

SENEAR HITS ASTE IN U. S.

Professional Candidate Opens Campaign At Berkley

A bitter denunciation of the local government, Col. W. B. Rosevear, of Birmingham, made for Congress from the 7th district in the September primaries, fired the opening gun campaign at a meeting of the District Congressional in Berkley High School Tuesday night.

The Department of Culture, Colonel Rosevear, it spends nearly \$300,000 each year to teach the how to farm. The fertilizer manufacturers also furnish farmers with free literature; raise chickens; the dairies sell him how to take care of his cows; the Michigan College at Lansing does a year's worth of the farmer's work; and if he would be up all night, he could read all the free advice of the government for operating \$12,000,000 for the department of Agriculture, speaker continued.

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Legion To Organize Drum, Bugle Corps

A special meeting of the Birmingham post of the American Legion will be held in the Community House tonight for the organization of a drum and bugle corps. Members of the drum and bugle corps of the Pontiac post will give a concert.

A membership of about 25 pieces is expected in the Birmingham corps. Gordon Bailey is chairman of the organization committee.

At a regular meeting of the local post went on record in the state-wide Legion poll as favoring immediate cash payment of the soldier's bonus in full.

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pled upon the stock assessment of his assets as a loan between themselves.

"Such arrangements as the above will be permissible when the depositors' agreement becomes effective, and the committee will follow the above construction of the law," said the 700 depositors.

The committee, of course, has no funds but the efforts of those working for adoption of the depositors' agreement are voluntary. In the belief that this plan offers the best solution of the problem involved.

"Approximately 700 depositors have already signed up and more are doing so daily. Every acceptance of this plan brings nearer the time when it can be made effective, and we again advise against delay on the part of depositors."

"The depositors' agreement provides that each depositor, signing the agreement, receives 40 percent of his deposit. The aggregate of the deposits so waived will, by the terms of the agreement, be secured by a trust fund made up of all the assets of the bank (except assets equal in value to that of the depositors). The trust fund will be liquidated in an orderly manner and the proceeds plus the profits of the new bank for a period of five years will be distributed ratably among the owners of the 40 percent of deposit for the payment of which the trust fund is security."

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inations will be conducted, with appropriate posters and health bulletins.

The physicians, dentists and other attendants at the conference will be served with a luncheon at the Municipal Building by a committee in charge of Mrs. Walter Huffman, also representing the Bureau of T. A.

Health Programs Planned

In anticipation of the conference and in observance of National Health Week, which begins Monday, health programs will be given in all Birmingham grade and junior high schools Monday morning.

At Barnum, four health plays will be presented by the kindergarten, 1A, 1B and 1C classes under the direction of Miss Dena Hallock, Miss Mabel Lowensbury, Miss Evelyn Ellis and Miss Eleanor Haack.

The program at Pierce School will be presented by the Detroit Dairies and Food Council. Adams and Barton Schools will also each have 30-minute health programs.

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ected, but 10 petitions are in circulation to prepare against the possibility of one of the 10 dropping out.

The 10 include William T. Barbour, T. W. Tallafiero, George E. Roehm, Laurence F. Smith, A. E. Glancy, E. S. Nichols, Luther D. Allen, Fred J. Robinson, Joseph H. Hunter and William M. Story.

Mr. Barbour, Mr. Roehm, Mr. Allen and Mr. Story served on the commission which drafted the present village charter for Bloomfield Hills.

Luther Burbank said that more than half of the flowers in the world are red or some shade of red.

Villagers and the Village

By THE WANDERER

One of the interesting items included in the list of bills and petitions ordered paid by the Village Commission Monday night was one for \$440, representing commissioners' fees dating mostly from the beginning of the year.

In January the Commission voted by resolution to forego the remainder of the year the \$5 the members are allowed to receive by charter for each regular meeting. Commissioner Maurice Lowman voted against the resolution, and continued to receive his pay.

Later Commissioner Frank S. Packard asked for his, and so Monday night, it appeared, the

Monday noon when Edgar C. Raines, said to know more about Alaska by actual contact than any other living man, gave an illustrated travel talk to the club at its regular weekly meeting in the Community House.

Mr. Raines, who packed an outfit over the famous Chilkoot Pass in 1897 during the stampede to the Klondike, has resided in and traveled extensively through Alaska during the past 33 years, for 10 of which, while he was acting as a representative of the United States Treasury Department, he visited every town and village in the territory and many villages in Siberia since every year.

Although four constables were elected by Bloomfield Township voters early this month, the town-

ship at present has only two qualified constables, it was revealed to this Wanderer yesterday by James Y. Bayley, township clerk.

Milton Parks and Fred Lincoln, two of those elected, both filed \$1,000 surety bonds within 10 days after the election as the law requires, Mr. Bayley said, but Nick Mooney and Warwick Stanton failed to do so.

Men to take their places probably will not be appointed, Mr. Bayley said, stating that the law does not require the officers to remain filed.

An interesting incident is described in a letter recently received from Miss Katherine Deereux Blake, who was a guest of Mrs. George T. Hendrix of Bloomfield Hills when the Peace

Caravan of which she was a member came to Birmingham last August.

