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LIKE LAMBS LED TO THE SLAUGHTER

It seems a dirty shame that such outstanding citizens of Grosse Pointe Park as Messrs. Goddard, Fritsch, Petzold and Van Dusen should have been so misled and ill-advised that they have possibly laid themselves wide open for prosecution under the State Election

It is certain that their promises to "work for a dollar a year"-"to serve for a dollar a year"-"to sacrifice any salary"-"Agreeing to serve for a dollar a year"—are the result of the advice and wishes of the CITIZENS ASSOCIATION for whom they are acting. But isn't it a pity that this so-called Citizens Association or Economy Committee could be so ignorant as to be unfamiliar with election laws and get their candidates into the jams they have? Doesn't it sort of make you wonder if they know anything at all about taxes, sinking funds, economy, etc.?

For your information and so that you may be fully advised as to why these men may be subject to prosecution, we quote portions of a letter received from the Wayne County Prosecutor:

Section 3289 of the Compiled Laws for the year 1929 reads as

If any person shall by bribery, menace, or other corrupt means or device whatever, either directly or indirectly, attempt to influence any elector in giving his vote, or deter him from, or interrupt him in giving the same at any election or primary election held pursuant to law, such person shall, on conviction, be deemed suilty of a felony.

"Section 3338 of the Compiled Laws for the year 1929, Section 5,

'Any person found guilty of a felony under the provisions of this act shall, unless herein otherwise provided, be punished by # fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment in the state prison for a term not exceeding five years, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

"Inasmuch as there are not opinions in this state on the subject, it necessitates looking at the laws of our sister states to determines the definition for bribery with respect to elections. It was held in the case of Attorney General vs. Collier, 72 Mo. 13, that it was not necessary to show the crime of bribery in its strict sense where a public promise by a candidate for probate judge to take for his own use only \$1,200 out of \$2,600 fees to which he would be entitled, it being an appeal for votes because of the absorpaces with which he considerance the united to outce, is in enect bringing, an always made the office.

'not a matter of qualification but of bargain and sale', and the proposal being regarded as decidedly demoralizing in its tendency and utterly subversive of the plaintiff's dictates of public

(Also quoted are cases 18 American Jurisprudence, page 334, Section 231-State ex. rel. Bill v. Elting, 29 Kan. 397-9 R.C.L. 1127 Section 128).

"From the foregoing opinions, it appears that publication of papers and pamphlets that were enclosed in your letter could be considered bribery in its strict sense, because it is an appeal for votes because of the cheapness which the candidates would discharge the duties of their office."

Frankly, we sincerely hope that the Wayne County Prosecutor will make no moves to prosecute the above mentioned gentlemen because we believe they were entirely innocent and acted only in sname, that they were so ill-advised by the directing heads of the Citizens Association and thus laid themselves wide open not only to possible prosecution but also disqualification to hold office.

Grosse Exaggerations? | Warning To Grosse By A. PRYOR

The biggest social event of the season (pour le sport), were the exhibition tennis matchs between Perry, Richards, Budge and Tilden, which were played Tuesday at the Everglades Club. The weather behaved beautifully and by the



time the first match got under way, every seat and most of the surounding trees were occupied. At the entrance gate, we were up to our binoculars in Titles and Tycoons but on flashing that old Grosse Pointe Review reporter's badge, like a shot we were shown to the sun-tanning galleryaway from all the hiddyus wealth!

We like the way a crowd always goes for the underdog. In this case we mean Big Bill Tilden, who has aged visibly since we last saw him. His tennis is still spectacular, but he seemed to tire long before the others. Everytime he made a touchdown, the crowd roared-oops! that's our footbal yarn, anyway we can't feel you be cause everyone knows that tennis fannever 'roar'. They applaud sissy like and an occassional brave soul might venture, "Good shot, old thing," and receive dirty looks for his enthusiasm After the match, we had a few word volleys with Don Budge, who told us that he liked Detroit and Mary Margaret Mc Moine, Will someone please page 'Maggie' and "t1" her the good news?

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Pointe Housewives

Grosse Pointe Park police have uncovered another racket which has been flourishing in this community lately and Chief James C. Drysdale has issued a warning to all housewives.

A man, pretending to represent a blind institution calls at a residence with a manufactured door-mat. When the maid answers he asks if the lady of the house is in. If the answer is yes, the man asks the name of the family. Then he mumbles that it is the wrong house and leaves. If the answer is no, then the thief explains to the servant that a 50-cent deposit has been made on the door-mat and that he is calling for the balance. He hands the maid the mat and is usually paid whatever he asks.

On February 24 three Grosse Pointe comes were duped in this fashion. This from the ballot last week, because t man also wanted in Dearborn and other towns for the same offense. He is described as between 35 and 40 years of of Election Commissioners and Circuit age. Stocky build of about 175 pounds: Judge Webster ruled that since the and a dark complexion. He wore a blue overcoat and dark hat and was driving a gray colored Ford sedan of that Chandler's name must remain on 1935 or 1936 vintage.

If a man fitting such a description and using such a method should call at your residence, detain him and call your local police department.

City Police Place New Cars In Service

The City of Grosse Pointe police de partment has announced that the three new Plymouth scout cars which replaced three used ones are now in service and watchfully patrolling Grosse

The new two-door sedans are equipped with two radio sets and two Muir took the primary election by 324 heads much broader than the body. contain complete ambulance service, votes, Joseph W. Snav, John R. Sut- Heads of non-poisonous snakes are such as stretchers and first aid kits. ton Jr., and LeRoy May, trustee in- about the same width as the body, event.

Consider Before You Condemn

Detroit Free Press

Fab. 22, 1948. "... In common justice, it must forever be kept in mind that indictment does not mean guilt: that if any citizen or public official is accused, judgment should be withheld until he has had his day in court before a jury of his

Detroit Times, Feb. 24, 1948. ". . . Of course, those persons indicted shoud not be hastily condemned by the public. They are entitled to the presumption of complete innocense until they

Paul M. Deac Appears At Men's Club

have been proven guilty."

Paul M. Deac, who contributes a yesterday's dinner meeting of the Deroit American Business Men's Club held in the Hotel Book-Cadillac.

He talked on the topic: What head lines cannot tell you," a highly interesting discussion of current events.

As a war correspondent, observes of diplomatic moves in the various capitals of Europe, Deac has had a series of captivating experiences and has acquired a thorough and profound knowledge of the diplomatic and historical background for much of the prevalent condition in Europe.

His services as a speaker are much ALTERNATION OF THE PARTY OF THE

Letter of Appreciation For Job Well Done

My dear Babcock: Congratulations on again breaking the record for motor production! Your skill and enthusiasm and the splendid co-operation you have aroused in your men are directly helping in speeding the sending of more pilots to the front. You are say ing thousands of American lives by the remarkable work your shop is doing. It is a pleasure to have you with us.

pal office-holders will be held in Grosse

Pointe Park and Grosse Pointe Farms

Due to the extensive amount of the

public interest that has been kindled,

and the large share of publicity these

campaigns have received, election of-

ficials are anticipating a record turn-

In Grosse Pointe Park a close con

test is being staged between Alfred J.

Garska, incumbent, and John W.

Chandler. Chandler received a 164-vote

margin over Garska in the primaries,

held on February 13. Over 3,400 bal-

lots were cast in that vote, setting a

attempted to have his name stricken

was discovered that he had voted il-

legally in Detroit. The Village Board

Village charter contained no such pro-

vision for a candidate's withdrawal, and

by the Civic Committee, has also been

placed on the ballot. He is Kari B.

Goddard, Detroit attorney, Mr. God-

dard will run as a sticker candidate.

There are three Village commissioners

to be elected also. William P. Shoe-

maker, John B. Renaud, and Louis De-

Hayes, incumbents, lost the primary de-

cision to Homer C. Fritsch, Thomas T.

In Grosse Pointe Farms, Paul H.

Deming, incumbent, and Charles W.

Babcock are running for president. In

last month's primaries. Deming re-

ceived a 403-vote majority. For trus-

tee William K. Muir, incumbent, and

Petzold and Ward S. Van Deusen.

on Monday, March 11.

Faithfully yours,

Grosse Pointe Park

And Farms Prepare Fer

new high for that Village. Chandler ing in the Statler Hotel Tuesday, March

12th, at 2 p. m.

Done for Me."

Negro.

he music.

David G. Williams are seeking office, our because the natimum ones, earlier small corals, have triangular

meeting for one o'clock.

Poisonous Snake Lore

Ex-Rangers Enjoy Wealing Feast

ding party given for Dick Beaconsfield avenue and his e was held last Saturday night new 🛊 at the sail on Mack avenue, near Neff Read

Newsy a hundred couples attended and sayed an evening of merriment. The ty, sponsored by ex-members Judge Webster ruled that he has no of the anger Club, thanked Miss Beyright to order Chandler's name reers a generous contribution toward moved from the ballot because the Vilthe mings' expenses. Miss Beyers showing many of the younger people how the bave an evening of real fun. The wedded couple received an elec-

Circuit Court Judge Rules Chandler Must Run

A decision handed down by Judge Clyde I. Webster of Circuit Court last Friday stated that John W. Chandler cannot remove his name from the official ballot of the final election for mayor in Grosse Pointe Park to be held Monday, March 11.

lage charter contains, no provision for such withdrawal.

Chandler's petition for removal stated that he was not eligible as a candidate because he has been living in Detroit.

Platform of Candidates for Farms Officers Reviewed

column of comment on foreign affairs held last Monday evening several ago. week has appeared as guest speaker at candidates for the various offices to be! In the past four years \$112,000.00 was voted on at the Village Election next Monday were called upon to outline ing all of the residents of the Village. their platform and qualifications. The strange part of the whole affair was that mone of the incumbent candidates who are up for re-election were present neither were they represented by any-

This might be explained by the fact that the incumbent candidates had already attended other meetings instigated by the same group of men who sometimes identify themselves as the Economy League and other times as

best). The platform and qualifications of the incombent candidates who are seeking re-election next Monday, namely, Paul H. Deming for President, William K. Muir for Trustee, One Year Term, and Le Roy May, Joseph W. Snay and John R. Sutton, Jr. for Trustees, Two Year Term, are well known to the residents of the Village of Grosse Pointe Farms, since the records of the Village speak for the efficient manner in which the Village has been operated in the past several years.

A few outstanding facts in connection with the operation of the Village are

H. Flancher and Raymond C. Moore.

fied to fill your community offices.

The Wayne Co. Woman's Republica

The program is in charge of Mrs

Harry Z. Marz, legislative chal man.

and Mrs. Elizabeth E. Sammond, chair-

man of the Civics Committee. Mrs.

Marz will give an illustrated lecture

on Mexico, using colored slides, Mrs

Sammond has arranged a round table

Those taking part in the discussion

Club will hold its regular monthly meet

Will Stage Meeting

Lerchenfeld are unopposed.

At a meeting of the Grosse Pointe Taxpayers are now paying \$2.50 less Farms Property Owners Association per thousand than they were four years

> spent in Public Improvements benefit-The major portion of this money was used to replace sewers which were in stalled many years ago at which time the Village had no outlet but a ditch when it was impossible to have only

high level sewers. The streets which have benefited mostly from this expenditure are Fisher Road, Merriweather Road, McKinley Avenue, Ridgemont Road, Hillcrest Road, Mor-788 Road and Lakeview Avenue, and taxpayers residing on the streets just mentioned find that with all of this ex-

prospood that their tax but is less today than it was four years ago since the expenditure which was for the particular benefit of those people in the immediate neighborhood was charged to the Village at large and all taxpayers paid their share.

The Village debt has been reduced \$402,000.00 in the past four years which greatly decreases the carrying charge on the remaining portion.

Records indicate that the average tax bill per home owner in 1935 was \$405.72 which has since been reduced Commission Candidates to \$216.82 in 1939.

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G. P. Alumnus Gets All A's at U. of M. Charles Armostrong of the class of

June, '38, of Grosse Pointe High Final Election Monday School, now a sophomore in the Engineering School at the University of Michigan, received all A's as his first The final election of various munici- | cumbents, will face Ben H. Cole, John semester's marks. Armstrong holds an Clerk Harry A. Furton, Treasurer a Mothers' Club scholarship, both ex-Walter Champine and Assessor Cy L. tended to him for the second year because of his excellent record. Although It is the privilege and duty of every most of his freshman marks were also registered voter to go to the polls next A's, last semester brought him his first Monday and cast a ballot for the canall-A record. didate whom you consider best quali-

In high school Mr. Armstrong distinguished himself especially in service to the school and was selected as

Shop Grand Opening This Week-end

Heralding, as it were, the near approach of spring, the Grosse Pointe Branch of the Original Little Flower working for money." Shop, Inc., will celebrate its grand opening this week-end (March 8, 9 and 10) with a gorgeous flower show. This beautiful shop, one of the newest adthat Chandler's name must remain on the ballot. An added starter, backed The subject will be "What Detroit Has Punch & Judy building, directly adjoining the theater, convenient of ac-

will be dressed in native garb and repre-It would appear, from advance insent the following foreign groups Roumanian," "Greek." "Finnish," and Miss Adeline Lapensky, an accomplished accordionist will furnish Mrs. Jean B. Chamberlain, president of the club has called a Board Poisonous snakes usually can be distinguished easily from non-poison-

Economy Committee Warns of Machine Politics

The Economy Committee for Good Government, supporting Karl B. Goddard, running as a "sticker" candidate for the President of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park against Alfred J. Garaka, points out that the indictment returned by the grand jury against Mr. Garska clearly indicates that the Village government has not been as clean as represented. The committee also points out that William P. Shoemaker, an incumbent Village commissioner, seeking re-election and reputedly a close confident of Mr. Garaka, has been police commissioner of the Village.

tee during the present campaign which involved Mr. Garska. Because they were any political committee or take any with the Grand Jury it is different. political campaign." Aside from the gambling charges covered by the indictment, there has dents of Grosse Pointe Park not to been called to the attention of the Economy Committee violations by the visions and regulations of the Police and Fire Departments, prohibiting electioneering by employees of these de- Primary Election. partments.

