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Editorial

VOTING ALONE WON'T DO IT

Increasing discussion during recent months has finally been crystallized into action by the Town Hall Committees' recommendation that efforts be made to return the City of Farmington to village status, and thus make it again a part of Farmington Township.

Two motives actuate those who nose energetically support the movement. One is a desire to at once settle the Town Hall question and bring about a more friendly, or less unfriendly, feeling between the residents of City and Township.

It is always difficult to judge whether a step in government is wise or unwise. History is full of instances in which decisions which seemed to the people then living not only wise but inevitable, have later turned out to be not inevitable at all, nor wise, but sometimes actually unwise and short-sighted.

Generally speaking, it would seem that this community is a rather small one to be divided into two governmental units. This is viewing the Farmington community, of course, as including both the City and Township, as anyone must view it whose outlook is not a very narrow one indeed.

Two things should be remembered, however, by those who would reunite the City and Township. The first is that mere erasure of boundary lines does not eliminate animosities. In fact, unless the proper spirit is manifest, the action might intensify them.

Legislation and subsequent approval by voters may start the good work of reconciliation on its way, but these alone will not bring understanding and good will between Township and City. Friendship cannot be legislated, it must be cultivated.

And whether or not the movement is carried to a successful conclusion, whether what is now the City of Farmington remains a city or becomes again a village, its residents must remember too, that "he who builds a fence around himself shuts out more than he shuts in."

HE HAS REAL FAITH

We have always thought it would be hard to find anyone more enthusiastic about advertising than people connected with newspapers—except those who have made intelligent use of advertising and consequently have reaped its great returns.

AT A MODERATE PRICE

This is especially true now that certain wood casket factories are competing against the price reductions on steel caskets.

A single call at the Undertaker's usually is enough for any of us. And nobody that we know of is very eager to take advantage of such a "Saving" opportunity any sooner than he has to.

But if advertising is meant to draw attention, this advertiser certainly knows how. If there is a more talked-of business man in Charlotte today, we'd like to be informed. The undertaker deserves his fame, for his "copy" shows that he's alive to what's going on in his line of business.

"One bill which caused smiles in the Michigan lower house a few days ago, would provide for the licensing and regulation of all professional reformers of the state. The annual fee for professional reformers would be \$1,000."

That's one reform the reformer won't "whoop it up" for.

Random Hits

"Pikers" Or Statesmen?

According to biographers many of the great political leaders of an earlier generation; men who made a brilliant page in the history of American statesmanship, seem to have been impetuous and improvident aspirants more to glory and fame than to the accumulation of worldly goods.

It is admittedly an embarrassing predicament in which some of our present Michigan legislators are placed by a peculiar quirk in the provisions of a recently adopted constitutional amendment which increases their salaries by nearly 300 per cent, but does not stipend in such a manner that during the legislative session the pay check is not of sufficient size to buy a stack of white poker chips, to say nothing of meals and lodgings.

Why the piker and the genius should so often possess similar personal characteristics, is beyond the ken of the average man, consequently he renders a verdict of "Piker" and let's it go at that.

Senator Kolowich Knows In this inglorious period of political pap sucking, it is refreshing to find a beneficiary of an easy-money political snap who recognizes an evil condition in the administrative affairs of government and has the honesty and courage to expose and oppose it.

And that leads to a thought. How many of the constantly increasing army of political hangers-on can public pay checks or fattened on fees, ever suggested a better and more economical method of transacting public business?

Practically all reforms which have been brought about in administrative affairs in recent years were the result of suggestions and work of men and women whose names do not appear on public pay-rolls.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. E. W. Palmer, Pastor. 10:30—Morning worship. This week we will have the second message on Crusading for Christ—"Compel Them to Come In."

11:45—Bible School. We are growing each week. There are classes for all ages. 6:30—B. Y. P. U. All young people will enjoy this hour.

7:30—Gospel service. Sermon subject, "What is Next?"

The ordinance of Baptism will be administered. Our Sunday evening services are proving quite worthwhile. All who are without a church home are invited to come and worship with us.

METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. H. Addis Lesson, Pastor. Sunday Morning at the Methodist Church.

The special series of sermons on "The Four Gospels and Their Writers" has been well received by the congregation. On Sunday morning the subject will be "Luke—Man Of Pills and Quills." Nearly one hundred members of this church and congregation have covenanted together to attend at least one service each Sunday until Easter. Others are invited to join in this personal resolution to "step up" their devotion and loyalty to the church which they love during these brief but significant Pre-Easter weeks.

