A Capella Choir Sings Admirably In Annual Concert

By FENTON R. MATHEWS

Forty-four students of Baldwin High School in the A Capella Choir gave their annual spring concert in the high school auditorium Monday evening.

An excellent and varied program was given to a very small audience. It would not seem unfair for these young people to refrain from singing for various luncheon clubs, churches and other social groups unless a pledge could be extracted that a like courtesy would be returned by attending their concerts.

"Now Let All the Heavens Adore Thee," by Johann Bach; "Night Shadows Falling," by Frederick Fleming; "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte-Deis; "Serenade" by Sigmund Romberg; and "Love's Own Sweet Song," by E. Kalman composed the first group of songs.

The choir sang in a pleasing manner and with tonal quality that can only be found in young people's voices. There is always a freshness and richness in the singing of these groups that well repays the efforts of the listener to attend.

"Clorinda" and "One Alone" were sung by William Muten, one of the tenors of the group. A lyric voice with possibility and a sweetness that is pleasing should make this singer in demand at social affairs.

"Hejere Kati" by Zeno Hubay was the violin solo selected by Richard Andrade. This young man executed some difficult passages, staccato, harmonics and other tricks which makes the violin the king of musical instruments. Charles Tunger played a delightful accompaniment for this number.

"The Village Blacksmith," by Longfellow, with music by Samuel Richard Gaines, was a melodic cantata in six parts. The voices of the choir were heard in this number and solo parts were taken by Victor Ulrich, the director of the choir, and Mrs. A. Edgar Ehertole, soprano. These two voices in solo and in baritone and soprano duets added greatly to the program.

Ruth Minks as accompanist for the choir gave able support to the various numbers.

Those present pronounced the concert as highly satisfactory and deplored the small attendance.

ANGLE PARKING CRASH

Percy Crawley, of Van Dyke, driving south on Woodward avenue Monday afternoon, collided with the car of Mrs. C. W. Moyer, 1725 Lincoln avenue, backing from her parking place.

After the accident the Service speaks for itself!

KELLY INSURANCE

Lathrup Townsite News

by LILLIAN DIEDERICH

Jean Bingman, daughter of the Fred P. Bingman's, arrived home Saturday for two weeks' vacation. Jean dances with the Bernard troupe whose next appearance will be with the Eddie Duchin orchestra, followed by an engagement with Guy Lombardo in New York city.

Dr. Robert Seabby, of Glendale boulevard, left for Hollywood, Calif., by plane Thursday. He will return home next week.

Mrs. Lawrence Schiek, of Lathrup boulevard, entertained the Lathrup Bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. S. Odie Lane was hostess to the G & T bridge club, last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Leroy Cline, of Saratoga drive, honored her sister, Mrs. Alfred Rohn, a new resident of the Townsite, at a dessert bridge, May 21. The Rohns' new home is on San Diego boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Odie Lane and family will spend Decoration Day with relatives in Muskegon.

Mrs. Howard Stock surprised her daughter Patricia, a student at St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, when she arrived at the convent Sunday, with three of Patty's best friends. The occasion was the May Festival, an annual event planned weeks ahead by the nuns and the pupils. Mary-Jo Stock accompanied her mother as did Betty Thompson, Frances Tiernan, and Phyllis Becker. Mary-Jo will spend next week-end at the convent as the guest of her sister, Patricia.

Miss Linda F. Knorrip, of Detroit, has been a guest at the Clarence Knorrip residence on Glenwood boulevard the past two weeks. Miss Knorrip is convalescing from a recent illness.

The Charles Walkers of San Jose drive, were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Merrill of Toledo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dupuis, of Glendale boulevard, announce the birth of a daughter Gayle Ann, born May 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Husel, and family, of Glenwood boulevard, will move to Spokane, Wash., in the near future for Mr. Husel has been transferred there. The Husels formerly lived in Washington and their parents still reside there so that the move West is a happy event.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest F. Zatorsky, of California drive, were hosts last week to Mr. and Mrs. William Justice of Kansas City, Mo.

