

THREE FARMINGTON WOMEN GRADUATE FROM P. E. V. COURSE AT PONTIAC HOSPITAL

Three residents of the Farmington area were among 20 persons in Oakland County who graduated this week as Police Emergency Volunteers at a special ceremony held at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac.

The insignia of graduation were presented by Mrs. Louis Royington of Livonia. The volunteers completed 20 hours of instruction in police care at the hospital and are now on call to assist doctors, nurses and physical therapists. Sister Mary Jane, R.N., directed the course which is co-sponsored by the hospital and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis and the American Red Cross.

Farmington area graduates are Mrs. Russell Banks, Mrs. William Barnum and Miss Ellen Langford.

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SUN., MON., TUES. — Jane Powell, Farley Granger, Ann Miller in "SENATE TOYS GIRL" Technicolor, and George Montgomery, A. Stevens "JACK McCALL DESPERADO" Technicolor

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CIVIL DEFENSE MEETING SET FOR MONDAY

The next meeting of the Farmington Area Civil Defense Council will be held Monday evening, July 27, at 7:30 p.m. in the American Legion Memorial Home.

According to officials, the meeting is being called to further develop the organization of the civil defense program. Efforts are still being made to secure wardens for the 36 sections of the Township and City. The primary objective of the newly revised Council.

All members present at the last meeting are being requested to bring at least five other persons to the July 27 meeting who are interested in the defense effort. Officials emphasize that the meeting is open to all residents of the city and township.

Two Fires Cause

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men arrived the rear door of the building was open and both the juke box and the cigarette machines were open. The money from the machines has not been recovered in the debris.

Farmington Police Chief Joseph DeVriendt stated Monday that the State Fire Marshall's office has been requested to investigate the origin of the blaze. Farmington police reports show that the doors of the building were checked at 2:30 a.m. and that all were secure. Reconstruction work on the restaurant was started Tuesday morning and, according to Patterson, the business will be re-opened in approximately one month.

Another fire in Farmington occurred at the Lloyd H. Smith residence at 25511 Brookdale Saturday afternoon at approximately 4:00 p.m. and an upstairs bedroom and its contents were destroyed.

No estimate of damages had been made at the time of this writing. In addition to actual fire loss, other parts of the house suffered smoke and water damage.

The Smiths were out of town when the fire started and Mr. Smith, when asked, could give no definite cause for the blaze.

The Smiths' young son, Gregory, 3, had just returned home from a walk with the baby-sitter, Mrs. Donna Jane McLean, and had gone upstairs when he discovered the fire in his parents' bedroom. He immediately told Miss McLean, who in turn notified the fire department and then called her parents.

Smith stated Monday that it may be necessary for his family to move from the house while repairs are being made.

Wind At Briggs Stadium Helps Heavy Hitters

Briggs Stadium in Detroit has become the American League's newest home run hitter's paradise. The Sporting News' Tariff recent walks the bleacher barrages has been the heaviest Detroit has ever known.

One explanation for the home run increase is that winds generally have been favorable to the batter this year, sweeping in from the south or west.

Another is the home run ball which has played practically all Detroit pitchers.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY, JULY 23	THURSDAY, JULY 23
6:15 p.m. Cards vs. Cubs	Ball Park
FRIDAY, JULY 24	FRIDAY, JULY 24
6:15 p.m. Giants vs. Indians	Ball Park
6:15 p.m. Tigers vs. Yanks	Ball Park
SATURDAY, JULY 25	SATURDAY, JULY 25
1:30 p.m. Indians vs. Dodgers	Ball Park
1:30 p.m. Red Sox vs. Giants	Ball Park
1:30 p.m. Cubs vs. Yankees	Ball Park
1:30 p.m. Tigers vs. Cards	Ball Park
MONDAY, JULY 26	MONDAY, JULY 26
5:00 p.m. Little-Nigger League	Birmingham Field
All-Stars vs. Birmingham	Ball Park
6:15 p.m. Cardinals vs. Yankees	Legion Home
7:30 p.m. Civil Defense	St. Martin's Church
7:30 p.m. T. F. Fellowship	High School
8:00 p.m. School Board	
TUESDAY, JULY 27	TUESDAY, JULY 27
6:15 p.m. Tigers vs. Cubs	Ball Park
8:00 p.m. V.F.W. Auxiliary	Town Hall
8:00 p.m. Township Board	Town Hall
WEDNESDAY, JULY 28	WEDNESDAY, JULY 28
6:15 p.m. Indians vs. Red Sox	Ball Park
6:30 p.m. Kiwanis Club	Bedford Inn

Boy Scouts Work Even At Jamboree

In addition to sunburn and the outdoor life experienced en masse, the 50,000 Boy Scouts who attended the third National Jamboree at Irvine Ranch near Santa Ana July 14 - 23 were exposed to conservation lessons in concentrated doses.

Dr. E. Lawrence Palmer, author of the famous "Fieldbook of Natural History", retired Cornell University professor and now director of conservation education for the National Wildlife Federation, was chairman of the Jamboree conservation project.

Cooperating in a program designed to introduce the boys to principles of soil conservation, forestry and wildlife management are the Inland Empire League of America, the California Game and Fish Department and at least four federal agencies.

