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CRANDELL'S PAY TO BE CUT FOR SICK TERM

A committee of three members of the Board of Education was appointed Thursday night by R. J. Palmer, president, to confer with Charles W. Crandell, superintendent of schools, over the adjustment to be made in Mr. Crandell's salary for the period last winter when he was absent from his duties while undergoing and recovering from an operation.

The committee, composed of Earl D. Porter, secretary, John H. Ross, treasurer, and J. F. McKinney, trustee, is the same as that appointed several weeks ago to recommend the salary to be paid Mr. Crandell for 1933-34. The committee submitted both majority and minority reports, but neither was adopted.

Exchanges After Rotary (Golf) Scalp

Rotarians Hold 13-Stroke Lead in Tri-Close Matches; Back Golf Low

A hard-fought battle is expected from members of the Exchange Club in an effort to overcome the Rotary Club's 13-stroke lead in the Rotary-Exchange-Lions golf tournament.

The three groups will meet at Tam O' Shanter Country Club Aug. 2 for the third and final rounds. The winner of the third round will obtain a year's possession of the Weinying Brothers Trophy.

The service club golfers encountered individual setbacks in their race at Birmingham Golf Club Friday because of the difficulty of the course. Dr. O. O. Beck, of Exchange Club, won the prize for the lowest gross score with a card of 86. The team scores were: Exchange 743, Rotary 750, and Lions 815.

The total score to date, at the end of the first two of the three matches, is: Rotary 1156, Exchange 1459, Lions 1613.

HILLS GIRL FINED \$10 ON LOCAL SPEED COURT

Faced with the alternative of a \$10 fine or 15 days in jail after pleading guilty to a charge of driving 50 miles an hour in the 45-mile zone on North Woodward avenue, Miss Florence R. Earle, 15, of Birmingham, was fined \$10 by the local speed court.

She was arraigned in Municipal Court Monday before Justice Forbes S. Hascall. Seven others, mostly Detroiters, paid fines of a dollar each for speeding in the 20-mile zone between Brown street and Oakland avenue.

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TWO LOCAL BOYS WIN A & P TRIPS

George Rounds, Robert Savage Get 8-Day Free Trip; Left Detroit Yesterday

Two boys, one from Birmingham and one from Bloomfield Hills, will see the World's Fair and the wonders of Chicago in an eight-day tour at the expense of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company. They are George M. Rounds, Jr., 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Rounds, of 551 North Woodward avenue, and Robert D. Savage, 16 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Savage of 1030 North Cranbrook road, Bloomfield Hills.

George and Bob left yesterday with a party of 89 others from the Detroit metropolitan area and 81 from other parts of the state. They left from the Statler Hotel, Detroit, and will return July 19, eight days later. In that time they will have seen all of the wonders of the Century of Progress Exposition and the stockyards and business and residential districts of Chicago, and will have seen a game between the Chicago Cubs and Boston. Their Chicago home will be at the Lincoln-Boston Y.

PRO AND CON

The party is in charge of a group of Detroit Boy Scout officers numbering about 70, showed unusual methods and great industry in securing votes enough to win their first places, officials of the contest said. One vote was given with each five cents worth of bonds purchased at an A & P store, the votes coming in coupons of 1, 5, 10, and 20-cent denominations. He spoke to a group of his customers on a magazine note and wrote friends of his mother and father here in Detroit.

George, a Boy Scout in Troop 3, is a student at Baldwin Junior High School. Bob, who attends Baldwin High School, has been interested in U. S. A. work.

Services Held For Mrs. Ernest Petry

Resident Here For 21 Years Dies At 66 After Week's Illness

Services were held from the St. O. Wylie Bell Home for Episcopal Monday afternoon for Mrs. Flora Petry, wife of Ernest Petry, Jr., who died Friday afternoon in her home, 947 Henrietta street. She was 66 years old. Mrs. Petry had been in poor health for some time, but had been confined to bed for only a week.

