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EDITORIALS

Freedom From Want?

We have discussed the prospects in a world in which there is no fear. Now let us look upon a world where there is Freedom from Want. We approach the subject realistically, perhaps, rather than theoretically, for Freedom from Want, like Freedom from Fear, is coveted by all, but as yet attained by few.

To become free of want would be as disastrous to man's progress as the elimination of fear would be to his powers of awareness. When the people on this earth cease to want for things, material or spiritual, then, too, will they cease to progress. Want is but a synonym for desire whether for food, clothing, education or good government. So long as people want these things and continue to plan, fight, study and work for them, just so long will they continue to have their wants fulfilled. But there is this catch in the contemplation of getting what you want—you must yourself provide what you want. You must do something in exchange for getting what you want. The United States cannot, even with the help of all the Allies, give all the world's people what they want. Nor would the needy peoples in the world want Freedom from Want at the hands of other peoples. Nothing is genuinely appreciated that is given.

When we propose after this war to set up an order which will free people from want, we transcend every known law of survival. In the first place no nation, no generous and big-hearted philosophy, no mere man-made power can abolish want in the present state of the world's development, for the people in it have not yet had a full opportunity of doing for themselves. Why not stay within both human and divine law? It is an old truism that God helps those who help themselves. In the same way we in America may help such as want help to help themselves.

Freedom from Want cannot be established by edict or documentary decree. Freedom from Want can be had only by those who would want to be free of want.

If we would free the world of want, let us first free the people in lands where want is most rampant. People in countries under foreign domination can best be helped by making it possible for them to help themselves. In so doing we are giving them the opportunity of achieving those things which they most desire—the desires about which we know very little, or nothing at all.

Churches

FIRST METHODIST
Rev. Howard C. Buschling, Minister

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School, for fourth grade and above.
11:00 a.m.—Sunday School, for nursery through third grade.
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship.
Sunday, 7:00 p.m.—Youth meeting at the church.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m.—Choir rehearsal at the church.

FIRST BAPTIST
"The Friendly Church"
Rev. Fred B. Fisher, Pastor

Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m. A Christmas service around the Baptist Children's Home. The pastor's message from Luke's Gospel will be in keeping with the hour.
Bible School at 11:45 a.m.
Junior and Senior B.Y.P.U. meetings at 6:30 p.m.
Prayer Circle at 7:00 p.m.
Evening Service at 7:30 p.m. The choir will present Christmas music; the pastor's message will be from the Gospel of Luke.

CLARENCEVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
Cambridge and Grand River
Farmington, Michigan
Elsie A. Johns, Pastor
Marian P. Owen, Music and Religious Education Director

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Service, 11:15 a.m.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Service at 7:30 p.m. every Thursday night, followed by the Choir Rehearsal.

WEST POINT BIBLE CHURCH
Rev. J. H. Sandercock, Pastor
Evangeline B. Farum,

SUNDAY
10 a.m., Bible School, all ages.
11:15 a.m., Morning Worship. Sermon of messages on the present world conditions as seen in how God is working out his plan in this world.

WEDNESDAY
3 p.m., Prayer and Praise Service.

FRIDAY
10:11 a.m., Radio Girls Club (high school girls and boys).
1:30-3:00 p.m., Missionary meeting.

Due to the fact that plans are being made for a new building Sunday services are held in P. J. A. building, back of Piersen school, seven miles, near Farmington. Watch for information under "News of West Point Park" each week.

CLARENCEVILLE UNITED CHURCH

Meets at the Macabee Hall at Grand River and Eight Mile Road.
Rev. W. J. Prisk, Pastor
Mrs. Norma Riddell, Sunday School Superintendent
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday 7:00 p.m., Mid-Week Prayer and Praise Meeting.
Evening Service 7:45.

SALEM EVANGELICAL
Rev. Carl Schultz, Pastor

Morning worship service, 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School, 11:15 a.m.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS
Rev. Thomas P. Deahan, Pastor
Rev. Joseph M. Lemire, Asst. Pastor

Sunday Masses at 7:00, 8:30, 9:45, 11:15 and 12:30.
Masses on Holy Days at 8:30
7:00, 8:00 and 9:00 a.m.
Daily Masses at 6:15 and 8:00 a.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
New High School Auditorium
Farmington

"Is the Universe, including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" will be the subject in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, December 19.

The Golden Text (Hebrews 11:2) is: "Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were of things which do appear."

Among the Bible citations in this passage (Hebrews 11:2-3) are: "For thus saith the Lord that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; he hath established it, he created it in vain, he formed it to be inhabited: I am the Lord; and there is none else."

Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
Grand River and Oxford
Clarenceville

Meetings every Saturday.
ALL WELCOME
9:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon

A NEW HAT IN THE RING



Seed Prices Under Control
The 1944 program for winter cover crop seed will support prices on hairy vetch, common vetch, crimson clover, and ryegrass seeds at levels from 5 to 40 per cent higher than last season, according to purchases by the U. S. Commodity Credit Corporation. Fourteen types of vegetable seeds, including about 200 domestic and imported varieties, have been placed under ceiling prices by OPA. Seeds included are bean, pea, corn, beet, cabbage, carrot, cauliflower, Swiss chard, cucumber, lettuce, mangold, (Continued on Page 5L)

Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p.159): "The human mortal mind, by an inevitable perversion, makes all things start from the lowest instead of from the highest mortal thought. The reverse is the case with all the formations of the immortal divine Mind. They proceed from the divine source, and, in tracing them, we constantly ascend in infinite being."

