G. T. Track Removal Cost $3,000,000

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Accurate Information On Right-of-way Expenditures Impossible, He Says

GRADING IS INCLUDED

The state has paid out $2,920,350 toward the removal of the Grand Trunk tracks for the completion of the wider Woodward highway between Detroit and Pontiac, it was revealed by Attorney General Wilbur M. Brucker.

No accurate estimate of the total cost is possible until litigation is completely settled, he said. One tenth of this money was used for grading for the railroad and the remainder for right of way, he said.

PASTOR RECEIVES CAR FROM PARISH

At the service last Sunday morning at the First Baptist Church, it was announced that Rev. and Mrs. David Leon Woodward had been presented with a new car. It is a new sedan and it came as a result of the generosity of one of the members of the church.

WE HEARD IT SAID BY—

Dr. S. S. Marquis, rector Christ Church: "The Birmingham Community House will administer to the spiritual as well as the physical side of the village."

THREE MEN PAY AFTER 'BATTLE'

Plead Guilty To Disorderly Charge After Staging Bout In Hills

Charged with creating a disturbance Saturday night in a grocery store on north Woodward avenue in Bloomfield Hills village three persons paid fines of $35 each Monday in Justice Floyd S. Buck's court. The alternative was 20 days in jail.

The men had been fighting.

They were: Sam Rolof, Albert Walters, both of 6143 Field avenue, and Adolph Schram, 7429 Linwood avenue, all of Detroit. Patrolman Isma Banks, of the Hills police made the arrests.

If Governor Long of Louisiana is as wicked as his enemies say he has Mr. Hyde off Dr. Jekyll fame backed off the map.

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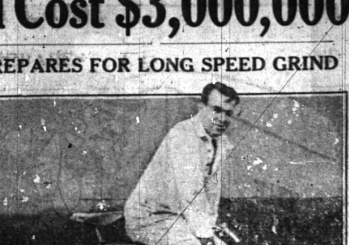

Ray Gulotta, youthful Italian racing star, prepares his body as well as his car for the gruelling speed grind in the international 500-mile race at Indianapolis, May 30. Last year he had victory in his grasp when a cracked gasoline tank threw him out. Gulotta is shown as he trains on his bicycle at Indianapolis.

VILLAGE MAN GIVEN AWARD

Baldwin Graduate Ranks Third In Architectural Contest

W. Ray Winegar, 30, a native of Birmingham and a graduate of the Baldwin High School, is winner of third place over more than 1,000 competitors for the A. W. Brown Traveling Scholarship for architecture throughout the United States, it is announced today.

The problem called for a memorial building to Lindberg's flight from New York City to Paris in 1927.

Mr. Winegar is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Winegar, of Chapin avenue. He is a graduate of Albion College and has attended the architectural school at the University of Michigan.

He now resides in Detroit and is employed by Smith, Hinchman and Grylls, architects.

Just now the only desirable thing about membership on the Federal Reserve Board seems to be the salary.

Try An Eccentric Classified Ad.

WE HEARD IT SAID BY—

Mrs. J. N. Hadjisky, of Bates street: "Miss Agnes McBhail, only woman member of the Canadian parliament, who spoke last Wednesday before the Woman's International League for Peace and Freedom at their convention in Detroit was as entertaining as Harry Lauder or Will Rogers, although she spoke of international affairs of considerable import."

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BOWLING

Birmingham Dept. Store vs. Jeff's Sandwich Shop

Walton	173	166	181—	520
Nixon	150	189	170—	509
Totals	323	355	551—	1029
C. Gravelin	147	182	169—	498
Van Wagner	150	178	125—	453
Totals	297	360	294—	951

Star Lunch vs. DeSoto Sales

Ryan	176	132	167—	475
Matice	158	144	158—	460
Jagger	163	146	192—	501
Wreantly	131	151	182—	464
Haynes	179	147	147—	473
Totals	807	730	846—2383	
Green	212	188	154—	554
Gravlin	170	172	160—	502
Eurn	187	137	136—	460
Gaskill	156	188	153—	497
Adams	132	181	171—	484
Totals	857	866	774—2497	

Williams Boot Shop vs. RAP Real Estate

Bailey	121	147	172	440
Jewell	114	182	95	391
Steska	142	133	179	454
R. Brown	212	176	189	577
Paxson	202	188	156	546
Totals	791	826	791	2408
Kurth	192	136	154	[illegible]
Bearshear	126	170	169	465
Kemp	114	97	126	337
Moore	172	151	192	515
Grant	205	182	196	583
Totals	709	736	837	2382

Aside from living in a duplex apartment, Mr. Coolidge may be said to have retired to private life.

Rev. R. V. Chase of London, who preached several sermons against alcoholic beverages, received four bottles of whiskey on his birthday.

VILLAGE COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Village Commission held April 29th, 1929 at 8 p. m.

Present: President Ellerby. Commissioners Harry Allen, Robert Allen, Hersey, Halgren, Hulbert and White.

Absent: None.

Minutes of meeting held April 22, 1929 approved as printed.

