

## GOVERNOR REPLIES TO TIBBITS, CITES REPEAL ATTEMPT

State Executive Says State Tax Is Small Part Of Total

That the State tax is only a small part of the heavy burden of taxation, and that most of the tax is for improvements voted by the people themselves, is pointed out by Governor Fred Green in a letter this week to Karl Tibbits of Farmington Township, who is carrying on a vigorous campaign against the Covert Road Law.

Governor Green also states that an unsuccessful attempt was made to repeal the Covert Law during the last session of the legislature. His letter to Mr. Tibbits follows:

September 29, 1930

Mr. Karl Tibbits,  
R. F. D. 1,  
Farmington, Michigan.

Dear Mr. Tibbits:

Your cards sent me early this month have induced me to look into the circumstances which have caused your property to be so heavily assessed. I am sorry that you have been so burdened with taxes, but an analysis of your tax bills will indicate that the greatest portion of the taxes upon your property aside from the Covert have been voted upon themselves. The Covert road was ordered by the local authorities. An effort was made during the last session of the State Legislature to repeal the Covert road law but failed.

You will note that the State tax in every county is but a small portion of every dollar raised for all taxes. Suppose the State tax should be entirely abolished. There would be no great reduction in the present rate. Undoubtedly you have conferred with your supervisor relative to the various classifications of your taxes. If you have not done so, I would like to have you talk with him. You would find such a conference interesting and informative.

I know you will be interested in the report of the State Commission of Inquiry into Taxation which I appointed by reason of an act of the 1929 Legislature. This commission has been going very thoroughly into the whole subject of taxes and I am hopeful that it will have a report for the 1931 Legislature which will be the means of remedial legislation.

I trust you will pardon my delay in acknowledging receipt of your cards but I was anxious to have sufficient opportunity to look into this matter.

Sincerely yours,  
FRED W. GREEN.

## Plan Air Carnival At Dedication Ceremony

A special Air Carnival and Dedication Ceremonies will mark the opening of the National Guards at Wayne County Air port this Saturday, October 4th. The Guards Hanger is located on Goddard at Middle Belt road. The program will begin at 3:30 p. m. when all of the planes of the Observation Squadron will take to the air and participate in formation flying, acrobatic flying, parachute jumping, balloon busting and aerial stunts. The air pilots will also engage in glider and dead stick landing contests, while in the evening, they will give an exhibition of night flying.

The performance of the Squadron Flyers will be followed by a luncheon. Col. Harold B. Emmons will be toastmaster, and the main speaker of the evening will be Major-General Frank Parker of Chicago. General Parker is the commanding officer of the 6th Corps Area. Other speakers will include: Governor Fred W. Green, Maj.-Gen. Guy M. Wilson, commanding general 32nd Division, Wilbur Brucker, Mayor Frank Murphy, Col. Walter Cole, president Reserve Officers Association of the United States, Edward S. Evans, president Detroit Board of Commerce, A. A. Bruder, State President, Michigan Exchange Clubs, Charles E. Hayes, president Exchange Clubs Council No. 1, John J. Super, Governor of Exchange Clubs, Michigan District No. 1.

During the evening program, entertainment will be furnished by the Saginaw Exchange Club quartette and several vaudeville troupes.

The entire program starting at 3:30 p. m. will be open to the general public and the day's festivities will close with a military ball.

## Moves To Flint



Dr. H. Addis Leeson, pastor of Farmington Methodist Church for the past two years, has taken up his residence in Flint, where he will preach the coming year.

## Psychology Must Be Changed—Roosevelt

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unemployment conference, which occurred at the home of Walter P. Chrysler, Mr. Chrysler, he said came to his home a few days ago, about 8:00 o'clock in the evening. He stumbled over a chair. Ringing the bell, he asked the maid why the lights had not been turned on. The maid replied that she had been impressed with the necessity for economy in everything, and so had not turned the lights on.

Mr. Roosevelt said that the committee was already accomplishing one great work, in obtaining more accurate information about employment and labor conditions than had ever been obtained before.

Mr. Roosevelt, who came to the Club as the guest of John Clark, told his audience some interesting facts about Alaska, where he spent a number of years.

Del A. Smith, general manager of the Detroit Department of Street Railways, and honorary member of the Farmington Club, attended the meeting, as did five Oakland County supervisors, who were guests of Mayor Arthur Lamb.

