

SCOUTS PRAISE Y. M. C. A. CAMP

Village Troops Enthusiastic About Copneconic Hike On Saturday

Nearly 50 Birmingham Boy Scouts and their leaders and fathers returned Sunday afternoon from a week-end at Camp Copneconic, Flint Y. M. C. A. camp near Fenelon. The camp, which was the first district mystery camp held here, was pronounced by the leaders, Scouts and guests as one of the most successful overnight camps they had ever attended.

Franklyn Whitney, physical education director at Baldwin High School and an assistant coach of the Baldwin High football team, spoke of it as "one of the best-organized overnight camps" he had ever attended. Most of the inter-trip week-end camps have been held at

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Growth Of Birmingham's Schools Seen In Survey Of Superintendent

The history of Birmingham schools for the past 10 years is clearly charted and graphed in a statistical survey compiled by Clarence Vliet, superintendent of schools. Figures are quoted to show the growth of changes during this period in the population of the village, the number of children in the district between the ages of five and twenty years, the June enrollment, the non-resident enrollment, the school tax rate, the total school levy, the money received from tuition, the total bonded debt, the floating debt, the total debt, the delinquent tax money, the value of school property, and the amount received from primary money.

The school enrollment has increased steadily every year, from 931 in 1920 to 2574 last spring. At the same time, the district valuation, with but one minor setback last year, has increased from \$5,322,340 to \$22,232,535. The total school levy, which rose from \$741,152 in 1920 to \$466,781 in 1927, has since then been gradually falling off, to this year's sum of \$398,407. The tax rate of \$17.82 per thousand is also the lowest in four years, and only 70 cents higher than the average rate for 10 years.

Lowest In Five Years
 The budget this year is the lowest in five years, the figures standing at \$518,947, while totals for other years in this period ranged from \$533,872 to \$821,327, this large sum including the cost of the new Barnum School. Sources of revenue, such as the tuition and primary money, have shown a steady gain, tuition

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Eton Road Drain Hearing On Nov. 5

Hearing on the Eton road drain will be held at 10 a. m. Nov. 5 at East Maple avenue and Eton road, the scene of the Grand Trunk grade separation. Judge

Arrested in Waterford Township Saturday on charges of trapping out of season, two men Monday pleaded guilty to the charge and were fined \$15 each by Judge Floyd S. Black. The men are Joseph Santrom, 32 years old, 408 West Huron street, and Joseph Trietick, 31, of 359 Marschal boulevard, both of Pontiac.

BOWLING

BROWNELL GARAGE			
M. Graybill	146	182	158-464
H. Reynolds	177	157	167-472
Nixon	149	172	171-475
Totals	772	711	2413
KERN RADIO			
W. H. Kern	185	154	135-444
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K. Brill	187	159	133-494
McDonald	174	163	172-517
Totals	739	710	2388
MAJESTIC RADIO SHOP			
H. Brown	157	151	135-461
H. Brown	157	151	135-461
H. Brown	157	151	135-461
H. Brown	157	151	135-461
H. Brown	157	151	135-461
Totals	628	614	2130
E. C. GAN STATION			
R. Chapman	151	149	177-509
R. Chapman	151	149	177-509
R. Chapman	151	149	177-509
R. Chapman	151	149	177-509
R. Chapman	151	149	177-509
Totals	754	736	2310
MOULTONBURY LUMBER			
Reilly	145	138	224-540
Reilly	145	138	224-540
Reilly	145	138	224-540
Reilly	145	138	224-540
Reilly	145	138	224-540
Totals	730	702	2268
SANITARY BARBERS			
Livingston	146	144	159-469
Walton	142	137	163-472
Walton	142	137	163-472
Walton	142	137	163-472
Walton	142	137	163-472
Totals	572	558	2026
W. W. KURTZ REAL ESTATE			
M. Jagger	143	139	167-475
W. W. Kurtz	143	139	167-475
W. W. Kurtz	143	139	167-475
W. W. Kurtz	143	139	167-475
W. W. Kurtz	143	139	167-475
Totals	714	695	2237
WILLIAMS FOOT SHOP			
P. Williams	156	152	158-519
H. Hill	152	150	170-511
H. Hill	152	150	170-511
H. Hill	152	150	170-511
H. Hill	152	150	170-511
Totals	612	602	2171
DETROIT KIDSON			
Stewart	142	139	167-475
Hornmaster	142	139	167-475
Gowbr	142	139	167-475
Hunter	142	139	167-475
Frankenfield	142	139	167-475
Totals	710	695	2237
BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC			
Schack	144	138	181-528
Dove	144	138	181-528
Thompson	144	138	181-528
Phillipson	144	138	181-528
Winters	144	138	181-528
Totals	710	695	2237
AXLER			
Tribblehorn	145	136	146-481
Axler	145	136	146-481
Boyer	145	136	146-481
Boyer	145	136	146-481
Boyer	145	136	146-481
Totals	710	695	2237
STILLBANKER			
Berthrong	139	132	188-509
Stillbanker	139	132	188-509
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Stillbanker	139	132	188-509
Totals	710	695	2237
POST OFFICE			
Fredericks	147	140	161-488
Winters	147	140	161-488
Winters	147	140	161-488
Winters	147	140	161-488
Winters	147	140	161-488
Totals	710	695	2237
BERGMAN DRUGS			
Dowges	156	144	156-476
Four	156	144	156-476
Four	156	144	156-476
Four	156	144	156-476
Four	156	144	156-476
Totals	710	695	2237
PECK'S TAILORS			
J. Benard	137	133	161-449
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J. Benard	137	133	161-449
Totals	710	695	2237
LEW ALDRICH			
Merr	139	134	145-485
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Totals	710	695	2237

