

Bel-Air Hills News Tidbits

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David Edmunds, age 10, of Beacon Drive, celebrated the opening of spring baseball practice by being the first catcher in the opening game for the Bel-Air team. David was hit on the side of the forehead by a bat while playing near his home. It was rushed to Mr. Gilder. Six stitches were required to close the wound. The stitches were removed Wednesday and David is once more playing baseball.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Horner of Colchester were host and hostess at a dinner party Saturday night honoring the Frank Hurleys of Birmingham, the Dick Coombs of Livonia and the R. B. Burks of Oak Park.

Neighbors wearing raincoats and carrying umbrellas gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenzie Hill on Leelanau for a winter roast last Saturday night.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. G. Nemeth, Mr. and Mrs. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. C. Nix and Mr. and Mrs. G. Gynas, all of Leelanau; Mr. and Mrs. A. Orloske, Mr. and Mrs. A. Horner, Mr. and Mrs. R. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, all of Colchester; and Mrs. Rowe's cousin, Gordon, and friend Carol. Because of the pouring rain, the party ended up in the Hill's basement.

Mrs. R. Johnson of Colchester was hostess Monday evening for the bazaar group from the Gladys Lutheran Church. The ladies attending continued work for their project for the Christmas Bazaar.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kulbaba of Lamo have a new baby, born May 4. The baby weighed seven pounds three ounces at birth and his name is Mark Peter. The Kulbabas have a little girl, Janice, who is four. Mrs. Kulbaba's mother is presently visiting here from Canada.

The ladies from the First Presbyterian Church of Farmington held their monthly Bible Study meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Betty Rowe of Leelanau.

Mark Murray, celebrating his third birthday Sunday, May 6, with a party. Those attending were his mother and sister, Preston and Shelly, Larry Paulson, Bobby, Sue and Jimmie Sutherland, Paul Richardson, John Jensen, Ann Stohrer and Mark's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray. Ice cream and cake were served.

STATE POLICE SEEK 168 NEW TROOPERS TO BOLSTER FORCE

Michigan State Police have begun recruiting candidates for 168 new trooper positions authorized at the 1956 session of the legislature.

Beginning with the time he enters training school, a new trooper receives \$151 every two weeks, the same as was paid with the pay increase effective in February, gets \$178 beginning with his second year. Pay from the third year on ranges from \$188 every two weeks to \$222 in the trooper rank.

In addition, the trooper receives \$3 a day for subsistence, or about \$75 a month. He gets paid vacation, paid sick leave, extra vacation days beginning with the sixth year of service and longevity pay on the completion of the sixth year.

Uniforms and equipment are supplied and he may room at a post without charge.

At the end of 25 years of service the officer can retire on pension, may remain in the department until age 56. The pension amounts to one half his pay the previous two years and, as soon as he is eligible to retire, goes to his widow in event of his death.

Applications for the 168 positions will be received up to midnight May 30. A civil service examination has been set for June 22, but an evening examination may be added for the convenience of candidates.

An applicant must be at least 21 and 29 years of age, inclusive, not less than five feet, nine inches in height, and in good health. He must have a high school education or its equivalent. Married men as well as single are accepted.

Application blanks may be obtained at any state police post, or from the state civil service commission or Michigan state police headquarters in Lansing.

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Farmington High News

Material for this column is prepared by Members of the Farmington High School Journalism Class

Numerous Petitions In For Student Council Posts, Freshman Yet To File

A total of 37 petitions for tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grade student council representatives have been checked and approved. The ninth grade petitions have not been handed in as yet.

There are 16 tenth grade candidates, of whom eight will be elected. There are 11 eleventh grade candidates, of whom seven will be elected.

Senior High Honor Students

The following students were reported as making the honor roll in the Senior High School for the last marking period:

SINTH GRADE
M. Agge, R. Aman, M. Berling, H. Biggs, M. Burbank, T. Byrtus, G. Carter, M. Chellman, J. Clark, S. Felt, S. Hodges, N. Irwin, C. Johnson, R. Jordan, C. Kappeler, L. J. Larch, J. Lawing, A. LeSage, J. McCamy, J. Mikes, M. Moorhead, D. Novak, D. Parker, T. Rancour, J. Roth, J. Seamon, S. Spicer, N. Stevens, P. Stokosa, D. Van Vuren, N. West, S. White, W. Wright.

TENTH GRADE
A. Allen, V. Beryman, R. Briggs, C. Brown, D. Bryce, P. Chapman, J. Clarke, J. Cook, D. Curtis, M. Durfee, J. Gurnet, James Hanson, R. Heath, R. Jordan, J. Marsh, L. Mrook, N. Ortwin, B. Rasmussen, S. Sandala, C. Scully, N. Smith, P. Whitsett.

ELEVENTH GRADE
N. Beals, B. Beals, K. Boswell, J. Boyce, R. Burke, J. C. Cal, L. Chambers, D. Coffman, T. Davis, D. Ferrante, M. Fisher, E. Hanson, R. Hoffman, J. Hoofnagle, L. Kelly, B. Kucera, S. Larson, N. Leelanau, D. Leelanau, M. Ohman, B. Place, P. Ports, B. Rogers, L. Ross, C. Rozenblom, D. Senoh, D. Stratos, J. Tilder, M. Urbain, M. Walker, S. Walters, D. Warriner, D. Wilkins.

