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## Story Of Fight On Tuberculosis Told By Speaker

Executive Secretary Of Michigan Association Speaks In Farmington

An eloquent description of the fight against tuberculosis, begun fifty years ago and carried on with increased vigor every year, was given by Dr. Theodore Worley, executive secretary of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association at the Farmington Exchange Club meeting Wednesday noon.

Dr. Worley's address revealed that a scientific struggle may be as dramatic as any other kind. He traced the beginnings of knowledge of tuberculosis, from the early effort to discover a vaccine against it, to the present broadened battle waged on a wider scale.

"Tuberculosis touches the lives and work of every one of us," said Dr. Worley. "It used to be regarded as a medical problem. Now we know it is a social problem, with a mainly medical aspect."

"Three thousand persons die in Michigan every year from tuberculosis. We have managed, by increased knowledge, to cut down the ratio, but increased population has brought the death toll to three thousand each year. We know that 3,000 will die next year and 3,000 more in 1931. Yet if we had the money and facilities, we could save perhaps a thousand and out of the 3,000 who are doomed to die in 1931, we need not cause anyone else to die, that practically every person in the community is infected with tuberculosis at some time. We have found that the areas of five and fifteen. The fight against tuberculosis therefore is largely concerned with children of school age."

### Good Health Aids

"When the body is in good condition, it deposits around the tuberculosis germ in the lungs, a wall of calcium, which seals it tight and prevents its doing damage. However, when the body becomes run down and in poor health, it fails to deposit this calcium, and so the person is in danger of contracting tuberculosis. Our campaign, which is financed entirely by the little penny seals that you buy at Christmas time, has three aspects. First, that of education. Tuberculosis usually is a 40-months' disease. Most cases, however, are not detected until the last six months, when the family symptoms of active tuberculosis appear. The first symptoms, however, are usually not at all connected with the lungs. They are: general weakness, in the night, until finally forced to give up and go under medical care. A major part of our fight, therefore, lies in the early detection of the disease, by widespread examinations through our clinics.

"The second aspect is that of hospitalization, care in a sanatorium of those who are already suffering from the disease. The third is follow-up work, to see that those who have been cured do not suffer a second attack, which is usually fatal."

Dr. Worley's address was well received. He was directed to Farmington by the Oakland County Tuberculosis Association. Representatives of practically all business houses in Farmington were present at the luncheon. The Exchange Club being host to those who had decorated windows in honor of "Light's golden jubilee." Awards were made to the Henry Pauline store, and to the E. C. Grace store, for the best windows.

Due to the fact that judging of the windows required considerable time and effort, concluded but a short time before the Enterprise went to press last week, there was omission of names of a number of business places. In the list sent to the Enterprise the following names were omitted in last week's list: Farmington Dairy, Nelson Sisters, Farmington State Savings Bank, Warner Dairy Co., Farmington Cleaners and Tailors, Frink Variety Store.

Misses Margaret and Louise Bollens have returned from a ten day trip to New York City, Baltimore and Washington.

## Old Member Of Methodist Church Recalls Suit On Building Notes

Farmington Methodists will take great joy next week in celebrating the centennial of their church. That the early days of the church were not without their struggles, in one instance even extending to a lawsuit to enforce payment of a note given on behalf of the church, is related in a letter written by Elmer W. Smith, now of Sparta, Mich., a former member of Farmington church. The letter, written to Dr. H. Addis Lesson, reads in part as follows:

"As usual when a church is built there is need of more money than is on hand, and so the trustees who were Joseph Horton, William Beach, John Thayer and my father, gave their note for the amount needed. But the one to whom the note was given sold it to a party that lived some distance from Farmington. Probably as usual in church matters, it was left to the other fellow to do and consequently it happened

that the note became due and no one looked after it, but it suddenly became aware of the fact when he found out that he had been sued on the note, and that a number of young cattle and colts belonging to him were advertised for sale, to pay the note.

"Then they got busy, the Board was called together, satisfactory arrangements were made with the Board, and father advanced the money, paid the note and the suit was called off.

