

**Floral Park Civic Association News**

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I'd like to tell you about an important meeting that the Civic Association will be holding next week. On Tuesday, October 7, at 7:30 p.m. at the American Legion Hall there will be a meeting of all residents of Floral Park to discuss the possibility of having the subdivision's streets paved. For a long time the officers and trustees of the association have been getting inquiries from a lot of you regarding this matter and as you all know we distributed to every home a brochure which gave a lot of details in regard to the cost of such a program, and how said cost was distributed.

Now we also know that some residents are not interested in having the streets paved and some others are interested in the idea but feel they can't afford it. Obviously there is no sense in your Civic Association going ahead with the circulating of the necessary petitions throughout this area until they know what the majority of residents wish to have done. Therein lies the reason for holding this discussion. WE WANT YOUR OPINION. If you do not make your opinion known to us then you may wind up with being faced with an assessment for an improvement you did not want . . . or on the other hand you may not get paving even though you want it very much.

It's up to you — don't expect your neighbor to do it for you, as his ideas may be the opposite of yours. He may be instrumental in getting done the thing you want least. Be there and represent yourself, or you'll have no right to complain later. We will have more details in regard to cost, term of the bond issue, interest, monthly payments, etc. If you haven't been reading The Enterprise recently, (and you should read it every week) you may not be aware that the Red Cross Mobile Blood Bank will set up its facilities on October 13 and 14 at the Town Hall. Its purpose of course is to collect much needed blood and perhaps you don't know it but in this area there has been more blood released lately than has been contributed. A lot of you residents of Floral Park gave willingly during the April collection, but a lot more should have given. The fact that the residents of this area gave over a third of the blood collected doesn't alter the fact that only about 15% of the adult residents contributed. We will be seeing you about the matter of pledging blood some time this week. So please welcome the callers, especially the Blood Bank will be open on Monday, the 13th, from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and on Tuesday, the 14th, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

**ROLLING DOWN THE RIVER**



By Bob Kettler

Now the other day an old friend drops in to have a bit of lubricant injected into his '51 Studebaker and as we can't interest him in talking trade at the moment, we sit around the office cutting up old capers in the days when both we and the world was younger. Among other things we remind him of the old swimming hole that had an invisible, but still potent "boys only" sign about it. "You," he says, "I'm glad you mention it. For some time I've been hearing that the boys of today have more opportunity than we did, and having been recently at Atlantic City where they choose Beauty Queens and such and there are any number of bathing beauties circulating round and about, especially in the garments they call a bathing suit, I'm forced to agree that the boys of today do have more opportunity. Not only that, they are smarter than we were . . . they couldn't possibly be sold a "boys only" swimming hole."

When we stop and think the matter over, we figure he's right because many a Studebaker has been sold simply because Junior brings the old man in and says, "Pop, here's the best car on the road, so let's not dilly-dally." Of course we can readily see why this must be so, because young America knows its automobiles. When you talk power, beauty, speed, economy and all the other fine qualities it takes to make today's motor car, the fellow who really knows motors, knows you get more of everything in the Studebaker. Why not drop around and convince yourself with a bit of trial driving.

So this morning a nice lady that we have known for a long time comes in to talk trade-in on her '59 Champion. We talk and she gets a new 'hard-top' convertible, but before the gentleman tells us of giving her husband an excellent wrist watch to commemorate their twenty-fifth anniversary. Only trouble is, the fellow has carried an old pocket piece since his twenty-first birthday and new watch or not, goes right on carrying it. He's wearing his wrist watch now, though. Seems that he wants a couple of new pair of slacks for a trip they make this summer and she picks them out. Some expensive material they're made of too . . . but the manufacturer doesn't get around to putting in a watch pocket.

Just in case you haven't noticed there's been quite a touch of fall in the air these mornings. Real brisk, they are, and should remind you that it's time to have some new lubrication, some new oil and perhaps some new grease in the rear gear box. Better have these mechanics of ours take care of it at once and while they're on the subject, give the car a bit of tune-up for better driving during the long beautiful fall days ahead.

