

Bartley Gets Chutist Wings

Army Pvt. Paul B. Bartley, 17, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Tougas, live at 21202 St. Francis Farmington, recently was graduated from the 2nd Airborne Division Jump School at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Bartley received his parachute wings after completing four weeks of intensive ground and aerial training which included five parachute jumps.

The former Clarence W. High School student entered the Army in March 1959 and completed basic training at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

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Commissioned In ROTC Sat.

Robert W. Dunlap of 32302 Old Forge Lane, Farmington, will be among 31 University of Michigan students in the Reserve Officers Training Corps to receive commissions on Saturday, January 28.

Ceremonies will be conducted at 10 a.m. in the Rackham Amphitheater.

Rear Admiral John M. Higgins, commander of the 1st Naval District, will address the group and present commissions.

Dunlap was also singled out as one of the distinguished students at U. of M. to receive a ROTC commission.

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On S. America Farm Delegate Touring Team

Ward Eagle of 25555 Fourteen Mile Road was named a group of 18 southern Michigan farm leaders who departed from Lansing on Wednesday on the first leg of a 12-day good will journey throughout South America.

A prominent citizen and political figure in this area for many years, Eagle holds several different Farmington Township governmental positions. The Eagle elementary school on 14 Mile at Middlefield Road is named after him.

THE MICHIGAN delegation will take part in farm visits, meetings and interviews with government agricultural leaders and officials in Peru, Chile, Argentina, Uruguay and Brazil.

The purpose of the delegation visit will be to learn, in person, the methods and conditions of South American agricultural production, to see typical farm and ranch operations to meet with high government agricultural officials and in general attempt to improve understanding and relations with our South American farm neighbors. The trip, arranged and designed to implement the purpose of President Eisenhower's People to People Campaign and the US Government Cultural Visitation Exchange Program, will be headed by John D. Johnson of Charlotte, Eaton County Extension Director and Agricultural Agent.



The Kendallwood Camp Fire Girls, with their leader, Mrs. Betty Phil, were busy last Thursday deciding on an Indian name for their group.

The "Gomereph" meaning God's Merry Men, is the name they finally decided on. The rest of the club meeting was spent thinking of Indian names which they will use as they go to Camp Fire girls do. This Thursday the girls will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bawden on Lee Lane in Farmington to see the Leelanau County and beautiful selection of birds of all kinds that they raise and sell to the public.

Douglas Hervela On Naval Cruise

Douglas Hervela, Fireman 3rd Class in the U. S. Navy, is now stationed at New York Rhode Island and is aboard the destroyer USS Hammerberg.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hervela of Farmington, left Jan. 18 on a six week training cruise.



Farmington High News

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

M. Lam Wins DAR Award

Marjorie Lam, a pert, lively senior here at F.H.S., has recently been named the recipient of the Distinguished American Revolution Good Citizenship award. She was picked by the faculty as the most outstanding girl in the Class of 1961.

The nominees for the award were judged on their dependability, truthfulness, loyalty, punctuality, service, responsibility, leadership, and patriotism in school and in the community. Margie best fitted all the qualifications.

Margie has been active in many school activities for the past four years. She has been a cheerleader for three years and is captain this year. She's been a member of the Student Council for four years and now is the assignment editor for the Blue and White. These activities and others keep her very busy, but she still has maintained an excellent scholastic record.

Top Tunes Nationally

Top 50 tunes in the nation as listed by "Billboard"

1. Running Bear, J. Preston
2. El Paso, Mary Robbins
3. Why, Frankie Avalon
4. Teen Angel, Mark Dinning
5. Way Down Yonder in New Orleans, Freddy Cannon
6. The Big Hurt, Toni Fisher
7. The Village of St. Bernards, Andy Williams
8. Go, Jimmy Go, J. Clanton
9. Pretty Blue Eyes, S. Lawrence
10. Where or When
11. You Gotta It Cakes
12. It's Time to Cry, Paul Anka
13. Among My Souvenirs
14. Handy Man, Jimmy Jones
15. Sandy, Larry Hall
16. When In The World's Come Over You? Jack Scott
17. Down By The Station-Preps
18. Round Dog Man, Fabian
19. Not One Minute More
20. It'll Have To Go, J. Revere
21. Lonely Blue Boy, C. Twitty
22. Heartaches By The Number
23. Let It Be Me, Everley Bros.
24. Mack The Knife, B. Darin
25. Lucky Devil, C. Dobkins, Jr.
26. Friendly World, Fabian
27. Smoke, Part 2, B. Black
28. Theme From A Summer Place, Percy Faith
29. Bonnie Came Back, D. Eddy
30. First Name Initial, Annette
31. If I Had A Girl, R. Laurence
32. Mack The Knife, B. Darin
33. How About That, Des Clark
34. Beyond The Sea, B. Darin
35. We Got Love, B. Rydell
36. Run, Red, Run, Coasters
37. Teardrop, Santo & Johnny
38. Little Things Mean A Lot
39. Talk That Talk, F. Sinatra
40. I Wanna Be Loved
41. Shimmy Shimmy, Ko Ko
42. Pop, Lil' Anthony, Imperials
43. Tender Love and Care
44. Scarlet Ribbons, Browns
45. Sweet Nothin', Brenda Lee
46. Baciare, Baciare, D. Collins
47. Little Coco Palm, J. Wallace
48. A Year Ago Tonight, Crests
49. Building The Fireballs
50. Oh, Carol, Neil Sedaka
51. Waiting Matilda, Rodgers

Beware Men—It's Leap Year; Blame Scots

It's Leap Year again... and you can blame the Scots for declaring it open season on bachelors.

