Lathrup Townsite News

by LILLIAN DIEDERICH

Mr. and Mrs. Lee R. Baker, of Bloomfield drive, will leave this week end for a trip to Natchez and to New Orleans. Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lang, of Lebanon, Ill., will accompany them. A highlight of the southern tour will come about March 20, at which time the Bakers and Langs plan on making a two day pilgrimage of more than 40 lovely gardens at the height of their early Spring beauty. A decade ago a group of women organized the club in order to open to the public the beautiful old homes, some of which were never completed because of the Civil War, to raise funds for the upkeep of the 40-odd garden estates. Members of the Natchez Garden Club will don white wigs and hoop skirts as they conduct the tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Quayle, of Santa Barbara drive, were hosts to William Johnston and his fiance, of South Haven, Mich., the past week. Mr. Johnston is Mrs. Quayle's brother.

Home from South

Mrs. Daniel P. Kearney and son, Philip, of California drive, are now at home after a month's vacation spent at Clearwater, Fla. Mrs. Kearney stated that the weather was so cool that swimming was impossible, but judging from the nice coat of tan, the beach must have been as popular as ever.

Mrs. Howard Stock, of San Quentin boulevard, will take her turn entertaining Lathrup Bridge Club on March 20.

Mrs. Earl Doig, of San Diego boulevard, was hostess on Tuesday to eight Lathrup neighbors, at a bridge luncheon.

Three Flags Chapter, D. A. R., gave its annual spring bridge party on Monday afternoon. One of the largest bridge groups ever to congregate in Lathrup was there, all resplendent in Spring finery, due, no doubt, to the warm sunny day.

Mrs. Earl D. Loomis, of California drive, will leave for California on March 25. Mrs. L. W. Phillips, a close friend, will relieve her at the wheel. The two plan on stopping off at all points of interest including the Carlsbad Caverns, Grand Canyon, Boulder Dam and Las Vegas. They will be away a month and will visit Mrs. Philips' daughter at Los Angeles while there.

Go to Symphony

Mrs. Arthur Mitchell, of San Quentin drive, took two promising young musicians to the closing performance of the Symphony on Thursday evening. Dickie Sutherland and Robert Mitchell were the lucky two.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rank, of Oak Park, Ill., visited their parents, the James Perrens, last week-end. Young Clifford Porter wrote from Hawaii that he was quarantined with the measles immediately after packing, but that he is now in excellent health in excellent company in an excellent land of sunshine and flowers.

Mrs. Lee R. Baker, of Bloomfield drive, entertained eight guests on Friday, Luncheon and bridge was the order of the day.

Mrs. David B. Redwood and son, Norton, of San Quentin drive, left Friday for a month of sunshine in Florida. Mr. Redwood plans on driving down the last two weeks.

The John Diederichs had a rumpus in the rumpus room on Friday night, and the ten guests seemed to enjoy it. Fish and chips—potato chips we should say, was the offering.

An error in last week's fashion show news. The show was put on by a Royal Oak shop, not a Detroit shop.

Ruth Reed, daughter of the Thomas M. Reeds, of Sunset boulevard, was surprised on Saturday night. A group of teenagers in high spirits just about floored Ruth with good wishes and enthusiasm; the occasion was her 17th birthday. Corsjoice Lane planned the party.

P.-T. A. Theatre Review

(The film comments herewith are supplied by the Birmingham Council, Parent-Teacher Associations.)

ROMANCE OF THE RIO GRANDE, Routine Western with the usual beautiful photography. Rated by California P.-T. A.: 8 to 14, good; 15 to 18, good; adults good.

LAND OF LIBERTY, An intensely interesting compilation of sequences from feature pictures and newsreels which presents a graphic picture of 150 years for all ages by all agencies.

SO ENDS OUR NIGHT, Grim absorbing tragedy of war-torn Europe, vividly setting forth relentless persecution of non-Aryans and refugees without passports. Rated by California P.-T. A.: 8 to 14, no; 14 to 18, harrowing; adults, excellent.

American Place Names

Today's specials: Radio, Mont., and Static, Tenn.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT
No. 227
VILLA ROAD SIDEWALK

Notice is hereby given that the Special Assessment Roll No. 227 heretofore made by the assessor for the purpose of defraying the cost of constructing a sidewalk on the south side of Villa between Dixie and Columbia, is now on file in my office for public examination.

Notice is also hereby given that the Commissioners of the City of Birmingham will meet at the Commission Room in said City on Monday, the 17th day of March, 1941, at 8 o'clock P. M., to review said assessment, at which time and place opportunity will be given to all persons interested to be heard.