That's that, but did you ever notice when a person says something is as plain as the nose on your face, they always select YOUR nose.

Yours,  
BOB KETTLER

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**Haynes Highlights**

MRS. MARION STUMBAGH  
FARMINGTON 2901-J

Mr. and Mrs. Val T. Guilmette of 22405 Floral have just returned from a three-day vacation. The trip included a surprise visit with a son, Dan Guilmette, airman 3/c, of the 3356 Student Squadron located at the Amarillo, Texas, Air Force Base. He is taking extensive training to become a jet airplane mechanic. After completing his studies he will return home to spend Christmas vacation with his family and friends.

Mrs. Robert Koop of Geneseo, Illinois, a former resident of Floral, has been spending a two-week vacation with friends and neighbors. Mrs. Koop was previously associated with The Farmington Enterprise as a correspondent. Mrs. Barbara Roberts of 22033 Springbrook gave a pink and blue shower Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Martha Humecky of 22451 Haynes. Their guests included a number of friends and neighbors from this vicinity. Refreshments consisted of sandwiches, coffee and cake. An enjoyable time was had by all.

E. G. Nichols, Jr., CDCN, of the Seabees arrived by plane from Port Huenemea, California, September 27 after completing a thirteen-week course in the cargo handling battalion. He was met by his parents at the Willow Run airport. Nichols expects to remain at home for two weeks. His next tour of duty is at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia. Nichols graduated from Farmington High in 1949. Captain of the basketball team in his senior year, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Estell Nichols of 22120 Haynes.

The Sons and Daughters of the Redford Pioneers met on September 27 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Tupper. Approximately fifty members and friends attended. Mrs. Verne Groat, the mother of Mrs. Stumbaugh, who is a member of the organization, composed a song and dedicated it to the Pioneers for the occasion. A potluck dinner was served. Mrs. Groat is also an aunt of Mr. Harley Walters of 34028 Oakland in Farmington.

Mrs. Elsie Beck, with sons Sheldon and Eldon of 23305 Grove, returned after spending a short vacation with friends in Castalia, Ohio. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rowbridge. Mrs. Rowbridge is the former Marlene Beckwith of Farmington.

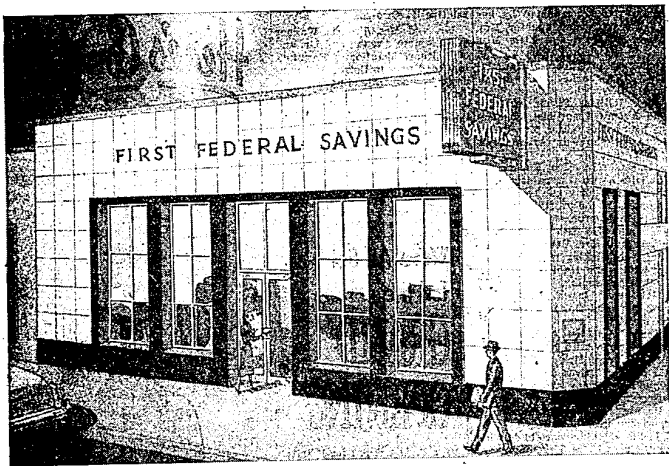
**Scout Bake Sale To Finance Trip**

The leader of Senior Girl Scout Troop 172, Mrs. V. E. F. announces that the group will hold a bake sale at the Municipal Building on October 4, beginning at 10:00 a.m. Proceeds from the sale will go toward financing a trip to the Regional Convention in Indianapolis.

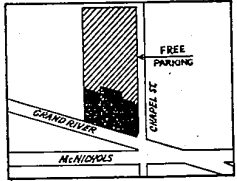
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**GRAND OPENING**

of Our  
**REDFORD BRANCH**  
Grand River at McNichols

Wednesday, October 1st through Friday, October 10th



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Other Branches: Woodward at McLean • 7 Mile Road at Gratiot • Woodward at 9 Mile Road

Hours—9:30 to 4 Monday thru Thursday; 9:30 to 6 Friday