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**FATHER, SONS  
HEAR RECTOR**

"Dare Life," Aulenbach Tells  
160 At Methodist  
Banquet

"If there is no spirit of adventure in the relationship between father and son, it isn't any good," declared Rev. W. Hamilton Aulenbach, assistant rector of Christ Church Cranbrook, in an address before about 150 sons and their "dads" at the annual Father and Son banquet in the Birmingham Methodist Church Friday night.

"Adventure is a necessary part of a good life," he said. "It's more fun doing things when you say 'let's do them' than when you are compelled to do them."

"Anybody can sit back and be safe, but to go out and dare life takes courage. It is this spirit of adventure together, this willingness between father and son to cooperate in venturesome undertakings, that makes the relationship successful and worthwhile."

He held up Johannes Gutenberg, inventor of printing, and Russell Conwell, a parson who gave up a rich parish in New York City to take over a run-down church in Philadelphia, which he developed into the beginnings of what is now Temple University, as models in their relations with one another, to keep their bodies healthy and their minds open and progressive in their discussion of a subject which concerns them together, and to be kind to mothers and wives in order that the entire family relationship may be one of happiness and contentment.

Moved by Parry, son of the village manager, acted as toastmaster for the banquet. Group singing and several novelties contributed to the entertainment.

**BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
Birmingham, Michigan,  
February 2, 1932.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held in the city of P. M.

Present: Ray A. Palmer, W. G. Hutchinson, John E. Martz, Earl G. Potter and Francis F. McKinney.

The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read. A letter was received from R. E. Brown concerning a change of the date of the annual school election from the second Monday in July to the second Monday in June. Moved by McKinney, supported by Hutchinson, the matter be laid on the table till the next regular meeting. Carried.

Moved by Hutchinson, supported by McKinney that the bills be paid. Carried.

Rev. Weldon Crossland, Commencement, \$25.00; Louise Hendry, Teacher, \$54.90; First National Bank, Coupons, \$22.50; Grand Trunk Railway System, Coal, \$139.42; Ward Hedding, Coal, \$28.26; Teachers Pay Roll, \$8,174.00; General Pay Roll, \$1,689.90; Teachers Pay Roll, \$87.50.

The Board then adjourned to a session room where matters pertaining to the public schools and to the Superintendent were discussed by various citizens and the Board at the close of which the following resolution was introduced by Hutchinson:

WHEREAS, on November 16, 1931, after an expression by four members of the School Board acting as individuals, the following letter was sent to Mr. Clarence Vliet, Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Mr. Vliet:

Next Spring the School Board will face the responsibility of renewing all expiring contracts with the administrative and teaching staffs. Although theoretically this allows ample time for those individuals whose contracts are not renewed to make other arrangements, this may not be actually true because of the unsettled financial difficulties faced by so many of the Nation's schools.

In fairness to all concerned the Board members recently held an in-

formal conference on the matter of the renewal of the Superintendent's contract.

"At this meeting the Board decided that a change in the superintendent will be made when the matter comes before them for official action."

Under these circumstances the members feel that you should be advised now of this situation so that your plans may be formulated in accordance with this decision and that any announcement to the public may be made in your own way.

Very truly yours,  
Oliver H. Kirk, local attorney.

"The depression is having a tremendous sobering effect upon mankind in general. We have a much sadder general public now than we had five years ago."

at a time best suited to yourself. Mr. Vliet last November in which it informed him definitely that a change in the superintendent's office will be made when time for the signing of contracts arrives in April.

It was also learned that the letter gave no reason for the board's action other than the general assertion that the majority of the members believed a change would be for the best interests of the school system.

Mr. Vliet also declined to comment on the matter other than to say that he still considered himself an employee of the Board of Education and as such felt he had no authority, in the absence of the public action by the board, to make a statement.

It is generally known that the superintendent has been an important factor in the School Board elections for some time and that at least two of the three members elected last summer were pledged

to their supporters on an anti-administration platform.

The three members elected at that time were F. McKinney, Earl G. Potter and John E. Martz. Other members of the board are Ray A. Palmer, president and Dr. W. G. Hutchinson.

Therefore be it resolved THAT, at this regularly called meeting Mr. Vliet be and he be notified officially that his contract, which expires July 1, 1932, will not be renewed, and that the office of Superintendent, on and after July 1, 1932, officially be declared vacant.

Moved by McKinney, seconded by Hutchinson that the above resolution be adopted.

Yes: McKinney, Martz, Hutchinson.

Yes: Potter, Palmer, Carried.

Moved and seconded by adjourn. Carried.

RAY A. PALMER,  
President.

W. G. HUTCHINSON,  
Secretary.

Birmingham, Michigan,  
February 8, 1932.

A special meeting of the Board of Education was held in the office at 8 P. M.

Present: Ray A. Palmer, W. G. Hutchinson, John E. Martz, Earl G. Potter and Francis F. McKinney.

Representatives of the Property Owners Division of the Real Estate Board were present and discussed at length the budget for the balance of the school year ending July 1, 1932.

The next meeting was set for February 16.

Moved and seconded to adjourn. Carried.

RAY A. PALMER,  
President.

W. G. HUTCHINSON,  
Secretary.

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**Bloomfield Township**

**TAX NOTICE**

The 1931 Taxes are due and payable at the Township Office in the Municipal Building up to and including February 29th, 1932. The 1% penalty will be the only extra fee charged until they become delinquent on March 1st, 1932.

After the above date a 4% penalty will be added, and Taxes will then be payable only at the County Treasurer's Office, Pontiac, Michigan.

**R. MARGARET THOMAS,**  
Township Treasurer.