Numerous reports from that meeting coming to the attention of the Economy Committee indicated many of the employeess have refused to take any part in the campaign but that in their own businesses. They believe, others feared dismissal on trumped-up charges if they failed to do bidding of be managed by a Village Manager who the "administration" machine which is seeking the re-election of President Garska, Commissioner William P. Shoemaker, Louis A. De Hayes and John B. Renaud.

The Economy Committee charges that, "the Civil Service Commission of Grosse Pointe Park has countenanced the service of two of its members of

mittee, a committee with offices at 411 New Center Building, Detroit, which is openly advocating the retention of the present administration, and the defeat of the "Dollar-a-year" charter amendment which will be submitted to the voters at the election, March 11. Both B. J. Kilbride and Dr. W. J. Watkins, members of the Civil Service Commis sion, are openly espousing the candidacy of President Garska and the Three

Express Views

In connection with the final election to be held in Grosse Pointe Park next Monday, this paper has interview two of the three candidates running for the office of commissioner on the "Economy Group" ticket.

Ward S. Van Deusen of 1147 Yorkshire, has lived in Grosse Pointe Park in that municipality for over 10 years. anonymous scholarship awarded by a After receiving many phone calls from charged the two lads with possession Grosse Pointe High School patron and friends, Mr. Van Deusen agreed to be placed on the ballot as a candidate for a commissioner's post. Prominent in appeared before the state legislature to fight for and against measures that would affect his community. In the past year he has served as president of the Detroit Real Estate Board.

Although Mr. Van Deusen has had o previous experience in municipal affairs, if he is elected, he will consider | being held in Grosse Pointe until their and act on each question as it arises in a business-like manner. He added, "If the citizens care to change the charter to allow for a city manager, I will be happy to do anything I can. I will gladly accept \$1 a year. I am not

Thomas T. Petzold of 1022 Buckingham has resided in Grosse Pointe Park for 12 years and has been a taxpayer for four years. Mr. Petzold likewise ditions to Grosse Pointe's flourishing has had no previous experience in mudiscussion by a cosmopolitan group. business community, is located in the nicipal affairs but has been connected with the J. L. Hudson Co. for fifteen years. He has been a member of the itizens' Association since its organization and was drafted as a candidate for commissioner by the Economy Group. If he is elected Mr. Petzold will produce ecenomy by curtailing all unnecessary expenses.

Mr. Petzold believes in the \$1 per year issue and states, "Real economy there he found his car out of fuel and plants, in innumerable quantities and can be affected through the election of missing its ignition wires. The next responsible citizens who are willing to contribute their time and services and the appointment of a city manager to do the routine work"

> could not be reached for a statement. Economy Group, is also out of the city. wheels are badly mangled.

Many rumors similar in effect to commissioners seeking re-election. This the Grand Jury charges have come to is an open violation of the State Law the attention of the Economy Commit- creating such commissions, which reads, "nor shall any commissioner serve on rumors nothing could be done-but active part in the management of any

The Economy Committe warns resiconfuse the Civic Committee with the Citizens Association of Grosse Pointe Park which endorsed all Economy Committee Candidates as Preferred at the

Mr. Goddard speaking of the candidates Homer Fritsch, Thomas T. Petzold and Ward S. Van Deusen said. "These three candidates for village commissioner are outstanding successes as I do, that Grosse Pointe Park should is trained expertly in municipal managment. And we have offered to work for a dollar a year to pay such a general manager for our village when the new Charter amendment is adopted. Chandler, who led the field in the pri-

mary election for village president, but who has withdrawn from the sace because of the mountainty of his princip being here in Grosse Pointe Park to

campaign against himseif. "Mr. Chandler carried the standard for the 1600 voters who voted against the Garska 'machine' at the primary election," Mr. Goddard said. "But the residents of Grosse Pointe Park are not so easily cheated of victory. Min. Chandler is working for my election as

(Continued on Page Five) Captured Pair Plead Guilty At Arraignment

The two young bandits captured by the City of Grosse Pointe police pleaded guilty to charges of possessing assorted weapons and attempting to break into and enter a store at their arraignment in the Grosse Pointe City police station last Friday evening.

The complaint presented to Frank W. for five years and has been a taxpayer Lindeman, Justice of the Peace, and signed by Sergeant Edward Trombley, of a gun, blackjack, two large jimmy bars and a kit of burglar tools. In addition the complaint accused the ban-Detroit real estate affairs for many dits of aftempted breaking into and years, Mr. Van Deusen has frequently entering a grocery store at Washington Road and Mack avenue.

The accused pair, Lee McMillan and Aldredge Fleming of 457 Brainard, murmured pleas of guilty and will be bound over to Circuit Court for trial Unable to furnish the \$1,000 bond the boys waived an examination and are trial comes up.

The two burglars were seized by Sergeant Trombley and Patroiman Andy Teeteart February 27 when the bandits' stolen car crashed into a tree after bullets fired from the policemen's guns forced them to lose control of the wheel. The pair confessed to robbery of 20 business places in and around Detroit and the theft of thirtysome automobiles.

Detroit police found several hundred dollars' worth of radios, cameras and cigarets in the suspects' apartment. The car which the bandits used in their Grosse Pointe robbery effort was stolen from Percy Swartz, 1115 Delaware. This automobile was originally reported missing January 25. On February 25 the Detroit police notified Swartz that his car had been found at the rear of 440 Stimson avenue. When Swartz got day he returned prepared to tow his property away. Again the car was gone. This time McMillan and Fleming had appropirated it. Now it peacefully rests in the rear of the City of torn loose and the radiator grill is crunched against the front of the motor block. Both front fenders and

Wayne Republican Club the honor boy of his class. Original Little Flower

formation received, that nothing will be left undone to make this grand opening and flower show one of the major events of the week Beautiful spring flowers in great profusion will adorn every corner of the shop. Lovely of great variety, will bear living witness to the horticultural knowledge of their grower. The natural galety of such an event will be further enlivened by the presentation, to all who attend, of a de- Homer C. Fritsch, the third candilightful floral gift. All in all, twould date for commissioner has departed on smashed. The front bumper has been seem that any who miss this flower a three weeks' vacation to Florida and show will be depended of participating in a most entertaining and charming Harvey C. Fruehauf, leader of the

Tax Morality

By TARLETON COLLIER (Taken from the Atlanta (Ga.) Georgian Nov. 17, 1939.)

In the Supreme Court ruling which yesterday knocked out the Columbus chain store tax, this column faintly discerns a hint to the effect that there is a point of morality to be considered when one sets about passing tax laws.

Without actually saying so, the court tax for, anyhow?

There are numerous authorities on taxation as a social agency or tice, who dispute the idea that taxes should be applied for any other pur-

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pose than to raise revenue with which [to operate the machinery of govern-

True, we get away from this course taxattion as a social agency or to to ignore marked differences between to equalize advantages or to perform a kind of police service, as when an unsavory occupation is taxed heavily to deter people from entering it.

All these things seem to depart from the true function of taxation. It looks as if we should be able to get at regulation in other, more intelligent, ingeniseemed to raise the question, what is a ous, courageous and constructive ways. than by the easy and sometimes ruthless way of destroying by taxation. The Motives

In trying to make its point, this column hopes at this time to keep out of the dispute between chain stores and independents. It will have to ask, however, whether the chain store tax is designed as a revenue-raiser or as a of the chain stores' streamlined meth-

Is it a tax, or is it a display of hostility and rancor?

Returns from the state's chain store tax are not only negligible in comparison with the total income but actually are decreasing. In the fiscal year which closed June 30, 1939, they amounted to \$181,153.08, compared to \$234,730.41 for the preceding year, a

drop of \$53,537.39, or nearly 25 per cent. Chain stores are simply unpopular among a lot of people. It is argued that they take money out of a community, display less community interest than native independents. It is argued that they pay smaller taxes on inventories, accounts and personal property than their independent competitors because their turnover is more

rapid and their books are inaccessible. Some people don't like their labor policies or their wage scales, although many a progressive chain is making its peace with organized labor, as all of them, and all management elsewhere. probably will have to do sooner or later to keep pace with social trends.

And there are others who don't like chains because the chains to them represent "bigness."

What It "Bigmess?"

But, if a tax is imposed on chain stores to overcome the difference in personal property tax payments, the question naturally arises whether a tax which increases for every store as the total number of stores increases has any relation to store-by-store differ-

Does such a plan of progressive tax increase as was involved in the Columbus ordinance actually represent a calculation of differences, or is it merely a blow aimed at "bigness?"

And, if "bigness" is to be penalized tack while "bigness" in other fields not only goes without special taxation, but actually may win favors in legislation?

The Twentieth Century Fund's Committee on Taxation, in a recent report made this point, as follows:

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stantial similarities between large chains and large merchandising units that are not chains by taxing one and frequently. We hear talk of applying exempting the other. They also tend by trouncing Wyandotte and also reg-

large chains and small chains." Who is Helped?

If this column may be permitted a personal opinion, it would say that the mass-service chain stores represent a phase of business, and perhaps a phase between the old order and the consumer co-operative, which seems certain to be tried in this country on a large scale sooner or later.

For the fact is that competitive advantages brought about by the use of any business technique of organization or efficiency or volume or any other device mean advantages not so much to the business itself as to the consuming public.

We seem to rush into chain store means of overcoming the competition taxation with feeling rather than with study and calculation. If there are evils in chain store operation, they don't lie in cheaper prices, and they are not to be remedied by use of the tax club which penalizes the beneficiary of cheaper prices. Taxation, in purest theory, isn't intended for that sort of

thing in the first place. The remedy lies in regulation of other sorts or in meeting the competition with more efficient merchandising and organization, not in vindictiveness.

Teachers To Meet At Pierce High

Approximately 800 teachers from Hamtramck, Highland Park and Grosse Pointe will meet at the Pierce Junior High School for the third tri-city meet-

ing Friday, March & The program will he as follows: 9:36 A. M.—Pierce Junior High School 1. Music by Grosse Pointe High School band.

2. Grover Stout, NEA representative (about five minutes).

3 Address-Dr. Malcolm MacLean, of Minnesota. Following the address Pierce teach-

see some of the new ideas in building. The institute will be divided into two

luncheon will be held in the Grosse Pointe High School cafeteria. S. L. A. ian work. Marshall of the Detroit News wil The junior-senior high school lunch-

on will be held in Grosse Pointe Memorial Church, with Philip Adler of the Detroit News as the speaker. 1:45 P. M.—Pierce Junior High School

2. Panel discussion: "What Can Education Contribute to Democracy." 3. Members of the panel:

Dr. Paul T. Kankin, director of research and informational service, chair-

Dr. Edgar DeWitt Jones, minister of Central Woodward Christian Church and newspaper columnist, religion. Dr. Ralph H. Pino, president of the Wayne Medical Society, medicine. Emil Mazey, president of Briggs Lo

cal U. A. W.-C. I. O., labor. Henry S. Sweeney, member of Detroit Common Council, government. Stanley Diamond, supervising instructor in department of social studies Detroit

Albert E. Meder, lawyer for Beaumont, Smith and Harris and member of the board of education, capital.

The program was planned under the eadership of Harold Husband, general hairman. Other chairmen were: Charles Saltber, speaker; Mrs. Ruth Pace and H. Leroy Selmier, noon luncheons; Paul Junge, traffic; Mr. Woodworth, stage arrangements and ushers; Miss Doris Trott, publicity; William Watkins, music: Vincent Peterson, printing of programs.

Blue Devils Beat Monroe 23-20

Grosse Pointe High's Blue Devil basketball squad finished its regular season last Friday night by beating Monroe' Trojans 23-20 and ended in a tie with the Fordson Tractors for first place in the Border Cities League standing.



The Stroh Brewery Company Detroit, Michigan.

"The present taxes . . . ignore sub- | This victory, Grosse Pointe's tenth in 13 contests, brought the Blue Devil's league record to eight wins and two losses. Fordson finished its schedule istered a final eight and two count.

The Blue Devils started slow and a scoring spree in the third quarter was necessary to snip a Monroe lead. Grosse pointe trailed 11-14 at the half, but scored nine points in the third out, we prayed too-for five bullets, quarter, while holding Monroe to a single foul shot. In a rough and exciting last period the Devils scored only three points but Monroe could account for no more than five.

Gordon Tanner, Grosse Pointe forward, who has averaged 10 points a game all season, again led his team's scoring. Tanner, a six-foot junior, marked up three field goals and four free throws. Adolf Neeme, the last of the athletic brothers, threw in seven points and his aggressive defensive game helped the Grosse Pointe cause considerably. Ted Gordon, Monroe forward, contributed seven points for the losers.

Grosse Pointn's reserves also came from behing and nosed out Monroe by almost the same score as their "big the winners.

Final standings: Team W. L. Pct. GROSSE POINTE .. Fordson . Monroe . Royal Oak Mt. Clemens Wyandotte ...

