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MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVED HERE

Parade By American Legion and School Children Marks Events Of The Days

BALL GAMES, DANCING

It is estimated that several hundred persons who would otherwise have left the Village Tuesday of this week for Memorial Day, remained here to attend the complete program carried out under the auspices of the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary members. The day was very successful and one to be remembered in years to come by those who took part.

The dance in the evening was enjoyable in spite of summer atmosphere. The L. O. O. F. hall where the dancers enjoyed Barber's orchestra from Piquette, was one glow of joy. Some of the first summer frocks of the season appeared and June Fashion was present with her latest fashions in a truly milky attire.

The hall left off itself beautifully to the decorating scheme which was carried out in red, white and blue pennants strung point downward from opposite places about the room. Archways over each door, fashioned from the three shades of pennants, also helped to make the hall exceptionally attractive.

A goodly number of citizens viewed the parade in the morning, following services at the high school by Rev. W. W. Ryan, pastor of Holy Name church, gave the address. The high school to Woodward, where the marching turned north and continued to Oak street, winding around the corner to the Armory where the services were held by the priests of Birmingham.

Birmingham lost a game of baseball to the Auto Workers club of Detroit, but upheld its reputation in the afternoon when the American Legion won a game from the same team. About 400 persons witnessed the two struggles.

The American Legion was responsible for Memorial Day celebrations at Birmingham. Since the year 1919, three years, but members felt that Tuesday marked the most successful community gathering of the year.

M. E. EPWORTH LEAGUE ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Held Tuesday Evening; "Moonlight" Set For June 5

Following one of the finest campaigns previous to the election of officers, the local Epworth League chose its new officers Tuesday evening at their annual meeting. Eugene Stachler presided at the meeting for another year as president.

The other officers are: Ray Winne vice-president; Park Smith, 3rd vice-president; Phyllis Smith, 4th vice-president; Ernest Smith, secretary; Green, pianist; and Ruth Maynard, chorister.

The League is rapidly becoming one of the foremost church organizations in Birmingham. A large number of members have been admitted during the past year and a great many activities in a party and social nature have been held.

The annual "Moonlight" set for June 5 and Royal Oak Epworth League and the local organization will join together in making it a big Methodist gathering of young people.

The telephone building was purchased here through Lindblad & Staudart, realtors.

"WOLF! WOLF!"

Excitement reigned supreme on the Long Lake road last Thursday afternoon as a lone timber wolf, being exhibited at a barbecue held on the Long Lake road, called the attention of the Dodge Brothers sales organization, got away and started toward a Boulevard.

CURRY REINSTATED IN LOCAL U. P. CHURCH

General Assembly Hears Report And Exonerates Of Charges

Complete exoneration and reinstatement as a minister of the Gospel in the United Presbyterian Church has been won by Rev. W. C. Curry, minister of the Birmingham, Trov and Starr avenue United Presbyterian churches, according to the General Assembly of the Church, with headquarters in Cambridge, O.

The action is the result of more than a year's attempt on the part of the General Assembly to relegate to rest Rev. Curry in his charge. Efforts of opponents to bring charges against him were unsuccessful.

The removal of the Ecclesiastical Council from its former home in the Telephone Building on First street work has been started by the Michigan Telephone and Telegraph Co.

TELEPHONE COMPANY IMPROVES SERVICE IN BIRMINGHAM

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CIRCUS IN TOWN

It has been some time since Birmingham has been invaded for a real life, circus with ponies, clowns, arena stunts and perforations, captivated the attention of the children.

D. U. R. MOVES OFFICES

The general offices of the Detroit Union Railway and allied companies are in the course of removal from the Detroit Interurban Building.

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

Dr. Mabel Campbell, Osteopathic Blg. Phone 436, Office Hours: 9-12; 1-5; 8-9. Other hours by appointment. 32fr

FIREMEN PLAN FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION

Promises Many Events To Interest And Entertain On National Holiday

"Never been beaten" is the boastful statement Birmingham firefighters make about their annual celebration. The celebration, which will be the fourth of July that has been the most successful in the city's history.

