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## EDITORIALS

## Picking The Best . . .

apple from a premium quality basket isn't as easy as it first seems. That is what members of the Farmington City Council are learning about the selection of a City Manager.

The council has succeeded in narrowing the field to two or three candidates. If the applicants were not so well qualified and so well recommended the job would be much easier. However, there is one bright spot in the selection of the manager, that is that Farmington seems to be very attractive to qualified municipal government specialists. It also means that Farmington will have the opportunity to select from an excellent field of candidates.

This is a tribute to the city and to its people. It is also an indication of what others think as to its future growth and progress. Equally important, it is approval of the excellent job done by the Charter Commission in drafting a realistic and workable charter for the city. These are results the citizens of Farmington can rightfully be proud of, for they made it so.

The Council has an important job to do, and it isn't easy. It is important because the City Manager is the key to Farmington's new government. Its degree of success will be measured by the efficiency and progress displayed by this first City Manager. He can greatly speed the orderly development of the city and he can, with the help of the Council, greatly increase the service to the people.

We must recognize the responsibility that rests on the Council in making the selection. We must reserve opinion until all elements of the government have had an opportunity to organize and work together. The success of any government, large or small, is dependent entirely up on the cooperation as well as the vigilance of all the people.

## Few People . . .

in this world have as great an opportunity to speak their piece as you and your neighbors. This isn't just an idle statement. Its living proof is exemplified in the current open meetings on proposed zoning in Farmington Township.

A second public meeting was held last Tuesday where residents were given not just an opportunity to vote "Yes" or "No," but a golden chance to criticize or to ask "Why?" No one can honestly say they have not had an opportunity to ask questions or seek changes in the proposed ordinance. It is being "tailored" to meet the demands of the people, and nothing could be more democratic.

The Enterprise has stated before and will state again that zoning is vital to the protection and future development of the Farmington community. It should be made law as soon as possible, in the interest of the health and safety of the present and future residents of Farmington Township. Every resident is being given an opportunity to voice his opinion. Many constructive suggestions have been acted upon by the Zoning Board. This is further proof of the democratic effort being put forth.

It is the responsibility of every resident to read and know the proposed ordinance. It is important for every resident to realize the protection it will afford not just to himself but to the entire community. It is vital that every citizen recognize and take advantage of the democratic opportunities enjoyed by so few in this world.

## Chillier Than Ever . . .

is the way Administration supporters feel about the new wage - price amendment proposed by the House of Representatives.

According to reports they are confused. As far as we can see the whole thing has been confusing for some time. The primary purpose in the beginning, we think, was to keep prices down. From there on, we, like most every other daily shopper, are confused. First there was a let-up here and then a let-up there and out goes the weekly paycheck just as before.

Maybe it would be a good idea if we went back to that original idea of keeping prices down, and start again from there — or maybe if we just keep going around the circle a little bit further, we will be back where we started from.

## Churches

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
25000 Grand River Avenue  
Early Service, 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Late Service, 11:15 a.m.

**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Middlebelt at Eight Mile Road  
Sunday School 9:40 a.m., nursery to senior departments.  
Divine services at 8:30 and 10:45 a.m.

Lutheran Hour broadcast at 8:30 p.m. Sunday over CKLW and at 3:30 p.m. on WXYZ.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m. 10:00 a.m. Nursery School.  
Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday, 7:30 p.m., choir rehearsal at the church.

**LIVONIA METHODIST CHURCH**  
W. Mille, E. of Farmington Rd.  
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 Thursday of each month at 1 p.m.

**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.  
Friday Prayer Service, 7:45 p.m.

**CLARENCEVILLE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Cambridge and Grand River  
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.

**FIRST BAPTIST**  
"The Friendly Church"  
Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School at 11:15 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship at 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service at 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, Midweek Services at 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, Senior choir rehearsal at 8:15 p.m.

**SALEM EVANGELICAL CHURCH**  
A nursery department is maintained during the Morning worship service.  
Morning Worship, 10:00 a.m.  
Church School, 11:25 a.m.  
Youth Fellowship, Sunday evenings.

**ORCHARD METHODIST CHURCH**  
13 Mile Road at Greening  
9:30 a.m. Church School.  
10:30 a.m. Worship Service. Sermon by Mr. Hargreaves of Farmington.  
Nursery for little tots.  
August 5 pulpit supplied by Mr. Langthorne.

**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.  
Pilate's famous question "What is truth?" is answered in the Lesson.  
Sermon entitled "Truth" to be read to all Christian Science churches on Sunday, July 29.  
The Golden Text is from Isaiah 54:17: "We have a strong city; salvation will God appoint for walls and bulwarks. Open ye the gates, that the righteous nation which keepeth the truth may enter in."

**WEST POINT PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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.