The Grosse Pointe Lutheran Church

"The Saviour's Sacrificial Suffering," will be the subject of the sermon at the Grosse Pointe Lutheran Church, worshiping in the Richard School, Kercheval and McKinley, Sunday morning, March 10th, at 11 o'clock, preached by director of general college, University the Rev. M. Luther Canup, D.D., pas-

"Triumph Through Surrender," will ers will conduct tours through the new | be the topic taught in Sunday School school to give the teachers a chance to at 9:45 a. m., where we have classes for all grades. We need several more consecrated

groups for luncheon. The elementary shall be glad for applicants. Here is an opportunity to do constructive Christ-This will be Passion Sunday observ-

ance in our parish and you and your family are cordially invited. We will again hold a community

or neighborhood Good Friday service at the Punch and Judy Theatre 1. Minic by Plerce Junior High Good Friday from 12 to 3 o'clock. School. There will be three mort and energy solo numbers, Bible reading and hymns singing. Come and join us.

Latest Records

By L. W. MOUNTFORD The wax world offers some swell

tunes this week with Jerry Colonna stearling the spotlight on the Columbia label with "Don't Send My Boy to Prison," and "I Came to Say Goodbye". Columbia's recording of Kay Kyser's orchestra stands out in the light with "Confucius Say" with the reverse side playing "The Starlit Hour." W. C. Handy, father of the original

blues, does a swell job on some new varsity labels with "Loveless Love" 'Way Down South Where the Blues Begin" and the "Beale Street"; "St. Louis Blues." Mr. Handy stars the trumpet solos with selected orchestras. Ziggy Elman does a top-notch performance on the trumpet, hiting high

C "Tootin' My Baby Back Home," backing it with "What I Used to Was, I Used to Was" on Bluebird. Victor has a new recording of Lionel Hampton and Company of top-notch stars on "I Found a New Baby"-

Kenny Baker sings "On A Little Street in Singapore" for Vic. and "Faithful Forever.' "The Parade of The Little White

Mice" followed by "It's My Turn Now" with a swell vocal by Penny Parker with Vincent Lopex and orchestra. We would like to call your attention to the Decca recording of "The Flight of the Bumble Bee" by the world's best sax player, Jimmy Dorsey, with his

orchestra, it's tops in swing. Two of the most humorous records the Louisiana bayous-"The Cat!" of recent release are Cyril Smith's "Old Teamed for the first time, the two ap-Sam" and "The Lion and Albert" on pear in leading roles of "The Cat and Bluebird. This is a good record shopping week.

Record and Radio Questions F.G.W., Philco Model 640.-The fact that the shadowgraph is affected by the condition described in your letter points to trouble in the R.F. portion of the receiver. We suggest replacement of the triple section electrolytic condenser,

denser. Check the 6A7 tube. M.J.M.-As far as we can make out ince Artie Shaw left his orchestra the boys got together and formed a cooperative band and named 21 year old Georgie Auld their band leader. Georgie is from Toronto and plays tenor sax. There will be some swell records soon with the boys that will show it wasn't all Artie Shaw,

Address all record or radio questions to "The Record Player" in care of this paper.

Grosse Exaggerations? (Continued from Page One)

In our movie-ing around this week, we caught up with Joan Bennett's new vee-hickle, "Green Hell." We sat through all kinds of it and toward the finish, when the four remaining men prayed for their ammunition to hold -lour for them and one for us.

We missed "Streets Of London," with Laughton and Leigh, but think we know why people were so disappointed in Vivien's acting in this opus. The billing for the picture reads, "See Scarlette rise to new emotional heights." As a matter of fact, they're her old heights, because "Streets Of London" was produced in England long before Margaret Mitchell got the Yankees out of At-

"Pinnochio" is drawing as big a crowd as did "Gone." From behind locked doors and with drawn sword, we'd like to venture the statement that either we are crazy or the Nation is. Having sat through an hour or more of Snow White and those little men, brothers". The Blue Devils managed we've decided that fifteen minutes of a 23-21 victory with Lee, Ireland and Mr. Disney's family is about all we can Dillon dividing the scoring laurels for laugh off. Everyone say, Pinnochio is a 'must.' Pryor say, so is spinach.

Margaret Halsey, who wrote "With" Malice Toward Some," (a poison-al account of her trip through England). is here with the Artists and Writers group. She is young, attractive and surprisingly taciturn. When we met her we expected to be 'quiped' to a farethee-well, but she's probably hoarding her material for another bomb-shell novel. If it happens to be about THIS place, we're laughing already! The social barometer of Palm Beach

s or are, the "Jay" O'Briens. Jay used to be one of Mae Murray's husbands. and Mrs. O'B. used to be a Miss Hylan, who went from Hemmingway to Fleischman to O'Brien. (Stop me if I'm getting too, too, Maury Paulish). Anyway, the O'Briens specialize in collecting "names in the news." If a prominent visiting fireman isn't guesting at the O'Briens, you can bet there's foul play someplace. This year, among other guests, they are hosting to Mrs. Philip Ammidon, the former Bea Hudson. A few years ago, Bea was a model and just as pretty and cute as she is now, but NOW Phil Ammidon's social background and \$\$\$, have made Bea an O'Brien "catch." When Paulette Goddard was a chorus girl (here) fourteen years ago, she couldn't have crashed the back door of sassiety but three years ago, when she returned here as Mrs. Charles Chaplin and a potential "Scarlett," the O'Briens housed her, much to the envy of the Palm Beach Frerage! Bea and Paulette are two good examples of girls who built better mouse traps and THAT'S why one famous columnist says that Palm Beach is as phoney as a lead quarter.

If you ladies want to treat yourselves to a begg thrill, take a look at the new Platina Fox skins. We saw two of them in one of the shops here and were told we could have four made into a neat little jacket for only forty seven hundred dollars. They are the most beautiful "Foxen" we've ever seen and are just about as hardy as an orchid. (Continued on Page 12)



Bob Hope shields Paulette Goddard from the horrible, murdering beast of the Canary," Paramounts mysterythriller which opens at the Esquire theatre. East Jefferson at Beaconsfiield. Sunday, March 10th and remains through Wednesday March 13th.

Also in the same program will be shown in technicolor Drums Along the Mohawk" starring Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda and a tremendone section of which is the screen-grid ous supporting cast. Doors open Sunday at 12 30 p. m. Adu'rs. 25c, caridren bypass condenser. The manufacturer's part number is 30-3114 for this conunder 12 years of age, 10c.

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"The census man is coming to every!

home early in April," said Mr. Lehmann | "and some member of each family should be designated by the family to act as spokesman when the census taker comes and give all the information required about every household occupant, even including roomers and hired help who live in the household." According to Mr. Lehmann, these are the facts that the census man will call for about every household:

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Election Precinct No. 1.—All that part of the Village lying West of Mack Avenue from the Southerly Village limits to the Maccanb County line, also that part of the Village lying East of Mack Avenue and South of Vernier Road. Voting place at the Municipal Building-Mack and Anita

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Whether attended school or college since March 1, 1940; highest grade completed.

State or country of birth. Citizenship of any foreign-born.

Where did each person live five years ago, that is on April 1, 1935? (This is to get a study of internal migration.) To get complete facts of employ-

ment and unemployment, each person 14 or over must say whether at work for pay or profit in private industry during week March 24-30. If not working for private industry, or nonemergency government work, or regular government work, whether working for WPA, NYA, CCC same week. If neither at work nor assigned to public emergency work, each person must say whether or not he is seeking work; if not seeking work, whether he has a job or business from which he is tempo-

rarily away. Each person not at work or not seeking work must say whether engaged in home housework, in school, unable to work or "other".

All persons employed by private industry or on regular government work are required to give the number of hours worked the week of March 14-30 and those seeking work and those assigned to public emergency work must state the duration of their unemployment in weeks up to March 30, 1940.

Every person at work, either private or emergency, must give present occupation, industry and class of worker. Those without work but seeking work, must report on whether they have had previous work experience lasting one month or more and give their last occupation, industry and class of worker. If they have not had previous work experience and are seeking work they will be listed as "new workers."

Information sought on "occupation" above, must include exact nature of duties performed, such as trade, profession or particular kind of work done. Under "industry" above, report kind of factory, store or other business in which duties are performed. Under "Class of worker" above, report whether a wage or salary worker in private work; a wage or salary worker in government work (including WPA, CCC, NYA); an employer; working on own account, or an unpaid family

Report the number of weeks worked during 1939 (equivalent full-time weeks). Report the amount of money. wages, or salary received (including commissions) during 1939 and whether there was additional income of \$50 or nore from other sources during the

To get a national study of racial origin, war veterans, social security, usual occupations and industry and number of children born to women, each twentieth person will be asked the state or country of birth of father and mother; mother tongue; whether a veteran; whether a wife, widow or chlid under 18 of a veteran; if a child, is the veteran father dead; what war or military service.

Each twentieth person will also be ked whether he or she has a social security number, whether or not deductions were paid for federal old age insurance, or railroad retirement in 1939. If deductions were made, were they based on all, one-half, or more, or

less than half of wages or salary? Each twentieth person will also be asked his or her "usual" occupation, industry and class of worker. State as usual occupation that one so regarded, or if not sure, that one at which has

worked most during the past 10 years. This supplementary census will also ask each woman who has been married whether married more than one; age at first marriage and number of children ever born.

Dogs

By DICK BODYCOMBE Perhaps you own a dog and perhaps

ou don't. But whether you are a canine fancier or not these figures hould prove interesting to you. Do you know that there are over

,500 dogs in Grosse Pointe Township? Do you know that only 1,964 of these animals are registered at the various

Do you realize that there are more dogs than children of school age? Do you realize that if all the dogs in Grosse Pointe were lined up end to end they would reach from Cadieux Road

Fisher Road on Kercheval avenue? Perhaps the exact figure on the registered dogs might interest you.

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New England Women

Harlow B. Loveland is president, will be represented at a two-day regional conference of the Society, to be held Tuesday and Wadnesday Y. The Chicago Billians of Chicago Billians and Wadnesday Y. Chicago Billians of Chicago Bi 13, at Hotel Blackstone, Chicago, Chicago, Pilgrim and Evanston Colonies of gates at luncheon Wednesday noon. will conduct the conference.

The national board will convene Tuesday morning. National chairmen will report at an open meeting Tuesday afternoon. The conference dinner will be held that evening. Wednesday morning will be devoted

, to discussion of the Society's activities, proposed revision of by-laws, and the adoption of resolutions. Miss Julia Detroit Colony, National Society of the adoption of resolution. Miss Julia New England Women, of which Mrs. C. Fish of Cleveland, second vice-Tuesday and Wednesday, March 12 and Chicago, Pilgrim and Evanston Colonies will entertain conference dele-Chicago area, will be co-hostesses, and Counteract Subversive Influences" will Mrs. John E. Connelly, of Chicago, is be the topic of a New England Town general chairman. Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Meeting Wednesday afternoon. Promi-Hobart of Cincinnati, president-general nent leaders and members of the society will take part in the panel dis-

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School Notes

More than 400 University of Michi-

gan students were awarded degrees at

the close of the first semester of the

1939-1940 school year. This number in-

eluded Gladys H. Kelsey of Grosse

Pointe Park, who received her Bache-

David A. Coolidge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Coolidge of Kensing-

ton Road, was recently re-elected

member of the executive committee of

the freshman class of Haverford Col-

lege. Besides being a class officer

Dave was elected to the business board

of the Haverford News at mid-year

elections. Last fall he had a leading

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Some girls worked on their second class requirements. Others who had already completed these tried to pass tests in order to earn merit badges.

The troop busied itself 'till 4 o'clock by playing games. Then the first and second class scents divided, so that each group could work separately. Later the scouts formed patrols and discussed the trip they will take to Metamor Camp on March 8, 9 and 10.

School Dentist Examines Teeth

Believe it or not, the students of ! Grossa Pointe High School do not clean their teeth as often as they should. Among 127 12B students, Dr. Manwell Lastrey, school dentist, found only 59 with perfect teeth. Among 88.12A students examined, only 33 were found to have perfect teeth. Only one discase that might prove harmful to others

"Young men and women of teday should recognize more and more the section were outstanding for scholarimportance of good dental health in ship at the college for the first semestheir echolastic, business and social ter. Their names were included on the scholastic honors list released last asserts Dr. Laffrey.

on is one physically free of diseases."
Dr. Laffrey allvises. "Every sick spell or accident leaves a scar of some kind, to be carried the rest of your life. There is no doubt that injected and neglected teeth cause a great deal of unnecessary illness. Since dental infection is so common, let us all start a systematized care of our teeth."

There are a few important rules that one should always remember, emphasized Dr. Laffrey. "First, we must provide our body with the proper nourishment by eating plenty of vegetables, fruits, eggs and drinking plenty of milk, he said.

Dr. Laffrey suggests that everyone food to exercise his jaw bones and the supporting tissues. "We must also remember a clean tooth never decays," Dr. Laffrey said.

Dr. Laffrey insists one or two early trips to the dentist before decay has progressed will save several long and painful trips later and may save one serious physical disability resulting from infected teeth.

Devil Cagera Enter State Competition

Grosse Pointe High's Border Cities League championship basketball squad will put in its bid for the state championship this week when the Blue Devils tangle with six other class A high schools in the regional tournament to be held in the new \$185,000 gymnasium at Ferndale, Mich.

