

### 5 QUESTIONS ARE ON BALLOT

#### Voters to Decide Re-Appointment, Cigarette Tax At Nov. 4 Election

In addition to voting on county, state, congressional and senatorial candidates in the November election, Oakland county voters, with voters all over the state, will be asked to say "yes" or "no" on five propositions pertaining to state government.

Of these propositions, the most important is the proposed constitutional amendment, which would provide for re-apportionment of representation in the state legislature on a new basis hereafter. Detroit and other large industrial centers, by virtue of their heavier population, would secure increased representation. Some smaller counties would lose representation. Wayne county is

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### Calendar of Coming Events

**Today:** Junior Birmingham branch of A. A. U. W. to meet at 8:45 at Devon Gables for dinner. Fellowship dinner at Birmingham Y. M. C. A. and A. M. to be conferred on two candidates: at the Community House; 8:00 p. m.; Oakland County Council of Women to meet: Mrs. John T. Edgerly's dancing class at 8:30 p. m.; Tomorrow: Boy Scout Court of Honor; Village Players will present three plays in Playhouse; St. James Fair and dinner in parish house; Village Players will present three plays in Playhouse; Saturday, Oct. 25: St. James Fair in parish house and dance in Community House; Halloween story hour for children at 10:30 a. m. in the Baldwin Public Library.

**Monday, Oct. 27:** Dr. Augustus Record will speak on Russia at first meeting of evening forum on International Relations in Community House; benefit bridge party at Bloomfield Village; the P. Y. S. Sisters will meet in Pythian Hall; Mrs. Wasson's dance.

**Tuesday, Oct. 28:** Mrs. G. J. Shair's class in International Relations will be held at 10:30 a. m.; Exchange Club luncheon at noon; and Girl Scout meeting in afternoon—all at Community House.

**Wednesday, Oct. 29:** Pythian Sisters will have pot luck luncheon and card party at home of Mrs. Thornycroft on Pontiac State Hospital grounds; in the Community House—Girl Reserves meeting; Lions' Club luncheon; and Business and Professional Women's Club luncheon.

**Thursday, Oct. 30:** Halloween party at Community House for household employees; Masonic dance at Bloomfield Park.

**Friday, Oct. 31:** Last date for payment of village taxes in Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills.

**Saturday, Nov. 1:** Red Cross drive opens.

**Friday, Nov. 7:** Annual banquet of Birmingham Real Estate Board at Community House.

**Saturday, Nov. 8:** First Players' dance.

**Monday, Nov. 10:** Rotary Ann. will meet at home of Mrs. S. O. Wylie Bell.

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inactive, unoccupied creatures who are looking for pastimes. My eyes would go back on me and force me to desert my chief diversion—reading. I determined to find a list of pleasures about which I could be enthusiastic. This thought brought me to the fact that I didn't care for music and wondered how a man could be persuaded to pay a dollar to hear a continuous noise for an hour and a half. Then I said to myself, "If one man can do it, another can" and I decided to go to concerts until I enjoyed them. At first I dreaded each one as I would an hour with the dentist, but I am glad to say I conquered my poor taste and today I can spend an hour with the dentist, the Beethoven Symphonies. More than that, I cannot now imagine how I ever lived without

morely as a technical forfeit and not as an actual one by the student body and faculty here, he said.

The Lincoln player, Vinees Quinlan, age 18, who lives in Pleasant Ridge, died Sunday morning from injuries received when the bus in which the Fernalde team was coming home from Port Huron was involved in an accident at Ten-Mile and Van Dyke roads in Centerville.

According to reports and the statement of Thomas Tilson, of East Nine-Mile road, driver of the bus, which is owned by the school, the bus was proceeding west on the Ten-Mile road. Tilson had slowed for a red light at Van Dyke road, but when the light changed shifted into second gear and proceeded across the intersection. In the center of the intersection he saw a glare of lights and a sedan struck the bus just back of the front wheels. The impact was sufficient to overturn the bus.

**Driver Is Held**  
The driver of the sedan, Cass Wachschi, of Detroit, is being held at Mt. Clemons for investigation. A warrant has been sworn out against him on a charge of involuntary manslaughter.

