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EDITORIALS

Initial Steps . . .

were taken last Thursday evening in preparation for the opening of the 1951 Farmington United Fund and Community Chest Drive.

Some very significant facts were brought out during the course of the meeting — facts every member of this community should know and remember. In the first place a great deal more interest and united effort is needed if we are to fulfill the responsibilities we owe to ourselves and to our neighbors. Second, more funds will be needed to carry on the various activities so necessary to our existence. Third, efforts must be made to encourage citizens of this community to contribute at least a part of their contribution to the Farmington drive.

A great many individuals are needed throughout the City and Township to assist in this outstanding effort. Everyone in the community must be given an opportunity to contribute. This requires a great many solicitors and a spirit of community enthusiasm. The job can be easier and far more effective through united effort. It is a community obligation and it demands a community-wide response.

All of the community chest and United Fund agencies have been caught in the inflationary spiral. They must have additional funds if they are to carry on the worthwhile projects for which they are dedicated. These projects affect every man, woman and child in the community in some way. They can not be expected to continue to fill a vital need without necessary funds.

Every citizen of this community should contribute to the Farmington Drive. Why? No other drive is concerned with the Farmington Area Recreation Commission, the Clarenceville Recreation Commission, the Farmington Boy and Girl Scouts. These are Farmington's responsibilities and unless we support them they may fail. These agencies benefit your children and mine. We in Farmington benefit — we in Farmington should give.

We Haven't Noticed . . .

any mass uprising of enthusiasm over the recent suggestions that Farmington develop a sales promotion program in the interest of the future development of the trading area and the community as a whole.

We have had more individual comments than we anticipated. Unfortunately they came mostly from residents rather than the merchants. Many of our citizens realize the importance of sales promotion, not just for the merchants but for residents, the local governments and the schools. There are some who still consider such promotion as purely a direct benefit to the newspaper or to a few merchants.

Let's examine the situation. Since The Enterprise first suggested the formation of a merchant's organization, the vast majority of the cities in this state have successfully conducted promotional programs. Ask them who benefited. The Newspaper? — yes! And every merchant up and down main street; every man, woman and child in the community; the local governmental agencies and the schools. How come? Just this — when more business is attracted to a community, more sales are made; increased business places are required; better bargains are offered, saving residents money; a more rounded business section, making it unnecessary for residents to go elsewhere for goods they can not get in their home community.

Who benefits? — the answer is — EVERYBODY! If you doubt it, ask the merchants and the townspeople of almost any of our nearby communities.

It is time we got aboard — before the caboose goes by.

Now It's The Tax Agents . . .

that are being investigated by Congress for alleged "secret deals". This whole procedure seems to be keeping Congress pretty busy dashing from one investigation to another while a lot of constructive legislation just sits. Corruption in government and elsewhere should be exposed and cleaned up, but there should be some way of doing it without slowing the processes of legislation. Of course there may be one advantage in all this. Government jobs are becoming less attractive with every investigation — might be able to cut the payroll that way.

Churches

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
25600 Grand River Avenue
Early Service, 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Late Service, 11 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 10:30 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
7 Mile, 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 CHURCH
"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.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a.m.
Church School, 11:15 a.m.
Youth Fellowship, Sunday evenings.

ORCHARD METHODIST CHURCH
1 Mile West of Greening
10:00 a.m. Church School.
11:00 a.m. Worship
Sermon theme: "Called To Serve".
Nursery for tiny tots.

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.
Is there a cure remedy for every kind of disease? That question is answered in the Lesson - Sermon to be read in all Christian Science Churches on Sunday, October 14, under the title "Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?"
The Golden Text is from Psalms (118: 14, 17): "The Lord is my strength and song, and is become my salvation. I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord."

SOUTHFIELD METHODIST CHURCH
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
21122 Indian Road
10:00 a.m. Bible School.
11:15 a.m. Worship.
Nursery provided.
7:30 p.m. Evening Praise.
Tuesday, 7:45 p.m. Prayer Fellowship.

Gaylord Baptist Church
15188 Gaylord 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.
8 p.m. Wednesday, Hour of Prayer.
8 p.m. Saturday, Young Peoples' Service.

