

Around The Block

INDIAN SUMMER PLUS . . .

It just ain't sensible this freakish weather we're having. Of course, it's wonderful, such as the northern lights, sunning Indian summer, and the dance the leaves do to the tune of a brisk fall wind. Farmington residents jactically had a ringside seat last Thursday night when autumn borely visited the country. And now, just for variety, the weather report says rain.

NEW HOMES . . .

Part of the new building boom in Farmington is the new when two new houses on Macomb street are occupied. A third on the same street is almost ready for occupation.

EVERY DOG . . .

has his week-end so does the Enterprise. It will conspicuously or otherwise celebrate National Newspaper Week along with the rest of the country's scandal sheets from October 1 to 8.

WHAT'S WRONG . . .

With the Farmington Hardware window display? For brightening up the business section this week, it is tops for its attractiveness. It has a background of a woods and cabin with hunting equipment and even a partridge. Nevertheless, something is missing. Have you spotted it as a few others have done? Maybe it's all tied up somehow with Topper and his disappearing act.

VIVE LA VINE . . .

This is still Uncle Sam's territory, but it's looked suspiciously like France and it's famous vineyards recently around the LaSalle Winery. Huge truckloads of grapes are being brought in so that Mr. and Mrs. Public can add a touch of elegance to their extra special dinners this winter.

RED LIGHT . . .

If Norm Barrons only had a uniform, it's interesting to watch him directing the heavy school children traffic at the corner of Grand River and Farmington Road, but think how much more official he'd look with a few brass buttons.

TWO TO ONE . . .

on the University of Michigan—two to one on Michigan State. And the bets are on for the most exciting football game of the season—the two college schools. Well, here to the yellow and blue and the green and the white—it's 50-50—many fingers are crossed.

POLLYTICKS . . .

Young politicians on the edge of the fence are getting set for the first state convention of Young Republicans (Y.R.'s of Michigan) this weekend at the Book Cadillac. No doubt all the nation's worries will be over when the young G.O.P.'s adjourn.

APOLOGY . . .

Beggin' your pardon, sir, and so to Glenfield. As weather prophets his corps are as persona non grata as the Literary Digest poll—just to mix a few metaphors.

GONE ARE THE DAYS . . .

A breath of this Enterprise 21 years ago dropped into the office of Mrs. E. B. Busching. It was owned the paper a quarter of a century ago and published in a little brown frame building next door to the present location.

Exchange Hears Dr. Lee Halsted

One of the most entertaining

programs members of Farmington Exchange Club have had the privilege to enjoy was presented Wednesday at their regular luncheon meeting when Dr. Lee Halsted, president of the Club, took charge of the program.

Dr. Halsted brought with him, his fluoroscope, and spoke regarding the extremely important contributions to medical science the fluoroscope has brought. Many practical demonstrations were given throughout the talk, and members were permitted to see a human hand as it looked through a fluoroscope. The density of various metals, such as aluminum, iron and lead was demonstrated. Water was shown, and later after certain chemicals had been added, though the water still appeared to be perfectly clear, it was viewed again and the vast change was noted by the fluoroscope was noted.

Lloyd Gulien is in charge of next week's program, and as one might expect when Mr. Gulien is in charge of any program, it will be something different, and one which all the members will want to attend.

Two Teachers Join Staff At Farmington

Defense Stamps Sold at School

Two teachers, were hired this week, to supplement the teaching staff at Farmington Public Schools. The increase in enrollment has made it virtually impossible to care for all the students. It was necessary to make additional sections in Biology, Bookkeeping, Geometry and Latin, to accommodate all pupils who wished to take these particular subjects. There are 140 enrolled in hand at the present time.

Last year, at the close of the school year, enrollment in the elementary school was 365, as compared to 493 at the present time. The high school enrollment was 360 last year, and there are 445 students enrolled now. The normal seating capacity of the elementary school is set at 270, and 370 in the high school, which shows that though the normal capacity is only 610, there are actually 845 students being cared for.

