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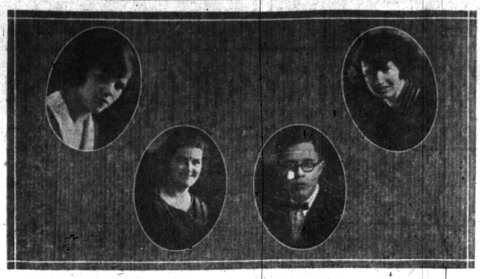

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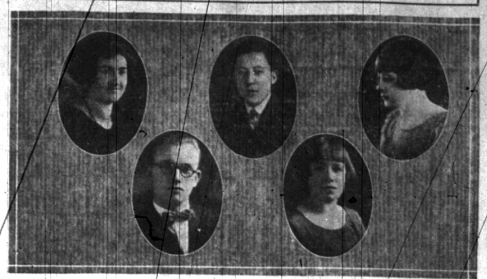

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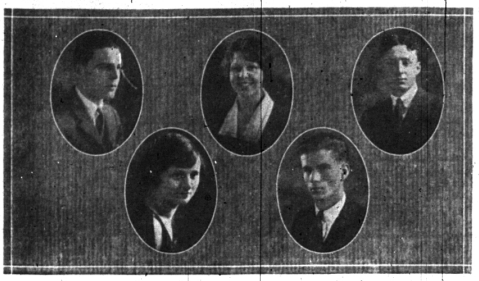

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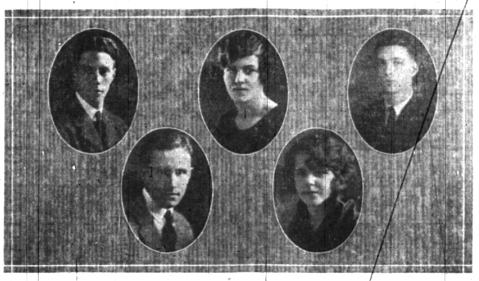

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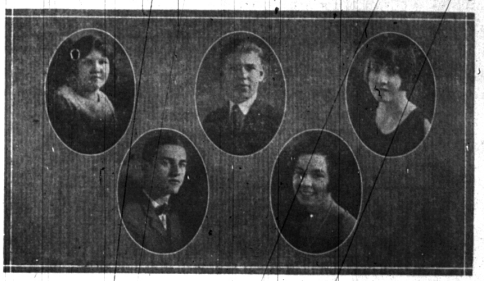

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Miss Manchester Gets The Cash; Bud, the "Devil", Is Bewildered

The minute the paper came off the press last week, Bud, the "printer's devil," began his inspection of it. At the middle page he stopped. "For gracious sakes, who set up the printing on this middle page? It's full of mistakes"—and then—"Oh, you're supposed to put the letters together and win $15."

All interest, he read further, "There are 65 extra letters which when properly put together will spell thirteen words, six of which begin with capital letters. These words form a sentence that will tell the location of an envelope containing a check for $15." From then on Bud may as well have been numbered among the missing.

A little later Eccentric subscribers began getting their papers. The first thing they read about was "un easy way to get $15."

Groups of youngsters, the vision of something for nothing strong within, congregated to find and put the letters together properly. Busy housewives laid aside their work and consulted each other as to comparative progress made in the contest. Hosts used it as an unique entertainment for week-end guests. And the Eccentric force was kept busy answering phone queries of striving participants. All during the morning people bought papers to replace those which had become unreadable through too strenuous handling.

Early in the afternoon, a young lady, her face flushed with excitement, brought in eleven of the marked words written on a piece of paper. Instructed to "go back and try to find all of the extra letters," she did, returning an hour and a half later, her sentence complete.

"Is this right," she asked? "I hate to go out and look there. People will probably think I'm crazy a poking around." But she went and returned beaming, the check held aloft in her hand.

The young lady who first obtained the correct sentence, reading "Under the north evergreen in front of The First National Bank of Birmingham," and found the check was Miss Mary Manchester of North Woodward avenue.

But, of course, even if Mary is seen wearing a hat, new this week, it's no sign—whatever.

Special!

LADIES'
NORMANDY VOILE
DRESSES
Sizes 16 to 44
$5.95
Palmer, Begole & Co.

