Social Briefs

Mrs. Robert Appell and Miss Agnes Baynes attended the 17th District Past Presidents' parley recently held at the home of Mrs. Marion Cleary, of Clawson. Mrs. John Chapman, of Oxford, was elected chairman and Mrs. A. S. Jones, of Ferndale, is the new secretary-treasurer. The purpose of the parley is to give assistance to World War nurses who are in need. Next meeting will be in Pontiac at the Legion home, Jan. 16. Twenty past presidents from Pontiac, Royal Oak, Clawson, Hazel Park, Oxford, Ferndale and Birmingham attended the Clawson meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Knowles will entertain for Dr. and Mrs. Andre DeLattre at a tea. They have asked Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Appel, the Angus D. McLays, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Shain, Mr. and Mrs. Elbridge G. Newhall, Jr., and the H. S. Burlingames.

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Barbara Gibson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Warren P. Gibson, of Riverside drive, had as her week end guests Audry Hatch and Marian Hale, both of Marshall.

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Corrine Cooley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cooley, of Bates street, who left Tuesday morning for seven months at St. Petersburg, was honored Sunday evening by a party at her parents' home.

FINED IN PONTIAC

Irwin J. Blake, 20, of route 2, Birmingham, was assessed a fine of $25 and costs of $7 when found guilty of reckless driving by Justice John L. Halsey, Pontiac, last week. His operator's license was suspended for 90 days.

TAXI IS DAMAGED

Last Sunday afternoon, a minor car mishap occurred on Maple avenue. C. Neil Russell, 54, of 1548 Edgewood, Birmingham, driving a taxicab, was starting at a traffic light when Gerald Hefling, 30, of Mary street, Mount Clemens, pulled away from the curb and the collision occurred. The cab was damaged.

CONTEST

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that even if you get in fairly late, your chances are still excellent.

Contest enthusiasm continues to climb. See Page 4 of Part III for fourther details, including names of the "four-wrong" predictors, and of several who uncannily picked ties.

Sarnowski lives at 1344 Davis street and has played some football. He dropped out of school for a time, and formerly worked in the bindery at The Eccentric. Now he's back to get his diploma. He has lived in Birmingham 12 years.

Receives Other Awards

Besides the football tickets, the winner received $13 in merchandise awards given by cooperating Birmingham merchants. See their ads on the ballot page.

Sarnowski slipped on the Harvard-Army and Wayne-Akron ties, plus the defeat of Iowa by Indiana.

Cutting Heating Cost

Storm windows are an aid in saving heating costs, because they provide a layer of air outside the window which acts as insulation. They are intended to decrease heat losses by conducting and may be installed with funds obtained from qualified private lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the FHA.

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THIS AND THAT

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engineering," he told his audience. Don't you think that President Ruthven is correct?

Norman Thomas Was There; He Is Very Tired and Weary

Norman Thomas, Socialist candidate for President of the United States, was in Ann Arbor Friday afternoon. He was guest at a luncheon in the Union Friday noon, tendered by Ann Arbor Socialists, some of them U of M faculty members. (Which isn't a crime either, is it?) I happened to be sitting just across the hall and heard him address the luncheon group, after which he remained for a bit of chat with a few of his faithful followers. With editor Scarth Inglis, of the Galesburg Argus, I strolled into Mr. Thomas' presence—and you who know me won't be surprised to find out that I got into the general conversation, of course. Mr. Thomas used to be a minister; he's been preaching Socialism for years; and right now he's mighty tired and a bit discouraged over the outlook for American democracy. He admits that he is weary; that most people refuse to think issues through; that even labor, today, is close to dictatorial domination and bureaucracy than it ever was. He doesn't believe that either Roosevelt or Willkie can solve the problems that confront the United States. He believes that the Conscription Act, however it may have been conceived to protect American democracy, is a tremendous step toward regimentation. But Mr. Thomas most certainly has been a valiant defender of human rights as he saw such rights; he's kept his own skirts free from dirt; and he'll probably get his reward in heaven, even though it fails to reach him as an earth-being. (Of course, I mentioned Henry George and the Single Tax; but Mr. Thomas doesn't think that even that can do much today; so I gave up any personal efforts to reform him at Ann Arbor, and now he'll just go his desert way, a tired and weary soul whose courage was spent upon the Sahara landscape of equally tired and weary people.)

