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ANNOUNCEMENT

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Coming Events

There will be a bake sale Saturday, December 17, at the Schlaack & Son's meat market, under the auspices of the Entertainment Committee of the local Eastern Star Order.

This evening at the Baldwin auditorium the Camp Fire Girls of Birmingham will entertain with a motion picture show.

The Double F Club is giving a bake sale in the Bell and Moore meat market Saturday afternoon.

Monday evening, December 19, the Baldwin auditorium, it is expected, will hold the largest crowd ever gathered for a motion picture show. The Christ Child Society will turn over the proceeds of the entertainment to the Birmingham Welfare Committee, which was appointed by the Village Commission to care for Birmingham's needy families.

The Knights of Pythias motion picture show will be given in the auditorium at Baldwin High school on Thursday evening of next week.

The Community Christmas Tree program will be held Thursday evening of next week. All local and nearby residents are asked to join in the spirit of the occasion.

The Birmingham Rebekah Lodge has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Noble Grand, Leola Adams; Vice-Grand, Etta Olson; recording Secretary, Mrs. Hoover; Financial Secretary, Mrs. Hoover; Treasurer, Mrs. Z. Ashwell.

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Social and Personal

Miss Elsie Doying, of Merrill street who is a student at the Deroff Conservatory of Music, is attracting a great deal of attention as a music teacher recently. Miss Doying was a member of the graduating class at the Baldwin High school last year and will graduate from the conservatory this June. In May she will give a program in the Baldwin High school auditorium preceding her concert as professor of all Xmas pupils numbering 22. Miss Doying teaches in her home and at the Franz settlement house in Detroit.

The Postmaster-General's office has issued circular letters asking to have them read in the public schools, urging the early posting of all Xmas mail; seeing that it is addressed correctly and that all packages are securely wrapped, all of which has a great deal to do with their reaching the prescribed destination. It is also desired that envelopes of regulation size be used until after Xmas, as the small or larger ones do not fit into bundles easily.

At the regular Convention of the Knights Pythias Lodge Tuesday evening, December 8, the following officers were elected: Chancellor, Charles W. Symons; Vice-Chancellor, Howard Wendrop; Treasurer, Ernest Morrow; Master of Work, John Edgar; Master at Arms, D. W. Symons; Master of Exchequer, Charles Wilcox; Master of Finance, Charles J. Jones; E. R. and P. G., O. G., E. H. Peterson; Trustee Geo. Newman; Alternate, G. E. Hoisington; Fraternal Correspondent, T. C. Hoisington.

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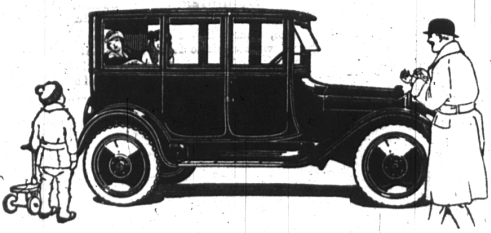
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