DE LUXE CARS ON PONTIAC LINE

Saturday of this week the Detroit United Railway begins the operation of de Luxe parlor chair cars on the Pontiac division.

At the beginning there will be two cars in this service—the Oakland and the Lakeland. These de luxe cars will be practically limited cars stopping only in Pontiac, Bloomfield Center, Birmingham car house and waiting room, the Twelve Mile road, Royal Oak station, Ferndale and Detroit stops south of the Eight Mile road.

For the present the southbound cars will leave Birmingham at 7:20 a. m., 9:20 a. m. and 12:50 noon and leave Detroit at 9 a. m., 4:35 p. m. and 5:05 p. m.

All seats are reserved seats and reservations may be made through the Birmingham waiting room. The fare has been fixed at 19 cents in addition to the regular one way fare, making the fare between Birmingham and Detroit 40 cents. Commutation tickets will not be accepted on these de luxe cars.

The cars are handsomely decorated. The chairs were built to order for the company and are extraordinarily comfortable with high backs. They are of wicker with overstuffed seats.

Today a special introductory trip is being made over the line by Pontiac and Birmingham officials.

Waterlily Butter - - - - - - - - 42c
BEST SUGAR CURED BACON in piece Per pound 24c
SMOKED PICNIC HAM Per pound 13c
FRESH COUNTRY EGGS Per pound 30c
RIB ROAST ROLLED Per pound 25c
BEST POT ROAST BEEF Per pound 17c
STRICTLY FRESH DRESSED CHICKENS Per pound 35c
Virginia Market
416 SOUTH WOODWARD AVE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1924.

Present, Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henrietta Darrow, Deceased.

H. George Field, executor of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, that the 6th day of October, 1924, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.

ROSS STOCKWELL,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy:
DAN A. McGAFFEY,
Register of Probate. 6-7-8

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 2nd day of June A. D. 1924.

Present, Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Charles C. Smith, Incompetent.

Thomas H. Cobb, guardian of said estate, having filed in said Court his final account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof, and the discharge of said guardian;

It is Ordered, that the 30th day of June, A. D. 1924, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ROSS STOCKWELL,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
DAN A. McGAFFEY,
Probate Register. 7-8-9

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in Chancery. No. 11437.

Adrian A. Gibbs, Plaintiff, vs. The unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of Benjamin Morse, deceased, Defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in Chancery, at the City of Pontiac, in said County on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1924.

On reading and filing the Bill of Complaint in this cause, and the affidavit, as required by the statute, duly sworn to by Adrian A. Gibbs, Plaintiff in said cause, showing that the Defendants have some title, interest, claim, lien or possible right to the premises described in said Bill of Complaint, and hereinafter described, and that the Plaintiff alleges that all of the titles, interests, claims, liens or possible rights of said Defendants and each of them are barred by the open, notorious, visible, hostile, continuous and adverse possession of the Plaintiff and his predecessors in chain of title for more than sixty (60) years last past, and for more than fifteen (15) years since the several rights to the possessions thereof accrued in said Defendants and that such possession has been during all of said time and still is adverse and hostile to the titles, interests, claims, liens or possible rights of the Defendants and their predecessors in interest.

That more than fifteen (15) years have elapsed since the recording of the various instruments affecting the title to said land; that it is not known whether said Defendants, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of Benjamin Morse, deceased, are living or dead; or where they may reside, if living; or whether their several titles, interests, claims, liens or possible rights have been by them assigned to any person or persons; or if dead, whether they have any personal representatives or heirs, living; or where they or some of them may reside; or whether such titles, interests, claims, liens or possible rights have been disposed of by Will.

THEREFORE, on motion of George A. Dondero, IT IS ORDERED that the Defendants, the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of Benjamin Morse, deceased, as set forth in the Bill of Complaint, and each of them, cause their several appearances to be entered herein in the manner provided by law, within three (3) months from the date of this Order, and that within twenty (20) days from the date hereof, the Plaintiff cause a copy of this Order to be published in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County of Oakland, and that such publication be continued therein once, each week, for six (6) consecutive weeks, or that said Plaintiff cause a copy of this Order to be personally served on said Defendants at least twenty (20) days before the time prescribed for their appearance.

