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# **EDITORIALS**

as in war, America's Press has served as a Voice or Freedom - a Guardian of Liberty.

In recognition of this service, October 1 to 8 has been set aside as National Newspaper Week.

Never in the history of any country have its people enjoyed such freedom of expression. Our progress as a people and as a nation has come as a result of a free, unhampered press. It has not been with-out challenge. Our history is full of blocks against man's right to print what he sees and believes in. Be-fore our Constitution was written, editors fought at gun points for their ideals and rights.

In establishing our Democracy, our foretathers wrote into the First Amendment of the Constitution, the provision for freedom of speech, of press, of religion and the right of assembly. As our Constitu-tion is the people, so is our free press the people.

The record of America's press throughout the years has been one of service. Whether a large metropolitan daily or a small "grass roots" weekly—the results are the same. The record stands for all

In spite of shortages, trying conditions and endless hours, America's Press drove on to do its part in winning the war. Its unprecedented coverage of war news gave the American people a far more accurate and informative picture of what its fighters were doing, than any press in the world. Its support of the Seventh War Loan campaign reached the staggering total of 62 million contributed lines. Thousands of weekly papers sent copies free to their community's sons overseas. They backed 100% every local drive from the American Red Cross to the community scrap drives. They gave of their time, of their space, as a public service, so that we might live

National Newspaper Week, 1946, is more than just recognition of a job well done. It is a rededication of a free and unshackled press. It is a moment's pause in our endless march for something better. A moment to survey the real meaning of a free press.

The future peace of the world, the strengthening of our democracy, the improvement of our community are challenges we must not ignore. You can denend on your newspaper.

We rededicate ourselves on this 3rd day of Octo ber, 1946, as a public servant — your Voice of Freedom — your Guardian of Liberty.

#### October 16 . . .

is a deadline. If you call yourself an American if you recognize your responsibility to yourself and your country — if you are appreciative of your rights and privileges — you will register before October 16.

Everyone living in the City of Farmington must register before October 16, regardless of your previous registration or voting record. This is the new

If you live in Farmington Township it is not

necessary for you to re-register.

Thus far only about 125 of the eligible voters in the City of Farmington have registered. In other words, if the election was held today, only about 125 out of 750 Farmington citizens would be allowed to

Is this a representative number? Is this the way

The people of Michigan on November 5 will elect The people of Michigan on November 5 will elect the state's officials. They will vote on a number of vitally important questions. This is your business! It is up to you to east your vote. You can't do it un-less you register before October 16! Register now at the office of the City Clerk.

By GENE ALLEMAN

The controversial sales tax div The controversial sales tax div-orsion amendment, sponsored or-iginally by mayors of Michigan big cities and now supported by public school teachers, is due for a showdown in about 30 days. On November 5 the registered citizens of Michigan — those who

salify by registration laws to cast ballot — will make a fateful

lecision.

This column has presented both ides of the issue pertaining to liversion of one-third of the state alterism of observation to local govern-ments, plus freezing of a state aid formula into the state constitu-tion that would remove public school appropriations from the leg-

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narent that public school teachers, caught in the post-war inflation, are badly underpaid and are in need of better salaries. Kim Sigler and Murray D. Van Wagoner will not dispute that fact.

It is also becoming more and more apparent that something has got to give way IF Michigan voters authorice a \$270.000.00 bonus for Michigan War veterans and also authorice a bumper state aid formula for schools and cities. How both of these proposals can be put line effect without badly disrupting state services, which for the most part involve people in hometown communities, has been a sub-

nost part Involve people in home-town communities, has been a subject of considerable concern with administrative officials at Luasing. Democratic nominee Van Wag-oner has referred recently to the likelihood of the two proposals being approved by the voters on November 5. This likelihood, he warns, increases the need of Michigan having an experienced state administrator in the governor's chair who knows how to handle the new problem.

administrator in the governor-a-hair who knows how to handle the new problem. State Treasurer D. Hale Brake, who is nominee for the same office on the G. O. P. ticket, has sharp-ened his pencils' recently and ar-rived at an estimate that the \$270,-100,000 veterans' bonus would re-ourise the additional expenditure 000,000 veterans' bonus would re-quire the additional expenditure from the state general fund of ap-proximately \$17,500,000 a year for many years to come. This amount, significantly enough, is a little more than the surplus accrued in the general fund during the 1915-fic fiscal year, after all thems-

the general fund during the 1945-16 fiscal year after all disburse-ments had been made. Latest figures from the office of John D. Morrison, State Audit-or General, Indicate a year's sur-plus of approximately \$45,300,000. Had the veterans' bonus been in

Had the veterans' bonus been in effect during the past year there would have been no surplus at all! It is generally concluded that the veterans' bonus (Ballot Pro-posal No. 3) has a much better chance of being approved by the voters than the sales tax diversion.