The U. S. Soil Conservation Service, for example, took advantage of nature's gully-erosion on the Jamboree grounds to show how good farming practices can save the soil.

The U. S. Forest Service, using a huge model of Smokey the Bear to drive home lessons about fire prevention, showed the Scouts how to scale logs and letting them in on other forestry and lumber-jack secrets.

The wildlife was in the flesh. Exhibits ranged from live bear, deer and other big game to snakes and birds. A pond was stocked so the boys might try out the popular fish-management technique known as angling.

Dr. Palmer said the boys completed several requirements toward a merit badge in wildlife management under expert supervision during the Jamboree.

Each Scout was given a packet of conservation handbooks and literature which were contributed by the North American Wildlife Foundation, the National Wildlife Federation, the Inland Empire League of America, and four federal agencies: the Soil Conservation Service, Forest Service, National Park Service and Fish and Wildlife Service.

John Clappison Sells Insurance

Set Aside \$12,000

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proper lights and head lights on right lights, all \$3.00. Under the present ordinance all light violation fines are \$1.00. This amendment will take effect immediately upon publication.

The first amendment introduced pertains to the penalty for over-taking and passing another vehicle proceeding in the same direction. The violation will be charged as reckless driving and subject to penalty as provided in the state law. The second amendment pertains to penalties for consumption of alcoholic liquor on public highways and parking, possession, transportation and or control of alcoholic liquor by persons under 21 years of age. Both of these amendments will receive final action at the regular August meeting of the council.

PUBLICATION LISTS PROPOSED CHANGES IN CONSTITUTION

A summary of "Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, January 2, 1947 - January 2, 1953" has been compiled by Everett S. Brown, University of Michigan professor of political science. Now available in book form, it includes these amendments introduced in Congress from the 80th to the 82nd sessions.

Professor Brown points out that while the Constitution has been amended only 22 times, some 484 proposed amendments have been introduced.

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New Laws Affect Local Government

Many new laws important to local governmental units were enacted by the Republican Legislature at its recent session. Here are some of the major measures:

Counties were authorized to create medical care facilities for elderly persons who are infirm but not mentally ill. This law is intended to help relieve overcrowding at mental hospitals and maintain care at a local level where the individuals concerned can be near their families.

Local governments were empowered to establish garbage and rubbish collection facilities. Local governments may take over war housing pending demolition.

Charter townships may have two justices of the peace and power to issue bonds for public improvement projects.

Circuit Court stenographers are made eligible for county pension systems.

Tax sale advertising rates were lowered.

Installation payments may be fixed on inter-county drains.

The one-year residence requirement for county welfare directors was repealed.

New cities were authorized to issue tax-anticipation notes in order to start functioning.

All townships now may have ordinances on open spaces.

Coroner's jurors are to be paid \$6 a day instead of \$3.

Marriage license fees were increased to \$2.

Community hospitals were exempted from the 10-year use, clause on tax-reverted land.

Absentee ballots may be used by persons with religious reasons for remaining at home on election day.

Clerks must publish notice of liquor-referendum petitions.

AVERAGE SPEED OF CARS HIGHER CHILDS WARNS

The average speed at which cars are being driven in Michigan is increasing along with accidents and casualties, State Police Commissioner Joseph A. Childs, who is also member of the State Police Commission, reports.

Recent figures reveal it is more important than ever to heed the appeal of the commission's summer "Check Your Speed" campaign, now at the half way mark, he said.

"A check made this month by the State Highway Department at 21 selected locations showed that 44 per cent of the passenger cars were being driven in excess of 60 miles per hour," Childs said. "This was a gain of 22 per cent over the 16.2 disclosed by a similar check a year ago. Gains also were noted in the speed ranges just below this mark."

"Cars are not only being driven faster, but there are more of them and more drivers. For the last month of this year, 62,000,000 miles were driven each day in Michigan as compared to less than 60,000,000 last year. During these summer months it is estimated the figure has jumped to at least 70,000,000. All of this means the hazards are multiplied."

Pointing out that a new all-time high monthly traffic casualty toll was recorded in May, Childs said that 48 per cent of the violations reported in traffic deaths were for speeding or driving too fast for conditions.

"During May, the latest month for which figures are available, 5,433 persons were killed or injured in 16,092 accidents, also a new high.

"Keep your speed under control," said Childs. "Don't rush to death."

YAKES APPOINTED CONSTABLE IN TOWNSHIP

Irving Yakes, Township Police Officer, has been appointed as Constable by the Township Board to fill a vacancy, Ernest Blanchard announced this week.

Since the last regular election, the township has had only one Constable although two are authorized. Godfrey Gagnon is the other Township Constable. Yakes will continue as police officer.

Texas has 54 of the largest oil fields in the U. S., with an estimated annual production of 100 million barrels or more.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Farmington was held July 20, 1953.

Minutes of the meeting called to order by Mayor Loomis at 8:10 p.m. Roll Call: Cavanaugh, Conroy, Lindbert, Loomis and Nourjian, All present.

