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Churches

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. W. A. Ramey, 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.

FIRST BAPTIST
"The Friendly Church"
Rev. Fred B. Fisher, Pastor
Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.
Communion Service. Guest preacher will be Rev. C. A. Sampson of Royal Oak.
Sunday School at 11:15 a.m. Classes for all.
Youth Meetings at 6:30 p.m.
Evening Service at 7:30 p.m.
Speaker will be Byron E. Smith, representing the Kentucky Mt. Gospel Crusade.
Monday, Browne Troop 12 at 8:15 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 35 Housewarming at 7 p.m. World Wide Guild at 7:30.

Tuesday, Girl Scout Troop 7 after school. Berean Class social and business meeting at 8 p.m.
Wednesday, showing of the new film in color, "The Voice of the Deep," at 8 p.m.
Thursday, Alice A. McDonald Mission Circle at 10:30 a.m.
Friday, Senior choir rehearsal at 8 p.m.

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

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
23701 Cass Avenue
Farmington
11:00 a.m. Morning Services and Sunday School.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening Testimonial Meeting.
Reading Room Hours, Tuesday and Saturday, 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.
ALL ARE WELCOME

LIVONIA METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. Douglas Toepel, Pastor
West Seven Mile Road
Just East of Farmington Road
10:30 a.m. — Morning Worship and Sunday School held at the church.
Nursery School for children over three. Everyone welcome.

ORCHARD METHODIST MISSION
Thirteen Mile Road at Greening
Dr. John Martin, Minister
10:30 a.m. Morning service for everyone.
8:30 p.m. Youth Fellowship.
Nursery for small children.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
Middlebelt at Eight Mile Road
Rev. W. Rutkowski, Pastor
Sunday School 9:30 a.m., nursery to senior departments.
Divine services 9:30 and 10:45 a.m.
Lutheran Hour broadcast at 12:30 p.m. noon, over CKLW.

WEST POINT PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
Rev. 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, 9 p.m.

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.

FIRST METHODIST
Rev. A. Stanley Stone, Minister
10:00 a.m. Sunday School, all grades.
11:15 a.m. Morning Worship.
11:15 a.m. Nursery.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m. Sunday.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal at the church.

CLARENCEVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
Cambridge and Grand River
Farmington, Michigan
Elise A. Johns, Pastor
Wilma A. Hood, Director of Music and Religious Education
10:00 a.m. — Large, enthusiastic Sunday School.
11:15 a.m., the Morning Worship.
6:30 p.m., the Intermediate Youth Fellowship, the Wesley Adult Fellowship.
7:30 p.m., the Evening Service.
7:45 p.m. every Wednesday evening, the Prayer Service.

FARMINGTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Grand River at Middlebelt
Rev. Orville J. Wislizenus, Pastor
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

MOST NOTORIOUS CHARACTER OF THE SEASON!



Washington Digest

By BAUKHAGE
News Analyst and Commentator

Tax Bill Is Rabbit Stew To Congressman Doughton

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Another rabbit stew has been served up to Rep. Robert L. Doughton of North Carolina, and he's all ready for it. Representative Doughton, I might suggest if you don't know it, is not only the oldest member of the house of representatives (85) but likewise the oldest hand at handling tax measures.

He had to step down from the chairmanship of the ways and means committee for the brief Republican interlude. Now he's back at the old stand, sharpening the butcher knife again.

But to get back to rabbit stew. Last season when President Truman voted the second Knutson tax-cutting bill and fired it back at congress, a reporter asked Doughton how he felt about it. He leaned back and told a story, for he's fond of answering in parables. "A farthest house-owning man," he said, "served his husband rabbit stew every night for a week. When the second Saturday night came around and the same old dish with it, the husband bowed his head as usual, but instead of saying grace he was heard to mutter:

"Rabbit's tough. Rabbit's tough. Oh, Lord, I've had rabbit enough." That, opined Mr. Doughton, was the way he felt about the tax bills. But he has to help meet the big, big income budget ever submitted to a congress and he's ready for it.

In the 33 years that he has represented the state of North Carolina in congress, the habits of the dean of the octogenarians' club in the lower house have changed very little since the last time. I explored them in some detail more than a score of years ago.

