

Legion Auxiliary Seeks New Members

In soliciting new members for the Auxiliary of the American Legion during their February-March drive, the members ask consideration of the preamble to their constitution, as expressing the things for which they are organized.

"For God and country we associate ourselves together for the following purposes: To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a 100 per cent Americanism; to preserve the memories and incidents of our association during the great war; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses; to make right the peace and good will on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; to participate in and to contribute to the political advertisement."

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Feature Cherry Pies

Mrs. Harold Ellerby's group of the Methodist Episcopal church, the Suzanne Wesley group, will give a bake sale, Saturday, Feb. 21, in the shop formerly occupied by the Green Pleasant Gift Shop on west Maple Ave. A special feature will be the cherry pies in honor of George Washington's birthday the following day. Mrs. Melvin C. Hart is chairman of the committee. Mrs. Robert Wagner, Mrs. Victor Peck and Mrs. Arnold Berndt are members of the Committee.

Enjoy Song-Fest

Gyrophytes meeting Monday for their song program and noon luncheon. Rev. Clarence Wright of the First Presbyterian Church explain "What Is a Minister?" William Baggett was in charge of the program. Willoughby Dell, as official song-leader, led in a rousing song interpretation of the Father-and-Son banquet song-sheets. Manley Batley, as president of the Gyrophytes, presided.

Enjoy Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Walter O. Briggs of Bloomfield with Mr. and Mrs. W. Dean Robinson, and others aboard their yacht "Cambion," came in last week from a trip to Havana and left again for Nassau. On their return, expected early during this week, the young Robinsons were accompanied last Thursday from New York to attend the wedding of Miss Virginia Kingswood Booth in Copenhagen, Denmark Mar. 4.

Entertains At Bridge

Mrs. Robert M. Wagner of Woodland avenue entertained at a bridge luncheon Wednesday for Mrs. H. E. Price and Mrs. J. Menzel of Birmingham; for Mrs. R. N. Howell, Mrs. George H. Lanney, Mrs. H. H. Matheson and Mrs. C. Knabauer of Detroit; and Mrs. Fred Smith of Grosse Pointe.

Social Briefs

Miss Bertrice Allen entertained at bridge in the home of her sister, Mrs. James Gordon on Davis street, Thursday evening. Buffet luncheon followed the bridge games. Guests were: Misses Marjorie, Margaret and Lillah Johnston, and Misses Elizabeth and Emily Forester; Fred Cooper of Detroit; Misses Joseph, Pontiac, Swanson, Harold Toles, William Halsey and Roy Aulch.

St. Margaret's Guild of St. James Episcopal church will meet on Tuesday by Mrs. Warner Forsyth of Wimbledon drive.

Square dances, waltzes, fox-trots, all kinds of dance, old and new, were included on the Knights of Pythias dance program Friday night in the lodge hall, the second big dance they have held this winter. Future dances are scheduled to be held once every three weeks for the remainder of the season.

Mrs. Jennie L. Adams of Albion, formerly of Birmingham, has gone to Los Angeles, Cal. for an indefinite stay due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Ida Benjamin formerly of Farmington.

Mrs. T. E. Smith of Kenosaw avenue entertained at luncheon last Thursday for Miss Anna Parks and Mrs. Bell Ward.

The Presbyterian church choir will meet Wednesday evening to begin preparations for the Easter Sunday music.

Mr. Fred Russ of Willett street left Tuesday to attend a Chamber of Commerce dinner in Toledo.

The missionary study class of the Presbyterian guild met at the home of Mrs. Guy Jensen of Madison Wednesday morning at 9:45 o'clock. The guest speaker was Mrs. Ernestine Fisher, a missionary at India. She spoke on the religious achievements of India. The missionary society met in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church for their regular meeting.

Mrs. Alex Looney of Purdy street had as her guests last Thursday, her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Salomoff, and her sister Miss Carrie Salomoff, from Lapeer.

Mrs. H. C. Murray of Henrietta street will entertain the Women's Missionary society of the M. E. church at her home, Thursday at 2 p. m. at E. Caldwell of Detroit will be the guest speaker.

The Men's Club of the Presbyterian church will entertain at a dinner for their wives next Friday evening at the church. Dinner will be prepared and served by the men.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McQueen of Tarrytown, New York, arrived Friday night to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Everett Arlington road. Mr. McQueen, an engineer in the engineering department of the Chevrolet Motor Co., has been transferred to Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. McQueen will make their home here. Mrs. McQueen was formerly Miss Claire Gillett of Birmingham.

Return From Honeymoon

Monday, following their two weeks' honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Gassill will return to their new home on Henrietta street, Birmingham. Stopping on their way to Excelsior Springs, Mo., to visit the bride's father, John Bayley, the young couple spent a few days in St. Louis, and on their return trip they will spend a few days in Chicago. Mr. Gassill is a groceryman in Birmingham. The couple was married rather secretly in Toledo a week ago Monday.

Bargain Column!

Worthwhile, wanted merchandise at **Genuine Savings!**

Hart, Schaffner and Marx Suits \$23.50
Regularly sold to 50.00.