**SOUTHFIELD CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
21122 Indian Road  
10:00 a.m. Bible School.  
11:15 a.m. Worship.  
Nursery provided.  
7:30 p.m. Evening Prayers.  
Tuesday, 7:45 p.m., Prayer Fellowship.

**Gaylor Baptist Church**  
15188 Gaylor Road  
Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:15 a.m.  
B. Y. F., 6 p.m.  
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
15388 Beech Road  
10 a.m. Sunday School.  
11 a.m. Morning Worship.  
8 p.m. Evangelistic Service.  
10 p.m. Wednesday, Hour of Prayer.

**ST. MARTIN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Lenore and Curtis Aves., Detroit  
10 a.m. Church School (three to seven years).  
10 a.m. Sermon.  
Rev. A. C. Miller, of St. Christopher's Episcopal Church, will officiate.

## Which Side Are You On, Joe?



## OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Sunday Masses: 7:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:15 and 12:30.

Holy Day Masses: 5:30, 7:00, 8:00 and 9:30.

Daily Masses: 6:30 and 8:00.

**FREE WILL BAPTIST**  
Grand River at Middlebelt

10:00 a.m., Sunday School.

11:00 a.m., Morning Worship.

7:30 p.m., Evening Service.

7:30 p.m., Thursday, prayer service.

**UNIVERSALIST CHURCH**  
Warner and Thomas Streets

Sunday services for adults are in recess for the summer and will be resumed September 9.

Junior Church activities are continuing under the direction of Miss Marion Kellogg.

Sunday, August 5, Church School, Topic "A Dewdrop." Those who attend Institute will relate experiences, show snapshots, nature specimens, etc.

**FOREST HILLS UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH**  
Stanbury and 12 Mile Roads

Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship, 11 a.m.

Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Prayer Service, at 8 p.m.

Children's Bible Club Thursday at 3:15 p.m.

**NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH**  
10:30, Morning Worship Service.

Special music by the choir, illustrated children.

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.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
Grand River at Oxford

Services Saturday, July 21, and July 23 to be held at Camp Meeting on Southfield Road 1/2 block north of Grand River.

Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.

Church 11:00 a.m.

Meetings every night 8:00 p.m.

**MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
23310 Haynes Street

2:00 p.m. Sunday School.

3:00 p.m. Worship Service.

**Bible Comment:**

**Art Work of God Is Both Inspiring And Near at Hand**

In his book, "The Arts," Hendrick Van Loon makes an impressive attack upon those who go to movies to "kill time." Describing times as man's most valuable possession, the eminent author-artistic critic suggests that leisure time be profitably invested in the creation or appreciation of art.

The most immediately accessible of all art is, of course, the beauty that God lavished upon the earth. Yet too often we think of art as exclusively those things created and exhibited by puny man.

There is a splendor about a sunset, a majesty about a purple mountain top, a serenity about the sight of a still lake at twilight that excels anything man can create to a complete comprehension of the glory of God.

Who has not stood at the ocean's edge and watched the icy waves crash upon the sand without experiencing a sense of awe, a feeling of having once belonged to its eternal enigmas?

Summer's thrumming sounds are His music; the forest, His canvas; the rustle of the leaves, the hum of His hand; and the words of man, His living literature.

It is indeed a tragedy that with so many proofs of His omnipotence about us, we do not spend more time spiritually feasting upon their beauty.

But with vacation time once more at hand, there is fresh opportunity to renew our first-hand acquaintance with the Creator's works, whether in far-off places or in our own friendly backyards.

## THE WASHINGTON

Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

**FALSE SECURITY**

While making a survey of Europe last winter several top executives expressed the following idea about peace or war with Soviet Russia:

"The worst blunder Moscow ever made was to invade Korea. It created unity among the United Nations. It aroused the American people. And it put your mobilization program in high gear."

"And the smartest thing the Kremlin could do now," these diplomats continued, "would be to make a dramatic peace bid. It would throw discord into the United Nations. It would put the steps to the mobilization program. And it would ease the American people into a false sense of security."

"The peace bid wouldn't mean anything in the long run," these diplomats believed. "For as long as Russia maintains a huge land army the world cannot be safe. But a false sense of security is just what Moscow wants."

"This may be what is happening today. It is interesting that Malik's speech came just as the price of oil was nearing a vote and just as congress was about to adopt the biggest tax bill in peace-time history."

**MCCARTHY DEMANDS REWARD**

Republican leaders did some fancy backstage wirepulling to keep Senator McCarthy off the important GOP policy committee. Here is the inside story of what happened.

McCarthy had demanded the policy committee seat as his reward for unseating the Democrats and carrying five states for Republican senators last November — Maryland, Utah, California, Indiana and Illinois.

