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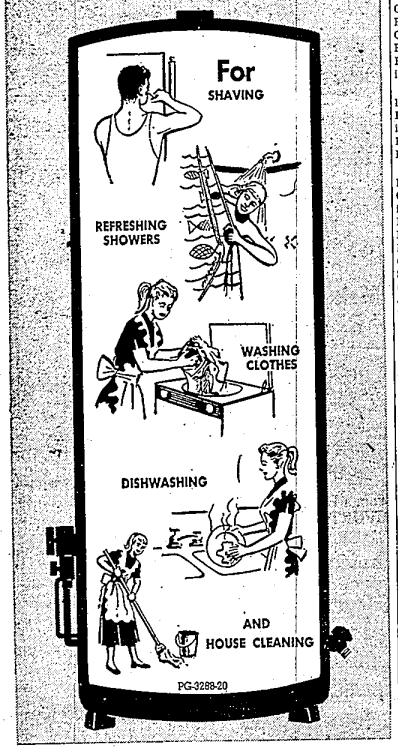

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39 Ninth Graders Make Honor Roll

The eighth grade listed the most honor roll students in the final grade analysis for the school year at Farmington High School. In taking the lead position, the eighth graders placed 39 students as being scholarship leaders in their class.

The seventh graders placed second with 29 honor roll students, the twelfth graders with 23, ninth grade with 20, tenth grade with 19 and the eleventh graders were last with 10.

Named to the honor roll were:

Seventh grade — Audrey Allen, Betty Beckett, Georgianna Brown, David Burke, Alayne Celinske, Pamela Chapman, John Clark, Linda Clarke, Barbara Clayton, Judith Cook, Sharon Gosgrove, Ann Dunn, Mary Durfee, Edwin Fulton, Sandra Hart, Suellen Hymes, Claire Johnson, Virginia Landacre, Thomas McCaskill, Janes Marsh, Ruth Ann Moss, Lawrence Mrock, Eric Newberg, Marcia Otis, Albert Ridings, Judith Shelters, Richard Shoquist, Noralee Smith, Lawrence Tierman.

Eighth Grade — Barry Beals, Jane Boyce, Robert Brewbaker, Thomas Calkins, Linda Chambers, David Clark, Claudia Costello, Ettie Ann Fawcett, Mary Jo Fisher, Dale Golla, Howard Green, Richard Hoffman, Judy Hoofnagle, Linda Kelly, Suzanne Larson, Eldon Libstaff, Nancy Lind, John McCaskill, Wilford McGuire, Nancy Mitchell, Judith Nelson, Virginia Nelson, Mary Ann Ohman, Merle Perkins, Barbara Place, Betty Ports, Karen Reinke, Catherine Robertson, Brian Rogers, Lindell Ross, Carol Rozenboom, Barbara Schumanek, Arlene Scott, Irene Scott, Karen Senoh, Gloria Thomas, Gerald Urquhart, Shirley Walters, David Warriner.

Ninth Grade — Alice Annette, Daniel Burnett, David Cargill, Delene Domes, Carol Davis, Russell Desmelik, Diane Franjac, Barbara Graham, Clara Hanson, Frank Himmler, Kenneth Kingsley, Elsie Kinsman, Karen Kullgren, Rodney Layton, Foanne Mitchell, Donald Nichols, Sharon Regentik, Nicholas Spicer, Lois Urquhart, Mary Vetter.

Tenth Grade — Sue Andrews, Barbara Annette, Charles Beam, Mary Lee Bryan, Rodger Clarke, Ronald Clarke, William Dickerson, Gerald Dynda, Gerald Eagleton, Rudolph Golla, Richard Grimshaw, Carol Lohg, Merl Powell, Phyllis Ridal, Craig Rockafellow, Patricia Russell, Bruce Shoquist, Catherine Tessmer, Beverly Wendlandt.

Eleventh Grade — Wayne Blakley, James Brewbaker, Sharon Burke, Lenore Gildemeister, Marilyn Goers, Richard Goulet, Paul Kosmensky, Carole James, Carol Lemon, Joan Rozenboom.

