

THE MICHIGAN MIRROR

By GENE ALLEMAN

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 lies must exchange with very large ones. Detroit and Britton, a village of 500, provided an excellent example.

Longest distance traveled was for the mayors of Morenci, near the south border of the state, and Ironwood. These men journeyed about 600 miles each way. Had they elected to travel around the west edge of Lake Michigan, they would have passed through portions of three other states: Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin. Greyhound bus lines offered to transport the mayors free of charge.

Towns were urged to drop out the red carpet when the visiting mayor shows up. He was taken on a tour of the city, presented with a miniature display of products his temporary "city" is proud of, and given time to make a booster talk about the virtues of his local community.

The mayor exchange brought home to thousands of people, better perhaps than anything else, the fact that the first Michigan Week in history is taking place. Executives of a Michigan Economic Development Department, the strongest guiding force in making Michigan Week a success, considers the Mayor-swapping plan one of the best ideas to come out of the promotion.

"Strange" mayors controlled more than 400 Michigan cities and villages yesterday, May 5.

The number one citizens of these municipalities swapped places with each other as a feature of Michigan Week, now being celebrated.

The "Exchange of Mayors Day" proved to be the best publicity angle in the week long promotion.

Who would change with whom was determined by a "legal" lottery held at Michigan State College. Nearly 200 people who have been working on Michigan Week were present to watch Gov. G. Mennen Williams, Lt. Governor Clarence A. Held and Speaker of the House Wade Van Valkenberg draw names.

The result made good news. In some instances, very small local-

Farmington Town Club To Hold Annual Meeting

The Town Club of Farmington will hold its annual meeting on Thursday evening, May 6, at 8:00 p.m., with the election of officers to be held. Following the election, standing committees will give reports.

A social hour will close the meeting, with Mrs. Craig Porter serving as hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ralph Bafield, Mrs. Robert Harris, Mrs. George Sherlock, Mrs. Herbert Gregg and Mrs. Virgil Rankin.

John R. Shuttles On Tour With Kalamazoo Singers

John R. Shuttles, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shuttles of 25293 Brookside, is currently on tour with the Kalamazoo College Singers. Mr. Shuttles, a freshman, is one of the group of 45 singers, specializing in both sacred and secular choral masterpieces and novelties.

The College Singers have attracted wide and favorable recognition for the beauty of their choral work, and the literary of their spring tour includes the Detroit and Flint areas.

NOVI. NEWS

By MRS. GEORGE WAITE Phone Northville 1200-W-2

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Kopel of Detroit were Tuesday visitors at the Waite home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garlick were guests of the George Atkinsons at their cottage at Lewiston over the week end.

Diana Hargraves is still confined at the Mt. Carmel Hospital. A group of Novi Methodist Youth Fellowship members attended a district meeting at Ann Arbor on Sunday.

George Dugman has broken ground for his new home on Eleven Mile Road. He will be married to Lois Mitchell on Saturday, May 22, at the First Methodist Church at Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shirliff of Twelve Mile Road are building a new home.

The Edgar Herks have sold their farm and will soon be moving to Fowlerville, where they have bought another farm.

Willis Miller had the misfortune of injuring his left hand last week, requiring 12 stitches. Miss Helen Tamm left on Friday for a six weeks rest at Miami.

St. Paul Ladies Aid Group Set For Banquet May 7

The Ladies Aid of the St. Paul Lutheran Church, Middlebelt and Eight Mile Road, will hold their annual Mother and Daughter Banquet in the Social Hall on Friday, May 7, at 6:30 p.m.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Evelyn Nauyok, president of the Lutheran Home for Girls in Detroit. Feature entertainment will include the well-known magician, Mr. Waldo Hostetter.

Reservations for tickets may be made by calling Farmington 0404-J.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore will be home on Middlebelt Road after a six months' stay in Florida.

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Looking Ahead

By DR. GEORGE S. BENSON

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United States a few years ago: "The FBI has learned that the Communist Party have started a campaign to recruit our children to their ideology. The younger they are, the better." Trying to lead our children toward acceptance of socialist principles is a first strategic step of Leftwingers: We must watch for and resist these efforts, but the emphasis in our work should be placed on inculcating our children with the facts about our American way.

If we "vaccinate" our oncoming generations of children with the positive facts about our system, the great advantages over any other system known, the youngsters then would form the greatest force we could possibly muster for the preservation of our basic principles which have given us individual freedom and a living standard unmatched in world history. It is the citizens' obligation to work effectively toward this educational goal.

Troop 527 Appreciation Dinner Big Success

The Appreciation Dinner of Girl Scout Troop 527, held Tuesday, April 27, at the Baptist Church, was reported by parents and friends as a huge success.

The meal, complete with roast beef, cherry pie, etc., was cooked entirely by the girls in the troop. At the dinner, two new girls were taken on as crew members: Nancy Mitchell and Judy Stakan. Two other girls received their first ratings, called Midshipmante Guard. The girls were Jean Boyne and Mary Ann Ohman.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION OF BOARD OF OAKLAND COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Oakland, duly held at Pontiac, Michigan on the 26th day of April, A. D. 1954, it was determined that the alley hereinafter described shall be absolutely abandoned as a county road:

The public alley runs from Rockcastle Street south 125 feet and is abutted on the west by Lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 and upon the east by Lot 19 of B. G. Wesley's Subdivision, of part of Northwest 1/4 of Northwest 1/4 Section 26, Town 1 North, Range 9 East, Farmington Township, Oakland County, Michigan, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 41 on Page 30 of Plats, Oakland County Records, said alley being 20 feet in width.

Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Oakland, Michigan.

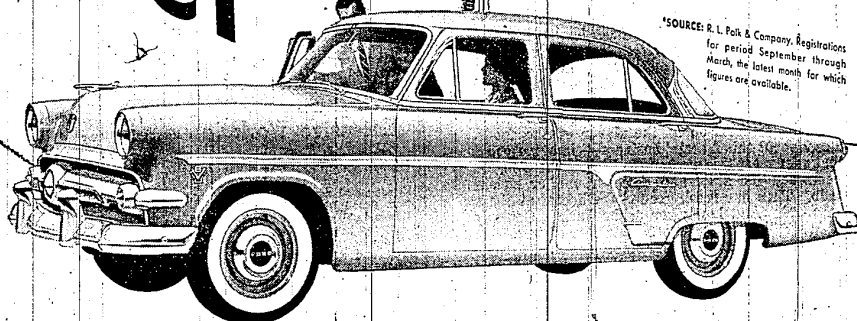
By W. R. Carrigan, Clerk of Board.

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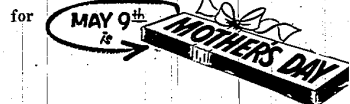
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