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WOMEN'S
PAGEItems of Interest to
Feminine FarmingtonCatholic Sisters Guests
At Civic Theatre Jan. 26

E. J. Hohler, owner of the Civic Theatre in Farmington, invited Sisters from several parishes to attend a show of their choice last week. The group chose the presentation of "White Christmas."

Last Wednesday afternoon Sisters from the different parishes were present for the movie, "Our Lady of Sorrows, Madonna College, Ladywood, St. Michaels of Rosedale, Scholastic, Guardian Angels of Clawson, Saint Marys of Royal Oak, Walled Lake Parish were among the parishes represented.

Mr. Hohler also treated his guests at the candy counter.

Blue Star Mothers
To Meet February 9

The February Business meeting of the Blue Star Mothers will be held at the Town Hall on Wednesday, February 9, at 10 a.m. The Gold Star Mothers of the Farmington Blue Star Mothers chapter will hold a luncheon and card party the same day.

The Gold Star Mothers' luncheon will start at 12:30 p.m. with Mrs. Mae Jarrett serving as chairman.

There will be no meeting of the Blue Star Mothers on February 17 as members will be in attendance at another meeting in the Veterans Memorial Building in Detroit.

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Presbyterian
Church Holds
Annual Meeting

The annual congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian Church of Farmington was held Wednesday, January 26, at the Town Hall. The business of the meeting included reports of the various organizations and the pastor, election of elders and deacons, adoption of the 1955 budget, and action for incorporation and election of trustees.

The Rev. Richard A. Gelfer, local pastor, conducted the worship service and acted as moderator of the meeting. Reports of the church organizations were presented: Church School, Royal Davis, superintendent; Women's Association, Mrs. Mildred Hamilton, president; Presbyterian Men Chapter, Floyd Seale, secretary; Youth Budget, Don Sowers, treasurer; church treasurer's report, James Robertson, treasurer; and Pastor's report, Richard A. Gelfer.

Mrs. Mildred Hamilton, Douglas Hamilton, and Mrs. Sowers were elected as elders for three years, and John Curdier, Clayton Hillis, and Robert Larson were elected as deacons for three years. Ordination and installation of these officers took place at the Morning Worship service last Sunday.

A budget for 1955 of nearly \$20,000 was presented by F. P. McCaskill and accepted by the congregation.

Action toward incorporation of the church was taken and three elders elected to serve as Trustees. James Robertson, John Hurley, and Max Sowers were elected as Trustees.

GROUPS TO BAND
TOGETHER FOR
DAY OF PRAYER

For centuries women have prayed for a better world, individually and in groups. For many years home and foreign mission groups observed days of prayer separately. In 1887, Presbyterian women in the United States designated a day of prayer for home missions and through the years other groups have banded together for a day of prayer.

The World Day of Prayer came into being in 1927 after missionaries spread the word throughout other lands. The first Friday in Lent was chosen as the annual day.

The promotion of the program became the task of the World Day of Prayer committee of the United Council of Church Women, now the General Department, United Church Women of the National Council of Churches of Christ in the United States of America.

A special offering is taken each year for work of the Division of Foreign Missions and Home Missions of the National Council of Churches. A few of the areas of concern are: India, China, Pakistan, Japan, Korea, The French Cameroun, Belgian Congo, and the Indian Americans, low income farming communities, and agricultural migrants.

Christians throughout the world are given an opportunity, on the World Day of Prayer, of uniting in a service of prayer and hope for the future.

New Agent

Mrs. Mary A. Hixon has been appointed demonstration agent in Oakland County for the Michigan Cooperative Extension Service.

A graduate of Farmington High School, State Teachers College with a B. S. degree in education, Mrs. Hixon taught home economics at Ashfield and Foxboro, Massachusetts, and Portland, Maine. She was also a home demonstration agent for the University of Maine Extension Service from 1952 to 1954.

In Oakland County Mrs. Hixon will give homemaking information and help train project leaders in the 93 Home Demonstration Clubs. The County Extension office is located at 1265 West Boulevard in Pontiac.

Mrs. Hixon makes her home in Birmingham.

Rebekahs Hold Installation Friday



Officers for the Edgewood Rebekahs were installed into office Friday evening, January 21, at joint installation ceremonies with the Clarendonville Old Folks. Officers installed were, seated, left to right: Mary Menzies, financial secretary; Nina Vader, vice grand; Eleanor McMahon, noble grand; Lillian Drow, treasurer; and Helen Williams, recording secretary. Standing, left to right: Donna Robbins, L. S. to N. G.; Leta Garlin, inside guard; Mildred LeForge, R. S. to N. G.; Pauline Apple, chaplain; Bessie Rodgers, junior past grand; Mae Jarrett, R. S. to N. G.; Emma Rush, conductor; Irene McLean, warden; Phoebe Hendrie, L. S. to N. G.; and Lillian Williams, outside guard.

