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It's Our Opinion

A Quick Glance . . .

at the auto accident toll in the Farmington area thus far this year would indicate that some consideration is going to have to be given before very long to the formation of a traffic safety committee.

Similar organizations are being established in communities, large and small, designed to combat the ever-rising toll of auto injuries and fatalities. These groups are, in most cases, making a valuable contribution. They are achieving notable results in the never ending fight to save lives. Many have received outstanding commendation for their efforts.

Hardly a week goes by without the usual story of traffic accidents, injuries and, too often, deaths on the streets and highways of the Farmington community. Only last week eight persons were injured in this area as the result of auto crashes. This rising trend is borne out in safety reports which show an increase of accidents in non-urban areas. Facts don't lie!

What can a safety committee do? It can assist in an over-all study of existing traffic hazards and recommend corrective measures. It can suggest methods for improving law enforcement. It can sponsor and encourage the conducting of teen-age driver clinics, which have been extremely popular among the younger drivers in many sections of the state. It can coordinate and add emphasis to the various traffic safety programs sponsored by various organizations. It can work with our schools in the establishment and enlargement of driver training classes for both students and adults.

Such a program, to be effective, must include both the city and township and possibly other surrounding communities. The personnel should contain representatives of the local units of government, police officials, educators, judges, parents and, if possible, safety experts. Student representatives should also be encouraged to participate in the committee activities.

Under aggressive leadership, such a group could not only halt but reverse the appalling rise of death, injury and destruction on our streets and highways. It may cost some money . . . it may require some time and effort, but how much is a life worth?

Facing Reality

is a pretty hard thing to do sometimes, especially when it is something we would prefer to turn our back on. Yet, face it we must if we're going to grow in strength and stature.

So it is with a community and its people. But facing reality as far as civilian defense is concerned involves more than just growth . . . it may well involve survival itself. It isn't a pleasant thought, but we must face it. Turning our back will accomplish nothing but possible disaster.

A new effort is being made to awaken the people of Farmington. We all hope and pray that no enemy air attack or civilian emergency will occur. But if it should, we hope and pray that Farmington will be prepared. We can not afford to turn our back. A new spirit of aggressive action must be initiated from top to bottom. The possible consequences of complacency must be brought home forcibly to all the people.

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A Lot Of Thought . . .

has been expended in recent years on the so-called problem of juvenile delinquency. Statistics have proved that it is not only a serious problem but that it is growing in both volume and scope.

Many experts are devoting countless hours in an effort to acquaint parents, organizations and communities with the problem. Through their work, real progress is being made in many areas. However, the situation involves so many factors and covers such a broad field, that efforts may seem at times very slow and ineffective.

It is becoming increasingly obvious that the real answer rests in the home. Not just a roof, four walls and a truck full of furniture and appliances . . . but a home. We don't pretend to be experts, but we can't ignore the statement repeated so often by a sorrowed parent whose child is in trouble, "We don't know why he did it . . . we have always given him everything he ever wanted." Everything, that is, but a "home."

GO TO CHURCH THIS WEEK

CHURCH OF GOD  
20341 Shawansee at Middlebelt  
10 a.m. Sunday School  
11 a.m. Morning Worship  
8 p.m. Evangelistic Service  
8 p.m. Wednesday Hour of Prayer  
8 p.m. Saturday, Young Peoples' Service.

FARMINGTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD  
Grand River at Middlebelt  
Sunday School at 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday Prayer Service, 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m., Young Peoples' meeting.

CLARENCEVILLE METHODIST CHURCH  
Cambridge and Grand River  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:15 a.m.  
Youth Groups 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Mid-Week Service Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

FARMINGTON FIRST BAPTIST  
Farmington at Shawansee  
9:30 and 11:40 a.m. Nursery, Junior Church and Morning Worship.  
10:35 Sunday School with all-graded lessons.  
6:00 Young Peoples' Choir.  
6:30 Junior Hi-BY, and Senior Youth Groups.  
6:30 Adult Study Class  
7:30 Happy Evening Hour.  
7:30 Wednesday, Hour of Prayer.  
8:30 Wednesday, Senior Choir.

SALEM EVANGELICAL CHURCH  
nursery department  
10:30 Sunday School  
Morning Worship, 10:00 a.m.  
Church School, 11:15 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship, Sunday evenings.

FOREST HILLS UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.  
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.  
Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service, at 8 p.m.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS  
Sunday Masses: 7:00, 8:30, 9:45, 11:15 and 12:30.  
Daily Masses: 5:30, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:00.  
Daily Masses: 6:00 and 8:00.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST  
Grand River at Oxford  
Sabbath School 9:30 a.m. Saturday  
Church 11:00 a.m. Saturday  
8 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting.  
"Faith for Today" telecast 11:30 a.m. Sunday, Channel 7.  
"Voice of Prophecy" WKXZ Sunday 9:30 a.m., CKLW Sunday 10:30 a.m.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
Services at Middlebelt School  
at Middlebelt North of Ten Mile  
Morning worship at 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.  
Evening service at 7:30 p.m.  
Mid-week prayer meeting held at the home of the pastor at 21996 Tulane Street Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.  
(For bus service, phone Farmington 2124.)

