

DPW Garage, Maple Widening Bonds To Be Sold Soon

At Monday evening's city commission meeting issuance of government obligations totaling \$199,000 was approved. One resolution was for \$100,000 in bonds to pay for construction and widening DPW buildings and providing necessary grading, paving and lighting for parks.

Hearing Set for Forest Paving

The long-awaited paving of Forest avenue between Brownell and Hunter is now under consideration by the city and a public hearing for the improvement has been set for June 25 at 2 p. m. in the municipal building.

BAKE SALE

JUNE 9 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Detroit Edison Bldg. 220 Merrill - Birmingham

May Building Rates Second High for '51

May building permits here hit a high for the year with 109, but placed second in structural value at \$24,834. The figure was topped by January, when values were placed at \$1,078,285 or 98 per cent.

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Alleged Rumors Cause Ex-Cage Coach Cooper To Issue Statement

Former Birmingham high school basketball coach Lloyd Cooper this week charged that one or more candidates for the June 11 school board election are alleged citizens using "unfounded statements and false rumors" concerning his personal situation.

"It is being rumored that previous to my dismissal I had been offered more lucrative positions," he stated.

"AS TO AN opportunity to resign, judge for yourselves. My first notice of actual dismissal came in the Detroit Free Press and it is a matter of public statement that this release came prematurely from Dr. Dwight B. Ely."

"The letter from his office advising me of dismissal followed this and I was given 30 days to find another job. It is difficult for one to resign after the public is told one is fired."

"Annual Pine Lake Invitational Golf Tourney Scheduled Six nights have already been entered in the second annual Pine Lake Invitational Golf Tournament scheduled for June 7-10 at Pine Lake Country club."

"Other top flight entries are Tom Draper and Joe Kennedy, Dick Whiting and Art McNabb, Dave McElrath and George Hain, Wally Viers and Doug Strigley."

"Tournament officials stated that with entries still coming in, a seventh flight is expected to be added."

"Assessment Rolls Approved by City Assessment rolls for defraying the cost of construction of water mains on Sheffield from Melton to Mansfield and Melton from Sheffield to Bradford were approved by the city commission

"Col. J. V. Birch Rites Wednesday At Arlington Col. Joseph Vinton Birch, 73, was buried with full military rites in Arlington National cemetery June 6."

"Col. Birch died suddenly June 1 at his home at 420 Harmon following a heart attack. He was born in Georgetown, D. C. on Nov. 26, 1879 and attended George Washington university, on Aug. 3, 1912 he married Kathleen Forecrot in Philadelphia."

"He served in the Spanish-American war and in World War I. He also served with the 321st Army Engineers in the Pacific northwest from the Manley Bailey funeral home to Arlington."

"The survivors are his widow and daughter, Vinton F. Birch, both of Birmingham. The body was taken Sunday from the Manley Bailey funeral home to Arlington."

Cornerstone

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Following the invocation by the Rev. Dr. W. Glen Harris of the First Baptist church, the body of Baldwin high school and the generations of high school students to come here.

"J. Robert F. Swanson, one of the architects who designed the new building, representing the contractor, spoke of the building as a masterpiece box to Miss Vida McGiffin, Baldwin staff member, who was seated in the tribunes by Wylie E. Groves, William Spence and Richard Sauerborn, board members."

"Dr. Dwight B. Ireland, superintendent of Birmingham schools in introducing the principal speakers, reviewed the history of the high school since the first class was graduated about 1841."

"THIS HAS BEEN a memorable week for members of your board and for the city of Birmingham. On Sunday we toured this building with officials of the architectural and contractual firms, and discussed with us the design, the features and progress of the building. It was a day of these difficult days."

"On Tuesday we were privileged to participate in a cornerstone laying ceremony at Tolly school, followed by dedication exercises."

"Events such as these are rare in the lives of average individuals. They become high spots—milestones on the road of life. They offer opportunity for pause and reflection—where it is well to review the past and gain perspective of the road ahead."

"AT TOLLY IT was pointed out that for more than a quarter of a century we have been building a fine educational program for past generations. Events have proven that those who thus guided development, possessed rare foresight and courage."

"We have reached the point where we can no longer build on these old foundations, but must strike out on our own. We hope that the future may prove the generation as free in your strength in faith as those of the past."

"We are writing a new chapter in the educational history of this city. It promises to be an exciting one, full of life and action."

"TOLLY WAS described as the opening paragraph of this chapter. It is friendly, fresh and warm. It is a new beginning for the child and the parent. It is a new beginning for the student and the teacher. It is a new beginning for the community as a whole."

"It is as fresh and new as the first of things, in its conception and execution that skilled, trained minds and skilled hands are needed to produce it. It is the culmination of research and planning, dating back for years. It represents untold hours of labor, both physical and mental. It is a manifestation of the faith of the people of this area in their youth, evidenced by their pouring out of material wealth to make it possible."