They probably saw the custom of letting a woman pop the question as a way to put money in the treasury and take spitters off the welfare rolls.

According to the research of World Book Encyclopedia, Scotland is said to have decreed in 1283 that ladies "of both high and low estate" shall have the privilege of proposing during leap years.

If a man refused the offer he was fined as much as one pound... unless he could show that another woman had a prior claim on his affections.

The ladies, however, had to give fair warning that they were out to catch a man. If the edge of a scarlet, diamond petticoat wasn't clearly visible, a man was absolved from paying the forfeit.

France reportedly passed a similar law, and the ladies of Florence and Genoa are said to have been given the privilege before Columbus sailed to America.

The gallant English supposed it didn't seem fair to make the girls give the fair but single sex a break. But they backed up the custom by depicting a man of benefit of clergy if he accepted a leap year proposal. Even if he didn't turn the ladies' feelings, he was obliged to present her with a silk gown as consolation prize.

Meet the Falcons

Tom Guy Is All-Around Sportsman

Although football rules high, Tom Guy enjoys participating in all sports. This colorful six-footer started as a freshman in JV football and basketball and jumped to the varsity football squad the following year. Since then Tom has been a crapping tackle. He has also held his own in basketball, a broken foot kept him on the sidelines through his junior basketball season, but this year he is back with the varsity playing center.

Sports with Tom do not just begin and end with the school year. In the summer of 1959 he began a three-year career in the U.S. Army. He was a member of the Student Council and a member of the varsity football team. He spent two months at Camp Charlesvoix as a riding instructor to students between ages of seven and 16.

Tom fills in his spare time with anything from weight lifting to playing cards. "But not for fun, of course," he says. "I play cards to make money for my car music, long lunch hours, driving — 'as long as I don't have to pay for the gas.'"

In his sophomore year Tom was initiated into the Varsity Club and now acts as a sergeant-at-arms. Tom likes football because it's "a fast-moving contact sport." As sports have played a big part in his school, Tom plans to study Education, probably at Western Michigan, and then concentrate on coaching.

Make-Up, Hair Styles Topics

Plans are now underway by the Vogue Club for a Hair and Cosmetics Show, to be presented February 4 at 7:00 p.m. in the Bel-Lyn Beauty Salon, represented by Mr. Rudy Eskovitz and Mr. Bella Deutsch will be responsible for hair styles and make-up.

Linda Layton, Faye Sexton, Sharon Magers, and President Judy Davis will be the models, chosen for their natural, light hair coloring.

Vice-president, Jeannine Duault commented: "There will be many helpful hints given about hair grooming, styling, and make-up application."

Both Vogue Club members and their mothers are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served after the show.

J-Hop Is Set For Saturday

With "Around the World" chosen as a theme, the Class of 61 will present the annual J-Hop, January 30, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Junior class treasurer Shady Hupert stated that the class has only \$180 to work with and that the Ralph Bowen Orchestra is costing \$165. This leaves only \$15 to cover tickets, refreshments, and decorations for over 500 people. This difficulty the class was forced to ask for donations from local businessmen. For the most part this has worked out very well as it has not been necessary to spend all of the \$15 yet.

If it had not been for the determination of all the people involved this might have been the first year that F.H.S. was without a J-Hop.

Spanish Class To Take Trip

Spanish folk dancing and singing and in the offering for the Spanish III class tomorrow evening.

The class will see Jose Greco and his troupe which make an annual tour of the United States.

The performance is on the order of a variety show consisting of Spanish Flamenco dances, folk dancing, guitar playing, Spanish singing and ballet.

The purpose for the trip is to help the class better understand the Spanish culture.

The nine Spanish III students will be driven to the Mabone Temple by Miss Granger and Miss Florton. Miss Hernandez will also accompany the group.

No nation ever really won the Olympic Games. The purpose of the games is to let the greatest athletes of the world compete in a spirit of peace and friendship. The prize of ranking nation against nation is a mistake.

Local Official Talks to Class

Mr. Tom Peace's government classes have been studying local government, and how it functions. Mr. Peace invited several local officials on the subject to speak on the government of a city and township.

Last Wednesday the Township Supervisor, Mr. Curtis Hall, spoke to the classes on township government. Monday, Mr. Wendell Brown spoke on political parties and the convention system.

Tuesday, the City Manager, Mr. Earl Scherffs, spoke on city government.

FHS Enrollment Drops Slightly

Barring a surge of new enrollments, second semester classes at Farmington High will start with 20 students less than there were at the opening of school in September, 1960.

Presently there are 985 students in the three high school grades: 387 sophomores, 319 juniors and 269 seniors.

According to school records there have been 50 leave Farmington High since school opened and compared to 30 who have transferred here from other schools.

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First Man to Enlist Here

First man to be enlisted into the U.S. Army from the new Farmington Recruiting Office at the Farmington City Public Safety building at 2265 Liberty was Corporal Bebeau, son of Mary Bebeau of Rollcrest Drive, Farmington.

Bebeau enlisted on January 14.

Bebeau was assigned to the Corps of Engineers and sent to Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri for training and re-assignment, according to Recruiting Officer SFC Howard C. Hubbard.

The new local recruiting office is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 8 a.m. until 12 noon Saturday.

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