

Around The Block

PAINTING THE TOWN

A crew of men are out to paint the City of Farmington, but in a sane and civil manner. Yellow lines are being marked on the pavement, along Grand River and Farmington Road in order to facilitate parking. These lines are being drawn parallel with the curb providing an area in which to park.

DOG BECOMES PAL

Last week it was stated in the Enterprise that a bull dog had crept into the office. It seems to have found the plant a pleasant place to spend the rest of its days, particularly the linotype machine. Besides making the plant its home, it has adopted Lawrence Kelly, linotype operator for its master. Because Lawrence has no proper place to keep the dog, he hopes that someone in Farmington can find a home for her. Just at 25 or drop into the office.

THIS MODERN AGE

The twentieth century is amazing. Imagine the surprise of some when they discovered that the telephone men were working on the road only because there are communication cables under the streets. Cute little equipment that they have parked near those open manholes. Wonder what they have in those little white tents?

DOE DAY

Repressed desires of some of Farmington's matrons are as unconventional as they wanted came to the surface Wednesday at the annual Doe Day, at the Glen Oaks Country Club. All were costumed. Wandering about the place were seen hula dancers, druce majorettes, gay little women, little girls, an Indian girl, a farmer dripping corn, cucumbers, straw and the like, from every pocket. One donner of an old fashioned dress with lace pantaloons played her a bores of golf with an old lace parson. Even Mr. George Ghand took the day off for golf and bridge.

It was strictly a feminine affair with even the manager being thrown out for the day. Those from here who attended were: Mrs. Harrison Johnson, Mrs. Harry Salow, Mrs. Alvin Hoyle, Mrs. LaVerne Turner, Mrs. J. Beresford Thomas, Mrs. John Shuts, and Mrs. Arthur Redmon.

MAN HURT

All summer the town has been overrun with Michigan Bell Telephone Company liemen. But there's one missing this week. Wendell Miller of Grand Rapids fell from his ladder Monday at the corner of Grand River and Taylor breaking one ankle and chipping bones in the other. He was treated by Dr. Aschenbrenner and then transferred to St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor.

IT'S ALMOST HERE

With that sharp nip in the air, stories of hail storms in Denver and considerable advance publicity, Santa Claus is beginning to show signs of opening up his work shop. Which only goes to remind everyone that there are only 76 more shopping days until Christmas.

Accident Saturday Damages Three Cars

An accident involving three cars occurred Saturday evening at 8:15 on Grand River avenue, in front of the Earl Vivier's line station. The automobile driven by Thomas Edwards of Farmington traveling west, struck the rear of a car operated by John Vornal. The Vornal car, in turn, struck a car owned by Leonard F. Ortwin. The Ortwin car was parked at the curb.

No one sustained any injuries, but all three cars were considerably damaged.

The liberty of a people consists in being governed by laws which they have made themselves, under whatsoever form it be of government.—Covley.

Court Handles Many Cases

The Justice Court for the City of Farmington has seen an unusual amount of activity this week, with quite a number of summons and warrants.

Herman Daskal, 5540 12th street, Detroit, failed to stop for a stop sign at U.S. 24 and 13 Mile Roads. He pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay \$5.00 costs.

Daniel A. Conroy of 3559 23rd street, Detroit, was found guilty of improperly overtaking and passing on U.S. 16, and was ordered to pay \$4.00 costs.

Earle Hamilton, 30826 Dawson, Garden City was charged with improper overtaking and passing on a hill on U.S. 16 in Novi Township. He was found guilty and ordered to pay \$5.00 costs.

Lawrence Shackelford of Wixom was ordered to pay \$5.00 costs for failure to stop for a red light due to defective brakes, at Novi Road and 12 Mile.

John LaSerna of United Aircraft, Bridgeport, Connecticut, was ordered to appear on a charge of reckless driving. He pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay \$10.00.

Charged with driving on an expired operator's license, Charles Williams of 23649 Millard, Southfield Township, paid costs of \$2.50. License revoked.

Roy L. Hamilton, 130 E. Buena Vista, Highland Park, was charged with driving an automobile while under the influence of intoxicating liquors. He paid \$50.00 fine and \$10.00 costs, and had his driver's license revoked.

Harold L. Burton, Route 3, Fenton, was charged with failure to stop at a red signal light, at Novi and 12 Mile Roads. He paid \$5.00. Russell Rozenboom, 33603 Grand River, Farmington was charged with improper overtaking and passing, crossing the double yellow line. He paid \$5.00.

