

To Refund Surplus In Sidewalk Funds

Return to property owners of refunds totaling \$513.24 in sidewalk funds has been ordered by Birmingham city commissioners. A surplus of \$401.44 after construction of a sidewalk on Eton road from Derby to Yorkshire and \$111.80 for sidewalk on Columbia from Haynes to Villa will be refunded.

To Buy Police Cars

Approval for the purchase of two new police cars from the Floyd Rice agency, Detroit, has been given by the Birmingham city commission. The contract for the new cars was awarded to Rice on a bid basis. With four bidders participating, Rice was lowest with an offer to supply the cars for \$731 plus the trade-in of the two cars which are being replaced.

Neighborhood Activities In East Beverly Area

By JOAN SPIEGEL, Staff Correspondent MI 4-8739

(Editor's note: The Birmingham Eccentric this week introduces Joan Spiegel, 15601 Kirkshire, newest member of its correspondent staff. Mrs. Spiegel, a resident of her area for three years, will report the happenings of the area bounded by 14 1/2 Mile road, Greenfield, 12 Mile road and Southfield road.)

EAST BEVERLY—A capacity crowd of Girl Scouts and Brownies from Pierce School attended a father-daughter banquet Thursday evening, April 8. According to Mrs. Robert Portwood, neighborhood Girl Scout chairman, 181 persons filled the Embury Methodist church where the banquet was held.

Assisting in organizing the affair were Mrs. Portwood and Mrs. Garter Mills. Mr. Frank Houser, a toastmaster, introduced Malcolm Ferguson, principal of Pierce School, James Zawinski and Stanley Kelley led the singing which followed the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hughes of Buckingham entertained their duplicate bridge group Friday night, April 9. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. James Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Post, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boman, Mr. and Mrs. Don Borgeson, Mr. and Mrs. John Laikas, Mrs. George Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. George Souter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Marchetti, and Mr. and Mrs. James Stone.

Here from Oeiven, Iowa is Mrs. Ina Voelker visiting her daughter

and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Gleck of Kirkshire. Principal attraction at the home in Birmingham was the new son, John Frederick George Gleck, born March 16. The Glecks also have a daughter, Anne Gleck.

Mrs. Russell Montgomery entertained Tuesday afternoon in her home on Birchwood. Guests included Mrs. Robert Krogh, Mrs. Tom Iversen and Mrs. George Gates. From Detroit came William Meuser, Mrs. Arnold Haack, Mrs. Bertrand Kiefus, and Mrs. Earl Wurg.

A smorgasbord awaited the 115 members of the Church of the Ascension—Lutheran who attended the family night dinner, April 2. The dinner, sponsored by the Hannah Guild was held in the church. Mrs. Edward Barr was chairman of the menu planning and table arrangements. Mrs. William Featham and Mrs. Clifford Hunt were in charge of the church attendance committee. Mrs. Featham was also

LEGAL NOTICES

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At a session of said court, held at the Probate Court in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 23rd day of March A. D. 1954.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

Order appointing time for hearing claim.

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All creditors or claimants against the above estate are further notified and ordered to prove their claims at said hearing and prior to said hearing to file written claim therefor, with this Court and with the fiduciary of this estate, under each, containing sufficient detail reasonably to inform the fiduciary of the nature and amount of the claim.

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At a session of said court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 22nd day of March A. D. 1954.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

William C. Rowland, Administrator in bonis non of said estate having filed in said Court his Final Account and petition praying for the examination and termination of the administration and the final discharge of said Administrator, and it is ordered that on the 24th day of April A. D. 1954 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, a hearing is hereby appointed as the time and place for hearing said account.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice hereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to the day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that notice be given to the heirs-at-law named in the petition for administration and filed in this case, and to creditors whose claims have been allowed but not fully paid, by personal service of a copy of this order, or by serving the same by registered mail with return receipt demanded, addressed to their respective last known addresses as shown by the file and records in this case.

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in charge of the program. Following the dinner a film, "A Faith of Our Families" was shown. Several color cartoons were shown for the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. McLaughlin of Kirkshire have welcomed their fifth son into the family. Young David was born March 5. The McLaughlins are new residents of this area, having recently moved here from New York. McLaughlin is associated with the Detroit Creamery.

Tuesday evening, April 13, Mrs. Robert Dewar entertained in her home on Kirkshire with a dessert bridge. Her guests were Mrs. Percy W. Guest, Mrs. Robert Krogh, Mrs. Donald Hughes, Mrs. Andrew Spiegel, Mrs. Jack E. Gleck, Mrs. James Martin, Mrs. Don Borgeson and Mrs. William Koehler.

Elections were held for new officers at a recent meeting of the Detroit north suburban alumnae chapter of Alpha Phi. Among those elected were Mrs. Don Borgeson of Birchwood, president, Mrs. Russell Post of Verona Circle, treasurer, and Mrs. Richard O. Speier of Buckingham, historian. Planning to attend the Alpha Phi "State Day" at East Lansing on April 24 will be Mrs. Borgeson, Mrs. Post, and Mrs. Speier along with Mrs. H. P. Barber and Mrs. John C. Goodsell.

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AAUW Chairmen Named for Home Decoration Show

The importance of our benefit interior decoration show is partially in its artistic planning and partially in the business aspect," Mrs. Emory DeNador, chairman of the American Association of University Women spring show remarked. She said the event would be at Cranbrook on May 12.

Mrs. DeNador has appointed Mrs. Hans Schjolin to head the group in charge of soliciting advertising in the program. She will be assisted by Mrs. Thomas Hogan, Mrs. George Bar, Mrs. Mrs. W. I. Chapman, Mrs. Ben

Smith, Mrs. William K. Ginman, Mrs. E. J. Conway, Mrs. L. E. Kiefer, Mrs. R. F. Falberg, Mrs. E. P. Crenshaw, Miss Shirley Hersey, Miss Louise Hersey and Mrs. Erwin Mork.

MRS. BEN STONE has been named chairman of the tea committee, to be assisted by Mrs. Preston E. Weir. Mrs. DeNador emphasized that, aside from the fall book sale, this is the only money raising project sponsored by the AAUW. Proceeds from the two events are used to finance ship funds and community donations. Mrs. Carl J. Theobald has charge of ticket sales.

THE GENERAL theme of the show will be "Your Home—A Background for You." It is planned to provide a key to a manner of living, whether one selects traditional furnishings or contemporary design. Interiors of both types will be set up to include new fabrics and off-beat color combinations.

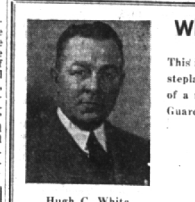
Mrs. Hurley Laurimore, Birmingham lunch president, this week announced that Mrs. William M. Milligan, 454 Fairfax, is already placing book requests and will handle some storage at her home.

City Sells Packer Sale of one 9-yard load packer to the Village of Rochester by the City of Birmingham has been approved by the city commission. The amount of Rochester's bid was \$1,788.50.

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