

# BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, JUN 20, 1919.

FORTY-SECOND YEAR. NO. 8.

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WHOLE NUMBER, 2,139.

## THOSE GARDENS

### Are Coming to the Front in Fine Shape Under the Guidance of the Garden Club.

This year has been a very difficult one on garden flowers. The sudden change from furnace heat to intense hot sunshine has made it almost impossible to stay out of doors long enough to properly tend to the transplanting, weeding, etc. The extra rain added to this increases the difficulties. Still many of the garden club members have beautiful gardens both flower and vegetable, well worth visiting for inspiration. Miss Dewar on West Maple next to the playground has a beautiful display of roses and other garden beauties. Contrary to custom her roses are grown in a bed of concrete in clay soil and still result in complete satisfaction.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaffill have laid out a very artistic arrangement in the rear of their home on Southfield avenue. When everything is in full bloom in August they have promised to allow the Garden club to hold a garden party on their grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Diak on Willetta streets, next to the brook, have made a decided improvement in their grounds, although they have only been residents of Birmingham since October last. When their plan of arrangement is finished they will have most beautiful surroundings.

Mr. Mariotte on Frank street has a very fine specimen of the formal garden type. He has some very rare flowers from Asia growing in his collection and his ferns were a beautiful sight in bloom.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenberg on Vinewood avenue have made a wonderful change in the appearance of their premises. A landscape gardener has been busy all spring laying out the grounds. By August the result will be more decidedly noticeable.

Mrs. Sharby on West Maple avenue has a very beautiful and well arranged garden in the rear of her home. She does all of the garden work herself and aptly demonstrates what a small yard can be made into by care and patience.

The Garden Club is trying to call on all the members about their gardens. It is a big task, but we will get around some, so just call up the president, Mrs. Wightman, if you have some special species in bloom. Meetings of the club will be held until August.

Moved by Commissioner Schlaack, seconded by Commissioner Quanton, that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas the special assessment for the construction of an 8-inch lateral sanitary sewer beneath the surface of Purdy street from a point in said street where the center line of George street if extended will intersect said Purdy street then running southerly in said Purdy street in substantially the center thereof, a distance of 800 feet to the main trunk sewer already constructed in Frank street and now crossing said Purdy street, has been reported to the Commission as required by law, being known as special assessment district for sanitary sewers No. 10, and that the commission will meet at the City Hall in said Village of Birmingham, Monday, June 30th, 1919, at 8:00 o'clock p. m., to hear suggestions and objections of persons interested in said special assessment and that a notice of such meeting be published once in the Birmingham Eccentric a week before the date thereof.

Resolved that the said special assessment roll be filed with the Village Clerk, and be numbered special assessment district for sanitary sewers No. 10, and that the commission will meet at the City Hall in said Village of Birmingham, Monday, June 30th, 1919, at 8:00 o'clock p. m., to hear suggestions and objections of persons interested in said special assessment and that a notice of such meeting be published once in the Birmingham Eccentric a week before the date thereof.

Moved by Commissioner Schlaack, seconded by Commissioner Quanton, that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas the special assessment for the construction of an 8-inch lateral sanitary sewer beneath the surface of Purdy street from a point in said street where the center line of Maple street will intersect said Purdy street southerly and in substantially the center thereof, a distance of 243 feet and to connect with that portion of sewer already constructed in Frank street, has been reported to the Commission as required by law, being known as special assessment district for sanitary sewers No. 10, and that the commission will meet at the City Hall in said Village of Birmingham, Monday, June 30th, 1919, at 8:00 o'clock p. m., to hear suggestions and objections of persons interested in said special assessment and that a notice of such meeting be published once in the Birmingham Eccentric a week before the date thereof.

Resolved that the said special assessment roll be filed with the Village Clerk, and be numbered special assessment district for sanitary sewers No. 8, and that the commission will meet at the City Hall in said Village of Birmingham, Monday, June 30th, 1919, at 8:00 o'clock p. m., to hear suggestions and objections of persons interested in said special assessment and that a notice of such meeting be published once in the Birmingham Eccentric a week before the date thereof.

Roll call—Yeas 3, nays 0. Motion carried.

**METROHIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.**  
EARL R. RICE, PH. D., PASTOR.  
Telephone 289.  
Regular services Sunday, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday school, 12 noon.  
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening service, 7:30.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:45.  
All our services are bright and happy with good music and cordial welcome. The pastor will kindly respond to all calls.

