

EX-VILLAGER'S RITES HELD

Mrs. Mary B. Walrath Succumb; Was 81 Years Old

Mrs. Mary B. Walrath, 81, a former resident of Birmingham was buried Saturday in Evergreen cemetery at 4 p. m. with Rev. David Leon Woodward, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Nearly 14 years ago Mrs. Walrath left Birmingham to make her home in Tampa, Fla. She was a resident of the village for five years, however, and was well known to villagers at that time.

News Of Baldwin H. S. And Other Schools

BALDWIN STUDENTS OUT-CLASS TAMMANY IN COUNCIL ELECTION

If a president should be elected tomorrow the intricacies of politics would be no mystery to Baldwin Junior High students. Only last Wednesday they completed their own three week political campaign which made Eldridge Drury, president of their student council, and Betty Quanton and Clark Mathews, vice-president and secretary treasurer, respectively.

It was a heated campaign with many candidates in the field, and members of the junior high school turned out nearly 300 strong to cast their vote for their favorite. Two candidates were named for president.

Secret Ballots

But this voting was no haphazard matter. Secret ballots were issued to the registered voters who retired to the temporary voting booths in the auditorium. It was a most serious and important matter to these young voters.

That every detail of the election should be strictly legal. The Hoover-Smith campaign could have held no more interest for the junior high students than did their campaign, with their mass meetings and their election stunts. For three weeks blaring banners of purple and gold proclaimed "Drury the students' choice" or "David Curry for president" in a gay red and white. The high school printing shop was kept busy turning out colorful placards lacking in imagination, while some more ingenious students fashioned imitation campaign buttons bearing the name of their favorite. In fact there was everything but the old-time torch light parade.

Start Petitions

Candidates were named by petitions circulated by the students. They in turn choose their campaign managers, Drury naming Ward Cornwell, and Curry, Roxane Lambie. From then on it was up to the managers with the programs of speeches and publicity offering dauntless excitement.

Then came the final mass meeting, presided over by William Day, president, when the 14 speeches and two persons gave endorsement talks for each candidate. It was a heated campaign for the best man, with no thought of party platform. Mrs. Golda Holecheck, advisor and teacher of civics in the Baldwin Junior High School, was in charge of the election and campaign. Mrs. Louis Hicks, Miss Vida McGiffin and Howard Krull also assisted.

Inauguration of the officers will take place the second week in September. Mrs. Holecheck announced.

Complete election returns are as follows: president, Eldridge Drury, 181; David Curry, 90; vice-president, Betty Quanton, 118; Robert Gibbons, 85; Robert Utter, 67; secretary and treasurer, Clark Mathews, 133; Betty Wood, 73; and Edith Rainey, 61.

Faculty Gives O. K.

The council which was an innovation in the Birmingham schools last fall has met with the approval

SPEAKER

The Right Reverend Herman Page, D. D., bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Michigan, will confer and preach in Christ Church, Bloomfield Hills next Sunday at 4:30 p. m.

Bishop Page was born in Boston, Mass. He is a graduate of Harvard in Arts and Divinity, and his doctor's degree was granted by the University of Pittsburgh in 1906. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1921 by Bishop Talbot.

His first charge was a mission in Wallace, a mining camp in northern Idaho, and following that he was in charge of St. Luke's Church, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. From there he moved to Massachusetts, where he was rector of St. John's Church, Fall River, a parish composed largely of cotton mill operators, and also of Christ Church, Swansea, a rural parish. In 1920 he became rector of St. Paul's Church, Chicago, where he introduced the Every Member a Campaign along present-day lines.

In this parish he paid some particular attention to Religious education, a music and gong-antry. He was one of the first to engage in the ministry of healing, and while in Chicago he held a sort of clinic where all manner of cases were brought to him. In 1915 Bishop Page was elected bishop of Spokane, where he stayed nine years, during which he held many missions and did considerable experimenting with the use of women workers in the mission field.

While rector of St. Paul's, Chicago, he compiled a book of prayers in collaboration with the Rev. Gilbert W. Ludlow, now rector of St. Andrew's Church, Algonac, and also prepared a manual for confirmation and Holy Communion. He was elected bishop of Michigan in 1923, and took up his duties here Jan. 1, 1924.

of the faculty, according to Clarence Mlet, superintendent. "It is an outgrowth of the citizenship plan which has been introduced in the village schools. It has proven so successful that we are urging some member of the faculty to present the plan at the annual district meeting of the Michigan Education association Oct. 28 and 29 in Ann Arbor."

Melvin C. Hart, principal of the Baldwin high school, described the council as the finest project of the year in the Birmingham schools. It makes the student feel a school responsibility which he otherwise does not know," he said.

MANY ATTEND MUSIC RECITAL

Many attended a recital given at 8:15 p. m. Monday at the Baldwin High School by pupils of the advanced vocal classes. They were directed by Miss Mae Brumsted.

Mrs. Neva M. Fossenkemper, violinist, and Mrs. Esther E. Hans, harpist, assisted with the program. Those appearing in the recital as soloists included: Hylen McClelland, Shirley Brown, Dorothy Detweiler, Marjorie Porter, Doris Rott, Roderick Cox, Aileen Fell, Doris Cox, Robert Lyons, Virginia Chichester, Elizabeth Cole, George Jerstad, Vadne Scott and Mary Wenzl. Two selections by members of the vocal classes closed the program.

GRADES PLAN FIELD EVENTS

Members of the 7A and 7B grades at the Baldwin High School will hold their first annual field day and outing at 4 p. m. today at the home of G. C. Jones, Pleasant avenue.

Stunts and athletic contests will be the program for the afternoon, the classes vying with one another for a silver-loving cup. The trophy has been purchased this year by the two classes and is to be kept by the class receiving the greater number of points.

Committees for the affair are headed as follows: Billy Hutchinson, trophy; John Mills, games; Manley Botting, refreshment.

Miss Esther Barbs, Miss Ethel Hughes and Mrs. Ethel Waterman, class advisors, have also assisted.

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