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Scrap Troopers

Yes, it may surprise you to learn that in the opinion of the United States Government your small Johnny and pig-tailed Elizabeth have already served in the war in a most direct and effectual way. Hear this statement made recently to 2,000 assembled educators by E. W. Balduf of the salvage division of the War Production Board.

"When the history of civilian effort on the Home Front in this war is written, the part played by the school children of America will loom up as one of the most resplendent and inspiring manifestations of American patriotism in that record."

Scrap troopers trundling their little red play-wagons to school in every city and town, in every neighborhood all out across the great land of America, lugging papers, tin cans, fats, rags and metal. Scrap troopers ringing doorbells, making the housewife promise to look in basement and attic. Scrap troopers in their own eager childlike way reaching out to join hands with their daddies and big brothers fighting on far flung battle fronts. No one knows how many hundreds of thousands of tons of materials they have collected. Says an appreciative WPB, "It is known that they have brought in the major part of the total tonnage of materials collected from city homes and farms."

Critical shortages of tin, of scrap metal, of millions of cords of pulpwood have already been appreciably lessened by the work of these school children. Here in Farmington, as it is all over this country of ours, these commandos, as they call themselves, are doing a wonderful job. Help them speed their work by collecting your salvage and scrap. They'll do the rest.

Tojo Etcetera

It is a fact of war that winning Generals are seldom changed. When von Kluge replaced von Rundstedt in France it was taken as a sure sign the Nazis were in trouble.

The procession of commanders on the Russian front has been an obvious concomitant of the "straightening" German line. While the singular coincidence of the loss of Japanese Admirals in air-plane crashes soon after naval defeats has justified some speculation.

The latest shifts in Nippon do not involve such a crash, but the removal of General Tojo from the post of Chief of the Army Staff is nevertheless a spectacular development. The replacement of the Japanese Naval Minister follows too closely on the loss of Saitan not to suggest that the fall of this vital bastion was the reason. Other changes announced by Tokyo suggest the beginning of a housecleaning.

Defeat is more than physical; it has all sorts of psychological accompaniments. The imposition of a new commander seldom alleviates these, but sometimes makes them worse. All this adds to the bleakness of the Axis outlook.

Indeed, from the present look of things the procession of new commanders in both Japan and Germany may shortly take on the aspect of a parade.

Soy Pods
Soybean pods are so tough and so hard to open that many a housewife, attacking them for the first time, has given up. This difficulty can be overcome by pouring boiling water over the pods and allowing them to stand 15 minutes before draining. Don't try to cool the pods with cold water before shelling, as this will toughen them again. If they're too hot to handle, allow them to cool slightly before shelling.

Mixed Election
North Carolinians did not vote in the first presidential election, since it had not at that time (1788) ratified the federal constitution.

Clothes Moths
If the house becomes badly infested with clothes moths, to a point where overstuffed furniture and rugs are damaged, it will be best to have a commercial exterminator called in. Fumigation of the entire house with cyanide gas is a sure and effective way of eliminating clothes moths but it must be done by an experienced person, since the gas is dangerous.

Seed Potatoes
As treatment of seed potatoes may kill sprouts, it is best to treat the seed when still dormant, or at least three weeks before planting time, to enable new sprouts to grow.

Churches

FIRST METHODIST

Rev. A. Stanley Stone, Minister

10:00 a.m. Sunday School, for fourth grade and above.
11:00 a.m. Sunday School, for nursery through third grade.
Youth Fellowship, 7:00 p.m. Sunday.
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. Guest speaker will be the Rev. Richard Hansen, Christian worker in the great Norway Housing Project.
Bible School at 11:45 a.m. Junior and Senior B.Y.P.U. Meetings at 6:30 p.m.
Evening Prayer Circle at 7:00 p.m.
Evening Service at 7:30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Mr. Ray McLaughlin, assistant to Mr. Hansen at Norway, and student of Chicago's Northern Baptist Theological Seminary.

