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The Readers 'Speak Up' About Fire Dept. Crash

Editor:

After some 45 years of effort in the world of business, I find myself packing for a less active life in the warmer climate of Florida. The first 30 years of my life have been spent in Livonia, and it has been good. Those friends I have here and it is not easy to pull up stakes; so I tell myself that Livonia is, and always will be, my "hometown" and that I am taking an extended leave of absence from Florida.

Through the courtesy of your paper, I have been permitted occasionally to express my honest convictions. They were always intended to be constructive. I hope they have never harmed anyone. And so, before I leave, permit me to make a few comments to those who will be the Livonia of the present and future.

I have been fortunate to have lived in two eras—one of which was the era of simplicity in the early 1900's, and the other from then until the present. The first era was a time of small towns, most of which were 25,000 or less in population, which, because of transportation and means of communication were limited, caused them to be self-sufficient. There were no modern conveniences. We knew them today. Advertising, taxes, credit purchases, big business, big government, socialized curricula, motion pictures, collective actions all with divergent goals of a selfish nature, less work, more pay, less responsibility, let George do it, devil take the hindmost, sleeping pills, poison sprays, fear, distrust, envy, and heart attacks were not a part of those early years.

Hard work, long hours, small pay, quality products—mostly produced by hand, satisfaction in having done one's best, great pride in the accomplishment of that best, uninterrupted sleep every night, and a deep, abiding faith in the ability of the individual to live as he knew his Maker intended him to live—all these were a very important part of life in these early years. The goal in life was not the material things, nor the dollar that would permit their purchase, for people knew that their Maker's sole material possession was a Robe.

They knew, also, that their Maker created them as individuals and that each of their brothers were of a different mold. No two were exactly alike, and that was as it should be. They knew that they had an individual soul, loaned to them to do with as they chose. They knew they had been given the ability to see, hear, talk, and think. They could be bad or good; they could lie, steal, cheat, murder, hate, envy, fear or love. They knew their Maker had loaned them as equality—they must be better. They were very sure that, while he could do all these things, love was the principle that must guide them, for of all these things, their Maker had only love. The soul they possessed must be used as possible—it had only been loaned to them.

The idea that they were too dumb to do this, provide for themselves and those dear to them, or that they must join a group or have their government tell what was easy and good for them, really never occurred to them. If it had, it would have insulted their intelligence. They knew that their country must not go the way of the Roman Empire.

In this day of easy living, rich meals, and dollar sign philosophy, the love of God is but a shadow hovering in the background. We think of it as something which can be used to help us out when the going gets tough. It never occurs to us that using it every minute of every day in everything we say, do, or believe does not insure that the going will never get tough for anyone and that happiness beyond all our dreams will exist.

It was true then; it is true now, and it will be true after

all other ways and means have been tried and discarded.

Take hold of it NOW, you individual. Finally, a word to those who govern, aspire to govern, or wield power over those who permit it and pray that you will use it wisely and honestly. The office you hold is, under God, sacred, and anything you do—officially or not—affects the happiness and well-being of those you govern. It is not to be used to weaken or destroy or to make a jellyfish of the individual. It is to be used to re-

is prompted by the recent auto-firetruck accident that cost a city fireman both of his feet. It certainly seems a shame that conditions were allowed to exist in our city that would allow a 1941 fire engine to be housed in an unimproved fire station, while a larger, and more modern fire engine sat idle in another fire station. Why?

If the above being corrected could have avoided the recent accident, then there are many of us that must in one way, or another, share the blame. That would include any of us that

are becoming almost a necessity. No. 3. This section is not directed at any person, past or present, who has held the position of Public Safety Director, as they all have worked hard, and long, in the service of our community. However, it seems that our City has grown to a size that would, almost, necessitate a future director having some background in fire, police, or fire service making it easier to understand the workings of the departments under him, and speeding his adjustment to the job and his obligations to the citizens.

No. 4. In closing I would like to comment on the Council's action of August 19, 1964, appointing the Fire Chief and Public Safety Director, to investigate the recent auto-fire truck accident. If their report is to cover only the accident it would seem the council could have asked the police report on the matter. However, if it was intended to cover the conditions leading to the accident it seems totally unfair, if they are involved, or not, the investigation should be handled by a neutral party. Thus, if they are not involved, they will be cleared without the shadow of whom the investigation being involved.

