

# The Farmington Enterprise

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## In Charge Of Providence Hospital Tea Program

Program chairman for the Annual Membership Tea of the Providence Hospital, Alumnae Association, will be held Sunday, October 13, at the Nurses Home will be Miss Agnes McMenemy of 2794 Green Willow Road. The tea will be held from 2 to 5 p.m.

Assistant director of nurses at Providence, Miss McMenemy will assist other Board members with pouring.

In charge of the affair this year are members of the 1937 graduating class. Mrs. Harlow Bates is chairman and Mrs. John Courtney is co-chairman.

## Town Club Meet Planned Tonight

Members of Town Club of Farmington will hold their October meeting on Thursday evening, October 3, at Adams Hall in the Universalist Church. The meeting will begin promptly at 8:00 p.m. (Painting As A Hobby) will be the topic of the speaker, Mrs. Shirley McDaniel. Hostesses for the evening are Mrs. Carl Hunt, Mrs. George Sherlock, Mrs. Walter Lange, Mrs. Willis Dix and Mrs. Robert Brown.

All members are urged to attend as prospective members will be voted upon at this meeting.

## BACK TO MSU

Sue Rinde returned last week to Michigan State University, where she is enrolled as a senior. She will receive her B. S. Degree in Elementary Education this June.

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## Annual Attic Sale Set For Friday

Arrangements are now being completed for the Attic Sale, held annually under the sponsorship of Town Club of Farmington, Mrs. Arthur Miller, chairman disclosed. The sale will be held on Friday, October 4, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Salem Evangelical and Reformed Church.

Members of Town Club have been collecting a quantity of usable housewares, clothing, small appliances and other items. These will be offered for sale, at a nominal charge.

Anyone having articles they wish to contribute may have them picked up by calling Mrs. Millard at CR. 4-2345. It would be helpful if all clothing could be marked for size. Mrs. Millard commented.

All proceeds from the Attic Sale are used for the Town Club's civic and welfare program.

## Mercy League Tea Planned Oct. 9

The attractive Georgian Colonial home of Mrs. Stanley A. Carter on Lone Pine Road will be the setting for the Mercy League of Mercy College Fall Tea, Wednesday, October 9, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

One of the League Board members taking part of the many coordinating duties for the Tea is Mrs. E. M. Barden, 33921 Moore Drive, Farmington.

Mrs. John J. Powers of Fox Chase Road, Birmingham, general chairman of the subscription tea. Proceeds will go into the Mercy College Library Building Fund, inaugurated by the League last year.

Handling the all important job of invitations is Mrs. A. Jerome Geisler, Wing Lake Road, Birmingham and Mrs. Louis Janacek, Cherry-lawn avenue, Detroit.

Mrs. T. A. Blessing, Lewiston Road, Grosse Pointe, chairman of decorations and catering, has been working closely with Mrs. Stanley A. Carter at the latter's beautiful home in the midst of 13 acres of magnificently landscaped grounds. The Carter residence has been noted for many years as one of the showplaces of Bloomfield Hills.

Traffic Officer (stopping motorist): "Sir, your wife fell out of the car three blocks back."

Motorist: "So that's it. I thought I'd gone stone deaf."



**ANOTHER LOAD** of usable household goods and clothing are brought into the First Methodist Church as members of the Women's Society of Christian Service conclude rummage sale will be conducted from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the basement of the First Methodist Church on Grand River at Warner Street.

They carry more items into the church for the sale, right to left, are Mrs. A. McGaw, chairman; Mrs. Ben Bonner and Mrs. Russell Valentine. The sale will be conducted from 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the basement of the First Methodist Church on Grand River at Warner Street.

## Players Select Original Play By Local Writer

Following careful study and review to determine what type of stage production is most enjoyed by residents of the community, the Farmington Players have now selected their forthcoming production.

The play selected is "The Bay Is Green" which will be presented in The Players' Barn of 12 Mile at Paver Road in mid-November. The exact dates have not yet been set.

This is the original and first showing of the production written by a local resident, Donald A. Yates of Kendallwood Subdivision, who was revealed as a playwright during an area-wide survey.

Last summer the Farmington Players conducted the survey of the Farmington area. Response to this survey revealed that most people wanted to see the Players do a serious drama rather than a light comedy. The response also indicated the preference to see a play that means rather than one with little more to offer than a series of jokes.

The survey also revealed a local playwright by avocation Donald A. Yates of Farmington. The local playwright, Mr. Yates, is a teacher at Michigan State University by profession. He also writes reviews, articles and other publications and won the Avery Hopwood Award in 1954 for his script "Three One Act Plays".

