

TEACHERS

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next school year was approved. It discloses that a preliminary conference of teachers will be held on Sept. 7 and 8, probably with an outside speaker. School will be open Sept. 11. The M. E. A. convention dates were announced as Oct. 12 and 13, during which time schools will be closed. The Thanksgiving vacation will be Nov. 23 and 24 with schools closed. The dates for the Christmas vacation were set as Dec. 21, 1944, to Jan. 3, 1945, with school to be dismissed at the close of the day on Dec. 21.

The mid-year commencement will be on Jan. 25 and the second semester of school will open on the close of the day on March 29, 1945, for the Easter vacation, and school will resume again the morning of April 3.

The June commencement date was set as June 7, 1945, with school to close on June 8, 1945. Attendance records, marking periods and card release dates were included in the calendar.

The Board approved the bills and claims totaling \$5,186.60 and approved accounts payable in a total of \$6,877.93. Requisitions approved totaled \$4,295.89.

A study of "union" rates was started and is expected to be completed within a few weeks. The study includes a complete survey of school costs.

Financial Statement
The financial statement revealed a total in the receipts column of \$474,472.13 and a disbursement total of \$306,479.37, with a cash balance on May 1 of \$77,992.76.

Tax collection percentages for the year 1943-44, from May 4, 1944, revealed these figures for various parts of the school district: Birmingham 92.4; Bloomfield Hills, 97.2; Bloomfield Township, 94.1; Troy Township, 97.7; and Southfield Township, 99.7.

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WORKER

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ing nurses, staff workers and other groups in and near Birmingham, said Mrs. Carol Plumstead, acting director of the House. The Community House Board of Directors in announcing this additional service expressed the hope that Mrs. Kinball's services would be found helpful to various organizations interested in welfare.

Another important announcement from the Community House is that the big annual Fund Drive is to close May 22 and that a number of Fund workers have not as yet reported in their results. The drive quota is \$16,000. This sum is needed to maintain the House during the coming 12 months.

Herbert Quinn, drive chairman, today urged all of the Guild Workers to complete their solicitations immediately and to make a complete report to Gladys Chissus at the Community House, who is secretary of the drive.

In this way the progress of the campaign may be observed more closely. The committee in charge has expressed the hope that through personal maintenance of the Community House and its extensive program during the coming year.

What Your City Commission Is Doing

May 15, 1944
Hearing held on 1944-45 budget. Tax Budget adopted in total amount of \$293,854.42, and tax rate of \$19.71 adopted.

Manager authorized to remove two dead trees. Manager instructed to distribute copies of his report to petitioners living on Holland avenue for approved street and traffic conditions.

St. Joseph's Hospital Auxiliary notified of hold Day on Thursday, July 1st. Transfer of ownership of gasoline station at 1030 South Woodward to Robert McKee and Alvin Larsen approved.

IRENE E. HANLEY, City Clerk

Father and Son In World Wars With U. S. Navy

Here is the Father and Son team from the C. C. Patterson home. The father, C. C. Patterson, Sr., of World War I on the left and C. C. Jr., of World War II on the right.

Home folks here in Birmingham. On Saturday, at the Goodie home, there came back 1/2 letters that had been written to Sgt. Goodie. They had arrived in England after he had been reported as missing. Then came the telegram that he had returned to his home with its good news.

In the army three years, Sgt. Goodie had gone overseas last February and soon thereafter was in action with the American air fleet. He had made five missions over enemy territory.

About a week after his last battle—the one in which his plane was shot down—Sgt. Goodie's mother, Mrs. Robert Goodie in the U. S. air corps ferrying command to the Alaskan bases, had his own bit of experience. His ship hit a fog bank and soon an earth bank, just skimming the ground as it sailed across the water, and shot the crippled machine high into the air again. He then landed on the island on the right side the slipstream caught his parachute and opened it. He landed without critical injury. He is said to be one of the very few airmen who ever bailed out of a ship after it had crashed. Lieut. Goodie was some on leave for several weeks while recovering from his hurts.

The Pattersons know them both and today they are together again after C. C., Jr., of the U. S. coast guard, has returned from another overseas trip aboard a destroyer escort ship. The younger of the sailor-brothers is to leave again Saturday to return to an Atlantic port to rejoin his ship and another trip some place in the Atlantic battle zone.