**Get Good Results.**  
This honest forward letter from a woman who has suffered should be read by all afflicted with backache, rheumatic pains, sore muscles, a wafled tired feeling and other symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble. "I have got such good result from Foley Kidney Pills that I can sleep much better and the pain in my back and legs is a good lot better. I am going to keep on taking them." Mrs. Chas. Gray, 270 6th St., Detroit Mich. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

## LETTER TO THE GARDEN CLUB.

Mrs. Wightman, President Garden Club, Birmingham, Mich.—  
My Dear Mrs. Wightman: The Library board wishes to thank the Garden Club for the beautiful window boxes placed in the library windows and which certainly add to the appearance of the building. With best wishes for the success of the club, and appreciation of the work already accomplished, I remain,  
Very sincerely,  
ALICE M. HARTWELL,  
Secy. Library Board.

The Garden club is pleased to know that their efforts are appreciated and will be very glad to finish the Library work as soon as Wallen-Wright-Stephens can succeed in getting the promised brick from Detroit.

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Roll call—Yeas 3, nays 0. Motion carried.

Moved by Commissioner Schlaack, seconded by Commissioner Quanton, that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas the special assessment for the construction of an 8-inch lateral sanitary sewer beneath the surface of Southfield avenue from a point in said street where the North line of Townsend avenue if extended will intersect said Southfield avenue westerly in the center thereof, a distance of 1,985 feet to the main trunk sewer already constructed, and now crossing said Southfield avenue, has been reported to the Commission as required by law being known as special assessment district for sanitary sewers No. 7, according to the map, diagram and estimate thereof now on file in the office of the Village Clerk; therefore, be it

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**Bede Cottage Sold.**  
Bede cottage, the scene of George Eliot's novel and the original home of "Adam Bede," situated on Rotor common, Derbyshire, was recently sold for \$2,775. The cottage had been the building attached to the monument erected to the memory of the work of Adam and Beth Bede.

**Spasmoid Sermon.**  
Some of the most forgetful of men are monuments erected to their memory.—Lullanapolis Star.

## LOCKROW--M'ALPINE.

Advancing to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Lockrow (singly) and under an embankment of palms and white roses, the bridal party of Miss Ruth Isabel McAlpine and Mr. Virgil L. Lockrow, took its place Thursday afternoon, June 12, 1919, in the house of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McAlpine, of 429 Martin street.

Rev. P. M. MacKay, pastor of the bride and groom, officiated.

The only attendants of Miss McAlpine were her little niece, Maribel Silliker, as flower girl and her nephew, Thomas McAlpine, as ring bearer. The bride wore a simple gown of white-georgette crepe, edged with anole green georgette crepe. She carried a shower bouquet of white-rose buds and sweet peas.

Green and white were the predominant colors in the beautiful decorations of the home which was served to twenty-five guests, the immediate family relatives, and a few intimate friends of the bride.

The out of town guests were—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McAlpine of Elizabeth, S. J.; Mr. J. B. Silliker and daughter, Maribel, of Cincinnati, Ohio; and Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Duvoy and Son, of Plymouth, Mich.

## NOTICE

All discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, living in Michigan, Mich., and vicinity are requested to meet at the Baldwin High School Monday evening, June 23, 1919 at eight o'clock. Important business. Presentations will be made at this time to take part in the Fourth of July celebration.

THE AMERICAN LEGION.

Moved by Commissioner Schlaack, seconded by Commissioner Quanton, that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas the special assessment for the construction of an 8-inch lateral sanitary sewer beneath the surface of Maple avenue West from a point in the center of said street, a distance of 20 feet west of the westerly line of Bates street, thence westerly and southerly to the center of Maple West to the Easterly line of Southfield avenue, thence following the line of said Maple avenue West somewhat south of the center line thereof to the Village limits, a distance of 2,130 feet, has been reported to the Commission as required by law, being known as special assessment district for sanitary sewer No. 9, according to the map, diagram and estimate thereof now on file in the office of the Village Clerk; therefore, be it

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Roll call—Yeas 3, nays 0. Motion carried.

