

## Ferndale Favored Over Maple Nine

By Warren Rouse  
With only one previous game played this spring, Birmingham opens its Eastern Michigan League baseball schedule by traveling to Ferndale next Tuesday afternoon.

Ferndale has always been one of the Maples' toughest foes and this year appears to be no exception. Losing pitching ace Bob Heiser, Ferndale will find opposition much more potent this season.

However, the Raisers will field a team composed chiefly of returning letter winners from O. Brandt, whose team should provide a good game for the Maples.

## Two Baldwin Girls Perform With All-State Band

Kate Kelley and Elizabeth Henshaw were selected by Arthur N. Moo, president of the Michigan school band and orchestra association, to play in the all-state band orchestra. These organizations presented a Michigan night program at the Masonic Temple in Detroit last night during the

and so should not run into much trouble.

Both teams will have an opening game with Cranbrook to test their ability. Ferndale is coached by G. Brandt, whose team should provide a good game for the Maples.

music educators' national conference. The evening's program was highlighted by an address by Kim Sigler, governor of Michigan, who welcomed to Michigan the music educators from all parts of the United States and some foreign countries.

The all-state band was conducted by Dale C. Harris, supervisor of instrumental music in the Pontiac public schools. The all-state orchestra was conducted by Miss Elizabeth A. H. Green, string instructor in the University of Michigan and the Ann Arbor public schools.

Corporation dividends, as a percentage of national income, are 20% below the average of the years 1929 through 1945, according to U. S. Department of Commerce records. They were 3.1% of the national income in the second quarter of 1947, 3.2% in the first quarter and 3.1% in 1946.

No. 12414  
STATE OF MICHIGAN - The Probate Court for the County of Oakland, at a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 13th day of April, 1947.

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge, presiding.

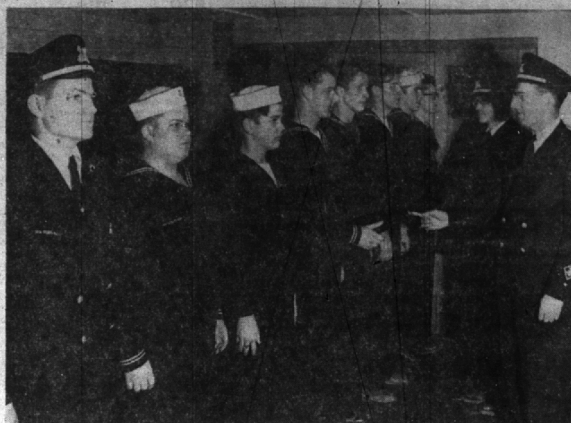
In the Matter of the Estate of Belle Dougherty, deceased.

Louise Wilkinson, daughter of said deceased, having filed a petition praying that she be appointed administratrix of said estate, and that administration of said estate be granted to her, the court, the executor named in said Will, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, That the 10th day of May, A. D. 1947, at 9 o'clock, in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, once each week, for three consecutive weeks, previous said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Kentville, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that proponent cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail, return receipt demanded, to each of the known heirs, law, legatees and devisees at the last known place of abode of each at least ten days prior to said day of hearing.

ARTHUR MOORE, Judge of Probate.  
CLARENCE W. BIRNBAUM, Attorney-at-Law.  
OLIVER R. KIRK, Attorney-at-Law.  
Birmingham, Michigan. 5-67

## Sea Scout Troop Holds 'Bridge of Honor'



Birmingham's Sea Scout Troop held a "Bridge of Honor" Tuesday night to honor these scouts who have recently won advancements. Participating in the event were (left to right) 1st Mate Charles Allison, Apprentice Seaman Bob Allison, Richard Blaisaw, Eugene Bergel, John Kallier, Ordinary Seaman Bill Hickman and Tim Adams, Apprentice Seaman Richard Krushensky, Skipper Howard Estes and Committee Chairman Robert Brown.

## GIRL SCOUTS

Plans Shaping for Day Camp  
Plans for Girl Scout Day Camp at Springdale Park are rapidly shaping up, reports Mrs. Frank Hardy, general chairman for this year. The dates will be July 12-16 for Intermediate Scouts and July 19-23 for Brownies, and the location will be the Girl Scout cabin at Springdale Park in Bloomfield township.

Mrs. Robert Dudley is chairman of the cabin committee. Mrs. Arthur Schwartz is in charge of equipment. Mrs. Martin Wade, representing Brownies on the camp committee, and Mrs. Frederick Prince, representing Intermediate Scouts.

