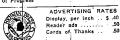
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+ EDITORIALS +

Like A Child . . .

with a new toy. This is the story that came out of Japan this week.

The Japanese people have been given a new in dividual freedom and like a new toy, they found it fascinating. For the first time they went to the polls and voted on a secret ballot for the public officials of their choice.

From all parts of the world came criticisms. "They weren't ready to vote yet." "It was stretching democracy too far." Yet they voted — approximately 65 to 70 per cent of those eligible voted. Like a child with a new toy! should never wear out.

And from Japan to Michigan, to Farmington, to every city and to every eligible voter in the United States comes a story — a story with a moral. We have a freedom, that through inheritance, has all but heen forgotten. It is more than a toy, it is an obligation, a responsibility.

Maybe if it was a toy, a bright red shiny toy that captured our interest and held it, we would have less bickering, dissatisfaction and turmoil. From a standpoint of interest and responsibility, voting seems to resemble an old antique, stuck away in the barn to be

It may seem a little early to talk about elections. It may seem a little late to talk about toys. However, if you want to fulfill your responsibilities as citizens, if you want to register your confidence or your protests, if you want to act when it counts, you will register and you will vote. Not 30 per cent of you, but 70 per cent or better yet, 100 per cent of you.

The eyes of the world are upon you - you are democracy - you can make it work.

Cost of Living

versus the OPA, or do we have inflation? Sounds like a soap box opera, or a one night stand.

It is, however, a serious problem facing every American. It is a fight for the necessities of life. A see-saw battle of prices against scarcities.

In spite of the OPA and its efforts to control costs of living by theory, we have inflation. No one has a quarrel with their efforts. Certainly it is an objective well worth striving for. No one

However, the OPA is working on a theory totally void-of any semblance of realism. With a pencil and paper, and a column of figures the OPA has formed the economic policy of the country. Present cost of living standings are proof of their efforts. Is your dollar today worth a dollar? Gurrency fluctuates—but what makes it fluctuate?

Since time began, supply and demand has governed our economic system. It always will. Prices rise when products are scarce, and with increased prices come increased wages, and around it goes.

All the ceilings, all the stabilizing of wages doesn't hold down the cost of living. It only slows the processes of production and puts the blocks under the wheels of plenty.

Today the cost of living is up and in the greatest nation of the world we are without. Continual strikes, based upon the laboring man's need to meet the rising cost of living plague our production. With increased wages come higher costs.

If the OPA would throw away its pencils — put on their boots and learn from men who know what is going on in the field, they could lick the situation, foster production and put America on its feet.

Churches

SALEM EVANGELICAL CHURCH "The Church on the Park" Rev. Carl H. Schultz, Pastor Ruth Hick Hammond, Organist Morning Worship service, 10:00

Norman Sunday School, 11:15 a.m.
Sunday School, 11:15 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m.
OUR (NVITATION
I love lo come to this still place,
Where deeper peace is giwaya
found,
To kneel as though on holy
ground,

ground,
And feel my Master face to faceI do not know how I could live
It there were not this refuge
sweet
Where I could linger at His feet
And He to me sweet healing give.
WELCOME

CLARENCEVILLE
METHODIST CHURCH
Cambridge and Grand River
Farmington, Michigan
Elsie A. Johns, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00 am. In-

Saintay School at 10:00 afm. In-terest is fine and attendance is growins.

Morning Worship at 11:15 (a.m., the pastor preaching, Methodist Youth Fellowship at 6:300 p.m.

Mid-Week Parsyr service on Wedineday evenings at 7:30 p.m. Song kervice. Pine testimonies. A happy fellowship.

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

ing.
Services are held in the Church
building, 33211 W. Seven Mile

CHURCH OF CHRIS 33200 Seven Mile Ro J. Scott Greer, Ministe

Bible Study 9:15.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Bible Study
100 p.m.

