealing Automobile

The circumstance that the front license plate on their car was wired instead of bolted to the machine led to the undoing of two Tennessee boys touring this section, who are said by police to have confessed having stolen the automobile in the South. They were arrested and returned to Tennessee.

Deputies William Tamm and John Marck noticed the car, which carried an Ohio license, and they halted the pair. They gave their names as Ed McCarter, 21, Maryville, Tenn., and Robert Clemens, Mentor, Tenn. They admitted stealing the car in Maryville. The Ohio license plates are also reported to have been stolen.

They were charged with larceny of an automobile.

EIGHT GIRLS, FOUR BOYS, ENTER ESSAY CONTEST

Twelve essays have been submitted by Farmington High School boys and girls competing for the prizes offered by the Ladies' Auxiliary of Groves-Walker Post, American Legion, for the two best papers submitted on the American flag.

Eight girls entered the contest and four boys. Two prizes will be given, each of \$2.50. The judges are expected to complete their work at the end of this week.

Sponsors Contest On Construction Of Cars

A question-and-answer contest, with Oakland-Pontiac cars forming the subject-matter and a trip to the General Motors Proving ground at Milford and three cash prizes, as inducements, is being sponsored by C. H. Dunham, of Farmington, Oakland-Pontiac Sales.

Farmington school pupils will be given copies of the questions and answers to study, and will take an examination on them. Those earning a certain average will be taken to the proving ground for a tour, on Saturday, June 1. They will be asked to write essays on the trips and on Oakland-Pontiac cars, and three prizes will be given. Ten dollars will be given for the best five-dollar prize for the second best and \$2.50 for the third.

A special display of cars will be arranged at the showrooms to acquaint the contestants with the Pontiac cross-flow radiator, the mechanical self-energizing brakes and the various body types.

All Pontiac and Oakland owners are invited to make the trip to the Proving Grounds on June 1. The party will leave the Farmington School at 9 o'clock, and will be shown the big Proving Ground in detail, including speed laps, grades, etc., revealing features which show "why the Pontiac Big Six is big." Mr. Dunham states.

A fire department was organized in the Walled Lake Consolidated School Wednesday.

New Numbering Of Houses Is Underway

Numbering of houses in Farmington Township and City in accordance with the Detroit-Michigan Plan was begun Monday by The Detroit Edison Company. Rapid progress is being made, and many houses and business places bear the red markings placed there by guides to the men who will attach the aluminum markers.

New numbers have already been attached to the Farmington Detroit Edison office, which bears the number, 23622 Farmington road.

L. BEALS, NATIVE OF FARMINGTON, TAKEN BY DEATH

Four Days' Illness Of Heart Disease Proves Fatal; Deceased Was 61 Years Old

Following an illness of four days, with heart disease, LaMont Beals, 61 years old, native of Farmington died in his home at Drayton Plains, at 4:30 a. m. Thursday.

Mr. Beals was born November 3, 1867, and was married to Martha Warren, June 15, 1884. He attended school at Farmington and spent most of his lifetime in this vicinity. He was a carpenter and a farmer.

Surviving are the widow and the following children: Mrs. Frank Stowell, Grand Blanc; Mrs. Fred Woods, Flint; Mrs. John Stokes, Jackson; Mrs. Israel Smith, Clarkston; Mrs. Roy Deane, Flint; David, Drayton Plains; Mildred and Wayne at home; a brother, John of Pontiac; Jennie, Mrs. H. Greer and Mrs. Annie Chorty of Detroit.

Funeral will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. from the residence, with burial in Clarkston.

J. R. BRUMM OF U. OF M. GRADUATION SPEAKER AT FARMINGTON H. S.

Prof. J. R. Brumm, M. A., professor of rhetoric and journalism at the U. of M., has been secured as commencement speaker for this year. Because of the number of requests for his services, Prof. Brumm was secured with great difficulty.