She was born in Ypsilanti and lived in Detroit up to the time of her marriage. Her husband, now retired, was formerly connected with the Dwight Lumber Company, Detroit. They had lived in Birmingham 21 years.

Surviving, besides the husband, is her sister, Mrs. Carrie R. Williams of Ypsilanti, and two nieces. Burial was in Evergreen cemetery, Detroit. Rev. Russell D. Hopkins, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated.

The guinea fowl is closely allied to the pheasant.

The World At A Glance

One Man's Working Hours Why Industrial Speed? Tall Figuring on Flour Tax

By LESLIE EICHELER
Central Press Staff Writer
NEW YORK—President Roosevelt is believed to be heading toward the "compensated dollar" and the plan long advocated by Irving Fisher of Yale. The president is believed to have been advised on this by Bernard M. Baruch, the investment banker and the chief executive.

The clue may be seen in the President's current policy on the World Economic Conference. "The stabilization program for the dollar now,"

Professor Fisher's plan is to have the value of the dollar based on commodities and need of modern civilization."

"Of all the plans for stabilizing the price level, that of the 'compensated dollar,' of which Irving Fisher has been the leading exponent, has the advantage of being the most direct. If it is adopted, the momentary economic effects, there can be little doubt that it would achieve what is desired."

"That plan, in essence, is very simple. It is that we completely abandon the gold standard based on a dollar of a fixed weight and fineness of gold, and substitute for it a paper dollar, strictly convertible on demand in gold, but redeemable in a varying quantity of gold, depending on the course of commodity prices."

"As prices rise, the weight of the dollar would be increased to maintain the gold content of the dollar would be lightened to push them down again. The changes in the gold content of the dollar would be based on an index number of commodity prices, and would be announced say, once a month."

HAZITT'S OPINION

"We are compelled, in brief," continues Hazitt, "to divide as impracticably all existing plans for stabilizing prices directly by the manipulation of gold, silver, currency, or credit. There is a further objection to these plans besides their inherent impracticability. Substantially every one of them rests on the false assumption that all depressions are caused by such depressions as these that have led to the death of prices itself."

"Doubtless many long-run price movements—that is, tendencies extending over more than a decade—are the result of changes in the supply of gold itself; but such changes are not the cause of depression particularly to those of the last few years (up to the abandonment of the gold standard). The result of changes in the supply of and demand for goods."

"Moreover, an attempt to deal with a crisis simply by the manipulation of currency or credit would be not unlike the attempt of a chiropractor to cure every disease by thumping the spine. It may not only be harmful in itself, but by ignoring the real causes to continue to operate."

"Nor, again, is it desirable under all conditions to keep the supply of commodity prices 'pegged' at any one point. If new inventions, new chemical processes, more efficient industrial machinery or widely used articles cheaper to produce, the public has the advantage that cheapness directly. It should not, because of any fetish made out of it, be held to be a general average of prices, be compelled to pay more for other commodities, and it would be if the 'compensated dollar' plan were put into effect."

AMERICAN LEGION TO NAME OFFICERS

The Charles Edwards Post of the American Legion will hold its annual election of officers next Wednesday evening at a meeting in the Legion Home on South Woodward avenue. David Levin is the present commander whose term is expiring.

Other officers to be elected include three vice-commanders, adjutant, finance officer, sergeant-at-arms, chaplain, historian, welfare officer and two members-at-large of the executive committee. The new officers will be installed immediately after the election by Post District Commander Ernest E. Ogden of Pontiac.

Four delegates will be chosen to represent the Birmingham post at the annual state convention of legionnaires in Grand Rapids Aug. 21-23. The new commander will be an ex-officio delegate.

ENTER LUNDBERG HOME
A necklace and earrings valued at about \$100 and a gun were taken from the home of Dr. John Lundberg, 1287 Amherst road, Beverly Hills, Sunday night. It was reported to sheriff's deputies. Entry was gained by breaking in a rear window of the house.

