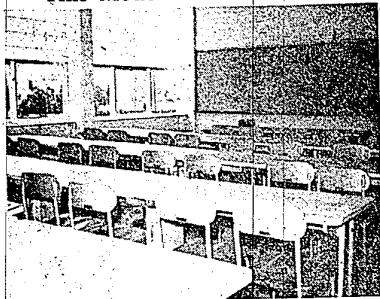


This Modern Classroom - - -



... is a typical example of the fine architecture and excellent planning which has gone into the construction of the new Farmington High School. That pictured above is one of the general classrooms on the second floor of the new building. The room features walls in light pastel shades and an abundance of natural light. The modern blende furniture represents the latest style in functional school equipment.

EXCHANGE CLUB HOLDS INSTALLATION

The first fall meeting of the Farmington Exchange Club took place on Wednesday of this week and principal matter of business was the installation of officers and carrying on organizational procedures in the club.

Mr. Harley Walters will head the club this year and Lee Stevens and Gerald Grace will serve as first and second vice-presidents respectively. Walters succeeds

Oakland County Polio Victims Get Best Care

Personnel, Equipment Needs Have Been Met

Polio-stricken families of Oakland County were assured this week of receiving the best care and attention available due to the extensive preparedness program of the local chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Mrs. Ruth Parrshall, executive secretary of the March of Dimes chapter, today reviewed the program which is ready to cope with the present outbreak of the disease.

An abundance of personnel specially trained in care of polio patients stands ready to answer a call in event of an emergency. Cooperating closely with St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac, the local chapter conducted an institute for sixty registered nurses who could be called upon to assist the able medical committee headed by Dr. Harold R. Mason.

Regarding equipment, Mrs. Parrshall reports three iron lung respirators at the hospital and the availability of as many others as needed from nearby National Foundation depots. A new Emerson iron lung has been donated by the Hazel Park Racing Association. Two rocking beds which aid polio patients also have been acquired, one being donated by the Ferndale Exchange Club.

There also has been purchased an additional portable lung respirator. Emphasizing that no polio vaccine is ready for use this fall and that gamma globulin, the blood derivative found effective as a temporary preventive of paralytic polio, is in critically short supply, Mr. Pierre Delmontier, Farmington, chapter chairman, reported that:

"Polio probably will present much the same problems this late summer as in the recent past. Fortunately," he added, "we are all so much more aware of polio symptoms these days that we can count on early diagnosis and prompt treatment, and many cases will be 'susceptible' for non-polio cases which often can be diagnosed and treated just as well in their own homes as in hospitals."

"No one can foretell the actual number of new cases that will be added to the patient lists of our own chapter," Mr. Delmontier said, "but the National Foundation will not fail any child or adult who needs help."

A financial report presented to the executive board showed that as of August 1, the chapter had paid out \$26,699.30 in March of Dimes funds in aid for 133 prior years' cases.

March of Dimes volunteers distributed information on polio throughout the county with a special message about gamma globulin to parents of all children. This stated that G. G. is given by a physician to members of a stricken family, on orders of the health department, with the cost paid by the National Foundation and the American Red Cross.

CITY OFFICES TO BE CLOSED SATURDAY

Farmington City offices, including the driver's license bureau, will be closed all day Saturday, September 5, prior to Labor Day, James Tennant, City Manager, announced this week.

Only the police department and an emergency crew (by the Department of Public Works) will be on duty over the Labor Day week end. City offices will re-open on Tuesday, September 8.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR of EVENTS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3	
8:00 p.m.	Town Club
8:00 p.m.	American Legion
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7	
12:01 a.m.	Labor Day
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8	
6:30 p.m.	Kiwanis Club
7:30 p.m.	Farm. Lions Club
8:00 p.m.	Township Board
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9	
12:15 p.m.	Exchange Club
1:00 p.m.	Blue Star Mothers
8:00 p.m.	Planning Commission

Schools Predict

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personnel to their teaching staffs. A total of 12 new teachers have been added at Farmington. This total also is in the elementary school and six in the junior-senior high school. Clarenceville has added eight new teachers, four in the elementary and four in the junior-senior high school.