A record crowd of young people attended the formal dance held Saturday night in the auditorium. It was a memorial occasion for the "young fry" as most of them donned semi-formal attire the first time. Teenage boys suddenly acquired poise and courtly manners along with the mess coats and dark trousers. Little girls who but yesterday wore pigtails and roller skates appeared at the dance in billowy bouffant skirts. Corazjoice Lane and Tommie Bingman supervised the decorations and spent many hours to achieve the desired effect.

What Your School Board Is Doing . . .

May 27, 1941

Regular meeting of the Board of Education May 27 at 8 p. m.

Following motions passed:

Resolution to Oakland County Board of Education to transfer Pembroke Manor territory in the City of Birmingham from School District No. 8, Troy Township, to District No. 1 Fr. Bloomfield. This Board of Education to assume its proportionate share of Troy No. 8 bonded debt in an amount not to exceed $1,300.

Board to pay one half the cost of a new sterilization system for the Barnum pool. Approved registration fee of 25 and 50 cents for swimmers using the pool during the eight weeks of operation.

Deduction of insurance from employees' salaries for hospitalization to Birmingham Agency.

Diplomas approved for Baldwin High School's 149 graduates.

Ruth Heilman to be tendered contract for a teaching position in the elementary schools for 1941-42 at a salary of $1325.

Frederick Gerard to be tendered contract for a teaching position in the Junior High School physical education for 1941-42 at a salary of $1625.

Magdalene Frederick to be tendered a teaching position in the elementary schools for 1941-42 at a salary of $1800.

Ernest Engel to be given a $75 increase for additional work of coaching varsity track and basketball teams.

Maurice Fourarre to be tendered contract for the position of principal of Quarton School for the year 1941-42 at a salary of $2600.

Phyllis Porter to be given an increase of $3.34 per week over the original offer tendered her thus increasing her salary to $25 per week.

Mrs. Irene B. Stevens, textbook clerk, to continue next year at a salary of $1,000 for ten months.

Recommendation to increase Miss Krickard's salary $85 was rejected.

Josephine Bristol Beck was given leave of absence for the school year 1941-42.

Injuries to Three Result in Crash

Three persons received minor injuries in an automobile crash Saturday evening at 8:40 on South Woodward avenue. Russell J. Tumelson, 20 years old, of 2677 Montclair, Detroit, driving north on Woodward avenue, collided with a machine driven south by Joseph B. Boyse, 619 Pierce street. Tumelson's knee was injured; a passenger, Ellen Hansen, 4117 Ashland, Detroit, was bruised. Boyse received a head cut.

Wiener of Brooklyn In Crash Here

In a left turn on Woodward avenue, cars driven by Nathan W. Wiener, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Ernest O. Edwards, 19 years old, of 482 Hamilton street, were involved in a crash last Friday as they both drove north on Woodward avenue. Wiener said he gave a signal as he turned left; Edwards said that if so, he did not see it. A passenger in Wiener's car received head injuries.

4 O'CLOCK every Wednesday is the deadline for turning in your classified "Want Ads."

NOTICE OF SALE OF GOODS FOR STORAGE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Take notice that Fisher Moving and Storage Company warehousement of the City of Royal Oak and Birmingham, Michigan, will sell at public auction on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1941, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. (Eastern Standard Time), at 159 Brewster Street, Birmingham, Michigan, the property described below, for unpaid storage and other charges due as provided by Compiled Laws, 1929 Section 9346.

Mr. A. Duckworth, 49 Brockton, Hazel Park, Michigan.

Upright piano, heating stove, laundry stove, sink.

Mrs. Leila L. Starr, 9030 Rosewood, Los Angeles, California.

Vacuum cleaner, basket, cartons, bar and pointers.

Mr. Roy E. Mehlenbacher, 14009 Second Avenue, Highland Park, Michigan.

Plymouth oil heater, metal cabinet, ice box, bedroom furniture, rugs, tables, table lamp, baby swing frame, living room furniture, misc. cartons and contents, stove pipe.

Mr. Floyd E. Gulledge, 16845 Log Cabin, Detroit, Michigan.

Dining room furniture, pictures, bedroom furniture, lamps, living room furniture, rugs, carton and contents.

Mrs. Wesley Emond, 306 Labelle, Highland Park, Michigan.

Bedroom furniture, kitchen furniture, dining room furniture, bundle of tools, trunk, two crutches, rugs, cribs, pads, desk, living room furniture.

