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EDITORIALS

Improved Fire Protection . . .

is urgently needed in the Farmington area. It was needed many months ago and is needed even more now. In those months more and more people have moved into Farmington, greatly increasing the possibility of fire.

Proof of this statement is borne out in the increased number of fires in the past few years. This volume is bound to increase even more as the community grows. The public has a right to ask for and receive improved fire protection. It is essential to the safety and well-being of the public.

Plans are now being discussed for the establishment of another fire station in the township. Such plans should not be made hastily or without proper consideration. However, a concentrated effort should be made at once to locate this fire unit and get it into operation. The township has the equipment on hand to establish this station now and volunteer personnel can be secured to man it.

The time margin in getting to a fire promptly can save lives and property. Time and again The Enterprise has received letters from victims of a fire thanking the volunteer firemen for the outstanding job they did. The township has the latest in modern fire fighting equipment. It can not be put to full use unless it gets to the fire in time.

A plan for section-wide protection is being studied whereby in case of emergency fire departments from near-by townships would come in and help at no charge. This is a valuable step forward in cooperation and maximum protection. However, our immediate problem is to secure closer protection within our own area as well as getting full use of the modern equipment we now have.

"Faint-Hearted" . . .

is an interesting word, especially when it is used by a representative of President Truman's cabinet to lambast someone else.

It becomes even more interesting when it is used at an organized labor convention to score the steel industrialists. "Short sighted" is another interesting word used by Secretary of the Interior Oscar L. Chapman. In fact, the whole statement by Chapman ridiculing the steel industry is as follows: "Faint-hearted apostles of a scarcity economy."

Now, first of all, Chapman has forgotten, or wanted to forget, that these same "Faint-Hearted" industrialists are forking over more money than he before to try to keep up with government non-economy. Second, he has forgotten or wanted to forget that in several instances, at least, both labor and the government have discouraged expansion. They have done it by refusing to accept labor-saving equipment that would mean more production. They have done it by holding down industrial expansion for fear that it might become a monopoly. They have done it by strikes and demands for more money for less work.

He doesn't forget to put in the handy and meaningless "Special Interest" phrase, either. In fact, according to Chapman, the shortages of steel are "the short-sighted policies of a few men who lack confidence in the future of America." We don't believe that statement should be used in honest fairness to any group, be it labor, government, or industry. The time is long past when such unthinking words should be used. It is time we cut the hate campaign and the finger-pointing and got down to some real understanding. It is time we turned off the tongue wagging and began to work together.

Winter Is Here . . .

and with it snow, sleet and treacherous highways. Add that to increased auto and pedestrian traffic because of the holidays and you have DANGER!

From now until after New Year's is one of the most dangerous periods of the year. If you want to live to see 1951 - you will take it easy when you drive and when you walk. An all-out effort is now being launched by safety authorities to protect you. Listen to their words, read their advice, and above all, do what they say.

Churches

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
2550 Grand River Avenue
Corner of Imperial Hwy.
Victor F. Halbroth, Pastor

Early Service, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Late Service, 11 a.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH
Middlebush at Eight Mile Road
Rev. W. Rutkowski, Pastor

Sunday School 9:40 a.m., nursery to senior departments
Divine services at 8:30 and 10:45 a.m.
Lutheran Hour broadcast at 12:30 Sunday noon, over CKLW.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. A. Stanley Stone, Minister
Morning Worship at 11:15 a.m.

11:15 a.m., Nursery School.
Sunday School at 10:40 a.m.
Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p.m.
Thursday, 7:30 p.m., choir rehearsal at the church.

LIVONIA METHODIST CHURCH
W. 7 Mile, E. of Farmington Rd.
Rev. Cadman Preut, Pastor

9:30 a.m., Church School.
10:45 a.m., Morning Worship.
10:45 a.m., Nursery, kindergarten and primary Sunday School.
W. S. C. S. on second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 1 p.m.

FARMINGTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Grand River at Middlebush
Rev. Orville J. Windell, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 a.m.
Morning Worship at 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
Friday Prayer Service, 7:45 p.m.

CLARENCEVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
Cambridge and Grand River
Farmington, Michigan
Elmer J. Jones, Pastor

10:40 a.m., large, enthusiastic Sunday School.
11:30 a.m., the Morning Worship.
1:30 p.m., the Intermediate Youth Fellowship, the Wesley Adult Fellowship.
7:30 a.m., the Evening Service.
7:45 p.m., every Wednesday evening, the Prayer Service.

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

Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School at 10:15 a.m.
Youth Fellowship at 8:30 p.m.
Evening Service at 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Midweek Services at 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Senior choir rehearsal at 8:15 p.m.

SALEM EVANGELICAL CHURCH
"The Church on the Park"
Rev. Carl H. Schultz, Pastor

Mr. A. Boltho, Mus. Dir. & Organist
Mr. G. C. Oldenburger, Sol. Ed.
Mr. J. B. Dir. of Ch.
A nursery department is maintained during the Morning worship.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a.m.
Church School, 11:25 a.m.
Youth Fellowship, Sunday evening.

ORCHARD METHODIST CHURCH
13 Mile Road at Greening
Rev. Leroy Lord, Pastor

10:30 a.m., Church Service.
11:45 a.m., Church School.
6:00 p.m., Youth Fellowship. A Barany, Sponsor.
Nursery Department in care of Sally Pfister and Sally Grogan.
Radio Hour, First and Third Thursday each month, 8 p.m.

Gaylord Baptist Church
19188 Gaylord Road
Rev. Chester Cason, Minister
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11:15 a.m.
B. Y. F., 8 p.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
23701 Cass Avenue
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.
"God the Only Cause and Great Cause" the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, December 3.

The Golden Text (Acts 4:24) is: "Lord, thou art God, what hast thou done and earth, and the sea, and all that in them is."

ST. MARTINE'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Lenore and Curtis Aves., Detroit (Five Minutes from Bus Station)
Rev. James H. Morris, Vicar

8:00 a.m., Holy Communion.
9:30 a.m., Church School (three years and up)

11:00 a.m., Morning Prayer.
11:00 a.m., Sunday School (Holy Communion)

11:00 a.m., Kindergarten and Primary School (3 to 8 years).

WEST POINT PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST
J. Scott Greer, Minister
Bible Study at 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.

The Disbeliever



Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON

NEAT SLIGHT-OF-HAND

The senate commerce committee has pulled some neat slight-of-hand.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS
Rev. Thomas P. Beahan, 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.

SOUTHWEST COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
21122 Indian Road
Rev. M. Raymond Bayne
Southfield 5372

10:00 a.m. Bible School.
Free transportation.
11:15 a.m. Worship.
On Sunday provided.
7:30 p.m. Evening Praise.
Tuesday, 7:45 p.m., Prayer Fellowship.
Four Youth Clubs weekly.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH
Warner and Thomas Streets
Farmington

Rev. Frank D. Adams, Pastor
Sunday morning worship at 11 o'clock.

Dr. Adams is recuperating from an operation. During his enforced absence, the pulpit will be filled on Sunday mornings by various members of the congregation.
Junior church, also at 11, Miss Marion Kellogg, superintendent.

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Charles G. Morse, Pastor
Mary Flint, Pianist

Mrs. Jack Zuy, Sunday School Sup.
10:30, Morning Worship Service.
Special music by the choir, illustrated children's message.
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.

BIBLE COMMENT

The Christian, Like The Athlete, Should Condition Himself

WITH great activities at their feet, readers know how conditioning means in the performance of a football team. In boxing, too, as well as a host of other sports, quick reflexes, good wind and supple muscles are a must for the athlete.

Physical health is very much like spiritual health in that it can only be achieved and maintained through discipline and self-control. Said Paul to the Corinthians, "Every man that strive for mastery is temperate in all things." His words are at sharp odds with those uttered by modern-day sophisticians who describe temptation as something to yield to.

As a football player goes through tough scrimmages to perfect his abilities on the field, and as a boxer seeks to develop his coordination through bag-punching and rope-climbing, so must a Christian exercise his spiritual convictions and daily strengthen his faith.

Prayer is, of course, the best "work-out." Self-expression must be constantly extended for signs of pettiness. Jealousy must be recognized as a weakness of spiritual muscle. Lust must be fought as a decaying influence.

By earnestly seeking out God, the Christian increases his proficiency at finding God. With each prayer, the individual can offer a little more of himself than before. Each victory over temptation endows the follower of God with greater strength to resist and overcome the forces of evil.