Teachers will report on Tuesday, September 2, for conferences. Both Tuesday and Wednesday will be devoted to general and unit meetings. William J. Emerson, Oakland County Superintendent, will speak to Farmington teachers on Tuesday following a luncheon. His topic will be, "Making Teaching a Profession". Virginia Trap-hagen, consultant for the Detroit Public Schools, will speak to Clarenceville teachers on Wednesday.

Students will begin classes on Thursday morning, September 10. Registration at Farmington high school students will continue through Friday, September 4, at the principal's office in the junior high school on Thomas Street. The book store in the basement of the old grade school will be open during the day from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and on Friday, September 4, from 9:30 to 8:30 p.m.

POLICE EXPECT HEAVY TRAFFIC OVER LABOR DAY

The Farmington City police department will have its usual week end staff on duty over the Labor Day week end to cope with the regular deluge of holiday motorists.

Chief Joseph DeVriendt stated Tuesday that the traffic light at Grand River and Farmington Road will be operated automatically, the method which seems best to handle an expected crowded situation.

Under present plans, one man will be on duty at the desk and two will be on patrol. Other members of the force may be pressed into service if the situation arises.

SEASONAL PEAK NOW APPROACHING FOR POULTRYMEN

Poultry has been a profitable enterprise this year and now when egg prices are starting up toward the seasonal peak, it is well to keep production up. The poultry market looks good for some time ahead.

Care and good management really pay big dividends when applied to poultry. This is especially true during hot weather when hens often stop laying, lose weight or even die. Eggs quality and size are both likely to fall off too.

It will pay to keep your hens cool and comfortable. Be sure they have plenty of clean drinking water; that grit is available and that they are free of vermin. During hot weather it is necessary to feed wet mash to encourage them to eat enough. Feed as much as they will eat in 15 minutes in mid-afternoon.

Culling the flock to eliminate broody hens and other non-producers should be a continuous process now. Chances are they won't get back into production until after you have pullet replacements so you can cut feed costs by culling now.

To keep egg quality up during hot weather it is necessary to gather eggs more often. Eggs should be cooled to 60 degrees or less as soon as possible after laying to maintain Grade A quality.

Fall Named Good Time To Exterminate Moles

Early fall - as well as early spring - is a good time to do something about that unsightly underground visitor - the mole. You can trap the lawn destroyers if you're careful, advises Michigan State College specialists. Moles will clear and repair the lawn which have been munched down or become clogged. So, the specialists say, leave the trap in the munched earth where the mole can dig into it before he realizes the trap is there.

The NCS men also recommend taking care of the moles by destroying their food supply - with an application of chlordane or lead arsenate. The insecticide kills the grub worms which moles feed on.

Older Persons Need Protection Against Accidents

List Rules Providing Safety in Living

What can be done to protect older persons against the rising tide of home and public accidents? This is a question now engaging the attention of more than three million families, throughout the country who have relatives over 65 living with them.

Present day economic problems and a rapidly increasing population over 65 make this a heavy responsibility for all members of the family. Recent achievements in public health and medicine have reduced the death rate by disease in older age brackets, but the accident rate continues to increase. Accidents, principally around the home, result in death or permanent crippling injury for more than 300,000 older persons each year.

Falls comprise the most hazardous type of all, and account for more than 75 per cent of these mishaps. Fifty-eight per cent of the falls occur on home stairways and strangely enough on level walk surfaces, too.

Some of the more important measures that can be taken to safeguard your loved ones over 65 are:

Whether elderly persons live with you or just come to visit, do all you can to make their quarters convenient and free of obstructions to help the record 13 million visitors counted in state parks last year.

Provide bright, shadow-free lighting in all rooms used by them. Night lights are recommended in bedrooms, hallway and bath.

Try to provide assistance to older persons when stairs must be used; keep stairs free of obstructions and well lighted. Handrails are a must on all stairs and steps. Use all commonly used household items, such as dishes and utensils in easily-reached places so that climbing or over-reaching is unnecessary.

Show them how to operate any of the newer electrical or gas appliances, stove or heaters in your home.

Keep your home "fire safe". Remember that older persons are more likely to be injured by fire than younger persons are.