Twelfth Grade — Patricia Barikus, Anna Lee Brown, Dorothy Cant, Loren Clifford, Lou Dowding, Nancy Fisher, John Gazley, David Harris, Phyllis Kestl, Sally Leonard, David Mitchell, Dorothy Monk, Colleen Morris, Denver Nichols, Millard Roberts, Joan Smith, Joyce Smith, Patricia Sowers, Wilma Tamm, Anna Mae Tarr, June Turner, Carol Wheeler, Gertrude White.

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2.993 Miles of Grading and Drainage Structures, 6 ft. Concrete Base Course Widening and 22 ft. Bituminous Concrete Surface Course on Orchard Lake Road from Eleven Mile Road North to Fourteen Mile Road in Oakland County.

Project: CS 52-81, C2 (8 64) (2)

Net classification required for this project is 14 B or Ba — Subcontract Cc or Cc — Subcontract B or Ba.

Sealed proposals for the construction of this project located in Farmington Twp., Oakland County, will be received from contractors having 1953 Michigan State Highway Department prequalifications, in the Veterans' Memorial Bldg., 213 South Capitol Avenue, Lansing, Michigan, until 11:00 A.M., Eastern Standard Time on Wednesday, June 24, 1953, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals may be mailed to the Contract-Estimate Office, 222 Townsend Street, Lansing, Michigan.

The work will consist of preparing grade for 6 ft. Concrete Base Course Widening — Placing Drainage Structures, Concrete Base Course Widening, and Bituminous Concrete Surface Course, Class 1 (4.12).

Completion date for entire project October 31, 1954.

The Department's Standard Specifications (1950 Edition), its current Soils Manual, the plans for this project, the special provisions governing subletting and assigning the contract and the employment and use of labor, and the proposal blanks (all of which are essential parts of the contract) may be examined at the district office of the Department at Redford, Michigan, at the County Road Commission, Pontiac, Michigan, and at the Michigan Road Builders Association, Lansing, Michigan, but may be obtained only at the office of the Contract-Estimate Engineer, 222 Townsend Street, Lansing, Michigan, up to 5 P.M. of the day preceding the opening of bids. A fee of three dollars will be charged for furnishing plans or proposal blanks, which will not be refunded.

Full cooperation in carrying out the special provisions will be required. Minimum wage paid to labor employed on this contract shall be as outlined in the proposal.

A Certified or Cashier's Check, Bank Money Order, and Certificate of Deposit, properly endorsed, on an open, solvent bank, in the sum of $1,000.00, payable to Charles M. Ziegler, State Highway Commissioner, must accompany each proposal. All such checks will be returned promptly after the bidding, except that of the lowest bidder will not be returned until execution and delivery of the contract to the State Highway Department.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

CHARLES M. ZIEGLER,
State Highway Commissioner

DATED: 6-10-53
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June 18, 1953

Detroit Firemen Sell Field Day Tickets

On June 26 Detroit firemen will begin their sale of tickets for their 31st annual field day, to be held on August 22 and 23 at Briggs Stadium. Proceeds from the field day go to the families of disabled firemen and to their widows and orphans. In addition to the championship playoffs of the Detroit firemen's baseball league, the two-day show will include five professional circus acts, music and clowns.

Inasmuch as the Office of Civil Defense has determined that additional auxiliary fire fighter are needed for the protection of the city in the event of an enemy attack, the firemen will continue their recruiting program while selling tickets.

Plastic Wrapping Retains Moisture

The day when vacationers had to ask neighbors to water their plants for them is gone. A sheet of plastic will do the job these days.

Developed by a Michigan State College graduate student, the wrap will keep a plant healthy for up to three weeks without watering.

Dale V. Sweet, graduate assistant in horticulture at MSC, reports squares of the plastic, either polyethylene or polyvinyl, will keep a plant healthy at room temperature for "two or three weeks, depending on the plant."

"Some plants are more hardy than others," Sweet says. "A geranium will last three weeks without any damage."

Potted plants lose moisture through the porous pots. A sheet of plastic wrapped around the pot stops this — and retains the moisture. Loss of water through the leaves is insignificant, according to Sweet.