By practicing a well disciplined program of faith and self-improvement, the Christian will find that like the highly trained athlete, he will possess reserves of strength enabling him to meet life's most exacting challenges.

MICHIGAN MIRROR



By GENE ALLEMAN

Both major parties eye the Michigan recount anxiously. The 15,000 invalid ballots they expect to find are causing quakes the length of the state. Kelly asks for a "fair, gentlemanly and proper" result. Williams displays unusual confidence. Other party leaders don't.

Says the Michigan highway department: "Eighty per cent of the accidents are caused due to the human element, and how can the state or its agencies control that?" In the hospital at the time suffering from auto crash injuries were Highway Commissioner Charles Ziegler and Elmer Hanna, an administrative aide.

College presidents look grim over future enrollments. Head of one of the state's largest says next year he expects no draft eligible students . . . a return to all-iced campus - or virtually so.

Some inactive reservists are being called ahead of the active. In a wire to Governor Williams, Frank Pace, secretary of the army, explains it is an attempt to keep active units intact for possible future use.

In Washington plans are underfoot to extend Michigan's national guard summer training to three weeks. Local commanders fear fewer turnouts for camp, since many might not be able to leave civilian jobs that long.

But the dogs are safe. There are no plans to draft any more for the K-9 corps. Down, fido!

Fort Custer has been turned down for the proposed air academy. But air force officials surprised the governor and the entire state by putting two other Michigan locations among the final 25 sites from which the selection will be made. Named were, Waterloo recreation area near Chelsea, and Kensington recreation area, near Brighton.

Tourist promoters are rampaging for more state money to advertise Michigan's vacation business. The state is third in vacation visitors, 13th in amount of appropriation. They are asking \$225,000. Last year they received \$225,000.

Michigan's polio rate is sixth in the nation with 1,702 cases - 27 per 100,000 population. Iowa leads with a case rate of 47.

The state department of health has made what is considered a smart move by applying for a patent on a new antibiotic - a development on the order of penicillin and streptomycin. "Public monition and the research," says Dr. Albert Heustis, commissioner, "why shouldn't financial benefits come back to the people of Michigan?"

The health department may lose 50 employees if \$153,000 in federal funds is not supplemented by state appropriations. The slash (Continued on Page Six)

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (November 27, 1925)

D. U. R. Cars Run To Farmington
The new car and coach schedules of the D. U. R. and its subsidiary company, the Peoples Coach Line, which go into effect today, Friday, will give Farmington a much improved service, says John Clark, superintendent of this division of the D. U. R. All passenger cars on the rail line out of Detroit on Grand River will come to the Farmington station, completing the trip here with the exception of cars in a twice hourly service running to Northville, Plymouth and Wayne. For turning cars here the company has just completed putting in a "Y" at the Warner factory switch at the rear of the station.

TEN YEARS AGO (November 28, 1940)

Precise Tool Backs Red Cross 100%
The Red Cross Roll Call drive in Farmington City and Township draws to a close with one of the most successful years ever known. Unusual activity has been displayed in various business places, with results that have reached untold thousands of contributors. At Precise Tool Company, under the leadership of John Lutz, the sum of \$354 was raised.

Phone Area Change Approved
Approximately eight square miles of territory will be added by the Michigan Bell Telephone Company to its Farmington base rate area, following permission which was granted this week by the Public Service Commission. The change will affect a savings of about \$1350 for present subscribers in the affected area.

FIVE YEARS AGO (November 29, 1945)

Electric Company Moves
Brill Electric Company will be occupying their new shop on Saturday, December 1, according to Mr. Brill's statement this week. Construction has been completed and the building is now ready for occupancy. The new location is 33733 Grand River, directly across from the Farmington Lumber and Coal Company.

Garden Club Packs Boxes
The Farmington Garden Club, at their monthly meeting, will have as project for the afternoon the packing of Christmas boxes for the patients at Percy Jones General Hospital. Members of the club would be greatly pleased to see a good membership out to help with this Christmas gesture for the boys who have made such a great sacrifice for us.



No matter where you land, you'll find everything from Ambulances to Wheel Chairs in the telephone directory Yellow Pages.

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