While on board the President Harding, en route to the Disarmament Conference, Miss Blake writes, she was one of the nine women representing American peace organizations, invited by the United States delegation to participate in a conference. Attending it were Miss Mary Woolly, Senator Swanson, 10 representatives of the State, War and Navy Departments, and the women delegates from the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, the League for the Cause and Cure of War, and the National Council for the Prevention of War.

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WHO IS SELLING 13,000 People in this Birmingham Area?

THIRTEEN THOUSAND men and women, boys and girls, live in the Birmingham-Bloomfield trading area. Every day they eat 39,000 meals. Every day they wear 13,000 ensembles of clothing, 13,000 pairs of shoes. Every day they buy drugs and toilet articles. Every day they ride in automobiles and buy gasoline, oil, tires.

They must have washing machines or laundries to wash their clothes. They must have stoves on which to cook their meals, pots and pans to cook them in, dishes to eat them from.

These 13,000 people are among the most prosperous in Michigan. They can afford to buy not only the bare necessities of life, but also the luxuries.

Who is selling these 13,000 people?
Who is supplying their everyday needs?
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FINED AS DRUNK

Mattie Lee, 907, Bennaville was fined \$15. for being drunk when arraigned Saturday before Justice Floyd S. Beck. He signed a pledge to abstain from liquor for two years.

LAST 2 DAYS

"Die Foersterchrist!" with Miss Elnizer "STARTING SATURDAY" "Das Lied Ist Aus" (The Song Is Ended) in that book New York by storm with LILIAN WILD AND WILLY FORST

Spring Items!

Enos Moth Liquid 3 Sizes 60c - \$1 - \$1.60

Dichloricide (Merck) Per can 75c

Cedar Chest Comp. Per pkg. 25c

Apex Moth Crystals - Larvex

Put down Fresh Eggs while the price is so low!

WATER GLASS, Pt. 20c - Qt. 35c

Soaps that lather in Birmingham water

Chamois Long Castile Soap Bar 29c (About 1 1/2 lbs.)

Hardwater Castile Soap 3 Bars 25c

SHAIN'S DRUGS

Maple at Pierce

Phones 60 and 61

WE DELIVER

HORTON ASKS TRIAL AS 'DRUNK DRIVER'

Sam Horton, Pontiac, will be tried today in Justice Floyd S. Beck's court on a charge of drunk driving. He denied the charge following his arrest here Monday night, after an automobile he was driving had hit another at Merrill street and Woodward avenue.

Mantua, a Venetian painter, first used italics in 1500 A. D.

THE LAND OF THE MIDDNIGHT SUN

The Land of the Midnight Sun was revealed to Birmingham Rotarians in both word and picture

GOVERNOR DOMINATES

The salary of the budget director was set by law at \$20,000. The mayor drew \$10,000 but was cut to \$7,500 when Wilber Brucker became governor. An increase in all other salaries in the department of administrative control was given the administrative board, headed and dominated by the governor, and full authority to hire and fire at will was given and still is.

ARMY OFFICERS

Two of the 10 years this administrative board and centralized accounting idea has been in force.

In one typical state institution before the adoption of centralized accounting, two people performed all office work in connection with an aggregate of 100,000 public bills amounting to \$13,700 annually.

Today at the same institution seven are employed at salaries ranging from \$1,200 to \$3,500 with an aggregate of 100,000 public bills amounting to \$13,700, almost 10 times as great an accounting and secretarial cost.

In 1921, when the inmate population is less now than in 1921.

EXPENSE COMPARED

Is the administrative board idea saving Michigan taxpayers any of their hard earned dollars? A few comparisons will suffice for answer, et us not accept pre-war or post-war standards. Let us take mid-war period conditions. This happens to be 15 years ago in 1917. Let us take certain groupings to avoid possible exceptions to the rule.

Here they are. These are current expense appropriations that do not include building costs:

Normal colleges	\$52,000	\$2,101,504
Deaf and blind institutions	16,000	311,549
Boys and girls schools, Adrian	252,000	653,000
Laneer institution	152,000	588,000
Collegiate school	1,750,000	1,750,000

Of course, some will argue that conditions have changed and that populations have grown. There are more inmates in some institutions and in some there are less.

Let us look to some department costs. For this we must take the early days of the administrative board, because before that there was a different alignment. This is the way the costs have mounted in the various departments since the institution of administrative board control:

1923	1931	
Attorney general	\$ 27,500	\$15,250
Executive office	24,000	39,700
Auditor general	235,000	454,000
Dept. of health	510,000	525,000
Banking dept.	188,500	228,000
State Police	1,615,000	1,615,000
Conservation	310,000	421,792
State Library	84,725	71,688

Having centralized control and accounting does other than to increase appropriations and boost salaries? If so, where and how? And how the bureaucratic overlords have multiplied. Included among the items of the budget are now under consideration at the special session are: board of accountancy, \$5,650; examiners of architects, \$6,244; of barbers, \$37,600; of cosmetology, \$25,400; of dentists, \$6,108; of lawyers, \$850; of pharmacists, \$37,600; of corn doctors, \$600; of prize fighters, \$22,500. Of course these special boards live off the fees collected, or are supposed to, but every farthing comes out of some citizen's pocket and every taxpayer's job spoils one citizen for another.

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