Angus A. Browning, 12096 Hartwell, Detroit, was charged with going the wrong way on a one-way street, the Grand River Cutoff. He was found guilty and ordered to pay \$5.00.

Services Friday For Mrs. LaPearl

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 from the Thayer Funeral Home, for Mrs. Anna La Pearl, who passed away early Wednesday morning. Rev. Howard C. Busching of the Methodist church will conduct the services, with burial in North Farmington Cemetery.

Mrs. La Pearl, the wife of the late Louis La Pearl, was born in Farmington, later moving to Weldman, with her family. She then moved to Detroit, and for the past six years has made her home in Farmington. She lived for some time with her niece, Mrs. Arthur Lamb, and recently has made her home with Mrs. Rigler, on Grand River avenue.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Bertha Spilane of Detroit, and a son, Fred W. of Newport, Michigan. Also surviving are a sister, Mrs. Florence Bachelor of Farmington, and a brother, George William of Clarenceville.

MRS. ADA GOERS HEADS AUXILIARY DURING YEAR 1942

The Auxiliary of Groves-Walker Post of the American Legion held their election of officers, at a meeting held Monday evening, August 25, at the Legion Home.

Mrs. Ada Goers will head the Auxiliary next year, succeeding Mrs. Jean Niles. Others elected are Mrs. Rita Baldwin, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Hattie DeVriendt, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Josephine Lowe, Secretary; Mrs. Beatrice Carpenter, treasurer; Mrs. Katie Carrier, historian; Mrs. Elizabeth Schreiber, chaplain; and Mrs. Jeanne Muehler, sergeant-at-arms.

Members of the Executive Board this year are Mrs. Norine Plettenberg, Mrs. Helen Eisenlohr and Mrs. Lillian Trapp.

The new officers will take over their work on October 1.

STEPPING IN LINE

With America, The Farmington Enterprise, offers to the men of Farmington, serving their country in army camps or on board naval ships, free access to their home town newspaper. If you are interested in having a copy of the Enterprise sent free to your son, merely drop a card or call at the Farmington Enterprise office, giving us the name and address to which you wish the paper sent.

This plan is being carried on among many weekly newspapers throughout the United States in order that they may be of greater service to America and to the men in service.

Kiwanians Hear Vitamin Talk

Mr. Robinson of the Robinson Food Company was speaker at the regular meeting of the Farmington Kiwanis Club on Wednesday evening. Mr. Robinson gave a most interesting talk on vitamins, and the important part they play in regulating growth, acting toward the prevention of baldness and maintaining one's eyesight. Few persons realize the great number of physical defects and frailties that could be prevented by the proper amount of vitamins in the diet.

Delos Hamilton took charge of the meeting in the absence of Glenn Leiland, program chairman for this month.

A guest of the meeting was Mr. Roberts, postmaster of Beverly Hills, California, who holds an unbroken record for attending Kiwanis meeting each week for the past ten years.

Fred Hagall has been named chairman for the month of September.

Guests at the meeting next week will be the presidents, vice-presidents and secretaries of all the clubs in District One. They will provide the program.

It might also be mentioned, that anyone interested in actually hearing the outstanding guest speaker of last week, Mr. Fielder, he is speaking at a meeting of the Pon-tiack Club next Tuesday evening.

Will-O-Way Closes Sunday

Will-O-Way playhouse on Long Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills near Pontiac, will close its doors this season after the performance of "The Ninth Minute" Sunday evening. This musical comedy production, which C. Merrill has been running for two weeks to packed houses, Joseph Victor Laderoute who will be remembered as appearing with the Detroit Symphony is the young tenor with a magnificent voice who takes the role of Leibert in the Canadian cantata, plays opposite him in the role of Rose. Edward A. Ferguson and Hugh Davies of Detroit are comedians who provide plenty of laughs for this unique musical production founded on the character and folk tones of the Jewish people.

Miss Merrill wrote the lyrics and music, and her brother, William, did the dramatization and directing. It is a gigantic production for the little summer theatre on the estate of the Little Theatre on the estate of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. William O. Merrill.

The Youth Orchestra which Miss Merrill organized this year will play Saturday and Sunday afternoon at four o'clock at matinee concerts. Louis Belvedere came from Washington, D. C. to be violin soloist at the concert. One of her numbers is to be Mozart's Concerto in A Major.

Bring a picnic or let the Little coffee shop solve the food problem.