ORCHARD METHODIST CHURCH  
12 Mile Road at Greening  
10:00 a.m. Church School.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.  
Sermon theme: "The Rewards of Adventure."  
6:00 p.m. Senior High and Intermediate Youth Fellowship.  
Choir rehearsal Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.  
S. C. C. business meeting Thursday, December 2, at 8:00 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH  
Middlebelt at Eight Mile Road  
Sunday School and Bible classes  
nursery to senior departments.  
Divine services: 8:30 and 10:45 a.m.  
Lutheran Hour broadcast at 8:30 p.m. Sunday over CKLW.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH  
2800 Grand River Avenue  
Early Service, 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Liturgy, 11 a.m.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
Rev. J. B. Guban  
Farm. 1049-M and 1049-J  
(Services in Universalist Church)  
Holy Communion first and third Sunday of each month.  
Church School: Pre-school to third grade during Sunday service.  
Fourth grade through high school, Wednesday, 4 to 5 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Farmington H. S. Building  
Richard Geiger, Pastor  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Church School 10:30 a.m.  
Nursery school and classes for children and young people through Junior High School age.

ROCHESTER CHURCH OF GOD  
20221 Angling Road  
Between 7 Mile and 8 Mile  
Worship, Tuesday evening, 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Be Careful With the Gravy



Michigan Mirror

MICHIGAN'S PRISONERS are bulging at the seams and everyone wants to do something about it.

"That's the trouble: Everyone has a different idea on how to solve the problem," said Adrian deBoom (R-Owosso).

De Boom represents one of the major legislative groups. They have separate and sometimes conflicting plans about the prisons. It is now a matter of how much money they will cost the taxpayers.

Legislators want something that will be effective but economical; prison officials are interested in security and rehabilitation of inmates. The "de Boom group" is interested in medium or minimum security installations away from centers of population - with wire fences and barbed wire.

"We don't want any more prisons below the Bay City-Muskegon line," he said.

He figures that a "master plan" combining a new minimum security building, shifting of population in existing prisons, and other factors could solve the problem for \$3,500,000.

Other legislators figure a 600-man prison at Ionia, an addition to Ionia State Reformatory, will be a stop-gap for a few years.

To that end, they appropriated \$100,000 for new prison plans and specified that it should not cost more than \$2,500,000.

"We won't get a 600-man prison for that kind of money," said Corrections Director Gus Harrison.

Building officials in the Capitol suggest that the construction cost will go somewhere near \$4,000,000, and still not give the prisons the extra space they need.

The new Corrections Commission prefers a 1,200-man prison at \$14,000, which would ease the strain of their problem, but is not for the taxpayers.

They believe that Michigan's prison population will exceed 10,000 before spring and will not get smaller, so why not build for the future?

The 1,200-inmate figure is taken from recommendations by the American Prison Association despite the knowledge that the Federal prison system sticks by the 600-man figure.

THE DETROIT GOSPEL MISSION  
1000 Washtenaw  
FULL GOSPEL  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday evening service, 7:30 p.m.  
Young Peoples Meeting each Tuesday at 8:00 p.m.  
Ladies' Prayer Meeting each Wednesday at 10:00 a.m.  
Bible Study Thursday, 8:00 p.m.  
Old Fashion Prayer Meeting Saturday, 8:00 p.m.  
Everyone Welcome

LIVONIA METHODIST CHURCH  
West Seven Mile, E. of Farm. Rd.  
Church Service, 9:30, 11 a.m.  
Sunday School - 3rd to 8th Grades, 9:30 a.m.; Beginners to 2nd Grade, 11 a.m.; High School, 11:00 a.m.  
Int. Youth Fellowship, 6 p.m.  
Sen. Youth Fellowship, 7 p.m.  
Prayer meeting Wed. at 8 p.m.

SOUTHFIELD COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
2132 Indian Road  
10:00 a.m. Bible School.  
11:15 a.m. Worship.  
Nursery provided.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Service.  
Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. Prayer Fellowship.  
Five Youth Clubs weekly. For free transportation call FI. 1-5372.

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH  
10:30, Morning Worship Service.  
Special music by the choir, illustrated children's messages.  
11:30, Sunday School: Bible study in classes; classes for all ages. During the Sunday School hour the Junior choir will practice.  
7:30, Evening Worship service.

Gaylord Baptist Church  
1518 Gaylord Road  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:15 a.m.  
B. Y. P., 6 p.m.  
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.  
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LOOKING AHEAD  
"GEORGE S. BENSON  
President-Judge  
Rear Admiral

WASHINGTON, D. C. - There is a disturbing undercurrent of speculation on foreign policy in this capital city of the United States of America. The speculation is on whether our government is toyling with the idea of adopting an attitude of "containment" with the world-wide Communist conspiracy centered in Moscow. Such an attitude would seem to be almost totally contrary to the foreign policy philosophy of the Eisenhower administration which has held out "hope" to the peoples enslaved by Communism.

