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Prewitt to Represent Oakland County At MEA Conference

William E. Prewitt of Milford will represent Oakland County (Region 7) as regional conference chairman at the 1961 fall State Teachers Institute for Regions 2, 3, 6 and 7 of the Michigan Education Association.

A combined conference will be held Oct. 19 in Detroit's Cobo Hall and individual conferences will be conducted Oct. 20 in the schools of the separate regions.

Over 19,000 teachers and administrators from the eight-county area in southeastern Michigan are expected to attend the annual conference sponsored by the Michigan Education Association.

Area schools will be closed during the two-day institute to permit educators to participate in the general sessions.

For more than a half-century the MEA has been sponsoring the regional conference program in an effort to provide in-service training and professional development for the association's more than 57,000 members throughout Michigan.

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In Oakland County . . .



Sealing Friendship

Joe Foss, president of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults, recently met Oakland County's 1961 Easter Seal Boy, Shawn O'Brien, 5, of Pontiac. Shawn suffers from cerebral palsy. Foss' daughter, now 15, was born with the crippling disease. The Detroit Society's campaign goal is \$125,000. The proceeds of the drive support therapy programs, the crippled children's summer camp and allied activities for both crippled children and adults.

State Police Seek Dogs For Training

Encouraged by early results in the use of a police dog for tracking and trailing lost persons and criminals, the Michigan State Police are now looking for several more German shepherds to give the experimental program a complete test.

"Jacko," the first department-owned dog for this purpose, was given to the State Police last summer by a Southfield kennel and subsequently received 14 weeks of training at the St. Louis, Mo., municipal department canine dog school along with his handler, Tpr. Richard H. Abbott, East Lansing.

Although the dog has not yet been responsible for the direct capture of an escaping criminal, it has followed scents almost unerringly.

MALE GERMAN shepherds of pure strain and, if possible, registered are being sought as they are regarded as the best all-around type of dog for police purposes. The dogs are to be one to two years of age and not less than 23 inches in height. They will be trained at East Lansing headquarters by Trooper Abbott.



Top Torch

O. S. Reimold II, 8 Woodside Park, Pleasant Ridge, is president of the Torch Club of Oakland County, one of 27 organizations that regularly use the Community House for meetings. Founded in 1934, the club seeks to provide members of the different learned professions an opportunity of meeting together in a spirit of fellowship and to foster the highest standards of professional ethics and civil well being. The 44-member club meets the second Tuesday of each month.

The experiment has been expanded to have at least four new dogs assigned permanently in other areas.

Detroit Country Day Seniors Present Annual Class Play

The annual senior play of the Detroit Country Day School, will be presented on Friday at 8:15 p.m. in the school gymnasium. This year's production is Richard Brinsley Sheridan's "Rivals."

The cast includes Richard Poole as Captain Absolute; Robert Douglas as his father, Sir Anthony; Bruce Mulock as Mrs. Malaprop; and Ingrid Becker as Lydia.

Other members of the cast are Jerry Bruzo, James Tann, Carol Haneline, Marie Kountoupas, Peter Williams, Paul Lieberman, Thomas Fogarty and Lawrie MacMillan.

Miss Becker, Miss Haneline and Miss Kountoupas are students at the Bloomfield Country Day School. The play is being directed by Edwin B. Chatfield of the Detroit Country Day faculty. Tickets will be available at the door the evening of the performance.

Methodist Men Plan Speaker for Banquet

The Men's Club of Birmingham First Methodist Church will have dramatic story of the Dead Sea Scrolls. He has taught at the American University at Cairo.

The program will consist of discussion and films. Tickets may be obtained at First Methodist fellowship hall between Sunday services or through H. V. Sewell.

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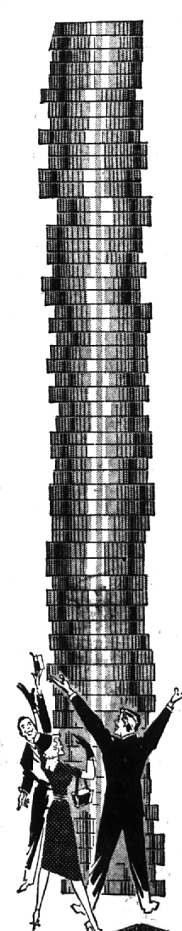
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BIENNIAL SPRING ELECTION APRIL 3, 1961

Notice is hereby given, that the Biennial Spring Election will be held in the Township of Southfield, County of Oakland, State of Michigan on Monday April 3rd, 1961 at the place in each of the Precincts as listed below:

- PRECINCT NO. 1 Ascension Lutheran Church, 16935 W. 14 Mile Road
- PRECINCT NO. 2 Greenfield School, 31200 Fairfax
- PRECINCT NO. 3 Ascension Lutheran Church, 16935 W. 14 Mile Road
- PRECINCT NO. 4 Beverly School, Beverly Road West of Southfield
- PRECINCT NO. 5 Franklin Fire Department, Franklin Road, Franklin
- PRECINCT NO. 6 Wylie Groves School, 13 Mile Road & Evergreen

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS ON THE PARTISAN BALLOT:

Two Regents of the University of Michigan; Superintendent of Public Instruction; Member of the State Board of Education; Two Trustees of Michigan State University of Agriculture and Applied Science; Two members of the Board of Governors of Wayne State University; State Highway Commissioner;

NON-PARTISAN OFFICERS: Two Justices of the Supreme Court.

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS: Supervisor, Township Clerk, Township Treasurer, Two Trustees, Justice of the Peace (Full Term) Member of the Board of Review, One Constable, Commissioner of Highways.

AND TO VOTE ON THE FOLLOWING CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION PROPOSAL:

"Shall a Convention be held to consider Revision or Amendment of the Michigan Constitution for subsequent submission to the Electors of this State for their approval?"

AND PROPOSAL #2
"Shall Article X of the Michigan Constitution be AMENDED by adding a New Section?"

The Polls of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until 8 o'clock p.m. of said day of election.

FANNIE ADAMS, TOWNSHIP CLERK
29 to provide that the Credit of the State, up to \$5,000,000 may be granted, and only at the Direction of a Legislative Act, to or in Aid of Public Benefit Corporations for the purpose of financing Industrial Manufacturing and Municipal Development Projects in this State?

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