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Any sense of performance is worth a whole world of promise. —William Dean Howells

**Committees for C-C Approved**

Policy and plans for the coming year occupied the Farmington Chamber of Commerce at a directors meeting last Friday and membership breakfast Tuesday morning at Guffin's.

At the board meeting changes in standing committees were decided, and these committees were approved by members Tuesday.

SEVERAL new or re-grouped committees are planned. They include Publicity, membership, Christmas decorations, congressional action, health and education, program, and a combined committee for retail, industrial and commercial planning and development.

There will also be an economic discussion group headed by Russ Ellis, with a 17-session program. Membership in the Chamber is not required to participate in the study, and anyone interested should contact Mr. Ellis.

PRESIDENT Harry Farmer said a Sessionnaire is going to all members asking preferences on meeting plans, membership on committees, and also suggestions and criticisms as to policies, dues and plans.

Minor changes in the by-laws were approved and will be presented to members by the next monthly meeting. The board also approved a report completed last year by the tax committee. This comprehensive picture of the city and township tax structure will be printed and distributed to members and various officials and community leaders.

About 10,500 meals a day will be served to the crew of 3,500 aboard the Navy's newest 60,000 ton giant aircraft carrier, USS Independence.

Every civilization rests on a set of promises. —Herbert Agar

Peace is the promise and reward of righteousness. —Mary Baker Eddy.

What's Happening in Your Township

BY FRANK STEPHENSON  
Township Supervisor

As promised in my Christmas message, this column was to be continued (after several months' absence) in order to keep all citizens fully informed on matters relative to their general health, safety, and welfare.

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We were able to pick up 477 acres which have been previously described with the wrong tax plate number.

With the petitions now completed, we can proceed to settle this very important matter. We are trying to get from the Bonding Attorney, Engineers and the Financial Consultant all necessary data in order to prepare our application to the Michigan Municipal Finance Commission.

Several months ago we asked the City of Farmington to join us in the creation of a Water Authority, while the city Commission agreed it would be we have been unable to get together with them since that first meeting, so we are now preparing to go it alone.

Tuesday, January 6, bids for the construction of the Farmington Interceptor Sewer were to be opened by the Oakland County D.P.W. If the bids in order will be a short time until the bonds are on the market.

This reminds me to mention once again, that Subdivisions wanting sewer services should start their petitions now. (see NOTICE this paper).

We want to thank the residents of both the City and Township for their very generous support to the O'Hara family who are now comfortably settled in Redford. The O'Hara home was located in a part of the "dry area" and while our firemen did a superb job of firefighting and saving the adjoining homes with a few inches of water the results could have been very disastrous in further loss of property, and possibly many lives. Two other fires occurred at the same time in other parts of the "dry area."

—Surely this must be a warning to us all not to drag our feet in the matter of water for the "dry area."

It is well to learn caution by the misfortunes of other—Publius Syrus.

**Dick Lam Edged In Wrestling Tournament**

A close defeat by Joe Freeman of Berkley was all that kept Farmington's Dick Lam from advancing to the finals of the Melvindale Novice Tournament last week.

Lam was outpointed 5-3 by Freeman in the semi-final round and as a result placed third in the 28 man final by going on to win two consolation round bouts.

In earlier matches Lam won over three opponents, two of them by pins, to advance to the semi's. In a first round bout he outpointed Martin of Fordon 10-0. In the next two rounds he pinned Wade of Melvindale and Hopkins of Corunna to set the stage for the semi-final bout with Freeman.

Lam outpointed Rogalski of Ann Arbor 18, Thomas and Barker of Allot Park in consolation matches to finish in third place in the meet.



**COLLEGE GRANT winner Janell Luebs (right) of 24328 Power, Farmington, was one of 48 Detroit Edison Scholarship students honored by Edison at a luncheon in Detroit on Monday, December 28.**

With her to mark the occasion was her sister, Georgia Luebs. A graduate of Cooley High School in Detroit, Janell is now studying physics at Eastern Michigan College.

Offered annually by Detroit Edison, the college study grants are awarded on the basis of scholastic ability, character, citizenship and school activities.

**Cville Studies School Lunch**

Less federal surplus foods are now available for school lunches, so the Clarenceville Public School board is studying possible means of making up "lost" losses on lunches.

It will be brought up at the January meeting of the board of education.

