I am fond of the clear nights, the blue-black nights when the Universal Firmament reveals itself as still intact! How great are Thy works, oh, God! Sunlight for warmth, starlight for guidance!

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SHAKE-UP IS ORDERED IN STREET DEPT.

Commission Compels Parry To Appoint Schlaack New Superintendent

MOTION PASSES 4 TO 3

Re-organization of the Birminghad street department, with Phillip Schlaack as the new superintendent, was ordered by resolution of the Village Commission Monday night following the refusal of James W. Parry, village manager, to make the change upon the request of the commission two weeks ago.

The resolution was passed by a vote of four to three, the first disagreement of consequence between the members of the commission, and Mr. Parry announced that he would follow out the mandatory order this week. George A. Newman, present foreman of the department, will be offered a lesser position and Mr. Schlaack will succeed him as head of the department at the same salary, Mr. Parry said.

The split in the commission, which resulted from the proposed appointment, found President Harry Allen and Commissioners Lawrence Hulbert and Charles E. Lewis opposed to Commissioners Robert R. Allen, Walter L. Connelly, Maurice Lowman and Dr. Fred L. Tucker. President Allen's proposed amendment to the resolution ordering the appointment was defeated by a similar vote.

Investigation Held

Commissioner Maurice Lowman and Walter Connelly who composed the committee which investigated the street department requested the change be made several weeks ago but Mr. Parry declined to carry out the order until it was in the form of an official resolution. The result was a resolution tending to rebuke the village manager and order the appointment which Mr. Parry labelled "obviously political" several weeks ago.

Members of the commission expressed dissatisfaction with the operation of the department several weeks ago but Mr. Parry said that he didn't think the appointment would increase the efficiency of the group. The members of the commission who voted on the original resolution expressed dissatisfaction with the principle of the appointment. If the manager was forced to make an appointment to which he was opposed, and yet would be held responsible for the work and actions of the man appointed, it would not be an equitable management of the village's affairs, they said.

In the resolution Mr. Parry was given 30 days within which to appoint a new head of the department and although no specific mention of Mr. Schlaack as the man for the position was made, Mr. Parry has agreed to make the appointment, he said.

E. MAPLE AVE. TO BE CLOSED

Grade Separation For Railway Expected To Begin On Saturday

East Maple avenue will be closed between Cambridge and Edenborough avenues next Saturday when construction work on the Maple avenue grade separation will be begun. East-bound traffic will be re-routed north on Edenborough to Yorkshire avenue, east on Yorkshire to Cambridge avenue, and south on Cambridge back to Maple. The detour for west-bound traffic will be the reverse.

Tracks are now being laid across the bridge on Big Beaver road, where the separation will be completed by June 14, officials of the company believe. Pouring of the concrete at Big Beaver and Fourteen Mile roads is completed, as well as the Normandy and Thirteen-Mile road separations in Royal Oak. Construction on Charing Cross, Northwood, and

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Youth Is Injured On 'Whoopee Ride'

Wendell Walker, 18 years old, of Keego Harbor, was treated at the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac last Sunday for minor injuries he is reported to have received while riding on an automobile "roller coaster" at Woodward avenue and the Square Lake road.

Undersheriff Frank Greenan investigated the accident and reported that the machine in which Walker was a passenger did not leave the roadway.

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Jack Johnson "The Real Jack" Pays Speed Fine

Famous Negro Prize Fighter Nabbed By Sergt. Delos Anderson

James Sprott, former deputy-superintendent of the Detroit Police department, who ejected John L. Sullivan from a Detroit saloon long years ago, has nothing on Sergt. Delos Anderson of the Bloomfield Hills police department, who arrested Jack Johnson, Negro ex-heavyweight champion of the world, Saturday morning.

The former champion, whose sartorial effects spelled perfection itself, was getting the best out of a sport coupe of expensive make when Sergt. Anderson started after him. A merry chase through Bloomfield Hills down Woodward avenue brought the two into Birmingham, where the arrest was made.

Johnson returned to police headquarters with Sergt. Anderson and paid a $10 fine at the violation bureau, complaining that he was "awful poor."

