

FIRE RAZES CAMP HOME

Flames Make Headway Before Neighbor Discovers Them; Loss \$3,500

Workmen are laboring today to repair the \$3,500 damage resulting from a fire in the new home being constructed at Brown and 2nd streets for Misses Maude and Nell Camp.

Frank E. Sternal, owner of the tire and battery store at Woodward and Daines streets, was attracted by the smoke and the glow from the windows in the new \$18,000 residence Thursday at 8:15 p. m. Investigation found a blaze creeping up the inside front wall from the fireplace. Firemen worked and hour and a half to extinguish the stubborn fire with chemicals and water. Fifty-five gallons of chemicals were used and 550 feet of hose was stretched in order to play water on the burning wall.

The blaze is believed to have started from a fire built in the uncompleted fireplace by workmen. Firebrick had not been placed in the fireplace and the walls were thought to have become overheated. The glow illuminated the basement, first and second floors before it was discovered. Neighbors thought workmen were in the building.

The building was planned to be ready for occupancy on Dec. 15, but considerable delay is caused by the fire. Neither of the Misses Camp who live at 200 south Woodward, were aware that their

Thanksgiving Grid Menu

SOUPS	
SYDCAST * COLUMBIA	COLGATE * BROWN
ENTREES	
GEORGIA * ALABAMA	KENTUCKY * TENNESSEE
KANSAS STATE * MISSOURI	TEXAS * OKLAHOMA
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SALADS	
WASHINGTON * LEE * FLORIDA	KODNELL * DENN
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NORTH CAROLINA * VIRGINIA	
DESSERTS	
WASHINGTON STATE * WASHINGTON	DRAKE * COVENTRY
MARYLAND * JOHNS HOPKINS	SACRAMENTO * CALIFORNIA
UTAH * ARIZONA	UTAH * ARIZONA
BEVERAGES	
MISSISSIPPI * MISSISSIPPI	MISSISSIPPI * MISSISSIPPI
UTAH * ARIZONA	UTAH * ARIZONA

new home was in danger until Chemical Engine No. 2 arrived. Engine No. 3 responded to a second alarm.

The construction was valued at \$18,000 and the damage of \$3,500 was covered by insurance.

The Maharajah of Patiala has engaged a German band of 60 pieces to visit his capital in India.

Edward Day of Burwash, Ont., was fined \$50 for letting weeds grow in his garden.

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Birmingham, Michigan, November 12, 1928.
The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held in the office at 8 p. m.

Present: R. J. Currey, Fred V. Quanton and Guy W. Jensen.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved.
Moved by Quanton supported by Jensen that the resignation of Phyllis R. Ladd as of November 28, 1928 be accepted. Carried.
Moved by Jensen supported by Quanton that a leave of absence be granted to Beniah Packard until February 1, 1929. Carried.

Moved by Quanton supported by Jensen that a letter of thanks be sent to the Class of 1927, and Miss Emily Walker, Advisor, for the gift of a full mounted meridian globe on brass pedestal recently made to the Baldwin High school library. Carried.

The following contracts were authorized:
Joy Osborn, Senior English, \$30 per month.
Maxine Mosher, Pierce, Grade 3, \$125 per month.

Moved by Quanton supported by Jensen that Mr. Randall be authorized to pay the final bill \$518.51 of the N. A. Starr Company for the Quanton School. Carried.

An extended discussion of Birmingham school problems submitted by Supr. Viet then followed but no definite action was taken.

Moved and seconded that the bills be allowed.

Mrs. Charles Mercer, Physical Training, \$2.00; Thomas Charles Company, School Supplies, \$12.62; George L. Williams Co., Building Repair, \$10.49; H. C. Roll, \$146.33; Slann Sign Sys. Miller, Band Supplies, \$3.36; Dept. of Superintendence, Library Book, \$9.00; Harry Levey, Physi-

WE HEARD IT SAID BY—

Louis Randall, business manager of Birmingham schools: "Although reports from the investigations as to the worth of energizing glass have not been considered, I believe that in time the Quanton School will be equipped with this glass. It strikes me that it would be an excellent thing for the health of the children."

cal Training, \$31.04; A. J. Nyström & Co., Supplies, \$119.80; Geo. Southwell Pub. Co., Band Supplies, \$4.32; Mitchell Typewriter Co., Com'l Dept, \$2.00; American Type Foundry Co., Manual Training, \$8.82; Clym Johnson Corporation, Furniture, \$19.95; Elbel Brothers, Band Supplies, \$5.53; Johnson Savings Bank, Pay Roll, \$9584.00; Birmingham Savings Bank, Pay Roll, \$107.00; Clarence Viet, Petty Cash, \$23.26; Clarke Sanding Machine Co., Miscellaneous, \$226.10; University of Michigan, Supplies, \$41.86; J. R. Holcombe & Co., Supplies, \$10.35; Harry Levey, Physical Training, \$29.00; Central Boiler Works, Boiler Repair, \$8.00; Fred Medart Mfg. Co., Furniture, \$25.00; Winchester-Simmons Co., Manual Training, \$7.35; National Institute of Public Adm., Supplies, \$5.41; The Palmer Co., Supplies, \$2.63; Gregory, Mayer & Thom Co., Com'l Dept, \$87.62; First National Bank, Coupons, \$127.50; Charles A. Strelinger Co., Manual Training, \$38.00; Melvin C. Hays, Night School, \$80.00; First National Bank, Coupons, \$63.75; First State Savings Bank, Pay Roll, \$146.33; Slann Sign Sys. Miller, Band Supplies, \$3.36; Dept. of Superintendence, Library Book, \$9.00; Harry Levey, Physi-

\$23.37; John C. Winston Co., Text Books, \$1.98; Thomas Charles Co., Supplies, \$8.67; Dr. George R. Norton, Physical Training, \$54.00; Laurel Book Co., Text Books, \$4.23; Lyons & Carahan, Text Books, \$24.91; Royal Oak-Birmingham Express, Cartage, \$9.51; L. C. Mouthrop Lumber Co., Furniture, \$129.75; Hallock Grocery, Domestic Science, \$12.79; Birmingham Wallpaper Co., Supplies, \$39.43; McBride Hardware Co., Laboratory Supplies, \$10.00; Leonard Electrical Co., Supplies, \$121.24; R. L. Atkins, Inc., Burnt, 3.92; Birmingham Hardware Co., Piece Field, \$20.45; I. Lee Truax, Furniture, \$14.75; The Whitehead & Hoag Co., Physical Training, \$49.68; United Saw & Tool Co., Manual Training, \$5.58; Hoskins Mfg. Co., Manual Training, \$78.05; Time System Co., Building Repair, \$39.06; D. B. Wilkinson Building Repairs, \$70.56; American Type Foundry Co., printing Dept, \$16.24; Detroit Canvas Co., Furniture, \$377.11; The University Publishing Co., Library Books, \$4.88; Harry Levey, Physical Training, \$36.00; Silver-Burdett Co., Text Books, \$8.14; The Union Paper & Tissue Co., Printing Dept, \$19.74; A. B. Dick Co., Furniture, \$3.30; The Book Shop Binder, Manual Training, \$7.41; American Book Co., Library Books, \$2.63; James C. Cobb, Stamps, \$10.00; W. Newman, Domestic Science, \$6.00; Erwin & Smith, Domestic Science, \$6.00; Hallock Grocery, Domestic Science, \$17.32; Lawson-Erb Lumber Co., Physical Training, \$18.77; Charles H. Werner & Sons Co., Furniture, \$28.75; Arthur J. Tuggey & Son, Insurance, \$40.00; Alfred J. LaBelle, Library

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