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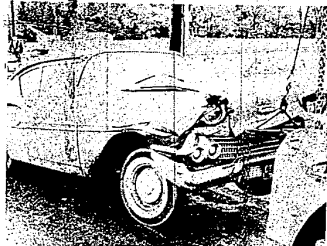
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33425 Grand River, Farmington

Paul M. Chandler, Founder



THIS 1958 CHEVROLET got its front end damaged, in a run-in with a 1964 Cadillac, in an accident on Orchard Lake Road, at Polom, in Farmington Township, at noon on Friday, Oct. 3. Owner of the Cadillac is Greer W. Case, of Detroit. Driving the Chevrolet was Robert A. Roman, of Brighton. According to the Police, the Cadillac failed to yield the right-of-way, and ran into the Chevrolet. Photo by Durnell.

# Accidents Take Large Toll in Farmington

It was a bad week for motorists in Michigan, climaxing in the worst weekend of the year—with 28 deaths. And the Farmington area contributed heavily to this unhappy fact.

An accident in the Township on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 6, claimed the life of Duayne Roberts, 27, of 23151 Albion,

Farmington. Roberts died at Boltsford General Hospital shortly after his car went out of control on Middlebelt Road near 10 1/2 Mile, and turned over.

A veteran of nine years in the U.S. Army, including duty in Korea, Roberts was employed as a carpenter.

He is survived by his wife Carolyn, and son Duwayne, Jr., his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Roberts, of Farmington; his in-laws, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hebert, also of this City; and two brothers, Carl and Ronald.

Services for him were held at St. Alexander's Church, Oct. 9, under the direction of the Heeneys-Sundquist Funeral Home. He was buried at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

On Thursday morning, Izak Spokejny, of Oak Park, was seriously injured, and his car totally damaged, when it went out of control and hit a fence on Nine Mile west of Gilt, in Farmington Township.

At about 1:30 a.m. Friday morning a three car accident on 12 Mile Road at the intersection of Alyce Kay, sent two people to the hospital with minor injuries. Both Dale Gene Mott, 29, 33354 Kings Lane, Farmington, and Vincent Gerard Beauchamp, 46, of 25720 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington, were heading west on 12 Mile Road, when the accident occurred.

## Water Available in N. F'ton

The Farmington Township administration will now seek to meet with representatives of subdivisions in the northern part of the Township not presently supplied with City water.

Supervisor Curt Hall revealed at the Township Board meeting Monday night that water is now available.

Hall read a letter he received from R. J. Alexander, Director of the Oakland County Dept. of Public Works, stating that that Department has been advised by the City of Detroit, that Detroit is in a position to provide a water outlet at Farmington and 14 Mile Rd., within nine months of the time they are officially assured the Township project will proceed.

This project, Alexander further indicated, "could proceed in much the same manner as previous projects by suitable contracts between the Township and the Oakland County DPW."

The total cost of the project would be \$2,135,000. This would break down to a \$75 per unit capital charge and a \$30 per unit annual debt service charge. The project would require the issuance of bonds to be amortized over approximately a 25 year period.

The outlet at Farmington and 14 Mile would be fed initially by a temporary booster station on Inkster Road. Ultimately it would be fed by the so-called Franklin Booster Station at 14 Mile and Inkster Roads. Service would be on a maximum hour basis the same as provided elsewhere in the Township.

Beauchamp had turned onto 12 from Alyce Kay. Mott swerved in an attempt to avoid hitting him but failed. After hitting Beauchamp he skidded into the east bound lane and hit a car driven by 19-year-old John Burley, of 24505 Hildstad Road. Burley was also injured.

According to the Township Police, Brauchamp failed to yield the right-of-way when he entered 12 Mile.

On Friday night, Charles DeFrank, 32, of Detroit, was seriously hurt when he hit the rear of a trailer on 1635 just west of Farmington Road.

## Prohibition Hits Bowling Alleys

The Country Lanes of Farmington, 30300, Nine Mile Road, which has been repeatedly and generously praised by the Farmington Township Board of Trustees as a family-run bowling establishment was turned down nonetheless on its request for permission to serve drinks to its patrons.

The vote was unanimous. But Trustee Tom Nodina, though he voted with the majority, expressed some disagreement about the decision.

The decision has caused some ramifications beyond the immediate. The Board is happy with the management of Country Lanes. But it feels that it is being forced to make a decision which would be to make operating standard and a precedent for other bowling alleys in the community.

In line with this attitude, the Trustees have decided to support the right of the Northwest Line, 32945, Northwestern Highway to serve drinks on its premises. The suspension will go into effect at the end of the present bowling season, late this spring.

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## 'No Bus' Policy Angers Parents

Another group of some 22 irate parents appeared at Monday evening's Farmington School Board meeting to protest busing procedures.

Most of the parents were from the Farmington Trailer Park. All were protesting against their children having to cross Middlebelt Road where there is no light or crossing guard in order to get to the new Lakeshore elementary school.

Although within walking distance of the school (slightly less than a mile), the parents felt that for safety purposes the school bus which goes right past their children should pick them up, as it is never full.

Most of the parents agreed that they were not letting their children cross what they termed "an entirely dangerous street" alone and requested that the School Board take immediate action.

The School Board agreed to send its Safety Committee to investigate the area Tuesday morning with a possible solution coming at a special Board meeting to be held Wednesday night.

In other School Board business, the safety committee recommended that a crossing guard be hired to help bond elementary children cross 13 Mile road at Forty.

Safety committee member, Barbara Ann Brown, reported that crossing guard showed a car passing the intersection every seven seconds. She said at one time it was 10 minutes before the children could cross the street.

This decision will affect approximately 160 children which cross this intersection going to and from school each day.

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## NBD Sponsors Automobile Show

The Farmington Office of the National Bank of Detroit announced today that it will hold its second annual Farmington Auto Show through Friday, Oct. 18, through 22, at the NBD Office on Farmington Road at Alto Loma.

Farmington Vice President Byron E. Lapham said invitations have been accepted by all mobile dealers to display two models of their 1966 cars.

The NBD-Farmington Office originated Farmington's own auto show last year with models furnished by local dealers. The new cars will be open for inspection by the public during normal banking hours, 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 9:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. on Friday.

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## Farmingtonite Goes Ivy League

Zar Anthony Reader, III, son of Dr. and Mrs. Zar Reader Jr., 20884 Wellington Road, Farmington, and a graduate of Detroit Country Day School, has entered the freshman class at Brown University.

Brown, which was founded in 1764, is the nation's seventh oldest college or university.

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