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**CHARITY WORK GROUPS MEET TO LAY PLANS**

Holiday, Year Round Enterprises To Be Discussed Next Thursday HOUSE IS IN CHARGE

A meeting is announced for next Wednesday at the Birmingham Community House to lay plans for holiday charity work in Birmingham. Chairmen of social service committees of all village organizations will convene. It is planned to use the Community House as a clearing house for village charity work at least one last year, according to Mrs. Charles J. Shain, president of the House board.

Approximately 300 persons were cared for last year through the Community House social service department. Mrs. Shain reported. "We would not be able to do this without the help of village organizations both in reporting cases and in contributing help. We are calling this meeting so village charity may be organized to bring about the maximum results," she said. Mrs. Shain also announced a meeting of all board members and chairmen of House groups at 2 p. m. Monday at the Baldwin Public Library.

**FRANKLIN**

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houghton of Detroit and Miss Sarah Ennis of Birmingham were guests at the home of Mrs. Susan Rayner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sidebotham of Detroit visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Every, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Romaine Pike of Farmington were callers in Franklin, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pickering entertained ten guests at a dinner at their home, Saturday night. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Will Forman, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Forman and son, Gaylord, Bert Forman, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pickering, and Mr. and Mrs. John Curran.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stockwell of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. John Freeman of Pontiac were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Gray and family, Sunday.

The Girl Scouts will hold a masquerade party, Friday night, at the home of the Misses Nona, Mattie and Fern Fraser.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Luce have as their guest, Mrs. Luce's sister, Miss Bernice Miller of Napoleon, Mich.

The Auxiliary Society and the Franklin Cemetery and Community Hall Association which will hold Nov. 6, at the home of Mrs. Daniel McIntyre have selected the

**REPORT SHOWS WEATHER FAIR**

Mean Temperature For Past Month 62.7, It Is Shown

Generally warm weather with plenty of partly cloudy days but a scarcity of rain was the climatological situation in Oakland County during the last month, according to the official report compiled by the weather bureau at Michigan State Hospital, Pontiac.

The mean temperature for the month was 62.7 degrees on the Fahrenheit thermometer. This is above normal for this vicinity. The highest temperature was 92 degrees and the lowest 24 degrees.

Rainfall was 1.82 inches below normal with a total of 1.06 inches. Only six days recorded a precipitation of .01 inch or more. Ten days were clear, 17 partly cloudy and three cloudy.

The Oakland County summary is indicative of the situation throughout the state. D. A. Seely, state meteorologist at Lansing reports as follows:

"The first few days of the month were unusually warm. Many stations recorded temperatures 95 degrees or higher on the third and fourth."

"Freezing temperatures from the 18th to the 20th killed potatoes, garden truck and other late crops except in a few localities."

"Rainfall was light in the south and south portions of the state and the severe drought that prevailed in August was still unbroken in many sections at the close of the month. Fall plowing was difficult or impossible and the acreage sown to wheat and rye was considerably reduced."

Following on table committee, Miss Phena Bigelow, Mrs. Ralph Bristol, Mrs. Clayton Curran, Mrs. Glenn Bingham, and Mrs. William Clemons, Jr.

The 4-H Sewing Club of the Franklin School will meet at the home of Lucile Bingham, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Gladys Luce, and Mrs. Elizabeth Hobbs, teachers at the Franklin School, attended the teachers institute held at Ann Arbor, Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. William Powers, of Bay City was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gass of the Ten and One Half mile road, and of Dr. and Mrs. E. At Smith, of Lahser road, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne Cooper, (Miss Blanche Brooks) of Wedded Lake, have moved to Pontiac.

Lawrence Smith, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Lahser road, was home for the week end from Michigan State College, at Lansing.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Shallenberger Vance, of the Southfield United Presbyterian Church, entertained the preachers of all the United Presbyterian Churches in the Detroit Presbytery and their families Friday evening at their home on Franklin road.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Southfield United Presbyterian church will hold a bus party tomorrow evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, of Southfield. Mrs. E. A. Smith, of Lahser road, is chairman of the affair.

**LEGAL NOTICES**

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**REVIEW OF WATER MAIN SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL**

Notice is hereby given that Water Main Special Assessment Roll No. 2 in the Township of Southfield has been prepared by the Supervisor and filed with the Township Clerk for public inspection, including the following land parcels, designated as Water Main Special Assessment District No. 2: Southamton Subdivision, Lots 1 to 261, block include, being a subdivision of the N. W. 1/4 of Sec. 16 of Section 22, T. 1. N. K. 10, R. 10, Southfield Township, Oakland County, Michigan.

