

ORDER OF DEMOLAY RE-ELECTS HEADS

Members Hear Four Guest Speakers Talk on Work of Organization

All officers of the James S. Hassberger chapter of the Order of DeMolay were re-elected at the meeting Monday evening except the secretary, Russell Stevens succeeds Howard Tugsey in this office. The elections are for a six-month period.

A. Shanley Rosso, of Park street, retains the office of Master counsellor, and Clifford Harper and Ralph Wilson remain as senior and junior Counsellor, respectively. Clark Stroh will serve as treasurer for another six months. Officers by appointment will be announced within the next few days, Mr. Rosso said.

In addition to the election of officers Monday evening, four talks were given, by four guest speakers.

"Dad" Flowers, of the Grand Council of the Order of DeMolay, of Kansas City, Mo., spoke to chapter members on the benefits

to young men of the Order. "It gives them confidence and courage to meet the future, whatever it may bring," he said.

Earl Trice and Louis Kappel, both of Findler chapter, Detroit, the only two members of the legion of honor of the Order of DeMolay, in Michigan, also spoke briefly. The legion of honor is the highest honor that can be bestowed by the Order. Dan Ellison, of Detroit, also spoke.

POSTPONE HEARING ON LINCOLN PAVING

Hearing on the assessment roll for the paving of Lincoln avenue from Woodward avenue to Pierce street was adjourned by members of the village commission at their meeting Monday night for one week. Several small matters are to be settled in the meantime, it is understood.

GRANT LICENSE FOR NEW RESTAURANT

Village Commissioners at their meeting Monday night granted Matilda Pranser a license to open and conduct a restaurant at 129 1/2 west Maple avenue.

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UNCERTAINTY FOLLOWS OFFICIALS' RESIGNATION

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Large president, has announced he will not run for that office.

There is every indication that petitions will be presented before Jan. 1 for a vote to increase the size of the commission from three to seven men.

Following the defeat of the recall Mr. McCallum announced he and citizens of the village were going to have the books of the village audited. He declared he wanted a disinterested party to make a statement as to the finances of Birmingham.

Threats of a grand jury investigation that lapsed over the village are called without foundation today. Citizens say there is no possible excuse for such a move, and declare there is nothing to make this a possibility.

Patrons by Jan. 1. According to the law, petition for the increase in the number of commissioners must be filed before Jan. 1, so the matter may be voted upon at the spring elections. Provided the amendment to the village charter passes, the added commission members would be seated at a special election following the election in March.

Mr. Henry declared today he had no aspirations for the position of village president.

"The report that I was slated for the office was merely based upon rumor," Mr. Henry said. "Many citizens have asked me to consider being a candidate but I have always refused."

Those who favor the increase in the size of the commission declare it is the only sensible way in which to prepare for the growth that is sure to be Birmingham's within the next three years.

The election last Thursday brought out the second largest number of votes in the history of the village. It was surpassed only by the election for the zoning ordinance in October.

NEW OAKLAND COUNTY ROAD BOOK IS CALLED WORTHY ACHIEVEMENT

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In the center, it is a brilliant yellow, with the surrounding counties, on a smaller scale, in salmon pink. The borders of the Great Lakes and some of the small lakes are in a delicate green, and the roads and lettering are black. A compass and title plate also have plates in their make-up. Distances are given on the roads, so that the reader can tell at a glance how far it is from Pontiac to any point in this vicinity.

An index to the hundreds of lakes in Oakland County is given in the book, with a working system for finding them on the map at the back. The annual report of the road commission also is included.

Among the shorter articles contained in this offering of the road commission are: "Highways," the "Covert road system of Road Construction," "Traffic," "Good Roads and Good Schools," and the "Super Highway Commission."

Statistical reports of taxes, by township and assessment districts, classification of receipts, maintenance, disbursements, are also available in the yearbook as well as a copy of the highway stop ordinance. A traffic census, throwing an interesting light on the number of horse-drawn vehicles used in the country as compared with automotive vehicles, a statement of tractor costs, and a consideration of materials and stores are given.