Submit Proposal

To take care of this increased enrollment, the School Board, at their last meeting, has authorized the filing of a project application with State and Federal agencies for additional rooms. The proposal is for four additional class rooms to the Auditorium-Gymnasium. The rooms would be added to the back of the building. It is necessary to have \$15,000 to supplement the \$30,000 already available, if this addition is made.

The teachers that have been added to the staff are George Johnson, who will assist in the High School Mathematics classes, and in other overflow groups, and Ruth Bacon, a full time vocal instructor.

Mr. Johnson comes to Farmington from his home in Ishpeming. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Northern Michigan University. Miss Bacon's home is in Albion and she is a graduate of Albion College, holding an A.B. degree. She has also had training in the Music Department of Michigan State Normal College and is doing graduate work at the present time at the University of Michigan.

Half Day Sessions

In the kindergarten this year, 56 children were enrolled, and because of this large number, it was necessary to divide the group into two parts, which hold half-day sessions.

The Board of Education has also authorized a revolving fund to promote the sale of defense savings stamps in the school. This has already been put into effect in the elementary schools and will be instituted in the High School next week.

The plan calls for the buying of

defense stamps from the money in the fund, and when the stamps have been purchased by the students, additional stamps are bought as the fund is supplemented.

Register, Albums

The students are given stamp albums which they may register with the school, and the albums are kept until sufficient stamps have been purchased to buy it with defense bonds. This plan will make the pupil realize the necessity of saving, and at the same time instill in them the desire to aid our country at a time when aid is urgently needed.

In the two weeks that the

defense stamp purchase plan has been operating in the elementary schools, a total of \$67.85 in stamps has been sold, \$26.35 the first week and \$41.50 the second week.

It is expected that as pupils and parents realize the importance of stamps sold each week will increase. The amount of stamps sold each week will increase.

Private Hilborn Sent To Fort Leonard Wood

Private George E. Hilborn of Farmington recently inducted into the Army has been transferred with a group of 165 selectees to Camp Callan, California. Coast artillery Replacement Training Center, for training at that station. It was announced today at the Fort Custer Recruit Reception Center. The group made the trip in a special train.

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First Aid Schedule Announced By Red Cross

With increased emphasis being placed upon the importance of home defense projects the Oakland County chapter of the American Red Cross today announces a new schedule of first aid classes which are open to anyone in this area.

This week's meeting of the Red Cross sponsored Home Nursing classes was held at the home of Mrs. W. Nelson, on Tuesday afternoon. Twenty-four Farmington women have already enrolled for the twelve week course, and it is expected that more will join during the first few weeks. With Mrs. Ira Herron of Pontiac, as teacher, the ladies will be instructed in many matters useful to home-makers. The subject of this week's lesson was "Hereditary and Environment."

Rev. Busching Gives Address

Rev. Howard C. Busching of the Farmington Methodist Church spoke before the Kivans Club Wednesday evening. His subject was, "Facts About the Frontier of Christianity."

Rev. Busching outlined the importance of the Christian Church in the early stages of our civilization. He also pointed out the frontiers yet to conquer in our modern civilization and the position of the church in eliminating these problems, mainly war, migratory living and a closer relation to the Christian church.

Three guests were present at the meeting, one from Strathtown and two from South Lyon.

Orville Dunkel and Keen Loomis are chairmen for the programs to be held during the month of September having been under the direction of Fred Bagall.

Several exchange programs are

being worked out, to be included in programs to be presented in the near future.



REV. HOWARD C. BUSCHING

TWO HUNDRED ATTEND O.E.S. FRIENDSHIP NIGHT

Over 200 members and friends of Farmington Chapter No. 233, Order of the Eastern Star packed the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening, September 23, when they held their annual Friendship Night.

Mrs. Hazel Diamond, matron, and Lowell Ramsey, patron, presided over the evening. The club opened at eight o'clock. Mrs. Diamond extended a welcome to guests and concluded her remarks by reciting a poem entitled "I Know Something Good About You."