Mrs. Ed Adams, 1122 Hancock Street, Detroit, Michigan.

Hoover cleaner, Westinghouse washer, rugs, bedroom furniture, stepladder, kitchen furniture, living room furniture, lamps, golf bag and contents, barrels, cartons and contents, three pictures, four pieces of shelving, flower basket.

Mrs. A. N. Badgley, 120 N. E. First Street, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Bundle of garden tools, bicycle and basket, sled, garden hose, dining room furniture, bedroom furniture, rugs, rake, washer, kitchen furniture, lamps, cartons and contents, living room furniture, bird cage and stand, trooper board, sledge hammer.

Mr. John E. Burns, 166 W. Hazelhurst, Ferndale, Michigan.

Kitchen furniture, bedroom furniture, dining room furniture, carton and contents, carton of pictures, child's chair, bundles of clothing, suitcase, barrel, card table, sewing machine, desk.

Community Council Has Short Meeting

The Birmingham Community Council met for a short business session last Thursday morning with Mrs. Cleveland Walcutt, president, presiding. Thirty-one organizations are now paid members of the Council.

Following a request from Mayor John E. Mazey, honorary chairman of the U. S. Defense Bonds and Savings Stamps drive, the Council voted to sponsor the educational campaign. Mrs. Lee A. White was named a co-chairman of the endeavor.

Payment of $15 to help defray expenses in the Better Schools Committee drive was authorized.

Mrs. Arthur Peck was named a delegate to attend sessions of the United Service Organizations, of which Charles J. Shain is chairman here. The U. S. O. is a non-sectarian organization to provide better recreational facilities for men in military service, and is formed of Protestant, Catholic and Jewish agencies.

Six minor changes were made in the constitution and by-laws.

What Your City Commission Is Doing—

May 26, 1941.

Bills were approved totaling $1,760.50.

Special Assessment Rolls 229, 230 and 231 confirmed, covering oil aggregate road surfacing on Yosemite from Adams to Lixie, Smith Street, from Woodward to Cummings, and Hazel Street from Elm to Adams.

Public hearing held on the 1941-42 budget.

Communication from city assessor setting assessed valuation on real and personal property for the year 1941-42 at $13,947,840.

Petition requesting additional street lighting on Pleasant referred to manager.

Salvation Army granted permission to hold Tag Day on Sept. 6, 1941.

Manager authorized to install four water services on deferred payment basis.

Contract for construction of water storage tank awarded to Chicago Bridge and Iron Company.

Removal of tree at Harmon and Baldwin court authorized provided deposit is made for replacement with another tree.

IRENE E. HANLEY,
City Clerk

Civil Service Exams Are Announced

Civil service examinations for the following positions have been announced by the U. S. Civil Service Commission; further information may be secured at the Post Office:

Junior custodial officer (prison) $1,860 a year. Junior stenographer, $1,440 a year; junior typist, $1,260 a year; closes June 5. Work in Washington, D. C.

Inspector, engineering materials, $1,260 to $2,600 a year, Navy department. Inspector, ship construction, $2,000 to $2,600 a year.

NOTICE

City Manager will receive bids at the Municipal Building Thursday, June 12, 1941, at 2:00 P. M. for furnishing one Power Shade Tree Sprayer, Engine Powered, Skid Mounted 100 Gallon Water Tank—Discharge Capacity 40 gallons per Minute at 740 Pounds Pressure.

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM,
D. C. EGBERT, Manager.

May 28, 1941

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT
No. 232
HOLLAND AVENUE IMPROVEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Special Assessment Roll No. 232, heretofore made by the assessor for the purpose of defraying the cost of construction of a paved road with oil aggregate surfacing on Holland Avenue from Adams Avenue to Torrey Avenue, is now on file in my office for public inspection.

Notice is hereby given that the Commission of the City of Birmingham will meet in the Commission Room in the Municipal Building in said City on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1941, at 8:00 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.

May 29, 1941

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT
No. 233
DIXIE, YANKEE AND COLUMBIA IMPROVEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Special Assessment Roll No. 233, heretofore made by the assessor for the purpose of defraying the cost of construction of a paved road with oil aggregate surfacing on Dixie, Yankee and Columbia Avenue, from Yosemite Boulevard extending one-half block south of Yosemite, is now on file in my office for public inspection.

