

PROPERTY OWNERS FORM ASSOCIATION

E. C. Grove Named President Of Organization At Meet Last Night

To protect their single home residents' values against the invasion into their neighborhoods of undesirable building construction types, a dozen property owners gathered together in the City Hall last night and formed an organization committee for what will be known as The Northeastern Home Owners' Association of Birmingham. It will be a non-profit corporation, duly registered in Lansing.

David H. Ladd, former Village Commissioner, of Madison avenue, served as chairman of the meeting, and announced at its conclusion that another meeting will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, in the City Hall, at which all residents in the territory bounded on the south by Oakland avenue, on the east by Adams avenue, on the west by the old Grand Trunk right-of-way, and on the north by the City limits, are invited.

Directors of the association include E. C. Grove, president; H. M. Gilbert, vice-president; G. A. Hallett, secretary; W. E. Wallace, assistant secretary; C. H. Ranney, C. V. Crockett, C. J. Beck, and Frank H. Kemp.

Guess—My wife is very busy these days getting ready to make some "critical" speeches to women's clubs. Guess she is working hard on her addresses? Guess—No, only on her dresses.

ROUND AND GUT Dallas, Tex.—An officer and his prisoner went round and around, and the prisoner came out there and escaped. When E. E. Wallace, assistant juvenile officer, and a young prisoner he was escorting reached a revolving door, they both went in. However, they didn't come out as planned—the boy, ahead of Wallace, went all the way round and got away.

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College Enrollment Begins For 2nd Term

Enrollment for the second semester's work in the Community College will begin today. Director William E. Lantz in his office in the Hill School during the afternoon, on every evening with the exception of Tuesday in Room 101 at Baldwin High School.

Classes are open to anyone in the community regardless of age, financial condition or residence, as long as college credit is not required. In this event there are certain requirements that must be met.

The course in Child Psychology, which the seminar district will run from 2 until 4 p. m., Naomi Auster in the Barnum School has been well attended. Mrs. Auster divides the period into two sections. The first hour is devoted to lectures, while the second hour is left for discussion.

Dick—There must be some truth in the saying nobody loves at mat. Tom—Nonsense! Why, you are sort of pomp yourself, and you have got four love affairs, and been married as many times.

Headline Hunter FEVERYBODY TELLS YOU

By Aftermath of War "An FLOYD GIBBONS

TODAY'S story from Bert J. Balsinger of Carnegie, Pa., brings back memories to your old Headline Hunter. I was down there in Coblenz when the American doughboys took over the Watch on the Rhine, right after the Armistice, and I remember the tragic case Bert tells us about.

When our boys marched into Coblenz, more funny things happened than you could see in a stick at. I got a great kick out of a couple of Yank doughboys standing guard on the fortifications of the centuries-old castle and fort that commands the Rhine. They sure looked out of place in that stronghold of kings with Old Glory flying overhead where the banners of the haughty Hohenzollerns had flown so long.

Just a Yank Battery Practicing. "Keep your shirt on," my excited friends told me quietly. "That's a Yank battery giving these boys a touch of militarism. They're only fooling but it helps keep these guys peaceful."

They took deliberate aim at him without saying a word and fired point blank. Bert says his captors began to have an argument with him. He knew what they were arguing about. Some wanted to kill him to cover up the other shooting and others were for taking him prisoner. He just waited and prayed and finally "his side" won. They marched him to a German jail and locked him up.

HYGIENE LECTURE DRAWS INTEREST

Committee Named To Help In Arranging Plans For Talk Feb. 3

Widespread interest in bringing back to life the lecture on social hygiene, to be given by Dr. Loren W. Shaffer, of Detroit, who will speak next Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. in the Community House, will cause the need for controlling Syphilis and will argue his talk with lantern slides.