WILL CONTINUE HOUSE DRIVE

Community House Workers Obtain $17,799; Close Campaign June 21

Workers in the Community House Roll Call drive for funds to support the organization's activities will continue until June 21, Mrs. Charles J. Shain, chairman of the women's committee announced today. Total pledges received so far in the campaign can not be accurately estimated but workers hoped to turn in $20,000 in pledges. It was announced yesterday that $17,788 of the $23,000 sought had been received.

Volunteer workers, who will continue soliciting throughout next week are: Mrs. John T. Edgerly, Mr. and Mrs. Harold S. Gray, Mrs. Fletcher Richards, Mr. W. A. P. John, Mrs. David R. Ballentine, Mrs. Rex Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pease Jr., Mrs. N. B. Eldred, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cochrane, Mrs. F. B. Etter, Mrs. I. B. Babcock, Mrs. C. G. Heinmiller, Mrs. H. J. Klingler, Mrs. Norman Lyle, and Mrs. Edward L. Bryant.

Campaign offices are kept open during these two weeks, although Miss Ella Lee Cowgill, who was loaned by the Royal Oak Community Union for eight weeks to help the volunteer organization set up the roll call, left at the official termination of the campaign May 29. Much credit is due Miss Cowgill, Mrs. Shain says, for the success of the campaign.

May Report Given

The extent of the Community House welfare work was revealed Monday in the May reports of the staff officers. The employment shop, of which Mrs. Fred Trumbull was in charge, sent out 81 persons for 262 jobs. Twenty-two maids were placed, 14 of whom retained their positions, one cook, three office girls for temporary positions, and 12 part time and regular workers were given employment.

Telephone calls numbered 1493, and 792 pesonal calls were made. The report of the Thrift Shop, operated by Mrs. Otto Beier, shows that 46 garmnts were given away at the shop during the month.

The shop was patronized by 45 persons, and receipts amounted to $62.45. Total receipts for the year, which includes the months of October through May, equalled $769.15. Contributions were made to the shop by 30 persons during the month.

Miss Mary Clark Griffith reports that 7,400 people used the Community House in May, and that 128 meetings were held there. George S. Yaple, executive secretary, announced the following welfare expenditures: $32.50 for gas and electricity for six families; $174.20 for immediate food relief to 27 families; and $36.70 for shoes, rubbers and galoshes. Mr. Yaple also announced that $321.99 had been spent furnishing milk for 28 families since Jan. 1.

BUDGET GIVEN APPROVAL; TAX IS SET AT $13.50

Rate Is 50 Cents Higher Than Last Year; Valuations Are Lowered

ASSESSOR REPORTS

Birmingham's budget, tax rate and assessed valuation for 1930 were approved and adopted by the Village Commission Monday night. The tax rate for 1930 is $13.50 per thousand, or 50 cents higher than last year. The budget for 1930 is $427,413 as compared with the budget of $383,295 in 1929. The assessed valuation has been lowered by A. M. Noonan, village assessor, from $25,478,000 in 1929 to $24, 877,270 this year.

Mr. Noonan's report of the confirmation by the board of review of the assessed valuation was approved by the village commission and the motion to adopt the new budget was made by Commissioner Walter L. Connelly. Mr. Connelly also moved the approval of the assessment roll, and the $13.50 tax rate to yield $335,843.15, which with the surplus as of Jan. 1 of $46,331 and miscellaneous current revenue of $45,843, will bring the budget to $427,413. Mr. Noonan divided the assessed valuations as follows: Land, $12,880,930; buildings, $10,610,520, and personal property, $1,385,820.

Budget Provisions

The adopted budget for general administration provides a total appropriation of $278,454 of which $775 is for equipment, $57,476 for salaries and $220,203 for expense. The police department budget provides for $660 in equipment, $41,290 for salaries and $4,325 for expenses.

The fire department is provided $800 for equipment; $30,180 for salaries and $1,819 for expense. The sewer department appropriations of $7,935 will be divided as follows: $250 for equipment; $6,460 for salaries and $1,225 for expense. The street department's budget of $31,750 will be divided, $1,500 for equipment; $19,000 for salaries and $11,250 for expense. The department of parks and boulevards budget provides for $3,730 for salaries and $1,470 for expense.

A contingent fund of $25,000 brings the total to $427,413.