"When completed—'THE ARCHITECTS can record it as 'something for the books.' The builders can view it with justifiable satisfaction. The community can point to it with pride."

"The educators can admire it as a clean, sound building. 'It is a sound, not too distant future. The last workman will have departed. The last inventory will have been made. The play will have been handed over. It will be ours.'"

"Then we pose the inevitable question: 'What is the price?' The answer to this question is not for those who have brought it to this point to give. Their task will have been completed. For those who must contribute to it in only a small degree. For—"

"What value—words of wisdom if upward—the voice of experience if mirrored—great visions will not be lost. The answer will be with those who in the years to come go in and out of these doors—of these class rooms—use these facilities—play on these fields."

"Some there will be who find it a delightful place to drift aimlessly through their important years, buying themselves with trifles. Others will eagerly embrace the opportunities here presented. They will strive to develop mind, body and spirit within the potential which they have been endowed. They will prepare themselves to take their place in an increasingly complex world. They will keep their eyes on the goal of fine American citizenship."

"IN THE DEGREE that one of the other of these types predominates will the nature and worth of this institution be determined. It can be simply a beautiful shell, housing something of little consequence. It can be something superbly fine—a great and vigorous institution of high ideals, exerting a profound influence far and wide through the thousands of young lives that in the future will come in contact with it."

"Some of the students here today will have the privilege of attending this school. They will have the responsibility of setting the standards of those who follow in years to come."

"TO YOU AND those to follow I say: We are today laying a cornerstone. It is the cornerstone of a new school. It is a broader sense of the cornerstone of an institution. It is in your power to add

Roll Confirmation Set for June 18

Hearing on confirmation of an assessment roll to defray cost of paving Emmons from Tolly to the alley east of Woodward has been set for Monday June 18 at the Municipal Building.

"IN ATTEMPTING TO answer Mr. Senholla's question, this new high school will be worthwhile; will the expenditure of such a large sum of money seem justified a few years hence? It is necessary for you to see some idea of what has been said."

"No single factor is more indicative of the future than the story unfolded by the past; so let us, in our quest for knowledge of what is to come, turn to what now lies ahead."

"During its thirty some years of service to our community, Baldwin high school has established a reputation as one of the finest public high schools in the state of Michigan."

"AS OUR STUDENTS graduate and move ahead, either to new careers or to colleges and universities spread all over the United States, they carry with them this fine Baldwin tradition of old citizenship and high attainment. The high school has grown with the years, and it is a tradition which has formed a solid, well-defined standard for our graduates. Surely, any high school which has so consistently maintained a high standard of achievement can be termed great."

"There are three basic factors which to a great degree determine the quality and the success of any educational institution."

"WE IN BIRMINGHAM have been exceedingly fortunate in that we have possessed two of these quality factors to such a degree that we have been able to offset our shortcomings in their field."

"For the accomplishments of a fine and outstanding education in this community have made development in these fields a day have earned the reputation of excellence. And this we have done. We do sometimes too apparent initiative of our physical facilities."

"It would be proud of the past, proud of the present, which we have compiled, for with this pride we have a greater hope for the future. The citizens of Birmingham have placed upon our shoulders a great trust by providing us with the finest high school in Michigan, a fine high school that would compare favorably with any educational institution in the country today."

"WE CANNOT ACCEPT this school and expect to give nothing for our little children are entering in this return. For with its acceptance comes a whole host of new responsibilities. Research bids us not to surrender, but to school and our community, but responsibilities to the future generations who are entering in this Birmingham high school their hour for four years."

"During the next few years of this tradition which lay the foundations for future achievement in our own schools will be established. These traditions will determine the success of this school in the knowledge of our youth are we, the young people of Birmingham going to lay?"

"TRULY WE ARE challenged, challenged not to maintain the standard of the past; but to reach out and do far beyond this standard. We are proud of the challenge, proud of the obligation of your faith in us."

"As we move together toward our goal, you can be sure that the students of Birmingham will accept their full share of responsibility in this great project. We are thankful for the role which you have given us."

Culver Honor Received by Anthony Pew

CULVER, Ind., June 1—Gadet Anthony W. Pew of Birmingham, recently received a coveted badge in the history of the Washington at Culver Military academy when he won the Culver Rifle. He is awarded.

Pew is the son of Fredrick C. Pew, 320 Suffolk, Birmingham, Mich.

Receives Diploma From Mercersburg

MERCERSBURG, Pa., June 11—Thomas Jay Alexander, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. F. Alexander, Bardonia road, Houndfield Hills, received diploma from Mercersburg academy at commencement exercises held here this morning on the front campus.

Alexander, who entered Mercersburg in the summer of 1950, was a member of the Young Parent Irving Library society and a member of the debating squad.

Vote Monday, June 11th for CHARLES E. JAMES, Jr.

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