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

Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Radio Broadenst WEXL

Evening Service 7:45 p.m. Wednesday. Bible Study 8:00

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Sunday Masses .at 7:00, 8:30. :45. 11:15 and 12:30. Masses on Holy Days at 5:30. :00, 8:00 and 9:00 a.m. Daily Masses at 6:15 and 8:00

FIRST METHODIST Rev. A. Stanley Stone, Minister

10:00 a.m. Sunday School for third grade and above. 11:00 a.m. Sunday School for Nursery through Second Grade. 11:00 a.m. Morning Woxship. Youth Fellowship, 7:00 p.m.

unday. Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Choir re earsal at the church.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Novi, Michigan M. J. Remein, Pastor

Friday, April 19. 1:30 to 3:00 p.m. Good Friday service with First Baptist Church, Walled Lake. 8:00 p.m. Candle Light Com-munion Service at Novi-Easter Sunday. 10:30 a.m. Spe-



PITY THE POOR BUTCHER !

4-16-46 cial services in commemoration of the Resurrection of our Lord, 7:00 p.m. Youth Fellowship. SUNDAY

10 n.m., Bible School, all ages, 11:15 a.m., Morning Worship, series of messaces on the present world conditions as seen in how world.

Sp.m., Pra,er and Praise Service.

FRIDAY
10-11 a.m. Radio Glee Chigh school, prayer meeting of the prayer meeting of th 8:00 p.m. Guest speaker, Frank Barnett, student at Taylor Uni-

"The Friendly Church" Rev. Fred D. Fisher, Pastor

New High School Auditorium
Farmington

April 21.

The Golden Text (I John 2:1,2) is: "If any man'sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous; and he is the propilitation for our sins: and not for ours only, but also for the

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

LECTURE

By -EONARD T. CARNEY, C.S.B

BROADCAST

FRIDAY, April 19th.
12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
WJLB - 1400 kc.
In Palms-State Theatre
Detroit

Auspices of the ten Christian Science Churches in Detroit

BITS OF THIS AND THAT

By ELMER T. POCKLINGTON

FAITH AND WORKS There are many who teach that our power to achieve Goes as far as our faith in success; They claim, and they honestly think and believe Faith's the one thing that we must possess.

They say if you fully believe in yourself
Whatever you try you can do;
It's only because you lack faith in yourself
That failure sometimes comes to you.

I cannot consent to a creed of this kind, Of course faith's required to succeed But training and forestent and work you will find Aro things that you also will need.

Any, image tout you use will need.

If you have what it takes and have condidence to Your success is ussured from the start; You may have the assurance and still not come if the head that' up with the heart.

And many a man has gone down to detect When he had everything he required; Excepting the faith that success he would misst has he struggled for what he desired.

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"Preposterous fabrication of lies etorted Harry H. Jackson e Jackson, to the following convict-told charges as aired at state civil service commission hearings in

Morning Worship at 10:30 a.m.
The choir will sing the "Victory Chorus" from Wilson's cantitut.
"The Resurrection and the Life."
Solo by Bleanor Scharchburs.
choir director. The Pastor's Easter messace will, follow the "Stewardship of Life! theme.
Sunday School at 11:15 a m.
Junior and Senior, Youth Groups at 5:20 p.m.
Freening Service at 7:30 n.m. Service Commission Rearings of Lansing:
That nearly two dozen cases of whiskey were delivered, to Jackson's prison residence from O'Lar ry's bar in Detroit where the state charged the fourder of Senator Warren G. Hooper was plotted.

sins of the whole world."

Among the libble clustons is this passage (III Cor. 5:18): "And all things afte of God, who have necessary to be seen the control of the control "Doctrine of Atonement" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Cirlstian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday

FARMINGTON GOSPEL 23608 Warner Avenue Rev. Orville J. Windell, Par

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m. Sunday evening services 7:0

p.m. Bible Study, Tuesday evening at \$100 p.m. Young People's meeting Thursday, \$100 p.m. Prayer meeting Friday at \$100

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN GHURCH Middlebelt at Eight Mile Rd E. L. Stuempfig, Pastor

E. L. Stuempfig, Pastor

Cood Friday service, at S. p.m.

You are invited to come and ponder the solemn truth that "Christ
died for our sins."

Easter worship at 10:45 a.m.,
setting forth the Christian's loy
over the Savior's resurrection
from the grave. The children's
chorus will sing.

Sunday school and Bible class at
9:30 a.m.