CLARENCEVILLE

METHODIST CHURCH
Cambridge and Grand River
Farmington, Michigan

Elaine A. Johns, Pastor
Marlan P. Owen, Music and Religious Education Director

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Interest in fate and attendance is growing.
Morning Worship at 11:15 a.m., the pastor preaching.
Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship at 7:30 p.m.
Mid-Week prayer service on Thursday evenings at 7:45. Good song service. Fine testimonies. A happy fellowship.

WEST POINT BIBLE CHURCH

Rev. J. H. Sandercock, Pastor
Evangelical. B. Faruam

SUNDAY

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

WEDNESDAY

8 p.m. Prayer and Praise Service.

FRIDAY

10:11 a.m. Radio Glee Club (high school girls and boys).
1:30:00 p.m. Missionary meeting.

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

FARMINGTON GOSPEL ASSEMBLY

23600 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.

Wednesday evening, 7:45 — Young People's Meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

33200 Seven Mile Road

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m.
Preaching, 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening, 7:45 p.m.

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.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Rev. Thomas P. Bohan, 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 5:30, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:00 a.m.
Daily Masses at 6:15 and 8:00 a.m.

SALEM EVANGELICAL

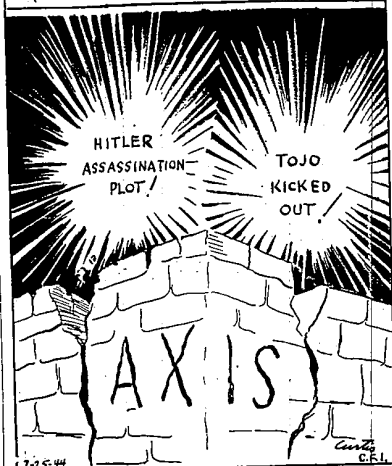
Rev. Carl Schultz, Pastor

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

Chimney Repair

Ask yourself these questions when you're examining heating equipment: Have chimneys been cleaned within a year? Are they good repair? Are masonry too close to burnable material, causing charring from radiated heat? Are smokepipes rusted or broken, with holes that sparks can pass through? Are walls, ceilings and partitions protected from overheating of stoves and furnaces? And are stoves and furnaces in good repair?

EXPLOSIONS WITHIN!



CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

New High School Auditorium
Farmington

"Love" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, July 30.

The Golden Text (Jeremiah 9:24) is: "Let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me, that I am the Lord which exercise lovingkindness, judgment, and righteousness, in the earth: for in these things I delight, saith the Lord."

Among the Bible citations is this passage (Psalm 102:2-4): "Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits: Who forgoeth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thine diseases; Who redeemeth thy life from destruction; who crowneth thee with mercies; ingkindness and tender mercies."

Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p.231): "If God heals not the sick, they are not healed, for no lesser power equals the infinite All-power, by God, Truth, Life, Love does heal the sick through the prayer of the righteous."

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Middlebelt at Eight Mile Rd.
E. L. Stuemppig, Pastor

Divine Worship at 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School for all classes at 9:30 a.m.

The pastor will be absent Sunday and a guest preacher will supply our pulpit.

Lutheran Hour at 1:30 p.m. Tune in CKLW.

The Sunday School staff will meet on Tuesday evening, 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.

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, 7:45 p.m. Mid-Week Prayer and Praise Meeting.

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.

Subject: "LOVE"

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

Reading Room Hours: Tuesday 2 to 4 p.m. Wednesday Evening, 8 to 9:30. Saturday, 2 to 5 p.m.

Current Christian Science Literature on sale Wednesday evenings.

ALL ARE WELCOME

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO (August 1, 1919)
Inspect Business Houses

H. O. Dohman, of Benton Harbor, and two assistants from the fire marshal's department at Lansing, were in town Wednesday and made an inspection of the several business places in the village. The buildings occupied by the A & P Store, M. H. Pierce haberdashery, and owned by Minnie Collins, of Detroit, were "condemned" as also were the meat market building owned by the Hejry, Schroeder estate, the Walters pool room building and the Chamberlin building occupied by C. W. Chamberlin and Ben Meyers. The E. C. Grace store was ordered improved with a new roof.