IRENE E. HANLEY,
City Clerk.

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New Book Tells Women the Way To Work Budget

BY LINDO MOORE

No longer need the little woman cringe when her hubby frowns and makes acid remarks about feminine stupidity in the matter of budgets. No longer need she accepmodestly a budget laid out along nice logical lines that she can't keep within because of impulsive purchases. Louise Hollister Scott comes to the rescue with her new book, *Income Management for Women*.

Writing along sound economic lines, Mrs. Scott, who has been a wage earner herself, includes all the budget problems peculiar to the ladies. That extra hat, for example, bought to banish a "blue" mood; the silk stocking problem; the beauty shop—items not usually included in masculine budgets.

She explains fully the theory of budgets and demonstrates with case histories taken from life. A most useful and entertaining book.

The History of American Foreign Policy, by J. H. Latane. Written first in 1927, this is a comprehensive study of modern foreign relations. This new edition brings the account down to September, 1939. Much of the book is entirely new; some changes have been made in the original text. One of the most significant of modern books on the tangled political web of European diplomacy and the part played therein by the United States.

My Sister and I, by Dirk van der Heide. Far from being horrible or lurid, this little book does more to bring home the happenings in Holland today, than any of the flood of terrible stories recently published. It is the diary of a Dutch boy of twelve whose horizon was complicated one day only by a composition on Erasmus assigned for his next day's class. He never turned in the theme; the next day Nazi bombs rained on his city and he and his family fled for their lives. Calmly, with an almost fatalistic lack of excitement he tells of the death of his Mother, his Father's departure with the army, his own days in a bomb shelter and eventual escape to America.

In sharp contrast to the above is E. G. Pinkham's little novel, *Anal Elan*. Her character emerges through the words of her small nephew, the only one who understood that his aunt was not mad, but the sanest of women. Long ago she discovered that she did not particularly like the world in which she found herself. Unable to change it, she invented one that suited her. Her statements regarding this peculiar universe made friends and relatives eye her askance but she lived her life happily to the end.

H. M. Pulham, Esq., by J. P. Marquand. Not unlike "The Late George Apley," the hero of this novel lives very much in the present. It is the perfect portrait of the life of a very ordinary man of our own time.

Quick Service, by P. G. Wodehouse. A completely mad novel in the customary Wodehouse vein.

The Affair in Death Valley, by Clifford Knight. Sad accidental death by thirst in the famous desert valley—only it was murder.

The Great Mistake, by Mary Roberts Rinehart. Mystery thriller among the social lights of a small town.

Mexican Trip Next On Adventure Series

A complete tour of Mexico in natural color motion pictures will be presented at the Detroit Institute of Arts, Woodward at Kirby, next Sunday afternoon, March 16, at 3:30 and again that evening at 8:30, by Van Wormer Walsh, globe-trotter and explorer, who will accompany the picture with his own lively commentary.

Church News

First Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. Glen Harris, Pastor
Lloyd C. Chapman, Director Christian Education
Norman S. Grubbs, Supt. Sabbath School

The Pulpit Committee will meet in the church Friday evening at 7:30. The pastor will lead the discussion.

The Rev. W. Glen Harris will preach at both morning and evening services next Sunday. The subject of the morning will be "Is It Minor God?" while the evening discourse will be on, "Seeing the Best Out of Life."

The meeting of the teachers and officers of the Sunday School will be held Monday evening, March 17, at the home of Mrs. E. W. Seaholm, 856 Kennesaw avenue for potluck supper.

Sabbath School—9:45, Junior and Primary Church at 11 o'clock. The Intermediate and Senior Christian Endeavor Societies will meet at 4 and 6 o'clock respectively.

First Baptist Church
Willits at Hazel
Rev. Joseph C. Nelson, Pastor
David Anderson, Assistant Pastor
Thomas Hartle, Director of Music

10:00 Church school. Classes for all ages.

11:00 Nursery for small children.

11:00 Morning worship. Sermon by the church choir under the direction of Mr. Hartle. Sermon topic—"Requisites for a Good Life." The Baptismal Service by the Order of De Molay will be carried special guests.

11:00 Junior Church, under the direction of Mrs. W. D. Hoenker.

6:30 Mr. and Mrs. Club meeting in the Parlor. Special speaker, Mr. Charles Becker, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Birmingham.

6:45 B. Y. P. U. Meeting. A lively discussion type of meeting for all young people.

7:30 Evening service. Organ music, hymn sing. Sermon—"Family Life." This is the third sermon in a series on the American Home. You are invited to share these services.

