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It's Our Opinion:

EDITORIALS:

The Agenda . . .

of the Annual Township Meeting, set for 1:00 p.m. on Monday, April 4, will apparently be loaded with matters of vital interest and concern to all Farmington Township citizens.
The Board has indicated that the highlight of the meeting will be a request for permission to earmark funds for the purchase of a new office building site in the township. This will be in addition to the other important matters which come before the meeting annually, such as the setting of officers' salaries, hearing annual reports and allocating certain funds.

The Improvement . . .

of McGee Hill on Farmington Road, between Shawassé and Ten Mile Road, is becoming increasingly important as the community develops.
The growing necessity for action was crystallized last Monday by the City Council when it approved a resolution requesting the County Road Commission to consider reconstruction of the road. The resolution actually involves three points, re-routing of Farmington Road across the Rouge River, pave or black-top the road and construct a new and adequate bridge. With the increased amount of traffic resulting from subdivision development in the central and northern portions of the township, plus the present hazardous conditions of the road, it appears that something must be done soon to eliminate the situation.

The Battle Of Taxes . . .

is still going on in Washington with the front lines as confusing as a Chinese puzzle.
The House has passed one bill to cut taxes by \$20 for every income taxpayer and dependent. The Senate has come up with a compromise bill which would reduce tax payments to lower income groups while boosting taxes on corporations and stockholders. Adding to the confusion is a third group of Democrats and Republicans who are opposed to any income tax reductions.

GO TO CHURCH THIS WEEK
CHURCH OF GOD
2841 S. Shawassé at Middlebelt
Sunday Services, 11 a.m., 8 p.m.
Sunday School, 10 a.m.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.

FARMINGTON ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Grand River at Middlebelt
Sunday Services, 11 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

CLARENSVILLE METHODIST CHURCH
Grand River at Cambridge
Sunday Services 8:45, 11:15 a.m.
7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Rev. Elsie Johns

FARMINGTON FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday Services 9:30, 11:40 a.m.
Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
Dr. G. Northrop 1277

SALM EVANGELICAL CHURCH
Church School at 9:15 a.m.
Worship Service at 10:30 a.m.
Nursery School maintained during the worship hour.
Rev. Carl Schmitz 0214

FOREST HILLS UNITED MISSIONARY CHURCH
Sunday Services 9:45 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Wednesday, 8:00 p.m.

OUR LADY OF SORROWS
28045 Rogers Road
Sunday Masses, 7:30, 9:45, 11:45, 12:50, Holy Days, 5:30, 7:30, 9:45, 11:45, 12:50, 2:00, 8 a.m.
Fr. J. Deehan 0324

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
Grand River at Oxford
Sunday Services 9:30-10 a.m.
Sabbath School 11 a.m.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.

MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Services at 2911 Inkster Road
Carriageville Odd Fellow Hall
Sunday Services 11 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Rev. Roy Johnson 2124

ORCHARD METHODIST CHURCH
43 Mile Road at Greening
Sunday Services 11 a.m.
Church School 10 a.m.
Rev. L. L. Lord LI-28010

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
Middlebelt at Fighting Hill Road
Sunday Services 8:30, 10:45 a.m.
Sunday School and Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.
Rev. W. Rutkowski 1547

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
2590 Grand River
Sunday Services 9:30, 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
In Stuckey Church, 26000 Farley.
Rev. N. Halboch

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Services in Universalist Church
Sunday Services 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, 4 to 8 p.m., School Children.
Rev. J. B. Guinna 1049-M or 1049-J

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Services in Farmington H. S.
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
Church School 10:30 a.m.
Rev. R. Geizer 2112

ROCHESTER CHURCH OF GOD
21122 Inkster Road
Tuesday Service 7:30 p.m.

