



COMMUNITY BAND—Under the direction of Paul Barber, the Farmington Community Band played in the city assessor's office, and then in the courtroom for the reception and ceremony. (Evert photo)

Hawthorne Paving Ok'd

FARMINGTON The Farmington City Council approved the assessment role for paving Hawthorne between Shiawassee and Fink Monday. The assessment is set at \$12 per front foot for new paving and \$8.50 per foot for sections which need replacing.

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McConnell First Mayor

Continued from 1A Instead of the old December budget and tax rate will not be official until after a public hearing. He estimated the tax increase on a \$15,000 home at approximately \$12 per year. The council moved rapidly through a lengthy agenda, mainly, explained because most of it had been discussed in sessions held before the first official meeting. Meetings of the new city council will be the same as the old township board - the second and fourth Mondays in each month.

Township Now City

Continued from 1A Eric S. Hammar and Rt. Orman and Margaret Rev. Thomas P. Beahan. Schaeffer took the oath. Invocation, and ben- The Farmington Community Band provided music for the occasion, directed by Paul Barber. Fowler summarized the feelings of many people in the audience by quoting from his great-grandfather's diary, one of the original settlers in the area. "It is, in truth, a fine place to live."



GUESTS—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ghesquiere chat with Isabel Heynes (coaster). (Evert photo)

Murray Earns BS Degree

FARMINGTON Jack M. Murray Jr. of Farmington has been awarded a bachelor of science degree from Milliken University, Decatur, Ill. His parents live at 31041 Pointe de la Woods Drive.

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Center Starts Classes

FARMINGTON Landscape painting, ballet and tennis are among the offerings in a series of new summer classes at the Farmington Community Center, scheduled to begin in mid-July. Tennis classes for beginning, intermediate and advanced students will begin July 9, with instruction by Nancy Johnson in the morning and Gary Bodeumiller in the afternoon and evening. Classes are held on the courts of North Farmington High School but registration is at the community center. A third tennis session will begin July 30.

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Other classes scheduled to begin the week of July 9 include landscape painting taught by Marvin Beerbohm; dancing, with Barbara Burgess teaching ballet and tap for all ages and jazz dancing for teens, and Shirley St. Mary teaching tap; and beginning sewing for adults and teens, taught by Jean Thompson. Mrs. Thompson will follow methods designed to prepare students for the intermediate sewing class to be taught in the fall by Irene Macklin.

A series of art classes will begin the following week, including classes for children five to seven taught by Cilla Hill, scheduled to meet on two alternate days a week from 1 to 3 p.m. Harrison High School art teacher Bill Harmon will teach a class for the eight to 11 age group from 9 to 10:45 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, and from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the same days for junior and senior high students. John Wood from Cranbrook Academy will teach drawing and painting beginning July 17 for children eight to 11 and junior and senior high students. Classes will meet on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. The fee for Wood's class is \$23 for nine sessions, for the others, \$16 for six sessions.

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