Lutheran Hour, with Dr. Walter

A. Maler, at 12:30 over CKLW.

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Christ Scientist, Boston,
Missachusery Massachusetts

Lesson Subject DOCTRINE OF ATONEMENT SUNDAY SERVICES

SUNDAY SERVICES
AT 11:00 A. M.
And Sunday School for Pupils
up to the age of 20 at 11:00 a. m.
wednesday Evenint," restlines
at 8 p. m. at
33356 Grand River Avenus
Reading Room Hours:
Tuesday 2 to 4 p.m.
Wednesday Evening, 6:30 to 8 p.m.
Saturday, 2 to 5 p.m.
Current Christian Science
Literature on sale Wednesday
evenings
ALLI
ARE WELCOME

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO (April 29, 1941)

New Store To Be Built At Clarenceville

The plans for the building will coasist of the first floor for the store and the second floor for home. George Nacker has his how double garage nearly completed and will use it as a dwelling place until the completion of the store.

Lightning Strikes Power Plant At Northville

Northville, Walled Lake and South Lyons were thrown into darkness during a fisere electrical storm Monday, when Lightning struck and set fire to the Edison power plant there. While the actual joss by fire is only \$26,00 the loss to the three jowns is expected to ring line, many thousands because industries were forced to suspend until jower can be supplied.

Board Of Commerce Gives Lacture.

Friday evening an illustrated lecture on astronomy will be given at the Clarenceville solnool under ausplees of the Board of Commerce of that community. Mr. C. L. Lemon, a noted authority on astronomy, has consented to give this exposition on the why and wherefore of the

TEN YEARS AGO (April 30, 1936)
Band To Observe Music Week With Spring Concert
In support of National Music Week which begins the first
in May, the Farmington High School Band will give a spring
May 7, at 3:00 p.m. at the M.E. Church, under the direction of

Banta, Scout Night Preparations Completed
Final reheatsals have been field, list minute parts assigned, lines
brushed up and scout uniforms elecated and pressed in readiless for
Farmington's premier scout event of the year which will be lield Friday evening at the community hall of the M.E. Church.
Farmington Woman To Be Heard On Radio

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Mrs. Harley Gibson of Farmington Township, manager of the "farmington Cooperative Consumers", recently, organized it farmington, and who is also secretary of the "Lower Michigan Federation of Cooperatives" will broadcast over WJBK May 4th from 9 to \$15, p.m.

of Cooperatives" will broadcast over WJBK May 4th from 9 to \$1.5 p.m.

FIVE YEARS AGO (April 17, 1941)

Easter Dance, given by the Daughters of Isabella, Farmington Circle, on Monday evening was a buje success. The committee wishase to extend its appreciation to all those who helped make it a success. State Police Show Movies Here Thursday

The Farmington Young Republican Club wishes to extend a cordial in itation to everyone in the community to attend the second in a ser-less of open meetings to be held at the High School Coferrid, Thursday, April 24, at eight o'clock. Come out and see what the Young Republican Club is doing in your community. Girls' Glee Club To Sing Here

The Elimburst College first glee club will present a program of choral music Sunday, April 27 at the Evangelical and Reformed' Charcal. The glee club will present their concert in Farmington as part of a tour which will take them to Jackson, Detroit, Toledo Choic; Crown Point, Indiana and South Bend, Indiana.

That a prison inmate was per-nitted to visit a house of ill fame lace charges of illegal sales. everal times and that the prison imployee who alranged it went.

That a prison inmate was permitted to visit a house of ill fame accurated times and that the prison myloree who advanged it went unpunished.

That wideopen sambling prevalled at times in the prison yard where prisoners ran blackylack and dice tables.

That a quard was bribed to permit a girl to visit the hospital room of an immate.

Jackson was discharged after an investigation by Attorney Gazeral Loon R. Debtmers had disclosed dileged misadminatzation of the prison by the following; Jackson, the tollowing; Jackson, the warden; D. C. Petitl, assistant deputy warden. H. Charles Warden, the following; Jackson, chief guard impector; Bichart T. Riley, attlette director, and Joseph O. Poffer, accounts.

The seven officials, dismissed from their dutles, appealed the action of the state corrections of the critical section of the state corrections commission to the civil section of the state corrections of the critical section of the state correction of the state of the state





Money in the bank will be a good friend in the years to come. It will help you to get more enjoyment out of life. It will cushion you against mistortune. It will multiply your opportunities, It will help you to purchase goods and pleasures that you could not otherwise afford. Now is the time to build up

bank account.

THE FARMINGTON STATE BANK Farmington, Michigan