

HOW ABOUT THAT

By RALPH TEE For The Farmington Enterprise

THEY TRIED THE SAME THING AT MY HOUSE TOO, BUT I GREETED HIM AT THE DOOR AND TOLD HIM THAT I COULD DO A LOT BETTER FROM MY LOCAL DEALER HERE IN FARMINGTON

MOST ITINERANT SALESMEN ARE HONEST, BUT CHECK WITH YOUR LOCAL DEALER FIRST AND YOU'LL DO A LOT BETTER

Reception Given For Church's New Youth Director

A reception was given the early part of the week at the Southfield Community Church, 2112 Indian Road, for Mr. and Mrs. Howard Redman. Mr. Redman is the new full-time minister of youth and music groups in the church, according to Pastor Raymond Bayne. Mr. Redman is a graduate of the Philadelphia Bible Institute and of the Sacred Music Department of the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago. A baritone soloist and trumpet player, he has traveled widely with musical ensembles presenting gospel music programs.



HOWARD REDMAN

He recently was a soloist at the Tenth Presbyterian Church at Philadelphia where Donald Barnhouse is pastor. Mrs. Redman, the daughter of missionaries to Venezuela, is also a graduate of Moody Bible Institute and is soprano for the Moody Choral on their recent tour to Great Britain. Mr. Redman will be in charge of the five choirs at the church as well as the general musical program and will also direct the youth activities. The youth program of the church is built around its five choirmasters. There is a club for each age group. Included are the Joy Club for Juniors; the Pioneer Club for Primaries; the Crusader Club for Intermediates; the Ambassador Club for high school young people; and the Collegiate group for high school graduates.

Each of these clubs meets on a week night for their rehearsal and devotion and social activity. In addition, there is a monthly outing, skating party, or other special activity. The choirs combine to sing in the church service on Sunday morning. Over 125 youth normally attend the club meetings. Free transportation is provided.

Eagle School Educational Film To Be Shown At PTA Meeting

The Eagle Parent Teachers Association has arranged with the Wayne University Visual Education department to show the film "Passion For Life" at the regular meeting on February 6. The semi-documentary film has gained wide-spread recognition for its excellent portrayal of good teaching practices, intelligent child psychology, and fine emotional stability. It is a feature-length film which is highly entertaining as well as educational. The movie will begin promptly at 8:00 p.m. The regular P. T. A. business meeting will follow the showing of the movie. Refreshments will be provided by third grade mothers under the direction of room mothers Mrs. Milton Greenwall and Mrs. Lester Thibault.

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Drifting About In The Subdivisions

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Begon announced the birth of a daughter, Margaret Lynn, on January 12 at St. Joseph Hospital in Pontiac. There are also two little boys at the Begon home at 28171 Shady side.

The open house ceremonies at the Shawansee School were very successful. About 350 parents of friends, including a large number of Floral Park and Hollywood Sub-

Clarenceville News Items

By Lorna Rice GR. 4-6132

I was asked to remind all my readers of the coming Special Township Election on February 21. Those of you who use the library know that it is very small and inadequate for this growing community. Money to erect the building is available through a tax rebate. Only the maintenance must be provided for through a tax rebate. Get out and vote yes on February 21. How best can you help yourself and your family with a modern library for Farmington.

Mr. Clarence Reniff of Hancock Street retired on Friday. He has worked for the past 20 years at the Ford Rouge plant.

The Farmington V. F. W. Post and Auxiliary held their first party in the new Memorial Home on Orchard Lake Road (Saturday, January 23). Movies, singing, dancing, games, and tape recordings were enjoyed. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, pie, and coffee were then served to the 46 present.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Werschich of Waldron Street received word this week of the birth of their first child. The baby's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Warren Werschich of Norfolk, Virginia. Warren is stationed in Norfolk with the U. S. Navy.

David Oumedian, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oumedian of Waldron Street, is ill at his home with the chicken-pox.