FRANK L. COVERT,
Circuit Judge.

GEO. A. DONDERO,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Business Address: Royal Oak, Michigan.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that this suit involves the title to and is brought to quiet and clear the title to the following described lands, in the Bill of Complaint, as follows:

West Half of the West Half of the Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27), Township of Troy, Oakland County, Michigan.

GEO. A. DONDERO,
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Business Address:—
Royal Oak, Michigan.

A true copy.
Countersigned
W. H. CRYDERMAN,
County Clerk. 7-13

MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Charles Edwin Jones and Edith J. Jones, his wife, of Birmingham, Oakland County, Michigan, to Lawson-Erb Lumber Company, a Mich in corporation, of Birmingham, Oakland County, Michigan, which said mortgage was dated the Fifteenth day of May, A. D. 1922 and was recorded on the Thirteenth day of June, A. D. 1922, in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland, in liber 293 of mortgages on page 219, and which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned by the said Lawson-Erb Lumber Company, a Michigan Corporation, unto Detroit Fidelity and Surety Company, a Michigan Corporation, by assignment dated the Thirteenth day of June, A. D. 1922, and which said assignment was recorded on the Nineteenth day of October, A. D. 1922, in the office of the said Register of Deeds in liber 286 of mortgages on page 472 on which said mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid for principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of FOUR THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR and 31/100 DOLLARS and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover said moneys or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and of the statute in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of said mortgaged premises, or some part thereof, on Tuesday, the 15th day of July, A. D. 1924 at 12 o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time; that at the time last aforesaid the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the easterly or Saginaw Street entrance to the Oakland County Building in the City of Pontiac, Oakland County, Michigan, (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is held) the lands and premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to realize the amount due as aforesaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum and all legal costs allowed by law, and provided for by said mortgage, including an attorney's fee, to-wit:

Land situated and being in the Village of Birmingham, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, more particularly known and described as lots twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29), thirty (30), thirty-one (31), thirty-two (32) and thirty-three (33) of the Valentine Addition to the Village of Birmingham, according to the plat thereof recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said Oakland County.

DETROIT FIDELITY AND SURETY COMPANY,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Dated at Detroit, Michigan, April 18, 1924.
RACE, HAASS and ALLEN,
Attorneys for Detroit Fidelity and Surety Company, Assignee of Mortgagee.
1726 Dime Bank Bldg., Detroit, Michigan. 5-2-12

COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS

VILLAGE COMMISSION

Regular meeting of the Village Commission held Monday evening, June 9th, 1924, at 8 o'clock.

Present: President Shain, Commissioners Bingham and Bell.

Minutes of meeting of June 2, 1924, approved as printed.

185—Moved by President Shain that the bills and payroll be allowed as read: Bell Bros. Garage, $1.75; Birmingham Dog Store, $1.95; Huston Hardware Co., $2.85; Anderson Bros., $8.43; Mich. Equipment Co., $16.75; Cobant-Ashcroft Co., $7.01; I. N. Bailey, $38.42; Oakland Oil & Gas Co., $26.00; Lawson-Erb Lumber Co., $42.56; Lester Purdy, $19.02; The Fuller Brush Co., $1.29; J. D. Redmond Hardware Co., $1.73; W. E. Miller, $5.47; Ray E. Walker, $71.94; R. C. Moulthrop Lumber Co., $507.98; Leonard Electric Co., $41.71; Office Salvage Equipment Co., $52.50; John E. Rice, $5.51; Cobant-Jackson Co., $36.40; Oakland Birmingham Express Co., $3.50; Lloyd McQuater, $3.; J. L. Hudson Co., $13.20; Clinton Rieck, $16.88; The Builders' Shop, $9.53; Parks Coal Co., $18.69; Safety Traffic Guide Co., $23; Bockstahler Bros. Co., $47; American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., $35.80; Typewriter & Supplies Co., $62.50; Detroit Blue Print Supply Co., $5.70; Pontiac Daily Press, $1.65; Richmond Radiator Co., $1.59; W. Tidemton, $70.83; J. E. Brown Co., $11.25; Charles Plumstead, $8.54; Hawthorne Electric Co., $4.83; Mr. S. Starr, expense account, $34.06; Birmingham Eccentric, $292.30; J. H. Mollroy Hdw. Co., $20.64; Detroit Edison Co., $414.70; F. J. Douglass, $72.88; F. E. Stafford, $82.50; David Bliesath, $15.05; Pittsburgh Meter Co., $350; W. Millbrach, $46.69; J. T. Wing & Co., $56.12; Hare-Brown Co., $84.26; N. S. Kline, $13.80; O. B. Wilkinson, $34.50; Standard Oil Co., $43.34; Contractor Pub. Co., $11.88; F. L. Doty, $83.33; Howard Hurlbut, $117.93; Fred Craven, $31; Birmingham Fire Dept., $136; George A. Newman, $75; Mark Addison, $81.25; Charles Highy, $64.80; Wm. Luth, $40.20; Steve Molian, $61.20. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