MARANATHA EVANGELISTIC CHURCH
15388 Beech Road
Sunday services, 11:15 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Thursday, 7:45 p.m.
Saturday, 8:00 p.m.
Rev. Stanley Low

LIVONIA METHODIST CHURCH
Seven Mile near Farmington Rd.
Sunday Services 9:30, 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30, 11 a.m.
Youth Fellowship 6, 7 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wednesday 8 p.m.

NORTHFIELD COMMUNITY CHURCH
21122 Inkster Road
Sunday Services 11:15 a.m., 7:30 p.m.
Bible School 10 a.m.
Wednesday, 7:45 p.m.

NOVI BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday Services 10:30 a.m.
Nichols, Sunday School 11:30 a.m.

GAYLORD BAPTIST CHURCH
10488 Gaylord Road
Sunday Services 11:15 a.m., 6 p.m.
B. Y. F. 7:30 p.m.



Michigan Mirror

INTERPRETING THE NEWS
MICHIGAN'S TOP educators are fanning out over the state to find at the grass roots level what the federal government can do for the school system.

Booming enrollments have jammed classrooms. School districts are faced with the task of providing more space. The dilemma has reached from the country school district which needs another building in Washington, where President Eisenhower has drafted tentative plans for a gigantic school aid program.

"We've got to find out exactly what is needed in Michigan," said Dr. Clair Taylor, Superintendent of Public Instruction. Taylor and school superintendents of the state have combined with other government experts all over the state to prepare the information for the 1955 White House Conference on Education.

The Conference Program was organized in January and local schoolmen began to collect data on their own needs, preparing to furnish it through regional meetings and a final state meeting. Michigan will send 25 delegates to the White House Conference next November, one for each \$1,000 turned over by the federal government for expenses.

The plight of Michigan's schools will be a reflection from the local districts of the predictions voiced by Taylor for the next two years. Taylor said Michigan will need 2,000 more classrooms annually for the next four years and qualified teachers to man them.

Michigan's problems, including the need for classrooms, the training of teachers, higher salaries to attract new talent to the profession and an understanding of the needs by the public," he said.

At the same time, Michigan's legislature is shaping the state's educational finance program to fit whatever federal aid that is forthcoming after the White House Conference.

Committees of both chambers are working on higher education problems of overcrowded campuses. One expert said \$100,000,000 would be needed within 15 years to provide just the needed buildings.

"We have a crisis in education in Michigan and we must take the leadership and responsibility in providing an answer to it," said Senator Creighton R. Coleman (R-Battle Creek).

GREAT LAKES resort areas will be under investigation in the next few weeks in a fight over state-owned land.

Michigan was given ownership of all submerged lands when it was admitted to the union and an 1899 law passed by the legislature dedicated everything underwater to hunting and fishing.

Attorney General Thomas M. Kavanagh assigned an assistant, Nicholas V. Olds, to find out why the law had been ignored and cities and private interests were filling in shoreland to extend their holdings.

"They're trespassing, and that's what we're going to stop," he said.

Christian Science Sunday Service Set
How spiritual understanding of God brings freedom and happiness will be brought out at Christian Science services Sunday.

Scriptural selections in the Lesson Sermon entitled "Moses Will Include the account of Moses' call from God to free the children of Israel from bondage. Related passages will be read from "Eggs and Health" by Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

Because its employees usually hear about necessary "rejects" but seldom are able to hear about the end results of their good work, the west coast company makes excerpts from complimentary letters sent in by satisfied customers, and circulates them in the plant.

LOOKING AHEAD
GEORGE S. BENSON
Political-Financial College
Savoy, Alaska

The taxpayers of America, through the action of their Federal government, have poured \$98 billion into foreign countries since July 1940. That is a tremendous expenditure of \$16 million. It just about equals the amount paid into the Federal treasury from 1900 until 1940 from all tax sources, for all phases of the U. S. government. In other words, \$98 billion of tax collections financed the U. S. government from 1900 to 1940, and yet, from 1940 to 1954, our pocket books have been hit to the tune of \$98 billion for foreign spending alone.

