

Plans Completed For Basketball Banquet To Be On Tuesday

Plans have been completed for the annual banquet for Baldwin High School basketball boys, Tuesday evening, April 4, and the following program has been arranged: Invocation—Fred Little; Toastmaster—Fred Zoellin; Response for fathers—G. H. Sanders; Response for boys—Harry Kelley, Captain.

The address will be by Dr. Dwight B. Ireland and the presentation of Letters, Lloyd A. Cooper, first team coach.

The parents and boys will have as their guests Dr. and Mrs. Dwight B. Ireland, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Heinzer, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd A. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. John Brotzman, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Neff, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Berndt and Miss Vida B. McGiffen.

Servicesmen boarding transporters at ports of embarkation are given kit bags by Red Cross volunteer workers. The bags contain such items as cigarettes, 2 books, stationery, candy, and sewing articles.

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666
666 TABLETS. SAVE. NISE ORNOPS

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Page MICHIGAN VICTORY GARDEN GUIDE

Tells how and when to plant and harvest vegetables, names insect pests and how to combat them. Avoid last year's mistakes in your victory garden.

This FRIDAY in DETROIT TIMES
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FUTURE FARMERS MEET

The sixteenth annual convention of the State Association of the Future Farmers of America will be held in the Little Theater, Home Economics building, Michigan State College, April 5 and 6.

WHEN DISASTER STRIKES
The American Red Cross has a home-front program to carry on, as well as its diversified services to the armed forces, during these war days. In time of disaster—tornado, flood, fire, hurricane, or train wreck—the Red Cross Disaster Relief Service is equipped and ready to step into the picture, to set up the necessary machinery, and take over and administer relief until the emergency is past. Last year the Red Cross was called upon to do just that on 178 occasions.

A Resemblance
A company of cadets was lined up on the field for inspection, and the officer strode down the line, he stopped before a young man and said:
"You remind me of General Grant."
"Really, sir," said the cadet eagerly.
"Yes," said the officer, "he didn't shave either."

Seed Box In Sunny Window Will Give Your Plants A Head Start

The following plan is suggested for Victory Gardeners of Birmingham for this spring:
A small box in a sunny window will give the seeds of a few favorite varieties of Victory Garden vegetables several weeks' head-start this spring.

If you have no cold frame or hot bed, yet do not want to be limited to the selection of plants usually in the market, the seed box offers a way to grow your own.

The name "flat" is usually applied to the seed box. It may be of any convenient size, from a cigar



box to the standard florist's flat, which is usually 14 by 20 inches, 4 inches deep. Holes may be bored in the bottom of the box to assist drainage, though if the boxes are not watertight, excess water has no difficulty in escaping through the cracks. A cigar box should be reinforced by wire to keep it from falling apart.

Soil used in a seed box should always be put through a sieve. The coarse soil may be used in the bottom, the fine on top. Florists' potting soil is the best, or a fine garden loam, about half sand.

Seed may be broadcast one variety to a flat; or sown in rows, which allows several varieties to be grown in the same box, each row being labeled. The broadcast method has some advantage with tiny seeds.

Seeds which are broadcast are usually less crowded than those in rows. If you sow in rows, use the edge of a ruler to make shallow indentations in the soil; sow thinly.

cover lightly, and firm the soil with a block of wood.

By lowering the box in a tub of water, the soil may now be thoroughly soaked without danger of washing the seeds from their proper places. A wet blanket of newspaper may be placed over the box to keep it from drying, and the box set in a warm, dark place until the seeds sprout.

Immediately sprouts appear remove the newspaper, place the box in the sunniest window you own. A kitchen window is good, because humidity is always greater



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GIRL SCOUTS

Plans Being Made For Girl Scout Rally to Be Held Here April 28

By MARGARET BARNEY

The Leaders' meeting was held in the Community House last Friday morning. Mrs. M. Meyer, who taught several games and songs which the leaders will later pass on to their troops. Mrs. Strong of the Red Cross then made some valuable suggestions on craft work which the girls can do to brighten the days of soldiers in hospitals. Articles such as hand colored place cards and napkin rings will be fun for the girls to make and will give variety to the drab routine of hospital life as well.

Plans were made for the big Girl Scout Rally which will take place at Barrum school April 28. Mrs. Marc Patten, the new program chairman for the Girl Scout Council, gave the leaders some timely pointers for Girl Scout program.

A training class for the mothers who will be future leaders and troop committee members, at Bloomfield Village School Mothers' Club, started their instruction last Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Shenefield. A subsequent meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Copeland. The workshop in this course of intensive training will consist of an all-day program at the Cabin on Friday, March 31, with lunch served at noon.

Troop 8, at Baldwin high school, with Miss Helene Clark as leader, are proud to announce that they now number 22 members.

The Weight Party of Troop 7 brought in \$23.50 which will be placed in the Juliet Lusk Fund. Etha Johnson is a new Scout who was invested at this time.

A new Senior Scout troop which will be called Troop No. 1 met Saturday at 3 o'clock in the Community House club rooms to talk over future plans with Miss Elizabeth White, their leader. Miss White holds the title of program secretary, and the troop is now being incorporated. Under her guidance the troop is bound to have a busy, snappy career. By coincidence Miss White formerly belonged to a Troop No. 1 in Birmingham. Thirteen expressed an interest in the group. A troop committee is now being formed. Those present were Nancy Hancock, Kay Brumbaum, Donna Kramer, Ruth Mills, Elizabeth Horton, Ann Burnham and Ann Hansen.

What Your City Commission Is Doing . . .

March 27, 1944
Bills approved totaling \$1,007.72.

Hearing on re-zoning Lot 24 Ridgewood Park adjourned until April 17th, 1944.

Election boards appointed for April 3rd, 1944.
IRENE E. HANLEY, City Clerk.

Over 25,000,000 chocolate bars were sent overseas last year to be distributed to American troops and prisoners of war by the Red Cross.

Attention BIRMINGHAM VOTERS

The METROPOLITAN CLUB

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National Chapter of an Organization

Composed of Firemen, Policemen and Federal Employees—

Approve and endorse the proposed

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on this amendment at the

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Monday, April 3rd

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