MASONIC NIGHT at the Methodist Church

The Masons, Eastern Stars and DeMolays will be the special guests of the Methodist Church next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A fine and appropriate program of music and special sermon will be enjoyed. The pastor, Dr. Lesson, himself a Mason of many years standing in the order, will deliver a sermon on the subject "Duly Tyled." All Masons and their host of friends are invited to this service.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Rev. A. A. Schoen, Pastor. German service, 10:15. Sunday School, 11:15. Tuesday evening, February 12, Father and Son banquet. Speakers: Rev. A. J. Frohme of Fraser, Mich., and Archie Leonard, assistant commissioner of schools.

Mr. Gerlach of Halfway who entertained the Exchange Club some weeks ago, will sing.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Clareneville

Rev. Paul Graupner, Pastor. 9:30—Sunday School. 10:30—English service. 8:00 p. m., Wednesday—German Lenten service.

In view of the 40th anniversary of the appearance of Luther's Small Catechism, which will be celebrated this year throughout the Lutheran church, Rev. P. Graupner will have his series of six Lenten sermons on Luther's explanation of the second article of the Christian creed. A hearty welcome is extended to all who understand German.

West Point Park Independent Church

Rev. George Gullen, Pastor. 10:30—Address by Dean Wm. Kriebbaum, of Detroit College of Law and Judge Clyde I. Webster, Northville Commandery, Detroit Commandery No. 1, and Detroit Shrine all to be present. 11:45—Sunday School. 6:30—Christian Endeavor. 7:30—"How Far?" Williams Choir program. Pictures.

Our Lady of Sorrows Church: Rev. James A. Callahan, Pastor. Sunday masses at 8:30 and 11. Daily mass at 8:00.

Clareneville M. E. Church. Rev. Robert Richards, Pastor. 10:30—Morning worship. 11:30—Sunday School. 7:30—Evening service.

Scientific Feeding. Today thousands of farmers are feeding livestock better and more profitably than ever before because the good feeding principles which the agricultural colleges are teaching are being followed by the high grade feed manufacturers. As a result of feeding according to correct scientific principles, cows are lasting longer, giving more milk, and producing stronger and livelier calves; hens are laying when eggs are high; and beef, pork, and poultry are being grown at a low cost. These principles are being carried out by the manufacturers of LARRO—Poultry, Dairy and Hog Feeds. GLOBE—Poultry Feeds. Farmington Mills. Phone 26 Farmington

WINTER DRIVING IS HAZARDOUS. "There's No Time Like The Present" to have your car and yourself insured in a good company—the Michigan Mutual Liability Co. REPRESENTED BY Lawrence R. Taylor. Phone 144 Peoples State Bank Bldg.

You Can WHIP OUR CREAM But You Can't BEAT OUR MILK. Drink a glass with every meal. You'll feel better and BE better! FARMINGTON DAIRY. Phone 135 Farmington

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GEORGE FULFORD. Lathing, Plastering Contracts. Stucco Work. Phone 217 Redford. Wells H. Butterfield, Emily H. Butterfield. Butterfield & Butterfield ARCHITECTS. S. I. Owen Building. Detroit. Telephone Glendale 8891. Pontiac Studio: Phone 3687. 15 W. Lawrence St. ORVILLE TAGGART. Teaming—Road Grading. Sewer Construction. Excavating and Light Trucking. Phone 35-F4. Farmington

C. O. TENNEY. Sheet Metal Work of All Kinds. Cor. Byron and Neumann, near Fourth Gate. Phone Redford 7027-R13. YES, FOLKS, I AM BACK. Plumbing and Heating. IF YOU WANT ME. Phone Farmington 301W. Henry Ludeman. RADIO? YES SIR; Installed or Repaired. It's got to work, or NO charge. AL'S RADIO SERVICE. Phone 321 Farmington

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Most of Farmington's Brick Homes have been built by JOHN R. VIVIER. MASON CONTRACTOR. Phone Redford 164. Garfield 2343. Res. Eastfield 8714. INTERIOR TILE CO. Tile Walls, Floors, Fireplaces. Colored Tile, a Specialty. 4911 Joy Road, near Grand River; Detroit, Mich.

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