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PAYING BOND SALE SEPT. 23

Bids On \$811,000 Road Projects Re-advertised By Board

Hearing on bids for the sale of two bond issues of \$456,000 and \$355,000 for the Sunset boulevard and Nine-Mile road projects, has been set for Sept. 23, the Oakland County road commission announces. Bids on the projects previously offered were rejected by the board because it was not satisfied with the offers.

Villager Observes Her 81st Birthday

Open house was observed at the Thomas Koonz home at 544 Bates street last Sunday and Monday in recognition of the eighty-first birthday anniversary of Mrs. Thomas Koonz, a pioneer resident of this district. No formal celebration was held, but old and new friends visited Mrs. Koonz throughout the two days.

HILLS ORDINANCE CASE IS DROPPED

Judge Back Dismisses Disorderly Charge Against Farmer

The final chapter in the Bloomfield Hills "disorderly conduct" ordinance case was brought to a close in Justice Floyd S. Duck's court Friday, when charges against Byron A. Hughes, former Pontiac police officer charged with transporting liquor, were dismissed on motion of Assistant Prosecutor Curt W. Augustine, when witnesses failed to appear.

PHILOSOPHY OF AN ENTHUSIAST PERMEATES VILLAGER'S VERSES

Book, Handsomely Bound in Limp Leather, Is Published by the Latendresse Press

A fervent interest in the little things of life and the homely philosophy of the man who takes time occasionally to see things objectively is evidenced in a pleasant book of verse, "Enthusiast's Pool," by Harrington Barbus, published by the Latendresse Press. The book, handsomely bound in limp leather, is published by the Latendresse Press. The author is a resident of Birmingham who lives at 340 Fernside avenue.

THIEVES RANSACK SKILLMAN HOME

Gain Entrance By Cutting Hole in Screen Door; Take \$250 Loot

Birmingham police are seeking the thieves who broke into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Skillman, at 736 Brookside drive, Thursday between 2:30 and 6 p. m. and equipped with coats, money and other articles valued at \$250.

Peru's "Dictator"



Here is Lieut. Col. Sanchez Cerro, head of the military junta which is now in control of the government of Peru. Cerro was largely responsible for the removal of former President Augusto Leguia.

U. OF M. EXTENSION COURSE OFFERED

Instruction in Sociology To Be Conducted At Baldwin High School. A course in Modern Social Problems will be given weekly at the Baldwin High School by Fred L. J. Carr, of the University of Michigan. The course, known as Sociology 101, will be an extension course of the University of Michigan, and will offer high graduates and undergraduates credit.



HARRINGTON BARBUS. Then I fear your ship will founder. And all you'll have left will be fact that you never harried.

LAST RITES HELD FOR MRS. BOYLE

Services Conducted In Grand Rapids For Resident Of Village

Funeral services were held Sunday of last week for Mrs. Nellie T. Boyle, of 1228 Humphrey street, Birmingham, who died in the Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids, Sept. 17, after a month's illness. Dean Jackson, of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, in Grand Rapids, officiated at the service. Burial was in Graceland Mausoleum.

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The offices of Bingham & Bingham will be closed tomorrow because of the death of Mrs. Charles A. Bingham.

OAKLAND COUNTY NEWS

Robert E. Richards, an attendant at an station in Holly, Thursday night arrested two burglars who attempted to hold him up. The thugs stopped at the station in one of the thugs planted a gun against his back and ordered him into the station. Instead, Richards grabbed the gun and six men escaped on foot and a search for them is instituted. Deputies still are searching for them.

Guy W. Lyon, former Orion Businessman and holder of many public offices in the community, is the new supervisor of Orion Township. His appointment is made effective when he is installed. W. Howatt, to a position on the Oakland County Welfare Board.

Eleven men arrested recently at a camp near Farmington in a raid conducted by Prosecutor Norman C. Orr, were released Friday afternoon by Justice John J. Schulte, Jr., and attempts of the prosecutor's office to have the men re-arrested on warrants charging criminal syndacism were denied by the court.

The court also ordered the property seized in the raid returned. With the dismissal of the defendants, nothing remains of the incident except the seven civil damage suits which have been filed in the Circuit Court against Orr, Sheriff Frank Schram, and other officers who participated in the raid. The plaintiffs, known as the Workers' Educational Association, ask \$20,000 damages and six of the men arrested have asked \$10,000 damages each.

Dr. E. L. Giffen, 42 years old, Detroit dentist, received injuries which proved fatal Thursday morning when the automobile in which he was riding, swerved into a tree at the Thirteen-Mile road and Northwestern highway, after striking a construction line railway. The doctor was thrown from the automobile and was found by Charles Gravelin, who lives at the intersection. Dr. Giffen was taken to the Pontiac City Hospital where he died at 9:15 a. m. Dr. Giffen was riding alone travelling east on the Thirteen-Mile road when the accident occurred. Oakland County deputies report.

Hughes appeared in court Aug. 29. A plea of not guilty was entered for him when he stood mute. He demanded an examination which was set for Sept. 5, and furnished bond of \$600. On Sept. 5, examination was postponed by mutual consent until the next day. As no witnesses for the prosecution appeared, Assistant Prosecutor Augustine made a motion that the case be dismissed, and justice Buck granted it.

Bad Habit
The language of wasps and bees is a kind of dance, says a naturalist. I wish they wouldn't get it out so often.—Passing Show.

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NONSENSE

DAD SAID THE SAME THING UNTIL HE WENT TO MULHOLLAND'S

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YOU WERE RIGHT, DEAR—THAT'S WHERE I SHOULD HAVE GONE LONG AGO!

Advertisement for Mulholland's clothing store, featuring a cartoon about a man's hat.

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