BOARD CONSIDERING NEW SPORTS FIELD

Letter Cites Need In View Of Interest Shown in Track Meets Here.

The school board is considering today the advisability of completing the outdoor cinder track on Barnum field for outdoor track work this spring. This question was brought before the board in a letter, signed by Coach A. L. Van Winkle, George Johnson and Principal Melvin Hart.

An unusual interest has been shown in track work this winter, the letter says, and indications today are that at least 60 boys will be out for outdoor track this spring. "Track appeals to many boys who do not care about football, baseball or basket ball and to many who would not otherwise take much part in athletics," it said.

Estimates on the cost of completing the track on Barnum field, which has already been laid along the east side of Barnum, will be submitted to the next school board meeting, Mar. 14, and it is expected that action will be taken at that time.

COUNTY PRIMARIES TAKEN OFF SCHEDULE

E. J. Lederle Is Only Candidate For School Commissioner Office.

Because there is only one candidate for the office of school commissioner, the only office to appear on the county ballot Apr. 4, there will be no county primary. E. J. Ederle, present School Commissioner, was the only candidate to file a petition for this office. His name will be placed on the ballot.

AUTO LEAVES ROAD INJURING DRIVER

D. C. Mills, 132 Puritan road, is recovered today from injuries received when he fell asleep driving Saturday night and drove off a culvert into the ditch on Southfield road. He received minor cuts about the legs. His car was severely damaged.

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PEOPLE'S COLUMN

The Eccentric is pleased to receive communications for this column. All communications must be signed but signatures will be kept confidential upon request.

DENIES AFFILIATION

As representative in calling the meeting of property owners on Woodward avenue in Birmingham at the Baldwin High School Friday evening, it is our opinion that a little reasonable co-operation by the property owners on Woodward avenue, in Birmingham and the state will obtain the kind of a Woodward avenue that Greater Birmingham deserves. It was from this point of view alone that the meeting was held last Friday, and, contrary to come rumors and reports we have heard, we wish to have it clearly understood that we are not connected with interests which have attempted to force the issue.

Those interested in calling the meeting felt that the property owners who were perhaps more vitally interested and affected than any others were in a position to bring the result about materially.

The response was perhaps not as great as expected, but in view of the short notice and the fact that many owners of property were out of the village we feel that a good start was obtained. About 35 were present, of which about 30 were property owners. After looking over the maps presented, the roadway plans, and cost figures, every property owner was given an opportunity to express his or her opinion as to the proper width of street to be adopted.

The consensus of opinion was for the 150 foot highway on the present line of Woodward avenue. Two spoke favoring the 100 foot plan and no one favored the 200 foot highway.

A resolution was presented and carried that a petition be circulated among the property owners endorsing the 150 foot Woodward avenue, and pledging co-operation with the state and village in securing this objective.

As representative of the property owners favoring 150 foot Woodward avenue, we feel the facts and merits of this plan have not been properly presented to the public at large. I will send a more detailed account of the plan to The Eccentric next week.

W. S. McAlpine

VILLAGE MILK SUPPLY

To the Editor:

Since there has been so much discussion in Pontiac about the milk supply and the drafting of a new milk ordinance there, I have had several inquiries asking how Birminghan's milk supply compares with Pontiac's.

There are now three dairies distributing pasteured milk in Birmingham and, according to some authorities, this is the safest milk to use, especially where the milk is held one day before distributing.

For those who use or prefer strictly fresh milk, there are now four farmer dealers who are putting out a good grade of milk. Tests made of Pontiac unpasteurized milk show a high bacteria score of 3,000,000, and a geperal average of approximately 600,000 while a recent test of the four farmer-dealers here showed the highest bacteria count of 185,000 and a general average of 86,000. A score of 100,000 is considered very good. The good showing made by these dealers can be explained by the fact that these herds are tested and that the milk is cooled, bottled and distributed the same morning that it is produced.

Ernest E. Morrow,
Milk Inspector.

PROFESSOR TO START GARDENERS SCHOOL

Prof. George Starr, widely known as a sucessful market gardener of over 20 years experience is scheduled to meet with the market growers of Oakland County for a two day Market Gardeners School March 7 and 8. Prof. Starr has recently limited his growing to seed production and experimental testing of varieties. He will bring to the county, results of the very latest recommendations on tested quality varieties and methods.

