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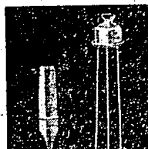
TELEPHONE lines

SHOW IS FUN FOR THE kids. But it sure can be disappointing for grown-ups, especially when it means that trips to visit friends and relatives have to be called off. Don't let the miles keep you apart when blizzards blow and the weather isn't fit for man or beast. Get together by telephone. Long distance rates are low and you can talk as long as you want. Remember, when Old Man Winter spoils your trip, enjoy a visit the comfortable way—by telephone.

EVER THINK HOW convenient public telephones are? They're your phone away from home. When you're out shopping or traveling, the public telephone is the best way for you to keep in touch. Call home if you've forgotten something or want to check on the children. Call ahead to let folks know if you're going to be late. Public phones, whether in convenient outside booths or in the stores where you shop, are ready to handle your calls. Let them help keep your mind at ease.



THE TINY TRANSISTOR
 The tiny transistor (shown here with a pin point to give you an idea of its size) is an electronic marvel. One of these days when you make a Long Distance call, your telephone operator will use transistors like this to help put you call through. This tiny electronic device generates musical tones which will automatically connect you with the number you're calling. For inventing transistors, three telephone scientists working at Bell Laboratories were recently awarded the Nobel Prize.




THE DRAFTING of a suggested Constitution and By-Laws for the formation of a permanent League of Subdivision Associations in Farmington Township, is the principal objective of these members of the temporary Board of Directors. The group met last week at the home of Elliott Rogers to formulate the basic plan for the Constitution and By-Laws. They will meet again this week to elect officers and to discuss the first draft of the proposed Constitution. The members of the Board, left to right, are: Elliott Rogers, Robert Nelson, Charles McCaughan, George Squires, Frederic Fairfield and L. W. Beak. Other members of the Board not pictured are: Kenneth Fusco, Arnold Michlin and Robert Burton.

Farmington High School News

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

Taking Red Cross First Aid Course

Members of the Future Nurses Club are currently taking part in a Standard American Red Cross First Aid Course with Mrs. Hummel of Royal Oak serving as instructor.

The course was arranged for the 15 participants by Miss Dwyer, the school nurse.

The girls meet for a two hour class each Monday afternoon. They have completed two weeks of the course.

Upon completion of the entire course each girl will receive a Junior Red Cross First Aid Certificate if under age 16 or a Senior Certificate if she is 16 or older.

To Attend Science Youth Program

Daphne Curtis, F.H.S. junior, has been selected to attend the first national Science Youth Day, February 11, in Detroit.

The day, planned as an annual event, will call to the attention of the young people youth opportunities in science and engineering.

The 1957 program, sponsored by the Thomas Alva Edison Foundation, is on the occasion of Edison's 110th birthday anniversary. The Engineering Society of Detroit is cooperating in the Detroit Metropolitan Area.

Daphne, hosted by one of the seven participating companies, will have a full day including tours, demonstrations and discussions by prominent industrial and educational leaders.

NOVI NEWS
 By MRS. GEORGE WAITE
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All-League Band To Give Concert At Clarenceville

The first concert to be given by the Wayne-Oakland County League Band will be presented Tuesday evening, January 22, at Clarenceville High School starting at 8 p.m. Other concerts will be presented later at West Bloomfield, Clarkston and Northville.

Comprised of members from all eight Wayne-Oakland League schools, the All-League Band has presented concerts for several years. The 66 members of this year's band were selected following try-outs for members of the various high school bands in the league held earlier in the year. Selected to play in the band from Clarenceville were Beverly Hildebrandt, Mike Keller and Gretchen Van Camp.

Because of the careful screening of members for the band, a high degree of musicianship is maintained and the band approaches a professional quality, it was indicated.

Included among the nine works to be presented at the first concert will be Dvorak's "Finnale from the New World Symphony," Rogers' "South Pacific" selection, and Sousa's "Manhattan Beach" march.

Obedience is the mother of success, and is wedded to safety. —Aeschylus

NOVI NEWS
 Mr. and Mrs. William Hanson, Sr., and Mrs. Lillie Leavenworth spent Sunday night with the former's daughter and family in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Carl Evans and Lillie daughter spent Wednesday with Mrs. Evans mother in Royal Oak to help her celebrate her birthday.

Ed Richter of Pontiac, formerly of Novi, passed away last Tuesday at his home. Funeral services were held on Friday at the Castleline Funeral Home with burial in Novi. He leaves his brother John of Novi, his mother and another brother to survive.

Charles Trickey Jr. and son Chuckie motored to Washington D. C. last Friday for the president's inauguration ceremonies.

The R. E. Wards and George Waites will leave next week for Florida for a month's vacation.

