

FORTY-FOURTH YEAR—NO. 25.

Village Commission Invites the Citizens' Water Commission To "Gather 'Round Table"

President Clize and Commissioners Schlack and Brown will be invited to the publishing of letters of general interest to the residents of Birmingham and near vicinity. Citizens' Water Commission must be signed in full by the writer. Letters should preferably be mailed to the editor and on one side of paper only.

Members of the Village Commission met last Monday night again brought up the question of holding a joint meeting with the Executive Committee of the Citizens' Water Commission, with the view to an agreement of the future plans to be instituted for the extension of water to Birmingham's water shortage.

Several weeks ago, at a Commission meeting, Howard H. Hewitt, chairman of the Water Commission, and W. J. Reineke, secretary, appeared before the Village Commission to seek permission to sink a well on the Village property at the corner of Third and Second streets. This permission was granted them. At this meeting President Clize, vice-president Schlack and Brown, asked that members of the Water Commission lay their plans before the Village Commission, with the hope that some agreement could be reached.

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"As the legally authorized representatives of the people of Birmingham, this Commission should have some hand in anything that is done in this city for the purpose of water shortage," declared President Clize Monday night. "We are willing to arrange for a meeting in the Village hall to accommodate any local citizens who may have something to offer that will better our town."

In the meantime the Village Commission has authorized the installation of three deep well pumps, which they intend to place in the city. The two to be placed at the works station. They opened the bid Monday night and referred them to their engineer, H. J. Taylor, of Pontiac. It is thought that they will take some definite action on these bids at their next meeting.

FRIEND PROVES UNFRIENDLY AND PAYS \$150 FOR HASTE
Deputy Sheriff "Bill" Thornton refuses to be crowded into the ditch Saturday night.

"Bill" Thornton, local game warden, is legally authorized to have a license. Had John Frazier, 35 years old, of Pontiac, known this, he never would have tried to crowd him into the ditch Sunday evening and been compelled to pay a fine of \$150 for reckless driving.

"It all happened when 'Bill' who had received word from the motorist near the 15-Mile road and Woodward avenue, drove down in response to the call. He found Birmingham 'Bill' met Frazier, who, it is claimed, while trying to pass the motorist crowded him into the ditch.

"Bill" ordered Frazier to turn around he took Frazier's car and kept it overnight, as Frazier was to appear before Justice Brock on Monday morning. After pleading guilty to the charge of reckless driving the car was fined \$300. His car was returned to him.

The moral of the story is: All deputy sheriffs do not ride a motorcycle.

WOMEN'S LITERARY CLUB
Mrs. Fred Ross, Wilmette street, was hostess to the ladies of the Birmingham Literary Club Tuesday afternoon. Her hour of entertainment dealing with French art was given. Miss Curtis was the principal speaker.

The Literary Club will be entertained in the home of Mrs. K. J. Taylor, of Southside street, on Tuesday afternoon, October 18. "Topics of the Day" will serve as a subject matter for the club. The program will be built by Mrs. Charles Todd who will be the leader next Tuesday. With regard to Miss Week, who has been observed throughout Michigan, the program for Tuesday will be of a musical nature.

The Birmingham Gun Club Rooms were the scene of a delightful affair Tuesday, October 6, when the third Spike of the Ladies' Presbyterian church were entertained by Mrs. Robert Forrist. The program was spent in using of a quilt which they attended the Imlay City fair.

Little Miss Phyllis Huston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Huston of these streets, entertained a number of guests who were assembled for her birthday anniversary. Games furnished the amusement for the guests who were completed when the afternoon was completed and the presents were served in the dining room.

Thousands of weak, run-down men and women have reported astonishing gains in weight from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, 25c.

Tanlac is manufactured in one of the largest and most modern equipment laboratories in this country. Chas. Shain, druggist, adv.

CORB'S BATS—adv.
DURAND CIGARS, very mild, adv.

Coming Events

PEOPLES COLUMN
The Oldtimer Y. M. C. A. Convention, which will be held at the Friday and Saturday, October 21-22. A number of local boys are planning to be in attendance at this meeting.

The first party to be given by the newly organized "Thimble Club," composed of the ladies of the Eastern Star Order, will be given at the home of Mrs. Swartz, on Hamilton avenue, the afternoon of October 19. Every member is invited and urged to attend and to help make the event a successful one, both socially and financially.

The local Knights of Pythias lodge will entertain this evening in their hall with a dance. Every member is invited to attend and assured a good time by the entertainment committee.

The Birmingham Choral Club will meet every Tuesday evening in the Baldwin building, at 10 o'clock. Those who are interested in music is invited to attend these gatherings. Mrs. Welch is director of the organization.

