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## Churches

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

Morning Worship service, 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School, 11:15 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m.

**OUR INVITATION**  
I love to come to this still place,  
Where deeper peace is always found.

To kneel as though on holy ground,  
And feel my Master face to face,  
I do not know how I could live  
If there were not this refuge sweet.

Where I could linger at His feet  
And He to me sweet healing give.  
**WELCOME**

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

**SUNDAY**  
10 a.m. Bible School, all ages  
11 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).  
1:30-3:00 p.m., Missionary meeting.

Services are held in the Church Building, 33211 W. Seven Mile Road.

**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.

1:10-2:00 p.m. Morning Worship.  
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Sunday.

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal at the church.

**FARMINGTON GOSPEL ASSEMBLY**

William Grace School  
Rev. Orville J. Windell, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service, 7:00 p.m.

**ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Middlebelt at Eight Mile Rd.  
E. L. Stumpff, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.  
Divine Worship at 10:45 a.m.  
Lutheran Hour over CKLW at 12:30 p.m.

To thy temple I repair;  
Lord, I love to worship there  
When within the veil I meet  
Christ before the mercy seat.

You have a cordial invitation to worship with us Sunday.

**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.  
the pastor preaching.

Methodist Youth Fellowship at 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. Remett, Pastor

Sunday Church Services at the usual hour. Morning, 10:30; Evening, 7:00 (Youth Service) and 8:00 o'clock. Special music and speakers.

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

**WEST POINT PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
J. Scott Green, Minister

Bible Study 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday evening service, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting, 8 p.m.

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

Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.  
Continuing a series of sermons on prayer, the Pastor will speak on "Prayer and the Will of God."

Sunday School at 11:15 a.m. International lesson, "Feeding the Five Thousand."

Junior, Senior, Adult Unions at 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service at 7:30 p.m. Great youth service in charge of young people. The Pastor will bring a biographical sermon on the subject, "The Young Man Who Was Not Despaired."

Monday, Browns Troop 12 at 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 35 at 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Browns Troop 4 at 7:45 p.m. Girl Scout Troop 7 at 7:45 p.m.

Wednesday, Midweek service in charge of the Lois Greenman Mission Circle.

Thursday, Alice McDonald Mission Circle beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Friday, Choir rehearsal at 8:00 p.m.

## CAUSE FOR ALARM !



## Washington Digest

### Put In New Claim For Merits Of Rammed Earth Buildings

By BAUKHAUGE  
News Analyst and Commentator

WASHINGTON—Is there a solution of the low-cost housing problem as simple as the dirt under our feet? Have we been overlooking a bet, which many old Romans were overlooking, in the first century A. D. and to which most people have shut their eyes ever since?

Anthony F. Merrill says so, and so does a "convincing" book of proving the contention in his book "The Rammed Earth House," which I have just read. It seems incredible.

It didn't seem incredible to Pliny who heatedly proclaimed that the Romans had, in Africa and Spain, "walls of earth."

They are "moulded rather than built," Pliny explains, "by enclosing the earth within a frame of boards, constructed on either side. These walls will last for centuries, are proof against rain, wind and fire."

OUR LADY OF SORROWS  
Rev. Thomas P. Beahan, Pastor  
Sunday Masses: 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:15, 11:15, 12:30  
Holy Day Masses 5:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00.  
Daily Masses: 6:30, 8:00.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY  
New High School Auditorium  
Farmington

"Spirit" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, February 9.

The Golden Text (Zech 4:6) is: "This is the word of the Lord unto Zerubbabel, saying, Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the Lord of hosts."

Among the Bible citations in this passage, (John 4:24): "God is a Spirit; and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth."

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.334): "Spirit being God, there is but one spirit, for there can be but one infinite and therefore one God."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY  
NEW HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, FARMINGTON  
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SUBJECT: "SPIRIT"

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EVERY SUNDAY

MUTUAL SYSTEM AND 250 OTHER STATIONS IN WESTERN HEMISPHERE



By GENE ALLEMAN

Politely asking the mayors and school officials to relinquish their newly-secured millions of additional sales tax money, Governor Kim Sigler has given them an interesting alternative.

Here it is. Prognose NEW TAXES whereby the State of Michigan can maintain vitally needed public services and avert a prospective deficit estimated now at \$33,000,000.

