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BRIEF SCHOOL TERMS SEEN

State Survey Shows Only 7 Of 141 Districts Will Run 40 Weeks

Results of a survey of Michigan village and city school districts being carried on by the Department of Public Instruction reveal that out of the 141 thus far reporting, only seven expect to operate the entire 40 weeks, the normal school year.

Two will run four weeks or less; three from four to nine weeks; seven from 10 to 14 weeks; 11 from 15 to 19 weeks; 11 from 20 to 24 weeks; 32 from 25 to 29 weeks; 27 from 30 to 34 weeks; and 17 from 35 to 39 weeks. Judging from this survey, approximately half of the districts will operate, but little more than, half the year.

There is a decrease of 450 teachers from the number employed last year in the 141 districts, the survey shows. The figures applied to the state as a whole indicate an approximate reduction of 1,000 teachers from the number employed in 1932-33, making a total reduction of 8,000 from the number employed in 1930-31.

A salary reduction for this year of approximately 50 per cent of

WE HEARD IT SAID BY—
Clarence J. Jordan, Commissioner: "I think it would be a good thing if one of the members on the Commission should be filled by appointment of a representative of South Birmingham."

The amounts paid in 1930-31 is indicated by the survey. The average salary will be \$1,984 for the year. Rural districts of the state are consistently reporting salaries ranging from \$25 to \$10 a month.

In the 141 districts reporting, the sum of \$3,146,706 is in closed banks. This sum is generally paid to teachers for salaries in 1932-33 and for unpaid operating costs and debt service.

While the average tax rate for operating expense is reported at 1.72 mills, the estimated available cash will not exceed \$8,791,000 on the total valuation of 71,354,463,662 reported. Nevertheless, from all sources now available show that the 141 school districts will have approximately \$13,000,000 for operating expense.

Need 17,000,000. These school districts will require \$17,000,000, which is a reduction of 37.7 per cent from the \$26,700,000 reported last year. There is a shortage of \$4,000,000, according to the survey. These figures apply to the entire state, making a total reduction of 8,000 from the number employed in 1930-31.

The \$15,000,000 state aid thus would only partially meet the shortage when debt charges are provided. Nevertheless, the sum would enable school districts of the state to operate for the current year. It has not been reported whether the allocation of the \$15,000,000 state aid would prevent many districts from defaulting on their bonds.

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Crandell to report for enrollment next Wednesday or Thursday, Sept. 13, at 8 A. M. at the office will attend. Principals of all five school buildings will be in their office from 10 A. M. to 12 noon, and from 2 to 4 P. M. on each of those days, to register new students, Mr. Crandell said.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Raychel of Chester street are sponsoring a general day in Chicago at the Century of Progress Exposition as the result of a puzzle contest in which they have not been out of the money. Mr. Raychel was generally the winner. A Detroit newspaper conducting the contest offered, as a prize a trip to the Fair.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary are receiving donations of fruits and vegetables which they plan to can at the Legion Home on Friday. The auxiliary cans food each year for the Children's Bibles at Otter Lake and for the hospital for World War Veterans in Battle Creek.

The Drum and Bugle Corps of the Charles Edwards Post, American Legion, won its first recognition in public competition Monday at the third annual Michigan Peach Festival at Romeo when it placed second in the bugle corps contest. Glen C. Richards is the commander of the local corps, of which there are 25 members. The Oakley Traylor Post corps of Flint was awarded first place, and Carlo third. Members of the local post also took part in the muniters' parade which featured the evening's program at the festival.

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Of the 244 places visited, 219 were already displaying the insignia, six were branch houses controlled from central offices which signed the agreement in Detroit, 15 were ignorant of the fact they were entitled to become NRA members because they employed only one or no assistants, but promised to sign up immediately, and four were closed.

One of the principal objectives of the committee is, Mr. Jordan said, "to organize the different lines of business within themselves and to influence them to go openly on record as adhering to the code which has been approved for their respective trade or industry. Most of this activity is being effected and more of it will be effected, through the Birmingham Retail Merchants Association, Mr. Jordan said.

Birmingham's appearance "over the top" in the NRA drive was appropriately hailed last Thursday night with a huge victory celebration which began with a parade and closed with a mass meeting in the Community House.

NRA Flag Raised
In the interim between, an impressive flag-raising ceremony was held on the steps of the Municipal Building, with Mr. Jordan and City Commissioner A. T. Brand acting mayor, officiating in raising the NRA banner symbolic of success in the drive.

Speakers at the meeting in the Community House included George A. Dondora, congressman from the 17th district; S. S. Skelton, member of the Pontiac NRA committee; and Leslie F. Durbin, member of the NRA committee in Royal Oak.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—ORDER OF THE CONSERVATION COMMISSION. HONORABLE GEORGE A. DONDORA, Director. THE Director of Conservation, having made a thorough investigation of and being satisfied that the following named persons are qualified to receive and hold licenses relative to Hungarian patriarchy, recommends a license be granted to each of them.

WHEREFORE the Conservation Commission do hereby order that for a period of three years, beginning on the 1st day of January, 1933, it shall be unlawful for any person to sell, give, or otherwise dispose of, or to have in his possession, or to have under his control, any Hungarian patriarchy, unless the same is sold, given, or otherwise disposed of, or is in his possession, or under his control, in accordance with the provisions of this order.

Signed, sealed and ordered published this 5th day of August, 1933.

GEORGE A. DONDORA, Director.
Department of Conservation.
Conservation Commission, c/o W. H. LEWIS, Chairman.
RAT E. GUYTON, Secretary.

Oak. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rupp, prominent Birmingham musicians, entertained the crowd of nearly 1,000 persons in attendance. Arrangements for the celebration were in charge of Paul N. Averill, publicity columnist for the NRA committee. In a statement issued yesterday, he expressed the heartfelt thanks of the entire organization to all groups which contributed to make a success, including the Baldwin High School Band, American Legion Drum and Bugle Corps, employees of the fire, police and postal departments, service clubs, business houses, Community House and other organizations which contributed to the event.

POLICE ARRESTS DROP IN AUGUST

Only 134 Recorded, As Compared With 215 In July, Report Shows

From 215 arrests made by the Birmingham police department in July, the number for August dropped to 134, according to the monthly report of Miss Carrie Steedman, issued today. Fines collected in August at the Traffic Violations Bureau amounted to \$216, as compared with \$316 for the preceding month.

August arrests included three for drunk driving, 10 for drunken-

ness, 30 for illegal parking, 36 for speeding, 44 for violation of traffic signs, seven for carrying improper licenses, one for riding four in a coupe, one for investigation, and two on warrants. There were no arrests for felonies.

There were two accidents during the month, and one person was injured, the report shows. Police showed 78 cars and investigated 56 complaining. With the vacation season at its height, 191 homes were checked while their occupants were away.

Three persons were reported bitten by dogs, and 13 men were given free lodgings in the city lock-up. Three automobiles were stolen, and all three were recovered. Four cases of breaking and entering, were reported.

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