Christopher Garden, two-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gars, care of Albion Street, returned home this week from Mt. Carmel Hospital. Chris spent a few days in the hospital suffering from bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reycheman of St. Clair Shores visited with Mrs. Reycheman's sister-in-law, Mrs. Minnie Fletche of Hancock Street last week.

Philip Peklo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peklo of Oxford Street, underwent surgery on Tuesday in Mt. Carmel Hospital.

Dennis Bassett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bassett of Albion Street celebrated his fifth birthday on Friday, January 22, with party on his boy friends. Games were played and prizes went to Ronnie Tucker and Mike Hines. Movies were also taken of the youngsters. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and pop were served to Keith Brown, Nelson Brandy, more, Rickey Miley, Mike Hines, Richard Cooke, Bobbie Rice, Gregory Garden, Jerry Carl, and Ronnie Tucker, Jimmy Forbes, and Dennis and his sister Sandra.

I would like to say "thanks" to all the people of this area who gave so generously to the Mothers' March last Thursday night. To the people of Albion Street, who gave \$23.81. I wish personally to say "thank you" again.

division residents. Messies have invaded the John Aland, Jr., home at 3490 Bridge-wood. Rossan and Cheryl both are confined with the disease.

Mothers' March captains in this area express thanks this week to all the workers who cooperated with them and to the residents who contributed so generously. Mrs. Callahan reported that volunteers in Springbrook Subdivision turned in \$128.16. Woodbine and Old Colony Subdivisions, under the direction of Mrs. John Wegener, collected \$185.36. Mrs. Klein reported \$117.14 from Springbrook Drive. Mrs. Hanks and Mrs. Romera announced that they collected \$18.00 from the other half of Hollywood.

Little Beth Lord suffered a very painful injury last week when she caught her finger in a door. Her mother, Mrs. George Lord of 2437 Springbrook Drive, rushed her to the hospital for treatment.

Mrs. C. M. Aris of 24542 Springbrook Drive confined to her home with a sprained ankle.

Mrs. John Bedson of Springbrook Drive and Mrs. George Meyers of Novi recently were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Henney in Hillsdale, Michigan.

A family dinner was held in Detroit in celebration of the eighth birthday of Edward Hammond, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hammond, Sr., celebrated their fourteenth anniversary on January 17.

Little Sandra Pratt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Pratt of Pardue, is recovering from the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jarvis announce the arrival of an eight-pound five ounce baby boy on January 23. The Jarvis residence is at 22504 Haynes Street.

Mrs. Clifford Terry of 25435 Brookview entertained 22 Browns and their mothers at a tea recently.

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The maintenance of a standing corps of volunteer nurses ready to help local doctors and nurses cope with emergencies is one of the important jobs of the Red Cross. A total of 650 assignments of Red Cross nurses to major disaster duty were made this past year.

Obituary

Ethel Thayer Marks
A longtime resident of the Farmington area, Ethel Thayer Marks, 68, of Vernon, Michigan, died suddenly on Tuesday of a heart attack. She had lived in this area all her life prior to moving to Vernon about 12 years ago. Survivors include her husband, one son, Howard W. Thayer of Farmington; a brother, George W. Waite of Novi; five step-sons; and one step-daughter. Funeral arrangements are now being made from the Thayer Funeral Home in Farmington.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of Mr. Lawrence O. Carroll wish to express their heartfelt thanks to their many friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and beautiful flowers during their recent bereavement.

Sincerely Yours

Letters submitted to the Editor for publication must be signed. They should be clearly legible and are those of the writer and do not necessarily reflect the policies of this newspaper.

Dear Editor and Fellow Citizens:

Whoa! Whoa! Let's do things right for a change. Let's stop putting the cart before the horse and settle down to being what we really are — namely serious, practical-minded, progressive citizens. Frankly, fellow neighbors, I am very much in favor of this community having a fine new library — but there is a greater need in this town and township than a fine new building with all the latest publications.

The need I speak of is WATER. Personally, I think our township officials are a little nervy asking us to vote to raise our taxes for operation and maintenance of this building.