15 MOTORISTS GO TO COURT

Judges Fine Five As Drunk Drivers; Two Cases Are Pending

Eight motorists arrested on charges of driving while drunk and seven others arraigned on disorderly charges, appeared before Justices Floyd S. Buck and Malcolm Hunt in Birmingham in the past five days. Of the seven arrested for driving while drunk, five paid fines totalling $510; another was sentenced to jail for 30 days and the seventh pleaded not guilty and his hearing was adjourned until next Tuesday.

Those arrested as being drunk and disorderly were fined $297. Joshua Wilson, 1021 Lansing street, Detroit, was arraigned before Justice Malcolm Hunt on June 3 for driving while drunk, pleaded not guilty and was released on bond of $200 to appear for trial next Tuesday. Frank Theuerday, 2810 Sixteenth street, Detroit, was given the option of a $75 fine or 30 days in jail and did not pay his fine. G. G. Coudney, 2251 Wabash avenue, Detroit, paid a $10 fine for being drunk.

Otto Schubert, 16940 East Jefferson avenue, Grosse Pointe, paid a fine of $35 on Wednesday. He was arrested by Bloomfield Hills police. Hugh Crisp, 1809 Church street, Detroit, paid a fine of $72 for being drunk and disorderly before Judge Buck. Henry Shortridge, 1351 Humphrey street,

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NOTED BELLMASTER HEARD AGAIN IN RECITALS AT CHRIST CHURCH

Anton Brees, bellmaster of Mountain Lake Singing Tower in Florida, professor of campanology in the Curtis Institute of Music, Philadelphia, and formerly bellmaster of Antwerp, Belgium, returned to Cranbrook this week to resume his summer concerts at Christ Church. Several hundred persons listened from their homes and automobiles to the first concert of the season, given last night.

The program was as follows: America; At Dawning, by Charles W. Cadman; Santa Lucia; the Lost Chord, by A. S. Sullivan; Gavotte and Double, by W. de Fesch; Lead, Kindly Light, by J. B. Dykes; Onward, Christian Soldiers, by Sullivan; Nearer, My God, to Thee, by Lowell Mason; Spring Song, by Mendelssohn; Humoreske, by Anton Dvorak; and Our United States, a Transvaal song arranged by Stokowsky.

The second concert will be heard tomorrow night, with the following program:

America; Flow Gently, Sweet Afton, by J. E. Spilman; Swing Low, Sweet Chariot, Negro Spiritual; Mother Machree, by Olcott-Ball; Tambourin, by J. Ph. Rameau; Soldiers of Christ, Arise, by Lowell Mason; Tell Me the Old, Old Story, by W. H. Doane; Adeste Fideles, Portuguese Hymn; Barcarolle, by J. Offenbach, from "The Tales of Hoffmann"; Traumerei by Schumann; Our United States, Transvaal Song, arr. by Stokowsky.

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BALDWIN WINS FROM PONTIAC

Baldwin High School closed its 1930 baseball season yesterday by swamping Pontiac High School 10-3. Two home runs, two three-base hits, ad six singles gave Baldwin its rights to victory.

Baldwin scored four in the third, five in the sixth and one in the final frame.

Wedge hurled for the Maroons and allowed only five hits, the longest being a triple, while Salters pitched for the Chieftans, allowing Birmingham twice as many hits. Wedge walked one man and struck out five to Salter's six strike-outs and five free passes.

Score by innings:

Birmingham	0	0	4	0	0	5	1	—10
Pontiac	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	— 3

LARGEST BODY OF STUDENTS TO GRADUATE

60 Will Receive Diplomas At Baldwin High School, June 12

PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

Another group of seniors, the largest in the history of Baldwin High school, will receive their diplomas Thursday evening, June 12, at the commencement exercises which will be conducted in the high school auditorium at 8 p. m. Dr. Paul Voelker, president of Battle Creek College, will give the commencement address and Mr. Clarence Vliet, superintendent of Birmingham Public schools, will present the diplomas. The valedictory and salutatory addresses will be given by Tom Wilson and Barbara Stecker, respectively. Melvin C. Hart, principal of Baldwin High school, will also speak and the class gift will be presented at this time.