## FINAL GAME OF W. POINT DE-HO-CO SERIES ON SUNDAY

House Of Correction Team Will Fight To Capture Last Contest Of Three

Although the series has already been decided, baseball fans of this vicinity will have an opportunity to witness another bitter battle between West Point Park and Detroit House of Correction teams next Sunday, when the last of the three "grudge" games will be played at De-Ho-Co field, near Plymouth.

West Point Park has won both games thus far, but this has only served to convince the victors that their opponents will fight harder than ever in the final game. De-Ho-Co, it is known, desires to chalk up one victory in the series before putting away their uniforms for the year, and will give everything in a last effort to win.

Carl Goers will go to the mound in an effort to make it three straight for West Point Park. The game will start at 3:00 o'clock.

West Point Park				
	AB	H	C	E
Millross, ss.....	4	1	0	0
R. Wolfson, 3b.....	4	3	4	0
C. Wolfson, cf.....	4	2	1	0
R. Clement, rf.....	4	2	0	0
Knock, lf.....	5	2	3	0
Hobbing, 1b.....	3	2	11	0
Ham/schmidt, c.....	4	0	4	0
Wolfe, 3b.....	2	0	4	0
Jayska, p.....	5	0	1	0
Total.....	35	12	25	0
Garden City				
Detloff, lf.....	5	0	1	0
Fisarek, ss.....	4	0	0	0
B. Johnson, 3b.....	3	1	3	0
Rutenbar, 2b.....	4	2	3	0
M. Clement, 1b.....	4	1	5	0
Gothard, rf.....	2	0	0	0
Allis, c.....	4	1	1	0
Hiden, p.....	4	2	1	0
Total.....	33	8	14	2
West Point Park.....				8
Garden City.....				5

## BUSINESS WOMEN MEET

A meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club of Farmington will be held next Monday evening, October 6, at the home of Mrs. Ethel Middlewood.

## FIRST MEETING OF P. T. A. WILL BE HELD NEXT WEEK

Oakland County Representative Of Dental Movement To Speak

The first meeting of the Farmington P. T. A. will be held at the school Thursday, Oct. 16 at 2:30 p. m. Dr. DeCamp of Detroit, who is the Oakland County representative of the Michigan Children's Fund for the correction of teeth, will be the guest speaker. Supt. J. A. Dalrymple will also talk to the parents and teachers.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the work of the P. T. A. The Farmington Chapter is affiliated with the State and National congress and it is very desirable to have all members or prospective members pay their dues and become active members at once. The dues are 50 cents a year and, if desired, one-half the dues or 25 cents may be paid now and the balance after January 1st.

The program committee consisting of Mrs. A. A. Schoen, Mrs. Norman Lee, Edward Eaton and Mrs. Lee Hill have been busy outlining the programs and the printed booklets will be ready for distribution at the first meeting.

There are some fine lectures in Pontiac at the high school every Tuesday evening at 7:30, during October. They are conducted by Michigan State congress parents and teachers and the Extension Division of the University of Michigan.

The first one, given last Tuesday, was "The Social Development of the Child," by Mrs. H. S. Malloy, University of Michigan. Next Tuesday evening "The Game Age—(seven to twelve)" will be the subject and the lecturer, Paul P. Brainard, University of Michigan.

On radio station WJR every Sunday afternoon at 5 p. m. there are lectures given for parents and teachers. Next Sunday Dr. Howard McCluskey of the University of Michigan will speak on the subject, "Creating Wholesome Attitudes in Youth." These lectures are also sponsored by the Michigan Extension Division and State Congress.

## Next Week Michigan Fire Prevention Week

The week of October 5 to 11th has been designated as Fire Prevention Week and October 9th as Fire Prevention Day, to be observed by all.

Fire can destroy the happiest home, the busiest shop or the most pleasant community at any time and without warning. Fire affects us all individually and as communities, and all should give special thought to prevention not only that week but throughout the year.

The National fire loss in 1929 was over \$473,000,000, in Michigan \$13,913,450.

Statistics show that during 1929, 322 lives were lost through fire.

Fires can be prevented; so this sacrifice of precious lives, limbs and property is needless and a serious reflection on our citizenry. While in effect the problem is national, the remedy can come through a keen "fire consciousness" in each of us and individual preventive acts.

The bulk of the fire loss in every Michigan community is due to common ordinary causes not hard to understand and easily remedied.