He discovered his "vacation wrap" while experimenting with the plastic's ability to grow plants without soil. The plastic is much the same as is used to wrap food in home freezers. The film allows the exchange of gases — oxygen and carbon dioxide — but it will not let moisture pass through.

To "waterproof" a plant, a sheet of the plastic is wrapped around the pot and fastened at the base of the stem with a rubber band, but not tightly. The leaves are left exposed. A hole should be cut at the bottom of the wrap, allowing excess water to drain.

Air layering plastics are now sold commercially for this purpose.

John Clappison Sells Insuranco

Sincerely Yours

Letters submitted to the Editor for publication must be signed. Opinions expressed in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily represent the policies of this newspaper.

As a home owner and the mother of two young children, I was indeed glad to learn that the state legislature has passed the bill to prohibit hunting in Farmington Township. It must now, of course, be approved by the voters of the township before it can become operative to protect our homes and children against the carelessness of hunters.

So many of the so-called "hunters" come out just once a year during the phesant season and, it seems to me, hit about everything except the birds. As soon as the season is over the pheasants re-appear — sometimes in greater numbers than before. I doubt that the hunters make any substantial inroads in their number.

However, in case some of the township residents are worried lest pheasants and other birds and animals would be a menace to their gardens and crops if there were no hunting season, I would like to point out that a permit can be obtained through the Michigan State Department of Conservation to destroy birds and animals that are a nuisance and are eating and damaging crops, or the like. This may answer the fears of some township voters who recognize the danger to our homes, our children and domestic and farm animals from careless hunters, but feel that birds and animals may overrun crops.

Nothing is worth more than the safety of our children but I believe we can protect both our children and our crops and still prohibit hunting in the township.

Very truly yours,
Mrs. Marvin G. Schaefter
26750 Drake Road,
Farmington.

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CONSUMERS POWER HOLDS DEDICATION OF PLANT IN ERIE

Formal dedication of Consumers Power Company's new Justin R. Whiting steam-electric generating plant at Erie, Michigan, took place in ceremonies June 17 at the plant, which is situated between Monroe, Michigan, and Toledo, Ohio.

Philip D. Reed, chairman of the board of the General Electric Company, was the principal speaker and master of ceremonies was President Dan E. Karn, of Consumers.

Guest of honor was Justin R. Whiting, chairman of the board of Consumers Power Company. The plant was named in Mr. Whiting's honor by the company's board of directors shortly after construction was started in 1950.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Heard About the Electric Weather Predictor?

Squint Smith built up quite a reputation last month by predicting the weather. What he said usually came true.

It got so that folks would sit around his little Antique Shop just to get his opinion.

Last Monday, though, he said he didn't know what the weather was going to be like next day. That surprised us and when we asked what happened, Squint said, "Slipped up on my electric bill and was turned off. I'll get to my radio again tomorrow though." Squint had been getting the weather over the radio—just like anyone else!

From where I sit, that's the way it goes with some "experts." They often don't have any more inside information than you can get for yourself. Like those who "know" cider is the only thirst-quencher after a day's work. Far as I'm concerned, I'll take a temperate glass of beer. But—I won't try to "predict" your choice for you.

Joe Marsh

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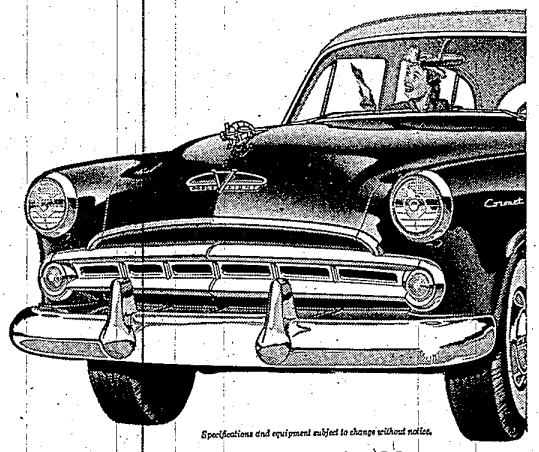

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