

Bible Conference Draws Crowd At Baptist Church

Harry Rimmer, Noted Archeological Research Specialist—State Ministers—Speak

The auditorium of the Baptist church was nearly filled to capacity Thursday to hear Harry Rimmer, of Los Angeles, Calif., a specialist in the field of scientific and archeological research, and prominent Baptist ministers of the state, speak at the All-Day Bible Conference, the first ever held in Farmington.

Mr. Rimmer chose as his subject "Science and the Bible." He showed a close relationship between modern day sanitary and structural engineering and that of Biblical times, pointing out that the most modern methods of dealing with sanitary engineering were means familiar to Moses and taught to the children of Israel in going through the Wilderness.

A contemporary inventor, according to Mr. Rimmer, recently applied for a patent on a device designed to aid in structural engineering but he learned that the same device had been used in the construction of the Tabernacle and was refused a patent on this basis.

Explains Phenomena
Mr. Rimmer turned to another page of the Bible to illustrate phenomena that we have come to know only through modern scientific study. Quoting from the first chapter of Genesis, Mr. Rimmer said, "The oceans have but one bed but preserve their identity." Modern scientific investigation has shown that even though there is no definite boundary from one ocean to another, scientists have found that fish hesitate to cross the invisible border. Scientists say, "to a difference in the chemical content of the waters, which the fish must accustom themselves to before leaving their native waters."

Traces Atomic Theory
Mr. Rimmer traced the foundation of the atomic theory to Hebrews 11.3 when he quoted, "Through faith we understand that the words were framed by the word of God so that things that are seen were not made of things which do appear." Mr. Rimmer added that we no longer speak of it as a theory but accept it as a fact.

The morning session of the conference was taken up with a short discussion by Rev. W. J. Holmes of Lincoln Park and an address by Dr. George Bernard of Detroit, followed by a luncheon at the church.

Ministers Participate
The afternoon session was opened by a devotional hour led by Rev. Fred R. Vine of Detroit whose address was entitled, "Our High Priest." "Individual Soul Winning" was the title chosen by Rev. W. F. Disette of Dearborn for his address which was followed by an open conference on the subject.

The evening program was devoted to the address of Dr. Albert G. Johnson of Temple church, Detroit.

Among those attending the conference were people from Northville, Wayne, Detroit, Wixom, Dearborn, Pontiac, Novi, Walled Lake and Berkley.

Masonic Pin Given To Director Of Band

Edward Eaton director of the Farmington High School band, is now wearing a handsome Masonic pin, the gift of members of the band who he has directed for the past four years. The pin was presented on behalf of the band by N. H. Power, city clerk, at a Masonic meeting recently at which time Mr. Eaton received his third degree in Masonry.

For 50 years prior to the time Mr. Eaton came to Farmington there had been movements underway for starting a band. A few months after Mr. Eaton's arrival in Farmington he organized the band and has directed it since that time.

Missing Farmer Is Found In Detroit

Frank Cox, 65 year old farmer who lives on Thirteen Mile road and whose disappearance last Friday was broadcast over police stations Wednesday, was reported found in Detroit Wednesday afternoon.

Details were lacking concerning his disappearance but robbery was first thought as being the cause as he had \$200 on his person when he left home Friday. Members of the family stated there had been no violence connected with his disappearance.

Ten Community Projects Urged

Opportunities For Betterment Cited To Members Of Exchange Club

Adoption of a program of ten community projects of value to the people of Farmington and vicinity was urged by Rev. Floyd Charles Johnson at the meeting of Farmington Exchange Club Wednesday noon. Rev. Johnson pointed out the opportunities for service to the community which are before the Club, held possibilities for great advantage to all.

Failure to grasp the chances which are at hand would be a deplorable waste of time and opportunity, Rev. Johnson declared. None of the projects would be expensive, and some might be profitable not only in making life in this community more enjoyable, but also from a financial standpoint.

Utilization of buildings and natural assets are important in Rev. Johnson's list, which included the following:

First he pointed to the existence of the former Methodist Children's Home, west of Farmington, a large building which is lying idle, while it might be used for various purposes. The desirability of providing a good skating rink and toboggan-slide for winter.

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SPECIAL MEETING HELD BY O. E. S. TO OBSERVE FOUNDING

Past Matrons, Past Patrons And Charter Members Honored On Anniversary

Farmington Chapter, O. E. S., observed its thirty-second anniversary at a special meeting at the Masonic Hall Tuesday night in which more than 100 members and visitors were present for the conferring of the degrees of the order. Special matrons and patrons and charter members were especially honored. A poem, dedicated to the honored ones and written by Mrs. Imogene Bicking, was read by the Worthy Matron.

The degrees of the order were conferred upon Mr. and Mrs. Walter Durham, Clarence Witte, Mrs. A. C. Worsfold and Joseph Himmelsbach, worshipful master of the Farmington Masonic lodge.