Annual Picnic

The annual picnic of the Methodist Sunday School was held at Walled Lake Tuesday, and was a very enjoyable affair, about 200 being in attendance. The day was spent in boating, bathing, games, contests and sports of all kinds. A basket dinner was one of the "drawing cards."

License Applications Arrive

Herman Kreager has a new supply of driver's license application blanks and can now supply all who wish them.

TEN YEARS AGO (August 9, 1934)

School To Open On September 10

Farmington Public Schools will open Monday, September 10, this year, Supt. J. A. Dalrymple announced this week. Changes in the housing of students, text book changes, and the replacement of several faculty members were also made known at the same time.

New Ordinance Believed Boon To City Court

A step forward in Justice Court procedure is believed to have been made by the City of Farmington Tuesday night when a proposed ordinance was submitted to Farmington City Commission providing for terms for the trial of jury cases, selection of jurors to try such cases, and broadening the rights, powers and duties of Justices of the Peace.

Clerk To Collect City Water Money

Farmington City Commission found several things of more or less importance for its consideration at its Tuesday night meeting. It was decided by the Commission that in the future all water monies will be collected by the City Clerk rather than the Treasurer, as has been the custom before. It was stipulated that the monies collected should be turned over to the Treasurer at least once a month.

FIVE YEARS AGO (July 27, 1939)

Golden Wedding Reception To Be Held

The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. M. Byron Pierce, for 50 years residents of Farmington, will be the occasion for a celebration at Botsford Tavern next Monday afternoon, July 31. Invitations have been sent out to more than 100 friends to attend the reception, from three to five o'clock.

School Board Elects Its Officers

Farmington Board of Education is ready to proceed energetically on its work for the coming year, which will see completion of the gymnasium-auditorium among important elements of the year's program. Acting on advice of its attorney, the Board accorded recognition as a member last Thursday evening to Paul Schreiber, and proceeded to organize with Dr. Z. R. Aschenbrenner chosen as president. The new president has been a member of the board for six years.

Band To Present Final Concert

Farmington school band, under the direction of Alvin Benner, will present its last concert of the summer series Thursday evening, August 3.

The band has given a program each Thursday evening for the past five weeks, and each one has been attended by enthusiastic music-lovers.

He remarks, casually on the fact that he has been "lucky" enough to plant on low valley soil, and get fat plants in drought and dry seasons when the highland crops "burned up" or "blew down" in high winds. And yet the next year or two he planted on highland, just in time to avoid a succession of valley floods that destroyed all crops along the streambeds.

When drought or floods threaten, Hayden finds peace in this philosophy: "I'm not worried. It's all the Lord's wheat. He can do what he wants with it."

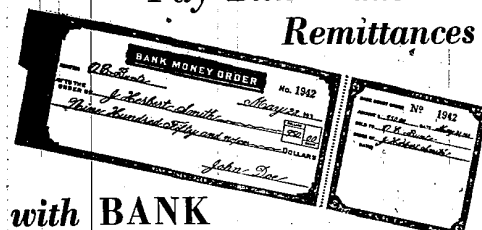
Ex-Governor Chase S. Osborn, "Michigan's Grand Old Man," had returned to Michigan (roughly winter home in Porcum Pote, Georgia, in the Founder's Room, Book

Marshall Frank L. Kemmer of the University quoted W. A. Markland's description of Osborn as "the friendliest of men, yet he loved a fight; a true democrat, devoted to liberty, yet he is by instinct an absolute monarch; despite the force of his character, aggressiveness, his neighbors know him as an incurable sentimentalist."

Chase Osborn at 81 is less vigorous than usual now. He acknowledges that he is "blind and para-

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