The purpose of this gigantic expenditure was to strengthen our allies remaining to be seen. The loss of economic strength of such nations as England, Italy and France, all operating with a socialist economic system, certainly is wide-open question. On the other hand, making friends and influencing people — would seem to have missed fire on the basis of authentic reports.

William Phillips Shinn, feature writer on the Scripps-Howard newspapers, recently wrote a series of articles based on first-hand observations in Europe. He found widespread antagonism toward America. More recently an Italian Journalist, Aldo Montanelli, of the Milan "Corriere della Sera," wrote an article for his agency frankly analyzing this antagonism which he considers to be widespread throughout Europe.

"Why is America so unpopular even in those countries which she has shared with her army and subsequently helped to rebuild and rescue from starvation?" he asks. "It is a legitimate question for any American." In helping Italy and other European countries, at a sacrifice of money and men, the American people, Montanelli writes, "asked for no commercial service. On the contrary, they accepted further taxation to sweep the debt."

"All they asked," he observes, "was that the defeated nations should become better, that they should love each other and America, renounce their rivalries, carry out social reforms, and use DDT refrigerators. And this is their mistake. From this developed the antagonism toward America." The whole of Europe is envious of America, envious of her power, her well-being, of those thousands of miles of ocean which still protect her from the cold winds, to which we are directly exposed.

This was not entirely unforeseen. In 1946 I wrote in this column, "Did you ever hear a relative only to find out that the longer you helped him the angrier he became at you when you ceased to help him?" At least the Italian journalists' observations would indicate that our government's method, calculated to "win friends" (Continued on Page 3A)

MICHIGAN INSURANCE experts have warned the male ego with a few nice words about women drivers. They said that women drivers under 25 were better insured, 7.3% who are behind the wheel than other men or women over 25.

Adding weight to the statement, the National Bureau of Underwriters ordered liability insurance rates cut for policies covering cars driven by ladies under 25.

Another major factor in the announcement of the deductions was the rate set for those drivers who had completed recognized driver training courses in schools or colleges.

Looking Back Through The Enterprise Files

SEWER PLAN
A sewer plan which will provide for the needs of Farmington, for the present and the immediate future without placing a heavy burden on the taxpayers was approved by the City Commission Tuesday afternoon. The plan will be presented to the voters at a special election to be held on Monday, April 28. The plan calls for the raising of \$55,000 in bonds, to be spread over a period of 20 years.

TEN YEARS AGO (March 22, 1945)
Two New Subdivisions
Plans were approved Tuesday evening for two new subdivision developments. A plot for Quaker Valley Farms, submitted by George W. Smith and Mr. McAlpine, and another for the Farmington Gardens Subdivision, submitted by C. H. Wines, realtor, were given okay. Also approved by the Board was a motion by Elsie McCullough, Justice of the Peace, to proceed with plans for a City and Township Library.

FIVE YEARS AGO (March 23, 1950)
Burning Permits
Leo Hendryx, Farmington Fire Chief, has been authorized by the Department of Conservation to issue permits for the burning of grass and brush. Only state officers are authorized to issue burning permits. For the convenience of residents here, Hendryx has been designated as a state officer by the Department of Conservation.

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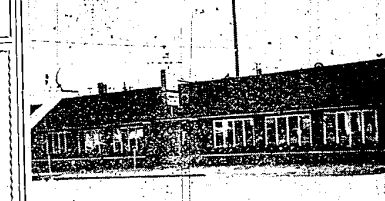
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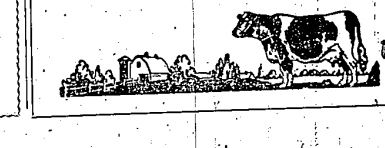
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SERVICES — 8:30 a.m. — 10:15 a.m.
SUNDAY SCHOOL and BIBLE CLASS — 9:35 a.m.
Mid-Week Lenten Service
Every Wednesday 7:30 p.m.
WELCOME
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