

# The Farmington Enterprise

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## Churches

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

Morning Worship Service, 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School, 11:15 a.m.

Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m.

OUR INVITATION

I love to come to this still place,  
Where deeper peace is always  
found.To kneel as though on holy  
ground.And find my Master face to face  
I do not know how I could live  
If there were not this refuge  
sweet.Where I could linger at His feet  
And His to me sweet healing give.

WELCOME

FIRST METHODIST  
Rev. A. Stanley Stone, Minister

10:00 a.m. Sunday School, Third  
Grade up. 11:00 a.m. Below Third  
Grade.

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.

11:00 a.m. Nursery.

Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p.m., Sun-

Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Choir re-

hearsals at the church.

CLARENCEVILLE  
METHODIST CHURCH  
Cambridge and Grand River  
Farmington, Michigan  
Elise A. Jones, Pastor

Morning service at 11:15 a.m.

Evening Services at 7:30 p.m.

All music of the church is under  
the direction of Miss Wilma Hood

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

Bible Study, 9:45 a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Evening Prayer Meet-

ing, 8 p.m.

STARK GOSPEL MISSION  
1008 Laurel Road

Corner of Laurel and Pine Tree Rd.

1/2 Block South of Plymouth Road

1/2 Block West of Stark

Sunday service and Sunday school

at 1:00.

Church service at 2:00.

Wednesday evening prayer meet-

ing at 8:00 p.m.

This is a cottage prayer meeting.

Ladies prayer meeting

afternoon from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Pastor: Rev. Orville J. Windell.

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH

M. J. Reman, Pastor

Sunday Church Services at the

usual hour. Morning, 10:30; Ev-

ening, 7:00. (Youth Service) and

6:30 o'clock. Special music and

speakers.

Wednesday, Prayer Meeting at

the church, 8:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST

"The Friendly Church"

Rev. Fred B. Fisher, Pastor

Morning Worship at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School at 11:15 a.m.

Youth Groups at 6:30 p.m.

Evening Services at 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Midweek service at

8 p.m.

FARMINGTON GOSPEL

ASSEMBLY

William Grace School

Rev. Orville J. Windell, Pastor

Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening Service, 7 p.m.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Middlebelt at Eight Mile Rd.

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m., sur-

vey to senior departments.

Divine services at 9:30 and 10:45 a.m.

Lutheran Hour broadcast at

10:30 Sunday noon, over CKLW

and the Mutual network.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

Rev. Thomas F. Bodnar, Pastor

Sunday Masses: 7:00, 8:00, 9:00,

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.

CHRISTIAN

SCIENCE SOCIETY

23701 Cass Avenue

Farmington

11:00 a.m. Morning Services and

8:00 p.m. Wednesday Evening

Testimonial Meeting.

Reading Room Hours, Tuesday

and Saturday, 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

ALL ARE WELCOME

LIVONIA

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Douglas Toepel, Pastor

West Seven Mile Road

Just East of Farmington Road

10:30 a.m. — Morning Worship

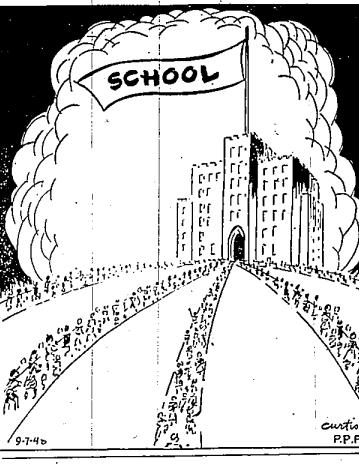
and Sunday School held at the

same hour.

Nursery School for children over

three. Everyone welcome.

## YOUNGER GENERATION MIGRATION



## MICHIGAN MIRROR



### INTERPRETING THE NEWS

By GENE ALLEMAN

GARDEN — Bill Bonifas got his start at Garden.

The Upper Peninsula lumberman, eight times a millionaire, arrived in the Garden peninsula penniless from Luxembourg. He was a six-footer, broad-shouldered, and in his early twenties. America was the promised land of opportunity, and the Upper Peninsula was one of its frontiers.