NEW DANGER SIGNAL

A danger signal has been installed on the Vivier corner on the U. M. E. street, with a "catseye" glass which reflects a red light at night to warn the motorist driving toward Walled Lake from the West of the sharp turn. A great many accidents have occurred on this corner in the past.

Removing the litter from your back yard will do just as much to beautify your home place here as putting new curtains in the front windows.

NORTH FARMINGTON AUXILIARY MARKS 20th ANNIVERSARY

Accomplishments of Score Of Years Reviewed At Meeting; Attendance Large

The North Farmington Auxiliary held its 20th anniversary meeting at the home of Mrs. Marie Walters Tuesday. There was a very large gathering.

A program was given. Miss Elizabeth Kyle called the meeting to order and after business was disposed of, Mrs. William Irish gave an interesting history of the auxiliary's accomplishments in the 20 years. Mrs. Lulu Seelye offered two vocal solos and Mrs. Floyd Howard sang two solos with Miss Dorethea Kurtz accompanying her at the piano.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Shells, 1 and one-half miles north of North Farmington on Tuesday, June 18.

CAR PARTS ARE STOLEN

While he sat in his home on Shiawassee street Monday night, Ralph Auten had his car parked outside, stripped of spark plugs, coils and tools. The theft is believed to have been done by some lads having been seen leaving the neighborhood with something beneath their coats about 10 o'clock that evening.

DENIES NEW TRIAL

Justice E. A. Fink on Tuesday evening denied motions for new trials in the cases of William and Florence Halliday against William Newcomb. Attorneys for the parties came to agreement on juries a week ago.

SERVING SENTENCE

Paul Hight, 46, has started serving a term of 90 days imposed by Judge John J. Schulte following his arrest by Deputy Sheriff Lee Doyle and Ben Myers on a charge of vagrancy.

SPECIAL COMMUNICATION

A special communication of Farmington Lodge No. 151, F. & A. M., will be held Monday, June 3, at 7:30 p. m. with supper at 6:30 p. m. and degree work in the evening also. Work will be in the M. M. degree. Ralph Auten, W. M., James L. Hogle, Sec'y.

Another Success Is Achieved By Players

(Continued from page one) Other time, showed that the confidence that had been placed in them was well-merited. They contributed much to the success of the play, and equally effective in a similar part was Norman Barrons, Jr., younger brother in the other family, who showed that younger brothers are all alike.

"The young man" himself was well played by P. Owen Pauline, who was at his best in displaying intense disgust when his mother, played by Dorothy Ingalls, turned the tables and started to sing the praises of her child, just as his sweetheart's mother had done a short time before. This proved one of the best moments of the play.

Cast again for what appeared on the program as a minor character, Adeline Wixom showed that she possesses unusual talent for the type of part which every comedy must have. As the ignorant but well-meaning dressmaker who brings the marriageable young lady's dress in late, while the young man is waiting for her, and in the vernacular, "spills the beans" she did her part so well that she excited the audience burst after burst and well-merited applause.

The play was enjoyed throughout, particularly the last two acts. The close of the second act left the audience in gales of laughter.

Attendance Tuesday evening was rather small, but those present had apparently "spread the word" Wednesday that the play was highly enjoyable, and ticket sales jumped Wednesday. Total attendance for the two nights was about 250.

The play was directed by Dorothy Ingalls, and the entire production supervised by C. Gerald Parker. Robert Cook was stage manager, and William Pauline Jr., master electrician.

Between acts Lloyd Pierson rendered a xylophone solo, accompanied by Alice Miel.

STARS GO TO MEETING

A number of Farmington members of the Order of the Eastern Star plan to leave Friday morning for Royal Oak, where they will attend a meeting of the County O. E. S.

LAST RITES FOR MRS. L. GOURLEY HELD AT PONTIAC

Former Resident Of West Farmington Passes Away After Long Illness

Residents of this section attended the funeral Wednesday of Mrs. Lucy Gourley, who died at Fort Hospital, Detroit, after a long illness, at the age of 64 years. The funeral service was held at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Gamble in Pontiac, with burial in Oak Hill Cemetery. Mrs. Gourley was born in Birmingham and lived several years in West Farmington. Mr. Gourley died about ten years ago.

