

Local Man Gets Government Job

The appointment of Jack Howard Smith as director of the copper division, Business and Defense Services Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, was announced Monday by B.D.S.A. administrator Horace B. McCoy. Mr. Smith is East Central district sales manager of the Wolverine Tube Division of Calumet and Hecla, Incorporated.

In accepting this appointment, Smith brings to the agency current expert knowledge of the copper industry, with which he has been associated during his entire business career. He will serve without compensation from the government for a period of six months, during which he will receive training which will qualify him to serve in any future emergency.

Born in Detroit, Smith received his early education in the schools of that city. He was graduated from the Detroit Institute of Technology with a B.S. degree. He attended the Naval Communications School at Harvard University in 1944 and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, New York City, in 1955.

Smith served in the South Pacific while on duty with the U.S. Navy from 1944 to 1946. He was then assigned to the U.S. Navy, New York City, in 1955.

He served in various capacities at their Detroit plant and subsequently became office sales representative, and served in various districts until being appointed East Central District sales manager.

As director of the Copper Division, he succeeds Stuart P. Yeaton, who has returned to his position of general product manager of the Electrical Wire Division of the John A. Roebling's Sons Corporation, Trenton, New Jersey.

Smith is a member of the Detroit Sales Executive Club, American Society of Refrigerating Engineers and the American Management Association.

He maintains residence in Farmington, is married and has three children.

Novi Girl Scout News

Brownie Troop 602 met at the Novi School on November 14, at which time they practiced the finger ceremony and sang songs. For a service project they made Brownie uniforms to be resold. Call 1223-V for further information.

It was reported at the meeting that the unit had sold 87 Girl Scout calendars.

Girls of the Senior Troop met at the home of Sharon Clarke, a Christmas program was presented, and a report on the calendar sale was made. More plans were made for the concession sale at the square dance to be held at the building. The money will be used toward camping projects next year.

Boston coolers were served by the hostesses, after which girls worked on their star project.

Brownie Troop 149 made a Thanksgiving troop in the form of a letter to the Novi Conventual Home. Ann Altfater brought trays and Mrs. Altfater was a special guest.

Intermediate Troop 491 made a favor for Eastman Hospital in Northville. The favors were their cornucopias in fall colors. Mrs. Smith and Sharon Altfater brought treats.

Intermediate Troop met and played Girl Scout records as well as hearing a report on calendar sales.

It is reported that Girl Scout calendars are still available and may be obtained from Mrs. Robert Skellenger of Twelve Mile Road.



HALF-TIME entertainment will be provided by renowned trapeze artists James and Yvonne Garner when the Harlem Globetrotters and the Washington Generals appear here Sunday for a basketball exhibition.

Globetrotters Pitted Against Stiff Competition For Show Here Dec. 2

When the Harlem Globetrotters come to Farmington this Sunday, December 2, residents of the area will not only have the opportunity to see this highly rated basketball team, but also the opportunity to see the Washington Generals, who will provide them with some stiff competition.

The two top-notch teams in the nation will battle it out on the Farmington High School gymnasium hardwood, with the game slated to get underway at 8 p.m.

Basketball fans will not only have an opportunity to see the colorful Globetrotters perform, but also see some high-caliber cage play between these two clubs.

Organized only five seasons ago, the Generals have been going in recognition rapidly and are now rated by many as second only to the Globetrotters as the number one cage team in the nation. Comprised of the highest caliber of players, the Generals team is owned, coached and played on by former Villanova great, Louis "Red" Klotz. Klotz, who proved himself as the pro ranks' best player, is the Philadelphia Spikes of the American and Eastern League, Baltimore Bullets of the National Basketball Association and the famed New York Celtics is a perfectionist. Having proved himself as a player, he has also proved himself popular as a coach and manager, drawing some of the best talent from the graduating college ranks each season.

Klotz, a guard who stands only 5'7", is the midgen on the squad. He is flanked by Ed Huse, 6'8", Jim Gerber, 6'7", Russell Grimes, 6'4", Curt Cunkle, 6'4", and Bill Scott. Tom Scott and Fred Ichle, all 6'3".

These eight men should prove a good test for the Trotters. Returning veterans on the Globetrotters team are Captain Clarence Williams, forward, and Earl Warren, dribbling marvel. "Handy Andy" Johnson, 6'5", from Portland, Oregon; Woodrow Salsberry, 6'7", from Texas Southern University; Willie Gardner, 6'7", all-Ireland state prep champion from Indianapolis. Gardner joined his former team after spending two years overseas with the Army.