Coach Forrest Geary's well-trained quintet, which finished in a deadlock with the Fordson Tractors in the league standings, drew deep into the hat early this week and came up with a slip of paper which bore the name of the pesky Royal Oak squad. This means that Grosse Pointe will meet Royal Oak in the first round of an elimination series. The winner advances and the loser hangs up his knee-guards for the season. Pontiac, Hazel Park, Mt. Clemens, Port Huron and Ferndale have also entered this cut-throat scramble and the final winner receives the honor of proceeding to Battle Creek to meet the other regional champs. Other regionals will be held at Lansing, Fordson, Lincoln Park, Saginaw, Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids and Holland. Flint Northern won the coveted title

iast year. If Grosse Pointe can pass the Royal Oak barrier they will meet the winner of the Port Huron-Ferndale iff at 9 o'clock on Friday evening. Royal Oak: is remembered as the team that broke the Blue Devil seven-game winning streak early in February and knocked Grosse Pointe back into a tie with

Fordson. Coach Geary's charges suffered a severe set back early this week when Gordon Tanner, Blue Devil lingh scorer and all-around hero, was sent to the

hospital with injuries requiring 12 Miss Lorraine Meyer, daughter of stitches. Strangely enough, Tanner's Mr. and Mrs. Walter Meyer, 1417 Beainjuries were not sustained on the basconsfield avenue, and Miss Margaret ketball court but during an innocent Mary Daly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. little game of ping-pong. The circum-Hugh L. Daly, 1303 Beaconsfield avestances of the accident are veiled with nue, were on the senior list. mystery, but persons "in the know" Miss Jean Campbell, daughter of Mr claim Tanner came out on the short

and Mrs. Charles A. Campbell, 1150 end of a tussle with some sort of indi- Bedford Road, was on the freshman

and "second-guessers" have already Charles B. Armstrong of 706 Unicounted the Blue Devils out. But a versity place, Grosse Painte, was on the squad packed with the ability of the all "A" list for first semester markings present Grosse Pointe team can never in the college of engineering at the be counted out until the final basket University of Michigan, where he is a sophomore.

Miss Mary Kathleen Schrage, daugh-Paul Keller of Grosse Pointe and Art ter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendelin C. Treut of Grosse Pointe Park were Schrage, 1321 Devonshire Road, and a members of the all-male cast of the student at Marygrove College, recently 1940 Union Opera, "Four Out Of Five," had an article published in the Catholic given at the University of Michigan, February 28 to March 2. The paper, which was written to sat-

Campfire News

Baby Grows." It discussed the devel-The Northeast and Southeast District Camp Pire Girle will attend a candle Miss Schrage is a senior at the collighting caremony, March 15 at 7:30 in lege and is majoring in home ecothe auditorium of Southeatern High

> Skillful living is the theme of the program planned by Mrs. C. J. Crockford, Mrs. Orin Freer, Mrs. Fred V. Slocum, Mrs. Lanneau Bell, Mrs. Charles Brooks and Mrs. Bluford Freeman of the Northeastern Guardians Association.

Miss Dorothy Spicer, who has the Listen Ladies" program on the Detroit News station, will be the guest speaker. "The Woman of Tomorrow" will be her subject.

A tableau written by Mr. Rivard, director of the "Children's Theater of the Air," will represent skillful living as exemplified by outstanding women of yesoterday and today.

The candle lighting ceremony will feature the seven laws with a special candle for achievement. National honors and the four ranks will be awarded by Mrs. Wilbur Storey, Mrs. Charles Hardy, Mrs. Irving Hoss, Mrs. Herbert Higginbottom and Mrs. R. L. Colton. Parents and friends of the Camp Fire Girls are invited. There will be no charge.

sigger Family Organization "Bear, multiply and overrun the earth," is the slogan of a Japanese organization campaigning for bigger

Electric Light Taxes The average American family last year paid \$34.81 for its electric light bill, according to a recent estimate. Six dollars of this amount or 17 per cent, went to pay "hidden" taxes.

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NOTICE OF Annual Election

TO BE HELD IN THE

Village of Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich.

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE VILLAGE OF GROSSE POINTE WOODS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Annual Election of Village Officers will take place in the Village of Grosse Pointe Woods on Monday, March 11, 1940.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the polling place for said election shall be:

Election Precinct No. 1-All that part of the Village lying West of Mack Avenue from the Southerly Village limits to the Macomb County line, also that part of the Village lying East of Mack Avenue and South of Vernier Road. Voting place at the Municipal Building Mack and Anita Avenues.

Election Precinct No. 2.—All that part of the Village lying North of Vernier Road and East of Mack Avenue. Voting place at the Mason School-Vernier Road.

And that the polls for said Election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon to 8:00 o'clock in the evening, Eastern Standard

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that if you have not already registered, you may do so by appearing before the Board of Registration which will be in session on the 20th day of February, 1940, at the Municipal Building between the hours of 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 8:00 o'clock in the evening, Eastern Standard Time.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that you may also register with the Village Clerk up to and including March 2, 1940.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that candidates for the following offices will be elected at said Election:

> Village President Three Village Commissioners

> > PHILIP F. ALLARD,

Village Clerk

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Village Administration Not Responsible For December Taxes

Confusion has arisen in the minds of many of the residents of Grosse Points at her home the pages of the Louisa Park as to the duties and functions of the various municipal governmental units. The constitution of the State of Michigan provides for various governmental functions to be exercised by specific municipal entities. Under our ered table. A floating arrangement of system of government, the following are the various governmental agencies crystal bowl will form the centerpiece, administering the affairs of the people being flanked on either side with of this state:

I-State of Michigan

The State of Michigan, through its various legislative, judicial and executive officers, boards, commissions, etc. administers matters which are purely state functions. The state government is financed by various taxes, such as sales tax, corporate franchise tax, inheritance tax, gasoline and weight tax, etc. Since 1933 no tax has been levied by the state against real estate. 11-Wayne County

The state, under the constitution, is divided into counties, one of which is Wayne County. The county administers county affairs, such as the various courts, the sheriff's department, county jail, homes for the poor and insane, activities planned for the day. They county roads and various other county dreve out to Vacation Farm near Holly,

In addition to certain fees, revenues and other income, the county is financed by a property tax which is determined by the County Board of Supervisors, and which is levied and collected as a part of the December tax. The determination of the county tax is solely within the power of the county board of supervisors.

III-School District

The administration of schools is handled by school districts which are organized under statutory provisions. Our school district embraces the Villages of Grosse Pointe Woods, Grosse Pointe Farms, Grosse Pointe Shores, Grosse Pointe Park and City of Grosse Pointe, and part of Gratiot Township. The affairs of the school district are adminstered by a board of education. selected by the electors of the entire school district. All school affairs are under the direct supervision of the board of education of the school dis-

The echool district is financed by various revenues, and primary school funds from the state and a tax levied on property in the school district, which property tax is determined by the board of education and is certified for collection to the Township of Grosse Painte, Gratiot Township and the City of Grosse Pointe and is collected as a part of the December tax.

The board of education has the sole power to determine the amount of money to be raised by tax within constitutional limitations, and is not subject to the control of township or Vil-

lage officials. IV-Township of Grosse Points The Township of Grosse Pointe embraces all-of the Villages of Grosse Pointe Woods, Grosse Pointe Farms, Grosse Pointe Shores and Grosse ing group meets in the recreation room Pointe Park. The township operates at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mc- rate would be decreased. Today we have the public health department, police ra- Tavish at 1426 Hampton Road. Devodie, the conduct of all state, county and tional service and program on the first are higher than ever. There must be

matters purely township in character. The township supervisor prepares the December tax roll, based upon taxes di- of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth W. Smith, rected to be levied for the county, the school district as well as the township. But the township cannot control the tax to be levied for either the county or the school district.

titute of the township and all other

Prior to 1929 the offices of Grosse Pointe Township were situated on Maumee avenue near Roosevelt avenue in the City of Grosse Pointe. This location was inaccessible to the great majority of Grosse Pointe residents, so in 1929 the township offices were moved Building, in the quarters on the sec-Grosse Pointe Fire Department. For Pointe pays rental to Grosse Pointe church home. Park. The location was handy to the great majority of Grosse Pointe residents who depended upon public transportation system for conveyance. Although the offices of the township are in the same building as that the Vil lage offices, the Village and its officials have no authority over the conduct of township affairs, any more than such officials control the state, county or school activities. The Village officials by an augmented choir under the dirhave no voice in determining the ection of Dr. R. S. Brain. Everyone is levy and collection.

V-Village of Grosse Points Park The functions of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park embrace the oper- 9:45 a. m. and the young peoples oration of the police department, fire department, highway department, garbage and refuse collection, recreation park street lights, water department, public sewer and all other purely Village func- S. Nobles of the Temple Church, Windtions.

The Village is financed by a tax levied and collected in July. This tax is determined by the Village commission and is the only tax over which the Village officials have control.

Always bear in mind the distinction between the Village and the other mu- pastor will preach and the combined nicipal entities which function in our community. Don't let anyone try to confuse you on the point of taxes. Your Village officers were not responsible to learn how biblical truths apply to us for the December tax increases!

Louisa St. Clair Chapter D. A. R.

Mrs. Robert Bruce Rutherford of St. Clair Chapter, D. A. R., at a membership tea next Thursday, March 7, from 3 to 5 p. m.

A patriotic color scheme of red, white and blue will be used on the lace covred, white and blue carnations in a

matching tapers and crystal candelabra. the silver tea service and will be assisted by Miss Olga Erickson.

Among the guests will be Mrs. William Bruce Gregory, Mrs. Wright Bellinger, Miss Joanne Harris, Mrs. Ford Spikerman, Miss Anita Chandler, Miss Marion Brooke, Miss Betty Owen, Mrs. William Kruger, Mrs. Harold I. Tanner and Mrs. John Purcell.

Hikers Enjoy Rainy Walk

Last Sunday's rain did not keep the hikers of Unit 19 from enjoying the where Units 15 and 19 were the guests of Unit 2. About twenty members from all units went on a short hike while others stayed at the farm where they played games and sang. Following a delicious farm dinner the hikers drove to, a nearby hall where they held a dance. Virginia reels and circular foxtrots were called by one of the local residents.

Next Sunday- Unit, 19 will meet at Seven Mile Road and Mack at 1:30 p. m. From there they-will drive out Dequindre Road about I mile beyond Auburn Road to Spring VValley Tavern. Here they will park their cars and hike in the vicinity of the tavern. The hike will be followed by dinner and dancing at the tavern. Everyone 18 years of age and over is welcome to hike with this Unit.

Grosse Pointe Woods Presbyterian Church

Sunday, March 10, 9:30 a. m. Rev. O. W. Burdette Olson will preach the third of a series of five sermons on Outstanding Personalities of the Holy Week." The figure to be considered this week is Mary, Mother of Our Lord. Church school for all groups as usual. Monday, weekly, 7:30 p., m. The communicants', class for elder people preparing for church membership meets

at 1608 Roslyn Road. Tuesday, weekly, 4:40 p. m .- Junior choir practice in the auditorium of Mason School. Girls, and, boys, 7 to 14 years of age invited.

Tuesday, weekly, 7:30 p. m.-Men's Ding pong league. All men in the community invited. For particulars call Niagara 9519.

Wednesday, weekly, 12 p. m.—Sew national elections, the welfare and des- Wednesday of each month. Women of the community invited.

Wednesday, weekly, 5 p. m.-Intermediate girls' choir meets at the home 1922 Beaufait Drive. All girls invited. Wednesday, weekly, 8 p. m.-Senior

choir practice in the women's parlor at The Grosse Pointe Memorial Church Saturday, weekly, 10 a. m.—The communicants' class for the younger young people preparing for church membership meets at 1608 Roslyn Road.

On Sunday, March 31, Dr. Arabella S. Gault, Cheeloo University, Tsinan

China, will be the guest speaker. Services are held regularly in the atto the Grosse Pointe Park Municipal tractively arranged auditorium of Mason School on Vernier Road. Individuond floor previously vacated by the als not worshipping regularly elsewhere are cordially invited to make the Grosse these quarters, the Township of Grosse Pointe Presbyterian Church their

"Come Ye Apart and Rest Awhile."

Jefferson Avenue **Baptist Church**

"The Seven Last Words of Christ," the lenten cantata by Dubois will be presented this Sunday evening, 7:30 at the Jefferson Avenue Baptist Church amount of the December tax, or its cordially invited. At 11:00 a. m. the Reverend Wayland Zwayer, minister, will preach on "The Management of Life." The Church School meets at ganizations at 6.30 p. m. It has been announced that the Good Friday preacher at the Jefferson Avenue Baptist Church will be the Reverend Harry sor. Ontario.

> E. Jefferson and Philip Aves. Roy D. Linhart, Pastor; Wm. G. Wacke, Assistant.

Sunday, 10:45 a. m.-Inspirational Divine Worship Service, at which the choirs will sing.

9:15 a. m.-Bible study classes, in which everyone is given an opportunit as individuals today.

5:00 p. m .- Another lecture in the series on the Catechism, to be given by the pastor.

6:00 p. m - Junior Mission League luncheon, at which the Rev. O. Grote-19200 Rutherford avenue is entertaining fend will be the speaker. All young people between the ages of 13 and 17 are welcome to attend.

Monday, 7:00 p. m .- Teacher's meet-

8:00 p. m.-The final lecture of the series 'The Way of Salvation as Taught by the Lutheran Church," to be given by the pastor.

Wednesday, 8:00 p. m .- Lenten Service. The sermon will be the last in the series, "The Old Rugged Cross," and Mrs. Ellsworth Kramer will pour at I the theme will be "Is It Your Glory?" Beautiful organ and choir music will also be a part of this service.

Friday, 7:00 p. m .- Boy Scout meet-

We invite you to worship at Faith Lutheran Church. We preach the Old Gospel for modern times.

Economy Committee (Continued from ?age One)

a 'sticker' candidate, and hundreds of workers have gathered to carry the message of the Economy Committee to every voter in the village."

Mr. Goddard said that his attention had been called to a large advertisement carried in the Grosse Pointe Review. and to a circular letter, both of which carried the endorsement of the Civic Committee.

