



FARMINGTON HIGH GRADS Jeff Krause (left) and Brian Van Dusen are competing with the 1973-74 Western Michigan University wrestling squad. Van Dusen, a 177 pounder, captured third place at the Mid-American Conference championships last year. Krause, at 158 pounds, competed three years at Farmington and took all-conference honors twice.

# Hard Line On Sign Law

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 tion of the ordinance. They felt the only way eventually to eliminate the free-standing signs in the downtown section was to stick with the ordinance.

An attorney for Quast argued that only the top sign on the pole, the one advertising the real estate company, would be removed by the council action - the others would remain, leaving a bare pole above.

Mayor Ralph Yoder and Councilman John Allen argued the provision for an ap-

peal in the ordinance was written for just these cases and supported the petitioner.

The Quast attorney had already left when Gary Garland, representing C & P Carpet, 30746 Grand River, came before the council with another sign request.

The variance differed from the first in that the sign was outside the area designated as the central business district, and the free-standing sign could therefore stand.

But Garland's sign was too tall, according to the ordinance. The council consid-

ered requiring the sign shortened 2½ feet to conform to the requirement it be no higher than the building.

When informed the cost of the shortening would be \$200, the council approved the variance unanimously.

## Good Deal

Engineers say a modern hay baler is capable of doing more than three times as much work per hour than its predecessor of 30 years ago, but its cost to the farmer has less than doubled.

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# School Meeting Change Denied

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 An attempt to have the Farmington school board return to holding meetings in the administration building rather than in various schools, failed to pass Tuesday for lack of quorum.

Although three of the five members present voted for the motion, under Robert's "Rules of Order," it requires a majority of a full board to pass.

Voting in favor were Kathryn Stirling, Emma Makinen and Betty Brennan who proposed the motion. Voting against were Dr. Mervin Ross and Hugh Stewart.

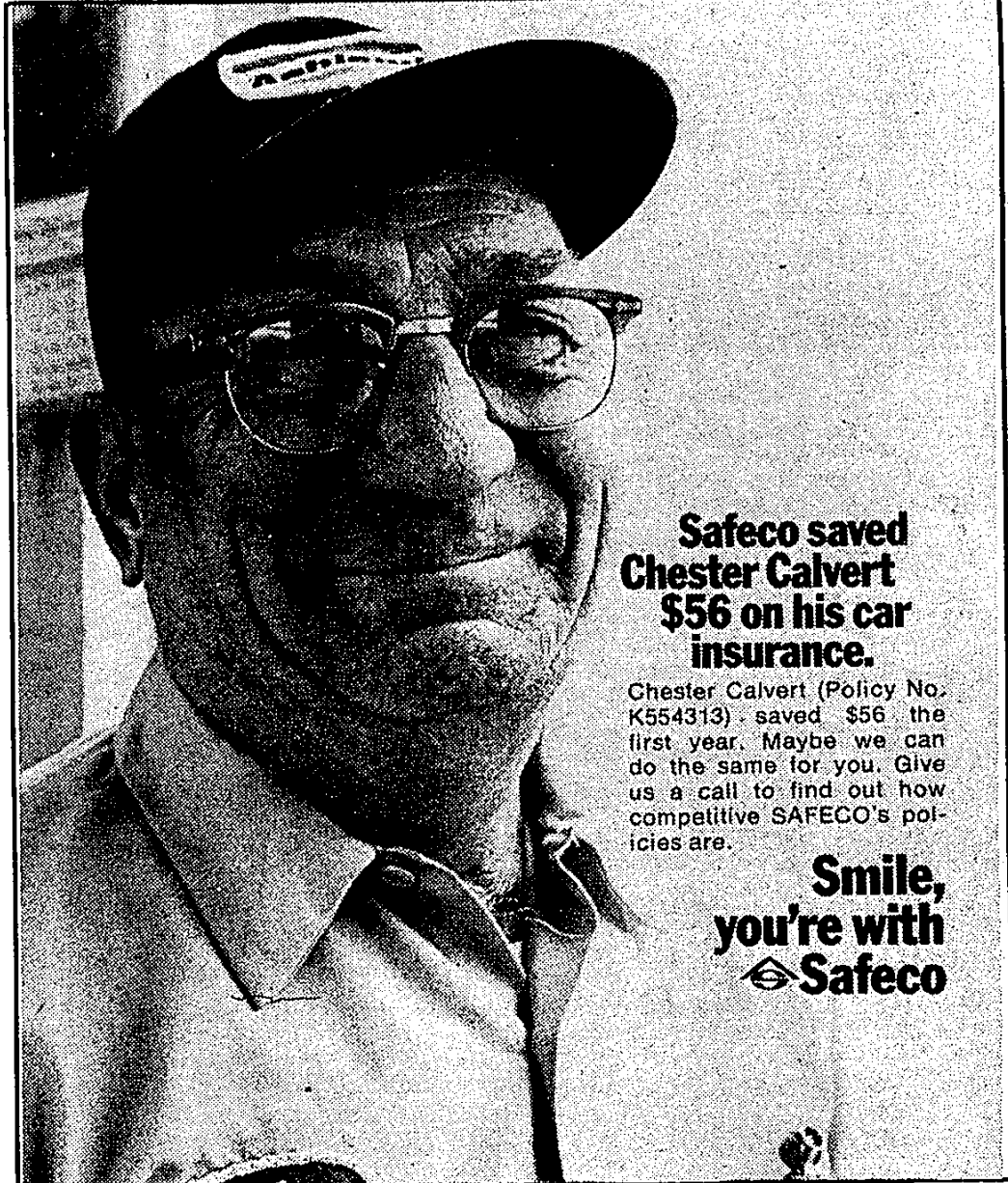
Mrs. Brennan said her mo-

tion was prompted by Gov. Milliken's request for fuel conservation during the energy crisis.

Dr. Ross and Stewart felt little gasoline would be saved by not meeting at the various schools. They felt it was good for the community to hold meetings in different locations.

The board had decided just recently its meetings should be held in a different location each time.

Tuesday's session was held at Eagle Elementary School on 14 Mile Road. The Dec. 18 meeting will be held at Long-acre school.



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# Farmington Calendar

## CENTER 'NIGHT'

Friday, Dec. 7, at 8 p.m., the Farmington Community Center will sponsor "Another Night to Remember," a concert featuring baritone Calvin Marsh and the Max Davey chorus and orchestra, with selections for every musical taste and age group. Buses are also available from the community center for an additional \$2.50 to Ford Auditorium. Proceeds from the concert will benefit the center.

## TREE FESTIVAL

Friday, Dec. 7, is the beginning of the Festival of Trees at the Farmington Community Center. Girl Scouts and Camp Fire Girls will decorate trees of every

land, and foreign exchange students will host the affair. Hours are from 4-9 p.m. Dec. 7; and noon to 6 p.m. Dec. 8 and Dec. 9.

## COFFEE CONCERT

Friday, Dec. 7, the Farmington Community Center will send a bus to the Coffee Concert of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra at Ford Auditorium. The bus will leave the center at 9 a.m. for a continental breakfast, fashion show and concert. Tickets available at the center.

## WELCOME WAGON

Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 7:45 p.m., the members of the Farmington Welcome Wagon Club will hold a Christmas party at the Farmington Library; 32737 W. 12 Mile.

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