Among the honored guests of the evening were Grand Martha of the Grand Chapter of Michigan, Mrs. Marian Knight of Detroit. She spoke to the group and was the first to realize the importance of stamps sold each week will increase. The amount of stamps sold each week will increase.

Following the introduction and presentation of the guests two candidates Imogene Angle and Marion Moore were initiated into the order. Visiting officers emphasized the degrees after being introduced and presented with gifts by the officers of Farmington Chapter. Small gifts were also presented to the Oakland County officers.

Following the initiation proficiency certificates were presented to the following Farmington officers: Mrs. Ramsey, worthy patron; Mrs. E. B. Busching, president; Mrs. Evelyn Hiberna, secretary.

Dr. E. B. Cudney, chairman of the local first aid work, stated the purpose: First, to prevent accidents; second, to train individuals in correct service in cases of accidental injury; and third, to caution against incorrect treatment which might cause even more serious results. Assisting Dr. Cudney in the program are Mrs. C. Van Duzen, Ralph Waterman, and Dr. Arthur Wentz of Birmingham. Mrs. Earle Knudsen of Pontiac and Mrs. E. M. Gladden of Pleasant Ridge.

A number of the fall first aid classes already are underway. Dr. Willard Morrell teaches first aid to employees of the Pontiac State Hospital each Monday and Friday. Ralph Waterman is instructing a group of firemen and policemen which meets each Monday at 7 p. m. in the Bloomfield Hills city hall. Next Monday William DeGrace will open a class at 7 p. m. in the Pontiac High School. Another evening class will open October 1 at the Seventh Day Adventist church, Pontiac, with Harry C. Hess as instructor. An apprentice class in cooperation with E. C. Russell has been started at the high school and meets each Tuesday at 8:30 a. m. with Mrs. Myrtle Herron, R. N. as instructor.

SERVICES HELD IN FREMONT, OHIO FOR H. E. THOMAS

Funeral services for Henry E. Thomas, 58, of 500 E. State street, Fremont, Ohio, were held September 11, from the Well-Worshipful funeral home in Fremont. Rev. E. Stevens, pastor of Hayes Methodist church officiated, and burial was in Oakwood Cemetery. Mr. Thomas died following a nine weeks' illness.

Henry Thomas was born near Pontiac on March 19, 1883, the son of the late William and Jane Thomas. He was graduated from Farmington High School, and in 1906 he married Miss Hazel Bell. Following her death he married Miss Mattie Keller of Fremont, where he has resided for the past 40 years.

He was a conductor on the Lake Shore Electric railroad for 37 years prior to abandonment of the line several years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mattie Thompson, son, Harold, of Bell Thomas of Long Beach, California, who was called home several weeks prior to his father's death, and one sister, Mrs. James Conroy of Fremont.

Several Farmington friends attended the funeral services.

Methodist Women To Organize Society; Will Hear of Barry School

All women of the Farmington Methodist Church are invited to the church next Wednesday, October 1, at 8:30 p. m. for an advance meeting to consider the organization of the women's society. The Rev. and Mrs. Howard Busching will both speak on the Martha Barry School. A tea will be held following the meeting.

On the second day of the game Charles Sullivan, Farmington halfback, slid across right end and ran 50 yards for the first touchdown. Farmington failed to make the extra point after touchdown.

The second touchdown scored by Coach Shoemaker's boys, was made possible after a pass from Bob Russell, fullback, placed the ball in position for Charles Sullivan to go over for the score. The score was left at 12 to 0 after the failure of Farmington to make the extra point.

Six more points were added to the score when Bob Russell took a pass from Bob Erwin, halfback, to score the third touchdown. Another touchdown was made bringing the score to 24 to 0 in favor of Farmington.

The last touchdown of the game came on a reverse from H. Beck, fullback, to Bob Erwin, who went over for the score. The extra point was made on a line plunge by Fred Martinide.

The Civic Theatre celebrated

its first birthday anniversary Saturday evening, with real party—birthday cake and all.