Following are the 60 seniors who will be graduated: Jay Bassett, John Bangs, Betty Brown, Elton Buck, Alton Chatfield, Claudine Craig, Maud Curry, Louise Curry, William Dean, Oak DeBerg, Lauren Ford, Donald Gore, Rosemary Grimmelsman, Florence Hart, Doris Hoffman, Burns Holm, Katherine Hunt, Margaret Hurson, Mary Emma Green, Margarite James, Warren Jewell, Fred Johnson, Lilah Johnston, Geraldyne Kessler, Betty Kidder, Dorothy Kist, David Macomber, John Moss, Frances Murray, Thomas Neal, Kenneth Peck, Jane Poppleton, Alfred Pote, Carl Reynolds, Alice Richman, Red Rollins, William Sabom, Viola Schack, Gretchen Schildmiller, Herman Schwarze, Ralph Schwarze, Reed Scott, Charles Sdunek, Marjorie Shepherd, Alice Smith, Robert Stanger, Joy Stewart, Barbara Stecker, Patricia Stirling, Virginia Thomas, Gerald Uptegraff, Sanford Waring, Mary Wenzl, Mary Louise Widenmann, Thomas Wilson, Knowles Wilson, James Winborn, Roy Wragby, and Harry York.

TWO CRACKSMEN PUT ON PROBATION

Third Member Of Trio Who Stole Bakery Vault Remanded For Sentence

James Robe, 25 years old, 415 Berkshire road, Birmingham, convicted on a charge of breaking and entering the Serv-Rite Bakery in Pleasant Ridge from which a safe containing $2,100 was stolen Apr. 20, was placed on probation for two years Tuesday by Judge Frank L. Covert in the Oakland Circuit Court.

One of Robe's two companions, Max Berry, 21, of 2138 Russell street, Detroit, was also placed on probation, while Louis McClure, 24, of Royal Oak, pleaded guilty and was remanded for sentence.

Police report that the youths, after stealing the safe, put in an automobile and took it to a place on the Ten Mile road near John R where they forced it open with explosives. All but $800 has been recovered, police report.

TRAFFIC HAZARDS BRING COMPLAINT

Commission Seeks To Slow Down Speeding Youths In Village Streets

Birmingham children who are too small to operate motor vehicles with safety and high school youths who drive at excessive rates of speed on the village streets will be given particular attention by traffic officers during the summer months following the complaints made Monday night by members of the village commission.

Commissioner Lawrence Hulbert declared that boys too small to drive with any accuracy have been endangering the lives of adults and other children in

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Buick '27 Master 5-passenger Coupe, cost $2,000. Only $375. Birmingham Buick Co. Adv.8

THREE YOUTHS CAUGHT AFTER LONG PURSUIT

Boys Charged With Stealing Car Escape Death In Hail Of Bullets

AWAIT TRIAL FOR THEFT

Three Detroit youths who miraculously escaped death or serious injury Friday night when Sergt. William Green and Patrolman Robert Dunn fired 15 shots into the automobile in which the youths sought to escape, were being held by Detroit police today, awaiting trial on charges of unlawfully driving away an automobile.

The eldest youth, Glenn Day, 17 years old, was arraigned before Judge John A. Boyne in the Recorder's Court on Monday, waived examination and was held in $2,000 bond. His two companions, Francis Wilson, 16, and Lawrence Davis, also 16, are being held at the Juvenile Detention Home in Detroit.

According to the police report, the youths stole a machine in Detroit Friday evening and drove to Pontiac where they abandoned it when a connecting rod was burned out. Edward Westfall, a Pontiac taxi-driver, reported to the police that his machine was stolen and that he had seen the thieves speeding south in Woodward avenue. The Pontiac Police immediately informed Sergt. Green who, with Dunn, went to head off the youthful trio.

Try To Halt Car

At Brownell street and East Maple avenue the officers ordered the car to halt but the youths ignored the command and drove east on Maple avenue. Dunn drove the police car while Sergt. Green emptied his revolver at the youths during the long chase. They continued to speed ahead, however, and Dunn and Green continued the pursuit.

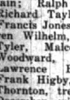
Green shot 27 times at the fleeing car and the first shot went through the rear window between the heads of the two youths in the back seat who were facing the officers. The other 14 shots pierced the body of the car and shattered the front windshield, the driver almost lying down while he steered the machine. The other youths lay on the floor of the car and although none of the bullets struck them, flying glass from the rear window, the windshield and a milk bottle that was in the car, inflicted minor cuts on the three boys.

