

DONDERO FIGHTS INCREASE IN AUTO TAXES



A fight against possible increase in gasoline taxes, in connection with the general boost in levies proposed to finance the defense program, is being made in the House of Representatives by Rep. Raymond A. Dondero, of the Seventeenth District.

TWO FARMINGTON YOUNG MEN M.S.C. GRADUATES

Two Farmington young men are among the 500 Michigan State College seniors scheduled to receive degrees at the eighty-third annual commencement of the College on June 14. They are Clyde Willis Burton, of Farmington Township, an engineering student, and Gordon William Hogle of Farmington City, a student in the liberal arts school.

EXTENSION GROUPS TO MAKE TOUR OF KITCHENS

The women of the home economics extension groups in Oakland County will visit various homes in the southwest part of the county, Friday, June 6, to see kitchens which have been remodeled. It was announced by Mrs. Lola T. Dudgeon, county home demonstration agent. Mrs. Dudgeon has supervised the modernizing of many of these kitchens.

give the men of the new Army that kind of environment. The program calls for the building of recreation clubs, outside the camps by the Government. The Government has already started to build more than 300 service clubs. The private agencies are just getting started.

Among the agencies, which have been grouped under the title "United Service Organizations for National Defense, Inc." are the Army, USO—are the Salvation Army, YMCA, National Catholic Community Service, YWCA, Jewish Welfare Board and the National Travelers Aid Association.

These agencies are those which outside the Red Cross, were most active in giving service to soldiers and sailors during the World War. Out of their experience in that war, they decided that a united plan and program, as well as a united method of raising funds, would be more acceptable to the American people in this emergency than the old World War setup.

The chief thing our new selective service army needs is a place for the men to go when they are on leave. More than 1,500,000 of our young men have been suddenly taken away from their home environments and influences. In a nation of people accustomed to going some place nearly every evening, at least every week-end, the restraint of military training leaves these men extremely desirous of finding entertainment when they are off duty.

friends would not approve. "We need to replace these influences with the influences of home and religion. Something must be done at once because, in the future of things the people who would exploit our service men are organized to get to the strategic places first."

The same situation applies, with only slight variations, to defense production areas in some parts of the country.

P.T.A. Chooses Program Theme For Next Year

"Keeping Path With America" was chosen as the theme of the Parent Teachers Association of Farmington for the coming year, at a meeting of the executive council of the organization on Monday evening. This theme will cover the building, development, and guidance of the character and activities of our American youth.

Hurry To Win \$25.00 For Cafe Name

You still have a chance to win the \$25.00 offered for the best name submitted for the new cafe to be opened at Farmington Road, near Grand River.

Mrs. F. J. Nash Hostess At Girl Scout Tea

The Girl Scout Mothers' Tea, to which Mrs. F. J. Nash was hostess last Friday afternoon, proved definitely one of the spring season's most delightful social events. The guests heard Mrs. Essery of the Birmingham Girl Scout Council, followed by an informal discussion of various phases of the Girl Scout program.

Girl Scout Cookie Sale Proved Huge Success

The May meeting of the local Council of Girl Scouts, held Tuesday morning at the Scout Hall, was devoted almost entirely to matters of organization business. Executive committee reports, as well as recommendations and suggestions, were heard and acted upon. A report of public interest was that of Mrs. F. J. Nash, who headed the Girl Scout Cookie Sale. This project was a tremendous success, and the generous cooperation of the people of Farmington is deeply appreciated.

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COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS
Regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Farmington held May 28, 1941.
Called to order by Mayor Pro Tem Hamlin.
Commissioners present: Bagnall, Hamlin, Hulet, Griffith and Otis.
The public hearing of the Annual Budget advertised under dates of May 15, May 22, 1941, for the purpose of giving the citizens and taxpayers the opportunity to offer any suggestions in regard to the various items, was adjourned at 10 p. m.
Motion made by Otis and supported by Bagnall to adjourn.
Delos F. Hamlin, Mayor Pro Tem
Harry Moore, Cleric.

CLARENCEVILLE STUDENTS PLACE IN POSTER CONTEST

Pupils of Clarenceville School, were among the winners in the 16th annual International Poster Contest of the Latham Foundation for the Promotion of Humane Education. It was recently announced from headquarters of the organization at Oakland, California.

DRIVE TO CARE FOR ARMY MEN BEGINS SOON

Farmington's participation in the national effort to care for the needs of soldiers outside the camp and maintain soldier morale, through the United Service Organizations, is to start soon. With a quota of only \$250 assigned for the entire Farmington area, it is expected that the community's portion will be raised without difficulty or delay.

Personnel of the committee is announced by Chairman Paul A. Paré as follows: Glenn Leland, Secretary; Al Ross, Treasurer; Leo Gildemeister, D. G. F. Weaver, Richard Taylor, George Doney, Carl Schultz, John J. Schulte, Jr. Others will be added later.

Directing activities for the USO in Oakland County is Frank Ruf, Secretary of the YMCA at Pontiac. A bulletin issued on behalf of the campaign says: "Most men in the new American Army are amateurs. They are in the service because an emergency has arisen in which it is necessary to defend the country. They came from all ranks of private life. When the emergency is over, they will return to their families and their particular niches. They are a different breed from professional 'rankers out on a spree.' If they are to have proper environment—recreational facilities—they won't go 'dropping down the ladder rung by rung.'"

The Government and private agencies are now combining to

WOULD RAISE SALES TAX

"If the federal tax on gasoline should be increased 1 cent per gallon, it would be equivalent to another 8 percent sales tax, which would mean that gasoline consumers would pay a total special sales tax of more than 46.7 percent. This tax rate is almost 4 1/2 times as great as that which Michigan citizens would be required to pay on such luxuries as furs, photographic apparatus, or musical instruments. If the proposed 10 percent defense taxes on these objects are enacted, it is almost nine times as great as the proposed tax rate on candy and gum.

Over 6,000 Posters Entered in Contest

Over 6,000 posters were entered in the contest from all over the United States, Canada, Hawaii, Jamaica, Venezuela and North West Indies. Many winning posters will be on exhibition in the San Francisco Museum of Art and the Y. M. C. A., San Francisco, during the month of May.

Saturday Last Day to Purchase Dog Licenses

Dogs will be more expensive in Farmington City after Saturday, or at least more expensive to keep if a license hasn't been obtained by that time. After May 31, dog license fees will double, according to a warning issued by Mrs. Avis Jamison, city treasurer.

STAGE HIT OPENS SOON AT CASS THEATRE

The Dorothy Gish-Louis Calhern company of "Life With Father," opening at the air-conditioned Cass theatre on Monday, June 2, will be enriched by the acquisition of three members from the Chicago company which closed on Saturday after establishing a new all-time record in that city.

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