A more general use of fire resistant building materials, fire stopping to prevent the spread of fire through walls, partitions, and hidden spaces, a safe chimney and heating plant and proper electrical installation, and good, clean housekeeping would prevent most of the fires and would confine others to the places of origin. First-aid extinguishing appliances, such as proper chemical extinguishers, handy water barrels and pails, etc. would put out 1 others at small loss.

A determination on part of each of us have a safe home, shop, store and factory would solve this fire problem. All must help and all will be benefited by any saving in fire losses.

To prevent fire is the personal responsibility of everyone. It should be taken seriously. Ordinary carelessness would prevent 90 per cent of the fires.

Heavy eating and deep thinking do not often go together.

## CHURCHES

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Clarencville  
(At Switzer Road)  
/Rev. Paul Graupner, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:30.  
German service, 10:30.

Quarterly Voters' meeting, 2:00. We wish to call your special attention to the "Lutheran Radio Hour." Beginning October 2nd the Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod) is to be represented on the air by a weekly half-hour at 10 p. m. Thursday nights over the Columbia network. Thirty-four stations in a coast-to-coast hook-up are to be employed. The broadcast will be known as the Lutheran Hour.

The Lutheran church is the first denomination to use a paid nationwide network to spread its message, just as it was one of the first churches to own its own denominational broadcasting station six years ago (the KFUO). It is estimated that the potential audience of the Lutheran Hour is between fifty and fifty-five million people. The nearest station in this area is WXYZ.

The initial series of sermons will be delivered by Dr. Walter A. Maier, of St. Louis. The musical portions of the programs will be presented by the Chicago Bach Chorus, Edward Rechin, organist of Immanuel Church, New York and the Concordia Seminary Chorus, St. Louis.

Don't fail to tune in on WXYZ every Thursday 10 to 10:30 p. m.

St. Martin's Episcopal Mission Lenore Ave. 3 blocks south of Grand River, Five Points

Morning service, 10:30.  
Sunday School, 11:30.

Clarencville M. E. Church  
Rev. Robert Richards, Pastor

10:30—Morning worship.  
11:30—Sunday School.  
7:30—Evening service.

Evangelical Church  
Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
English service, 11:15.

Church Board meets at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles White on Monday evening.  
Confirmation Class, Tuesday and Thursday.

The annual convention of the Federation of Evangelical Women will be held at South Bend, October 9 and 10. Several women of Salem church will attend.

Our Lady of Sorrows Church  
Rev. James A. Callahan, Pastor

Sunday masses at 8:30 a. m. and 11 a. m.  
Daily mass at 8:00.

Baptist Church  
Rev. E. W. Palmer, Pastor

10:30—Morning, worship and communion service.  
11:45—Bible School with classes for all ages.

6:00—Young Peoples Hour.  
7:30—Evangelistic service.

The sermon this week will be the third of a series on Great Things. The Pastor will preach on "His Great Joy." We will have special musical numbers.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who are without a church home to come and worship with us.

Methodist Church  
Rev. F. C. Johnson, Pastor

10:30 a. m.—"The Four Pillars of the Church."

7:30—"The Host Gift."  
7:30, Wednesday evening—The Fellowship Service.

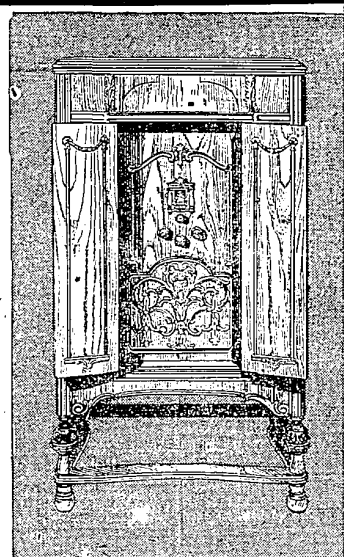
West Point Park Presbyterian Church

10:30—Sunday School. Lloyd S. Gollen, Supt.

11:30—Morning services.  
Next Sunday will be Communion Sunday. Rev. John Adams' topic will be "Communion."  
7:30—Wednesday evening. Mid-week prayer service.

Universalist Church  
Dr. Frank D. Adams, Pastor

Sermon theme, "Social Injustices—Who Are Guilty of Them?" This theme has been inspired by work with the unemployment situation for the last two weeks, and most of what Dr. Adams will say comes out of this same experience.



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