ANNUAL GRADE OPERETTA HELD FRIDAY EVE

Local Parents Set 500 School Children In Three Plays Directed By Miss Gratton

About 800 mothers and fathers of local grade children filled the Hall, sin high school auditorium last Friday evening when the annual grade operetta was presented.

TENNIS CLUB FORMED

With the hope that Birmingham can become interested in tennis, and to get back of tennis as a village sport, a tennis club made up of Birmingham members of the playing squad of the Birmingham Athletic Club.

DURAND CIGARS, very mild

Mowers Sharpened. 138 W. Maple. Phone 436-W.

FRANK FORD DIES OF HEART FAILURE

Stricken At Dinner Table Wednesday Evening; Was Great Aid In Uplifting Of Birmingham

Frank Ford is dead. The history of the development of the Village of Birmingham, who has faithfully and courageously served his fellow citizens in the village, township and school administration.

While seated at the dinner table, with his wife, Wednesday evening, he was stricken with a heart ailment, an ailment that had afflicted him for more than ten years.

CORYELL NURSERIES LAUDED BY STUDENTS OF M. A. C. WEDNESDAY

Landscape Gardening Class Visits Oakland County With Prof. Halligan

NATURAL BEAUTY BOYS, Spend Three Days In Practical Investigation Of Methods Used In This Vicinity

"It is the natural beauty around Birmingham that makes it such a desirable place to bring a class of students in landscape gardening where they can see the way nature planned her own beautification.

The party first visited the Coryell grounds of West Maple avenue. After seeing the Coryell grounds, the party went to the farm grounds Wednesday.

SEK MEN AND BOYS FOR TRAINING CAMP

Maj. Hewitt Asks For More Applications To Camp Summer Training Quarters

Ardent requests were received this week from the War Department June 30 is the latest date applications will be received for the Citizens' Training Camp to be held at Camp Center between August 2 and September 1.

AMOS HALL STRUCK BY LIGHTNING IN WEDNESDAY'S STORM

Amos Hall, an employee of the Village, was struck by lightning Wednesday evening about six o'clock in the evening, while waiting at the corner of East Maple and High streets.

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BOBBED HAIR AGAIN!

Mrs. Kate Drumm, of West Maple Avenue, has again been the victim of a hair-cutting agency in the Village, has had, and news for some of the other women who replied to the

BIRMINGHAM DAIRY ADDS NEW EQUIPMENT

Installs 5-Ton Ice Plant; Also Manufacture Butter And Cottage Cheese

"People must be educated to care for the things they pay their money to get," is the opinion of Prof. R. J. Coryell, proprietor of the Birmingham Dairy, who delivered a lecture Tuesday evening on "Including Milk, of all things, should be cared for after it reaches the home."

"We have studied nursery methods and know what an up-to-date nursery should be like. After seeing the grounds of the Birmingham Dairy, I explained I believe that I have seen an almost ideal nursery.

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LAND CONTRACTS

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GOOD JOB OF SHARPENING LAWN MOWERS

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BOTH WATER BOND ISSUES DEFEATED

Fourth Attempt In Two Years To Get Water Relief Requested By Voters

LIGHT VOTE IS CAST

In one of the quietest elections held in Birmingham in the past two years, local people rejected the Village Commission's proposition for water bonds on Tuesday, May 20. This makes the fourth time within two years that the taxpayers of Birmingham have voted against the issuance of bonds to cover the cost of the various proposed water extensions.

A total of 550 voters attended the polls, a trifle more than a quarter of the number who voted in the last election. Of the 550 voters cast for the two issues at stake, the \$60,000 proposition was rejected by 328 voters, 254 "No" votes, while 12 votes were thrown out as spoiled ballots.

Monday's special election, although previously considered by many as a game to gain a majority of votes, was a double disappointment to many local people. The small number of voters who attended the polls on this vital question as water relief, together with the defeat of the extension proposition, was a great surprise to many here.

Although there was no apparent effort on the part of either the opposition or favoring the extensions to press the issue, it was previously conjectured that water bonds would be a sure thing to pass, but a heavy vote was shown when the polls had closed Monday night.

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