



Service Notes

19 August, 1944

Dear Friends and American Citizens:
I'd like to say at this time that I'd like to thank you in behalf of the home citizens in the Forces, for your generous work in seeing that we are kept up to date on home news and it is really appreciated.

I would like, at this time, to express an opinion that has been on my mind for quite some time and it may help in some way for Farmington to make this a better world to live in. We, as American citizens, should not let the opportunity pass with indifference. From my experiences in England, I have come to the conclusion that they fully realize that the only way to have peace is through world cooperation. England, at one time consisted of leading counties and after a time they realized that they were slowly exterminating the populace of their communities, and so united. Whereas, United States, at one time had the North and South, but I think, if they will stop to think, that they realize the utter uselessness of fighting amongst ourselves.

A proof of what non-violence can do at times, is pointed out in India by Mahatma Gandhi. He, plus the leadership of Pandit S. N. Haksar, has started India

on the road to Christianity by their beliefs, and if they had the cooperation of missionaries and sure that the 212 languages and dialects could be brought to a better understanding. It has been stated that their religion is Hindu, but missionaries, there is a task for you because if you convert to Christianity, you will be gathering followers by the millions and you will have great opportunities to share your ideas from Thoreau's psychology which is shown in "Walden." It was used stated by gentlemen that have interviewed men that he is one of the most interesting men they have ever met. I believe it's very possible because I have interviewed fascinating men that the community looked down upon, but I realized that they understood God, theology and psychology.

Our inventions, medical sciences, and education in the last century and at the present rate, it will be annihilation if it isn't checked soon because with some of our modern war machines in the hands of a maniac, there is only one answer—United States, as a Christian nation, can benefit and the whole world can profit by it, if we will share our missionaries, medical science, educational facilities, finances, resources and help of all our citizens in that we should have after seeing humanity being destroyed in this world.

It has been suggested, that children of all nations should be sent to other parts of the world for a short period to see how the rest live and be educated, in that way will fully realize that "home has its faults" and they may be able to help in some way to influence the older people and the generation to follow. Some feel that churches will rule the world, but if properly applied, Christianity will rule and I don't think there would be any regrets.

GREED is the biggest handicap today, and until we feel Christian duty, we shall continue to have wars and trouble.
A Farmington Soldier,
S/Sgt. George L. Escu.

August 27, 1944
Dear Sir:
I have been receiving your paper

regularly and I wish to inform you of my change of address.
While I was home on furlough in July I met several of my old friends from Farmington. They were really looking swell. I sure wish they were all back together again.

I am down here in Mississippi now, and it sure is a state. Personally I like Michigan. The only trouble down here is that it's rained at least once a day for the past 23 days. Boy, what rain!

Thank you for sending my paper to my new address.

Regards,
Cpl. J. M. Banghart.

Arriving home Tuesday morning from Lubbock, Texas, was Air Cadet Richard Miller. Dick will soon be entering pre-flight school at San Antonio.

Corporal Clark E. Gleghora of Harvey, Nebraska, is home on furlough.

Pfc James Maloney, who is attending school at Bowman Field, Louisville, Kentucky, is home on furlough.

Word has been received that Corporal Tom Barber has arrived safely in Italy. Tom's plane crashed in the Azores Islands, and he was hospitalized two weeks before continuing on to Italy.

Allan Terreault will leave this week to enter the service.

Corporal Charles Sullivan is now stationed at the Army Air Field at Dyersburg, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Banks of Pender Road received word from their son, Robert, that he is somewhere in France.

Winifred Kaufman of the Coast Guard is home on furlough, visiting her family on Nine Mile Road.

Bill Brown, according to recent reports, is in France with the English forces in England, and that he has no idea where he is on the map.

Several friends of Jim Barrons heard a report over short wave from Berlin stating that he was a prisoner in Germany.

By coincidence, Private Delbert Meyers has run into some boys from his home town of Farmington, away out in the South Pacific.

Captain Edgar M. Smith of Farmington Road, has been home on leave. He is now located in California.

A friend of Wesley Smith reports that he is now with our armed forces in England, and that he is finding much of interest over there.

Harvey Fuerst is in the South Pacific area.

Fred Menke, U.S.N., who has now left for active service, writes that he visited with Captain Howard Otis, in San Francisco, California, while Fred was there.

Pfc Shirley J. Zwahlen, who is with the Wacs at Camp Campbell, Kentucky, left last Wednesday after a furlough, most of which was spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Zwahlen, who until last January lived in West Point Park, but now reside

on Cottage Drive, Detroit. While here she flew to Washington, D.C. and spent a few days visiting friends there. She was accompanied back to camp by Dorothy Gerge.

Leo Cauzillo left Friday morning from Plymouth, for Fort Sheridan, Illinois, where he will begin training in the Army. His brother, Joe Cauzillo, has been in the Navy for the past five months, and is now at Norfolk, Virginia.