"Rev. Jockes was the first pastor of the old church. Our old home since occupied by a brother of Mrs. Fred M. Warner, was sort of a runaway for preachers, and in my boyhood days I met a good many of the preachers of bygone days.

"Old Rev. Joshua Young, who travelled through the State and preached before churches became a fashion, was a frequent visitor (Continued on page five)

## Hunt Of Months Ends In Arrest For Embezzling

Accused Milk Driver Bound Over To Circuit Court; Taken In Hazel Park

A hunt of more than two months ended in the arrest Wednesday evening of Perry McIntosh, 38, former employee of the Farmington Dairy Co., for whom a warrant was issued on August 12, charging embezzlement. McIntosh was arrested at his home in Hazel Park by Chief of Police Lee Doyle.

According to the charges, McIntosh, who is married and the father of four children, failed to turn in \$110 in money belonging to the dairy company. Efforts to locate him were unavailing, until Chief Doyle obtained a clue a few days ago that led to the arrest Wednesday evening.

McIntosh was arraigned at once before Municipal Judge John J. Schulte, Jr., and waived examination. He was bound over to the Circuit Court in \$2,000 bail, with two sureties required. Failing to obtain bail, he was jailed in the County Jail.

McIntosh was apprehended by Deputy Doyle, who was accompanied by Joseph Himmelsbach, proprietor of the Farmington Dairy, as he returned home from work Wednesday evening about 8:30. He had been living at 1237 Hazel street, Hazel Park.

According to Chief Doyle, McIntosh did not admit embezzlement of the money, but declared that he had lost it. He had been a trusted employee of the dairy.

## HEAVIER GRIDIRON TEAM BEATEN BY NORTHWESTERN

55-Yard Run-By-Newcombe Eats Up Game With Behr Sport Club Of Detroit

The football team of Northwestern A. C. added another victory to its string last Sunday when they defeated the strong Behr Sport Club of Detroit, 7-0 on the Northwestern grounds.

"Bud" Newcombe was the star of the game for Northwestern. He made a 55-yard run, aided by perfect interference. The only touchdown of the game was made by him, and he kicked a goal following the touchdown.

Northwestern played a high grade of football throughout the contest. Overconfidence handicapped the Behr club, the visitors having apparently regarded Northwestern as an easy opponent because of their small size in comparison with the Behr players.

Next Sunday another hard battle is anticipated, when the Lonsdale Merchants oppose Northwestern. The teams are evenly matched and both have fine records to maintain. The game will be played at Northwestern Field, at 3:00 o'clock.

## ANNUAL TREATMENT

Windows in Farmington's business section received their pre-Halloween treatment of soap Wednesday night and Thursday. The Postoffice was particularly favored (?), but no business place forgotten.

## Center of Methodist Centennial Celebration In Farmington Next Week

The Farmington Methodist church will be the center of the centennial celebration of the founding of the church, which will be held next week. The celebration will include a series of services, including a special service on Sunday morning, November 3, at 10 o'clock.

## City's Annual Fall Cleanup Next Week

All residents of the City of Farmington are asked to co-operate in the annual fall Clean-Up which will be held next week. City officials are preparing for the collection of surplus articles set at the curb.

The Clean-Up days are designated as next Tuesday and Wednesday, November 5 and 6, but the real cleaning up by residents should be done earlier. All the "produce" of the Clean-Up should be at the street-line by Tuesday morning.

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## Legion District Meet To Be Here

State Leaders To Address Gathering In Farmington Next Week; Public Invited

For the first time since the American Legion was organized, Legionnaires from all over the Sixth District of Michigan will gather in Farmington next Thursday evening, November 7, for a business meeting, banquet, and the election of officers.

State Leaders in Legion activities of the State will speak at the banquet.

Raymond J. Kelly, commander of the department of Michigan, Robert J. Byers, State department adjutant, both of Detroit, and Willis M. Brewer, national vice-commander of Pontiac, will be among the speakers at the dinner, which will be held in Salem Evangelical Church at 7 p. m. The dinner will be preceded by a business meeting at 4:30 p. m.

The meetings of the Sixth District are held four or five times a year. The meeting is brought to Farmington on this occasion through the efforts of Myron J. Carrier, sixth district commander. The banquet will be followed by a dance in the Farmington Town Hall. The public is invited to both the banquet and the dance, and it is requested that reservations be made early for the banquet.