Notice is hereby given that the Commission of the City of Birmingham will meet in the Commission Room in the Municipal Building in said City on Monday, the 9th day of June, 1941, at 8:00 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.

May 29, 1941

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Small Limitation Has Been Expensive for Poorer People

The 15-mill limitation on taxes is an arbitrary restriction which has done more harm than good in the opinion of those who are backing the project to vote two extra mills for use of Birmingham schools.

The limitation has been decisive, because the few extra mills it may have saved the small taxpayer on his home have been offset by the sales tax, a levy which has hit the poor more than the rich, it is said.

Louis H. Schimmel, director of the Municipal Advisory Committee of Michigan, and member of the Pontiac School Board, recently pointed out in a taxation conference at Royal Oak that the amendment passed in 1933 by only 50,000 votes, is a relatively small matter.

The amendment applies to the Birmingham School district, and to the townships of which it is composed, but not to the City of Birmingham which has its own state charter. The school district, the county and the township tax rates combined can not be more than 15 mills per hundred of assessed valuation.

According to Schimmel, the 15-mill limitation stymies growth, increases "chiseling" in ways of financing; destroys the incentive of good men to enter the field; throws a greater handicap on the poorer people, lowers the standards of governmental services; and aids the wealthy at the expense of all, especially the poorer citizens.

County Red Cross Meeting June 4

The annual meeting of the Oakland County Chapter of the American Red Cross will be held June 4, at 6:30 at Stevens Hall, All Saints Church, Pike and Williams Street, Pontiac. Byron Webb, Chapter chairman, states that a change in by-laws will be presented for consideration at that time and urges that all directors attend. The meeting is also open to all Red Cross members. Annual reports will be given.

Fails to Heed Stop Sign, Crash Is the Result

Admitting that he did not stop at a stop sign, Thomas Vernon Kirby, 18 years old, of Wyeliff, Walnut Lake, hit the car of Edwin Minklo, 1213 Henrietta, going south on Clerk, at 5:14 p. m. Saturday. Kirby was driving west on Frank. None was hurt.

New Words For Old

Wonder what grandfather would think of the verb, "unzip?"—Brunswick (Ga.) News.

East Of Birmingham

Ten girls and ten boys of Poppleton Grade School received their diplomas Monday evening at the graduation exercises. Mrs. Janet Sayles, principal and senior teacher, presented the following for graduation: Arthur Adams, Norma Beckman, Martha Benson, Nicholas Bolle, Raymond Decker, Joe De Groote, Margaret Doubler, Glenn Elliott, Lillie Fandale, Lois Johnson, Hazel Krebiehl, Harry Maier, Donald McComb, Gladys Rae Mifford, Earl Myers, David Naumann, Stephenia O'Daysky, June Perry, Katherine Serafini and Orville Setter.

Lois Johnson played the lead role in the class play, "The Dead Departed," a comedy. The welcome was given by Stephenia O'Daysky, class history by Glenn Elliott, class will by Hazel Krebiehl, class prophecy by June Perry, and class art by Joe De Groote. There were also several readings and musical selections by the seniors. Orville Setter announced the program.

Helen Green entertained for Alice May Randell, of Clawson, at a bridal shower Monday evening. Miss Randell and Wilfred Dinning will be married June 8.

Peter Krebiehl will be graduated from Clawson High School this year. Lyle Serrie is a Log Cabin graduate.

Poppleton Sixth and Seventh grades took a trip to Lansing on Tuesday.

The Gordon Webbers spent Saturday evening canoeing at Belle Isle.

Four Cars Damaged In W. Maple Crash

Four cars were involved in a crash at 2:15 p. m. Friday, on West Maple avenue. According to the police report, as Philip Raehe Venart, 25 years old, pulled from the curb, he collided with a car driven by Katherine Corbet, listed by police as living at 430 Woodside." The Corbet car then hit two others parked at the curb. They are owned by Mrs. Harold Kline, Beech road, and R. Y. Cutler, 551 Pilgrim. Fenders were smashed on these two cars.

The experiments looking toward an odorless garlic may defeat the whole purpose of this delicacy which is to eat your garlic and have it.—Detroit News.

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