Complete Plans
For Fair, Dance

Preparations are completed for the Farmington Town Club's County fair and dance, to be held at the Farmington High School gymnasium on Saturday, February 5, starting at 8:00 p.m.

The program will open with sound dancing and fair activities. Home made baked goods, a variety of needlework and useful white elephants will be on display in the sales booths. Wishing, wells, cracker baskets and other handicraft will be offered by the club-sponsored Brownie Troop, under the supervision of Mrs. Fred A. Cooley. Private readings will be given by Mrs. A. F. Hill, a professional medium.

Amusement games, devoted to test skill and ability, will also prove entertaining. Light refreshments, served outdoor cafe style, will be offered.

In conjunction with the fair, square dancing with an orchestra will be scheduled from 9:00 to 12:00 p.m.

NEWCOMERS CLUB
PLANS VALENTINE
PARTY FEBRUARY 11

The newly-formed Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club of Farmington will hold a Valentine Party on Friday evening, February 11, at the Methodist Church.

First arrangements for the party will be made at a meeting to be held February 9 at the home of Mrs. Jack Lewitt, 23843 Wexley Avenue. The special Valentine Party will be the first attempt to get members of the clergy, the sponsoring merchants of Welcome Wagon, and the new residents of the Farmington community together.

Persons interested in attending the party are requested to call Mrs. T. C. Houston, Farmington 4314-W; Mrs. M. A. Coffin, Farmington 1960-R; or Mrs. H. F. Brown, Farmington 0027-R. Refreshments will be served during the party.

It may be of interest to know that about 4,000 hotels and motor courts in our land accept "guests with dogs."

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GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The last reported meetings of Novi Girl Scout units were held on Wednesday, January 12.

Intermediate Troop 491 devoted the majority of the time to working on a billfold-making project while Brownie Troop 492 studied the fourth Girl Scout Law. Bear bag making was the project for girls in Brownie Troop 493. All three troops met at the Novi School.

Girls of Intermediate Troop 456 met at the home of their leader, Mrs. Jack Eby, on Twelve Mile Road and worked on gifts for their mothers for Valentine's Day and discussed plans for their Valentine party.

Intermediate Troop 460 girls took a hike in back of the school and then journeyed to the Community Building, where they made plans to work on pottery. A letter was sent to a Detroit pottery store, which they hope to visit soon.

Senior Troop girls met at the Community Building in the evening where they played basketball. On the previous Saturday, girls of the troop maintained the March of Dimes booth at Trickey's Hunting and Fishing Store.

Meeting at the school, Brownie Troop 602 made tray favors and pictures for the Farmington Children's Hospital. Mrs. Hunt and Mrs. MacGillivray were special guests at the meeting.

In attendance at the Southern Oakland County Girl Scout Day Camp committee meeting on January 20 was Mrs. Jack Eby. The meeting was held in Huntington Woods. Mrs. Eby is interested in hearing from anyone in the Farmington - Novi Scout District who would like to attend a day camp this year.

Awards were given at a Mothers' Club meeting January 17. Five year pins went to Mrs. George Lien and Mrs. Fred Loynes with "special thanks" awards to Mrs. Georgia Larsen and Mrs. Emma Edelman. The following ladies were invested as Adult Girl Scout committee members: Mrs. Florence Slenz, Mrs. Bonnie Dyne, Mrs. Bernice McCollum, Mrs. Lulu Whittington, Mrs. Dorothy McDermid, Mrs. Marge MacGillivray, Mrs. Vi Bellinger, Mrs. Mary Majra. Several ladies were not present who are entitled to pins and received them at the Neighborhood meeting held Monday, January 24, at the Novi School.

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Mothers Club To Sponsor
Pancake Supper Feb. 12

The Clarendonville Evening Mothers Club will sponsor a Pancake Supper at the Clarendonville High School on Saturday, February 12, from 5:30 until 7:00 p.m. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

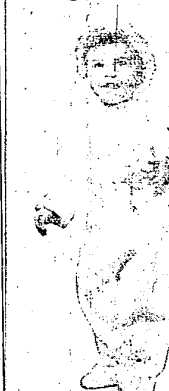
The supper will consist of pancakes, syrup, sausage, apple sauce, dessert, and coffee. Proceeds will be used to help obtain a lighted athletic field for Clarendonville High School.



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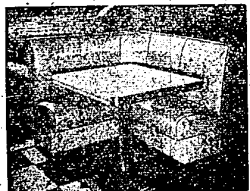
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