He has earned a tremendous respect from the men who work on fiscal matters in the house of representatives where the money bills have to originate. And because he has a theory of his own about collecting and spending the people's money, no bill comes out of his committee looking very different than he wants it to look, though it may not always suit all the members. Doughton doesn't go so far as to say that fiscal legislation must be non-partisan, but he does say it ought to be as non-provincial and as non-partisan as possible.

His experience in collecting money that ought to be collected goes back a long way. One story involves a man he went to see about a horse—two horses, to be exact. This man had bought a team from Doughton (the congressman is still a farmer in his own right, though he has to spend more time away from home than he used to). Later on the man wrote that he didn't think the span was worth

ST. MARTIN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Lenore and Curtis Aves., Detroit
(Five Minutes from Bus Station)
Rev. James H. Morris, Vicar
9:30 a.m. Church School.
11:00 a.m. Morning prayer, first Sunday, Holy Communion.
11:00 a.m. Kindergarten.
Visitors welcome.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
25600 Grand River Avenue
Corner of Imperial Hwy.
Rev. P. Hallock, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.
Divine Worship, 10:45 a.m.
Saturday School, 10:00 a.m.
Everyone welcome.

MICHIGAN MIRROR



By GENE ALLEMAN
LANSING — Michigan's secret primary is under fire.

According to D. Hale Drake, state treasurer, it has broken down par-
a responsibility. It has invited popular nomination and election of individuals who were without obligation to party platforms or even party affiliation. As a remedy for the boss-ridden convention, it has developed its own weaknesses and evils: Irresponsibility of the party leader to the party; a cesspool of voters' whims whereby glamour is accorded rather than personal ability. Such is the criticism. Mr. Drake does not favor outright abandonment of the primary system to the party convention. He never got along with Frank McKay when McKay was party boss. Drake does favor a pre-primary convention to select the party delegates would be given the opportunity to select nominees. These nominees, together with any others who filed with petitions, would be subject to the voters' approval or disapproval at the regular party primary.

While Mr. Drake has not alluded to recent party leaders in his campaign to abolish the secret primary, it is obvious that he has in mind former Governor Kim Sigler. Sigler was elected county prosecutor on a Democratic county ticket. He was not the choice of party leaders. Rebuffed by a circuit court judge who was presiding as a one-man grand jury, Sigler tossed his hat into the Republican party. He was swept into nomination and election on a popular protest wave against so-called corruption and graft at Lansing. A figure of glamour himself, Sigler became the knight on the white horse, the reformer battling lobbyist and other arch enemies of good government. His past-gray campaigning coat, cowboy hat, and oratorical voice made a flashy combination. It was just like Hollywood.

Governor G. Mennen Williams comes from a family said to be generally Republican. He has been at odds with the Democratic state chairmen. He ran his own campaign, financed his own funds, and otherwise operated outside of the party organization.

It is Treasurer Drake's belief that the secret primary, without party restraint or responsibility, invited the nomination of a man who excels in glamour, sex appeal, or other charms that strike the voters' fancy at the moment.

Does Mr. Drake's conviction suggest a personal ambition that his own frustrated or at least handicapped? Lansing observers who have watched the steady progress of the state treasurer agree that what he lacks in glamour, personality, charm or call-it-what-you-may, he certainly makes up in plain old-fashioned common sense.

Here is a man who operates a bank. He has described himself as a horse trader. There are many tales that have grown up about his astuteness that, if embellished by repetition, are not doubted by those who have watched his steady advancement in congress.

He entered under a Republican regime—President Taft's—accepted minor committee appointments, but rose rapidly to the position he holds today—chairman of the powerful ways and means committee. One of the horse-trader stories he tells is this: after disposing of some animals he had meant to sell, he was made a very attractive offer for the horse he was raising — his own saddle horse. Done, he took the money, turned over the horse, and the saddle under his arm and walked back home. "Ten miles," says tradition, under his own power.

There doesn't seem to have been any deep-laid plan for a political career in the farmer boy's mind when he began life among the ox-carts and hand loads of those early days in the South following the war. Nor yet when he had acquired his own acres and entered into the business life of the community. He was chosen a member of the state board of agriculture and served on the prison board. One day it was decided to run him for the state senate. He was elected and served for a term. Congress was next, but there was a sort of unwritten law in his district that one term was all a man could expect, for Republicans and Democrats had always swapped terms. But Doughton changed all that. Or at least his constituents did. When he had served his term in the 62nd congress, instead of retiring him, as had been the custom (Continued on Page Eight)

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO (February 1, 1924)

Violators Jailed
Stiff prison sentences are being meted out to liquor law violators by Judge Gillespie in Oakland County Circuit Court, a survey reveals. Out of a total of 55 cases in which sentences were handed out, only three were allowed to pay fines. The remainder included jail or prison sentences, and, in some instances, a fine as well.