The High School band was present for the occasion, and played three numbers. Mayor Leo Gilde-meister spoke briefly at the beginning of the program, and was followed by Dr. Lee Halsted, president of the Exchange Club, and Police Chief Charles Kowalski. Lloyd Gulien gave a very amusing and entertaining discourse on Farmington. Floyd Nichols stood, and made a few remarks. The celebration also marked his birthday anniversary.

The huge three-tiered beautifully decorated birthday cake, with one candle, which is on display in the lobby, was made by the A. L. Ross Bakery. It will be on exhibition for the entire week.

Local Officers Attend Meeting

Police Chief Charles Kowalski and Constables Norman Barrons and Horace Durham are among the Police Officers who have been invited to attend the Quarterly Police Conference for the quarter July 1, 1941 to September 30, 1941.

The conference is in connection with the FBI Law Enforcement Officers Mobilization Plan for National Defense, and has been scheduled for 1:30 o'clock on Friday afternoon, September 27, at the Commissioner's Court Room, 917 Federal Building, Detroit.

Invitations were issued by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and were received by John S. Bugas, special agent in charge. Mr. Bugas noted in the invitation that in view of the tremendous responsibility of the police and law enforcement agencies of the nation in connection with national defense matters, and in view of the increasingly critical situation both nationally and abroad, there are many things that police officers should discuss at the conference, and in order to facilitate this, an interesting program has been arranged for the benefit of everyone.

Following an introduction by Mr. Bugas, Malcolm W. Dinsay, editorial director of the Detroit Free Press, will speak on "Public Relations and the Police." A technician from the FBI Laboratory in Washington, D.C. will lecture and give actual demonstration on the topic of "Bombs and Explosives," using chemicals and ingredients of bombs and explosives. Earl J. Wynn, Special Agent, FBI, will address the group on "Hypothetical Internal Security Investigation." James C. Berg, FBI-NPA graduate of the Detroit Police Department will also speak on the same subject. A motion picture will be shown to conclude the afternoon's program.

Farmington Wins Opener 31 to 0

Farmington High School's football team started its 1941 season with a bang by defeating Redford Union High School 31 to 0 last Friday afternoon on the high school field.

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Three Persons Fined

Three persons have paid fines at the City Court, under the rules and regulations of the new Traffic Ordinance. Chief Kowalski wrote a ticket charging Harry C. Lewis, 2543 W. Seven Mile Road, with speeding 50 miles per hour on Grand River avenue. Mr. Lewis (Continued on Page Eight)

Many Persons Appear On Traffic Violations

THREE LOCAL DRAFTEES TRANSFERRED

Private Bertram D. Gable, of Farmington, recently inducted into the Army has been transferred with a group of 165 selectees to Camp Callan, California. Coast artillery Replacement Training Center, for training at that station. It was announced today at the Fort Custer Recruit Reception Center. The group made the trip in a special train.

Private Walter C. Garchow and George F. Meisner, of Farmington, recently inducted into the Army have been transferred with a group of 165 selectees to Camp Roberts, California, Infantry Replacement Training Center, for training at that station. It was announced today at the Fort Custer Recruit Reception Center. The group made the trip in a special train.

Guy McCollom House Entered

The second case of breaking and entering in the city within two days occurred last Thursday night when the home of Guy McCollom, 2534 Brookside avenue, was entered. The prowlers gained entrance through a side window. It was discovered that \$450 in nickels and pennies and \$500 in bills in a folder had been taken. Also a quantity of jewelry, including three diamond rings, a diamond stick pin, valued at about \$1,000 are missing. The following papers including legal papers and insurance.

State Police were called to take fingerprints but none could be found. State detectives and men from the County Sheriff's office are working on the case.

The first case of breaking and entering in which the office of Schulte and Paré was entered last Tuesday evening is still unsolved, but detectives are working on it and hope to have some information regarding it soon.

Police Chief Charles Kowalski is again warning residents that they must observe parking regulations. Sufficient warning has been given, but violators will now be given a ticket, without any further warning. Rules for parking on the highways in Farmington must be observed, and parking will be allowed in the alleys only for purposes of loading and unloading.