The school is scheduled to begin at 10 a. m., March 7 and is to be held in the office of the county agricultural agent, room 9, post-office building, Pontiac. The school is open to all growers who wish to attend.

The discussion of the subjects will be arranged so that the most important and new features of growing the principal crops can be thoroughly discussed.

Mr. Starr has had much to do with the introduction of worth while varieties such as the Benders Surprise Melon and Earliest of All Sweet Corn. In addition to this subject his opinions on the use of hot caps and the newer methods of seed treatment are worth while.

Several growers who followed his directions during the season of 1926 say they were profitably repaid for their interest. Mr. Starr is from the state department of horticulture and offers such to all growers who are interested.

COUNTY INSTITUTES NEW CULTURE CLINIC

Several milk cultures from Birmingham have already been examined by the Oakland County department of Health through the operation of the new 24-hour delivery service in operation in Birmingham today. Cultures are taken by the school nurse or by doctors in town, left at Kelsey's drug store, on North Woodward avenue, and collected from there by an official from the health department. They are returned with a complete report of their examination, in 24 hours.

Although only milk cultures have been examined so far from Birmingham, Dr. C. F. Volk, assistant director of the health department, expects it to be very effective in discovering diseases, particularly among school children, and checking the spread of the diseases. Heretofore examination of the cultures and the return of a report on them has taken several days, because there was no regular collection of them. The completion of the new bacteriological laboratories in Pontiac has made this free service to Birmingham possible.

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WORK STARTED ON NEW OFFICE

Work is started today on the new office building of the Birmingham Sash & Door Inc. at south Lincoln and Madison avenues. The building is immediately in front of the factory. Cost of the addition is estimated at $3,000 by W. B. Richardson of the company.

Plans are to have the structure completed within 30 days. The new building was necessitated by the growth of the business and the growth of Birmingham which reflected itself in the business, Mr. Richardson said.

CHURCH CONTRIBUTES $4,000 TO BIG DRIVE

Presbyterians Here Join Detroit Presbytery Campaign For Funds.

The First Presbyterian Church of Birmingham contributed $4,000 of the $75,042 collected during the first week of the Presbyterian ministerial pension fund drive in the Detroit Presbytery. This equals the Pontiac donation and tops all other out-of-town contributions.

The drive is being carried on to raise a national fund of $15,000,000, from which annuities of from $600 to $2000 will be paid to aged or disabled Presbyterian ministers, missionaries and their dependents. Detroit's quota is $380,000.

Alfred G. Wilson, chairman of the laymen's committee of the Detroit Presbytery, is in charge of the drive.

SPEAKER PLEADS FOR AMERICANISM

Exchangites Hear Former Attorney On Work Of Broadcasters.

Allen S. Brown, former attorney and founder of the Kiwanis club, throughout the country made a plea for tolerance and Americanism before members of the Birmingham Exchange club at their luncheon Tuesday noon at Northwood Inn.

Mr. Brown is doing organization work for the Broadcasters of America, a new organization which, he says strives for a more strict Americanism.

Thomas Lufler, secretary of the Royal Oak Exchange club also spoke briefly on the Broadcasters.

ACTIVITITY REPORTED IN CONSTRUCTION

Birmingham residents turned even February into an active building month. During the last few days building permits were issued for six fine home in Quarton Lake Estates. Carl Bradt, sales director of the Walsh, James & Wasey company stated yesterday that many more would be issued in the very near future.

"The homes range in price from $15,000 to $35,000. The building permits were issued to K. H. Hans of Pilgrim road, R. C. Hanson, Pilgrim road and Julian M. Case of Lakeside. The other permits were issued to builders who have promised to have homes ready for occupancy by early summer."

Mr. Bradt stated that in all the Walsh, James & Wasey Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills properties 80 per cent of the purchasers were buying homesites for themselves, according to a recent survey made by the company.

"The breaking of ground on Pilgrim road and Quarton Lake Estates, may be seen in nearly a dozen places and the fact that each activity represents an investment of from $15,000 to $35,000 means that they are keeping up the fine standard of the many homes already nearing completion in this community, which is destined to be one of the show places in Birmingham," he said.