Put these dates down on the calendar, mothers, if your girls are going to be home this summer, for they'll be anxious to be campers and gather around the blazing camp fire with their friends for a world of fun and new experiences.

Also, mothers, if you've never

tried your hand at camping and would like to share in your daughters' good times, training for mothers or any adults interested in this worth-while camp program will be given on May 19 and 20. If you would like to add your name to day camp personnel lists, call Mrs. Hardy and give her your qualifications. If you can "dance, sing, turn a handspun, or climb up a Juniper tree", there'll be a place for you to do your stuff at day camp this summer.

Cabin Available for Week Ends  
There's no need to wait until July for a visit to the Girl Scout cabin, says Mrs. Martha Dudley. Troop leaders can line up their scouts for a thrilling over-night stay at Springdale. All reservations must be made with cabin chairman Mrs. Dudley.

International Scouts to Meet in Switzerland  
A unique adventure in international understanding will get under way July 26 when the Juliette Low Encampment opens at the Chalet, Adelboden, Switzerland. Two senior Girl Scouts from the United States will gather with qualified Girl Scouts or Girl Guides from sixteen European countries, and in the snow-capped mountains of Switzerland where

the beautiful Chalet nestles, they will live, work and play together for three busy weeks, learning to know and understand their sister Guides and Scouts from other countries, to recognize their likenesses and to respect their differences.

This thrilling gathering of five young girls of many nations is made possible by the contributions of Guides and Scouts from other World Friendship Fund.

Many Skills Gained in Sending Clothing Boxes  
The collecting of clothing for the "Clothing for Friendship" boxes calls for many skills, the perfection of which will add new badges to Girl Scouts arms. Those Scouts sewing layettes for their clothing boxes have a good start on their Needlewoman's and Clothing Badges. When the packages (which will make "warm friends") are finally wrapped, the post office for mailing to the American Friends Service Committee activity No. 8 of the Handymen badge will have been earned.

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## Much Enthusiasm Generated for Crabapple Trees

The Flowering Crabapple tree program sponsored by the Birmingham branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association, has been received with much enthusiasm by Birmingham residents, reports Mrs. James J. Reilly, chairman of the project.

This tree is especially popular with new home owners who desire a decorative as well as a sturdy planting, she said.

"Many orders have been placed and will be filled within the next week. It is advisable to plant the crabapple tree as early as possible, preferably in April," said Mrs. Reilly.

The varieties procured through the Garden Club offer a choice of color, ranging from the light pink double blossom of the Bechtel Crab to the red flower of the Purpurea Elegans, which also has red foliage. The Malus floribunda (Japanese Crab) which has a deep pink bloom, has been found to be more resistant to disease and other hazards than some of the other varieties.

The Redvein crab (Niedzwiedzkyana) has a reddish line on the lower as the name suggests.

The Garden Club hopes that the continuation of this planting program over a period of a few years

PART TWO  
will bring very gratifying results to the city.  
(Orders are still being taken by the committee: Mrs. Norman E. Clark, Mrs. D. L. Tate, Mrs. A. P. Wilgus, Mrs. R. W. Chabot, Mrs. R. S. Gans, Mrs. Ralph H. Scheel and Mrs. J. Reilly.)

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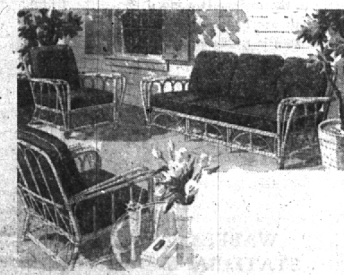
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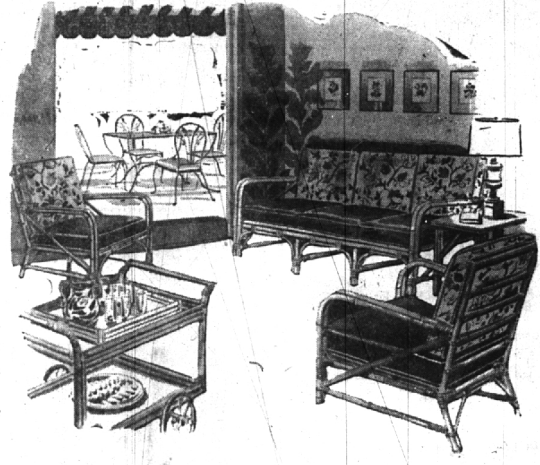
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