TAXPAYERS AND VOTERS ATTENTION

DO YOU KNOW that the Salaries Budget for Oakland County in a period of ten years increased from \$100,000 in 1920 to over \$700,000 in 1930?

DO YOU KNOW that last year from Oakland County there was returned for Delinquent Taxes 143,000 lots and homes and 108,000 acres of other lands?

DO YOU KNOW that the total assessed valuation of this property was \$102,469,000 and the amount of Delinquent Tax was \$6,531,000?

Isn't this positive proof that the Tax in Oakland County as levied by the present administration is confiscatory?

DO YOU KNOW that the report of Sept. 8, 1930, shows the total bonded indebtedness of Oakland County for roads and drains alone to be approximately \$16,425,000?

DO YOU KNOW that the total assessed valuation of Oakland County is \$490,000,000 and that the State Constitution, Article Eight, Section Twelve, specifically restricts the indebtedness of any county to not more than Three Per Cent of its Valuation?

DO YOU KNOW we are at this time bonded for nearly One and Three-quarter Millions of Dollars more than the constitution allows?

HOW MUCH LONGER ARE YOU GOING TO ALLOW THIS CONDITION TO EXIST?

WILL YOU DO YOUR PART TO RECTIFY IT?

WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO NOVEMBER 4th?

If necessary, you must choose between your political party and your own welfare.

YOUR HOMES MUST BE PRESERVED!

WE SUBMIT A LIST OF MEN RUNNING FOR COUNTY OFFICES UNDER THE DEMOCRATIC BANNER. THEY ARE MEN OF REAL ABILITY AND UNIMPEACHABLE CHARACTER; MEN OF COURAGE AND LEADERSHIP, THOROUGHLY ACQUAINTED WITH THE CONDITION OF AFFAIRS IN OAKLAND COUNTY AND CAPABLE OF PROVIDING A REMEDY.

Vote For The Democratic, State, National and County Candidates

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| Governor
WILLIAM A. COMSTOCK | United States Senator
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| Lieutenant Governor
FRANK J. SAWYER | Congressman, 6th District
PATRICK H. O'BRIEN | Circuit Court Commissioner
WM. DOHANEY |
| Secretary of State
BURNETT J. ABBOTT | Representative, 1st District
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M. D. VAN WAGONER |
| Attorney General
ELMER KIRKBY | Prosecuting Attorney
CLARK J. ADAMS | Coroner
DeWITT C. DAVIS |
| State Treasurer
ENSIGN B. STEBBINS | Sheriff
FRANK C. DUNSTON | Coroner
WM. SULLIVAN |
| Auditor General
JOHN K. STACK, JR. | County Clerk
FRANK R. MacINTOSH | County Road Commissioner
WASHINGTON E. IRISH |
| Justice of the Supreme Court
CARL B. HENRY | County Treasurer
BLANCHE MANN | |

Every Democratic Candidate for County Office Is Pledged to a Program of Economy. They are Thoroughly in Accord with Reductions in the Salaries of County Officials and are Certain that Still Further and More Substantial Cuts are Possible. And They are Honor Bound to Effect These Savings.

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