

Local Area Boasts Of Big Tree Supply

When Paul W. Thompson reads a paper Saturday before the Botany Section of the Michigan Academy of Science, Arts and Letters at Wayne State University, his topic will be a big one—champion trees. Thompson, who lives at 17503 Kirkshire, Beverly Hills, and is affiliated with Cranbrook Institute of Science, will talk about number of champion trees discovered in Michigan.

THE LAST printed listing of the National Champion Trees in the nation, printed by the American Forestry Association in 1956, showed only two champions in Michigan, according to Thompson. During the last three and a half years, the Michigan Botanical Club Big Tree Campaign boosted the number to 37.

Michigan ranks third in the nation in the number of champion trees, according to Thompson. Data collected on the trees includes (1) the girth in inches at four and a half feet above the ground, (2) the location of the tree (county, town and address), (3) the name and address of the per-

soning the tree and (4) if possible, data on the history of the tree.

Champion trees in Oakland County in the Birmingham-Bloomfield area include a White Ash at 1222 W. Long Lake, Bloomfield Hills; an Apple, ranked first in the state with a 118-inch girth at 5400 Lane Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills; a Blue Beech and a Buckthorn, both ranked first in the state are local prizes.

The Blue Beech is found at 297 Barben, Bloomfield Hills, and the Buckthorn at Cranbrook.

IN THOMPSON'S opinion, there are several reasons for Oakland County's outstanding record of big trees.

One of these is that this area has been more thoroughly canvassed and has attracted a greater number of observers. A most important factor is that many residents appreciate the outstanding trees that they possess and have made every effort to preserve them.

"Still another reason is the nature of the topography, which rugged terrain in many localities has dis-

tributed to the preservation of large trees, Thompson indicates, is the incorporation of outstanding tracts of natural vegetation in parks, recreational areas and natural area preserves where trees can be preserved for the benefit of future generations.

He asks anyone who has located an extraordinarily large tree to send the records to the Big Tree Committee secretary, Mrs. Julia Hunter, 4502 Cooper, Royal Oak.

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County of Oakland
State of Michigan

ON
MONDAY, APRIL 3, 1961

AT THE PLACE OR PLACES OF HOLDING THE ELECTION IN SAID CITY AS INDICATED BELOW, VIZ:

- PRECINCT NO. 1—Chesterfield Fire Station, 1600 West Maple.
- PRECINCT NO. 2—Holy Name School, Corner of Harmon and Greenwood.
- PRECINCT NO. 3—Congregational Church, Woodward at Euclid.
- PRECINCT NO. 4—Municipal Building, 151 Martin Street.
- PRECINCT NO. 5—Barnum School, Frank Street at Purdy Street.
- PRECINCT NO. 6—Adams Fire Station, 572 S Adams.
- PRECINCT NO. 7—Grand Trunk Station, 245 Eton Road.
- PRECINCT NO. 8—Seaholm High School, Corner West Lincoln and Cranbrook. Lobby Entrance from Parking Lot.
- PRECINCT NO. 9—Pierce School, 1829 Pierce Street.
- PRECINCT NO. 10—Y.M.C.A., 400 East Lincoln.
- PRECINCT NO. 11—Torry School, 1658 E. Lincoln, Corner of Torry.
- PRECINCT NO. 12—Adams School, Oakland between Ward and Adams.
- PRECINCT NO. 13—Quarton School, Chesterfield and Oak.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ELECTING THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS, VIZ:

STATE OFFICERS
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; and State Highway Commissioner.

NON-PARTISAN OFFICERS
Two Justices of the Supreme Court.

CITY OFFICERS
Two City Commissioners, (Three year Terms); Two Members of the Library Board, (Three year Terms).

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?"

ALSO ANY ADDITIONAL AMENDMENTS OR PROPOSITIONS THAT MAY BE SUBMITTED

Notice Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls

ELECTION LAW, ACT 116, P. A. 1964
SECTION 720. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

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