The Oakland County Federation of Women's Clubs, I urge every woman who is a member to attend the annual meeting in Detroit, Michigan, on Friday, October 21, at 10 o'clock. It is a meeting to be sure and have all reports prepared for the business meeting to be held that morning.

James A. Tynan, new owner of the Baldwin building, has applied for a license in spite of the fact that this fall, his business is beginning to look up. It is reported that he has been for years, but everything is brightening up. A crop will only go to waste on the ground if the farmers do not produce and the market there is for the product.

On the Barnum Athletic Field this afternoon the football team will meet in a game with the fast and snappy "Reds" of Hamtramck. The event is being looked forward to with much interest as the visiting team has gained a place for itself, and as the local team is much better developed than ever before in the season, a hard and close-fought contest is expected.

The evening of October 15 Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Montgomery will entertain the members of the Eastern Star Order at their home with a card party. A prize will be given to the member who has the highest score. Refreshments will be served by the hostess.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian church will hold a baked supper Saturday, October 15, at the Bell and Moore meat market.

The local Real Estate Board will hold a regular monthly meeting in the office of the City Engineer, at the Ford building, the evening of October 17. There are three items on the agenda.

The first number on the lecture course will be given by Mr. L. D. Tally, a complete new line. SIAI is high in store. adv. 25

EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS
Great progress is being made in opportunities for modern education. A few miles may mean a difference of fifty years in the progress of a child. The school house with its inadequate equipment where only the rudiments of the alphabet are taught to a modern school system with its many-fold activities developing personality and character in the child.

When the Class of 1918 received their diplomas and certificates, they sought other branches of learning, they left behind them a monument towards the progress of the world. They will stay in the minds of the many who will be helped for a lifetime by this monument.

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This money is now loaned with a 4% interest rate. If the borrower fails to pay, the money is returned to the fund. This is a security for the fund.

REPORT CARDS ARE OUT
To the parents of the High School boys and girls are out this week for the first time this year and we are anxious to see your child's report before it is signed and returned. If the marks are not good, we can help you in the cause, and apply the remedy, if it is within your power.

WHITEHEAD & STANDART CO.
Grocery Floor, First Nat'l Bank Bldg. 110 N. Woodward Ave. Tel. 321.

Hotel and Picture Show To Be Erected On Whitehead Home-site At 139 S. Woodward

LOCAL Y. M. C. A. WORK STARTED ON FALL AND WINTER PROGRAM
Meeting Held Tuesday Night in Baldwin Building

The local Y. M. C. A. work has been very promising beginning in the fall and winter program which was begun Tuesday night. Approximately seventy boys were present at the meeting held Tuesday night in the Baldwin high school auditorium when the program was started.

Each boy as he applied for membership in the organization will be given a very interesting new feature. Some of the features of the program will be on the project books. Each boy as he applied for membership in the organization will be given a very interesting new feature.

The program will be similar to that in the past and will include educational study, the work, recreational and service activities. The program will be similar to that in the past and will include educational study, the work, recreational and service activities.

The High school boys of the Junior and Senior classes are organizing the Y. M. C. A. club around the purpose of the club which is to create, maintain and extend through the Y. M. C. A. community high standards of Christian character.

One of the faculty members has been appointed as the Y. M. C. A. club and C. S. Kinnison will direct the educational activities.

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Guaranteed To Furnish Needs of a City of 50,000 For 50 Years; Public Meeting Held Oct. 23

With the results of four test wells sunk at Village in Birmingham Park, it is now possible to furnish a city of 50,000 people for 50 years with water of a quality and quantity which is fully capable of complying with the needs of a city of 50,000 people for 50 years.

The Executive and Engineering Committee of the Citizens' Water Board has been organized and is ready to come before local people with final details and estimates of the cost of the project.

According to the figures of Mr. Reineke, the following are the estimated costs of the project: The estimated cost of the project is \$1,000,000.

The new proprietors of the Franklin Hotel, James A. Tynan and W. J. Reineke, have announced that they have decided to sell the hotel to the local farmers under different management.

A prize of \$2.50 each will be given to the boy or girl selling the most tickets for the Fireman's Benefit. A prize of \$2.50 each will be given to the boy or girl selling the most tickets for the Fireman's Benefit.

Mantle Clocks, \$9.50 up. MIX THE JEWELER.

NEURO ASSAULTS WHITE MEN IN HOLD UP ATTEMPT SUNDAY
Wields Iron Bar, Knocking Two Injured; Captured at Fendale and Released in Pontiac; Police Looking For Negro
In response to a call for aid at the R. D. Baker road camp, two miles east of Birmingham on the Southside road, early Sunday morning, a large block of stock was sold and Mr. Beal stated Thursday afternoon that he was interested in taking stock in the project.