Commander Carrier, accompanied by district adjutant C. O. Lueke, swore in officers of the Legion post at Clawson Monday night. On the program was an address by Adjutant Hayes of the Oakland County Council, of Royal Oak.

Last Thursday Commander Carrier attended a meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Michigan Legion post, assisted by Mrs. Mary Ogden of Pontiac in organizing that auxiliary.

## STANLEY F. SMITH DOUBLES SPACE OF HIS DRUG STORE

Additional Room Provided By Taking Over Former Bakery; Improvements Being Made

Enlargement that will double the present floor space of the Farmington Drug Co. store is being made by Stanley Smith, proprietor. The work will be completed in about two weeks.

Additional room has been obtained by taking over part of the space formerly occupied by the Farmington Bakery. This portion has been made into a prescription and receiving room of adequate size to care for a large volume of business. It will also accommodate a part of the stock.

The main salesroom of the store will be rearranged to permit a better display and easier handling of trade. Additional accommodations for refreshment patrons will be installed.

## Why Does He?

Why does Harvey Blough wear that look of perfect satisfaction on his handsome face? Why don't you know? He is driving that new high-powered truck just purchased by the City. It came this week and was put into service Wednesday, October 30. It has all the new appliances that make it easy to operate and to give effective service. The old truck that had given fine service for a term of years is entirely worn out and has been consigned to the scrap heap.

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The recollection of the somewhat recent Centennial celebration of the founding of Farmington is fresh in mind. Following the first settlers by only a brief two or three years came the Methodist circuit-riding on horse back and carrying his saddle bags. He accepted the hospitality of the pioneer home, held religious services on Sunday and promptly organized what was then called a "Class."

So it has been that through thick and thin; through poverty and hardship; without a lapse of courageous devotion—this first church society has carried on for One Hundred Years.

A former pastor, Dr. Clarence E. Allen, now of Erie, Pa., and an outstanding leader in his denomination, will be the preacher both morning and evening on Sunday next. Dr. Allen's forebears were closely associated with the early history of Oakland and Washtenaw Counties. His father, Capt. Charles T. Allen, a soldier of distinction in the Civil War—and a militant and revered by the older residents of these counties, while his uncle, Hon. "Ed" Allen was a congressman of distinction from this district.

In his visit to Michigan, Dr. and Mrs. Allen will have their headquarters at the home of Mrs. C. H. Freeman, 42 Norton avenue, Detroit. Mrs. Freeman is Mrs. Allen's sister and Mrs. Allen was formerly Miss Lottie Rich.

The centennial celebration will continue into the following week. An "at home" day for all old friends will be held Monday afternoon and evening. Nathan H. Power will read the history of Methodism in Farmington on Monday evening. He has been giving diligent care to gather a rich fund of fact and anecdote which will be full of interest.

Others including Mr. Dart, one of the oldest residents of Farmington, will offer recollections of former days of the settlement.

An exhibit of relics and antiques will also be gathered and any such contributions are invited.

The centennial banquet will occur on Tuesday evening with the Hon. Webster H. Pearce, Sup't. of Public Instruction of Michigan as the principal speaker. Musical talent of a high order will be provided. The toastmaster will be the Rev. Sidney D. Eva of Mt. Clemens, who was pastor at the time of the building of the present edifice.

A final event of wide and popular interest will be the visit of Dr. R. Clyde Ford of Ypsilanti on Sunday morning, November 10. Dr. Ford is an authority on the early Michigan history and is especially that pertaining to the Indian tribes and their part in the early heroic days. His subject will be "Tales and Trails of Early Michigan."

## North Farmington Youth First At Fair

Fred W. Sheill of North Farmington, who won first prize at the Michigan State Fair with his exhibits of bees and honey, again led the exhibitors at the Walled Lake school and community fair last week, taking first prize.

Mr. Sheill, has recently taken office as secretary and treasurer of the Beekeepers' Seminar of Michigan State College at East Lansing. He was elected at a meeting of the beekeepers' club on Monday.



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