Girls Battle
The Farmington Girls Independent basketball team defeated Birmingham by a score of 36 to 14 to take the lead for the championship. Only one team remains between the local girls' team and the pennant. The issue will be decided when the local stars play against the Ala. O's of Detroit.

TEN YEARS AGO (February 2, 1929)

Suit Settled
The city's interest in the Town Hall was established at 15 per cent. The townships at 65 per cent, and the Masons at 20 per cent in a decree issued by Judge Frank L. Doty in Oakland County Circuit Court this week. The 999 year lease to the Masons was declared null and void, and upkeep of the Town Hall was divided equally between the City and Township.

Robbers Sentenced
Otto Barnock and Walter Macdonald, both 43, were sentenced to 25 years in Federal prison by Judge Edward J. Moine of Federal Court for their participation in the lunch-hour holdup of the Farmington State Bank, in which \$5,780 was taken on March 25, 1923.

FIVE YEARS AGO (February 3, 1934)
Farmington High School's basketball team moved into a tie position in the league championship race by defeating Keego Harbor by a score of 29 to 22.

Dog Owners Warned
Dog owners in this city were warned about letting their pets roam at will while the dog quarantine against rabies is still in effect.

Council Election
Election of officers of the Girl Scout Council was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Sovereign, and elected were Mrs. Claude Haskins, commissioner; Mrs. Fred Hewitt, deputy commissioner; Mrs. Fred Maas, secretary; Mrs. John Ohman, treasurer; and Mrs. Albert Boals, registrar.

successful farm in Montclair County near Stanton. He is literally a dirt farmer, not a gentleman farmer who surveys the work done by others and who banks in the glory of their harvest. Hale Drake can do better than that. He can do better than a cow. Fortunately for

the Montclair farmer this fact is not generally known to the voters of many of whom apparently demand drama and excitement in their political leaders.

County clerks of Michigan met (Continued On Page Five)

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Farmington, Michigan

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

Responsibility . . .

is a big word — too big, unfortunately, for a lot of people.

They may be able to pronounce it, even define it, but living up to its meaning is something else. You see it, or rather the lack of it, in every newspaper you pick up. Its absence is evident in government, business, labor, in groups and among individuals.

We see it in the current action to make mass evictions by landlords, we see it in exorbitant profits by some business, and ever increasing wage demands by some labor. We see it among individuals who enjoy the privileges of high office and the confidence of their fellowmen.

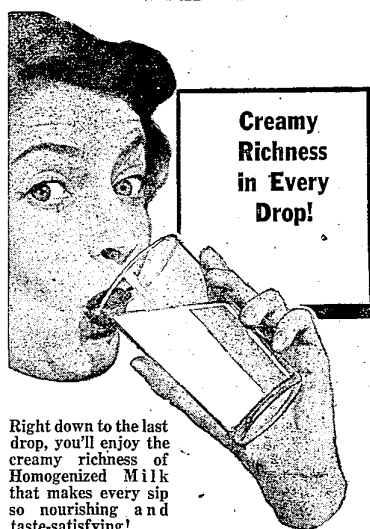
Of course, not every individual or group of individuals is so blind as to not recognize responsibility. If that was true we, as a nation, would accomplish nothing. But too often the responsible efforts of men are checked, even thrown back, by the indifference of others.

Irresponsibility has played a major role in the development of socialism and communism in the nations of the world. Failure of Americans to grasp the real significance of that one word can lead to no other road but the one so many beaten nations of Europe have been forced to follow.

The present day labor movement was brought about to a large extent by management's indifference to labor's problems. Labor in turn has taken on an equal indifference to the problems of management. Irresponsibility in government has led many Americans to look upon their local, state and National officials with doubt. It has, to some degree at least, made for indifference at the polls on election day.

Our schools, our churches and most important, our homes, must take the responsibility of teaching responsibility. Not just how to spell it — not just what it means, but how it works, both for the individual and for the nation. It's the backbone of our democracy. It has made America what it is and it is going to have just as much to do with what kind of an America we have tomorrow.

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