AN INCREASE in lunch prices may be necessary at January, and prices are still advancing. The district twice this year has adjusted hours of the cooks to cut costs, and has made other economies.

Major portion of the food must be bought from lunch sales receipts. At no time is all the food for the cafeteria furnished by the government. Only farm products which are in surplus and for which congress authorizes purchases are made available to schools.

This year the amount of meat donated has been very small, increasing local costs. Even those foods which are donated by USDA to schools are not entirely free. Handling costs are assessed on all commodities. In most cases this cost is small in comparison with the true value, but other times where weight or bulk are involved, the products may not be much cheaper than the local market price.

Federal regulations demand certain elements and amounts be provided to qualify a school for the program.

The school thus faces the alternatives of raising prices or serving less desirable meals, or a combination of the two.

**Business Briefs**

**Dancers' Chain Is Part of Big Merger**

D & C Stores, Inc., which is the dance chain of variety stores, is taking a huge step forward through a merger with the big H. L. Green Co., an expanding national variety chain with 322 stores in this country and Canada. There are only 23 stores in the Dance Group.

D & C, founded in Romeo 32 years ago, has in addition to the Farmington store, firms located at Northville, Plymouth, Walled Lake, Brighton and other spots in Michigan.

J. H. Dancer, 68, and P. C. Dancer, 65, transacted the merger which involves exchange of stock and cash. Their company, which has 45 stockholders, now operates from Stockbridge headquarters and has \$5 million dollars in annual sales. They also own and operate the "Stockbridge State Bank."

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The program is sponsored by the Michigan Hot Rod Association.

As an added attraction this year, the M.H.R.A. will present a huge variety show featuring "one of the nation's top recording stars."

The annual display of cars will be held in the Coliseum and Exhibitions buildings due to the huge number of entries. This is the biggest show ever, officials commented.

Proceeds of the event will be used to complete and to modernize the 43-acre race track, the near Salford Field. The M.H.R.A. has spent more than \$50,000 to date on the project but still has a long ways to go before it will match the strips in California and other West Coast states.

The association's membership of more than 1,000 from 23 clubs in Michigan has an average from 17 to 28, all dedicated to the promotion of interest in hot rods and drag racing.

Each club will have an exhibit in the Autorama along with organizations from Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Missouri and Windsor, Chatham, Toronto and London in Ontario.

Show time is 12 noon to 11:00 p.m. daily. There will be one show Friday at 8:30. Saturday and Sunday there will be three shows, 2:00, 5:00 and 8:30 p.m.

**Stray Dogs Real Problem**

Richard Abord of 12 Mile Road appeared before the Wood Creek Farms village council Tuesday night to inquire about what could be done to control large packs of dogs running loose on his property.

He explained that he had recently purchased the property where the Wilson Cattle Kennels were formerly located and that the family has been plagued with dogs running loose ever since they moved in.

The council informed him that the village had no dog ordinance and that even if they should adopt one no city would be available to enforce it. He was advised to contact the Oakland County Animal Shelter which has jurisdiction over the control of dogs in Farmington Township.

He said many deaths which followed Asian flu attacks last year were caused by secondary infections of bacteria. Once a person is weakened by influenza, his body is less able to ward off common bacteria infections. Consequently, persons who suffer a bad attack of Asian flu should not return to work without a physician's approval.

Dr. Hennessy says shots should be obtained before Asian flu gets started. "An epidemic peak is reached rapidly and blankets a large portion of the population. In last year's epidemic, the U. S. National Health Survey reported 12,000,000 cases in a single week.

"Influenza occurs almost every year," Dr. Hennessy says. "It has appeared in epidemic form for many centuries. Research on the control of the disease has not yet produced effective and practical chemical preventives." Thus, he concludes, the only effective measure is vaccination.

"For the best protection a vaccine must now contain a strain of the currently prevalent family of influenza 'A' virus." The influenza virus can change its makeup, he explains. It has done so four times in the last 30 or 40 years that it has been studied.

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**Cville Civic Assn. To Meet Jan. 15**

A meeting of the Clarenceville Civic Improvement Association will be held at the Farmington Township fire hall on Wheeler St. next Thursday, January 15, at 8 p.m.

Various important issues will be discussed and a nominating committee selected to draw up a slate of officer candidates, an official spokesman said.

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