

OAKLAND COUNTY NEWS IN BRIEF

Judge Glenn S. Gillespie could not see how Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lashley of Royal Oak slandered Dr. and Mrs. John G. Kirker of Detroit as the latter charged in a suit. He directed a verdict of no cause for action.

The St. James Methodist Church of Pontiac outrew its quarters in the Oakland Park neighborhood and called the fire department. Chief Frank W. Kahn agreed to a request and services are being held in the No. 4 fire station.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Wilson of Bloomfield Hills sold their home on Quinon road to Mr. and Mrs. Delos Fowler, formerly of the Indian Village Manor, Detroit.

Daniel Donaldson died last week at 85 in his home at Lapeer where he had participated in 5,000 auction sales. For more than 50 years he was an auctioneer and as the reputation of being the best known man in that section of the state. He leaves a family.

The Oakland County road commission has the authority to complete construction of two miles of concrete on the Nine Mile Road between Southfield and Redford. The county board of supervisors gave the O. K. The present road is not so good, the board agreed.

Activities of the Oakland County Health Department this month is attested by the report of Dr. V. K. Volk who says more than 2,000 diphtheria toxin-antitoxin injections have been given children of the county.

It will require approximately \$450,000 to maintain the government of the city of Ferndale, it is believed today following submission of a proposed budget to the commission. Whether this will experience its annual cut before being approved is the question being asked by taxpayers. The new board of review in Ferndale is also named. Its members are:

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Thomas Farnillo, E. J. Chase, and Reginald Shepard.

Rochester Community House workers are completing their plans today for the drive for funds to be started May 1.

Co-operation between owners of barbecue shanties along Woodward avenue in Royal Oak and the police department of that city in regard to the one a m. closing edict issued by Chief William Larimer is announced today. The bands stop playing and the children are sent home to their mamas when the big gong strikes once.

William Black, a 28 year old drawer from the hills of Ky., told a jury in Judge Frank L. Doty's circuit court he must have been insane when he killed a man he said was paying too much attention to his wife. The jury did not agree with him and found him guilty of manslaughter. He was sentenced to from seven and one-half to fifteen years in the state's prison at Jackson. Black's testimony was halting and almost unintelligible because of his low voice and heavy, slow drawl.

The city commission of Farmington has appointed William Mas to head the department of public works. The new commission has struck its stride now and organizations of new city departments is expected.

The idea of landscaping is taking a strong hold of residents of Milford who have approved planting shrubs and trees near the library building. The program will take several years to complete.

John A. Swets, history teacher and coach at Holly High School has resigned to take a position at the high school in Holland, Mich. He has been in Holly three years.

The American Legion dance at Orion is set for May 8 at the Park Island Pavilion.

Royal Oak is to submit a bond issue to the vote of the people to determine whether the city shall have a municipal hospital. The John E. Jansen site which fronts on Detroit avenue as is situated between Main street and Rochester road has been proposed at a cost of \$50,000.

The S. H. Smith Concrete Construction company, of Detroit, has been awarded the contract at \$10,400 for the paving of 80,000 square feet of sidewalk in Royal Oak.

CASE DISMISSED AGAINST TWO MEN

Settlements Made in Embezzlement, Worthless Check Charges

On payment of \$15 costs, the case of Harry Hancock, of west Maple avenue, charged with embezzlement of \$100 from the Atlantic and Pacific store on west Maple avenue, where he was employed, was dismissed Friday by Judge Floyd S. Buck, C. W. Schulz, auditor, who signed the complaint stated that a settlement had been made out of court.

The case of Loren D. Weaver, of Pontiac, was also dismissed upon the request of the prosecuting attorney. Weaver was charged with passing a worthless check for \$201. The complaint was signed by Ayers M. Miller, also of Pontiac.



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