Wednesday evening prayer service at 7:45.

7:30 Evening Service. Special music night. A group of singers from Baldwin High School, under the direction of Wilbur Ulrich, "Ballad for Americans." Mr. Hartle will contribute organ music. The congregation will join in the hymns. Special sermon by the pastor.

Wednesday evening prayer service, 7:30.

St. James Episcopal Church
Rev. Warner L. Forsyth, Rector
Phones: Rectory 189, Office 2356

Sunday school, Kindergarten and Primary, 11 a. m. Junior and senior school at 9:45 a. m.

Holy Communion each Sunday at 8 a. m.

Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.

Holy Communion, 11 a. m., first Sunday of month.

Tuesday evenings during Lent—Supper and speaker, 7 p. m.

Christ Church Cranbrook
Rev. Charles H. Cadigan, Rector
Rev. Wm. C. Hanna, Asst. Rector
Rev. Robt. L. DeWitt, Curate

Holy Communion, 8:30 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11 a. m.
Holy Communion the first Sunday each month, 11 a. m.

Holy Name Catholic Church
Harmon at Woodward
Rev. Fr. David J. Dunne, Pastor
Rev. Fr. Lawrence V. Hanna, Assistant

Sunday masses at 7:30, 9, 10, 11, 12, 4, 8.
Daily masses at 7 and 7:30 a. m.
Lenten devotions Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8 p. m.

The United Presbyterian Church
Woodward at Forest
Rev. Joseph A. Moats, Minister

Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Dale Marbinson, Superintendent.
Public worship hour, 11 a. m.
Wednesday evening cottage prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m.

First Methodist Church
Minister, Rev. Charles C. Hoffer
Organist—Oscar W. Schmidt,
Director of Choirs—Arthur Ulrich

Grand church school 9:45.
Morning worship 11:00.
Subject: "What We Believe About the Bible."

Epworth League will attend the evangelistic service at Metropolitan Methodist church, leaving here at 6:30. All young people are invited to join.

Midweek service Wednesday evening at 7:45.

Fellowship dinner Thursday evening at 6:30, in charge of the Sunshine group.

Redeemer Ev. Lutheran Church
Lincoln near Woodward
Rev. Theodore G. Wuggazer, Jr., Pastor

Sunday School—9:30 A. M.
Morning Worship—11:00 A. M.
Sermon Sunday: "The Cross Destroys Selfishness."
Lenten service Wednesday, 8 P. M.
Sermon: "Evil's Hour."

Southfield U. P. Church
19 Mile near Lahser Road
Rev. Frank Boyd, D.D., Pastor

11 a. m. Morning worship.
12 noon. Church school.
Young People's Hour, 7 p. m.
Choir, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

Embury Methodist Church
Bennaville Ave.
Rev. Rudolph Boyce, Pastor

Church School—10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship—11:15 a. m.
Evening service—7:30.
Epworth League every Sunday at 6:30 p. m. at the church.
Woman's division will meet with Mrs. H. Phillips, 998 Hazel, Wednesday, Mar. 19, at 2 p. m.

Aura-Lite Spiritualist Temple
Masonic Temple
Rev. Horace Drake, Pastor

Messages by visiting mediums, 2 to 4 p. m. Supper at 5 p. m. All welcome.
Evening service 7:45 p. m. Guest speaker, Soloist, Mrs. M. Thompson. Healing service, Mr. Whinfun. Come and bring a friend.

Troy Presbyterian Church
Livernois Road
Rev. John Helsh, Minister
Jack A. Beamer, Organist and Director of Music

Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Graded classes for all ages.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.

Franklin Community Church
Rev. Howell C. Guin, Pastor

Morning services, 10:30 a. m.
Sunday School, 11:45 a. m.

Bethany Hills Church
Opposite Bond
The Rev. Daniel Whitaker, Pastor

Sunday masses at 8:00, 10:00, 11:45 a. m.

First Church Christ, Scientist
Pierce and Willits Streets

Church each Sunday at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.

Subject, "Unity of Good."

Golden Text: (Psalms 119:89) "For ever, O Lord, thy word is settled in heaven." "Thy faithfulness is unto all generations."

Among the Bible citations is this passage: "Thine, O Lord, is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is thine; thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and thou art exalted as head above all."

Selections from the Lesson-Sermon include the following from Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy: "Spirit is the only reality. Matter is the false, fading, finite. God, Spirit, Good, Life, Truth, Love, Mind, Soul, Spirit, Principle, Life, Truth, Love, Mind, Soul, Spirit, Principle, Life, Truth, Love, Mind, Soul, Spirit, Principle