

MRS. McGRAW WINS DECREE OF DIVORCE Mrs. Emma F. McGraw of 888 Waddington road, was granted a decree of divorce from Donald McGraw, Tuesday, by Judge H. Russell Holland in Circuit Court, Pontiac. The court also granted Mrs. McGraw the right to resume the name of her first husband, the late Lionel M. Woolson. The McGraws were married Jan. 18, 1936 and separated in September 1938.

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WPA ENDORSES PROJECTS FOR OAKLAND

Rep George A. Dondero has received word from the works progress Administration to the effect that several Oakland County projects have been designed as acceptable for inclusion in the WPA program. Among others, is Birmingham Project O. P. 655-51-2-518; allotment \$159,980, to construct storm and sanitary sewers throughout the city, including constructing diversion chambers, manholes, catch basins, and performing incidental and apartment work. These projects are now eligible for operation at the discretion of the State WPA Administrator. His decision will be largely determined by availability of funds, the presence of certified relief labor of the types and skills required, and other considerations that may be important in the locality of the particular project.

HOME OF NEW RESIDENTS



M. and Mrs. Newton E. Graham, formerly of Pittsburgh, who moved into their new home at 910 Fairfax road, last month. They purchased the home from Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown, owners. The Grahams chose Bennett representing both parties to the deal. The Grahams chose Birmingham for their new home town because of its beautiful homes, its country atmosphere and friendly neighbors.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis K. Marshall of Willis street, invited their friends on New Year's Day at an open house. Mr. T. Stanton has departed for Charleston, S. C., where he will spend the rest of the winter. He has been the house guest for an extended sojourn of his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Donald T. Stanton of Michigan avenue. Dr. and Mrs. John H. Gordon entertained 18 of their friends at a subscription party on New Year's Eve at their home on Baldwin avenue. A late buffet supper was served. Dr. and Mrs. Russell H. Elmer entertained at bridge and a late supper on New Year's Eve in their home on Albany road. Their guests were members of a subscription party. Mr. and Mrs. Howard D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson C. Schaub and Mr. and Mrs. Heber P. Galuska. Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Wilson of Bloomfield Hills is sojourning in California at present. She will remain on the west coast for a sojourn of indefinite length. Mr. and Mrs. C. Theon Van Dusen and their three sons, Charles, James and David, are expected to return to their home on Rustan road at the end of the week, after a three-week sojourn at Somerset, Bermuda. Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kilch of Pleasant road were hosts to number of their friends at a New Year's Day open house in their home. Mr. and Mrs. Alan W. Joslyn and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron H. Webster were members of a subscription group which attended the dinner and New Year's Eve party at the Detroit Boat Club, Detroiters formed the remainder of the group. Mrs. Paul B. Bell of Dorchester road entertained members of her book club at a dessert luncheon on Tuesday, in her home. Afterward, Mrs. Alan W. Joslyn presented a book review. Miss Mary Beck and her brother, Robert, entertained about 30 of their friends at an informal soiree and New Year's Eve party on Monday afternoon at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Buick of Aspen road. John Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wilson, returned Tuesday to his studies at Michigan State College, where he is a senior, after spending the holidays with his parents. As his house guest, he entertained Miss Maude Woodcock of Lansing, over New Year's. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Savage and their family of East Maple avenue, entertained a number of guests over the holidays. Included were Mrs. Savage's sister, Miss Anne Karaly of Waterford, Mass.; Mrs. Savage's sister, Miss Alice G. Savage of Arlington, Mass.; and two guests of Miss Alice Savage, Bud Leach and Miss Jean Leach of Toronto, Can. Mr. and Mrs. Savage entertained for the pleasure of the visitors at a dinner for 30 guests on New Year's Eve. The Rev. and Mrs. W. Glen Harris greeted members of the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church and their friends.

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"M" COURSES TO HAVE WIDE SCOPE IN CITY

Residents of Birmingham and nearby communities will be offered University of Michigan correspondence courses during the winter through the cooperation of the Birmingham Board of Education and Superintendent of Schools Howard D. Crull. There will be university level courses in a wide variety of academic subjects, through which it will be possible for high school graduates to earn 30 hours of college credit, an equivalent of an entire freshman year at the university. In addition, will be offered vocational, commercial and adult night courses. The list of subjects and there will be typing classes and retail salesmanship courses. The courses will be offered, provided at least 10 persons are sufficiently interested to warrant the course. There is no fee for this course. Texts are all that need to be provided by the student. Classes probably will be held at the University. The retail salesmanship group will meet Tuesday evening at the University Club, 1000 North Highland road. All persons interested in the correspondence courses should contact the University of Michigan, 400 North State Street, Detroit, Michigan. Mrs. Margaret Smith, in charge of the work, will consult with prospective students today between 2 and 3 p.m. at the Baldwin Public Library.

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(Continued from Page 1) man heart that the news of accident was a calamity and a tragedy to stand by and be unable to help in time of need is the experience of many a young generation. Spiritual Poverty But one of the keenest judgments we have are our departed spirits that we cannot offer the Bread of Life to our fellows. And yet, in the last analysis, spiritual poverty did not hinder our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Most men in their latter moments have dreams of righteous visions which they never realize, which they never see. How fitting it is that we discover the secret of our failures when we do have good dreams and a faint intuition. The answer so simple and so straightforward that it is a rebuke to all names, there is a lack of the present, the vision and the gift, they, thus, experienced in our hearts. To pick up our burdens and look at the number of the billions which David wrote, you become a part of the fact that the world is a hiding place in the heart of God. The new year is before us. May we grow out of our heart and under-sized spiritual lives into the stature of the fullness of a man or woman in Christ Jesus. It is for us to remember that God will use us if we will be used. Resolve every morning after the fashion of these lines: Not only when the New Year's foot should step the threshold of my year, should I make resolutions. Every flame shall be within me, ready to try. To live the shortest hour of one brief day, I will be ready to give my life for it, if there be need for me to do it. If there should be the need for me, I will always, ready to know. I will look for truth and find it where I can. I will be ready to give my life for it, if there be need for me to do it. I will be ready to give my life for it, if there be need for me to do it. I will be ready to give my life for it, if there be need for me to do it.