TWELFTH GRADE
G. Abelen, A. Annette, J. Auger, L. Ayres, S. Bunnell, D. Burnett, D. Cargill, R. Demmel, J. Edwards, N. Flack, D. Franjav, W. Fulton, C. Hanson, J. Hohwart, G. Hower, K. Kullgren, B. Landacre, A. Langford, R. Layton, D. Morris, C. Mullen, D. Nichols, J. Oliver, S. Phillips, S. Regent, R. Spaller, N. Spicer, N. Stover, B. Stover, L. Urnhart.

HOLD INTER-LAKES STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING AT F.H.S.

The Farmington Senior High Student Council was host to the other members of the Inter-Lakes Student Council composed of Waterford, Southfield, Berkley, Van Dyke, and Walled Lake at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 2, in the cafeteria and gym.

Waterford brought up the question and said that they would take back the pro and con motion on the situation to their principal. Some suggestions included the possibility of sending only one act, each time a different one, or as a last resort, having the talent from one school go only to one other school a year.

Following the business meeting, the guests were treated to refreshments consisting of ice cream, cookies, and pop in the cafeteria. The students then could have danced in the gym or walked around the building looking at the showcases and other articles of interest at their leisure. Approximately 40 members attended this sixth and final Inter-Lakes Student Council meeting of the year.

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Townline News Mrs. Frazer Hults

The West Farmington Farm Bureau will meet Tuesday evening, May 15, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Inman on Twelve Mile Road. Discussion topic will be "Has the Small Farm a Profitable Future?"

A surprise birthday party honoring Marilyn Gerbes was held Friday evening at the home of Mary Burly on Halsted Road. A group of school friends were invited to help her celebrate. Games were played and a lunch was served.

The Jolly Eight Pedro Club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. James VanDell of Halsted Road as hostess. Honors went to Mrs. Norris Hill, Mrs. Jack Hetrick and Mrs. Hildred Hunt.

Mrs. Herjet Yarian of Glen Muir entertained a group of ladies at a Stanley party Tuesday morning.

Miss Betty Gerds of Galveston, Texas, is spending the week with her parents, the Gerds of Halsted Road. She came here to attend the Hannah - Gerds wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hill entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hill of East Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Gobel Krasnick and four children of Holly at dinner Friday evening.

St. Clair Metropolitan Beach, near Mt. Clemens in Southeastern Michigan, is the world's largest fresh-water beach.

Boy, Girl State Selections Named

Six junior boys and two junior girls have been selected to attend Boys' and Girls' State this year. The boys are as follows: Bob Brewbaker, sponsored by the Kiwanis Club; Don Pember, the Exchange Club; Wesley Jones, City of Farmington; Richard Hoffman, for the American Legion; Tom Kosty, Junior Chamber of Commerce; and Dale Golia, the Lions Club.

The boys will stay at Michigan State University for one week and the girls will be at the University of Michigan for a week. The purpose is for the state government by putting it into actual practice within their own boundaries.

The students will leave right after school is out in June.

The boys were chosen on the basis of academic records, character, citizenship, and service to the school by the Junior Class and faculty.

Joe Vann will bring along well known entertainment and refreshments will be served by the Student Council.

The name of the dance is being withheld until the night of the dance.

The Student Council hopes that everyone will turn out and help make this final dance a huge success.

STUDENTS TO SEE PLAY, "VALPONE," AT WAYNE THEATRE

Thirty-one F. H. S. students will see a performance of "Valpone" tonight, May 10, at the Wayne University Theater. Each year the Wayne dramatic students set aside a day from their regular performances when they perform for high school students at a reduced price.

In the past, the students acted on Shakespearean plays, but this year they have changed to one of Ben Jonson's plays, "Valpone," or "The Fox."

The scene of the play is Venice during the corrupt days of the late Renaissance. Valpone or the Fox and Mosea, the Fly, are a pretty pair of unscrupulous rogues and the plot is a succession of their villainies. Always they are held up to public censure. Through intrigue they escape until the last scene, while the audience awaits impatiently for the axe to fall.

Although the play is thought of as a comedy, the chief characters have such a seriousness to make one believe the play is a tragedy.

The students, from the English IV and V classes, will leave Farmington Senior High at 7:15 p.m. and return shortly after 11:30. They will be chaperoned by Miss Bailey and Miss Carley.

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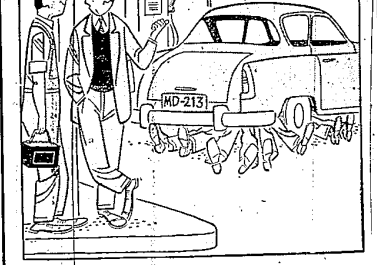
Officers Nominated At G.A.A. Meeting May 2

At the G. A. A. meeting on Wednesday, May 2, nominees for next year's officers were chosen. Those nominees for president were: Jane Boyce, Carol Reed, Janet Cervin, and Mary Ann Ohman. For secretary: Suzie Marlin, Barbara Place, Jane Brown, Jackie Burbank, and Norma West. For treasurer: Linda Kelly, Pam Chapman, and Marilyn Martin. For major sports: Betty Ellis, Barbara Schamaneck, Carol Rozenblom, and Cynthia Scully. Those chosen for minor sports were: Lois Leach, Karen Andrews, Elaine Hanson, Barbara Clayton and Mary Jo Fisher.

At a meeting this week girls will vote on the candidates of their choice.

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