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One Percent Penalty Now Due on Village Taxes

NOTICE is hereby given that Village Taxes for the fiscal year 1924 have been due and payable at the office of the Village Treasurer since July 15, 1924.

One per cent penalty from August 16 to September 15, 1924, inclusive. Four per cent penalty from September 16 to October 31, 1924, inclusive. No taxes accepted by Village Treasurer after October 31, 1924, as the tax roll will be in the hands of the County Treasurer at Pontiac for collection.

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Harry Kendall as business manager, are now located in their new station. A new idea in aerial fields is to be developed by the young men in the form of an aerial photography service, taxi service, special stunt service.



Milton Berz

For occasions, in addition to carrying passengers for pleasure, Messrs. Berz and Kendall attend to the business entailed in order-taking for photography and arranging flight dates for passengers. The taxi service, rather an original idea in the group, has not been extensively tried.



Harry Brooks

As yet, but the boys promise a large field to follow in this work. While the flying field has been located on Southfield avenue for a greater part of the summer, especially interested in the place since the local boys have taken an active part. "I didn't know how many own town liked me until I saw how many of them wanted to fly with me," said Harry Brooks. The trio, who furnished the major portion of their business since they opened on the field.

One of their brother fliers on the field, Douglas Davis, made a record flight this week when he flew from



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Less Than the Dust (L. Hope, A. Woodford-Finden) Till I Wake (L. Hope, A. Woodford-Finden) Rhapsody in Blue—Part 1 (Gershwin—Art. by Graef) Rhapsody in Blue—Part 2 (Gershwin—Art. by Graef) Sallie Johnson and Billy in the Low Ground (Country Dance) Violin with Piano Done Gotte (Country Dance) Violin with Piano Victor Record No. 1931

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Americus, Georgia, to the Southfield field, a distance of nearly 1000 miles, in slightly over six hours by air. Three stops. Mr. Davis was flying a new plane, property of the Teagan Motor Sales Company of Detroit, which he brought from the factory in Georgia.

Community House To Witness Many Activities Here

Various Organizations Announce Plans To Use Local Institution

In accordance with a resolution passed by the community house board, ordering that a representative of each of the activities fostered by the community house, shall meet with the board at each meeting, the board and a group of representatives met last night for a discussion of the coming year's work. The Civic League, with two meetings a month in the house, was represented by Herbert Whalen and Mrs. R. B. McCutcheon. Mrs. Herbert Whalen had been in charge of the camp fire group in charge, appeared for them, while Miss Charlotte Whalen acted in behalf of the younger group of camp fire girls, the Blue Birds. Mrs. George T. Hendrix and Mrs. George A. Moore, who mothered the Girls' Club last year, represented their interests. Mrs. Peter I. Hilly who will continue her work this year with the day nursery, was a representative. Miss Esther Smith was chosen to act for the Noon Day Club and Mrs. R. H. Mann represented the Building unit of the P. T. A. relative to the boy scout unit to be an activity of the community house and sponsored by the P. T. A.

The Civic League will start their year's work Monday, with a meeting in the community house for the consideration of the primary election on the following day. A new custom is to be inaugurated in the club when a member of each of the other various organizations in the village will attend each of the Civic League meetings. Thus, it is hoped to make the Civic League the clearing house for all information on civic affairs. The camp fire girls and the blue bird group will start their work immediately now that school has started and the meetings of the Girls' Noon Day Club starts their activities last Tuesday with their first luncheon where they planned for an active year.

The infantile paralysis fright will postpone temporarily the opening of the day nursery that had opened its date will be set when that matter is under control. Early in October the Literary Club, the Village Players, the Woman's Benevolent Association and the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion will begin their meeting in the house.

One of the first activities of the community board for the year will be a rummage sale in Pontiac early in November. The money from this sale will be used to assist in defraying the expense of the alterations just completed on the community house. A suggestion is made by members of the board that during housecleaning time that any items kept in mind, there will likely be many useful articles unearthed around the house that may be the means of a business transaction at the sale.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Addie Williams On Monday, Sept. 1st, Mrs. Jay Williams passed away at her home in Pontiac at the age of 57 years. Death was caused by cancer of the throat. Funeral services were from the home, burial taking place yesterday afternoon at the Royal Oak cemetery.

Mrs. Williams is survived by her husband, Jay, and five daughters, Elsie, Birdie, Helen, Jessie and Florence, all of Pontiac.

Until the removal of the Williams to Pontiac a little more than a year ago, they lived in Birmingham on the West Maple road. Mrs. Williams had a host of friends here.

Mary Anna Woodburn Miss Mary Anna Woodburn passed away on Saturday, August 30, at the home of her niece, Miss Sarah McCullough of Pontiac. After short services there, the body was brought to the home of J. M. Hedding on Townsend street, Rev. J. C. Matthews of the Reformed Presbyterian church of Southfield, officiating. Burial was in the Southfield cemetery.

Miss Woodburn, who is equally well known in Pontiac, Southfield and here, is survived by a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Cannon, of Townsend street.

STATE HIGHWAY DEPT WILL DISCUSS PLANS TO WIDEN WOODWARD

(Continued from Page One) Let us take up the putting the 200 feet road over the present Grand Trunk right-of-way.