I am sure, Mr. Chandler, you can understand my reluctance to publish my name since I am employed by the city. However, the items contained in this letter are cold, hard facts, and are written as a service to the citizens of our city, whom I am proud to work for.

A City Employee, and Livonia Taxpayer

Editor:

I have read your "Reader Speaks Up" column on numerous occasions, and at times voted to voice my opinion on the topics of discussion at hand. As most people, though, I have only let my adrenalin simmer, and then put the ensuing issue on the sidelines.

Well, my adrenalin level boiled over this week in light of the tragic accident that recently took place involving a Livonia fireman.

I just wonder how many of these so-called "Livonia taxpayers" will be as eager to pick up their telephones and offer their well wishes to this "city employee" and his family, as they are ready to make petty complaints about what they do or don't do in the line of duty.

It would seem to me that some people have nothing better to do but be "busy bodies." One thing is certain, the phone number at City Hall is well fixed in their minds from past usage, so they shouldn't find it difficult to dial the city offices with a kind word of expression to this unsung hero. I am sure I speak for other citizens of Livonia.

Signed—
A wife and mother.

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CMSGT ANTHONY STABILE, (right), who resides at 14972 Farmbrook Drive, Plymouth, with his wife, Edna, and five children, and Capt. F. M. Griffin study plans of action for the 127th Tactical Reconnaissance Wing in training at Phelps Collins Air National Guard Base in Alpena, Stabile, who served with the Air Force in World War II, became a weekend airman when the 127th headquarters section was in need of a first sergeant.

dist these things. If you do not wish our civilization to follow the Roman Empire down the drain. It is not to be used to perpetuate yourself in office by spreading lies, fear, hate; dividing people against people; wasting money; seeking self-enrichment or greed for more power.

If you would be great—really great—and live forever in the minds and hearts of men, the first thing to do is to forget self, reach back into the shadow and grasp the hand of the Maker. The second thing to do is to walk and talk with Him every minute of the day about every thought and action. You will not let you down and greatness and happiness will be yours.

I beg of you—elevate the name "Politician" into the sunshine of his smile. Businessman, educator, citizen—go thou and do likewise.

If I may be permitted as a Florida-based Livonian to use your columns occasionally in the future, I would be most grateful.

Sincerely,
Walter M. Grayson,
15508 Mayfield,
Livonia, Mich.

Editor:

My husband has a very important and dangerous job. He is responsible for saving people's lives and property, with little or no recognition, which is the way he and his fellow workers work. They love their job, they are Livonia firemen. Today he informed me that a bulletin was posted by the Public Safety Director to inform all firemen that disciplinary action will be taken against any fireman for remarks made by himself or his family, pertaining to the accident or what has gone on before the accident. What are the Chief of the Fire Department and the Public Safety Director afraid of? There must be a basis for their fear due to the closing of Station No. 1, at Five Mile Road and Farmington, which was dated at the time the Fire Department took it over. The building was the old City Hall, at the time they were told it was not adequate to be a fire hall but they would only be there for three months. This was in 1963.

With what our firemen do for the City of Livonia, is it asking too much that the citizens of our city show an interest in their working conditions. It's a shame that a man has to have his legs amputated to make people understand that our firemen are riding to fires in an out-dated truck, when for only \$400 or \$500 the station doors could have been repaired to house our new truck, which has been sitting in storage for approximately a year. Now ask yourselves, will the city firemen need to make their jobs safer? Saving on pennies is not only endangering their lives but all of the people of Livonia's lives.

Fireman's Wife

Editor: This letter is written in the hope it will be of public service, and I assure you it is not, as some may call it, bitter grapes. It is the first letter I have written on such a matter,

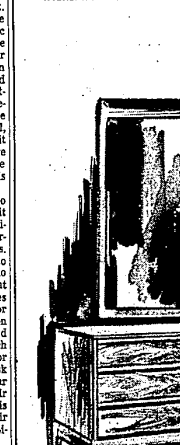
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