A mile east of Rochester the driver of the car lost control, drove into the front yard of a home owned by Andrew Davidson, around the house and crashed into a tree in the rear yard. Sergt. Green and Patrolman Dunn then arrested the youths and returned them to Pontiac, from where they were turned over to the Detroit police.

NEW D'MOLAY HEAD CHOSEN

Richard Fleming Elected Master Councilor Of Hassberger Chapter

At a meeting of the James S. Hassberger chapter of the De-Molay, held Tuesday evening in the Masonic temple, Richard Fleming was elected master councilor, Stephen Grace, senior councilor, and Gerald Higby, junior councilor. Installation will be held next Tuesday evening.



Other officers, appointed by Mr. Fleming Tuesday, are as follows: George McKeough, senior deacon; Glenard Schwallie, junior deacon; Harold Elton, senior steward; Wilbur Dalley, junior deacon; Hugh Erb, orator; Charles Flower, sentinel; William Lancey, chaplain; Ralph Dennis, marshal; Richard Taylor, standard-bearer; Francis Jones, almoner; and Warren Wilhelm, Tom Moore, Alvin Tyler, Malcolm Ewer, James Woodward, Earl Halsey, and Lawrence Bassett, preceptors. Frank Higby, scribe, and Gordon Thornton, treasurer, elected last December, will continue in their offices for another six months.

The following members of the chapter's advisory board will act as installing officers, at the public installation Tuesday: installing officer, Charles A. Bingham; senior councilor, Robert K. McClellan; junior councilor, Ralph W. Bricker; senior deacon, Ralph A. Wilson; marshal, Clyde H. Wood; and chaplain, Frank H. Fleming.

Following the installation, the

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VILLAGE REMEMBERS HEROES OF WAR IN MEMORIAL SERVICES

With banners flying and martial music filling the air, more than 300 persons, members of the Charles Edwards Post of the American Legion, National Guardsmen from Pontiac, village Boy Scout troops and other civic and patriotic organizations, marched to the Greenwood Cemetery on Friday where solemn observance of Memorial Day was observed.

Beginning at 7 a. m. with the flag raising ceremonies at the high school and services in the high school auditorium at 9 a. m., the day was given over to remembrance of soldiers and sailors who sacrificed their lives that the country might live. A parade, at 9:30 a. m., left the high school and proceeded to Woodward avenue by way of Merrill street, passing the reviewing stand at Woodward and Maple avenues.

Capt. Lloyd L. Stanley was Marshal of the Day and the Rev. Henry S. Evans conducted the religious services at the high school and at the cemetery. A momentary rest at the bridge over the River Rouge at Willetts street was the occasion for brief ceremonies in honor of the sailor dead. A prayer was said and a wreath was dropped on the waters. Music was furnished by the Baldwin High School band.

Following the services in Birmingham many of the participants in the parade and other villagers went to the White Chapel Memorial Park where impressive services in which national, state, county and Detroit officials took part, were held in honor of the victims of the North Russia Expedition during the World War.

Gov. Fred W. Green, Senator Arthur Vandenberg, Mayor Charles Bowles of Detroit, and representatives of the Allies during the World War were heard in brief addresses of eulogy and 48 bodies of the heroes of the expedition, returned to the United States last winter from Russia, were laid to rest.

More than 35,000 persons were estimated to have attended the ceremonies and thousands of these were from the neighboring states of Ohio, Illinois and Wisconsin. The ceremonies were broadcast over radio station WJR.

GRADUATES' PICTURES

Pictures of the class of 1930, Baldwin High School, members of the faculty, Mr. Clarence Vliet, superintendent of schools, and Mr. Melvin C. Hart, principal of Baldwin High School, appear in this issue of The Eccentric on page four of part two.

BREAKS GOLF CLUB RECORD

George Craig, 17, Shoots 70 To Lower Mark At Birmingham Golf Club

Shooting consistently brilliant golf on Memorial Day, George Craig, 17 years old, 174 S. Park avenue, Detroit, a former Birmingham boy, scored a 70 at the Birmingham Golf Club to break the club's record.