The program included a piano solo by Arleen Oldham, a dance by Mary Lou and Betty Jane Worsfold, reading by Miss Fern Ault, dance number by Mary Lou and Betty Jane Worsfold, and a solo by Miss June Johnson.

Guests from out of town were from Redford, Northville and Detroit.

Wanda Currin One Of Group To Broadcast

Wanda Currin of Farmington is one of the 29 4-H club champions of Oakland County who will take part in celebrating the Second National Wide Radio broadcast over WJR November 7, from 12:45 to 1:15 p. m. The group will sing the songs over the radio that it sang when it won first place in the 4-H club State-Wide singing contest recently.

Farmington Bank In Nation-Wide Plan For Credit

Peoples State Bank Subscribes To Half Billion Dollar Co-Operative Plan

The Peoples State Bank of Farmington is participating in the nation-wide half billion dollar co-operative credit plan sponsored by President Hoover with the view of restoring business prosperity and economic stability. With 15 other banks in Oakland County, the Farmington financial institution this week united with others throughout the State in the formation of the Michigan area of the national organization.

Can Get Cash
Organization of the national corporation will make it possible for banks to meet any emergencies that may arise by borrowing on assets which cannot be used for borrowing at the Federal Reserve Bank. Sound mortgages, securities notes and bonds, generally regarded as "frozen" assets, can be taken to the National Credit Corporation as collateral to obtain cash in case it is needed.

It is the belief of financial men that had the plan been in operation earlier, many bank closings would have been avoided, for the institutions would have been able to obtain cash from the national corporation to meet any emergencies which developed, using as collateral high-grade assets which were unquestionably sound but which could not be otherwise quickly converted into cash in the absence of some such organization as the national credit corporation.

Unlimited Aid
The Oakland County banks will pledge a million dollars, and in return may draw upon the billion dollar pool for practically unlimited assistance in any future emergencies, according to banking leaders.

Banks throughout the nation are subscribing to the national corporation, no bank being allowed to subscribe for more than 10 per cent of its capital and surplus, or two per cent of its deposits, whichever amount is the lesser.

Although the National Credit Corporation will start with a fund of \$500,000,000, it is expected by bankers that only a small portion of this will ever be used and that few banks will call upon this fund. This huge reserve back of the banks of the country, adding to their security, will, it is expected, strengthen public confidence so greatly as to make demands on banks for cash infrequent. Still more important, if any emergency should present itself to a bank, the bank can quickly avail itself of a large amount of ready cash from the half billion dollar pool.

Officials of the Peoples State Bank strongly endorsed the national credit plan, sponsored by President Hoover. James L. Hogle, president of the bank, said:

"We heartily endorse the Hoover credit pool because it is a solution to many problems facing the banks of the country today, and we believe it will aid greatly in bringing about normal business conditions."

On Loan Board

Charles E. Toms, prominent banker of Lansing and well-known in Farmington, has been named as a regional loan adviser of the Michigan division of the National corporation. Mr. Tom is a nephew of Mr. Byron Pierce of Farmington.

Farmington Men On Trip To State Prison

Plans were completed Thursday for a trip to be made by a number of Farmington men through the new Michigan State prison at Jackson. The men go in two cars included Mayor Arthur Lamb, A. L. Ross, Spencer J. Heener, Rev. W. Palmer, Nathan H. Power, Rev. Floyd Charles Johnson, Rev. A. A. Schoen and Delos Hamlin.

The trip was arranged by Mayor Lamb.

County Officials Ask Citizens For Tax Suggestions

Committee Of Supervisors, Seeking Relief Plan, Invite Submission Of Ideas

Citizens of Farmington and other communities in Oakland County are being asked for suggestions as to some means of solving the problem of taxation, difficulties of which have been becoming more and more apparent in recent months. A committee of seven supervisors, of which Mayor Arthur Lamb of Farmington is a member, is engaged in a study of the problem.

The committee, appointed last week, met Wednesday and decided upon sending out communications to nearly 300 citizens throughout the County, asking for ideas and suggestions which might be helpful, asking if the recipients can suggest any plans which might provide a solution. A number of cards were received by Farmington citizens this week, and others are to be sent in a few days. While the committee is seeking a definite, workable plan, any ideas and suggestions will be welcomed, Mayor Lamb said.

One of the particular aims of the committee in sending out cards is to find out how many citizens really are interested in the matter of taxation, interested deeply enough to think hard about the situation and to take the trouble of writing down their views for the committee. Replies may be sent to Mayor Lamb or any other member of the committee, or in care of the County Board of Auditors.

It is the plan of the Supervisors' committee, when a plan is formulated, to present it to the State government at Lansing. The contents of the cards sent to taxpayers follows:

Fellow Taxpayer:
The Oakland County Board of Supervisors, realizing the serious tax situation in the County and elsewhere, has appointed the undersigned committee to study the matter, and if possible, bring back a constructive plan for relief.