CHURCH OF CHRIST
33200 Seven Mile Road
Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Preaching, 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening, 7:45 p.m.

FARMINGTON GOSPEL ASSEMBLY
23608 Warner Avenue
Rev. Orville J. Windell, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.
Sunday evening services, 7:30 p.m.
Thursday evening, 7:45—Young People's Meeting.

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH
Earl Cook, Minister

Morning worship, 10:30.
Bible School, 11:45. Classes for all ages.
Baptist Youth Fellowship, 7:00 p.m.
"Everybody's Gospel Service," 8:00 p.m.

REDFORD ASSEMBLY OF GOD
16750 Lahser Ave.
James A. Davis, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Radio Broadcast WEXL 6:15 p.m.
Evening Service 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
NEW HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, FARMINGTON

A Branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Massachusetts

SUNDAY SERVICES
AT 11:00 A.M.

And Sunday School for Pupils up to the age of 20 at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday Evening Testimonial at 8 p.m. at

33336 Grand River Avenue
Current Christian Science Literature on sale Wednesday evenings
ALL ARE WELCOME

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO (December 20, 1918)

Thomas Houghton Killed By Bandit
Last Saturday evening about 10 o'clock a man entered the Redford State Bank, pointed a gun at Cashier Thomas C. Houghton, uncle of Mrs. Manley Newman and Mrs. Bert Hutchings, of this village, and shot him down without warning, the ball passing through his stomach. Mr. Houghton was alone in the bank at the time, Albert Bruder, assistant cashier, having stepped out on an errand, which fact was probably noted by the highwayman.

Purchase Home
Herman A. Schroeder on Wednesday purchased the H. P. Randall home on Shilawasee Street. Mr. and Mrs. Schroeder expect possession about April 1.

Gives Interesting Talk
Private Hugh Fleming talked to a fair sized crowd at the Town Hall last Tuesday evening in the interest of the Red Cross. Private Fleming was one of the first Canadian battalions to go to France in 1914, and was through the thickest of the fight, a complete description of which was narrated. He was wounded in the shoulder, twice in the left arm, and his arm was badly broken.

TEN YEARS AGO (December 21, 1933)
Plans For Huge Party Completed

With arrangements practically completed for a community-wide dancing and card party to swell the Goodwill Fund, next Friday evening, in the Town Hall, Farmington's Goodwillers will have swung into the most active part of their 1933 campaign to aid the needy. One of the biggest events in this section in years is anticipated at the combination party next week.

Woman Lies On Ground With Broken Hip
After having lain on the ground suffering from a fractured hip for five hours during which she called in vain for help, Mrs. George Boswick of Farmington Township is in a serious condition at her home. In addition to the fracture of her hip, Mrs. Boswick is threatened with pneumonia as a result of exposure.

Farmington Band Is Called "Finest"
Farmington Community Band is termed the "Finest of all" in a letter received this week by Supt. of Schools John Dalrymple. The letter, expressing appreciation for the band's appearance in a Thanksgiving day parade in Detroit slated "it was the best looking and best playing band we have had for a long time."

FIVE YEARS AGO (December 15, 1938)
Elected Association Head

Dr. Z. R. Aschenbrenner is the president-elect of the Oakland County Medical Association as a result of the annual election of officers held last week. Dr. Aschenbrenner will not take office until a year from now. Dr. George A. Sherman is the new president of the Association. He is the superintendent of the Oakland County Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

PWA Grants Funds For New School
Work will begin on a \$3,813 addition to the Farmington Schools shortly before the first of the year, because approval of the PWA grant for \$36,813 was received here from Washington Wednesday morning. Although it was believed that work would be received by December 5 if the building was to be under construction before January 1, Mr. Burns thinks it will be possible to finish all of the preliminaries in time to get construction underway before the deadline.

Schulte Refuses Prosecutor Post
Appointment as Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney of Oakland County, beginning the first of next year, has been offered to Municipal Judge John J. Schulte of Farmington, but has been declined by him. It is disclosed in connection with announcement this week of his new staff by Prosecutor-Elect Charles L. Wilson. Mr. Wilson will succeed Franklin E. Morris.

by the U.S. Treasury and hence are payable out of taxes of some kind, tomorrow or a 100 years from now, there can be no question. That the removal of food subsidies would start a rise of food prices that would lead inevitably to higher wages for the food worker is also conceded. And that the middle-class—the so-called white collar folk—would be hit worst of all is also generally admitted. Try to reconcile these statements!

What then is the solution—if any?
Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, who enjoys a national reputation for sound leadership, believes that the basic trouble lies in the Washington policy of trying to control wages by Presidential directives and prices by legislative restrictions. The two are like oil and water; they won't mix and won't work.

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Keystone Home



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