

ROTARIANS NAME BOARD NOMINEES

Even Members Selected For Annual Election April 23; Officers Elected Later.

Nominations for directors for Birmingham Rotary club for ensuing year, to be voted on at the annual meeting here April 23, were held by Birmingham Rotarians at the Chateau Tea Room yesterday noon.

Eleven were selected, as follows: Clarence Viles, Fred G. Crawford, Robert H. Lynd, James H. Cobb, James W. Papp, Herbert Moore, Morris Cook, Charles J. Shain, Harold F. Klein, E. Colgrove, and Tunk W. Minch. Of this number seven will be elected. Officers are chosen later by the directors from their own up.

MAKE SKI TESTS OF POLAR PLANE



Floyd Bennett and Bernt Dalchen, pilots for Commander Richard E. Byrd's South Pole flight, are shown here on the ice at Lake Champlain, Ticonderoga, N. Y., strapping skis on the polar plane for preliminary tests.

Editor Goes Visiting

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The industrial training department, seven large rooms in boys' side and four in the girls' side, function as an integral part of the educational department. A start has already been made to coordinate the training department with the continuation of the pupils' activities in the industrial departments of the institution. Serious consideration was given in the selection of equipment for the various institutional departments, such as the laundry, the kitchen and bakery, the sewing machine shops, etc., to insure its adaptability from a vocational training viewpoint as well as its fitness from the more utilitarian end. For those who have used in years or for other reasons the range of the regular class work in the academic or industrial training departments, provision is made to continue the inspirational influences of the educational department through evening classes in which the subjects handled are selected for their socializing values. Of a total of the 150 children now in residence, 107 are enrolled in all day sessions; 32 in half-day sessions and 11, over sixteen years of age, are attending night sessions. One sees in appreciable numbers of those attending night school a very desirable stimulus toward the development of a grown-up attitude from their very attendance alone, a carrying over from the

Fraternal News

The James S. Hassberger chapter of the Order of DeMolay carried off the honors in a contest for points between Birmingham, Royal Oak and Northville chapters, and the silver cup was presented to the Birmingham chapter Tuesday evening at a banquet given in the Birmingham Masonic Temple to the three chapters.

The contest has been carried on for four months and points were awarded for attendance and for proficiency in ritualistic work, the object being to promote attendance and make the work more interesting and beautiful.

The cup was presented by George Conley of Royal Oak to Ralph A. Wilson, Birmingham master councillor.

William Williamson of Royal Oak was toastmaster and brief speeches were made by B. J. Merrow of the Birmingham DeMolays and A. C. Hobar of the Royal Oak orier, Charles Bingham of Birmingham and Clarence Jensen of Royal Oak. The address of the evening was given by Rev. W. R. Blatchford, of the Royal Oak Episcopal Church, who spoke of the stimulus created by contests and a foundation for the future.

Jensen led community singing and solos were given by Maxwell Gail at the piano and by William Spence who sang and played the ukulele.

Goes to New Flock



Succeeding Bishop Thomas Walsh, who has been transferred to the diocese of Newark, N. J., the Rt. Rev. John J. McMahon, above, of Buffalo, has been made bishop of Trenton diocese, Trenton, N. J. He assumes his new duties in May 10.

Joseph Spear of New York found among peas he was eating an uncut diamond worth \$250. The peas had been imported from Holland.

WE HEARD IT SAID BY—

Walter L. Connolly, Connolly Building company: "The outlook in the building line for 1928 has not yet been as brisk as looked for, although most builders expect improvement in the very near future. With Detroit and Pontiac growing so rapidly the character of Birmingham and vicinity as a purely residential area is assured, and business conditions out here will always be in good shape."

The council of Birkenhead, Eng., has forbidden the showing of moving pictures "dominated by sex appeal."

Mrs. Catherine Lorin told a Kansas City policeman that she was too tired to move on, and the judge gave her 10 days in jail to rest up.

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Requirements Told

Minimum requirements for positions on the teaching staff are identical with those of the State Department of Education. Summer session opportunities for those interested in the educational and social problems of this type of the feebleminded are already projected. Definite plans are already under way to make the services of the psychological, psychological, and social service departments of the Training School available to communities outside the City in the form of an ambulant clinic to which backward children in school and problem children in the community may be brought for study and guidance. Even before the normal institution of such services, numerous such studies are being made weekly of children who are being brought to the School by appointment. It is inevitable that as this work becomes better organized more children for whom commitment had been thought necessary will be found capable of being adequately supervised in the community. Hand-in-hand with such guidance will go the careful placement and prolonged supervision of pupils removed from the School in their own homes, in new homes found for them, or later, perhaps, in small working colonies.

On November 19, a group of two hundred and five principals and administrative officials of the Detroit Public School system made a complete inspection of the entire institution, following which they lunched in the children's dining rooms of the four cottages then in use. Similar visitations have been made by the administrative associates of the County Superintendent of Schools and the Superintendents of Schools throughout the County and numerous groups of social workers. Others, interested are assured of a courteous welcome and a full opportunity to witness the workings of this new agency.

Miss Marjorie Eldsen of Chicago paid a fine of \$50 for kicking off a policeman's cap while, as she admitted, "completely soured."

Declaring that marriage at their age was not success and that they could be more contented apart, Martin Van Buren Reeves, 103, and Mrs. Elizabeth Reeves, 96, of Salt Lake City, have separated.

Vogue for Bandanna



All the "gals" are wearing sporty looking bandanna hard-screens of gay colors about their necks these days. Pictured is one of the popular new sports dresses with bandanna embellishment.

Community of the peculiar position

that the regular night school holds in any city's scholastic system.

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Middlesex



Middlesex is easily reached from Birmingham, either by driving North on Adams Avenue or North on Woodward to Long Lake Road, then east to Adams and North about one half mile.

Middlesex

In Bloomfield Hills

The "Good Buys" are not all gone

We people of Birmingham have seen the sanest rapid development and enhancement of real estate in all of Michigan, right in our own district during the past five years. We know this community will continue its advance but it is a little harder today to pick out a good real estate investment than it has been up to this time—but the "good buys" are still here.

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