"The advertisement stated '8 Reasons Why You Should Keep Your Present Administration,' but so far as I could see, the reasons stated were eight reasons why the present administration should be indicted for mismanagement and incompetence in municipal affairs. I would label the advertisement: '8 Reasons for the Perpetuation of Wretched Village Government!

Mr. Goddard declared that the shortcomings of the present administration are well summarized in the recent bulletin of the Economy Committee.

"An indictment of the present village administration should recite the following," he said:

"I. Village taxes have been raised by the present administration, and in addition to this increase in taxes, the village officials have borrowed \$182,-197.61 from the sinking fund of the village to pay operating expenses. This deficit will have to be met, yet most of the \$180,250.52 set up as delinquent taxes to meet this deficit will probably never be collected since most of the property has been put up at the scav-

enger sale. "The claim that the present administration has lived within its budget is and die political gesture. What the voters quarrel with is the size of the budget. The budget can be cut, and taxes can be saved by efficient municipal operation. Salaries need not be cut, nor vital services impaired.

"2." Our present administration has gradually increased taxes. Every old resident of Grosse Pointe Park remembers the old tax rate, and how our present officers used to justify high taxes by saying that Grosse Pointe Park was sparsely settled-that as soon as more houses were built, the tax built up the bare spots, but the taxes

quirk in their figuring. Mr. Goddard said that village employees should feel assured that no disciplinary tactics were planned against them by candidates sponsored by the Economy Committee, upon tak-

ing office. "We realize," he said, "that the vilage employees who have been urged to work against us have agreed to do so under a misapprehension created purposely by President Garska and his machine.' We are not out to 'get' any Village employee but there is no place in a Village Government for people who have selfishly opposed the kind of municipal government which the residents of the Park demand. The Economy Committee Candidates are not politicians. But we do intend to sacrifice our time and business sufficiently to put the Village on a sound financial basis, and to organize an efficient and economical municipal government

Riviera's King Carnival February on the Riviera means Carnival, when masked processions, battles of flowers, and fireworks are held daily until March, when King Carnival is burned

Electric Hotbeds Electrically heated hotheds are used for growing farm and garden plants for transplanting.

Earth's Ups and Downs There's a difference of 12 miles between the highest mountain and the greatest known depth of the sea.

Drop in Accidental Deaths Last year's drop in accidental deaths in the U.S. was the greatest ever recorded in a single year, a reduction of 11,000.

Football at Oklahoma Football supports all other athletics at the Unit safety of Oklahoma.

Make Your Party Complete CALL NI. 9300

Garska Indicted By Grand Jury

"McCrea, Wilcox, Garska and the other public officials were accused of permitting gambling in all of its forms. "The warrant charges bribery of these public officials by racketeers." It also charges the public officials and racketeers were all in a conspiracy together to operate these various illegal enterprises."—DETROIT NEWS, March 5.

VOTE FOR THESE **ECONOMY CANDIDATES**

Who Stand for Clean, Economical Government in the Park



KARL B. GODDARD

Successful Detroit attorney, who has lived in Grosse Points Park for the past 14 years, has been drafted by the Economy Committee to run for Village President since the withdrawal of Mr. John W. Chandler.

Mr. Goddard lives at 1260 Yorkshire road, is married and has always taken a keen interest in public affairs. He is a graduate of the Law Department of n graduate of the Law Department of the University of Michigan, 1916, LL.B. Admitted to practice in the state of Hinois and Michigan. Is a member of the American Bar, the State her of Michigan, and the Detroit Bar Association. In addition to his professional duties he has gained prominence as an executive of unusual ability as Vices-President and Secretary of the Universal Products Company and as a director of the Eureka Vacuum Cleaner Company.

KARL B. GODDARD

Sticker Candidate for

LAGE PRESIDEN

The confusion caused by the challenge of John W. Chandler's quaftications is over. . . . Mr. Chandler has withdrawn-out of fairness to the people of Grosse Points. Mr. Chandler is asking the residents not to vote for him but for Mr. Goddard. You may rest assured that when you have elected-Karl B. Goddard you will have a Village President who will serve you well. The people of the Grosse Pointe Park will not be chested out of their victory.-It is plain to everyone-that this is the time for a change.

How to Vote Your "Sticker Vote"

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Detach one sticker, and fasten securely to the ballot in the space provided for it, beneath the last name of the candidate for president, and at NO OTHER PLACE

2. Be SURE to mink X latter ... in front of Mr. Goddaid's name.

YOUR BALLOT WILL NOT BE COUNTED

IF you do not mark a cross in the square before Mr. Goddard's name or IF the sticker comes off. FASTEN THE STICKER SECURELY.

CANDIDATES COMMISSIONER



HOMER C. RITSCH executive of unusual ability. Assistant to the President of Parke Davis and Lives at 742 Berkshire Road.



THOMAS T. PETZOLD



WARD S. **VAN DEUSEN** hter, who lives at 1147 Yorkshire Road, completed term as President of Detroit Estate Board.

ECONOMY COMMITTEE

For Good Government in Grosse Pointe Park

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Village Election, Monday, March 11th, 1940

Notice of Registration

Grosse Pointe Township

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS. TOWNSHIP OF GROSSE POINTE. WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Annual Election of Township Officers shall be held in the Township of Grosse Pointe on

Monday, April lst, 1940

and that if you have not already registered, you may do so by appearing before the Township Clerk in his office in the Municipal Building in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park, Wayne County, Michigan, on any day up to and including the second Saturday preceding said Annual Election.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Township Clerk will be in his office in the Municipal Building in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park, Wayne County, Michigan, on the twentieth (20th) day preceding said election between the hours of 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 8:00 o'clock in the evening, Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of accepting registrations.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that registration may also be made with the respective Village Clerks of the Villages of Grosse Pointe Park, Grosse Pointe Shores, Grosse Pointe Farms and Grosse Pointe Woods on any day up to and including the twentieth (20th) day preceding such election.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the polling places for said election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock in the forencon to 8:00 o'clock in the evening, Eastern Standard Time, and shall be

VOTING PRECINCT No. 1-South and of the Robert Trombley School VOTING PRECINCT No. 2-North end of the Robert Trombley School. VOTING PRECINCT No. 3—The South side of Jefferson Avenue between Balfour Road and Westchester Road. VOTING PRECINCT No. 4—The Southwest corner of Jefferson Avenue and Park Lane. VOTING PRECINCT No. 5—Municipal Building, Jefferson and Maryland Avenues. VOTING PRECINCT No. 6-Somerset Road and St. Paul Avenue. VOTING PRECINCT No. 7—South side of St. Paul Avenue between Three Mile Drive and Audubon Avenue. VOTING PRECINCT No. 8-Kercheval Avenue and Bishop Avenue. VOTING PRECINCT No. 9-The East end of the Defer School. VOTING PRECINCT No. 18-Pierce School. VOTING PRECINCT No. 11-The West end of the Defer School . VOTING PRECINCT No. 12-Charlevoix Avenue between Maryland Avenue and Lakepointe Avenue. VOTING PRECINCT No. 13-Charlevoix Avenue between Lakepointe Avenue and Beaconsfield Avenue. VOTING PRECINCT No. 14—South Side of Mack Avenue between Buckingham Road and Berkshire Road. VOTING PRECINCT No. 15-The Southeast corner of Whittier Road and Mack Avenue. VOTING PRECINCT No. 16-Tim East and of the Gabriel Richard School. VOTING PRECINCT No. 17-Kercheval Avenue between Moran Road and Merriweather Avenue. VOTING PRECINCT No. 18-Grosse Points Farms Municipal Building. VOTING PRECINCT No. 19-The West end of the Gabriel Richard School. VOTING PRECINCT No. 28-Kerby Road West of Besupre Road. VOTING PRECINCT No. 21-Mack Avenue at Moran Road. VOTING PRECINCT No. 22-The Mason School VOTING PRECINCT No. 23-Grosse Points Woods Municipal Building.

VOTING PRECINCT No. 24-Grosse Pointe Shores Municipal Building. YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that at such election candidates will be elected for the following Township Offices, to-wit:

> Township Supervisor Township Clerk Township Treasurer Four (4) Constables Justice of the Peace (full) Justice of the Peace (to fill vacancy) Commissioner of Highways Member of Board of Review

CARL SCHWEIKART

Township Clerk, Grosse Pointe Township. Wayne County, Michigan.

Citizens' Association Explains 'Manager Plan'

(This is a continuation of the article started in the Grosse Pointe Review last week.)

"A capable, experienced full time Village manager having but one interest in mind and devoting his full efforts to his single job, would, as has been done in neighboring examples, alleviate this wasted effort, bungling and costly procedure.

"Residents of Grosse Pointe Park must by now be aware of the fact that Village finances are in anything but a satisfactory state. We are bonded dangerously close to the statutory limit; some \$182,000.00 of sinking funds that should have been set aside for paying off of indebtedness has been transferred to the general fund and expended for general administration; many thousands of dollars of the securities held in the sinking fund are obligations of small municipalities and tax districts where are in default and are worth only a fraction of their face value or the value at which they appear on the Village books, and we now stand to lose at least a substantial portion of some \$180,000.00 in back taxes through the State tax sales. Yet it is being contended that the budgets of the present administration are in balance and that 'your present officers have conducted all the affairs of Village administration within \$2,000.00 of

"In the first place, staying within a municipal budget is hardly a difficult task. One has only to set the budget high enough and even the most extravagant officers could accomplish the fact. Next, increase the assessed valuations, raise the tax rate, shift funds from one account to another at will and collect the taxes and presto-the budget is in theoretical balance. Any taxpayer knows the ultimate answer to this story. It can mean but one of two things, either radically reduced services or further increases in assessed valuations and tax rates. And in the end as even now, higher rents for tenants or vacant rental properties; lower property values for owners because of forced sales and migration of residents to lower tax areas, and less new building since lower tax rates exist in near-

"It is a noteworthy fact that the present annual budget was adopted by the Village commission, as submitted by the individual commissioners for their respective departments, at a single meeting without review or study by the commission as a whole. Such a system of procedure and action obviously points to the sky as the limit. Such methods can only be corrected by a change from such a system to a plan more soundly conceived and more ably executed such as the Village manager

"In 1939 32.7 cents of each Village tax dollar was expended for debt service. That is, 221/2 cents for interest and 10.2 cents, at least in theory, for the retirement of proior indebtedness through sinking fund or otherwise. Of course, if one owes money, one must pay interest and also make some move toward payment of the principal. The rub is, however, the size of the debt and the rate of interest that we must pay. It is freely admitted by municits, that if our Village finances were in a more satisfactory condition that we could have sold the recent issues of sewer bonds on a onethird lower interest rate. This savings alone would amount to approximately \$8,500.00 per year. If the lower interest rate could be applied to the entire debt, it would mean a savings of approximately \$38,000.00 or 71/2 cents out of each tax dollar, or a tax bill of \$92.50 instead of \$100.00 for the average taxpayer.

"The City of Alpena, Mich., a Manager Plan City, with a population approximating our own, sold bonds bearing interest at an average of 234 per cent or 35 per cent lower than our 356 per cent, while New Rochelle, N. Y., population about 54,000, another manageer plan city, has an issue outstanding at 2 per cent interest or 45 per cent lower interest than our Village is obliged to pay. Kalamazoo, Mich., under the manager plan, has paid off its entire indebtedness and is now on a complete pay-as-you-go basis. If this situation existed in Grosse Pointe Park the average tax bill for 1939 would have been \$32.70 less for each \$100.00 of laxes assessed. Under a village manager our Village can do it because i is being done under municipal conditions where welfare costs have, in recent years, been a greater factor than is true here.

"Finally, what will a village manager cost in the way of salary? This question naturally cannot be answered specifically. An opponent of the village manager plan has, however, cited that the manager of Royal Oak receives \$4,675.00 annually. Royal Oak has a population of about 23,000. On the basis of population comparison our Village should be obliged to pay only \$3,100.00. Investigation shows, however, that for the average well managed city of comparable size salaries range from \$4,000 to \$5,000, apparently based somewhat on living costs in the area. Approximately the probably salary can be saved by the adoption of the charter amendment providing for annual savings of \$4,320.00 in present president and commissioner salaries."

NOTICE OF Annual Election

Grosse Pointe Park, Mich.

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE VILLAGE OF GROSSE POINTE PARK:

You are hereby notified that the Annual Election of Officers, in accordance with the Village Charter, will be held in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park on

Monday, March 11, 1940

and that the polls for said election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon to 8:00 o'clock in the evening, Eastern Standard Time.

You are further notified that the following officers will be elected at said Election, to-wit:

3 Village Commissioners for two-year term 1 Village President for two-year term

Petition for Amendments to the Charter of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park

To the Village Clerk of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park:

1. That Section 2 of Chapter 5 of the Charter of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park be sended to read as follows:

"Compensation: The Village President elected at the annual election for 1942, and every Village President thereafter elected, shall receive as compensation the sum of \$1.00 per year, payable annually."

2. That Section 2 of Chapter 7 of the Charter of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park be amended to read as follows:

"Compensation: The members of the Village Commission elected at the annual election for 1941 and every member the reafter elected, shall receive as compensation the sum of \$1.00 per year for each year, payable annually."

3. That Section 32 of Chapter 24 of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park be amended to read as follows:

"Compensation—How Payable: The compensation of all officials, whether elected or appointed, except as otherwise in this Charter provided, shall be payable monthly as shall be determined by the Village Commission."

4. That Chapter 11 of the Charter of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park be amended by the addition thereto of Section 5, to read as follows:

"Compensation: The Village Manager shall receive such compensation as the Village Commission shall determine."