If the mayors and school people advocate new taxes as the way out, Governor Sigler could proceed to ask the legislature to re-assess the sales tax amendment to the voters at the April election where, by voters would have a clear-cut choice of two things:

Remove the sales tax amendment from the constitution and this end the earmarking of approximately 75 per cent of the sales tax fund for non-state public services.

OR — Enact NEW TAXES as advocated by cities and schools.

Here, in a nutshell, is the coming showdown at Lansing.

Whether Sigler can hang taxation responsibility on the cities and schools is another matter. He evidently will try to do so.

The latest move of the governor reminds us of a super chess game at which millions of dollars are at stake. The players are the State of Michigan, as represented by state officials and state legislators; mayors of cities and officials of public school districts.

In the middle, as usual, is the public — the taxpayer who must foot the bill.

In a preliminary message to the legislature last Thursday, (Jan. 30), Governor Sigler declared that he would not support a proposal to repeal the sales tax amendment unless it were accompanied "by a definite guarantee to the schools and the cities that their problems would be considered fairly and honestly."

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C/O THE FARMINGTON ENTERPRISE

## Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO (February 9, 1922)

More School Room Needed  
When the classification and registration of the pupils attending the Farmington schools was completed last fall it was discovered that the total attendance had increased over 1920 to the extent of 19 scholars. To meet the increased attendance members of the board of education secured additional seats and by making some changes here and there were able to provide room for all students who applied for admission. This is only a temporary measure and the board is now working out a plan for providing more room for the coming year.

A new club was organized some time ago by the young women of Farmington under the auspices of Miss Butterfield, teacher of the young ladies' class at the M. E. Church. The club has many purposes in view such as raising money needed for different charitable projects and offering a social time for those in the village. Such a club is needed and should merit the support of the town.

TEN YEARS AGO (February 11, 1917)

Nathan H. Power Passes Away  
One wonders how to begin. Even though one has known for years that some day there would come the regretful task of endeavoring adequately to record the passing of Farmington's "recess and irreplacable recorder, the task is not lighter because of this knowledge nor the certainty of recent months that the day was fast approaching. To do for Nathan H. Power what he had done so often for others, review the life that has ended and properly delineate the place of that life in our community.

Parties Lined Up in Township  
Two practically complete tickets will be presented to Farmington Township voters this spring, with both Republican and Democratic candidates on file for every office but one on the Township list. In addition, there will be contests on each ticket in the primary to be held March 1.

FIVE YEARS AGO (February 5, 1912)

Thayer Made Temporary Patrolman  
Edward Thayer has been appointed temporary day patrolman of Farmington pending further action by the City Commission in obtaining a man to fill the vacancy left with the resignation of Police Chief Kowalski. Thayer's work involves the patrolling of the city during the day shift period, while Horace Gorman remains on the night shift.

War Drive Exceeds Quota  
With the final returns for Farmington turned in to the Oakland County Red Cross headquarters on Monday afternoon, the total is now set at \$2,483.39. The Quota set was \$2,100. The local Red Cross committee wishes to thank citizens in this area for their generosity in contributing to this splendid work.

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## It's Not Too Early . . .

to mark February 17 on your calendar. Mark it well.

If you live in Farmington Township, if you are an American, if you believe in democracy, you won't forget. "Vote February 17 in the Farmington Township Primary Election."

Don't leave it up to the other fellow. Don't say "What's the use?" Remember your vote is your privilege — your vote counts!

If you are interested in your community and your government, and you must be or you wouldn't live here, it is your duty to vote. It is your duty to express your wishes and desires. There is no better time than February 17! Make your voice heard — make it count.

Mark your calendar, tie a string around your finger and vote February 17.

## "Order Out Of Chaos" . . .

In these four words Governor Sigler has outlined the job of newly appointed Owen "Pat" Cleary, as chairman of the Michigan State Liquor Control Commission.

It is not quite as easy as all that, however. Pat Cleary has walked into Michigan's most highly talked about commission. A department that has been a favorite target of Sigler's for some time. You can be sure of one thing — there will be plenty of action around Lansing and it won't be long, either.

Pat Cleary is a man of action. He is well equipped to carry out the job. In his hands lies the responsibility of carrying out the policies of the commission. He promised the people of the State that order would be attained, that graft and mishandling would be eliminated.

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