SANTA'S COURT OF HONOR

Dorothy Essery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Essery, of Aspen road, will entertain the court of honor of the Inauguration ceremonies at Lansing on Saturday, Dec. 31. Mr. and Mrs. C. Theon Van Dusen and their sons, of Duran road, returned Tuesday from Bermuda, where they spent the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Reid Jr. and their children, of Oxford road, returned Monday, from a holiday trip with relatives in Philadelphia. Dick Valle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pawson Valle, David Mott, son of the F. H. Mott, and Joe McKinney, son of Mrs. F. H. McKinney, were hosts to a group of school friends at a tobogganing party Monday evening at the Forest Lake Country club. Supper will be served after the outdoor sports. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Manning, of Puritan road, will be hosts at dinner, followed by skating on Friday evening. The following Friday, they will give a similar party to another group of friends. Mrs. Manning had a tobogganing party Monday, for her son, Bill.

BITS OF B'HAM

According to one of The Eccentric's foreign correspondents, agents, a number of girl students at Baldwin high school are wearing their Dad's sex to school. Especially the colorful kind. They claim it is part of the preliminary step in eventually stepping into their older's shoes. Malcolm G. Ewer Jr., formerly of Birmingham and now of Gastonia, North Carolina, is an amateur airplane pilot of such standing that he will fly in the races at Miami, Fla., this week sponsored by a national oil company. The young pilot flies as a hobby, sharing his enthusiasm for it with his insurance work in Gastonia. Ray A. Palmer, City Commissioner, who spent a holiday week on a trip to New Orleans, accompanying his daughter, is certainly interested in Birmingham. So, when his train passed Palm Beach, he purchased a copy of The Birmingham News. He is, strangely enough, that newspaper's large name is printed in all of its official offices. He is, daily, "this newspaper's" name is printed in—but the southern daily is only the official office of Birmingham. He is, daily, "this newspaper's" name is printed in—but the southern daily is only the official office of Birmingham. He is, daily, "this newspaper's" name is printed in—but the southern daily is only the official office of Birmingham.

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(Continued from Page One) and from the various players or a small entry charge may be paid at the door. The season's schedule is as follows: January 8, 7 p. m. Demolay versus Peck, 8 p. m. Sherman versus Recreation, 9 p. m. Cranbrooks versus Milks. January 12, 7 p. m. Sherman's and Cranbrooks, 8 p. m. Pecks and Recreation, 9 a. m. Demolay versus Milks. January 19, 7 p. m. Recreation versus Cranbrooks, 8 p. m. Demolay and Sherman, 9 p. m. Pecks and Cranbrooks, 9 a. m. Sherman versus Milks. February 7, 7 p. m. Sherman and Peck's, 8 p. m. Demolay versus Cranbrooks, 9 p. m. Recreation versus Peck's, 8 p. m. Sherman and Recreation, 9 p. m. Cranbrooks versus Milks. February 14, 7 p. m. Sherman versus Peck's, 8 p. m. Demolay and Recreation, 9 p. m. Peck's and Cranbrooks. February 21, 7 p. m. Recreation versus Cranbrooks, 8 p. m. Demolay and Sherman, 9 p. m. Peck's and Milks. March 7, 7 p. m. Demolay versus Recreation, 8 p. m. Peck's and Cranbrooks, 9 p. m. Sherman versus Milks. March 14, 7 p. m. Sherman and Peck's, 8 p. m. Demolay and Recreation, 9 p. m. Peck's and Cranbrooks. March 21, 7 p. m. Recreation versus Peck's, 8 p. m. Sherman and Recreation, 9 p. m. Peck's and Cranbrooks. The Michigan League is celebrating its 50th anniversary this year, having been organized in Saginaw in 1888. It is an organization comprising the leading associations in the state and has had important influence in the promotion of thrift and home financing in Michigan.

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Moreland Named On Committee

Walter E. Moreland, vice-president and secretary of the Birmingham Federal Savings & Loan Association, Birmingham, has just been appointed a member of the Michigan Building and Loan League Committee on Compensation and Social Security according to news received here today. The announcement came from James H. Jerome, Saginaw, president of the League, who indicated that the committee's functions have special importance because of a widely developing interest in the compensation policies of savings and loan institutions and the social security program for association workers.

NOTICE OF Change In Banking Hours To Our Customers: Effective January 1, 1939, and until further notice, banking hours FOR SATURDAYS ONLY shall be from 9:00 A. M. to 1:00 P. M. There will be no change in banking hours for the other days of the week, which remain as heretofore— 9:00 A. M. to 3:00 P. M. The change in banking hours for Saturdays involves the closing of the Banks on Saturday Evenings from 6:00 o'clock P. M. to 8:00 o'clock P. M., and the extension of morning banking hours from 12:00 o'clock Noon to 1:00 o'clock P. M. We solicit your cooperation in that you arrange for your banking requirements by 1:00 o'clock P. M., on Saturdays.

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