5. That the amendments to the Village Charter, as herein proposed, be submitted to the electors of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park at the annual election to be held on the 11th day of March, 1946.

6. That the proposed amendments be suk nitted to the electors of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park in the above mentioned election in the following form:

"Do you favor amending the Charter of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park to provide that the compensation of the Village President, elected at the annual election for 1942, and each Village President thereafter elected, and of all members of the Village Commission elected at the annual election for 1941 and all members of the Village Commission thereafter elected, shall be \$1.00 per year, payable annually, and that the Village Commission shall have power to determine the compensation of a Village Manager?"

Yes	
No	一

You are further notified that the polling places for said Election shall be the following places:

The Votins Booth in the Municipal Building situated on Jefferson Avenue between Maryland Avenue and Lakepointe Avenue in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park for Voting Precinct No. 1 which shall embrace all territory South of the center line of Kercheval Avenue for its entire length in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park.

The Voting Booth in the George Defer School situated on Kercheval Avenue between Nottingham Road and Balfour Road in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park for Voting Precinct No. 2, which shall embrace all territory North of the center line of Kercheval Avenue for its entire length in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park.

You are further notified that if you have not already registered, you may do by appearing before the Board of Registration which will be in session on Saturday, February 17th, 1940, and Saturday, February 24th, 1940, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock in the forenoon and 8:00 in the evening, Eastern Standard Time, at the respective Voting Precincts, to-wit:

Voting Precinct No. 1, embracing all territory South of the center line of Kercheval Avenue for its entire length in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park, at the Municipal Building, situated on Jefferson Avenue between Maryland Avenue and Lakepoints Avenue in the Village of Grosse Points

Voting Precinct No. 2, embracing all territory North of the center line of Kercheval Avenue for its entire length in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park, at the George Defer School, situated on Kercheval Avenue between Nottingham Road and Balfour Road in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park.

William G. Stamman,

Village Clerk

Public Letter B-0-X

So Now We Live In a Cabbage Patch

As we all well know, most election campaigns have contained some wellknown mud slinging and personal calumny but it certainly takes a woman to cast aspersions on a whole community. We refer to a recent statement On Tax Re-assessment made by the wife of a leading member of the Citizens Association of Grosse Pointe Park during a whispering camrid of the cabbage patch west of Som-

Now, ain't that somethin'? Imagine the surprise of a large proportion of an interview. the residents of Grosse Pointe Park when they suddenly wake up to the fact that they no longer live in a beautiful, homey, comfortable community but in a "cabbage patch." That expression is a distinct slur and a definite slap at many of our oldest citizens who settled our Village 25 years ago and now have to stand for such slanderous remarks from a woman who has only lived in Grosse Pointe Park eight years. 'Tain't right!

It might have been right-yet we wouldn't condone it-had this charming (?) woman taken a crack at some of the candidates we're used to that from the men in the Citizens' Associationbut we don't feel that the residents of Grosse Pointe Park should take that "cabbage patch" remark sitting down. While they might not own large, palatial "palaces" they are certainly fine, honorable, God-fearing, upstanding citizens and a credit to any community, particularly Grosse Pointe Park.

Grosse Pointe Park. However, this "cabbage patch" slur of the above-mentioned "charming tually measured by persons trained in lady (?)" is so typical of the Citizens' tax assessing, and the value was esti-Association campaign of misrepresentation and untruth-of bad advice and valuations were made according to a lack of knowledge-that we should per- uniform plan that had been carefully haps forget the whole incident, because if the husbands don't know any better, how can we expect the wives to curb their tongues? But those residents who do not choose to take that dirty dig lying down and certainly repay it in

Marden Answers Critics

full on election day, March 11.

March4, 1940 To the taxpayers of the Village of Grosse Pointe Park:-

For the past year and with increasing intensity during the last few months, misleading reports have been circulated through various sources concerning the engineering costs on the Storm Water Relief Sewer System now in the process of completion in the Village of Grosse Pointe Park. As your Village Engineer, I feel it my duty to you, to the present Village Administration, and to my many friends throughout the Park, to present a clear statement of facts regarding the much discussed 5% fee that I am receiving for engineering expenses on this project.

I have been employed by the Village of Grosse Pointe Park for some twenty odd years as Village Engineer and General Maintenance Superintendent sidererably below the actual cost of for which I have received a monthly the house-even of a new house-besalary. In 1938 it became necessary to cause the assessors did not consider construct a storm water relief sewer architects' fees, builders' fees, contracsystem. I entered into a contract with tors' profits, financing costs and other the Village Commissioners to do the necessary engineering work in connection with the proposed project on a commission basis of 5% of the construction cost.

At the start of this project my salary as General Maintenance Superintendent was discontinued by the Village Commissioners although I still have been reduced. carry on all the duties for which I was paid said salary.

Following I am submitting an itemized statement of expenditures incurred by me on this project as of March 1,

Total amount received from the Village as of March 1, 1940, \$42,087.23. (5% of construction cost as per contract.) Pierce Comedy Itemized account of expenses (June

1. 1938 to March 1, 1940.). Employee's salaries (7 men employed includes no salary for myself) \$13,629.57. Test borings (tests necessary to determine nature of ground prior to ad-

vertising for bids) \$700.00. Laboratory work (testing materials

etc.) \$1,246.10. Travel expense (necessary trips to P. W. A. Central Office in Chicago and also includes expense of auto used

by field crews) \$2,448.15 Printing costs (plans and specifica-

tions) \$1.074.00. Office supplies (misc. printing, draft-

ing and survey supplies) \$413.86. Consultants fees (Design fees and general consulting services) \$8,691.40. General Acc't. (Social Security Taxes Mrs. Farnham and misc. expense) \$654.97. Total,

My salary as Maintenance Supt. for the same period would have been \$9,625.00.

Amount received over and above sal-

Note: The government paid 45% of Nora Malone...... this fee with a resultant saving to the Tim McGill..........Kenneth Cunningham

The usual engineering cost of pro- Scoutmaster, Chet Sampson.

*] jects of this nature vary from 5 to 71/2%. The federal government has allowed as high as 7% for engineering ing into consideration the above facts work on similar P. W. A. projects. Takand figures, it is apparent that the Village Commissioners did not make an unwise or costly contract for the engineering on the Storm Water Relief Sewer Project for the Village of Grosse Pointe Park.

> Respectfully yours, Village Engr.

A. E. Champney Reports

The recent re-assessment of all property in Grosse Pointe Township was paign bridge party, that "we must get part of a county-wide project undertaken by the Wayne County Board of Tax Allocation, Albert E. Champney, director of the board, said this week in

> The propect was designed to make the basis for taxation in Wayne County uniform throughout every township. Fifteen of the 18 townships in the county have been completed and reassessment work is under way in the re maining three townships at the present time, Champney said.

Villages within the township are not compelled to accept this re-assessment as a basis for their taxation purposes. The Village officials, who had no part in the re-assessment project, may accept the re-assessment, or may not as they see fit. Incorporated cities within the township must, however, under the statute, accept the new assessment for their tax rolls.

The work of re-assessing every home and piece of vacant property in Grosse Pointe Township last year took a staff of 12 men approximately nine months. It was completed last fall. Salaries of these men were paid by Wayne County. God-fearing, upstanding citizens and a not by the township, Champney concredit to any community, particularly tinued. Some of the work was done as a WPA project.

Every house in the township was acmated uniformly for all houses. The worked out by Champney and his staff.

Valuations were based on the present day cost of construction of the house, less depreciation, Champney said.

"We figured present building costs accurately, from all statistics available to us," Champney said. "We computed depreciation according to a uniform scale. We plan to make annual changes in these assessments, depending on whether building costs go up or down. Depreciation will, of course, be considered at all times.

"We found many inequalities in the assessments of certain houses in Grosse Pointe Township. It is our belief that these inequalities have been erased, and that every house in the township now is assessed correctly, on a uniform

Before the county-wide project was undertaken it was explained to a meeting of all the township supervisors, who approved it. When the assessment was completed in each township it was submitted to the supervisor of that township, who had to approve or disapprove oi every single assessment before i could be placed on the tax roll, Champney continued.

The new assessments usually are con-

more or less intangible items, he said. The re-assessment should not be blamed, Champney said, for an increase in the total amount of taxes collected in the township. Certain individual increases may be attributed to the re-assessment, but there are other cases in which the individual assessment may

If the amount collected for township taxes has increased, it is because more money was needed to operate the schools, the county government or the township government, Champney said, not because the property has been re-

Postponed One Week

Due to the illness of several members of the cast, the comedy, "Here Comes Charlie," has been postponed until next week. The matinee will be held in the Pierce Auditorium on Thursday afternoon, March 7, at 4 o'clock. The evening performance will be held on Saturday evening, March 9, at 8:15. Rehearsals have been held regularly

for three weeks and all indications point toward a very entertaining performance. The play is being produced by Boy Scout Troop 39, and all roles are being taken by boys.

The cast is as follows: Larry ElliotJack Waugaman ...Peter Baker Charlie Hopps... John Hanley Alex Twiggs. Bill DeLand Ted Hartley. .. Charles Fossati Mrs. Smythe Kersey.....Larry King Vivian Symthe Kersey......Donald Droll Mortimer Smythe Kersey.

...Henry Wilsonames Marshall The plan is under the direction

Why Change our present FORM OF GOVERNMENT?

It's Operated Economically And Efficiently

With all the hullabaloo and noise being raised in Grosse Pointe Park about our Village Administration, your Civic Committee has been unable to substantiate any of the charges lodged against the present incumbent officers. Of course, if only half the truth is told, a great number of citizens perhaps may be unduly influenced. But we can't find anything wrong with our present administration and can see no reason to change. And here's why:

We have no complaint with the candidates of the Citizens' Association as sentlemen but we do object to their lack of experience. Why even their advisers are so ignorant of State Election Laws that these candidates have laid themselves wide open to possible prosecution and disqualification to hold office. This lack of experience would be a distinct hindrance to economic government rather than a sand five departments has been applied and subtice the control of the sumicipal affairs of your Village. They've given you the finest police and fire departments, health and public works departments in the Grosse Pointe area.

Don't believe for a minute that your Village officers had anything to do with your December taxes. THE ONLY TAX OVER WHICH THE VILLAGE OFFICIALS HAVE ANY CONTROL IS THE JULY TAX, LEVIED TO FINANCE THE VILLAGE OF GROSSE POINTE PARK. Your school tax is determined by your Board of Education, while your Township Tax is prepared by the Township Board. Just because your July tax and December tax is paid in our Municipal Building is no reason to believe the Village officers are responsible for both. They are separate and distinct. And there will be no increase in your 1949 Village tax.

We claim the Sinking Fund for our Bonds is adequate and has been handled intelligently, else why would all our Bonds be selling way above par? Furthermore, the net dept ratio of our Village is only 8% of the valuation while the statute limitation allows 16%. In addition, the per capita debt of our Village is about \$166 per capita and our governmental cost is about \$35 per capita and these figures are the lowest in the Grosse Pointe area. Incidentally, out of over \$800,000 in the Sinking Fund, only \$5,000 worth of bonds are in default.

The Citizens Association wants a City Manager form of government. Most emphatically do we argo you all to vote—NO—on this measure. In the first place, it would not take effect until 1941 and no possible so-called saving could be effected until then. In the second place, your whole governmental setup would be disturbed and we personally can see absolutely nothing wrong with our present setup. In the third place, the Wayne County Prosecutor has just ruled that these Economy Draftees cannot legally waive their salary,

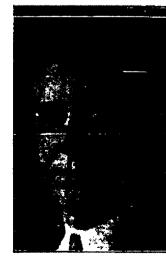
What about our present administration? In our opinion, and in the opinion of several other "old timers," your present administration and officers are plenty all right. Do you realize that they are responsible for setting you a public library—the first in Grosse Points Township—that they furnished the quarters, heat and light free so that you could enjoy good books at no cost whatsoever? Do you want to the finest work in the Grosse Points area. That this next want to be supplied to the second se Township—that they rurnished the quarters, near and ught tree so that you could enjoy good books at no cost whatsoever? Do you realize that they are responsible for giving you the finest park in the Grosse Pointe area—that this park was acquired and developed under their supervision? Do you realize that they saved you nearly \$800,000 by contracting with the City of Detroit to build the outlet for our storm sewer? The benefits our present administration have given the Village of Grosse Pointe Park are too numerous to mention.

Don't be influenced by any of the misrepresentations and half truths that are being shouted from the housetops. Make up your own mind and we're sure that the men who have ACTUALLY GIVEN YOU A GOOD, ECONOMICAL ADMINISTRATION are the ones deserving your support - not the ones who are making MERELY CAMPAIGN PROMISES.

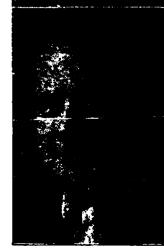
> Grosse Pointe Park Civic Committee "In the interest of better government"

To Insure The Same High Standard Of Government In Grosse Pointe Park

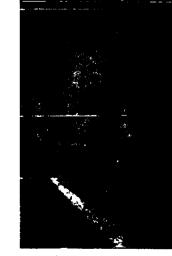
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Kate Sorter is giving a luncheon at 3988 Lemay Monday, March 11, at 1 Eastminister p. m. at which time President Elva Nielsen will initiate Kate's mother, Mrs. Carrie Finn, who, by the way, is our oldest member and unable to attend meetings. Girls, let's have a good turn

One of our newest members, Grace Smith, has been quite sick but is on the road to recovery and again able to go out to Deaborn Veterans' Faculty Hospital and hold Bill's hand. (How about it. Bill?)