Final Clearance Hart, Schaffner and Marx Overcoats \$10.00
Regularly sold to 50.00.

Stetson Hats 4 Off
8.00 Hats, 6.00; 10.00 Hats, 7.50.

All Caps \$1.55
Regular to 2.45.

Interwoven Socks 39c
Wool, plain and fancy.
Regular to 75.

Peter Pan Gingham 39c
Plain and Fancy, 3d.

Kalbarne Gingham 15c
Regular 25c Yd.

Fleishers Yarn 49c
Regular 68c ball.

Cortical Silk Thread 8c
Regular 10c spool.

Wash Dresses \$1.00
Values to 1.50.

Robin Hood Wash Suits 98c
Others to 2.98.

Phoenix Boys' Socks 69c
Regular 85c and 1.00 Pr.

FINAL Clearance of FOOTWEAR

With the appearance, quality and comfort of custom-made shoes

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VILLAGE PROCEEDINGS COMMISSION

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Village Commission held Monday, February 16, 1931, at 8:00 o'clock in the presence of President Allen, Commissioners Lowe, Albion, Tucker, and Loomis.

1- Moved by Commissioner Tucker that the following bills be read: American Felt Company, \$14.00; Artgraf Printing Company, \$35.75; B. Carter, \$15.00; Chemical Products Co., \$12.55; Detroit Edison Co., \$23.84; Consumers Power Co., \$5.00; Harold T. Hillyer, \$2.00; Grand Trunk Railway System, \$21.33; Greengrass & Thom Co., \$2.65; Island Creek Coal Co., \$33.25; Jordan Chevrolet, Inc., \$4.10; Lawson-Poh Lumber Co., \$19.35; Michigan Bell Telephone Co., \$12.00; Oak Cleaners, \$51.35; F. W. Osborne, \$29.12; Palace Motel Laundry, \$13.15; General Fuller, \$40.00; Shain, Drug Store, \$11.28; Shuster Refining Co., \$18.91; George Stratton, \$11.23; Robert Van Hester, \$12.25; War on Automobile, \$2.00; Howard Bell, \$21.00.

2- Mrs. J. Nays.

3- Moved by Commissioner Tucker that Mr. William C. Allen be appointed to act on the Planning Commission to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Wendolph.

4- Mrs. J. Nays.

5- Moved by Commissioner Loomis that whereas resolution No. 1, dated January 1931, passed by this Commission, is in error in the amount recommended therefor, be it resolved that said resolution be amended to read as follows:

A. D.	Recommended to
107	\$1,000.00
111	2,000.75
112	1,000.00
113	1,000.00
114	1,000.00
115	1,000.00

6- Mrs. J. Nays.

7- Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that Special Assessment District No. 112, being the Village of East Lake, be re-assessed in the amount of \$15,000.00 instead of the original estimate of \$22,000.00, the Village Engineer and that the Village Treasurer be hereby instructed to correct and adjust said roll to this cost in the same proportion as originally assessed.

8- Mrs. J. Nays.

9- Moved by Commissioner Allen that Special Assessment District No. 113, being the Village of Lakeside, be re-assessed in the amount of \$15,000.00 instead of the original estimate of \$22,000.00, the Village Engineer and that the Village Treasurer be hereby instructed to correct and adjust said roll to this cost in the same proportion as originally assessed.

10- Mrs. J. Nays.

11- Moved by Commissioner Hulbert that Special Assessment District No. 114, being the Village of Lakeside, be re-assessed in the amount of \$15,000.00 instead of the original estimate of \$22,000.00, the Village Engineer and that the Village Treasurer be hereby instructed to correct and adjust said roll to this cost in the same proportion as originally assessed.

12- Whereas the assessment, originally incorporated as item 6 on the Treasurer's report for storm sewer work

14	Oakland Villas Annex	42.19	25	6	Oakland Villas	\$5.00
15	Oakland Villas Annex	56.00	N.Y.	6	Oakland Villas	\$5.00
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17	Oakland Villas Annex	14.00	S. 49 ft. of	4	Oakland Villas	\$5.00
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ELECTION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT at the General Election to be held in the Village of Birmingham at—

PRECINCT 1—Corner Harmon and Woodward Ave.,

PRECINCT 2—Adams School,

PRECINCT 3—Municipal Building,

PRECINCT 4—Wylie Bell's Garage, 169 Elm,

PRECINCT 5—Voting Booth at S. W. corner Lincoln and Woodward,

on Monday, March 9th, 1931

from 7:00 o'clock A. M. to 8:30 o'clock P. M., Central Standard Time, the qualified electors shall vote upon candidates for the following village offices:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Candidates for Village Offices of the Village of Birmingham at the Regular Election. (Place a cross (X) in the square opposite the names of the persons for whom you desire to vote for the respective offices.)

Commissioners
(Vote for Three)

ROBERT R. ALLEN
 H. CLAIR BURSE
 LAWRENCE HULBERT
 MAURICE LOWMAN
 FRANK S. PACKARD

Clerk
(Vote for One)

MYRTLE E. CARSON
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