THERE'S SOMETHING 10 LIKE TO CARVE! NO MEAT INQ MEAT

THE FARMINGTON (Mich.) ENTERPRISE, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1946

VACATION IN SEPTEMBER /

sue is being considered on its men-its it seems logical to take for granted that the bonus will be ap-proved. Personally, we believe that such is the case.

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It such is done, you arrive auto-matically at a point where the puch less talked about surplus-becomes non-existent, as the above reasoning indicates. Retall depart-tioning about 50 per cent over the same period one year ago—a astonishing fact, but nevertheless quite true. How much longer the postwar inflation boom will conti-nue is anybody's guess, although government economists have been warning in consistent unison that a readjustment or recession is due stration in fact — when the auditor general's office was buying red ink by the gallon. A treasury deficit grew into millions. Welfare demands were high, and people could not be left to starve. A det f[ciency was created by the welfare lead, and Republican politicians were being to the started of the started lead.

began to make political capital of

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chance of being approved by the 600,000 in 1945 — at new par pervoters than the sales tax diversion
amendment. (Ballot Proposal to the spendtures and reserves (for all
princess) climbed from \$160,000.
We have noted little if any at-

# What's Happening

### In Other Town's

SOUTH LYON ... "A crowd estimated at anywhere from 7,500 to 10,000 was in South Lyon last Saturday, the day of the Lyon hast Saturday, the day of the second Farmers' Pestival, sponsored by the town Kiwanis Club. The crowd began gathering early in the morning, and the majority stayed until after the huge drawing at night. The day included a big parade, ball game, barbecue, athletic contests, airplane maneuvers, and parachute jumping, street dancing and speeches."

—The South Lyon Herald.

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proved, it plans materialize that were talked over at a joint meet-ing of company officials and a committee from the local Cham-ber of Commerce last week."

—Grand Ledge Independent.

PLYMOUTH.

"Through the cooperation of the Plymouth Recreation Commission and Plymouth Schools a very ambitious recreation program for both the parents and attodents is being pianned for this fall and winter. Physical activities, adult education, handleraft, in addition to early American dancing and square dancing instruction are being planned for parents. Intramural sports, handleraft, like Sports, bandleraft, place, skating parties are being organized for the students." PLYMOUTH . . .

From OFFICE OF VETERANS AFFAIR

When a veteran is receiving outthe property of the control of th

above named Velerans' Adminis-tration pagient": he veteran may then take the prefectiption to any pharmacy participating and have it filled with no cost to himself, provided its does this within ten days; upon receiving the medication from the pharmacist, the

bead and Republican politicians perioded are does this within ten becan to make political repiated of days; upon receiping the medication, the fact that the Democrats were running the state into debt and that it was bigh time the voters thread to Republicans to do something about it. Sure, it's right on the record.

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mic needles, atomizers, hot water bottles, iccloses, ded-pass, etc. are included in the list of medication which can be issued on this prescription plan. A uniform price schedule has deer adopted.

This plan eliminates the necessity for a veteral to pay for his plan own medication while receiving outpatient treatment. It makes it easy for the reterant have prescriptions filled at the pharmacy of his choice in his home community.

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Showy Garden Flower
In a screened greenhouse, the alfalfa plant, makes a fairly showy
garden flower, chlorful and fragrant, with attractive racemes having 20 to 25 flowers, open at a time
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plant, it is not as above, because
into foll bloom. In a garden, too,
it would not make a good display
because it iwould be open to the
attention of pees and there probably
would be crough been to spoil the
grown as a seed crop, a berilliant
show of alfalfa bloom is bad news
or of alfalfa bloom is bad news
or the farmer. Many open flowers
are an indication of a light seed
crop. The explantion is that the
small blossoms by it alfalfa stay
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at the pollination, a completed the
flower withers. It no longer needs
to attract bees, and turns, its attention to development of seed.

## Churches

ALEM EVANGELICAL CHURCH
"The Church on the Park"
Rev. Carl H. Schultz, Pastor
Ruth Hick Hammond, Organist

Morning Worship service, 10:0

Sunday School, 11:15 a.m. Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m. found, To kneel as though on holy

Fo kneet as a ground, and feel my Master face to face do not know how I could live to the were were not this refuge

Where I could linger at His feet And He to me sweet healing giv WELCOME

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

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SUNDAY
10 a.m., Bible School, all ages11:15 a.m., Morning Worship. A
series of messages on the present
world couditions as seen in how
God is working out his plan in this
world.

WEDNESDAY 8 'p.m., Prayer and Praise Service;

vice: FRIDAY

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

1:30-3:00 pin., Missionary meet.
log.
Services are held in the Church
beilding, 33211 W., Seven Mile

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 Worstip. Youth Fellowship. 7:00 p.m. Sunday. 7:30 p.m. Choir re hearsal at the church.

CHURCH OF CHRIS

Bible Study, 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship tial Knowledge", 11:00 a.m Sunday Evening Service sitions in Philippians," p m. Wednesday Evening Bible Study,

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

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m. Morning worship at 11:15 a.m. pastor preaching. Methodist Youth Fellowship

6:30 p.m.