Playing Sunday in the semi-finals of the Spring championship, Craig defeated Bud Willson, club champion, two and one. These competitors have faced each other on five occasions. Craig has managed to beat Willson in the Spring tournaments, but Willson wins the club championships.

The results in the other semi-finals are as follows: Class A, S. A. Willson Sr., defeated Tom Dunston, 43 and 3; Class B, Dr. W. P. Gibson defeated George Baldwin, one up; R. W. Marshall defeated C. G. Bennett, one up.

Class C—H. J. Chalfont defeated Ray Fohey, 6 and 5; J. E. Code defeated C. J. O'Connor, two up.

Young Craig shot the first nine

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BRANCH LIBRARY WILL BE OPENED

Mrs. Thomas Announces Books May Be Obtained At Pierce School

With the increased demand for books during the vacation months indicated in the monthly report of Mrs. Nancy B. Thomas, of the Baldwin Public Library, it has been decided to open a branch library at the Pierce School, beginning Tuesday, June 17. The branch library will be open to the public and an assistant from the Baldwin Public Library will be in attendance.

Mrs. Thomas announces that books for children and adults may be borrowed in the same manner as at the main library.

During May the circulation showed an increase of 465 over the same period in 1929. A total of 7,176 books were loaned, 5,410 from the main library, 806 from the Adams School, 519 from the Quarton School and 441 from the Pierce School. Fifty-two new registrations were made and 118

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MOTORCYCLE RIDER KILLED

Detroiter, Struck By Autos, Dies In Hospital Of Injuries

Ambrose Talmadge, 30 years old, 111 Adelaide street, Detroit, died in St. Joseph's Mercy hospital early Tuesday morning, from injuries received Sunday when he collided with two automobiles and was thrown from his motorcycle at the Long Lake and Rochester roads.

Talmadge was driving west on Long Lake road and could not stop in time to avoid the automobiles halted for the red light signal. He crashed into a car driven by Nick Anger, 4440 Dierck street, Detroit, and was thrown into the side of another car driven by Gerald F. Reid, 9200 Stoepel avenue, Detroit. His right leg was badly crushed, and he also suffered internal injuries. He was taken to St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital.

The body was removed to the funeral home of J. Lee Voorhees, and will be shipped from there to Coldwater, Mich., where funeral services will be held this afternoon. Talmadge is survived by his mother Mrs. Pearl Talmadge, his widow, a brother, Robert, and a sister, Mrs. Marie Eichler.

Anger and Reid will appear for questioning at the prosecutor's office today or tomorrow.

FOUR INJURED IN AUTO CRASH

Birmingham And Troy Residents Recovering In Pontiac Hospital

Four persons, injured Sunday at 9 p. m. in an accident at East Square Lake road and Squirrel roads are recovering today in the Pontiac City and St. Joseph Mercy hospitals. Frank Morrow, of Troy, is in the City Hospital with a possible fractured skull and cuts about the face and neck. His condition is improved, although he is not yet out of danger, hospital reports indicate.

Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. Bernice Clark, of 340 West Frank street, Brimingham, and her son, Gerald Shroeder, are in St. Joseph's Mercy hospital recovering from minor injuries. The accident occurred when Morrow, driving east on Square Lake road crashed into the car driven by Lineal Phillips, Quarton road, Birmingham, and carrying Mrs. Clark and her son as passengers. Phillips and Morrow's daughter, Esther, were uninjured. Both cars were wrecked.

Buick '28 Master Sedan; new tires; excellent condition. Birmingham Buick Co. Adv.8

COMMUNITY ARTS GROUP CLOSES SEASON PLANNING FUTURE GROWTH

Classes in Community Arts will be discontinued until the second week in September, with the exception of a drawing class for children under 14 years of age to be conducted at the Studio House on Bates street by Mrs. Eric Cortis-Stanford Saturdays at 10 a. m., beginning June 21. A nominal charge will be made, and each student is expected to continue for at least eight consecutive lessons. Mrs. Cortis-Stanford, an artist specializing in etching, is art instructor at the Bloomfield Hills school.

