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HIS AND THAT

By G. R. A.

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Birmingham to Get P. G. A. Tournament

Walter Hagen to Defend State Pro Title at Local Course, Aug. 15-17

The dates for the summer have been set for Aug. 15-17, with all the leading professionals in the state, including Walter Hagen, Tommy Armour, Clarence Gamber, Al Watrous and others, expected to compete. Sectional qualifying rounds will be held at the Oakland Hills Country Club.

The Michigan P. G. A. was first held at the Birmingham club in 1930, when Hagen defeated Armour in the final. Hagen will be defending the crown this year, having retained it last summer in the state tournament, Battle Creek.

\$17,500,000 CUT FROM TAX ROLL

Huge Slush in State Figures Puts Bloomfield at \$30,753,556

With the County Board of Supervisors meeting this week in its session at the city hall, Bloomfield Township owners were anxiously looking forward to what would be done for the state's assessment of their property as finally established last week by the Board of Review.

The figures are estimated at about \$17,500,000 below that established by the State Tax Commission last fall. It is also \$1,742,980 less than the township's own 1931 valuation of \$32,256,546, which in 1927.

Adjustments made by the Board of Review resulted in a valuation which is \$301,560 lower than that submitted to the Board by Supervisor Perry A. Vaughan, who had valued the township at \$30,965,112.

The new valuation is the result of the fact that the supervisor and representatives of the state tax commission in conformity with an agreement reached last fall, grossing out of law suits filed by the Townships of Bloomfield, Avon and Waterford against the state's assessment figures. It was agreed at that time that the State Tax Commission would work out a settlement with the townships in establishing a new valuation, providing the suits were withdrawn.

HOLIDAY QUIET TO REIGN HERE

Birmingham Looks Forward to Traditionally Peaceful Celebrations Monday

With only a simple flag-raising ceremony by the American Legion and the observance of Independence Day, residents of the village are making a special effort to observe the Fourth which has come to be regarded in the past few years.

Banks, stores and shops generally are closed on Monday. There will be little else to emphasize the holiday spirit directly. Possibilities for a serious violation, entirely, except that of special delivery mail.

Scenes of Birmingham, are planning to leave the village, beginning as early as Friday night, to spend the week-end with friends or relatives out of town. Scores of others will entertain visitors at their homes here.

Golf clubs, almost all of which have planned special programs, will again prove to be among the principal attractions for the week-end and its attendant holidays.

4 Injured As Car Upsets, Driver Held

Joseph Olivetti, 40 years old, of Seven Mile and Dequindre roads, was in custody of the county sheriff's department following investigation of an automobile accident Tuesday night at the corner of Long Lake and Crooks roads.

Olivetti was the driver of a car which overturned at the intersection, resulting in the injuries to two persons and minor injuries to others.

Frank Adams, 41 years old, of 2025 Putnam boulevard, Royal Oak, in serious condition at St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital with a probable fracture of skull; Violet Adams, 20, his daughter, in the hospital, suffering from serious head injuries; and Marie Strihevich, 46, of 68 Winchester street, Detroit, and her daughter, Olga, 16, in the city hospital, admitted to the hospital for cuts and bruises.

It was believed by sheriff's deputies working out of Big Beaver

VILLAGE CITY FACTS TO BE SHED TODAY

Issues Undesolved, Problems Will Be Debated At Special Meeting

The more pressing and little-understood phases of the village city issue are expected to be tackled at a special meeting of the members of the Village Commission and other interested persons in the Municipal Building at 7:30 p. m. today.

While not a public hearing in the sense that the entire question will be subject to discussion, the meeting will have facts that should be brought out to the public before the issue is submitted to a vote on Aug. 8.

This meeting is a preliminary to a third public hearing to be called some time in July when members of the commission will be expected to have complete information on both sides of the issue ready for scrutiny in compact and simple form.

EXAMINE RELIEF PLAN

Committee To Attend One of Those Held Tonight (Tonight's meeting is Commissioner E. W. Osborne, who last week in a committee report believed that some changes in the law have not yet been considered. In the report submitted some time ago by a special committee of the Property Owners' Division of the Real Estate Board which made an extensive study of the village and recommended that Birmingham adopt the city form of government.)

Members of the Property Owners' Committee are expected to be present at the meeting. Also present will be Lloyd H. Reid, Bloomfield Township attorney, who with Mr. Osborne, has been making a separate study of the village relief aspect of the question, which is expected to be one of the principal topics for discussion.