Big treat as comedy king is Meadowlark Lemon. Also moving up from Texas Southern is Roman Turley, 6'3", from Atlanta's Clark college and Carl Green, 6'4", from Winston-Salem, North Carolina's Teachers College.

A big added attraction will be a spectacular between halves floor show. Jimmy Garner and his pretty wife, Yvonne, slated as the best act in the business, will perform. They have played in several leading night clubs and theaters across the nation, including the famous El Comodoro in New York.

Also performing will be world table tennis champion, Richard Bergmann.

Tickets for the show Sunday, December 2, are still available.

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Bel-Air Hills News Tidbits

MRS. H. ALLEN GR. 4-6141

Ed Chabala was home from the Veterans' Hospital in Dearborn to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with his family on Leelanau.

Mr. Chabala, paralyzed as the result of a swimming accident, is reportedly showing progress in his fight for recovery as he has some movement in his arms.

According to the plans now being made, Mr. Chabala will be able to spend approximately two weeks here with his family at Christmas time.

Leo Bouchard of Leelanau returned Sunday from a hunting trip in northern Michigan, where he got a six-point buck.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Theisen had their guests for Thanksgiving dinner. Mr. Theisen and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Theisen and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Corliss and their two sons, Ronald and Donald, and his grandmother, Mrs. Delia Corliss, were guests.

Neighbors gathered recently at the home of Mrs. Mary Moss on Leelanau for a pinocchio game including Mrs. Ann Ball, Mrs. Mary Miller, Mrs. Margie Joerger, Mrs. Lois Mulynski, Mrs. Betty Ann Gail, Mrs. Irene Sutter, Mrs. Pat Weir, Mrs. Burns Kubbaba, Mrs. Joan Borchardt, Mrs. Joan M. Kopp, Mrs. Al Campbell and Mrs. Dorothy Vinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Horan and family of Leelanau have returned from a week's vacation in New York.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Jarvis and daughter, Maureen, for Thanksgiving dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shemro and family of Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Sutter of Lamar enjoyed a visit during Thanksgiving week from Mrs. Sutter's daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Vinson of Statesville, North Carolina.

The Doyle N. Vinson family left their home on Lamar Drive last Saturday morning for Huntsville, Alabama, where they will spend a few months before moving on to Georgia.

One of the neighborhood ladies dropped in on Mrs. Dorothy Vinson last week for a farewell get-together and presented her with a suitcase as a going-away present. Those present were Mrs. K. Ockerman, Mrs. Virginia Belcher, Mrs. Lilah Drapenski, Mrs. Agnes Stoddard, Mrs. Marge Kowalski, Mrs. Betty O'Connor, Mrs. Margaret Joiner, Mrs. Margaret Layne, Mrs. Pat Mother and Mrs. Debbie Sullivan.

Mrs. Irene Theisen has a few tickets remaining to the Bel Air ball which will be held December 8, at the Oak Glen Country Club. Anyone desiring a ticket should call Irene at Gr. 4-0325 immediately in order to insure a reservation.

Law To Require Driver Training For All Under 18

Michigan's new driver education law will become fully effective on February 2, 1957.

According to this law, persons under 18 will not be licensed to drive after that date unless they have taken and passed a course in driver education approved by the state.

The law, the first of its kind in the nation, was passed by the legislature in an effort to stop needless slaughter on the highways. The records show that drivers under the age of 25 have more accidents proportionately than older drivers.

The course is available to all persons of this age as all of Michigan's public high schools are offering such a program. Upon successful completion of the course, a certificate is issued to the student which he must show at the time he makes application for an operator's license.

According to Mr. Taylor, the law is being enacted by every state to see what its effect will be. Already Michigan high schools are enrolling more than 60,000 young people in driver education classes.

The approved course includes a minimum of 30 hours of classroom instruction and an average minimum of six hours of behind-the-wheel experience. It has been shown that driver education offered by high schools cuts accidents about one-half.

Most parents will also find that when they make application for automobile insurance, there will be a saving from \$10 to \$40 per year if persons in their family under the age of 25 have successfully completed a course in driver education.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS NOVEMBER 19, 1956

Regular meeting of the Council of the City of Farmington was held November 19, 1956.

Meeting was called to order at 8:05 p.m. by V. O. Bates, Mayor Pro Tem.

Roll Call: Present: Bates, Calkins, Chapman, Cavanaugh. Absent: Lindner.

Motion made by Chapman and seconded by Calkins that minutes of meeting held November 5, 1956, be approved as corrected. Motion carried, all yeas.