## C. A. P. Seeking More Members

A membership drive is now being conducted by the Farmington Civil Air Patrol with an invitation being extended to all young men and women in the area over 14 years of age to join.

The Civil Air Patrol is composed of men and women volunteers who have joined together to serve their country and further national interest in aviation. The Civil Air Patrol engages in search and rescue work.

Among the numerous opportunities offered cadets training under the Civil Air Patrol program is the study of aviation, participation in drill competition, encampments at Air Force bases and several social activities.

The local Civil Air Patrol unit has recently acquired use of facilities at the new O. E. Dunckel Junior High School which will permit the expansion and improvement of various activities under the Civil Air Patrol cadet program, officials said.

For further information about the local C. A. P. unit call either MA 6-3892 or MA 6-3006 between the hours of 4 and 9 p.m.

## THANK YOU

A "thank you" was extended this week by the Board of Directors of the Farmington Area Community House Association including Joseph McHugh, president and chairman, to all clubs and organizations who helped in making the benefit "Our Town" Day program the tremendous success it was.

## Art Exhibit Set For October 5-13

An art exhibit, "The Collectors' Exhibit — Art to Live With," will be put on by the Bloomfield Art Association at the association's gallery at 351 North Woodward from October 5 thru 13.

Shows will be presented at 2, 5, 7:30 and 9 p.m.

Paintings and sculpture to be exhibited have been loaned from private collections in the Birmingham and Bloomfield areas and are being shown for the first time by the public, Robert Thom, art association president said.

Over 40 pieces of art have been selected for showing.

The Bloomfield Art Association is a new group formed out of enthusiasm of residents of that area only a few months ago. Initial efforts of the organization were so successful that it presently numbers nearly 400 members.

A somewhat different approach to the subject of art has been in evidence through the operations of the association, its President explained, inasmuch as one of its major objectives has been to bring art within the grasp of everyone.

Mr. Thom said that the Bloomfield group has likened its philosophy to that of the summer theater type of operation — putting the best on exhibit through the efforts of all its local members.

## Seek Overweight Women Members

Would you like to trade 25 pounds for \$35.00? That is what four women have already done in the Farmington area, and five more are close to their goal of losing 25 pounds or more, officials of the local Women's Self Improvement Class said.

The group elected new officers last Thursday evening, and plans are being laid for an interesting winter program. The women meet every Thursday evening, to exchange ideas, help one another with their problems and listen to speakers on self improvement.

With these new plans in mind, the class is seeking new members. The group meets at the Farmington High School every Thursday evening at 7:30.

Those wishing more information about the group, please call GR 4-9644, Mrs. David Krings, the new president; or Mrs. Dorothy Miller, one of the women who has attained her goal of weight loss, at GR 4-1242.

## Try An Enterprise Classified Ad!

### NOTICE

Persons wishing wedding or engagement pictures published in The Farmington Enterprise are reminded that a small charge is made to help defray the cost of having photo engravings made.

However, payment will be required prior to the running of the picture. When wedding pictures are to be submitted through a studio, arrangements should be made directly with the paper to pay charges in advance.

All pictures must be at The Enterprise not later than noon Saturday for publication the following Thursday. Whenever possible, it is requested that pictures and information for accompanying stories be submitted earlier. Stories are published free of charge.

## WOMEN'S PAGE

Items of Interest to Feminine Farmington

## Conservationist To Speak Oct. 7

The Farmington Garden Club will meet Monday, October 7, at Knox House on Farmington Road. Conservation Chairman Mrs. H. F. Brown will introduce Paul M. Barrett, Extension Specialist for Conservation and Land Use for the Michigan Department of Conservation, who will be the guest speaker and will show pictures about his work.

Prior to the program, promptly at 12:30 p.m., dessert and coffee will be served. Mrs. W. B. DeGree is chairman of the hostesses. She will be assisted by Mrs. Robert Boys, Mrs. Stanley Church, Mrs. E. E. McCane, Mrs. E. L. Monahan, Mrs. Wilbur Smalley, and Mrs. W. W. Slocum.

MIMEOGRAPHING — GR. 4-1306

## Palette And Brush To Exhibit Oct. 4, 5, 6

Palette & Brush club will hold an exhibit and sale of paintings at Northland Center grounds Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 4, 5 and 6. There will also be painting demonstrations by members.

The exhibit will be from 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. the first two days, and on Sunday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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