

Refund Authorized In Coating Project

More Birmingham residents stand to get refunds from the city today on special assessments. Last week city commissioners voted refunds on special assessment district paving projects. This week they voted to refund to Oakdale property owners about \$10 each after deciding to seal coat the street rather than including it in the road oil program.

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St. Dunstan Guild To Open Season With Punch Party

Members of St. Dunstan's will launch the 1960-61 season with their annual "Opening Punch" party Sunday afternoon, Sept. 11, at the Pavilion on Lone Pine road. Hosts for the party are members of the board of directors, headed by newly-elected President John Warner.

Arrangements are being handled by Mr. and Mrs. John Allman. Decorations for the party will be carried out in the theme of the vintage harvest season.

THE FIRST St. Dunstan's show of the season, opening Oct. 28, will be the topical farce, "The Girls in 509", the successful Broadway production of which starred Imogene Coca and Peggy Wood.

Piano Tuning, Tree Service, Car for sale, articles for sale. Whatever the classification, Eccentric classified ads will meet your every need.



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Sudden Wind Storm

Surfing a tree limb ripped off by the sudden wind storm that struck in the Birmingham area last Thursday are, left to right, Gary Crabb, Mrs. Leslie Crabb and Tom Crabb, all of 1863 Hazel, Birmingham. Although the storm brought heavy

damage and resulted in several deaths in other parts of the state, it did little damage in this area. Live wires were down and homes without telephones briefly. Four trees were reported down. The storm blew out of town about as fast as it blew in.

Evening Classes To Begin Sept. 26

Birmingham board of education adult evening classes will begin Sept. 26 at Seaholm high school.

Registration for all classes will be taken at the board of education office, Chester and Martin streets, beginning Monday, Sept. 12. Registration will close Friday, Sept. 23. Hours are from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. Classes include:

American Constitutional History: Instruction and discussions concerning heritage, history and implications on the present. Monday—Fee \$6. Instructor, James Renfrew.

Cake Decorating: For instruction in making flowers, scrolls, etc. Tuesday, fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. Whitham.

Contract Bridge I: Simplified

point count system—good base for any system. Monday or Tuesday—fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. Kleinfeld.

Contract Bridge II: Thursday—fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. Kleinfeld.

French (Beginning) Wednesday—fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. Jean Pierre Autechard.

French (Intermediate) Monday—fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. Jean Pierre Autechard.

Fundamentals of Drawing: A course designed to introduce the beginning student to the techniques and procedures of simple drawing. Perspective, composition and the elements of design will be dealt with through a variety of media. Thursday—fee \$6. Instructor, Philip Savaglio.

Investment Guidance & Stock Market Procedure: Broad concepts of successful investment in a practical down-to-earth manner. Monday—fee \$5. Instructor, Mr. Hurd.

Oil Painting (Beginning and Advanced): To offer possibility of self-expression most adapted to meet the individual's needs. Tuesday—fee \$6. Instructor, F. Raymond Rickerson.

Russian (Beginning): Introduction to alphabet. Emphasis on basic conversation. Tuesday—fee \$6. Instructor, John Mieski, Jr.

(Intermediate): Thursday—fee \$6. Instructor, John Mieski, Jr.

Sewing (Beginning): Fundamentals of sewing. Tuesday—fee \$4. Instructor, Mrs. Backus. Room E-6, Groves high school, West 13 Mile and Evergreen roads.

Shorthand (Advanced): Gregg Method. Wednesday—fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. G. W. Allhouse.

Spanish (Elementary): Tuesday—fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. Dehl.

(Intermediate) Emphasis on conversation and basic grammar. Monday—fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. Dehl.

Typing (Beginning): For beginners and those who would like practice in improving typing. Tuesday, fee \$6. Instructor, Mrs. G. W. Allhouse.

Western Square Dancing with Terry Jernan: Expert instruction for beginners. Thursday, Midvale school gymnasium. Fee \$10 per couple.

Western Square Dancing with the Graces: Expert instruction for the advanced dancer. Tuesday, Midvale School Gymnasium. Fee \$10 per couple.

Round Dancing: Expert instruction in beginning "Sequence" dancing. Wednesday, Pembroke school gymnasium—fee \$10 per couple. Instructor, Conrad.