He was supported in his claim by such Republicans as Senator Ferguson of Michigan, who argued that McCarthy's name-calling was worth ten to twenty thousand votes in each state; but he was opposed by Senator Milliken of Colorado, the senate chairman, who flatly said:

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INTERPRETING THE NEWS

BY GENE ALLEMAN

A split vote for the Republican nomination of United States senator is indicated at the moment for November, 1952.

Owen J. Cleary, Republican state chairman, is said to be mulling this chance. Another prospective candidate is ex-Gov. Harry F. Kelly, who lost his third term bid for the governorship last fall.

Rit Clardy, Lansing attorney who last year opposed William W. Blackney for the sixth district G. O. P. nomination as representative, has hinted to friends in Washington that it wouldn't take much to persuade him to get into the senate scramble.

The only announced candidate so far is a Republican from Grand Rapids, John B. Martin, Jr., now state auditor general.

Arvid Vandenberg, Jr., also of Grand Rapids, has been mentioned as a possible contender. Young Vandenberg hasn't revealed his intentions.

Speaker of the House Victor A. Knox (R - Sault Ste. Marie) long has cherished the job of secretary of state. Also eyeing the position is Rep. Robert M. Montgomery (R - Lansing) who is speaker pro-tem.

Fred M. Alger, Jr., who holds the position now, has announced his candidacy for nomination as governor.

Armed with additional funds from the legislature, Dr. Lee M. Thurston, superintendent of public instruction, quietly is investigating several more school districts. They are expected of padding enrollment lists to gain more state aid funds.

Michigan is short 3,000 nurses for training, all of whom could be employed immediately upon completion of training.

Michigan's city officials criticize the federal government for lack of leadership in the civil defense effort. John Witherspoon, Detroit controller, says Detroit is about as well organized as any city in the nation — but "we are not as secure in our feeling about attack as the federal government seems to be."

Michigan's fruit crop, except for apples and pears, will be below the 1950 harvest, if federal - state crop reporting services' estimates are correct. Reason given for the predicted drop was a severe freeze last November.

A legislative committee, mapping a revision of Michigan election laws, has invited suggestions from anyone interested. Sen. Creighton R. Coleman (R - Battle Creek), chairman of the committee, says his group plans to draft a redefinition of election statutes and submit it to the 1952 legislature. He will listen to all comers.

It's the polo season again. Some 68 cases were reported in the first half of 1951. Last year the peak polo was 2909 cases. Dr. F. S. (Continued on Page Five)

## Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO (July 23, 1926)  
Lay Church Corner Stone

The ceremony of laying the corner stone of the West Point Park Independent Church at Seven Mile and Farmington Roads will take place Sunday, July 26, at 3:30 p.m. This church organization is only two months old but services conducted recently have been attended by over 200 worshippers. Dr. Richards of Northville will have charge of the ritualistic service. In the corner stone will be placed a copy of The Enterprise, also coins of the republic and the names of 1000 persons sealed into a lead tube.

TEN YEARS AGO (July 26, 1941)  
Kowalski To Issue Licenses

Permission for Chief of Police Charles Kowalski to issue drivers licenses to residents of Farmington has been granted this week by Secretary of State Harry F. Kelly. At the present time, Kowalski may issue licenses only to persons residing within the city limits. However, if a new law goes into effect, Kowalski said his jurisdiction would extend a radius of five miles from the city.

Work Started On Wading Pool

Work was begun this week on a wading pool to be situated adjacent to the city picnic grounds and near the Farmington High School athletic field. The project is being sponsored by the Farmington Kiwanis Club, with Leo Diehlmeister and Stanley Coon in charge of the committee making arrangements.

FIVE YEARS AGO (July 25, 1946)  
Legionnaires To Hold Carnival

The annual American Legion Gala Days will be held at the corner of Maple and Grand River again this year as in the past. August 12 to 15 are the days set aside for the event which brings the biggest carnival ever to Farmington. Included will be 40 concessions and 15 rides. Joe DeVriendt is chairman of this year's version of the annual affair.

Civic Association Plans Picnic

The Township Civic Association met Wednesday evening, July 23, at Gramer's Hall. During the meeting many interesting and enlightening facts were brought out pertaining to the proposed Township Zoning Ordinance, and also regarding the water supply in various communities. The first task for the new program committee will be a picnic planned for the first week in September.

**Stand Up For Jesus**  
Stand up, stand up for Jesus,  
Ye soldiers of the cross;  
Lift high His royal banner,  
It must not suffer loss:  
From vict'ry unto vict'ry  
His army shall He lead,  
Till every foe is vanquished,  
And Christ is Lord indeed.

Dudley Tyng, a young Philadelphia minister, was watching a new corn-shelling machine when he was fatally hurt. As his life ebbed, he sent one last message to his friends — "Tell them to stand up for Jesus!" Mr. Dagfield, a friend and minister, felt these words were too great to be lost. He wrote the above verse, which, set to stirring music, is one of our most challenging hymns.

**Thayer Funeral Home**



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