CITY OF FARMINGTON Receipts, Disbursements and Fund Balances: October 31, 1956 GENERAL FUND

|                                       |              |              |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Cash on deposit, July 1, 1956         | \$155,971.58 | \$32,745.80  |
| Receipts - Schedule 1                 | 57           |              |
| - water collections                   | 60.52        |              |
| - net receipts water and sewer system | 14.12        |              |
| - decrease gasoline stores            | 156,646.70   |              |
| Total to account for                  |              | \$185,392.59 |
| Disbursements - Schedule 2            | \$105,695.75 |              |
| - prepay special paving assessment    | 5,951.06     |              |
| - payment payroll deductions          | 124.02       |              |
| General Fund Balance                  |              | \$111,772.83 |
| Cash on deposit                       | \$77,621.76  |              |
|                                       | \$77,621.76  |              |

AGENCY FUND

|                              |            |             |
|------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Cash on deposit July 1, 1956 | \$5,000.00 | \$14,373.84 |
| Receipts                     |            | \$11,545.40 |
| Disbursements                |            | \$25,919.24 |
| Agency Fund Balance          |            | \$20,158.00 |
| Cash on deposit              | \$7,612.76 |             |
|                              | \$7,612.76 |             |

DEBT RETIREMENT FUND - Paving Bonds

Receipts

|   |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|
| Alta Loma Paving - Special assessment         | \$2,762.02 | \$3,001.98 |
| - interest - deferred payment                 | 239.96     |            |
| Violet Paving - special assessment            | \$4,405.53 | \$4,633.06 |
| - interest - deferred payment                 | 142.53     |            |
| Lalac Paving - special assessment             |            | \$11.20    |
| Debt Retirement fund - paving bonds - balance |            | \$8,146.24 |
| Cash on deposit                               |            | \$8,146.24 |

CLINTON W. WILBER ESTATE FUND

Cash on deposit, July 1, 1956

|                                       |            |             |
|---------------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Receipts - land contracts - principal | \$1,280.68 | \$5,393.75  |
| - interest                            | 249.32     |             |
| - rents                               | 730.00     |             |
| C. W. Wilber Estate Fund              |            | \$2,060.00  |
| Cash on deposit - Wilber Fund         | \$2,634.75 | \$38,034.75 |
| Investments - Wilber Fund             |            | \$38,034.75 |

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

PETITION RE: All Day Parking on Slocum West of Mayfield.

Motion made by Calkins and seconded by Chapman that the Resolving Schedule be "No Parking at Any Time in the Following Designated Areas" of Ordinance No. C-248 Known as the Traffic Ordinance of the City of Farmington be Adopted as follows:

PARTIAL ESTIMATE OF FARMINGTON RESOLVES:

1. That there is hereby added to Schedule 1 "NO PARKING AT ANY TIME IN THE FOLLOWING DESIGNATED AREAS" of Ordinance No. C-248 known as the Traffic Ordinance of the City of Farmington as follows:

A. Both sides of Slocum Avenue for a distance of 500 feet west of the west line of Mayfield Avenue.

2. That there is hereby added to Schedule IV "TWO HOUR PARKING" of Ordinance No. C-248, the following sections:

A. Both sides of Slocum Avenue between a point 30 feet west of west line Mayfield and Frederick Avenue.

B. Both sides of Mayfield Avenue between the south line of Slocum Avenue and a point 200 feet south thereof.

C. Both sides of Mayfield Avenue between the south line of Slocum Avenue and a point 200 feet south thereof.

D. Both sides of Frederick Avenue between the south line of Slocum Avenue and a point 200 feet south thereof.

This resolution to become effective on publication of minutes of council meeting held November 19, 1956, and the placing of proper road signs.

Motion carried, all yeas.

COMMUNICATION FROM FARMINGTON LIONS CLUB RE: Solicitations For Deserving Boys and Girls Christmas Party. Motion made by Calkins and seconded by Chapman that permission be granted to the Farmington Lions Club to solicit funds for their annual Christmas Party for Deserving Boys and Girls on December 7th, 8th and 15th. Motion carried, all yeas.

REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

REPORT OF CITY MANAGER RE: Joint Recreation Meeting.

RE: Recreation Meeting - Farmington Recreation Commission was requested to outline proposed program, estimate cost, etc. and submit report to joint meeting of representatives of the Council of the City of Farmington, Farmington Township Board and Farmington Township School Board.

Motion carried, all yeas.

MISCELLANEOUS

EMPLOYEES GROUP INSURANCE. Motion made by Calkins and seconded by Chapman that City Manager be authorized to proceed with contract for Group Life Insurance coverage for city employees to be effective as soon as possible. Motion carried, all yeas.