**32-Years' Service.**  
Mrs. A. Waldman, of Glenn Ave., Fremont, writes: "When I was young I had a fever and it left me with a cough every winter. Thirty-two years ago I read about Foley's Honey and Tar and bought some and it helped me. I use it yet and it helps me every time. I am a doctor 66 years old. There is nothing better for bronchial, grip and similar lingering coughs and colds that hang on. Just five for children and cough and whooping cough. Contains no opiates. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**  
CORNER BROWN AND WOODWARD.  
DAVID H. CURRY, PASTOR.  
Morning worship at 10:30, including sermon by pastor.  
Sabbath school, 11:45. Bring the children for we have a class for you and them.  
Young people at 2:30. All children invited.  
Junior league's meeting at 6:30. A live meeting and the discussion of a practical subject. Come and give your views on the different states.  
Evening worship at 7:30. Good music and a real gospel message.  
Choir practice every Thursday at 7:45.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY.**  
Services at Church Building, Woodward Avenue, south of D. U. R. Waiting Room.  
Sunday 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday School same hour.  
Wednesday evenings, 8 o'clock.  
All are invited.  
Free Reading Room, open daily, except Sunday and holidays, from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m., and Wednesday from 7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

**OLB HON'N' LIST.**  
Parties purchasing \$1,000 worth (maturity value) 1924 War Savings Stamps, new series of 1924:  
**FIRST STATE SAVINGS BANK.**  
FIRST NATIONAL BANK.  
**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
REV. P. M. MACKAY, PASTOR.  
10:30—Morning worship with sermon. Subject, "The Sardis Letter."  
11:45—Sunday school.  
6:30—Young people's meeting.  
7:30—Evening service. Subject, "How to Rest."  
Wednesday at 7:45, praise and prayer meeting.

**Staterooms.**  
There was an old fellow named Shreve who ran steamboats before Jackson fought the redoubts at New Orleans. In Shreve's time the cabins were furnished out just like these new-fangled sleeping-car berths. The old man built wooden rooms, and he named them after the different states, Kentucky, and Illinois and Pennsylvania. So that when a fellow came aboard he'd say: "What state am I in, Cap'n?" And from this remark, the same staterooms has spread all over the world.

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**Picnic at Bloomfield Hills school, Lone Pine Stop, Saturday, June 21, from 10 to 4. Games, races, pony rides, refreshments. Bring your lunch. The profits to go to Children's Home. Admission, adults 50c, children 25c.**

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Practice limited to EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT  
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Merrill Street Next to Hill School

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at Birmingham, Michigan, postoffice on June 15, 1919:

W. A. Arbogast.  
Henry Barber.  
Wm. H. Blackman.  
D. D. Brown.  
Ralph E. Beebe.  
Mrs. P. A. McGregor.  
Mrs. Elliott S. Nichols.  
W. M. Rice.  
Mr. George Schattuck.  
Mrs. Ella Palmer (postad).  
Mrs. Whipple.

Persons coming for any of the above letters will please call "advertised."

GEORGE H. MITCHELL, P. M.

**It Is All Gone Now.**  
Samuel S. Sellers,ville, Pa., writes: "I had kidney trouble for two years and had a terrible backache. That is all gone now after using Foley Kidney Pills and feel well again." When the kidneys are overworked, weak or diseased, the waste matter remains in the system and causes pain in the back or back-ache, lameness, stiff joints, sore muscles, backache, Foley Kidney Pills get results quickly and act on the kidneys in a safe and gentle way in their healing and soothing effect. Good for bladder trouble, too. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

**TROY U. P. CHURCH.**  
Crooks and Starr's Roads.  
D. H. CURRY, PASTOR.  
Services every Sabbath.  
Worship and preaching by pastor, 2 p. m.  
Bible school, 3 p. m.  
You are always welcome at this young country church where you will be at home in work and worship.

**SOUTHFIELD U. P. CHURCH.**  
Ten-mile and Reelford Roads.  
REV. W. T. ARMSTRONG, PASTOR.  
Preaching service 11 a. m.  
Sabbath school, 12 noon.  
Young People's meeting 8 p. m.

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Try our Draught Root Beer or Ginger Ale when thirsty

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OAKLAND REALTY CO.

List your property with us for sale or rent. Come and see our Bargains in Farms and Village Property. Let us show you for rent cheap a good modern House, all furnished, close to Woodward Avenue and business center, mental and American Fire-Globe and Travelers Indemnity Insurance Companies.

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