207—A hearing was held on the construction of water mains and sewers in Harrowgate Subdivision.

208—Moved by Commissioner Hersey that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas April 29th, 1929 was heretofore fixed by this Commission as the time for the meeting to hear suggestions and objections to the construction of water mains in Harrowgate Subdivision including an 8" water main on Redford Road and that house services be installed for each lot on the streets proposed to be paved in said subdivision in the Village of Birmingham, and

Whereas due notice of the meeting has been given in the manner required by law to each person owning property liable for special assessment within a special assessment district established for such purpose, and the Commission did met on this 29th day of April, A. D. 1929 at 8 o'clock P. M. for the purpose aforesaid, and due hearing has been given to all persons making suggestions and objections to the proposed improvement, therefore

Be it resolved that water mains be constructed in Harrowgate Subdivision including an 8" water main on Redford Rord and that house services be installed for each lot on the street proposed to be paved in said subdivision in the Village of Birmingham, and

Be it further resolved that all lots in Harrowgate Subdivision excepting 1 to 65 inclusive and lots 97, 98, 99 and 100 be constituted Special Assessment District No. 170, upon which shall be levied and spread according to benefits, the sum of $16,666.37 being 5/6 of the cost of the project, and the sum of $7,411.25 being the entire cost of the house connections be assessed on all lots excepting 1 to 65 inclusive, or a total of $24,077.62 according to an estimate heretofore prepared by the Village Manager and now on file with the Village Clerk, and

Be it further resolved that the Village of Birmingham shall pay from the general funds the amount of $8,025.87, being 1/6 of the cost of the improvement, and

Be it further resolved that the Assessor of the Village of Birmingham be hereby directed, in pursuance hereof, to make a special assessment according to benefits as herein provided on all taxable lands and premises constituting Special Assessment District No. 170, the sum of $16,666.12 to reimburse the Village of Birmingham for the sum of $16,666.12 aforementioned, and to report the same to this Commission with all due haste.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

209—Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas April 29, 1929 was heretofore fixed by this Commission as the time for the meeting to hear suggestions and objections to the construction of storm sewer and drainage structures in Harrowgate Subdivision in the Village of Birmingham, and

Whereas due notice of the meeting has been given in the manner required by law to each person owning property liable for special assessment within a special assessment district established for such purpose, and the Commission duly met on this 29th day of April, A. D. 1929 at 8 o'clock P. M. for the purpose aforesaid, and due hearing has been given to all persons making suggestions and objections to the proposed improvement, therefore

Be it resolved that storm sewers and drainage structures be constructed in Harrowgate Subdivision in the Village of Birmingham, and,

Be it further resolved that all lots in Harrowgate Subdivision excepting 1 to 17 inclusive and 28 to 65 inclusive be constituted Special Assessment District No. 171 upon which shall be levied and spread according to benefits, the sum of $27,284.45 being 5/6 of the cost of the sewer and the sum of $3,546.03 being the entire cost of the house connections, or a total of $32,741.34 according to an estimate heretofore prepared by the Village Manager and now on file with the Village Clerk, and

Be it further resolved that the Village of Birmingham shall pay from the general funds the amount of $5,456.56, being 1/6 of the cost of the improvement, and,

Be it further resolved that the Assessor of the Village of Birmingham be hereby directed, in pursuance hereof, to make a special assessment according to benefits as herein provided on all taxable lands and premises constituting Special Assessment District No. 171 for the sum of $27,284.45 aforementioned, and to report the same to this Commission with all due haste.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

210—A postponed hearing was held on the construction of the proposed Birmingham-Woodward storm sewer.

211—Moved by Commissioner White that all proceedings under resolution No. 137 for the construction of a storm sewer on Edgewood, Cedar Drive, Floral from Lincoln to Bennaville and Bennaville Ave. be discontinued.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

212—A hearing was held on the removal of a tree at 371 Townsend.

213—Moved by Commissioner R. Allen that the tree at 371 Townsend be removed.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

214—Moved by Commissioner Hersey that the petition for curb and gutter on Pleasant Ave. within Northlawn Heights Sub. be denied.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

215—Moved by Commissioner Halgren that Assessor's Plat No. 10; Assessor's Plat No. 11; Assessor's Replat of Lots 1-9 inclusive, Brownell's Add'n and Lots 8-15 inclusive part of Lot 16 and vacated street of Hunter's Eastern Add'n; Assessor's Replat of Hunter's Add'n, part of Brown's Add'n and part of Taber Add'n be approved.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

216—Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that the matter of the cost of water services for the John Hanna property on Forest Ave. be referred to the Village Manager and that he report to this Commission in one week.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

217—Moved by Commissioner White that the street committee be instructed to make a study and present proposals for an alley, or alleys, and for the improvement of existing alleys on the west side of Woodward Ave. from the proposed Merrill St. extension to Lincoln Ave.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

218—Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that the Village of Birmingham borrow the sum of $7,000.00 from First National Bank of Birmingham for 3 months, for the purpose of paying current bills and payrolls, and that a promissory note signed by the President and Clerk and bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum be given therefore.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