Signs have arrived this week and will be put up as soon as possible. The highway has been painted warning drivers of the approach to the school crossing, and everyone is asked to carefully observe the warning at this intersection and help protect the children of Farmington.

A charge of guilty was entered to a charge of reckless driving by Norman Hammell, 1461 Ferdinand street, Detroit. He paid \$10.00 costs.

R. W. Mowbray, 1517 Hart, Detroit, was charged with improper overtaking and passing by driving over a yellow line on a curve. He was fined \$10.00 and fined \$25.00 costs.

A warrant has been sent to the State Police, for Cecil Jackson, 577 Palmer, Detroit, who failed to appear to answer a charge of failure to yield the right of way.

\$3.50 costs were paid by Fred Bower, 31975 Lahser Road, Birmingham, for failure to stop for a stop sign at Nine Mile Road and Telegraph.

Marlin Kosten, 247 N. Outer Drive Dearborn, was charged with improper overtaking and passing. He was tried and found not guilty, and was discharged.

Daughters of Isabella To Meet in New Place

Daughters of Isabella of Our Lady of Sorrows Church will meet on the first Tuesday of their new meeting place when they hold their next regular session on Monday, October 6. They will meet at the Pierson P.T.A. Hall on West Seven Mile Road near Farmington Road. All members are requested to attend.

Mary Dutton Receives Degree From Redlands

Mary Eolite Dutton of Farmington received her Bachelor of Arts degree this fall at the thirty-first annual Convocation of the University of Redlands. Redlands is a co-educational liberal arts college of an enrollment slightly exceeding 1,000 students, which is located halfway between Los Angeles and Palm Springs in California.

Justice Schulte Kept Busy In Court This Week

An unusual amount of activity was noted this week at the Justice Court for the City of Farmington, with many persons brought before the Court on minor traffic violation charges.

Ruth Wheeling 21431 Waldron, Farmington, was charged with driving and operating a motor vehicle without an operator's license. She was arrested at Independence and Oxford. She pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay \$3.50 costs.

Melvin D. Anderson of South Lyon was charged with operating a motor vehicle in a reckless and careless manner in that he failed to stop for a through highway at Grand River and Ten Mile Roads. He pleaded guilty and paid \$3.50 costs.

Elmer F. Kien of 224 Holbrook, Detroit, was charged with traveling at an excessive rate of speed, 50 miles per hour, on Shilavasee Road. He also pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay \$5.00 fine and \$3.50 costs, or serve five days in the County Jail.

Falls To Appear Paul M. Ream, 3502 French, Detroit failed to appear to answer charges of driving a vehicle without an operator's license, on U.S. 10. A warrant for his arrest has been sent to the State Police.

John D. Vandenberg, 1805 Van Dyke, Detroit, was charged with driving a motor vehicle without an operator's license on his person. He pleaded guilty and was ordered to pay \$2.50 costs.

A fine of \$7.50 was paid, following a plea of guilty, by Duncan, 90 Douglas street, Pontiac. Duncan was charged with reckless driving, in that he was driving 50 miles per hour and failed to stop for a red light at U.S. 21 and 13 Mile Roads.

Nick Cottage of Southfield Township was charged with running a trailer car without first procuring a trailer camp license. A warrant was issued on July 21, and following his plea of not guilty, Cottage was released on \$50.00 bond. Trial was set for August 8, but delayed until the September 12.

At that time Cottage changed his plea to guilty, and he was ordered to pay \$25.00 fine and \$15.00 costs.

James S. Landis, 15727 Wabash, Detroit, paid \$6.00 costs after pleading guilty to a charge of failure to stop for a red signal light at Eight Mile and Greenfield Roads.

Rudolph Prebelick, 6121 16th street, Detroit, was charged with driving through a red light against traffic, on a boulevard. He was found guilty and ordered to pay a \$10.00 fine and costs.

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