Crops Suffer Heavily Due To Great Frosts

Members of the Farmington Township Board who compared experiences during the recent cold weather following their meeting Tuesday night, revealed the severity of the cold wave which has gripped this section during the past weeks.

That fruit throughout this section has suffered tremendously was generally agreed. Supervisor Harry N. McCracken reported finding ice in chicken-troughs regularly, and Justice Ward Eagle said that one morning a few days ago, he found the pump frozen when he went to draw water.

Crops of all kinds are reported to have been hard hit by the heavy frosts.

To sell what you don't want, or buy what you need try an Enterprise Liner.

Rabid Dog Creates Lots Of Excitement

Considerable excitement was caused in West Point Park Wednesday by a mad dog, which bit William Morrow, two-year-old baby, on the leg and Kenneth Wolfe on the hand.

The dog was captured by Harry Wolfe and its head sent to Anna Arbor for examination. Both children are being given treatments by Dr. J. A. Miller at Farmington.

State Officials Act On New Widening Plan

(Continued from page one) be ready within a few days, and inasmuch as a majority of the State Administrative Board are members of the Highway Committee which favored the plan Monday, its approval is regarded as certain.

Ends Frontage Troubles

The new plan eliminates practically all the difficulty that has been experienced in obtaining right-of-way along Grand River. For a large portion of the stretch, it will be unnecessary to obtain frontage at all, since the highway is already of sufficient width.

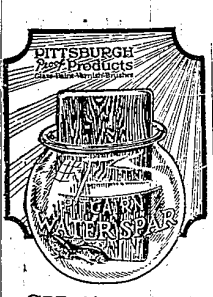
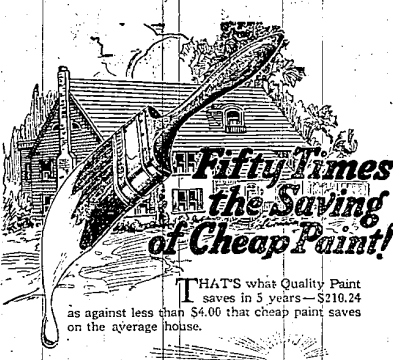
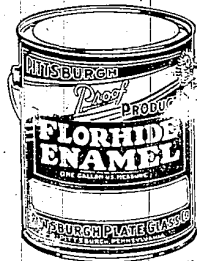
Present at the hearing were Chairman Luther Allen, Isaak Bond and Mr. Belknap of the Oakland County Road Commission, Supervisor Harry N. McCracken, Commissioners Emory Hutton, Amos Otis and Leo Gilchrist, Olin Russell, John Fitzpatrick, Charles B. Talbot, Howard Warner, Edgar S. Pierce, Howard McCracken, John Lathrup, Bernard Meyers, Judge John J. Schulte, and Norman Lee of Farmington.

Discuss New Cut-Off Route

Mr. Lathrup discussed both before the Administrative Board and the Highway Committee his suggestion that the cut-off be digested through part of his land west of Farmington, to avoid the objections of C. F. Smith, who opposes putting the highway through his estate. William E. Love, representing Mr. Smith, gave assurance that the latter would be willing to dedicate a portion of the frontage on his property for the road suggested by Mr. Lathrup. Governor Green directed that this route be stricken out, and indicated that the State officials would go over this proposed route.

The Farmington Exchange Club at its meeting Wednesday passed a resolution favoring the plan outlined by Mr. Belknap and requested Mr. Bond to forward a report of the resolution to Highway Commissioner Dillman at once. Mayor Arthur Lamb said that he would speak for the City to the effect that all of Farmington is in accord with the resolution.

The new "loop" at Five Points is being used to turn Detroit-to-Redford cars.



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