Washington journalists say that two camps on foreign policy are developing among the government officials in Congress, the State Department, the Defense Department and the White House. One camp wishes, the reports say, to maneuver our nation into a posture of coexistence with Communism which would mean acceptance of Communism's conquest and enslavement of nearly half the world's people; and, at least in effect, the ignoring of world Communism's historic purposes and goals.

The other camp wishes this nation to stand up to the realities of world Communism, to recognize its true nature, divorce ourselves from it, to crush it, and resist its further advances across the boundaries of those nations still remaining free. Aside from the great moral question involved in a "United States" attitude of coexistence, there is the practical reality of Communism's unquestioned, historic goal.

The writings of the leaders of Communism since it made its first conquest in Russia in 1917, clearly show that Communism will not accept coexistence with the U. S. A. - except momentarily to gain an advantage in its primary purpose of capitalism. And its every action through the pages of recent history loudly proclaim its desire to the credit and to the revolutionary goals which its leaders have pushed forward through every stage of its growth. Since, in the final determination, public opinion on the question of coexistence will be the decisive force in our government's action, every citizen should examine for himself the writings of Lenin, Stalin and Malenkov.

The following excerpts from official writings and pronouncements were supplied to me by a department of our Federal government. They are documented and there can be no question of their authenticity.

"As long as capitalism and socialism exist, we cannot live in peace; in the end, one or the other will triumph - a funeral dirge will be sung over the Soviet Republic or over world capitalism." Lenin, the first Russian master of world Communism, said this in a speech to the Moscow Party Nuclei Secretaries, November 26, 1920. He stated it repeatedly in his writings and speeches.

"The objective of the party is to exploit all and any conflicting interests among the surrounding capitalist groups and governments with the view to the disintegration of capitalism." Joseph Stalin, in "Revolution and Peace," August 28, 1921. "Who will conquer whom? - that is the question - the world is divided into two camps - the capitalist camp, headed by Anglo-American capital, and the socialist camp, headed by the Soviet Union." Stalin, May 9, 1925. And here is the exposure of the Kremlin's present "peace" or "coexistence" offensive: "Revolutionary war of the proletarian dictatorship is but a continuation of revolutionary peace policy by other means."

The same rate request was turned down flatly last May 11 by the commission.

Shortly after, Michigan Bell became tangled in a labor dispute which ended when the company agreed to increase wages. That's why it's back with the same petition.

In addition, company spokesmen say that the profit margin is so thin that investors are not buying their stock. They display efforts from other utilities and industries to back up their position.

Assistant Attorney General Robert (Continued on Page 2A)

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (November 20, 1929)

Taxpayers of both Farmington Township and City this year will receive a new form of tax statement. For the first time, all taxpayers will receive itemized statements showing the amount due for each item on the tax rolls before the taxes are paid. Previously the tax notices were sent out in the form of cards showing merely the total amount of tax. The issuing of itemized statements is expected to lessen the possibility of mistakes which could occur under the previous system.

New Orphanage  
The new orphanage located on the Old Villa Marillane on Twelve Mile Road a new and beautiful orphanage was opened Tuesday across the street from the old home. Two cottages, a two-story administration building and a chapel, playroom, infirmary, dining rooms and nursery rooms have replaced the old single structure that burned to the ground in the fire of 1925. The orphanage was dedicated Tuesday morning with the Reverend Michael J. Gallagher blessing the rooms of the orphanage in the presence of Charles T. Fisher, donor of the orphanage.

TEN YEARS AGO (November 30, 1944)  
Favor Consolidation  
School electors of the City and Township of Farmington voted in favor of consolidation into one school district at the election held Monday. In the city the vote was 266 in favor and 22 against; and in the township 387 for and 191 against. The next step in the consolidation procedure will be the election of a School Board sometime within the next 15 days. One member will be elected to serve until June, 1945; two until June, 1946, and the remaining two until June, 1947.

Christmas Boxes  
Members of the Farmington Garden Club will hold their next meeting at the Town Hall on Monday, December 4, and devote a major portion of their meeting to filling Christmas boxes for men in service who were formerly residents of the Ford Republic. Mrs. Clifford Merdith of the Republic will speak to the group on her work at the boys' home prior to the filling of boxes.

FIVE YEARS AGO (December 1, 1949)  
Farmington's attempt to form a single charity campaign received encouragement with a report Tuesday evening that \$4,444.93 of a quota tentatively set at \$5,014.33 had been collected. Due to a late start, the drive was extended and the entire area has not yet been covered. The drive's stalling at over 93 per cent is thus not to be considered a failure. In fact, the local committee is very well pleased with the outcome.

New Exchange  
All Longacre telephone exchange numbers will be changed to "Mayfair" on December 4, it was disclosed by J. R. Saxton of the Farmington office of Michigan Bell Telephone Company. Subscribers in the exchange will call each other by dialing the first two letters, MA, then the numeral 6, and finally the four digits of the present number. The number change is being made as part of an over-all telephone company extended area plan, Saxton said.

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