Minutes of the regular meeting held June 15, 1953, and the Special Meeting held July 14, 1953, were read and approved.

Resolution made by Lindbert and supported by Cavanaugh that bills presented for the month of June, 1953, be paid.

Roll Call: Cavanaugh, Conroy, Lindbert, Loomis, Nourjian. Carried, all yeas.

CITY OF FARMINGTON RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND BANK BALANCES JULY 1, 1952 TO JUNE 30, 1953

CASH ON DEPOSIT	RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS
General Fund	\$162,709.13	\$169,896.75
Payroll Deductions	\$4,554.96	
Agency Fund	141,600.49	
Water Accounts Receivable Collections	24,097.96	
Decrease in Gasoline Stores	49.36	
Total Receipts	\$334,903.50	
Total To Account For	\$330,761.60	

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General Fund	\$169,896.75
Payment of Payroll Deductions	\$4,554.96
Agency Fund	141,600.49
Refund Credit Balances - Water Accounts	62.01
Total Disbursements	\$320,544.27
General Fund Balance June 30, 1953	\$20,416.33

Cash on Deposit	CEMETERY TRUST FUND
Farmington State Bank - General Fund	\$20,416.33
Cash on Deposit - July 1, 1952	\$823.87
Disbursed on June 30, 1953	12.00
Cemetery Trust Fund Balance June 30, 1953	\$811.87

Cash on Deposit	CLINTON W. WILBER CEMETERY TRUST FUND
Farmington State Bank - Cemetery Trust Fund	\$811.87
Received by Legacy - March, 1953	\$2,000.00
Disbursed June 30, 1953	3.60
C. W. Wilber Trust Fund Balance June 30, 1953	\$1,998.40

Cash on Deposit	CLINTON W. WILBER ESTATE FUND
Cash Received from Custodian March 20, 1953	\$8,067.88
RECEIPTS	DISBURSEMENTS
Land Contract Payments - Principal	\$1,450.87
Land Contract Payments - Interest	529.52
Rents	257.50
Miscellaneous	109.47
Total Receipts	2,611.15
Total to Account For	\$10,689.03

Repairs - Rental Property	Bank Collection Fees	Miscellaneous
\$1,122.00	25.00	18.21
Total Disbursements		1,165.01
C. W. Wilber Estate Fund - June 30, 1953		\$9,524.02

Cash on Deposit	Farmington State Bank - Wilber Fund
Notion made by Conroy and supported by Lindbert that tentative approval be granted for the Real Estate Subdivision providing that all lots shall be fifty-five (55) feet at the building line which shall be thirty (30) feet back and that said lots contain a minimum of 6,612 square feet; that the minimum distance between structures shall be not less than twelve (12) feet at the closest point and that all lot-deads have a radius of not less than fifty (50) feet. Motion carried, all yeas.	

Motion made by Lindbert and supported by Conroy that tentative approval be granted for the Alta Loma Park Subdivision provided that property owners be informed as to type of sewer available both by Building Inspector and Subdivision Engineer. Motion carried, all yeas.

Motion made by Cavanaugh and supported by Nourjian that one new Sweden, 3 Total B & S Cash Register, one drawer, be purchased from the National Service Supply Company, at a price of \$4,710.00. Motion carried, all yeas.

Motion made by Nourjian and supported by Conroy that meeting be adjourned. Motion carried, all yeas.

Meeting adjourned at 12:05 a.m.

Move Into New

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up in the building adjoining the present high school to take care of the increase in grade school enrollment.

New equipment for the high school will be delivered directly to the new building, Harrison added. Work is being rushed on the completion of the interior so that the furniture and equipment can be installed in time for the opening of the building in September.

The University of Detroit is the only non-state supported university in Michigan.

Woman Killed

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to the lower lip, shock had a broken one.

Police reports recorded two property damage accidents at Grand River and Middlebelt.

On July 15 at 1:10 a.m. Officer Gordon Miskar arrested Stanley C. Balon after the car Balon was driving smashed into the rear of the scout car, which had been stopped at an intersection.

Balon was ticketed for driving under the influence of liquor. Later in the week he was found guilty and fined \$100 and \$25 costs.

Motion made by Nourjian and supported by Cavanaugh that AMENDMENT TO SECTION 54 OF CHAPTER V OF ORDINANCE NO. C-23-48, OF THE CITY OF FARMINGTON, KNOWN AS TRAFFIC ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR PENALTY FOR OVERTAKING AND PASSING OTHER VEHICLES PROCEEDING IN THE SAME DIRECTION AND NO DRIVING TO LEFT UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS be adopted as follows:

1. That the present code "All light violations \$1.00" which words are part of Schedule X under the heading "Equipment of Ordinance C-23-48, known as Traffic Ordinance, be and the same are hereby stricken, removed and repealed as a part of said Schedule X.

2. That there be added to said Schedule X under the heading "Equipment" the following provisions:

A. Defective Lights \$3.00

B. Improper lights \$5.00

C. No head lights \$5.00

D. No rear lights \$5.00

3. That all other provisions of said Schedule X as amended to date hereof shall remain in full force and effect.

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Kenneth R. Loomis Mayor

Harry W. Moore, City Clerk