FIRE INSURANCE. Report on rates submitted by City Manager, City Manager and City Treasurer instructed to estimate required amount and submit recommendation.

CLAIMS AND ACCIDENTS. Motion made by Chapman and seconded by Calkins that bills presented for the month of October, 1956, be approved for payment as submitted. AYES: Cavanaugh, Calkins, Bates, Chapman. Motion carried.

PARTIAL ESTIMATE FLORAL PARK STORM SEWERS. Motion made by Cavanaugh and seconded by Chapman that Final Estimate - Floral Park Storm Sewer in the amount of \$1,152.15 and final estimate for Lakeway Sewer in the amount of \$1,810, a final estimate be approved for payment to the Joseph A. Gerard Company. AYES: Chapman, Bates, Calkins, Cavanaugh. Motion carried.

SECOND PARTIAL ESTIMATE PUMPING STATION. Motion made by Calkins and seconded by Chapman that second partial estimate for Pumping Station in the amount of \$6,422.67 be approved for payment to S & S Construction Company. AYES: Bates, Cavanaugh, Calkins, Chapman. Motion carried.

FOURTH PARTIAL ESTIMATE INTERCEPTOR SEWER. Motion made by Calkins and seconded by Chapman that fourth partial estimate for Interceptor in the amount of \$4,815.20 be approved for payment to Tri-Con Construction Company. AYES: Calkins, Cavanaugh, Bates, Chapman. Motion carried.

PARTIAL ESTIMATE FLORAL PARK PAVING. Motion made by Calkins and seconded by Chapman that first partial estimate for Floral Park Paving in the amount of \$38,000 be approved for payment to the Joseph A. Gerard Company. AYES: Bates, Calkins, Cavanaugh. Motion carried.

FINAL ESTIMATE FARMINGTON ROAD WATER MAIN. Motion made by Calkins and seconded by Chapman that final estimate for Farmington Road Water Main be approved for payment in the amount of \$1,263.40 to Utilities Installation Company subject to city manager's receipt of written kind of City Engineer. AYES: Cavanaugh, Calkins, Bates, Chapman. Motion carried.

COMMUNICATION FROM LANGLOIS TOOL & DIE CORPORATION. City Manager to meet with Council and representatives of Langlois Tool & Die Company.

SHIAWASSEE-BEL-AIR HILLS SUBDIVISION GRADE. City Manager instructed to check with the City Engineer and representatives of the City Engineer and City Manager instructed to investigate drainage at the south end of Bel-Air Subdivision west of Prospect and to submit report to City Manager. City Manager also instructed to obtain estimates for labor and material for installation of underground drain.

Motion made by Cavanaugh and seconded by Chapman that meeting adjourn. Motion carried, all yeas.

Meeting adjourned at 10:05 p.m.

V. O. BATES, Mayor Pro Tem.  
KATHRYN D. COTTER, City Clerk.

Dinner guests Thanksgiving Day of Mr. and Mrs. William Knapp were Mr. and Mrs. William Westlake and Bonnie.

Spending the week-end with his parents at Saginaw were Mr. and Mrs. Ryburn Stanzel and daughter, Ann, of Twelve Mile Road.

Left-Over Rice Can Be Warmed -- Used Over

Should you make too much cooked rice for use at one time, you can keep it for future use. To do this, cover it and put it in a cold place.

To reheat rice, steam it in a colander or sieve over boiling water. Or add a few tablespoons of water to the rice and heat it in a covered pan over boiling water in the oven. Stir the rice once or twice with a fork while it is heating.

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SPECIAL ELECTION

To The Qualified Electors of the

CITY OF FARMINGTON

County of Oakland, Michigan

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Special Election Will Be Held On

Wednesday, December 12, 1956

At the respective polling places hereinafter designated:

PRECINCT No. 1 - Junior High School Cafeteria, 33000 Thomas

PRECINCT No. 2 - American Legion Home 31775 Grand River

PRECINCT No. 3 - Farmington Senior High School, 32000 Shiawassee.

For the purpose of voting on the following proposal:

Shall the ordinance duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Farmington, upon the 15th day of October, 1956, entitled as follows:

AN ORDINANCE, granting to CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY, its successors and assigns, the right, power and authority to lay, maintain and operate gas mains, pipes and services on, along, across and under the highways, streets, alleys, bridges and other public places, and to do a local gas business in the City of Farmington, Oakland County, Michigan, for a period of thirty years

be ratified and approved?

NOTICE RELATIVE TO OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE POLLS

Section 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon and shall be continued open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

KATHRYN COTTER, City Clerk.

Nov. 29-Dec. 6