Leslie Charters, 17, halfback on the Ballplayer eleven, received serious injuries, including a fractured skull and possible concussion of the brain, and he and Coach David C. Brown are in a serious condition in St. Joseph's Hospital, Mt. Clemons. Thirteen others, including three at the time were injured. These were administered first aid and sent home, but excepting for Captain Vyder Clafin all the regulars were injured sufficiently to pre-

As soon as authorities here heard of the accident, Principal Melvin Hart extended the sympathy of the entire Baldwin student body and faculty to Lincoln High school in a letter to Mr. Bradshaw. He also informed Fernalde athletic officials that he would wish to cancel the game, Birmingham would also break the contract, eliminating the matter of Lincoln High to forfeit the game. A letter of condolences was also forwarded to this effect to the manager of the Fernalde band from the Baldwin band. Plans for the game were made for a program of the two musical organizations at the game.

**Getting in Shape**  
Coach Engel started right in Monday afternoon to drive the team, beginning with a series of hard blocking practices. The practice schedule throughout the week bore up his assertion that if he could prevent it the team would not get out of condition before the contest with the Tractor eleven.

Galm Kinnison, reserve center, was taken out of practice for the remainder of the season last Thursday afternoon when he suffered shoulder injuries in a practice scrimmage. The only possibilities now for the position are the regular center, Dale McCallister, and a substitute, Tom Miller. Thomas Moore, former center, has been shifted to guard in a series of changes following the loss of James McGinn, who moved to South Bend recently.

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Wilson told the board there is a law which requires a return to the fee system for sheriff, treasurer, clerk and register of deeds when the population exceeds 125,000. He suggested that the board take no further action until after the elections, Nov. 4.

Wilson also, acting in the place of the prosecutor, Norman C. Orr, gave his opinion on the equalization problem which has developed over last July's valuation. He suggested two legal alternatives: either for an individual supervisor or initiator. Suggestion against the board of supervisors as a body to compel the board to set aside its resolution adopting the report of the equalization committee of June 1930 and use the valuation as a basis for the apportionment of taxes, or through mandamus proceedings to compel the State Board of Equalization to do so.

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Mrs. Charles C. L'Honmedieu, and Mrs. C. H. Ranney.

Tickets for non-resident guests may be secured from Lawrence Shaffner or from Mrs. Hazel Lawler.

### Plan To Organize Employees' Club

A club of household employees will be organized next month at the Community House, when a group of young women, who held a preliminary meeting Thursday, will assemble and choose officers. A Halloween "hard times" party, for the benefit of the club, also was planned, and each member is to bring a guest.

### REA IS HELD ON ASSAULT CHARGE

#### Inspector Says Former Employee Struck Him After Discharge

Garland Rea, 732 West Humphrey street, will be tried tomorrow in the court of Justice Floyd S. Buck on a charge of assault and battery preferred by Sam Howling, a village inspector. Rea was arraigned last Friday. Pleaded not guilty, and was committed to jail on his failure to furnish \$200 bond.

According to Howling's testimony, he gave Rea a job in his department, but at the end of a few days, found it necessary to discharge him. Thursday evening, he said, Rea came over to his house, called him outside, and then proceeded to attack him. Howling called the police.

This was the second time in eight months that Rea has vented the inspiration and bile that music brings to one's life.

Another eminent writer once said: "Music has saved me many a time from acting on bad impulses. I sometimes suffer from the brutal instinct to take revenge on someone who may have given me unjust treatment. I do not intellectually believe in the cause of justice or revenge, yet the impulse is always strong within me to get even with any one who has injured me. In these circumstances I know of only one method for straining this hellish instinct—a concert. It never fails to turn my quarrel into a pigmy dream so insignificant that I could meet my enemy full face and swear he had never offended me."

Let us also not forget that the church has always urged to music an important part of the service, knowing what power it has to awaken the most spiritual feelings in the heart of man. Most of the great composers of music have been deeply religious and many first I dreaded each one as I would an hour with the dentist, but I am glad to say I conquered my poor taste and today I can spend an hour with the dentist, the Beethoven Symphonies. More than that, I cannot now imagine how I ever lived without

### Admits His Guilt On Forgery Charge

Darwood Mills, 23 years old, East Maple avenue, is being held in the Oakland County Jail at Portlake today awaiting trial on a charge of forgery. Mills, who is married and the father of two children, passed forged checks for \$48 on village merchants, the police report.

Mills was arrested by Detective Joseph McGreggor. Arraigned before Justice Floyd S. Buck on Monday, Mills pleaded guilty and was bound over to the Circuit Court for trial. Mills had been an unemployed man for several months before he was arrested, McGreggor reports.

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