A meeting of the Board of Directors was held Thursday, and a program of expansion of facilities and addition of several new crafts was decided on. Due to the large number who have attended the pottery classes, and in anticipation of a larger group next season, the board decided that the entire first floor of the Studio House should be devoted to the making of pottery. Benches will be built and a wheel installed, the latter for those who have already had experience in making pottery. The "life-sketching" classes will be held upstairs.

A group in silver work and jewelry design under Miss Mar-

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WINDSTORMS

Even Michigan is not escaping destructive storms during this changing of seasons! To rest easy one should be protected by TORNADO INSURANCE. Rates are reasonable, $1.33 per $1,000 per year on three year contract. Who can afford to be without it? For particulars about this or any line of insurance call or see.

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FIRST SCORES IN $5,000 PRIZE DRIVE GIVEN

The Eccentric Announces Standing Of Candidates In Vote Campaign

EXTRA PRIZE OFFERED

The first vote scores in The Birmingham Eccentric's $5,000 Everybody Wins Campaign, is made public today, and it includes all votes cast for publication up to 8 p. m. Tuesday night. The score of the votes will appear each week hereafter.

Coincident with the printing of the first vote score, The Eccentric announces today an additional prize of $25 in GOLD to be awarded to the candidate turning in the most subscriptions this coming Saturday, June 7, before 9 p. m.

All candidates start at zero for this added prize—only subscriptions turned in Saturday will count towards winning the $25 in GOLD. This means that an entirely new entrant or one who has not started, could get busy and go "over the top" for this extra compensation, and at the same time, be piling up votes toward the two big cars and other cash awards.

With this extra prize offered for Saturday's results and in view of the short time remaining in which to secure the maximum number of votes on each subscription, Saturday should find candidates working and straining to make the close of this week one of the biggest of the campaign.

This week is the week to collect your promises. They count two ways now. Votes, during the big first period, with which to win the cars and credit on the extra $25 gold prize.

Those who heve been thinking of entering this campaign could find no better time than right now to make the start.

Remember—5,000 free votes given with each nomination, 50,000 extra votes given with each "Club" of subscriptions turned in during your first week in the campaign and 25,000 extra votes for each "Club" during the second week.

To Those Who Have Entered

What are you doing to assure yourself of one of the Grand Capital Prizes in this Prize Distribution? Are you doing YOUR part, or are you sitting back and hoping your friends will do it all?

Every candidate should be doing his or her utmost toward making THEIR prizes as big as possible. If your friends see that you are doing YOUR part, they will help you pile up a winning total. If, however, they see you are unappreciative and are expecting your friends to do it all, they will throw their support elsewhere.

It's up to you, candidates. DO YOUR PART AND YOUR FRIENDS WILL DO THEIRS.

Help Favorites

Subscribers wishing to favor some candidate may do so by giving them their renewal subscription and coupons. They may be left at Campaign headquarters, in The Eccentric office, or given direct to the candidate. In the event subscriptions are left at the office, care should be taken in naming the candidate who is to receive the votes.

SCORE BOARD

The following is a list of candidates in The Birmingham Eccentric's $5,000 Prize Campaign, together with all votes cast for publication up to 8 p. m. Tuesday.

Harold Atwell	265,500
Miss Leone Bingham, Franklin	58,300
Mrs. William Buck	5,000
Mrs. Carolyn Cole	279,200
George Corns Jr.	55,000
Mrs. Kate Drumm	72,600
Walter Forbes	247,100
Mrs. Inez L. Hoople	138,900
Miss Ethel Howlett, Big Beaver	21,200
Mrs. Chas. M. Jones	283,700
Edward L. Kurth	278,400
Miss Violet Prentice	121,200
Paul Savage	273,900
Mrs. Fern Thatcher	281,000
Thomas A. Townend	168,100
Mrs. Kathleen Walker	8,300

Commission Won By Village Youth

Lafayette, Ind., June 5.—W. S. Toothacker, of Birmingham, Mich. a member of the 1930 class in the Purdue University, will receive a commission as second lieutenant of field artillery in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States Army from President Hoover, June 7. This commission is the result of completing work in the advanced course in military training at Purdue.

HOLD DRAIN MEETING

A hearing on the Oakland-Macomb County drain, a project that is expected to cost $5,400,000, will begin today in the Ferndale City Commission rooms at 2 p. m. Harold H. Corson, Birmingham engineer, will represent the village at the hearing.