ST. MARTIN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Grand River and Salem Avenue
Rev. James H. Morris, Vicar
9:30 a.m. Church School, all ages.
11:00 a.m. Church School, 3 to 11 years.
11:00 a.m. Morning Service.

FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
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.

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.

Moscow Concerto



FIRST UNIVERSALIST
Warner and Thomas Streets
Dr. Frank D. Adams, Minister
Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock.
Sermon: "How Much Freedom Do We Have?"
Junior Church, also at 11, Miss Marion Kellogg, superintendent.

FOREST HILLS UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH
Stansbury and 12 Mile Roads
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
Youth Fellowship, 8:45 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'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.

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" WXYZ Sunday 9:30 a.m., CKLW Sunday 10:30 a.m.

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 9:00.
Daily Masses: 6:30 and 8:00.

Bible Comment:
Christ Awakened
Latent Greatness
Of Disciple Paul

THE greatness of St. Paul may be measured by any and all standards and findings will prove this devoted disciple of Christ one of the greatest men in history — the greatest, next to his Master, Jesus Christ, according to many.

Paul stands superb and supreme in courage and endurance, in unquenchable zeal and conscientious devotion. And all this greatness came about following his discovery of Jesus and the making of his life completely subservient to that of his Master.

Paul was originally known as Saul, which was the name of Israel's first king and, ironically, one of Israel's most tragic failures. When young Paul was intense, earnest and brought up in the strict way of the Pharisees.

Paul learned from the great teacher, Gamaliel, and the toughly versed in the Jewish Scriptures.

And yet this is the conscientious young man who called himself the "chief of sinners" while he gloried in his conversion. Why?

It would seem that Paul realized that sincerity was not enough. He knew his intensity and earnestness were not wrong — it was his direction that was not right.

Paul was an intolerant young man. He was a persecutor. He had never learned from his religious for all his conscientious study — the lesson of kindness and gentleness.

What happened to Paul is told in his own words: "If any man be in Christ there is a new creation; old things are passed away, all things have become new."

So, there is hope for every honest and sincere man, even though he is trained in his religious direction, doing the wrong things. Once turned the right way, like Paul, he is a power for good.

Paul died in the conviction that what happened to him could happen to any man.

THE WASHINGTON MERRY GO ROUND
BY DREW PEARSON

HOPE FOR PEACE
I have come back from Europe with a new feeling of hope — more hope than I had on any previous trip to Europe.

The United States, in my opinion, is definitely winning the cold war. Furthermore, time is running on our side. If it runs long enough, I believe, it may still be possible to accomplish the miracle and bring about permanent peace.

This may seem like a strange summation coming from a hard-boiled and sometimes cynical newspaperman. However, I am convinced it is accurate. Like most newspapermen, I sometimes get so close to problems that I can't see the trees for the leaves. This is likewise true sometimes of governments and of the public. We read the pessimistic headlines and we conclude that the world is in a helluva state.

To some extent, of course, it still is. But success does not make head lines, while tragedies do. When the train gets in on time you never read about it in the paper. If it's wrecked, on the other hand, it's all over the front pages. A wreck is a tragedy, and that's news. But while we have been reading about the diplomatic train wrecks in Europe, actually most of our trains have been coming in on time and the American people by their policies and their patience have built up a tremendous success story.

Three big things are happening today in Europe and in the world. 1. Eisenhower has accomplished miracles in welding a United European army.

2. Time — which is on our side — has given us a chance to perfect new weapons. These weapons are so deadly and we are so far ahead of the Soviets that it becomes increasingly dangerous for them to make war.

3. The man in the street in Europe has been given new hope. This may be more important than either of the two other factors. For when (Continued on Page Eight)



By GENE ALLEMAN

A lot of temperamental toes in the Michigan tourist industry were stepped upon collectively by staff report No. 23 on reorganization of state government.

The report, as drafted by the Citizens Research Council of Michigan (successor to Loren Miller's Detroit governmental bureau), was submitted to Rep. Robert M. La Follette, chairman of the state joint legislative committee.

Recommendations include: Require the four regional tourist associations to match state aid dollar for dollar up to \$100,000 a year (\$25,000 each). Then decrease this amount until no state funds are granted.