He declared that the state was primarily interested in the cheapest method of doing the job, and that any great difference between the two cheapest methods would have to be born, at least by Birmingham.

Church and Sunday School

First Church of Christ, Scientist. Services at Church Building, Woodward avenue, south of the U. I. waiting room. Sunday, 11 a. m. Sunday school, same hour. Wednesday evenings, 8 o'clock. All are invited. Free Reading Room, open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. and Wednesday, from 7 to 8 p. m.

First Presbyterian Church. This church returns to its regular schedule of services this coming Sunday, September 1st, and Morning worship and sermon will be at 10:30. The pastor, Rev. W. C. McKnight, will speak upon the subject, "The Forgotten Yow." The Bible school will hold its session at noon. We trust the members of the church will return promptly. At the second service in the evening the pastor will speak upon "Achan's Choice." Good music under the leadership of Mr. Beer at both church services. Visitors and strangers are always welcome. Members of the choir and others of the congregation who are asked to meet. Beer in the church on Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock. You will find the choir a good place for instruction in choral singing.

St. James' Episcopal. Twelfth Sunday after Trinity. One service only, 10:30, Holy Communion with sermon by the Rector, the Rev. Charles H. McCurdy.

Methodist Church. There will be services in the streets of Bates and Willets streets. The services will be on Sunday as follows: For the present the services will be held on the regular schedule. The morning worship at 10 o'clock. The Pastor, Rev. T. E. Edwards will speak, "The City of God." The Bible school will convene at 11 o'clock. There are classes for all and the pastor teaches the Baracca class for men. In the evening at 6:30, we hold our Junior church, conducted by Mrs. Herbert Schultz. At 7:30 there will be the evening praise service. The speaker will be Mr. How Men Judge Themselves. Unworthy of Eternal Life. You are cordially invited to all the services.

Methodist Church. 10:00 A. M. Class Meeting, C. E. Chamberlin, leader. 10:30 Morning worship. Sermon "The Service That Gave" 12:00 M. School. School vacation are over. Let us now be in our places, 6:30 P. M. Epworth service. Let us resume our work in earnest next, 7:30 P. M. Evening service. Topic: "The Character of Jesus." The speaker will be Milton Mallonard and Forbes Hatch. Special music by the choir. Miss Thelma Allen a convalescent of unusual interest will favor us with several numbers. Monday evening the regular meeting of the Sunday School Board. Will discuss plans for Rally Day. Monday evening the Boy's Class will hold their meeting at the home of Mrs. Louis Haskell, 210 N. Woodward avenue. An important program. Wednesday evening let us come together to praise and pray. Prayer and service go hand in hand. Thursday, Sept. 11, the Woman's Home Missionary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Joshua Gibbon, 801 Angus street.

NOTICE OF FILING OF ORDER DESIGNATING A DRAINAGE DISTRICT

To Whom It May Concern: NOTICE is hereby given, that I, Cassius J. Crawford, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Oakland did on the 26th day of August, 1924, file in the office of the said Drain Commissioner an order designating a drainage district for the Humphrey drain according to Act No. 218, P. C. of Michigan 1923.

The estate and source of said drain is as follows: At a point in Emmons Avenue in the Township of Troy, County of Oakland, Michigan, the said drain crosses Woodward Avenue, thence east following Woodward Avenue to a point in the Township of Troy, County of Oakland, Michigan, thence south to the center of said laterals as are defined by record.

The names of the freeholders whose lands are crossed by said drain are as follows: Leopold Humphrey Co. by Rex Humphrey, President, Freeholder of the Township of Troy; Roy E. Smith, Freeholder of the Township of Troy; Alvin H. Sheffield, Freeholder of the Township of Troy; and Bradley, Freeholder of the Township of Troy; Guy J. Ariza, Freeholder of the Township of Troy; Floyd Glover, Freeholder of the Township of Troy; Ephraim E. Buckner, Freeholder of the Township of Troy.

Dated this 26th day of August, 1924. (Signed) CASSIUS J. CRAWFORD, County Drain Commissioner of Oakland County, Mich.

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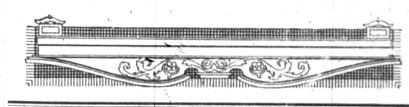
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He has averted possible epidemics. He has turned swamps into garden spots and healthful home sites. He has increased land values by amounts far greater than the sums entrusted to him to spend. He has protected our credit. He has gotten for us honest value for every dollar we have invested in his program. He has made Oakland County nationally famous for its system of modern, enclosed, concrete sewers—planned to take care of future, as well as present, needs.

In a position of highest trust this able, Christian gentleman has shown always the thrifty uprightness of his Yankee forbears. Here is the man who conceived, began and should complete this whole great public benefit—a native of Oakland County who knows our soils and how to handle them. Let's keep "Cass" Crawford on the job, driving his humble Ford up and down our highways on this vital task! Look for the name on the County Republican ballot Sept. 9. For Drain Commissioner, Cassius J. Crawford!

He has had no part whatever in this advertisement. It has been prepared and paid for by men who know his modesty and appreciate the value of his services to Oakland County.

RE-ELECT CASSIUS J. CRAWFORD