We are indeed pleased to have David Sorter's sister, Mrs. Martin, and Kate's daughter, Phylis Wiggert, sign up with us at the last meeting. This makes us 40 members. Let's make it at least 50 by June 1.

We also miss our other two members, Lida Elerick and Irene Sims, who are unable to attend on account of working. Hope you will be able to kets and a charity toss. Bob Koebel, make a meeting some of these days.

No fooling this time, we have purchased a metal cabinet for our colors. Thanks to Comrades Endres and Nielsen for the shelf lock and name painted on the door. Please remember the post dance March 16, at Eastwood

Very sorry to hear that our American Chairman Ruth Cross has been ill with a cold. Hope you are better now.

Neighborhood Club

0 1,000 Comets Saints Indiana Fifteen Club Essex . Rangers Arrows

Eastminister went on another scoring spree last Thursday evening when they completely swamped an inexperienced Ranger outfit 60-21. Led by the "little but mighty" Elmer Schram the league leaders seemed to score at will and took a 30 to 10 lead at the intermission. Schram broke all "club" records when he connected for 13 hoops and a foul toss for 27 points.

Fighting hard for a playoff berth the Saints A. C. captured a well-earned 21-23 victory from the Fifteen Clum. Tom Myers, rangy center of the Saints, was the menace to the "15" Club cagers as he gathered in 15 points on seven basformer Calvin College star, was high manefor the losers with four two-pointers and a foul of nine.

The most thrilling game of the week was played when the Essex A. C. clashed with the second place Comets on Friday evening. The Comets emerged with a two point victory, 47-45. Holding a five point lead with three to entertain the ladies. minutes left to play, the Essex team On February 25 a good number of failed in their attempt to freeze the our members turned out to join with ball. Three quick baskets (two by Bill our post and the American Legion Nutton and one by Lou Durocher) put Post and auxiliary in celebrating the Comets ahead by a point. Jack Washington's birthday. These services Bretz, husky center of the Comets, then were held at the Richard School and made a foul to sew up the game.

The Reds are still leading the Midget discourse on George Washington by eague as the result of their 46-43 Former Governor Brucker. victory over the Yankees. Bill Mes-| Students of the Grosse Pointe High mer, captain and leading scorer of his Schools have been busy working on team again came through with a fine their essays and it will not be long exhibition of shooting and scored 20 now before the selected essays will be points, which aided his mates consid- presented to the judges for decision

The N. C. Stars continued to follow We shall in the very near future pre-

speedy boy club 32-23. Bud Hudson, Church Girl Scout Troop No. 136, their left handed sharp-shooter of the boys' club, was high scorere with 14 points.

Starting the second half of the Intermediate League found the Dukes, Mohawks and Barons all coming through with wins. The Dukes defeated the Jr. Eagles 39-30, with Bommerito getting 23 points. Mohaks conquered the Jr. Lions 48-3, when they held their opponents to three successful toul tosses. The Barons bested the Flashes 33-16 as Grubba was gathering

Theatre party: The usual theatre party will be held on Friday night, March 8 at 7:30. The program includes songs, dances and party games. All children are welcome to attend.

Girls' club: The Gamma Gamma Club is sponsoring a hay ride for all the girls' clubs within the Neighborhood Club on Friday night, March 15. Elizabeth DeWolf, president, is charge of arrangements.

Alger Auxiliary

Lincoln's birthday was commemo rated by the auxiliary presenting to the Martin Luther Church Boys Scout Troop their colors. In appreciation the boys had a very fine program arranged

all attending enjoyed a very inspiring

as to the winners.

the Reds closely when they subdued a sent to the Grosse Pointe Memorial colors.

Coming event-No dinner will be served at the club house during the month of March, but, on Thursday evening, March 14, a card party will be sponsored for the Sons of Veterans drum and bugle corps by the auxiliary, under the leadership of Mesdames Collins and Keller. It will be held at the club, 17145 St. Paul avenue, at 8 o'clock. A nice selection of door prizes, table prizes and "eats" will be the highlights of the evening.

Presbyterian Church

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. "What the Presbyterian Church Believes in Regard to the Church," will be the theme by the pastor, Rev. Carl E. Kircher, D.D., at 11 a. m.

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Village of Grosse Pointe Farms

NOTICE OF

Submission of Special Proposition

TO BE VOTED ON

Monday, March 11th, 1940

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE VILLAGE OF GROSSE POINTE FARMS:

You are hereby notified that by direction of the Village Council, by resolution duly adopted, there will be submitted to vote of the electors of the Village of Grosse Pointe Farms at the annual Village Election to be held March 11th, 1940, a proposition to sell at such times as market conditions shall be deemed advantageous by the Village Council and for such residential and business use as permitted by Village Zoning Ordinance a parcel of land owned by the Village located on the northeasterly side of Kerby Road between Mack Avenue and Webster Avenue (extending northerly) containing approximately ten (10) acres of land and that the form of ballot to be used for the submission of said proposition will be substantially as follows:

OFFICIAL BALLOT ON SALE OF PARCEL OF PROPERTY OWNED BY VILLAGE OF GROSSE POINTE FARMS

Shall the Village sell parcel of land on the northeasterly side of Kerby Road between Mack Avenue and Webster Avenue (extending northerly) containing approximately ten (10) acres and

That part of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Survey and Subdivision of easterly part of Private Claim 404, being Estate of Mrs. Margaret Tucker, deceased, made for Commissioners in Partition of said Estate, January 4, 1881, and recorded in Wayne County Circuit Court Chancery file No. 6386, beginning at the intersection of the northerly line of P. C. 464 with the centerline of Mack Avenue; thence South 60° 60° E., along the northerly line of P. C. 464 which is also the northerly line of Lot 1, 394.29 feet to the easterly line of Webster Avenue if produced northerly; thence along said line South 29° 53′ 45″ W., 528.84 feet to the centerline of Kerby Road (56″ wd); thence along said line which is also the southerly line of Lot 4, North 60° 15″ W., 802.66 feet to the centerline of Mack Avenue; then along said line North 20° 61′ 36″ W., 534.82 feet to the place of beginning. \$34.82 feet to the place of beginning.

the time, price and method, terms and conditions of sale to be determined and fixed by the Village Council by concurring vote of two-thirds of all trustees elect.

No

and that the polls for said election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon to 8:00 in the evening, Eastern Standard Time, at the Village Hall, 60 Kerby Road.

and that there will be only one polling place for said Election which shall be at the Village Municipal Building, 60 Kerby Road.

HARRY A. FURTON,

VILLAGE CLERK.

Notice of ANNUAL ELECTION

To be held in the Village of

Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan

To the Qualified Electors of the Village of Grosse Pointe Farms:

You are hereby notified that the Annual Election for the election of officers in accordance with the Village Charter will be held in the Village of Grosse Pointe Farms on

Monday, March 11th, 1940

and that the polls for said Election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon to 8:00 o'clock in the evening, Eastern Standard Time, at the Village Hall, 60 Kerby Road.

At which Election the following officers are to be chosen, viz:

PRESIDENT

TRUSTEE

TRUSTEES

TREASURER

ASSESSOR

You are further notified that there will be only one polling place for said Annual Election which shall be at the Village Municipal Building, 60 Kerby Road.

> HARRY A. FURTON, Village Clerk **GROSSE POINTE FARMS**

ing business nor a saloon keeper. We

wonder if the building game is a better

ship affairs and School officials to ad-

cided to run for a Township office

where it is necessary to designate your

party. None of his remarks could be

Mr. John Flancher, Candidate for

the office of Trustee, for the Two Year

he had been a resident of Grosse Pointe

Township for 15 years, but a resident of

as his platform "If elected I propose

dently Mr. Flancher is not familiar

Village office are public and are writ-

and the writer is sure that any resident

or tampayer who has been interested

enough in the Village affairs to inquire

with respect to budgets and financial operations have received the informa-

tion which they desired in a courteous

Mr. Raymond Moore, Candidate for

the office of Trustee Two Year Term,

gave his qualifications as being a Certi-

fied Public Accountant and stated that

"The present Administration have been

conscientious but they were last and

failed in the proper presentation to the

Public of the present status of the Vil-

lage." He further stated "I have

anxiously awaited a balance sheet or

a copy of the budget but not one has

been published." It seems strange to

the writer that Mr. Moore who is so

interested in the activities of the Vil-

lage and its economical operation

should wait 8 years before mentioning

the fact that he has not seen a copy of

the budget or a balance sheet, and

since Mr. Moore has been in the busi-

ness of making out governmental peri-

edical analysis of appropriations it

would seem that if he had any interest

in the Village affairs he would have in-

quired for a copy of the balance sheet

or budget sooner than now as he surely

lage are Public. Mr. Moore must have

forgotten, or he did not take the time

to read, the report which was prepared

in 1937 and distributed by personal de-

livery to each house in the Village. No

doubt the residents were pleased to re-

ceive the report which was delivered

to their homes in 1937, but the Council

at various times have questioned the

wisdom of spending the necessary

money to prepare and distribute a re-

port from year to year when any in-

terested person or taxpayer may obtain

copies of any information they desire

Mr. Ben Cole, also a Candidate for

Trustee for the Two Year Term stated

that two members of the Board advised

him that the Village were anticipating

using the Township assessment for

Village purposes. To this date there

has been no plans made to use the

Township assessment, and the taxpay-

ers and residents in the Village may be

sure that such a plan as is now in use

by the Township will not be used until

it is proven that it is equitable to all

The writer wonders if the opposing

candidates to the present incumbents

are running under the endorsement of

the Economy League, if there is such.

or the Property Owners Association, or

whether they are disgrantled individ-

nals who have political aspirations.

taxpayers.

upon request at the Village office.

to know that the records of the Vil-

and efficient manner.

interests of the Village.

of school operations and stated that would have run on should he have de-

an our local community." The question found to have any bearing on the

Farms Candidates

(Continued from Page One) The taxes which are paid in July represent the cost to the individual home owner of services which he received directly from the Village namely, copponent from all that I can learn is a Administration - Police - Fire - High- very high type of gentleman but I do way - Garbage - Rubbish - Sewer -Sewer Pumping-Parks-Pier-Engin- any more than I do." The writer won-

Street Lighting and Maintenance of

of Improvements. Mr. Babcock, Candidate for the office of President, spoke and stated "My not believe he cares for a third term

ders if Mr. Babcock, although he is a he was in the building game. He further candidate for office, realizes that the mentioned that he was not in the bank-Village is operated under a non-partisan form of government and that Mr. Deming, the present incumbent, is a qualification. Mr. Williams seems to successful retired business man and has be under the same illusion as Mr. Babheld the office of President continuouscock, that is, that the increased assessed ly since 1936, and that he has run and valuations and the school taxes could held the office of President because of be avoided if there was a proper Village the many requests of the residents that Council in control of Village affairs. he be induced to continue as such Evidently he has not familiarized him-There is no salary for either the Presiself with the fact that the voters elect dent or any of the Trustees, therefore, Township officials to administer Town-Mr. Deming would have no interest in the office other than to serve the Public minister School affairs. Mr. Williams honestly and efficiently, Mr. Babcock mentioned that Township officials had spoke about the increase in his Townchanged parties in the last two years. ship assessment and the increased cost The writer wonders what party he

something should be done about the

tax situation. He further said "I am

fairly convinced that action should start!

arises why should action start in our

Local Community where taxes have

been reduced and improvements in

stalled without any increase in assessed

valuations. Mr. David Williams, Candidate for the office of Trustee One Year Term, was called upon and stated that his qualifications for the office were that

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State C.A.R. Board

When the continental congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution convenes in Washington April 15 to 19, Park will be well represented. Louisa St. Clair Chapter will send the largest Michigan delegation, which will include Mrs. Henry Bourne Joy, honorary vicepresident general; Mrs. Paul Hale Bruske, Louisa St. Clair regent; Mrs. William F. Streit, treasurer of the National Junior Assembly, and Mrs. Ralph

Delegates and alternates will be Mrs Harold M. Hastings, Mrs. Raymond H. Berry, Mrs. Lloyd L. Hughes, Mrs Louis Gascoigne, Mrs. Stanley Nute, Mrs. Charles B. Warner, Mrs. Edward H. Eichelzer, Mrs. Charles H. Metcalf Mrs. Louis Edgar, Mrs. Denton Johnson, Mrs. Lloyd DeWitt Smith, Mrs. E. H. Lindberg, Mrs. Anna Lloyd Cooley and Mrs. Charles U. Stevens.

Term, was called upon and stated that Also serving on committees will be Mrs. John Jacob Lamb, Mrs. Charles Swales, Mrs. Thomas Day Moule, Mrs. the Village for only 2 years. He gave James E. Morrison, Mrs. Hansel Dwight Wilson, Mrs. Frank L. Scott Jr., Mrs. that this Village print a budget." Evi-Humphreys Springstun and Miss Marion Louise Brooke.

with the fact that the records of the Pages who will serve are Mrs. Ellsworth Kramer, Mrs. Herbert Poehle, ten in the English language, and a tax-Mrs. Fred Lindbloom, Mrs. Douglas R. payer or resident has the right to re-Ginn, Miss Kathleen Morrison and quest any information he desires with Mrs. E. H. Goodman. respect to the operation of the Village.

Also among those planning to attend as daughters are Mrs. Charles Wisner, Mrs. Lyman .P. Johnson and Mrs Louis Flint

For the benefit of their charity proiects, mountain schools and scholarship funds, the Juniors of the Louisa St. Clair Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution will sponsor a St. Patrick's party with a dessert lunch, a fashion clinic and a bridge next Friday afternoon March 15th. It will be staged at Newberry House on Jefferson Avenue and is the Group's only money-raising function of the year.