MILLAR-BEENEY

Paul E. Beeneey and Irene Miller of Clarenceville were united in marriage Saturday noon, August 23, at Novi. Rev. O. J. Lyon, pastor of the Highland Congregational church officiated. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Puter of Redford.

Staff At Walled Lake Announced

School Will Open Wednesday Morning

Supt. A. C. Hoffman of Walled Lake Schools announced his complete teaching staff this week, for the opening of school Wednesday, September 3, as follows: George E. Carpenter, principal; Iola Shipman, grade one; Jean Faucher, grade one; Permilla Lampman, grade two; Dorra Wood, grade three; Phyllis Hudson, grade three; Helen Thompson, grade four; Eleanor Dize, grade four; Margaret Wiedemeier, grade five; Eileen Rinke, grade five; Ruth Robinson, grade six; Russell Bowser, grade six; W. C. Proctor, agriculture; H. W. Hurd, athletics and shop; Irene Thaler, home economics; C. B. Guilford, social sciences; Evelyn Herscher, English; Frances Langbaum, English; L. L. Kladny, vocations and high home economics; Mary Watson, Latin and English; Paul Harling, math and science; Harold Noble, science and math; Jean McKale, commercial; E. A. Tode-schini, science and K. V. Emerson, social sciences.

Union Lake Teachers

At the Union Lake building the teachers are F. D. Chown, principal and grade five; Margaret Tuck, grade four; Eileen Chamberlain, grade three; Blanche Stewart, grade two; William Young, grade one.

At the Commerce building are Nina Haugh, principal and grades one and two; Phyllis Mason, grades three, four and five.

Special teachers include Frank Back, music in High School; Gayla Herich, music in grade; Evelyn Gray, art and Jane Ward, librarian.

Other personnel includes Mr. Hoffman, superintendent; Frances McKee, clerk; Henry Moss, custodian and superintendent of buildings; G. B. Thompson, transportation; David Smart, custodian; Alice Crocker, librarian; Glenn Moss, assistant custodian; Charles Beagle, assistant custodian.

High School Registration The pupils of the high school are asked to come to the school building on Thursday and Friday, August 28 and 29, to enroll. Programs will be available at that time and a complete check-up on all subjects of the four upper grades will be made.

Tuesday, September 2, will be spent in teachers' meetings and organizations and planning of the faculty.

Seventh and eighth grade pupils will be enrolled the first day of school, Wednesday, September 3. The many, however, buy their books prior to that time.

Pupils below the sixth grade will attend either the Walled Lake Union Lake or Commerce School depending upon their residence. There is no previous enrollment of the grade children before opening day. All sixth grade pupils of the district will be taken care of this year in the Walled Lake building.

Bus Service

If parents expect their children to be brought home on the school bus Wednesday afternoon they must send the children by bus in the morning. With more than a thousand children coming to one building it is impossible to tell individual children what particular bus to take to return home.

Therefore, this request is made, as it is impossible the first day with all the extra details, to tell two or three hundred individuals what particular bus to take. So, if you want to depend on the bus Wednesday afternoon, be sure to take it at eight o'clock Wednesday morning. The bus routes will be practically the same as they were at the close of last year. One new 55 passenger bus has replaced a small one. Any pupil who lives a mile or more from the school building is entitled to transport by bus. Non-residents can not be transported by Walled Lake bus.

Our human laws are but the copies, more or less imperfect, of the eternal laws, so far as we can read them.

—James Anthony Froude.

Barthel Family Holds Reunion

One hundred and four persons, descendants of a family of five brothers, assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Barthel at Eight Mile Road and Halsted Road, last Sunday for a Barthel family reunion.

An authentic family tree, drawn by the hostess, traced the family line back to a couple who had lived in the most disputed territory of Alsace-Lorraine. The five sons of this couple, Peter, Henry, Matt, George and William came to America about the middle of the nineteenth century and eventually settled in Michigan. The descendants of this family of five boys number 152.

Relatives were present from South Bend, Indiana, Sandusky and Vermillion, Ohio, and Owosso, Chelsea, Corunna, Detroit, Jackson, Milford, Gery, Coldwater, Wayne and Battle Creek.

Arrives By Plane

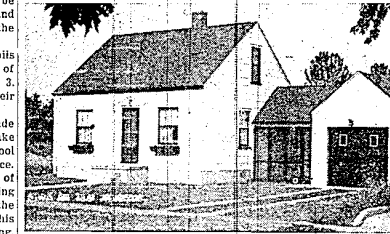
A dramatic contrast was presented in the afternoon when, as the younger members of the family were driving around the grounds of Maplewoods Farm in a double-seated buggy, an airplane flew low over the house and landed in the hay field close by. Eager spectators rushed over to the plane and discovered the young man in the cockpit to be Richard Barthel who had flown from Sandusky, Ohio, to be present.