219—Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that the President and Clerk be hereby authorized to sign a warrant for the amount of the Village payroll for the period ending April 30th when it is compiled and approved by the Manager, and that the Treasurer submit an expense voucher for the approval of this Commission at its next regular meeting.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

220—Moved by Commissioner Hersey that Otto Reier and Walter Connelly each be paid $75.00 for their services on the Board of Review for the year 1928, and that Robert McClellan and Walter Connelly each be paid $75.00 for their services on the Board of Review for the year 1929.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

221—Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that the following bills be paid:

Acme Window Cleaning Co., $24.00; American Legion, Birmingham Post, $125.00; Carroll Machine & Tool Co., $37.06; City of Detroit, $1.75; Wm. Ford & Co., Inc., $30.38; Hepco Sewer Root Cutter Co., $20.00; Michigan Road Maintenance Co., $29.80; F. C. Newell, $206.00; E. W. Osborne, $513.76; Pittsburgh Equitable Meter Co., $143.59; Register of Deeds, $4.50; Remington-Rand Business Service, Inc., $97.37; Slater Construction Co., $2.75; Miller, Canfield, Paddock & Stone, $30.00; Chas. Plumstead, petty cash fund, $13.89; Bonds and interest due May 1, 1929, $27,486.54.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

222—A communication was received from Miller Storm Co., Inc., requesting that sidewalk be installed on Lot 187, Sheffield Estates.

223—Moved by Commissioner Hersey that sidewalks be ordered in on Lot 187, Sheffield Estates.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

224—A communication was received from Walsh, James & Wasey Co.

225—Moved by Commissioner Halgren that the communication from Walsh, James & Wasey Co. be referred to the Village Attorney for written report and recommendation.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

226—Moved by Commissioner Robert Allen that the Manager be authorized to negotiate with Mr. Wallace Frost for the design of a pump house and report back to this Commission in one week.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

227—Moved by Commissioner Halgren that the Village Manager be authorized to purchase a street grader at a cost not to exceed $1,200.00, the money to be taken from the contingent fund.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

229—Moved by Commissioner White that the Village co-operate with the Board of Education in the engagement of a playground director for the summer of 1929, the expense to the Village not to exceed $233.00.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

230—Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that a plumbing license be granted to Ralph J. Norton, and his bond covering same be accepted.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

231—Moved by Commissioner Robert Allen that a milk license be issued to H. G. Lilly.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

Moved by Commissioner Halgren that the meeting adjourn.

Yeas: 7; Nays: 0.

MYRTLE E. CARSON,
Village Clerk.

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 22nd day of April A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Alice J. Brooks, Deceased.

Bettie M. Barr 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 the petitioner, executrix named in said Will or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of May A. D. 1929, at nine A. M. at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

DAN A. McGAFFEY,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
RUTH IMMICK,
Register of Probate. 2-4

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 19th day of April, A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of George H. Mitchell, Deceased.

Emeline Mitchell Hand 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 Emeline Mitchell Hand or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 20th day of May, A. D. 1929, at nine A. M. Eastern Standard Time, at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

DAN A. McGAFFEY,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
RUTH IMMICK,
Register of Probate.
Patterson & Patterson,
Attorneys for Petitioner.
402-04 Pontiac Bank Bldg.,
Pontiac, Michigan. 2-4

MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made for more than thirty days in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Wilbur W. McAlpine and Mary Belle McAlpine, his wife, to Pontiac Commercial and Savings Bank of Pontiac, Michigan, a Michigan Corporation, dated the 14th day of July, A. D. 1926, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland and State of Michigan, on the 16th day of July, A. D. 1926, in Liber 422 on Mortgages, on pages 378-81, by reason of said default, the mortgagee has elected and does hereby elect to declare this whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, and taxes the sum of One Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty and 97/100 ($1,830.97) Dollars, and an attorney's fee of Thirty-five and no/100 ($35.00) dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Tuesday, the 16th day of July, A. D. 1929, at one o'clock in the afternoon, Central Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the Easterly Entrance of the Court House in the City of Pontiac, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to-wit:

Property situated in the Village of Birmingham, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, described as follows: to-wit: Lot Numbered Twenty-two (22) of Bird & Stanley's Addition to the Village of Birmingham, located on the northwest quarter of Section Thirty-six (36), Town Two (2) North, Range Ten (10) East, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated: April 15th, 1929

PONTIAC COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK,
of Pontiac, Michigan,
Mortgagee.

PATTERSON & PATTERSON,
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
Pontiac, Michigan. 1-13

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 13th day of April, A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Albert W. Campbell, Deceased.

Charles J. Boyer, executor of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, that the 3rd day of September, 1929, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.

DAN A. McGAFFEY,
Judge of Probate.

A True Copy.
RUTH IMMICK,
Register of Probate. 1-3

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 12th day of April, A. D. 1929.

Present, Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of James F. Wopster, Deceased.

Thomas H. Cobb, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court his final account 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 administrator.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of May, A. D. 1929 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.

DAN A McGAFFEY,
Judge of Probate.

(A True Copy.)
FLORENCE DOTY,
Deputy Probate Register. 1-3

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