You are known to have given some thought to the subject and are invited to submit any ideas and plans of a constructive nature that you may have to the committee, preferably in writing.

Your communication will be given careful consideration if sent in soon. It may be addressed to any member of the committee, or in care of the Board of County Auditors.

Walter Gehrke, Pleasant Ridge, Chairman.
W. C. Hudson, Royal Oak.
Sen. James Lawson, Royal Oak.
James F. Spence, Pontiac.
Arthur Lamb, Farmington.
Bert Porritt, Pontiac Twp.
C. K. Phillips, Independence Township.

**NINE MEMBERS OF
LEGION AUXILIARY
VISIT CAMP CLUSTER**

Group Attended Annual Birthday Party For Disabled War Veterans

Seventy women, including nine from Farmington, representing the sixth district of the American Legion Auxiliary, attended the annual birthday party held for disabled veterans Wednesday at United-States Base Hospital 100 at Camp Cluster.

Those from Farmington attending were Mrs. Minnie Hogle, Mrs. Muriel Hogle, Mrs. Fred Goers, Mrs. Bertha Schroeder, Mrs. Margaret Hill, Mrs. Isabelle Lueke, Mrs. William Maas, Sr., Miss Minnie Maas and Mrs. Hattie DeVriendt.

While in Battle Creek they met Miss Louise Bollens, who is attending school at that place. Miss Bollens escorted the Farmington delegation through the Battle Creek Sanitarium.

The Farmington Auxiliary will entertain at an afternoon bridge party at the Legion home this Friday at 2:30.

Plan Three-Day Festival For The Farmington Area

Townsppeople Will Be Hosts To Residents Of Outlying Sections On November 8, 9, 10; Old-Time Dance, Banquet, Exhibit Planned

A three-day autumn festival, one of the largest and most enjoyable events of its kind ever held in this section, is being planned for residents of the Farmington area, to be held Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 8, 9, and 10. On those days Farmington townsppeople will be hosts to residents of all the area around Farmington, from as many miles as anyone may wish to come.

Three evenings and one afternoon will be devoted to development of mutual interests and fostering of neighborly good-will. It is anticipated that not only many old friendships be renewed, but that new-acquaintanceships may result, adding in the growth of a closer community spirit.

Opens Sunday
Plans are now formulated for the opening of the festival on Sunday evening, November 8, with a union service in one of the Farmington churches, in the conduct of which the pastors will unite. Announcement of the church at which the service is to be held, and other details, will be made next week. Rev. Floyd Charles Johnson is in charge of this part of the program.

On Monday evening old times will be brought back with the holding of a real old-fashioned square-dance in Farmington Town Hall. Good old time music will be provided. Invitations will be sent out next week to residents of the outlying area, who will be admitted without charge as guests of the townsppeople at the dance. Mayor Arthur Lamb is in charge of arrangements.

EXHIBIT AND DINNER

On Tuesday afternoon there will be an exhibit in the M. E. Community Hall of apples and apple-products, apples being the leading product of this section. Prizes will be offered for various kinds of apples as well as for various kinds of edibles made from apples, such as pies, preserves, applebutter, etc.

On Tuesday evening, a big banquet will be held in the Community Hall, for both men and women. Men and women of the town will invite as their guests at (Continued on page five)

**N. W. A. C. FOOTBALL
TEAM SCHEDULES
WINDSOR ELEVEN**

Athletic Club Plays Tie Game Sunday With St. George A. C.

Northwestern Athletic Club football team will leave its home field for the first time in two years, Sunday, November 8, when the Wolverines of Windsor, Ontario, will be played at Windsor. According to coaches of the N. W. A. C. team, this will be one of the hardest games of the year and already the team is being pointed for this battle.

N. W. A. C. played a tie game with St. George Athletic club Sunday at the Northwestern field. The score was 6 and 6.

Northwestern scored in the first period when G. Robinson skirted right end for a touchdown after a series of passes had brought the ball within striking distance. N. W. A. C. failed to add the extra point and the score continued to be 6-0 until the third period when St. George hammered the Northwestern line effectively and finally crossed for the touchdown, but failed to convert the point.

LeClaire at left end, a new comer to the team, played a good game. Christenson substituted at center for White who is out for an indefinite period. Meyers at right tackle, who has been on the bench with injuries, is expected to be back in the lineup Sunday.

Northwestern will play a game this Sunday at its field on Middlebelt Road but final decision as to who the opponents will be has not been made.

ATTEND FUNERAL
Several Farmington businessmen attended the funeral Tuesday afternoon at Bingham of Charles Bingham, for 50 years a resident of Southfield Township. Mr. Bingham was well known to many Farmington people and spoke at the Exchange Club only a few weeks ago, inviting Farmington Exchangeites to the Metropolitan Area Council meeting at Birmingham. He died last Saturday after only a few hours' illness.

Mrs. Alice Tuttle and daughter Ruth were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marquart in Detroit.