Meanwhile, several new developments have been filed including the election of a charter commission, which will be voted on at the Aug. 3 election.

ON BOARD SINCE 1912

He had been a member of the Township Board since 1912, although not continuously, and has served three two-year terms on the Township Board of Review.

Mr. Corryell, record of public service includes 20 years as a member of the Board of Education, 14 years as a member of the Board of Health, 10 years as a member of the Board of Public Safety, and 10 years as a member of the Board of Public Works.

HILLS AIDES MAY GET SALARY CUT

Commission Name Committee to Study Problem, Recommend Reductions

Employees of Bloomfield Hills Village were faced today with the prospect of a reduction in salaries following the appointment of a committee of three to make a study of the village problem with a view to recommending reductions.

The committee, composed of Village President Luther K. Allen and Commissioners Donald D. James and John Endicott, was named by the Commission at the next meeting, July 8. The hope is that the committee will be able to complete its report by the end of the month.

Re-Opening Plan Claims Half Of Deposits; Mortgage Plan To Name New Depository

Proposal Unaffected By Bloomfield Hills Liquidation, McCallum Says

Decision of the Bloomfield Hills Savings Bank to pay off its deposits in full and retire from banking business will have no effect on the proposed plan for transferring the First State Savings Bank to a mortgage company. Bankings to be pre-arranged among the depositors, according to William McCallum, chairman of the committee sponsoring the plan.

In its depositors' agreement, the committee had designated the Bloomfield Hills Savings Bank as the depository for the deposits and escrow agent to which claims against the First State Savings Bank would be transferred.

However, no claims have ever been made against the Bloomfield Hills Bank, but have been kept in a safety vault instead. Mr. McCallum said, "The liquidation of the institution from which deposits were made only our committee will make a study of the problem."

J. Corryell, Leaving Township Board, 22 Years of Community Service

Nearing 71, He Gives Way To Younger Man in Last Public Job

An official connection with the community life of Bloomfield and Bloomfield Township unbroken for 22 years, J. Corryell, 70, Monday, July 4, when J. Corryell retires from the Township Board.

The retirement will represent successful attainment of a goal which Mr. Corryell has been striving for since the past six years—a goal dictated by Mr. Corryell's philosophy that youth should be given the way, and that he should "give way to a younger man."

It's hard to quit after you've become so wrapped up in the life of your community as Mr. Corryell has, and in the experience of more years with each passing day. Mr. Corryell has made up his mind to quit after 22 years of public service.

CONFERENCE ATTRACTS 200

School Race At Standstill

The annual summer conference sponsored by the district of religious education of the Episcopal Diocese of Michigan, in session this week at Cranbrook, had passed its midway mark with more than 200 clergymen and parishioners in attendance.

Transferred from Hillsdale College for the first time in 10 years, the conference is being held at Cranbrook where facilities in the arts and crafts made new courses in these fields especially popular.

The conference is scheduled to end Saturday afternoon after the closing of the district night with the conference campfire, when honors and prizes will be awarded and the Rev. Herman C. D. D. bishop of the Diocese of Michigan and one of the conference speakers will deliver an inspirational address.

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Candidates Still Limited To Three As Deadline Nears

With the deadline for filing nominating petitions less than 48 hours away, candidates in the annual School Board election to be held July 11 were still limited to three.

The present Board will meet Friday night at which time petitions may already on file must be placed in the hands of the Board secretary. Meanwhile, no opposition had appeared during the past week, and it is expected that the Board will meet Friday night at which time petitions may already on file must be placed in the hands of the Board secretary.

HACKETT SOUNDS SUMMER WARNING

Advise To Home-Owners Would Reduce Vacation Burglaries

Chief of Police John P. Hackett, in a warning to home-owners, advised the delegates to place emphasis on the positive rather than the negative side of religion, and to substitute instruction for mere "instruction" in the religious training of youth.

"I feel that we have given much the wrong impression of religion," Dr. Marquis declared. "We have stressed too much the negative side, the restrictions and limitations."

He pointed out that Christ taught for a religion of liberty rather than a religion of restrictions. He said that many of the "do not's" with which children are confronted in their religious training could well be placed aside with positive instruction in the elements of hygiene, physiology, and medicine.

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