After a delicious dinner, the relatives spent the afternoon in reminiscence and becoming acquainted with those of the family who they had never before seen. Entertainment was provided by Miss Maggie Peters and John Barthel.

Later, a business meeting, presided over by Rev. Francis Kolb, was held in the spacious living room of the Barthel home. After accepting an invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Peter Olk of Owosso to have the reunion at their home August 16, 1942, an election of officers was held. Those elected are Mrs. Leah Cooper of Owosso, president; Miss Winifred Barthel, also of Owosso, vice-president; Mrs. Jean Barthel of Farmington, secretary and Rev. Kolb of Detroit is treasurer.

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Beauty And Utility Are Here



By MARINAN ALKIRE

Convenience is the watchword for the new bungalow with a Westinghouse kitchen built just recently at 21655 Albion street for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kuhn. Home for all who care to visit this model home will be held tonight and tomorrow night, Thursday and Friday, August 28 and 29 until 10 o'clock, according to Paul Eaton and Company, builders. Albion street is located between Farmington and Clarenceville, one block north of Grand River.

The little bungalow without eaves is covered with white asbestos moisture-proof shingles. Windows, sliding shutters, the door and metal window boxes are of a dark red. Roofing is of the same color.

Mrs. Kuhn's living room is a study in pale green and rose. The walls, which are covered with white asbestos, are in the house, carry out the pale green while rose print covers on her davenport and matching chair make a charming contrast. Her rug, of a similar shade of green, covers a floor, not varnished in the conventional

Legionnaires Prepared To Provide Good Time For All

HARRY WOLFE HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY

Over a hundred guests responded to the invitations received from Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Speer, to help them celebrate the silver wedding anniversary of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Wolfe, last Saturday evening, August 23, in St. Michael's Hall.

Dancing was the chief entertainment of the evening, and a mock wedding was held. A cake lunch was served at twelve o'clock, after which many beautiful gifts were received. About twenty five silver dollars, in honor of the day.

Guests and relatives from Detroit, Milford, South Lyon, Plymouth and Farmington were present.

After wishing the couple many more years of happy married life, Mrs. Wolfe presented each guest with a piece of wedding cake.

Mrs. W. N. Miller Dies Suddenly

Word was received Monday of the sudden death of Nellie Alice Miller, wife of W. N. Miller, former owner of the Enterprise.

Mrs. Miller died at her home at Leslie, on Friday morning, of heart attack, though she had been ill in health for some weeks.

Funeral services were held from Edward's Funeral Home, Leslie, with Rev. Lawrence Horning, pastor of the Congregational church officiating. Burial was at Woodlawn Cemetery, Leslie, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller owned and operated the Enterprise for a number of years, the present building having been constructed during the time they owned the paper. They sold to H. Y. Leeson in 1927, and moved to Leslie, where they purchased the Leslie Local Republic. During the time they spent in Farmington the Miller family lived on Maple avenue in the house now occupied by the Walter Durhams.

Mrs. Miller is survived by her husband, W. N. Miller and a daughter, Frances.

New Column

Frank W. Lowrie, publicity chairman for the 17th District, Department of Michigan, wishes to announce also, that there will be a special column headed by the American Legion insignia in the Enterprise every second week. Watch for news of the American Legion in this column.

New Building Ready Soon

Clarenceville Public Schools will officially open on Monday morning, September 8, according to an announcement this week by Supt. M. J. Beiser. The opening of High School is delayed one week, however, so high school students will not have to report until Monday, September 15.

It was planned to have the new high school building ready for school on September 8, but there was some delay in securing steel. The steel has arrived now, however, and the plastering and painting will be completed next week.

Two recent changes have been made in the school faculty. Miss Summers resigned to take a position at Fordson, and she will be replaced by Miss DeYoung, who comes from Chicago to teach English and Music.

[Miss Hagaman of Hillsdale will teach English and Math in the High School, taking the place of Miss Sherman who resigned to go into Detroit.]

All reform except a moral one will prove unavailing.—Cantley.

AMERICAN LEGION GALA DAYS

President's Address will be Broadcast from the grounds on Labor Day

Aug. 29-30-31 and Sept. 1