The program is sponsored by the Community Service of the American Legion Auxiliary with Mrs. H. H. Corson serving as general chairman. The group leaders who constitute the committee are Mrs. Loren Robinson, Mrs. Robert Appel, Mrs. Robert Peck, Mrs. Fred Parmer, Mrs. Robert F. Watson, Mrs. John K. Ormond, Howard D. Crall, Mrs. R. W. C. Suss, Mrs. John Rosso, Dr. E. A. Stimpf, and Dr. A. K. Stolman.

Improvements First Clerk—I'd like to sell you a set of encyclopedias that I got for my wife. Second Clerk—No sale. I know more than any encyclopedia.

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Two Hurt In Car Collision Saturday

Two persons received cuts about the face in an automobile collision on Woodward, Jan. 23, at 11:55 P. M. The injured were Ethel Brown of 12287 Wade street, Detroit and Russell Grimm of the same address. Miss Brown received a cut on the nose and Mr. Grimm had cuts on the forehead.

The icy condition of the street was responsible for five minor collisions in the city over the week-end. All involved slight damage to the cars but no personal injury was reported.

Obituary

MRS. MARGARET G. DAVENPORT

Mrs. Margaret Grover Davenport, 1083 East Maple avenue, Birmingham, died at 6:30 a. m. Wednesday, Jan. 27. She was born on May 28, 1870, in Royal Oak, and married William A. Davenport on Jan. 22, 1885. Mr. Davenport died on March 20, 1936. She Davenport lived in Birmingham from Troy Township, 25 years ago.

Funeral service will be held Friday at 2 p. m. at the residence with the Rev. R. D. Hopkins, of Detroit, officiating. Burial will be in White Chapel Memorial cemetery. The body will be at the S. O. Wylie Bell Funeral Home until Friday morning.

BACK FENCING

By The MAN ABOUT TOWN

To begin with—This contribution is not meant to be funny, as it meant to be clever, as the writer is not clever—but an effort will be made to pass on to those who might read it, little items of passing interest which may be of use to those whose work it is to "cover the news".

WINNERS ARE URGED TO REDEEM TRADE COUPONS A number of trade credit cards winners in the recent Goal Will campaign, conducted by local merchants, have failed to redeem their coupons for merchandise at stores here, according to Walter R. Raychel, Secretary and Treasurer of the Retail Merchants' Association.

DISTRICT BUSINESS MEN who in Birmingham and Hoover-Hill will hold their first two meetings on Monday, Jan. 29, at 8:30 p. m. in the Chamber of Commerce. The meetings will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, 1000 North Dearborn street. The meetings will be held in the Chamber of Commerce, 1000 North Dearborn street.

was a regular, human individual and that he might make a mistake now and then—and that even though he was a preacher he hoped that the folks in Birmingham would come to know and speak of him as "a regular guy".

Wonder if he takes his cases home with him or leaves them behind when he feels his office door. Milt Berg, builder, catches three swains and four lurchers a day—that we know of. If Birmingham had a few more "eaters" like Milt, the lunch counters and restaurants around town would have to add more help—and we think they'd be glad to do it.

Rich Wilson recently lost a great deal of experience in his dish washing technique, was almost perfect when he was assigned to wash the Soda Bar and now he washes a bit better.

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The Wabek corner. A car came from the west and gave her the horn. She almost did a bottoms-up in hiding her own on the slippery street, but she made it and then—just as she was coming out of that another car from the north gave her the horn. Again she almost did a Swan Dive but again righted herself—and what do you suppose the dirt? She looked up and gave the impatient driver a great big smile.

Carroll Pfund, of the Community House staff is about the most obliging person one would expect to meet. Efficiency—with a smile—that's her. Elmer Hinton, the hardware man, has headed north for a few rounds of golf. We will expect some great tales when he returns—leave that to Elmer. Someone remarked recently that they did not know when Dr. Lloyd Kemp enjoyed most-making care of indigent children or passing the purse. It's pretty much of a toss-up, we'd say.

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