As a lumberjack he started to work cutting timber for Louis Van Winkle, a Dutchman who built a sawmill at Van's Harbor back in 1881. Lacking a team of horses, he carried logs out of the woods on his back. It was William Stellwagon, proprietor of a hardware store at Garden, who staked him \$50 worth of needed tools and equipment. Stellwagon's son, Walter, runs a modern grocery at Garden.

Bonifas built his fortune in the Garden peninsula. Perhaps his greatest find was Kate Nolan, a beautiful Irish girl whom he met here at a lumberjack boarding house. Kate, a waitress, became his wife. Bill never forgot Garden. And neither did Kate.

The Garden Peninsula is one of the least known of Michigan's great peninsulas.

In some respects, as you behold the ghost town of Fayette, a few miles south of Garden, here is a peninsula that Michigan forgot. Few tourists know about it. Travellers who venture on a good blacktop and gravel road to Garden, Fayette and Fairdale can visit the village of Fayette in wonderment.

There are ten abandoned houses and a 47-window hotel, all located on a scenic promontory with a view of Lake Michigan and Small Shallow Harbor nearby. Inhabitants total 11. Among these is Donald Cehren, navy veteran who runs the post office and builds boats during the summer.

No ship left the village of Fayette with either a load of hardware or a load of iron ore, more than 75 years ago. You view the ruins of the deserted town and ask yourself, "What happened to bring all this about?"

The story of Bill Bonifas gives an answer. \*

Charles Olmsted, now 82, was a foreman for Bonifas at his first camp nine miles north of Garden on the plains near Little Harbor. He related to us the history of the region. Charley helps out in a store and gas station at his son-in-law, Roy Winter, at Garden.

The Garden peninsula, on those days, was mostly bare land, timber trees, mostly beech and birch.

Because of the harbor and limestone at Fayette and the abundance of hardwood nearby, the Jackson Iron Company of Negaunee purchased 16,000 acres of trees for \$15,000. That was in 1886. They

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## Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

### TWENTY FIVE YEARS AGO (September 7, 1923)

Horse Show was a Huge Success

The horse show which was the morning event of the American Legion Gala Day, was a more decided success than the committee had dared to hope for. Twenty horses, all privately and locally owned, besides seven from other localities, were entered in the several events. In the walk, trot and canter class of nine entries, Harrison Johnson on "Sulphur" won the blue ribbon.

Price of Overlands Again Reduced

Another reduction in the price of Overland cars is announced by the company effective September 1. The Park Garage, local dealer, said that the price for the Overland Roadster or Touring car is \$195.00, while the Overland Sedan is now priced at \$765.00.

TEN YEARS AGO (September 8, 1938)

Workers Are Busy Making Alterations

Workmen are in the process of erecting the safety equipment in the Farmington State Bank. When the building program will be completed the bank officials are not certain. Bank officials state that business will go on as usual during the alterations. Safety equipment was ordered by officials following the second of two bluffs at the bank this year.

Prepare for Monday's School Opening

Summer sports and the out-door events will be displaced by school sports and class rooms Monday, September 12, when the children of Farmington will return to school. School officials, faculty members, parents and pupils will all watch with keen interest the progress made by the Junior High School system, which will be inaugurated this year. Another interesting feature will be the increased program in the Industrial Arts Department.

FIVE YEARS AGO (September 9, 1943)

Picnic Plans Completed

Kiwansians have completed all arrangements for the Neighborhood Picnic to be held next Wednesday evening, September 15, at the City Park and picnic grounds. All Kiwanians have tickets for sale, so get yours, and bring the family. A delicious picnic dinner of corn and spare ribs is planned, and after the eaters you'll find a plenty, no matter what you call fun, and no matter how old or how young you may be.

Enrollment of Schools Completed

Farmington Public Schools officially opened Tuesday morning, and enrollment on enrollment are just about what officials had expected. Enrollment in the High School stood at 335 on Wednesday, with 104 in the ninth grade, 116 in the tenth grade, 95 in the eleventh and 104 in the twelfth. The drop in senior enrollment was accounted for by the fact that many students have not returned to school to finish their final year, and are remaining on jobs they have taken during the summer. Also, some boys who would ordinarily be Seniors, have already been drafted into the armed services.

## Says Wife... Says Husband... (Speaking of Chexel)

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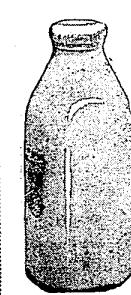
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Farmington, Michigan

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