Great Books: Monday, alternating weeks beginning September 20th. Sixteen sessions. No fee. Leader, Mrs. Worley. Groves high school, Room B-5.

ALSO SCHEDULED are liberal arts education courses for adult education through Michigan State university. Fee is \$10 per person and \$15 per couple.

Courses include:

The Lore of The Stars: Elementary Astronomy. Thursday. Instructor, Mrs. William Schultz, head of the department of science at Cranbrook, and special extension lecturer at Michigan State university.

The Human Web: A Sociological Look at Mankind. Thursday—Groves high school, Room A-13. Instructor, Dr. Edward C. Jandy, professor of sociology and anthropology, Wayne State university.

Being a Human: Introduction to Psychology. Tuesday—Groves high school, Room A-15. Instructor, Dr. Donald H. Elliott, associate professor of psychology, Wayne State university.

Christian Ethics: Tuesday, beginning October 4th. Groves high school, Room A-16. Instructor, Dr. Francis Donahue, associate professor of religion and humanities, Michigan State university.

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Democratic Club To Start Annual Drive for Funds

The Birmingham Democratic club will conduct the party's annual finance drive, Dollars for Democrats, between Sept. 9 and 19. Mrs. Betty McVay is chairman of the club.

Mrs. McVay stated, "The Democratic party attempts to finance its activities by encouraging people to contribute to its support. In this way a greater number of individuals will feel a sense of participation and concern regarding the decisions of their elected officials."

John McVay is chairman of the drive in Birmingham and for the third legislative district.

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Obituary Notices

Frank Pierce, Jr. Former Resident

Frank R. Pierce, Jr., 34, a resident of Birmingham until he moved to Columbus, Ohio, 10 years ago, died Sept. 4 of a heart attack. Mr. Pierce was the son of the late Frank R. Pierce, former president of Dearborn Motors, and Mrs. Pierce who resides at 421 Arlington, Birmingham. His father was a vestryman at St. James Episcopal church before suffering fatal injuries in an airplane accident in 1950.

Pierce, Jr., was born in Philadelphia and came to Birmingham with his family in 1936. He attended Cranbrook school and Wittenburg college, Springfield, Ohio. He served with the United States Army in World War II and was a prisoner of war in Germany, after being shot down while on a bombing mission.

FOLLOWING THE WAR, Mr. Pierce moved to Springfield where he established a vending machine business.

He is survived by his wife, Janet; three children, Frank III, David and Julia, all at home; his mother, Mrs. Frank R. Pierce and a sister, Mrs. Ronald M. Kasperzak, 1020 Brookwood, Birmingham.

Funeral services were Wednesday at St. Mark's Episcopal church, Columbus, Ohio. Interment was at Sunset cemetery also in Columbus.

Clinton D. Williams

Clinton D. Williams, 84, of 6547 Haggerty road, Plymouth, died Sept. 1 at Harbor Springs, Mich., after a prolonged illness.

Mr. Williams was born in Pompey, N. Y., and lived in Plymouth since 1938. He was a former resident of Detroit and was a machinist for Ford Motor company before retiring in 1946.

He is survived by his wife, Ann L.; four daughters, Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Bruce Richard of Plymouth, Mrs. Milla Cusader and Mrs. Charles Williams, both of Sarasota; three sons, Clinton D., Jr. of Dearborn, John E. and Arthur P. of Birmingham; nine grandchildren and four great grandchildren; one sister.

Funeral services were Saturday at Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton funeral home in White Chapel cemetery.

Vera Stephenson

Vera L. Stephenson, 1935 Riverside drive, Birmingham, died Friday at the Concord nursing home, Detroit. Born in Geneva, she was a Birmingham resident for 11

years and a former resident of Detroit. She was a public accountant and also a graduate of the Detroit conservatory of music. She taught music at the Detroit foundation of music for 30 years and also in Grosse Pointe.

A MEMBER OF THE First Church of Christ, Scientist, Birmingham, she was associated with Phi Epsilon, music fraternity and was also a member of Birmingham musicale.

She is survived by her husband, Charles J., and one son, William T. of Birmingham. The funeral was held Saturday afternoon, with interment in White chapel cemetery.