In short, the Oakland County yearbook for 1938 is one of those



John Barrymore in "Don Juan" and the marvelous Vitaphone Shubert Lafayette Detroit.

EDUCATOR PROTESTS OVERUSE OF 'SERVICE'

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perform their individual tasks well, thus reflecting to their fellow-men a needed assistance toward happy living; one can render a service only when it does something good for another."

Mr. Harris emphasized the necessity of doing one's work well, then advocated the expression of surplus energy by directing it in behalf of intelligent community welfare work.

The speaker, who is a member of the Pontiac Rotary club, said that the typical luncheon club of today proved its usefulness in nothing but the creation of fellowship and mutual understanding of its members.

QUOTA PASSED IN TOWNSHIP DRIVE FOR CHILD RELIEF

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ents are not able to obtain medical aid for them will be opened from time to time in Pontiac. A more definite program is expected to be announced at an early date.

Mr. Hascall complimented citizens of the village and township on the generous manner in which they responded to the plea for help.

"We were met with the utmost courtesy everywhere," he said. "Workers must have confidence in the people here after seeing at first hand their generosity. In behalf of the organization and of Mr. Stroup I should like to express my gratitude for the help we received."

In the drive which covered the township, practically every club and church took an active part and it was through such splendid cooperation that the quota was surpassed so easily, according to Mr. Hascall.

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CHURCHES COMBINE TO PRODUCE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

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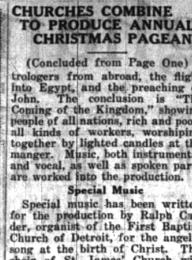
troopers from abroad, the flight into Egypt, and the preaching of John. The conclusion is "The Coming of the Kingdom," showing people of all nations, rich and poor, all kinds of workers, worshipping together by lighted candles at the manger. Music, both instrumental and vocal, as well as spoken parts are worked into the production.

Special Music

Special music has been written for the production by Ralph Calder, organist of the First Baptist Church of Detroit, for the angelic song at the birth of Christ. The choir of St. James' Church will sing.

Among those who will participate in the play are Richard C. Fowler, Mrs. Retta Barr, Miss Agnes Hulbert, Miss Charlotte Whalen, Mrs. Charles Whalen, Miss Catherine Brown, Bennett Brown, John Gore, David Gadd, John Garlin, Jr., Joseph Morgan, H. A. O'Brien, N. N. Hadjick, Carpenter Hewitt, Mortimer Neff, Walter Bromley, John Palmer, Rodrick Cox, W. G. Harry, Harry S. Wallace, Robert C. Harraves, John Blanchard, Frederick Whitlesey, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scripps, Bob and Miss Irene Walk, Miss Catherine Brown, Miss Betty Sade, Miss Helen Latham, Stewart White, George Shave, and Wallace Gale.

The performance will be open to the public.



W. G. Walker, electrical engineer of Port Orchard, Wash., who also posed as something of an efficiency expert. Bigging a live wire to kill the husband of his sweetie, he had also suggested that she could probably get \$20,000 in damages from the electric light company if the plan worked. The plan didn't work; sweetie turned state's evidence and Walker gets 20 years.

AUTOMOBILE CRASH FATALLY INJURES BIRMINGHAM MAN

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tent. He was a member of the Independent Order of Oddfellows.

He was employed at the Dodge Motor Car company, Detroit, where he had just received a promotion.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Hazel Mason, Mr. Mason leaves two daughters, Joyce, 12, and Mable, 6.

George Mason of Chicago, aged 18, is in business for himself and has his father as an employee.

WATERFORD—William Chase and H. F. Buck took possession of the garage formerly owned by Sesterlin Brothers of Clarkston on Saturday. They are in the re-ordering and getting their tools installed, ready for business. Mr. Chase and Mr. Mason have taken over the Ford agency.

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