187—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the interest on bonds amounting to $837 be paid from the Interest and Sinking Fund. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

188—Bids were opened on the construction of pump house for new well, and it was moved by Commissioner Bingham that the contract be awarded to the lowest bidder, Chisolm Brothers, at the sum of $2096.75. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

189—Petition of J. R. Searight and others to close alley in the rear of Harmon avenue running from Greenwood through to Baldwin Avenue was read.

190—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the electrical license of W. D. Gale & Co., be renewed and the bond accepted and filed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

191—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the plumbers license of Eames & Brown be renewed for one year, and the bond accepted and filed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

192—Moved by President Shain that the bonds of Charley Plumstead, Village Treasurer, and Harry S. Starr, Village Manager, be accepted and filed, and the premiums of $30.00 be allowed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

193—Moved by Commissioner Bingham that the bond of Bartling & Dull be accepted and placed on file. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

194—Moved by Commissioner Bingham that the bill of the American Gas Accumulator Co. of $330 for traffic beacons at the corner of Maple and Woodward, be allowed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

195—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the bill of the Pacific Flush-Tank Co. for $255 be allowed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

196—Moved by President Shain that the bill of Layne-Bowler Chicago Company for $2901.03 according to contract for materials on the job, be allowed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

197—Petition of H. B. Clement and others was read, considered and denied under advice of the Village Attorney. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

198—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the following resolution be adopted:

RESOLVED that the Special Assessment Roll heretofore prepared by the Village Assessor defraying the cost of construction of curb and gutter on Pierce Street from Brown Street to Lincoln Avenue, after due hearing thereon and review by the Commission and Village Assessor, and no objections having been heard thereto, be in all things ratified and confirmed, and the Village Clerk be and is hereby instructed to certify the said assessment roll to the Village Treasurer for collection. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

199—Moved by Commissioner Bell that the following resolution be adopted:

Whereas, there has been presented to this Commission a petition to close the alley in the rear of Harmon Avenue, running from Greenwood through to Baldwin Avenue, and

Whereas, said petition has been signed by all of the abutting property owners,

Now Therefore be it resolved that said alley be closed. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

200—Moved by President Shain that the budget for 1924 as prepared by the Village Manager, be accepted, and the tax rate fixed at $12.50 per thousand, and that the Village Assessor be directed to spread the tax roll. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

201—Moved by President Shain that Kevorkian & Hagapian be allowed $1200.00 on their contract. Yeas, 3; Nays, 0.

Moved by President Shain that the meeting adjourn.

HAZEL E. CLARK, Village Clerk.

BIRMINGHAM, SATURDAY, JUNE 14
Ketrow Bros. Shows and Trained Wild Animals
TWO PERFORMANCES DAILY
Performing Elephants, Bears, Monkeys, Goats, Dogs, Ponies. Ladies on High Tight Wire, Single and Double Trapeze. Funny Clowns. All will be here show day.
Free Exhibition on Show Ground at 1:00 P. M. and 7:00 P. M.
ADMISSION: 22c, tax 3c—25c; 45c, tax 5c—50c
SHOW GROUND at PURDY and LANDON

Troy Township Board of Review Meeting

The Troy Township Board of Review will meet at the Troy Township Hall for the purpose of reviewing assessments, on JUNE 17 and 18, 1924 from 9:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. each day.

S. D. ADAMS, Supervisor.