Russell Crane

Russell A. Crane, 1838 Birmingham boulevard, Birmingham, died Tuesday at William Beaumont hospital following a prolonged illness. Born in Pittsfield, Ill. April 13, 1896, he lived in Birmingham for three years. He was formerly a resident of Detroit for 30 years.

He was assistant branch manager of the Detroit branch of the Wagner electric corporation and had been associated with them for 44 years. He belonged to the Detroit athletic club, the Society of automotive engineers and was also a Mason.

HE IS SURVIVED by his wife, Laura, E., one step-son, Fred Austin of Farmington and three granddaughters.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow with Dr. W. Glen Harris officiating at Bell chapel, William R. Hamilton funeral home in Birmingham. Interment will be in White chapel cemetery.

Mrs. C. McWood

Mrs. Charlotte Kleiwer McWood, sister of Walter Kleiwer, of 5701 N. Snowshoe circle, Bloomfield township, died suddenly at William Beaumont hospital Sunday.

Born Sept. 11, 1896, she had lived for four years at 1027 Woodlawn, Royal Oak. Other survivors are her husband, William and a daughter, Mrs. Ralph F. Lee Jr. (Shirley), also of Royal Oak.

Services were Wednesday from the William Vasu funeral home, Royal Oak, the Rev. Dr. Harold C. DeWindt officiating. Interment was at Woodlawn cemetery.

Melvina H. Osborne

Melvina H. Osborne, wife of W. L. Osborne, 2021 Charnwood, Birmingham, died Sunday at William Beaumont hospital following a prolonged illness.

She was born March 30, 1896 in Coburn, Va. and was married

Court Happenings

Kenneth Martins, 1240 Lennox, Birmingham, was arraigned Tuesday on a charge of simple larceny. He was fined \$50 by Associate Municipal Judge Edward Emery, Jr. and put on one-year probation.

FOUR PONTIAC youths, arrested on a charge of larceny from a newstand near Kroger's at Maple and Adams, waived examination Tuesday and were bound over to circuit court.

The four, Howard Scruggs, Alfred Newborn and Charles Douglas, were released on \$250 bonds. Trial is scheduled for 1:30 p.m., Sept. 12.

TWO PERSONS, charged with speeding, waived jury trials Wednesday and paid \$100 before Municipal Judge John C. Emery.

John B. Walters, 4821 Walnut Lake road, was fined \$10 for speeding. Joseph W. Lane, 1440 Cole, Birmingham, was fined \$2 on a similar charge.

CHARLES VANCE, 1349 Shandon, Troy, was fined \$100 Wednesday on a charge of reckless driving.

GARY VAN GEISEN, 656 Purdy, Birmingham, was fined \$15 on a charge of assault and battery. A jail sentence was suspended if he enters the air force within ten days.

Local Lions Back 'Register' Campaign

Cooperating with more than 11,000 Lions clubs in as many communities throughout the United States, The Birmingham Lions group is backing a "register to vote" campaign under the direction of its president, Dominic S. Caputo.

The club urges all persons eligible to vote to register at the city clerk's office in the municipal building. Registration deadline is Oct. 10.

Dec. 17, 1918, in Whitesburg, Ky. In addition to her husband, she is survived by her mother, Priscilla Greer Holbrook; two children, (Clara) Purchard of Birmingham and Claude L. Osborne of Ulica; two brothers, Emory and Raymond Holbrook of Meadville, Pa. and four sisters. The sisters are Mrs. Dona Stander, Mrs. Eva Guy, and Mrs. Chloe Boyle, all of Meadville and Mrs. Mamie Bortz of Greenville, Pa.

Services were held Wednesday from Kinsey's funeral home with the Rev. Luther M. Rogers of Utica officiating. Burial was at White Chapel cemetery.

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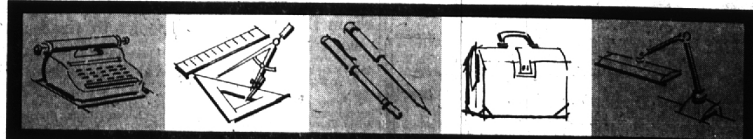
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