You Observe Many Things On And About The Campus

Ann Arbor and the U of M bring a variety of thoughts and impressions: the autumn foliage there is always beautiful . . . so many beautiful homes, sort of loafing their quiet lives away amidst stately trees and gardens . . . hurrying young men and women, laden with books, but generally happy in appearance, going from classroom to classroom to studiously directed leisure time (some of it studious, I hope) . . . for the first time visits with one of my own offspring who is studying engineering, and, kinda proud of him, too—in spite of the fact that John generally needs a haircut . . . learned professors, easy in their intellectual security, as they gaze into the answers that, alas! too often they alone know and understand . . . younger instructors, full of vigor and ideas to save our world . . . campus romances in the making, as boy-and-girl walk about the campus, and city—she generally carrying her own books, too . . . lectures and concerts going on nearly every afternoon and evening, somewhere in this University town, a far cry in culture from the war destruction and human suffering in Europe, for even the poverty-ridden areas of other larger cities right in the United States) . . . always much busy-ness in the Women's League and Men's Union buildings, especially on football days when the Old Grads of both sexes come back for fun and fellowship . . . Fielding H. Yost, immortal football and sports mentor of the University, is always at the Press Club meetings, and really likes the custodians of the Fourth Estate . . . he is a great and grand character, has influenced for good the lives of perhaps more than any other faculty member who has walked with measured tread upon the campus—40 years on his job is, in itself, proof of the Yost value . . . and so, to the end of this altogether too brief word picture of three delightful days in Ann Arbor during the autumn of 1940.

Wall Color

Dark walls soak up light just as a sponge soaks up water. A dark-walled room which is not exceptionally well illuminated by daylight is bound to require more electric light in the evening. With dull dark walls light is dim and struggling. With clean light walls electric bulbs and daylight spread their radiance in full strength.

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Here Is Schools' Patriotic Program

The need for a strengthened Democracy has resulted in definite planning by the schools toward that goal, Supt. Howard D. Crull reported to the Board of Education Tuesday night.

For example, teachers are stressing "The idea that we must give back to the community, state and nation something in return for the many opportunities we receive. We must be active, interested and cooperative citizens," Crull declared.

Lists Objectives

Other objectives are these, he said:

1. To stress health habits and healthy living. This applied to the physical and mental aspects of education.

2. To create an atmosphere that encourages work. To keep standards of work sufficiently high to challenge the best efforts of each student.

3. To teach respect for the rights of the individual.

4. Foster the ideals of democracy by putting democracy into practice in the schools.

5. Study the advantages of a republican form of government as compared with other forms.

American Way of Life

6. Stress early in the school life of the child the heritage that is his through the American way of life. Continue through various ways to stress this point. Classes in the social studies notably history, civics and geography lend themselves very well to this procedure.

7. Stress character development, Honesty, self direction, self-government, thrift and a will to do are all virtues that the schools are endeavoring to provide.

8. Study the history of the Flag of the United States. Know the common courtesies due the flag.

9. Promote through working together a respect for others. Be tolerant of our fellow citizens.

DEMOLAY

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zation at its last meeting; Robert Eves was chosen senior councilor; and William Bell, junior councilor.

The following youths were appointed: Robert Fallberg, senior deacon; Robert Pettypiece, junior deacon; George Ford, senior steward; Holt Ackerman, junior steward; Dale Clements, chaplain; Robert Traxler, marshall; John Rose, standard bearer; Edmund Boomer, sentinel; Spencer Peck, almoner; Paul Westerby, James Andrews, Donald Burnett, Vernon Wenderoth, Edward Spicer, Francis Burder and Harold Jones, all preceptors; Frank Boomer, Robert Peck and James Juhl, inquisitors; Edward Hascall, orator and Charles Reynolds, attendance recorder.

Second degree parts will be taken by Donald Erickson, Merle Ryder, David Cole, Edward Spicer, Robert Traxler and Dale Clements. Howard Ward is state representative; Francis Burder and Edmund Boomer district representatives.

M. D. Watts, 212 East Lincoln, is "Dad" for the chapter.

Do you know your football? If you do, get into The Eccentric's weekly Forecaster contest. Prizes are tickets for big games and also valuable merchandise awards.

ENGLAND

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can tell you to have your welcome and most interesting letters. You ought to have had a reply before this but Michael is working long hours at the Ministry and is far too tired when he gets home to do anything else but have a meal and read the papers while listening to the radio. I have put off writing, hoping each day that I might have better news to tell you. For the past ten days the Nazis have been concentrating on London and life has been far from easy, especially at night when the bombers have done their worst to terrify us all and sleep has been almost an impossibility. Michael is a perfect marvel for neither the sound of the bombs falling and huge anti-aircraft guns crashing over our heads keeps him awake. We have to remind ourselves pretty often that we are on active service doing the biggest task our race has ever attempted.

Don't imagine that we are short of food or anything like that, for we have all more than we need. Of course, our standard of living is falling, but that won't hurt us; in fact, we need the discipline of lower living and higher thinking. A working man pointed out to me the other day that our glorious young airmen were war babies—it gave me much food for thought.

I hope you admire our Prime Minister. I worked for him during my political days, and he once thanked me for what he was pleased to describe as the finest appeal for Liberalism he had ever had delivered from his platform. And our young king and queen—we do love them.

Friend, 80, Unafraid

Sept. 21

I had to track off here as a friend came in to ask my advice about trouble she was having at her apartment. My friend is nearly 80 years old. I strongly advised her to leave London for a time. She was indignant and assured me no Hitler was going to frighten her out of London. I think that is how most of us feel.