Camp Swift, Texas
August 28, 1944

Sirs:
I shall take this opportunity to thank you for being so generous in sending me the Enterprise. No matter if I was in Washington, California, the Rockies of Colorado, or even on Kiska, the Enterprise always came through. Your paper has brought many happy moments to me.

I've been in the service nearly four years now, and I have been receiving the Enterprise over two and a half years. It has enabled me to keep track of all the fellows I went to school with in '38. May I take this opportunity to say hello to them all and good luck no matter where they are. I'll just say so long for now, (it's ill mannered to say goodbye in the Army), and thank again for sending the Enterprise.

Sincerely,
S/Sgt. James M. Belcher.
P.S. Joe Cauzillo, your cousin, is aroused about what this insignia on the top of the paper means, it's the insignia of the first Ski Troops of the U.S. Army, which were organized back in 1941. "We conquer men and mountains" is our slogan.

Corporal Francis Powell has just returned to Daniel Field, Augusta, Georgia, after a twelve day furlough. Private William Powell is now home on a ten day furlough from Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

Now in training at the U.S. Maritime Service Training Station, Sheepshead Bay, New York, is Elmer R. Paschke of 21850 Powers Avenue. He will receive his weeks of basic training, and then may enter one of several fields of practical experience, or he may apply for one of the specialized schools of training.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH WILL OBSERVE RALLY DAY

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, at Middlebelt and Eight Mile Roads, is observing Rally Day this Sunday.

The children who attend Sunday School will receive a special Rally Day souvenir. The school contains classes for all ages, from three years old and upward. Sessions are from 9:30-10:30, with the smaller children meeting in the Sunday School rooms in the church basement while children from the third grade upward meet in the Christian-day school building.

A Bible class for young people and adults will also be opened Sunday morning at 9:45. The Rev. E. L. Stuempf, pastor of the church, plans to teach this group. In the service the pastor will bring a special message for parents and children.

Dental Floss for Button Trouble
If you've trouble keeping buttons on your children's clothes, sew them on once and for all with dental floss.

GALA DAYS ARE DECLARED A SUCCESS

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helped by a Red Cross worker, Lee Tyler, who was carrying a banner clearly stating the need for blood plasma.

Don Cadlett, Bunny Catlett and Carol Yanku had a grand entry, and three very small Indians, pulled by Richard Tyler, were portrayed by Sandy, Malcolm and Tommy Ramsay.

The Anderson children were a bride and groom, very attractively costumed, but the poor little groom got tired before the parade was over, and had to be carried. Judges for this part of the parade were Mrs. Marian Nelson, who has ably acted as chairman of the committee for the past five years, Mrs. Marian Moats, Reynolds Barton and W. L. Strickland. The committee was Mrs. Lulu Schaeffer, Mrs. Katie Carrier and Mrs. Hattie DeVriendt, and they extend their thanks, and that of the Auxiliary, to the judges.

Winner of the saddle horse contest was Dan Burdick, of Walter Durham won the \$50.00 War Bond.

Obituaries

Gladys M. Axford
The many Farmington friends of Mrs. Gladys M. Axford, 51, of 131 Washington, Pontiac, were sorry to learn of her death Monday morning, following an illness of three months.

Mrs. Axford leaves her husband, Charles R. Axford, two daughters, Mrs. Mary Margaret Burnham of Detroit, and Mrs. Marcella Ann Williams of Pontiac, two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Holcomb of Farmington and Mrs. Emma Cherry of Detroit, two brothers, Theodore V. Sherman of Detroit and Welton G. Sherman of Pontiac, and one grandson.

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon from the Farmer-Snowden funeral parlor, with Rev. William H. Marbach of the First Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial took place in Perry Mt. Park cemetery.

John Frederick Samuelson
John Frederick Samuelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Samuelson, of the Children's Hospital, passed away last Thursday, August 24, at the Olin Memorial Hospital, East Lansing. Jack, as he was familiarly known, had been ill since he finished High School at Farmington in 1942.

The Samuelson family came to Farmington 22 years ago, and Jack was born on March 7, 1925, at the Children's Hospital, where his father is employed. Jack was very active in Boy Scout work, being an Eagle Scout, and a member of the Order of Arrow. He was a member of the High School Band here, and after going to Michigan State College, in the fall of 1942, where he majored in chemistry. Jack was active in Band work there. He was vice-president and manager of the M.S.C. band. He was a member of two fraternities on the campus, Alpha Phi Omega, the Scout fraternity, and Alpha Chi Sigma, the Chemistry fraternity.

Besides his parents, Jack leaves one sister, Joyce Ellen. Funeral services were held from the Schmalzriedt Sons Funeral Home, and burial took place at Woodlawn Cemetery.

Lemon Tenderizer
When simmering a hot pot for freese, which is on the elderly side, or boiling a tough cut of beef or mutton, a few drops of lemon juice added to the water will tender up the meat surprisingly.

REVIVAL SERIES STARTS AT GOSPEL ASSEMBLY

Beginning Sunday evening, September 10, and continuing for three weeks, there will be special revival meetings held at the Farmington Gospel Assembly, 23608 Warner St., Farmington.

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