Calleton C. Patterson, Sr., of the Birmingham stevedore service board, took his boat training at Great Lakes, Ill., and then was assigned to officer training school at Ann Arbor after several months of patrol duty. He was at Ann Arbor when the war ended in November, 1918, and was at once placed on the inactive list.

Less a recent visit home the junior member of the team invited his father to take his old navy suit out of the mothballs and have the team picture taken.

Carlton, Jr., is now a ship's photographer and has made a number of trips at sea since joining the Coast Guard. He received his boat training at Manhattan Beach, Brooklyn, and then joined the first termster's course in the same school. He is known as a "quarter-master stoker." Photography is his hobby. And in his case it has paid off. His duty takes him all over the ship and he is known by every officer and most of the men. He serves largely on the bridge.

TAX RATE

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Weeds 25.00
Street Cleaning 14,429.00
Signs 235.00
Bridges 350.00
Sewers 8,560.00
Street Cleaning 3,204.00
Street Oiling 1,500.00
Waste Disposal 7,915.00
Health 4,500.00
Welfare 1,036.00
Planning Commission 666.67
Sporadic Park 2,227.00
Parks, General 2,179.00
Trees 3,888.00
Damages 6,205.00
Hdg. & Struct. Ins. 356.00
Liability & Prop. 1,270.00
Employees' Comp. Ins. 2,200.00
Retirement 14,509.85
Refunds & Adjust. 50.00
Paying Agent Fees 118.00
Post and Reserve 8,200.00
Contingencies 7,798.28
Civilian Defense 400.00
Library (Levy) 14,700.00
Recreation Board 2,500.00
Debt Service (Levied) 68,641.79
Grand Totals \$354,453.17
Less Non-Tax Revenues 60,598.75
Net Tax Budget \$293,854.42

CITY

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are between the areas between Maple and Lincoln, west of Woodward and east of Southfield.

Both Mr. Bell and Mr. Dancy urged that for the final days of the drive people use much care in sorting out salvage materials. The salvage is to be picked up on regular "rubbish" pickup days, which will be resumed next week. All paper salvage is to be saved for pickup on the regular monthly paper pickup days—the first Friday of each month.

Community House Calendar

- Thursday, May 18—
10 a. m.—British Relief Sewing
10 a. m.—Red Cross Surgical Dressings
6 p. m.—Family Dinner
8 p. m.—Cub Scout Committee
8 p. m.—Baseball Mothers' Conference
7 to 9 p. m.—Games Room
7:30 p. m.—Girl Scouts Hip
Friday, May 19
7:30 p. m.—Teen Canten
Monday, May 22—
12 m.—Cafeteria Lunch
7:30 p. m.—to 9:30 p. m.—Surgical Dressings
8:30 p. m.—Hi-12 Club Dinner
7:30 p. m.—Scout Board of Review
8 p. m.—Oakland County Citizens League
7 to 9 p. m.—Games Room
(Generally, May 22)
10 a. m.—Int. Relations Class
10 a. m.—Surgical Dressings
Exchange Club
7:30 p. m.—Boy Scouts 88.

RED CROSS

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stating that the Red Cross had located Sgt. Goodie in a German hospital, was about the most welcome word that could be received. And the information also stated that a letter would follow and this is anxiously awaited.

A recent letter from a friend of Sgt. Goodie stated his plane had been sent entering a cloud formation and was believed struck by the flames of a Japanese rocket plane. The information was that the ship likely had been torn to pieces.

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PROGRAM

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by Miss Evelyn Baker, "Over Our Eyes" by MacFarlane, with baritone solos by George Mullen, and Hadyn's inspiring song, "The Heavens Are Telling," with the vocal soloists by members of the St. Joseph's choir, Mrs. Harold Sherman, Waldo Wilkes and George Mullen.

The Rev. Glen Harris gave the offertory prayer and Mrs. Jessie Clark Cope, the organist of the Lutheran church, played "Vivace" by Scherzetto as an offertory selection. All proceeds over and above the expenses donated to the Red Cross and a sum of about \$80 was given.

Immediately following the offertory Mrs. Johnover, violinist of the Birmingham Municipal played "Meditation" by Bizet, accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Bailey on the piano and with organ accompaniment also.

The second group of songs comprised "The Lord's Prayer" by Malotte, which was beautifully done; "In the Night Came Wail" by Naylor-Cain, (which was repeated from last year's program by special request); "Navy Hymn" with baritone solo by Robert Braman, and, as a climax, the magnificent "Voice of Freedom" by Robert-Gallie.