Sept. 22

I am going to make another attempt to get this scribble finished. The sirens have just gone on and I can hear our guns banging away some long way off. I am thankful to say our beloved dog and cat, Sally the Pekinese and Peter, the silver-grey Russian cat, don't seem much worried but they both ask to be taken on my lap and then, feeling quite sure the mistress will not let anything hurt them, they go fast asleep. When Michael and Helen are out and I am alone, I try to take a lesson from the animals and trust God as they trust me. It is when I lie in bed in the dark listening to the brutes of German bombers getting nearer and nearer that I feel "really cold inside," but in the daytime I go about unmindful . . .

(Personal news concluded the letter.)

An earlier letter received by Mrs. Bowser replied "No, thank you!" to an invitation to come to Franklin for the duration of the war.

"I simply couldn't dream of leaving England now, for even I may still be able to lend a hand," she was told.

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Full Landscaping By Next Year

Completion of landscaping in the center of Hunter boulevard from Lincoln avenue to 14-Mile road is contemplated for next year, the State Highway Department has advised city officials. Preliminary work will start this fall on the section from the northerly limits to Lincoln.

The sidewalks will be built next spring. The City Commission was advised Monday that Elbridge G. Newhall, Jr., owner of the bowling alley structure and of the new theatre under construction, had received an OK from the State to build now two blocks of sidewalk on Hunter south of Maple.

DRAFT

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ington, to start next week, numbers will be drawn at random. For example, serial No. 517 may be chosen first; 5,313 second, and so on, until every capsule in the fishbowl has been drawn. Men all over the country owning serial No. 517 will thus get Order No. 1; men with 5,313 will get order No. 2, etc.

Master Sheet

After the master sheet of order numbers has been established in Washington, each local board will then establish its order number list here.

Then, beginning at the head of the order number list, questionnaires will be mailed to all, to be returned within five days.

Then using the questionnaires, the real work of the draft board will commence. Each man must be classified; roughly, as follows: Class I, men available for service; Class II, men to be deferred because of the importance of their work; Class III, men with dependents; and Class IV, the unfit.

Next, the local board will mail a notice to every man, notifying him of his classification.

Then, men in Class I will be notified when to appear for physical examination. This work locally will be in charge of Dr. O. O. Beck, Wabeek building.

Meanwhile, the state office will have established a quota for District No. 7, and when a call comes for men, those in Class I and physically fit will be drawn on. Those with the lowest order numbers will be the first to go.

The first quota for District No. 7 is, of course, unknown, but some have estimated that there will be no more than five to 25.

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TEACHERS

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for gym rentals, it would cost about $900 a year, Lynd said.

MAY BUY PLACQUE

A plaque crediting war veterans' organizations here with providing the new Pierce athletic field flagpole may be purchased by the Board. Prices will be secured on a metal plate of some sort to be affixed to the pole.

FLAG ROPES CUT

Pranksters cut ropes on two of the schools' flag poles during last week end, it was reported. Business Manager Louis M. Randall hired a Detroit steeplejack who replaced the rope, painted the poles and charged $10 for his work. The rope was bought extra. Students in both schools—Pierce and Adams—were lectured.

TO TEACH FIREMEN

Approval was given to a course to be taught Birmingham firemen through aid coming from State and Federal sources. The schools will have nothing to do with the courses, although their approval was required.

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NO BUDGET YET

Approval of the school district's annual budget is months overdue. The budget can not be set up until the County Tax Allocation Board tells the district what tax rate can be used. That has been delayed by the Scavenger land sale, it is said.

RESTRICT BAND USE

Supt. Crull reported that he had declined to permit use of the High School band in political parades, and the Board ratified his policy.

TEACHERS KEEP BUSY

Twenty-seven teachers enrolled in summer school work, it was reported. That is higher than average, it was said by Supt. Crull.

MULBAR

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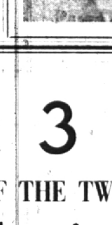
The same thing is happening in the United States today, he declared, and he quoted a statement made by Abraham Lincoln more than 100 years ago in which he said that no foreign power could ever invade our shores, but that destruction of the country, if it ever comes, will originate within because of citizens' failure to govern themselves rightly.

Mulbar cited the Communist inconsistency in advocating a small armed force for the United States, but then bragging of Russia's great forces. He asserted that communism had made its way in to labor unions, schools and churches.

"Michigan has been a proving ground for revolutionary movements since 1932," he declared.

Bedroom Arrangement

FHA afficials caution prospective home builders to arrange bedrooms with special consideration as to privacy. Bedrooms should open directly on a common hall. Wise planning of the openings in bedrooms is vitally important to insure proper placing of beds and other furniture. Adequate ventilation is essential, and sunlight should be afforded at some time during the day.



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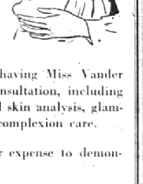

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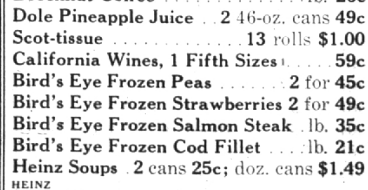

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