Permit the governor to appoint five members to the Michigan Tourist Council without present requirement that they be nominated by the four regional associations. The four association secretaries would be deprived of their right as ex-officio members.

The state director of "tourist development and promotion" would serve as secretary of the Tourist Council and also of the Soc. Locks Centennial Celebration committee. The council now has its own full-time director, while the commission is planning to appoint one in the near future.

The report challenges the principle that it is a good business for the State of Michigan to subsidize, in part, at least, the cost of advertising of Michigan as a tourist state. A quote: "During the 1947-49 biennium, the State of Michigan contributed 35 per cent of all the funds spent on tourist promotion and publicity."

Actually, Michigan has lagged behind other competitors in the amount of money being spent for tourist promotion. Tourist leaders believe more money should be spent, not less. The big rub apparently is this: Who is going to provide the money? The State of Michigan 35 per cent, or the tourist industry 100 per cent?

Speculation as to aspirations of G. Mennen Williams to the vice-presidency's nomination in 1952 virtually has halted.

But one observer brings up an interesting possibility. If Williams is re-elected governor in 1952 and if Williams were to defeat Sen. Homer Ferguson (or whichever Republican runs for the senate chair) in 1954 he would perhaps be the brightest star on the presidential horizon.

Remember, Williams was touted to go down in ignominious defeat in 1950. He was expected to be snubbed under in 1948. Republicans may be convinced he'll never be re-elected again (no Democratic Governor yet has succeeded himself twice as Michigan's governor) but the G. O. P. is doing a bit of whistling in the dark.

The on-again-off-again variable of the state — the draft — has popped up again. State draft quota for November was jumped from 2,417 to 2,787 in the last minute "emergency." The nature of the "emergencies" was not disclosed. (Continued on Page Five)

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

SPOKESMEN for the Greater Farmington Association announced representatives are to appear before the State Highway Commission in Lansing to request widening of Grand River Avenue to 594 feet in a four mile area between Farmington and Detroit. Grand River Avenue was designated as a 204-foot highway from Wyoming Avenue to the 15-mile circle just south of Eight Mile Road. This year the Wayne County Road Commission has been widening Grand River through Redford. The Greater Farmington Association is anxious to have it continued to Farmington.

WINS FOOTBALL GAME
Farmington High School defeated Fordson High 19 to 0 in a football contest played at the Farmington field Wednesday.

TEN YEARS AGO (October 15, 1941)
Start Savings Program
Clarenceville Public Schools instituted its Defense Stamps and Bonds saving program Tuesday with proceeds for the day totaling \$108.60. All the money went for the purchase of stamps.

LOSE FIRST GAME
Farmington High School's football team suffered the first loss of the season when the squad bowed to Northville 6 to 0 at Farmington's field Wednesday. The lone Northville tally came in the third period when Northville's Ray Hartner broke loose and scampered down the sidelines for the score.

FIVE YEARS AGO (October 10, 1946)
Register For Election
Three hundred sixty-two residents of the City of Farmington have re-registered to vote out of an estimated 750 to 800 eligible electors. City Clerk Harry Moore reports. In accordance with the provisions of the Michigan Election Laws enacted by the legislature at its last session, all residents must re-register.

Candidate to Speak
Kim Sigler, Republican candidate for governor, will be in Farmington Monday morning, October 14. Mr. Sigler is making a tour of Oakland County on that day and Farmington is his first stop. He will speak from his sound car in front of the Town Hall. Howard Warner will introduce him. Accompanying Mr. Sigler will be George Averill of Birmingham and Howard Hattenlocher, chairman of the Oakland County Republican Committee.

Little Stories about Great Hymns

Come unto me, ye weary
Come unto me, ye weary
And I will give you rest.
O blessed voice of Jesus,
Which comes to hearts oppressed.

William C. Dix wrote this comforting hymn at Glasgow in 1867. He said of its writing, "I was ill and depressed at the time, and it was mostly to urge away the hours that I wrote the hymn. I had been ill for many weeks, and felt weary and faint. The hymn really expressed the languishment of body from which I was suffering. Soon after its composition, I recovered, and I always look back to that hymn as the turning point in my illness."

Thayer Funeral Home

This Powerhouse Runs On MILK

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