

LAST RITES HELD FOR MRS. BETTELEY

Woman Dies Of Poison Taken After Quarrel With Husband

Funeral services for Mrs. Helen Zimmerman Betteley formerly of 311 Woodland avenue, Birmingham, were held in Detroit Saturday...

Mrs. Betteley, who was 29 years old, entered the hospital Jan. 25. Her husband was Albert E. Betteley, representative of the Michigan branch of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation...

She was the daughter of Henry Zimmerman, chairman of the board of the First National Bank of Pontiac, and leaves a son, Dick, 10 years old.

The service Saturday were held from 10 to 11 a. m. at the home of Mrs. E. G. and G. E. Harris, 1000 Adams street, Detroit.

In nearly every instance the incentive classified ad insert in The Centric got me quick and satisfactory results...

Activities, Achievements of Community House Are Reviewed In Annual Reports

(Continued from Page 1. Part 2) nite recreational time in the life of our young people.

Mrs. R. H. Mann has felt the need of occupation for our young girls in the community, and has organized a Service League which meets at the Community House and contributes a great deal of help to the welfare work.

This past year has seen active Community House participation in two village projects—the saving of the Needwark Guild and the Central Welfare Council.

The Needwark Guild was chartered by Mrs. C. C. Patten in whom with your director, planned an organizing tent at the Community House at which Mrs. Truman K. Newberry supervised the work which freed 30 or more women to take of their own lives.

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distributed to Oakland County in districts. Since the post-war decentralization of the farm, the Community House is also being distributed to other parts of the county.

All of this work is done voluntarily by the members. How do you do it? Principally, we are very proud of our performance in the year past of reduced expenses, reduced rent and general depression.

The American Legion clothing collection became a part of this plan and a committee was appointed which has worked with Township Supervisor Harry A. Vaughan's office, the Community House and all the other organizations distributed their clothing from the Community House.

Mr. F. B. Etter as general chairman was responsible for a very unique and exciting spectacle. The Mart was well attended and all participants expressed themselves as satisfied.

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It is a real triumph to come before you tonight and tell you that we have enough in our hands, plus our expectation of normal volunteerism, to carry out the spring campaign to the first of May.

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WE HEARD IT SAID BY—Garnes Miller, Troy Township supervisor. "S. S. Keaton of the Oakland County Board of Commissioners is one of the most capable and efficient men that could have been found anywhere for this position. I don't believe he could ever be satisfactorily replaced."

Girls Supplement Hostesses The House has been fortunate in having the help of this year's girls of pledges. The Girl Scouts selected the hall refreshment with the help of the Troy and Garden Club took up the hostess work, appointed an overseer and with the aid of the girls have helped stock the O'Connell Nursery, did an ambitious job of landscaping, made Christmas cards, raised money to give us flowers.

John K. Ross and Ed. Patton have contributed their services to oversee the construction of new steps and a widened curb along our parking frontage.

We have a long list of volunteer replacements inside the House and have kept up the morale of the place by having the kitchen painted and the parlor wood finish done over.

Respectfully submitted, (MRS.) HOPE F. LEWIS, Director.

HOSTESS REPORT The report of Mrs. Edith S. Wall, hostess, showed that 516 persons used the Community House from Feb. 1, 1932, to Feb. 1, 1933, an increase of 12.5% over the winter of 1931-32.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICE RECORD A total of 537 permanent jobs were filled through the Community House Employment Bureau during the past year, according to the report of Mrs. F. F. McKinney, director.

WELFARE REPORT The report of the welfare department, given by Mrs. Agnes Lynch, Community House welfare worker, reviewed the activities of the various organizations engaging in relief work during the past year in cooperation with the Community House.

FINANCIAL REPORT Community House revenue for the past year amounted to \$11,410.00 and expenses, including an item of \$3,549.51 for depreciation, amounted to \$8,860.49, according to the financial report.

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"We have endeavored," the report said, "to be helpful to our needy groups by securing help which is necessary for them to have, but difficult to get themselves. We helped to hospitalize a family, the man suffering from delirium tremens we secured medical care for a woman in confinement and arranged a method by which the man could reimburse the providers.

"We secured a neglected child by calling in the authorities and placing it in a Juvenile Home until a better place could be made for it. We boarded twin babies while the mother went to the hospital for an operation. We spent a night in the defense of one of our indigent men whom we felt, needed a trich in his distress."

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Quality SFIRE'S Market TURKEYS STRICTLY FRESH DRESSED lb. 23c EGGS EVERY ONE GUARANTEED Strictly Fresh lb. doz. 14c

FANCY ROASTING CHICKEN 19c DAIRY DEPARTMENT Fresh Cottage CHEESE—Full cream lb. 7c New York Medium CHEESE lb. 24c

Clover Bloom Roll BUTTER 2 lbs. for 39c SWISS CHEESE—with large holes lb. 24c Philadelphia CREAM CHEESE 4 pgs. for 25c

GROCERY DEPARTMENT PURE Maple Syrup gal. can 99c 1 Gal. can \$1.85 Beechnut FINEST LONDON ASSORTMENT now pkg. 19c Reg. 29c value Five Pkg. PURE ORANGE MARMALADE .37 oz. jar 23c Florida's Best GRAPEFRUIT 6 for 25c

Florida Oranges 2 doz. for 39c CARROTS 2 bunches for 9c NEW BEETS 3 bunches for 10c Bananas Golden Ripe lb. 5c Weigman Boy Brand CRAB MEAT and LOBSTER 1/2 size can 25c Sunshine Krissy SODA CRACKERS 2 pgs. for 18c RIVAL DOG FOOD 3 cans for 28c

Beechnut Tomato Juice 12 CANS FOR 95c 3 cans for 25c

SFIRE BROS. MARKET "Built on Confidence—Growing on Value" 180 WEST MAPLE

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP PRIMARY REGISTRATION AND ELECTION NOTICE TO BE HELD Monday, March 6, 1933 From 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Eastern Standard Time

For the purpose of nominating candidates for Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Justice of the Peace—Full term, Justice of the Peace—To Fill Vacancy (1 for 1 year)—(1 for 2 years)—(1 for 3 years)—also 2 Justices of the Peace to fill vacancy from April 3rd, 1933 to July 4th, 1933, 2 Members of the Board of Review—(1 Full term)—(1 to fill Vacancy), and 4 Constables.

Last Day For Filing Petitions February 14, 1933 At 5 o'clock P. M. Eastern Standard Time

Last Day to Register February 25, 1933 At 5 o'clock P. M. Eastern Standard Time

Township Office Open For Registration February 14, 1933 At 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time

Also every day from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. (Eastern Standard Time) until February 25th, 1933, inclusive. JAMES V. BAXLEY, Bloomfield Township Clerk.

TROY TOWNSHIP PRIMARY REGISTRATION AND ELECTION NOTICE TO BE HELD Monday, Mar. 6 1933 From 8 A. M. to 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time

For the purpose of nominating candidates for Supervisor, Clerk, Treasurer, Highway Commissioner, Justice of the Peace (full term), one member Board of Review and 4 Constables.

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The township office will be open for registration February 14, 1933 from 8 a. m. until 8 p. m. eastern standard time and also every day from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. until February 25, 1933 inclusive. GLENN LADD, Troy Township Clerk.