MRS. J. E. McGEE DIES AT HOME

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. in the Daines and Bell chapel yesterday for Mrs. Jaminia Enice McGee, who died at her home, 815 Clark street, at 8 p. m. Monday of cancer. She had been ill for some time.

Mrs. McGee was the widow of Lynn McGee, who died two years ago. She was 37 years old, and had lived in Birmingham for about four years. She was born in Canada. Burial was at Brooklyn.

Mrs. McGee leaves four children, Jean, 9 years old; Robert, 7; Ruth, 4; and Ernest, 2.

McBAIN ELECTED CLUB PRESIDENT

Members of the Young Men's Service club elected three new officers to fill vacancies of retiring officers at hteir weekly meeting held yesterday at the Chateau Tea Room.

The new officers are Ralph McBain, president; Claude Morrow, vice-president; and Paul Neal Averill, secretary. P. G. Burnett continues as treasurer, that office being of one year tenure. Other officers will serve six months.

Installation of the new officers will be held next Wednesday.

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VILLAGE INCREASES WELFARE TREASURY

First Time In Years Fund Has Had To Be Boosted By Birmingham.

The $160 fund which the village of Birmingham keeps as the village relief fund was brought up to its total amount by an addition of $81.86 at the commission meeting.

This fund is used for welfare work, such as aiding destitute families and helping to clothe poor children. This is the first time since the Community House was established that the fund, which the village always maintained, has had to be replenished by the village.

A few individual donations have been added to the fund, which was not touched after the Community House was started until February of last year. Since that time relief work to the amount of $81.86 has been done and it is to bring the fund to its original total that the donation was decided upon at the village commission Monday night.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage given by Basil M. Spring and Bessie Spring, his wife to Charles B. Lee and Jeanette Lee of Detroit, Michigan, bearing date October 15, 1925, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Oakland County, Michigan, on the 14th day of October, 1925, in Liber 383 of Mortgages, on pages 351 and 352, which said mortgage provides that upon default in the payment of any installment of principal or interest and the same, or any part thereof, remaining unpaid for a period of thirty (30) days, the entire unpaid balance of said mortgage shall become due and payable forthwith at the option of said mortgagee, and by reason of said default the entire principal having become and being hereby declared to be due and payable on said mortgage at the date hereof, which said principal and interest amounts to the sum of Eleven Hundred Seventy-four and 33/100 ($1174.33) Dollars, and no proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover said money or any part thereof, now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained and under the statutes in such cases made and provided, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on Saturday, the 12th day of March, 1927, at Twelve (12) o'clock noon, Eastern Standard time, at the easterly or Saginaw Street entrance of the Oakland County building in the city of Pontiac, Oakland County, Michigan (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is held) the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to realize the amount due with interest thereon at seven (7) per cent per annum and all expenses of sale and legal costs allowed by law and provided for by said mortgage, including statutory attorney fees. Said premises are situated in the Township of Royal Oak, Oakland County, Michigan, and are more particularly described as Lot Seventy (70) John Ickler's Sunnyside Addition, the east half (½) of the northwest quarter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼) of Section Twenty-five (25), Town One (1) North, Range Eleven (11) East, recorded in Liber 32, page 1 of Plats.

Dated: Detroit, Michigan, Dec. 9, 1926.

CHARLES B. LEE,
JEANETTE LEE,
Mortgagees.

STANTON CLARKE,
Attorney for Mortgagees,
1223 First National Bank Bldg.,
Detroit, Michigan. 25-4

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 24th day of February, A. D. 1927.

Present: Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Irving E. Hatch, Deceased.

Louise Hatch, administratrix of said estate, having filed in said Court her final acct and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof, determination of the heirs of said deceased, assignment of the residue of said estate and the discharge of said administratrix.

It Is Ordered, that the 24th day of March, A. D. 1927, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, 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.)
RUTH IMMICK,
Deputy Probate Register. 46-49

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 18th day of February, A. D. 1927.

Present: Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Susan French Miller, Deceased.

Frank J. Miller and Rachel Miller Whitemore having filed a petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Frank J. Miller and Rachel Miller Whitemore, the executors named in the will, or to some other suitable person.

It Is Ordered, That the 6th day of April, A. D. 1927, at nine a. m. Eastern Standard Time, at said Probate Office, be 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,
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