For general public information I would like to state that there is a large group of us here in this community who have literally been begging to have our taxes raised so water can be brought into our homes as a public utility. We are not asking the impossible. You would think that, however, if you would listen to our local governing group.

Water is a natural resource put on this earth by Almighty God for the use of all. If it is not readily available to some, then every effort should be made to provide it. Cleanliness is a primary requisite to good health. We have all been taught that since early childhood. It's true, there are those to whom it doesn't matter, but they are quite in the minority. To most of us, it is very important.

Let the average, honest, hard-working citizens, want to be clean. We live very ordinary lives. We get up in the morning and rush off to work in order to provide our families with the necessities of life along with a few of the little luxuries. We try to train our children in such a manner that they, in turn, will be Mr. or Mrs. Average Citizen of tomorrow. How on earth are we to be able to raise them properly if, along all things, we are unable to keep them properly clean?

So, good people of Farmington, let us for a change put first things first. Let us have water, then we can consider this new asset to our community, the library. I intend to cast my vote against this new tax on my property. I want water. I think there are a great many here who are of the same opinion as I. Let us coin a slogan — "No Library Until There is Water in All of Farmington Township." Go to Detroit and see how they have done. Let your influence there. Let every one know how really serious we are wanting what we need the most — WATER!

Most sincerely yours,
A Mother of Six Not Too Clean Children.

Lecture On Lincoln Local C.A.P. Unit Now A Squadron Scheduled Feb. 8



DR. LOUIS A. WARREN

The Civil Air Patrol unit of Farmington, formerly a part of another squadron, has now been designated as the Farmington Cadet Squadron and attached directly to the Wing Command by the Air Force, it was disclosed this week.

According to officials, the change was brought about by increased membership in the local unit, good attendance at meetings, and the completion of several highly successful activities.

Dr. Louis A. Warren, an authority on the life and activities of Abraham Lincoln, will speak on Wednesday, February 8, at a public lecture in the Senior High School library at 35000 Shawansee Street.

Dr. Warren's entire life is being and has been devoted to the study of Lincoln and to gathering facts and information about Lincoln. Historian for the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company and director of the Lincoln National Life Foundation, he enjoys a national reputation as an authority on Lincoln.

He is editor of "Lincoln Lore," a one-page bulletin, issued weekly, which is in its 28th year of publication. The bulletin may be found in Farmington's public library, and copies may be obtained at the meeting on February 8.

Dr. Warren is on his 29th speaking tour. He has addressed more than 3,000 organizations in 44 states of the nation; some of the groups are Bar Associations, Literary Societies, School assemblies, historical and patriotic gatherings, etc.

He will come to Farmington for his second visit in three years, directly from a speaking engagement at a luncheon at the Michigan State University at East Lansing and a joint session of the Michigan State Legislature at Lansing. To meet the engagement here, he will be escorted to Farmington by the State Police. The following day, he will speak in Detroit at the Carven Club and in the evening he will address the Detroit Friends of the Library.

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The local-GAP unit has been meeting regularly at the American Legion Home of Post 346 for some time. Officials of the CAP extended a "thank you" to officials of the American Legion Host for the use of the building, and indicated that without such use it is doubtful that this progress would have been possible.

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Annual Cub Scout Banquet Set Feb. 2

The annual Cub Scout Blue and Gold pot luck banquet will be held on February 2 at the Farmington Cub and their families are invited to attend the special program, which will begin at 6:30 p.m. A surprise program is planned.

All dens in Cub Pack 109 are making favors and place mats for the forthcoming Blue and Gold Banquet.

The next Cub Pack committee meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Gordon on February 7. The meeting is located at 27450 Springvalley Drive.

The Ottawa District Cub Leaders' Basic Course and Workshop will begin a six week training course on Wednesday, February 1, at the Farmington Junior High School at 35000 Shawansee Street.

This is a new type of training experience for the district. It is designed to offer course members basic training and at the same time to give them information about various crafts and projects.

A part of each meeting will be spent with the basic training materials. The rest of the meeting will be devoted to new and interesting crafts.

A number of women from this area are already enrolled to take advantage of the special course.

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