The Battle of Bunker Hill really was fought on Breed's Hill.

CRASH VICTIM MAY BE GANGSTER'S SON

Change Names Given After Accident; Three Seriously Hurt in Wreck

A boy, police think may be the son of the notorious "Purple Heart" Harry Fleisher, omitted from the list of the victims of a spring there were numerous instances of desecration of the cemetery. Mrs. Blumberg said: "Some damage was done to monuments, rock gardens, plots, and flower beds, and certain parts of the cemetery flagstoned by the children's games."

Signs calling attention to a cemetery rule that forbids children in the cemetery without adult attendants were ignored and even destroyed. Mrs. Blumberg said: "It is doubtful that most of the children who use the area as a playground do so in a spirit of malice, but the damage to its beauty must be arrested, she declared, requesting parents to send their children elsewhere."

According to a list generally accepted by Catholic authorities, Plus XI, who assumed the tiara in 1922, is the 21st Pope.

The number used to designate the size of a hat represents the average of the length and width of the crown in inches.

"Statutory offense" is a euphemism frequently used in referring to violations of the statutes against various sex offenses.

Cemetary Official Asks Co-operation Against Vandalism

Joseph Monkan, proprietor of a service station in Detroit, said that a car, driven by a young man, struck a tree on West Bloomfield road near Maple road Monday.

The youth, Henry Fleisher, seven years old, of 629 Chandler street, Detroit, suffered a fractured skull, severe lacerations of the cheek and injuries to the right shoulder. Ben Stocker, 15 years old, 638 Hagar street, Detroit, Henry's cousin and driver of the car, received major scalp lacerations and slight concussion of the brain. Another cousin, Lawrence Stocker, 17 years old, of 6474 Northfield street, Detroit, was badly cut on the right arm and both legs.

Although the Fleisher boy has been unconscious most of the time since the accident and the other two suffered so much from their injuries that they could not consent, sheriff's deputies believe they attempted to avoid an accident that they can give no coherent story, sheriff's deputies believe they attempted to avoid an accident that they can give no coherent story, sheriff's deputies believe they attempted to avoid an accident that they can give no coherent story.

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WE HEARD IT SAID BY...

Emory, Oakland county school commissioner; "I have been feeling badly of late because of the adverse criticism being directed at Birmingham for arresting motorists. I have driven through your city for 10 years and have never once been bothered by a policeman. Perhaps, though, it is because I am careful."

ENTER BLACKSMITH SHOP
A blacksmith shop owned by David C. Blessett, at 707 Bowers street, was entered and a small gasoline motor valued at about \$10 was stolen sometime Sunday or early Monday, it was reported to police Monday.

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- In the long measure, six miles equal one league.
- New Jersey has an area of 8,224 square miles.
- John Tyler, tenth president of the United States, was of Irish descent.
- A cubic foot of water weighs 62½ pounds.
- "Sis' ante" is Latin for "following."
- Chemistry, W.V. is the symbol of tungsten or wolfram.
- The thin slender bone forming the partition between the nostrils is the vomer.
- Vertical is classed as a noun in the English language meaning "a place of," or "second in rank."
- Vice is a verb meaning "to place of," or "to be a foolish man."
- A savant is a foolish man.

Answers will be found on page three, this section.

WABEEK STATE BANK

BIRMINGHAM, MICH.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

at the close of business
JUNE 30TH, 1933

RESOURCES

Cash on hand and due from other Banks	\$201,244.28
United States Government Securities	163,031.26
	\$364,275.54
Bonds other than U. S. Securities	119,681.33
Loans and Discounts	9,959.24
Furniture and Fixtures	7,424.40
TOTAL RESOURCES	\$501,340.53

LIABILITIES

Capital	\$ 62,500.00
Surplus	17,500.00
Undivided Profits	9,751.61
Deposits	411,588.92
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$501,340.53

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