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EDITORIALS

Here Is Your Opportunity

There has been a great deal of criticism both by governmental officials and private citizens against the newspapers of this country and their partnership.

If we are to survive as a democratic nation and preserve the rights given us by the people of this country must realize their privilege to speak and write as they see fit and practice this privilege until it becomes well fixed.

The Enterprise furnishes the people of Farmington and surrounding territory with the opportunity of expressing their feelings in the columns of their newspaper.

Don't Let Up Now

A great sigh of relief came out of Lansing this week as the traffic death toll over the Fourth of July sank to 23 deaths, as compared to 49 over the Memorial Day weekend.

The State Highway department, the State Police and various educational media deserve a great deal of credit for their work in saving the lives of Michigan citizens.

But as Michigan slides back in its easy chair, it must be remembered that one improvement warrants another. This is no time to go to sleep satisfied over a good record.

Don't let up now—or you will be letting yourself down.

Other Editors Say

Padlewski

(Christian Science Monitor) It was a bold stroke the drawing room of a Lady de Grey. Queen Victoria had found it graceful enough, and Queen Alexandra...

Hoover's No-War Program

There probably will be little disagreement with Herbert Hoover's seven-point program to keep this country out of active participation in the present warring conflict.

FARMINGTON GOSPEL ASSEMBLY

Those seven points, while not without danger, seem to be a program that should find general endorsement by our people.

FIRST METHODIST

Rev. Howard Bushing, Pastor Morning Worship at 10:30. Sermon by the minister.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

New High School Auditorium. Sermon by the minister. Church School, 12 noon.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

"Sacrament" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, July 13.

OPAGS Has Busy Week

Price Administrator Leon Henderson in one of his busiest weeks, moved further into the consumer goods field by establishing ceiling prices on six types of cotton cloth.

CHURCHES

All notices for this column must be in the hands of the office not later than Tuesday at noon.

SALEM EVANGELICAL Rev. Carl Schultz, Pastor Church at 10:00 a. m. Sunday School at 11:00.

CLARENCEVILLE UNITED Rev. W. J. Prisk, Pastor Church service, 10 a. m.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS Rev. John J. Larkin, Pastor Sunday Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 10:30 a. m., and at 12 noon.

REDFORD GOSPEL TABERNACLE 19000 Lahser Road Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST "The Friendly Church" Gilbert A. Metzger, Pastor Morning prayer meeting, 10:15.

West Point Bible Church Evangeline B. Farnum, Founder and Evangelist

10 a. m., Bible School, all ages. 11:15 a. m., Morning Worship.

FRIDAY 10:11 a. m., Radio Glee Club (high school girls and boys).

SPECIAL NOTICE Due to the fact that plans are being made for a new building.

23608 Warner Avenue Rev. Orville J. Windell, Pastor Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.

Rev. Howard Bushing, Pastor Morning Worship at 10:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST 32300 Seven Mile Road Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY New High School Auditorium.

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NO BACKSEAT DRIVERS NEEDED



THIS WEEK IN DEFENSE

Defense agencies moved on two fronts last week to increase the flow of aluminum into military aircraft manufacturing and other defense industries.

The Office of Production Management recommended to the War Department immediate construction of eight aluminum plants with a combined capacity of 600 million pounds annually.

The increase in aluminum production, which will be financed by the Government, will raise the United States' yearly output to 1 billion 400 million pounds.

The scrap aluminum campaign is expected to produce 20 million pounds of aluminum (of which at least three-fourths can be used in defense industries).

Steel Expansion Plan Approved Further increase in steel production, also vital to defense, was made possible as the OPM approved a proposal of the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation to spend \$25,000,000 on new facilities.

OPM Production Director John D. Biggers called a meeting of auto manufacturers July 2 in Washington to consider means of reducing car and truck production beyond the 20 percent previously adopted.

OPM Assistant Director General Sidney Hillman called attention to the success of the training-within-industry program which, he said, has forestalled threatened skilled labor shortages in defense industries.

OPM Labor Division that Negroes will be hired in accordance with the Presidential proclamation that no racial discrimination will be countenanced.

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Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TEN YEARS AGO (July 9, 1931)

Judge John J. Schulte continues in office as Farmington Justice of the Peace, having been named to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John H. Thayer.

That Farmington Township might make use of Farmington Town Hall for its board meetings, elections, and other public business notwithstanding the fact that the Hall is situated inside the city limits of Farmington, and may go on under the present laws is the contention of an attorney engaged in the Town Hall suit.

A judgment of \$667.27 was awarded school district No. 1, Fractional, of Farmington Township, against the Township, Monday in Circuit Court at Pontiac.

Howard C. Knickerbocker of Dearborn, appointed temporary receiver of the Farmington State Savings Bank, took charge of the bank Monday. Mr. Knickerbocker, whose home is in Dearborn, is former State bank examiner.

Officers who have headed the Farmington Board of Education during the past year were re-elected to their respective positions at a special meeting of the Board last Thursday evening.

Chief of Police Lee Doyle captured three negro alleged short-change artists from Chicago who attempted to pass through Farmington on their way to Detroit after short changing the gasoline attendant at Devil's Inn Service in Brighton Tuesday.

FIVE YEARS AGO (July 9, 1936)

Although the State of Michigan led the nation with the heaviest weekend automobile death toll, Farmington Township and the City established a new record for Fourth of July weekend safety.

Deputy Sheriff Joseph DeVriendt, sharing this safety record with Farmington, were the townships of Novi, Southfield, and West Bloomfield. This is an area comprising many square miles, numerous main highways, and approximately 25,000 people.

Taking advantage of the existing happy combination of excellent financial standing possessed by the City of Farmington, and the current low interest rates on municipal bonds, the City Commission is taking steps to refund the entire municipal bonded debt, by which a saving of \$5,000 in net interest may be realized.

Plans are under way in Farmington for the formation of a Girl's Reserve club, a subsidiary organization of the national Young Women's Christian Association.

Thomas Graham, well known farmer of Fourteen Mile Road, North Farmington, is recovering from a sun stroke suffered in the extreme heat Wednesday. Mr. Graham was stricken while working on his farm.

An unannounced jet black beauty is arriving in Farmington Monday morning, to be under the care of Deputy Sheriff Joe DeVriendt until some lucky person who has him in the American Legion Gala Day, September 1. He has been donated by the Farmington State Bank to the Groves-Walker Post of the American Legion.

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