Provide them comfortable but safe footwear, with non-slip soles and sturdy medium or heavy shoes. Encourage elderly persons not to engage in work or chores that are beyond their physical capacity.

When it can be avoided, do not burden grandparents with the responsibility of baby sitting.

Tactfully provide a younger escort when walks on the street or in public are undertaken by aging persons whose sight, hearing or physical reactions endanger them.

Younger persons often fail to recognize the waning physical and mental abilities of older adults until it is too late. Constant alertness of family members is essential to avoid an accidental tragedy in your home.

Board Initiates

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The resolution provides that the repairs will be made on the building as soon as appointed. It further provides that if the Thomas-Wilson Company fails to sign the agreement by the close of business on August 31, the Board will notify the bonding company of the conditions. According to the latest word Thomas-Wilson have agreed to proceed with the work as of September 2, and have the building ready for use by the opening of classes September 10.

The Board also awarded a contract to the W. Parmenter Company for the construction of tie-in sewers at the high school addition. A contract for the purchase of a 70-patcher school bus was awarded to the Superior Transit Coach Company.

Jim O'Leary, University of Detroit halfback, is the only active player on the squad holding a football record at the school. O'Leary established the passing record of nine against Tulare in 1952.

MISS GILDEMEISTER SPEAKS THURSDAY AT TOWN CLUB

The Farmington Town Club will feature a talk by Miss Lenore Gildemeister at its first fall meeting September 3 in Adams Hall of Farmington Universalist Church.

Miss Gildemeister will discuss "My Impressions of Mexico" at the 8:00 p.m. meeting.

A senior at Farmington High School, Miss Gildemeister has just returned from a five weeks' stay in Mexico, where she was an exchange student.

Her discussion will include information about the people and their customs and she will describe some of the landmarks and resorts located near Mexico City.

The hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. John Anderson, Miss Cora Billing, Mrs. Ray Bodinus, Mrs. R. L. Brown, Mrs. Fred Bueser, Mrs. John Clappison and Mrs. Carl Smith.

Two Injured

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reader his license and pay \$100 fine and \$25 costs. Earlier the same day, at approximately 2:45 a.m., Charles John Schloss of 21550 Power Road was arrested for a similar charge. Schloss at first pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined \$100 and \$25 costs. He later appealed the case and was freed on \$250 bond.

City Police Officer Ronald Farrow arrested Michael Plantz, Jr., of 4214 Lamont Street in Drayton Plains on Friday night for speeding.

Plantz, riding a motorcycle, was clocked at traveling 75 miles per hour in the 35 mile per hour zone on Grand River between Nine Mile and Power Roads.

After being stopped and ordered to the Farmington Police station, Plantz took off on Grand River, turned north on Lockway and across a field in an attempted getaway.

Plantz's efforts were rewarded by a night in the Farmington Jail, \$50 fine and \$25 costs for speeding.

Grand Haven Park Leads in Attendance

Early reports indicated attendance would this year be slightly below the record 13 million visitors counted in state parks last year.

Grand Haven state park has passed the million mark in attendance this year. The first in the state park system to reach that figure, the conservation department reports.

Holland is in second place, with a total to date of 721,000 visitors. Following behind are Dodge Park with 525,000, Bay City with 514,000 and Rochester - Utica recreation area with 391,000.

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City Starts Twice-Weekly Garbage Collection

Garbage will be picked up twice a week during September and part of October, James Tennant, City Manager, stated Tuesday.

Pick-up days will be Wednesdays and Saturdays, Tennant added. The twice-weekly collection will continue for approximately six weeks. The city manager stated that the more frequent pick-ups are being provided for the convenience of home canners.

Residents are requested to place their containers at the road-side early Wednesday and Saturday mornings to insure their being emptied.

If you need extra silage space, don't overlook the possibility of trench or bunker storage, advises MSC specialists. Some farmers are building such storage at less than \$1 per ton of silage.

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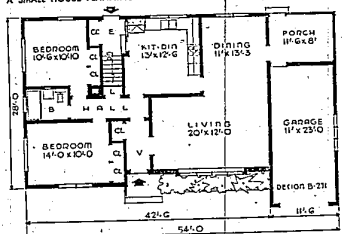
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