Art Academy Holds Honors Convocation Today at Cranbrook

Clyde Burroughs, director of the Detroit Institute of Arts, will speak at the Honors Convocation of Cranbrook Academy of Art which will be held today at 5 p. m. in the library of the academy. The exercises will be attended only by the students, their families, and the faculties and executive staffs of the Cranbrook institutions.

Degrees will be conferred by Ehel Saarninen, President of the Academy. Those to receive the Master of Arts degree are Miss Nell Beveridge, Mrs. Lydia Winston, Miss Katherine Ralshak, Mr. Otto Risch, Mr. Thomas B. Thompson, and Mr. Clifford West.

Bachelors degrees will be received by Miss Emma Langens and Miss Mary Szappanos.

The convocation exercises will be followed by a dinner for the students and faculty of the Academy.

The annual exhibit of student work remains open to the public, 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. each day, until Saturday, May 20. Prize awards and academy selections for the permanent collection of its museum will be announced at the exercises today.

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Appear In Play At Kingswood School



Here are Sally Booth and Pat Newhall as they will appear in the junior class play "Alice-Sit-by-the-Fire" at Kingswood school on the evenings of May 19 and 20. Sally is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max C. Booth, 763 Pilgrim, and Pat is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Newhall, 444 Arlington.

CONTEST

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and the mile run in which Tom Mildebrandt took fourth place. Following this event came the 440 yard dash which was won by the Maples Bill Old in one of the smartest races of the entire meet.

In the next two events, the 200-yard low hurdles and the 220-yard dash, Birmingham took third place, with Jim Jensen and O'Connor, respectively, accounting for the first and second points. In the 880-yard run Birmingham did not place.

The 4 x 400 m. field events the broad jump and high jump, gave the Maples their championship as they outscored Ypsilanti 14 1/2 to 6 2/2 of a point in the events. Mel Boomer took first in the high jump with Tom Woodhouse trying for second, and Kelley and Jim Lamb were part of an 11-place tie for third. In the broad jump Jim Lamb took second and Frank Watts fifth.

With a lead of only one and 1/2 points, the Maples went into the 880-yard relay and came out on top by beating out Ypsilanti, taking first place in the first heat and earning second place when the times of the two heats were compared. The Birmingham relay team, composed of Art Marcotte, Frank Watts, Bill Old, and Pat O'Connor, took 1:34.4 for the four-tenths of a second in a close heat.

By virtue of first, second, and third places, the Maples qualified these men for the State Meet this Saturday. They are: Phister, high hurdles; Jensen, low hurdles; O'Connor, 220 and relay; Old, 440 and relay; Boomer and Woodhouse, high jump; Lamb, broad jump; and Watts and Marcotte, relay.

CONTEST

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Cheap. "Sawly met his fiancée at the station with a brass band. "Didn't he find that pretty expensive?" "Yes, but it's the cheapest kind of wedding I've there is."

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No... we've decided that we'd rather make less Altes than debase its famous quality. Altes Lager comes to you today as good as ever! After the war, we want you to remember Altes as the beer that stayed just as tangy and satisfying in these difficult times as it was in pre-war years. It's a case of volume or value, and value gets the nod from us! HOW IT'S DONE—This is an easy one, but you can have

McDONALD

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is not going to have political influence as it was at the end of the last war.

"Happily there appears to be evidence of a non-partisan support of the administration's foreign policy. Thus we may expect the unfortunate that overtook Mr. Wilson in 1920, and which excluded the influence of the United States by the best advice-keeping."

"The President has been particularly conscious that only might be maintained. Secretary of State Cordell Hull, has maintained amazingly close relations with the Hill and has been a powerful link between the president and Mr. Hill. Hull's ambition is to attain a foreign policy that will have united support. Willie Harvey, Nielsen, Saitonall, Bricker and Dewey in all their speeches, as far as foreign policy is concerned, have backed the administration's policy."

"The peace plans of Strock, Calhoun, etc., are all machinery and there is no magic in machinery. There is magic in unity. If we have any education, there shall be no conflict between Great Britain and ourselves on the question of freedom of the air. You can't expect love in international relations, but common purpose can be found. Germany must give itself before she can become a participating member of international organizations."

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