Evening worship at 7:30 p.m.

Mid-Week prayer service on
Wednesday evenings at 7:45. Good
song service. Fine testimonies. A
happy fellowship.

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH M. J. Remein, Pastor

Sunday Church Services at sual hour. Morning, 10:30; ing, 7:00 (Youth Service) usual hour. Morning, 10:30; Eve-ning, 7:00 (Youth Service) and 8;00 o'clock. Special music and

Speakers.
Wednesday, Prayer Meeting at the church, 8:00 p.m.

FARMINGTON GOSPEL

William: Grace School Rev. Orville J. Windell, Pastor

Sunday School, 10:am.

Sunday Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Rev. Thomas P. Beahan, Pastor

Sunday Masses at 7:00, 8:30. 145, 11:15 and 12:30, Masses on Holy Days at 5:36, :00, 8:00 and 9:00 a.m. Daily Masses at 6:15 and 8:00

#### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

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

Lesson Subject "UNREALITY"

SUNDAY SERVICES
AT 11:00 A. M.
And Sunday School for Pupili
up to the age of 20 at 11:00 a. m
Wednesday Evening Testimonia

Christian Science Literature Current Christian Science terature on sale Wednesd evenings ALL ARE WELCOME

TUNE IN ON THE WORLD'S MOST RAPIDLY EXPANDING RELIGIOUS BROADCAST VOICE of PROPHECY Address on Starting Bible Prophecy
Bringing a Message of Hope to MILLIONS SUNDAY
MUTUAL SYSTEM AND 250 OTHER STATIONS IN WESTERN HEMISPHERE

#### Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TEN YEARS AGO (October 8, 1938) and a salive To Aid Howard Warner

That the candidacy of Howard M. Warner for state treasurer has sirred the all of Farmington and vicinity with the pottleal ferror of a generation ago, and that the autre community will raily to the utunest to give him a tremendous "home town vote" has been ovident through out the past few days. Men and women of varying positional partiassion, lackuding members of both major and entority parties have not only pudded their active support, but although Mir. Warner is absent, are going ahead and discussing formation of volunteer local campaign committees.

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300 Expected At O.E.S. Meeting
Approximately 300 members of the Oakland County Eastern Star are expected to be the guestes of the Farnington Chapter O.E.S. No. 239.
Friday, when the county association will hold its annual meeting at the Methodist Church Community Hall. Mrs. C. Ada Dond as mistress of ceremonies will open the morning session of the all-day program at 10:00 a.m. and Mayor Pro Tem Emory Hatton will welcome the guesta.

Orchard Lake Has Trailer Trouble
Is an auto trailer a trailer or is it a house? That is the problem which is puzzling citizens of Orchard Lake where a trial is in progress between the village and six defendants who are living in auto trailers in the village. The six are being defended by the law firm of Schulte and Pare of Farmington.

FIVE YEARS AGO (October 2, 1941)
Township offices To Be Established
By a unanimous vote of the Clty Commission at a special meeting
Veducaday evening, a resolution was approved to use the stage of the
Tevm Hall as a central office for the Township of Farmington. Plans
c.II for the office to be constructed on the stage. The stage will be
erclosed, and remodeled to provide for one large office, with a smaller
private office.

Speaker Advanced.

private office.

Speaker Advocates War

An all out war by the United States against the forces of dictators, the war of the Control of the Farmington Exchange Club.

Gien Oaks Awarded Trophy

The national ringer champion of American golf clubs today is the Glen Oaks Golf Club of Farmington, Michigan. Glen Oaks compiled a score of 48 in the unique nine day played to capture first place in the Feter Dawson National Ringer Tournament.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

CHRISTIAN

New High School Ava...
Farmington

"Unreality" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in 3ll Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, October 6.
The Golden Text (1 John 2:18) is: "All that is in the world, the list of the flesh, and the pite of life, is not of the Father, but is of the wynd."

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Wednesday, Midweek Prayer Strike at 3:00 p.m.

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Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m. communion Service with reception f new members. Communion

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

Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 a.m.
Divine worship at 10:45 a.m.
Dr. Walter A. Maler will be back on the Lutheran Hour Sunday.
Tune in CRLW at 1:30 p.m.
Memberehip class for ichildren and young people Saturday morning at 9 a.m.
On Tuesday evening, October 5th, at 8 p.m. we shall begin hold ng meetings to provide an oppor-

Junior, Senior, Adult Unions at 6:30 p.m. All adults are invited to join this group in a study of the Old Testament.

Sth, at 8 p.m., we shall begin hold-ing meetings to provide an oppor-tunity for Bible discussion and in-struction for church membership. We welcome all who are interest-ed in the teachings of the Luther-an Church to attend these meet-There is no obligation in de



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## DIFFERENT

The markings of fish, fowl and animal - like fingerprints among men - always vary. There's also a difference in personal goals and plans for the future. Whatever yours may be, a systematic savings plan iş essential.

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at The Farmington State Bank and insure your future.

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