By order of the Township Board, W. C. CLARK, Township Clerk.

STATE OF MICHIGAN: In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1923.

In the Matter of the Estate of Warren D. Climb, Deceased. Trustee of said estate having filed in said Court its first annual account and petition praying for the same to be allowed and approved, It is Ordered, that the 16th day of November, A. D. 1923, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, 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, in the Birmingham Eclectic, a newspaper entitled and circulated in said County.

DAN A. MCGAFFEY, Judge of Probate. (A True Copy.) FLORENCE DOTY, Deputy Probate Register. 23-28

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**CHURCHES**

Christian Science Church Chester and Willets streets. Church, 10:30 a. m. Sunday School, 10:30 a. m. Wednesday evening at 8.

Reading room in the church building is open from 11:30 a. m. until 4:30 p. m. daily except Sundays and holidays. It is also open on Wednesdays before and after the service.

"Prayer after Death" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches on Sunday, Oct. 27.

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "He that hath an ear let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches: He that overcometh shall not be hurt of the second death" (Rev. 2:11).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Remember that mankind must sooner or later, either by suffering or by Science, be convinced of the error that is to be overcome" (p. 240).

Chapel of the Holy Name Harmon at Woodland Reverend William W. Ryan, Pastor Sunday Masses, 8, 9, 11, 12. Daily Masses, 7, 9. Baptisms, Sunday Afternoon at 4 to 6; Saturday Evening 7:30 to 9; Before the Early Masses.

Methodist Episcopal Church Maple Street, Rev. Henrietta St. Robert Marens Atkins, Pastor Sunday School, 10:00 A. M. Morning Service 11:00 A. M. Sermon Subject: "Birmingham suffering station to the Church and the Religion of Jesus."

Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Sermon Subject: "The Church and the Religion of Jesus." Evening Service 7:15 p. m. Sermon Subject: "Debunking the Notion."

Saint James' Episcopal Church Warner St. Forsyth, Rector Friday Nov. 1: All Saints Day. Holy Communion 7:30 and 10:00. Sunday Nov. 3: 27th Sunday After Trinity 9:00 Holy Communion; 11:00 Holy Communion and Sermon.

Church School: 9:45 Junior Classes; 11:00 Primary and Kindergarten.

First Baptist Church Bates at Willets St. David Cook Woodward, B. D., Minister Res. 248 Ferndale Ave.

Bible School, 10:00 a. m. This school welcomes you. Our equipment is ideal and the organization and teaching staff is good.

Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. During this month the pastor will preach at this hour on "The Cross Roads of Life." The subject of the sermon for this Sunday is "Jesus at the Cross Roads." The Lord's Supper will be celebrated and the hand of Christian Fellowship will be given to all new members. Mrs. Eva DeVilliger will sing a solo, "The Lord Is My Light" by Allister. Mr. Shantley Rosso will give an organ offertory solo, "To A Wild Rose" by MacDoppald. The choir will sing an anthem entitled, "He Shall Come Down Like Rain" by Allen.

Young People's Meeting, 6:30 p. m. All young people are welcome.

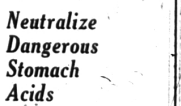
Evening Worship, 7:25 p. m. The first ten minutes of this service is given over to a brief recital of beautiful music on the organ by Shantley Rosso, organist. Mr. Frederick Prothero leads us in a

praising song service for ten minutes and then we have an anthem by the choir and a solo by Raymond Peck. The Ordinance of Christian baptism will be observed at this service. The sermon by Mr. Woodward will be on the fourth of the vital questions: "Is There A Hell?" It's better to learn the answer to this question now than later; so come and hear this interesting question answered Sunday night.

Official Board, Tuesday 8:00 p. m. Church Night, Wednesday, 6:30 to 9:00 p. m. This service is opened with a "pot-luck" dinner, after which we have a devotional period and then divide into two study-classes and a Training Class for parents and teachers. Last Wednesday we had over fifty present. These mid-week "Church Nights" are proving to be very popular. Everybody cordially invited.

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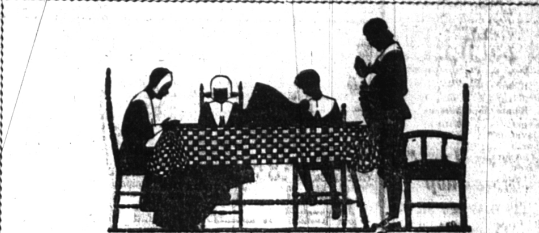


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