The old Hill home on Ten Mile Road was destroyed by fire last Wednesday putting two families out of a home. It is understood that they have now located living quarters in Walled Lake.

Edward Rix of Plymouth, formerly of Novi, has been confined to Maybury Sanatorium. Cards from his friends in this area would be appreciated, it was indicated.

The Nastick family left recently for Florida to spend the remainder of the winter.

Jr.-Sr. High PTA Reviews By-Laws

By-laws for the Junior Senior High PTA were presented and accepted at a regular meeting of the group held last week. The proposed changes in the by-laws will be voted on at the next regular PTA meeting, it was indicated.

A report was made by Vern May, safety chairman, with the assistance of Byron Oliver, Junior High School principal, on the efforts being made to provide safety measures for children crossing Grand River Avenue to and from the Junior High school. A committee was appointed to present proposed safety recommendations to the property school authorities.

The richest blessings are obtained by labor. —Mary Baker Eddy

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NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS
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It is necessary that all dog owners in Oakland County produce a certificate that their dog (or dogs) has been vaccinated against rabies within the last 12 months before township residents or city residents of Farmington can receive a 1957 dog license from their respective treasurers.

If such owners do not possess such a certificate, the same may be obtained from their local Veterinarian or at one of the county-operated clinics which will be held at the following listed locations:

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27
 Farmington Twp. Fire Hall — 21420 Wheeler St., Farmington
 Independence Twp. Fire Hall — Church Street, Clarkston

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2
 Highland Twp. Fire Hall — Highland
 Avon Township Hall — 276 West Auburn Rd.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3
 Holly Fire Hall — Holly
 Oakland County Animal Shelter — 1200 East Walton Blvd., Pontiac

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9
 West Bloomfield Twp. Fire Hall — South Willow Beach Dr., Keego Harbor
 White Lake Twp. Fire Hall — M-59 and Porter Rd.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10
 Novi Twp. Hall — Novi Road, Novi
 Waterford Twp. Fire Hall — 4995 Highland-Rd., Waterford

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 17
 Walled Lake City Fire Hall — Walled Lake
 Troy Twp. Fire Hall — 2788 Rochester Rd.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 24
 Orionville Fire Hall — Orionville
 Oakland County Animal Shelter — 1200 East Walton Blvd., Pontiac

The 1957 Dog Licenses will also be available at the above listed clinics.

License Fees:

Male Dog	\$1.00
Female Dog	2.00
Unsexed Dog	1.00

ON MARCH 1, 1957 THE ABOVE FEES WILL BE DOUBLED

Fee for rabies vaccinations at county clinics is \$2.00 per dog.

Indigent or other persons who are unable to pay the vaccination fee will receive the services without charge provided reasonable proof is offered of their financial condition.

**OAKLAND COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH,
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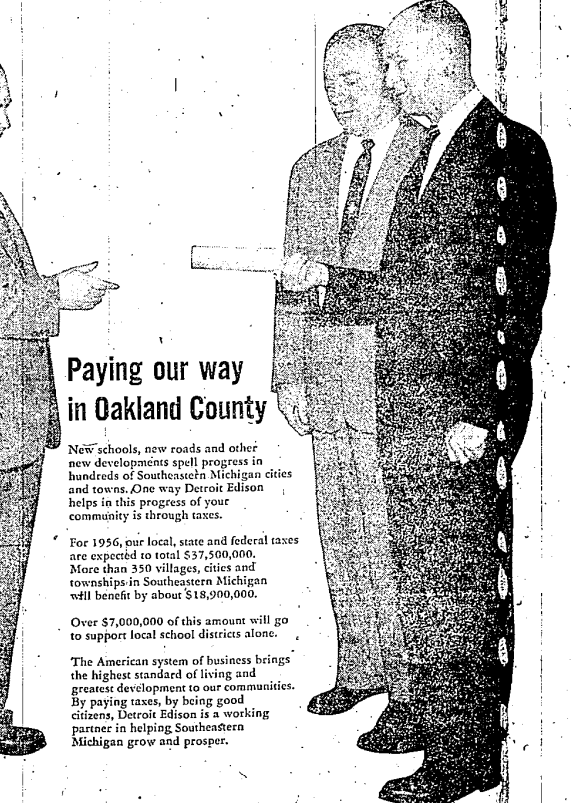
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A TYPICAL TRANSACTION IN OAKLAND COUNTY AT THIS TIME OF YEAR
 Walter A. Giddings (left), Pontiac City Treasurer, receives tax check from Anthony G. Maibor, Edison Director of Taxes. This is 1/4 of the \$1,366,000 in taxes Detroit Edison pays in Oakland County. Looking on is Howard L. Canfield, Edison Oakland District Manager.

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