Mrs. Wayne F. Clock heads the workers and is guiding all plans. Assisting her is Mrs. Hugh L. McComb. who is superintending the decorations. St. Patrick colors, with green and gold. will predominate in the floral schemes and on the bridge tables. Mrs. Hansel Dwight Wilson, Junior President, is also co-chairman for the occasion. Others helping to promote the cause are Mrs. Harold I. Tanner, Mrs. Richard

Wagner, Mrs. Herbert Poeble, Mrs. William F. Streit, Mrs. Humphreys Springstun, Marion Brooke and Kathleen Morrison.

Supervising the luncheon and table arrangements in the dining room is Mrs. Roy De Hart, who will be aided by Mrs. David Sutter and Mrs. C. Clark Ross.

Mrs. Charles Cecil Andrews will begin the afternoon's entertainment with a fashion clinic in which Mary Gray will depict new fashions in color combinations and accessories for a spring wardrobe. Mrs. Leroy Vandeveer is in charge of ticket disposals and with her committee will over-see bridge table arrangements and candy sales. A large cake in the form and color of the American flag will be featured.

Mrs. Vandeveer's guests for the day will include Mrs. Winfield S. Jewell, Ir. Mrs. James 1 liam A. Sispey and Mrs. William Walters.

Mrs. Lloyd L. Huges will have at her table Mrs. Gilbert G. White, Mrs. Graham H. Lindley and Miss Alma L'Hommedieux. In Mrs. Earl Presley's party will be Mrs. Sterling Brown, Mrs. William J. Watkins, Mrs. George Ingram, Mrs. Elmer Texter, Mrs. J. J. Sullivan, Mrs. Herman Cramer, Mrs. Julius Berns, Mrs. Hal Pigott, Mrs. Louis Baze and Mrs. Ben Elias Lyons. Mrs. Paul Hale Bruske will have a

table of guests as will also Mrs. Louis J. Flint, Mrs. Raymond H. Berry, Mrs. Harold M. Hastings, Mrs. Walter Pomercy, Mrs. Lloyd De Witt Smith. Mrs. John M. Phillips and Mrs. Basil L. Connelly.

Among Junior members who have table reservations are Mrs. Mitchell V. Allen, Mrs. Robert B. Rutherford, Mrs. William N. Hawkins, Jr., Mrs. William Bruce Gregory, Mrs. Orrin P. Fox, Mrs. Frederic E.Harley, Mrs. Stuart Nunneley, Mrs. Douglas R. Ginn, Mrs. Warren Talcott, Mrs. Frederick Fiske, and Mrs. Jack Doerr.

Others are Mrs. Percy Kamly, Mrs. Theodore Biackler, Mrs. Ford Spikernan, Mrs. S. Wright Bellinger, Mrs. Wallace Wilson, Mrs. H. B. Hopper, Mrs. Fred Lindbloom and Mrs. Ellsworth Kramer.

Others expected are Mrs. Emmons H. Goddard, Mrs. C. Ronald Davidge, Msr. Robert Murphy, Mrs. Robin Grey Firth, Mrs. Norman P. Sanborn, Mrs. Robert E. Hozena and Mrs. Elliot Davies

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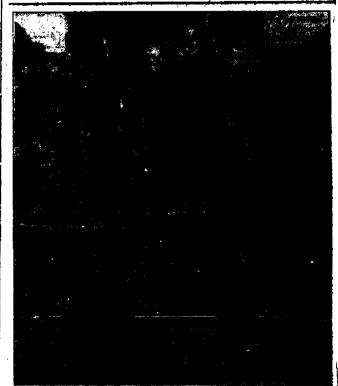
Louisa St. Clair Chapter | Clever Bill at Club Royale

Coleman Clark, world's table tennis Detroit, Grosse Pointe and Highland is fascinating. Unlike the usual tech- as much fun for the onlookers as for ncal demonstrations of star athletes. Clark's running commentary on the play is crammed with wit, and in addition to showing patrons the fine points of the game, he challenges anyone to a seven-point game with him while he sits strapped to a chair. He comes to the Royale straight from an engagement in the famous Cocoanut Grove in Los Angeles.

RKO's singing and dancing stariet, Rita Ochman, with her partner, Eddie Ochman, brings a carload of youthful vigor and enthusiasm to the club. Their champion, comes into the Royale Fri- ballroom dancing, with aerial lifts and day night with an act as unique as it spins and a lot of young enthusiasm is the performers.

> Bernice Stone, acrobatic dancing star, has some clever routines, and Tommy Jones sings Irish ballads in addition to performing his duties as master of ceremonies. The Royalettes have new production numbers and music for shows and dancing is by Danny Demetry and his orchestra.

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Here you see graphically the progress of construction work on the new auditorium—one of the largest and most important building projects for the 1940 New York World's Fair Shows of a varied nature will be presented in the auditorium.

progress of construction work on the new anditorium—one of the largest and most important building projects for the 1946 New York World's Fair Shows of a varied nature will be presented in the single auditorium.

A re-vamped and streamlined exhibit pavilion will be ready to charm the 1940 guests when the gates open May 11. Walter Howin Tangue, one of the foreignet in the country, who is responsible for the pian of the lower the display did. A small army of working display did. A small army of working that houses the Ford Exhibit, has made the integrating out the many changes. This photograph shows the fing that houses the Ford Exhibit, has made the integrating exit in the

An Indictment Does Not Mean A

- The American Spirit of fair play logically calls for careful analysis of all the facts before jumping to hasty conclusions.
- The eminent record of your present Village President, acquired during the past 22 years in Public office entitles him to a fair hearing before a Jury of his Peers before judgment is pronounced.
- All operations of law and order have not yet been suspended in free America. We have not, thank fortune, arrived at a point where a man is considered guilty before trial.
- All right minded citizens are therefore urged to go to the Polls next Monday and cast their ballot on the merits of each candidate alone.
- WHY CHANGE AN ECONOMICAL EFFICIENT GOVERNMENT.

Re-Elect Your Present Officers

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Commissioners:

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Grosse Pointe Farms Voters

Increased December taxes on your homes were taxes levied to support School and County and Township activities. They were not levied to support Village activities. Your Village Council had no control over such levy nor over the spending of the money.

The Village activities are paid for by your Village taxes payable in July. The Village Council fixes the amount of these. Such taxes pay for your police and fire protection, your streets, sewers, street lighting, garbage and rubbish collection, parks and municipal pier.

These trees have decreased per individual home-owner under the officers now seeking re-election to your Village Council.

The Village fiscal year ends February 28th. During the preceding FIVE fiscal years the following facts prevailed:

Year Ending Feb. 28	Tax Rate Per Thousand	Total Taxes Budgeted	Total Homes in Village	Average Tax Bill per Home Owner
1935	, \$19.00	\$379,355.00	935	\$405.72
1936	17.50	358,023.00	1237	289.42
1937	17.50	376,244.00	1370	274.63
1938	17.50	393,509.00	1496	263.04
1939	16.50	381,614.00	1760	216.82

The above figures include personal property taxes. They reflect the downward trend over a five year period accomplished by the incumbent officers of the Village.

To incur no new debt, to pay as we go, and to keep Village spending at an absolute minimum consistent with the maintenance of Village services on the basis demanded by the taxpayers has been and will be the purpose of the following candidates for re-election.

President Paul H. Deming Trustee (1 yr. term) . William K. Muir Trustees (2 yr. term) LeRoy May

Joseph W. Snay John R. Sutton, Ir.

The Above Candidates Have Our Endorsement!

VOTE FOR THEM ON MONDAY

Mr. John T. Allmand, 24 Touraine Rd.
Mr. Roland H. Gray, 272 Calvin Ave.
Mr. Heartly (Hunk) W. Anderson, 271
Mr. Albert J. Grundy, 241 McMillan
Mr. H. L. Newman, 40 McKinley Pl.
Rd.
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Dr. Frank J. Orleman, 128 Merri-McMillan Ave.

Mr. E. A. Batchelor, 65 Moran Rd.

Mr. Wm. F. Beaupre, 216 Kerby Rd.

Mr. Geo. L. Benton, 742 Fisher Rd.

Mr. Fred W. Beyer, 81 Beaupre Rd.

Mr. Victor D. Grabell, 179 McKinley Ave ther Rd.

Mr. Fred W. Beyer, 81 Beaupre Rd. Mr. Harold M. Blossom, 180 Kerby Rd. Mr. H. T. Bodman, 18 Vendome Rd. Mr. Haren G. Breitmeyer, 212 McKin-

Mr. Raymond T. Huetteman, 17 Rings-mont Rd.

Mr. Henry H. Hubbard, 49 Muskoka
Rd.

Mr. Ray A. Jacobs, 139 Kenwood Ct.
Mr. Wm. D. Jeineck. 281 Manor Are.
Mr. Don M. Johnson, 268 Madison Ave.
Mr. Wm. J. Scripps, 54 Touraine Rd Mr. Hazen G. Breitmeyer, 212 McKinley Ave.
Mr. Gilbert Burn, 255 Madison Ave.
Mr. Leo A. Cannon, 355 McKinley Ave.
Mr. Bruce Chalmers, 242 Merriweather
Mr. Frank R. Kappler, 95 Mt. Vernon

Mr. Chas. Chapman, 198 Provencal Rd.
Mr. Wm. R. Clark. 200 Provencal Rd.
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Mr. Henry DeBruyne, 213 McKinley
Ave.
Mr. Erra Dettling. 218 Merriweather

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Ave.
Mr. Ray T. Lyons, 150 Kerby Rd.
Mr. Frank McNamara, 53 Hillerest Rd.

d. Chas. E. Dutchess, 3 Maoleton Rd. H. A. Everitt, 345 McKinley Ave. Mr. Kenneth L. Moore, 15 Kenwood Mr. H. A. Everitt. 245 McKinley Ave. Mr. Warren H. Farr, 151 Kenwood Ct. Mr. Fred W. Fuger, 110 McMillan Rd. Mr. John W. Mulford, 174 Merriwea-

Miss Betty Hendrie, 280 Webster Ave.
Mr. Geo. S. Hendrie, 28 Hillcrest Rd.
Mr. Raymond T. Husstern Rd.
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Judge Kenneth M. Thomas, 328
McKinlev Ave.
Mr. Hayward S. Thompson, 18 Lewiston Rd.
Mr. Charles VanDyke, 141 Oak St.
Mr. Renville Wheat, 14 Toursine
Mr. Ross Wilkins, Jr., 61 Muskoka
Mr. A. B. Willi, 349 McKinley Ave.

Mr. Geo. S. Hendrie, 23 Hillcrest Rd.
Mr. Raymond T. Huetteman, 17 RidgeMr. Ajired R. Reuther, 347 McKin-

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shufelt, 303 Moran Rd. Mr. Oscar E. Siewert, 227 Moran Mr. Kenneth Smith, 336 McKinley Mr. Cyril O. Teetaert, 294 Manor Judge Kenneth M. Thomas, 328 McKinley Ave

Attractions for Week Friday and Saturday the Punch and

Punch and Judy

Judy Theater will be showing "That's Right, You're Wrong," with radio's outstanding band leader, Kay Kyser, and his band, who go to Hollywood for a picture engagement. They are supported by an able cast headed by Adolphe Menjou, May Robson and Edward Everett Horton.

One of the season's most unusual pictures, "Destry Rides Again," is the Sunday, Monday and Tuesday attraction. Marlene Dietrich, in the role of a frontier entertainer, co-stars with James Stewart and they are supported by Mischa Auer, Charles Winninger, ina Merkel and Allen Jenkins.

Joe and Ethel Turp will come to the Punch and Judy Wednesady and Thursday in "Joe and Ethel Turp Call On The President," and they hid fair to be as popular as screen personalties as they are in printed form. Damon Runyon's famous characters are por trayed by Ann Sother and William Gargan and their debut on the screen is full of entertainment.

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Remember?

sway in the corner of a page in a Detroit newspaper last week brought back fond memories to some of Grosse Pointe's pioneer residents. In this small note was hidden the glorious history of a past generation.

The story told briefly of the death of known trainer and owner of harness scription of Gahagan's many accomplishments, this sentence stood out Gahagan appeared frequently at the old Grosse Pointe race track and at the State Fair grounds."

as the Grosse Pointe race track was destroyed many years ago, its history east side. The track, a mecca of fashionable society in Detroit at the turn of the century, was located on the south side of Jefferson avenue opposite the present site of the Continental Motors plant. The one-half mile dirt oval was just one cog in a series of nationally established race tracks known by harness racing fans as the Grand Circuit. In the heyday of trotters and sulkies the circuit included Goshen, Saratoga and many other famous racing centers.

Built in the 1880's and originally known as "The Blue Ribbon Race Track," trotting enthusiasts from all over Detroit and surrounding territory swarmed to the "races." Special streetcars were added to accommodate the ooters. Old timers relate that on clear, windless days, Grosse Pointe citizens could plainly hear the roar of the excited fans and they rushed to the rail to cheer their favorites on. At the time the Pointe was sparsely inhabited hy 400 scattered people.

With the perfection of the automo bile in the early 1900's, the interest in trotting races waned. The fickle public

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other in cars rather than on horse-back swept through Detroit like a forest fire. An insignificant little article tucked The Chalmers-Detroit Motor Car Company bought out the E. R. Thomas Corporation and began experimenting with various types and models of auto-East Jefferson avenue. With the pur- cently. one Joseph P. Gahagan, "nationally chase of the factory, the Chalmers-De-

Since the establishment referred to around the circle. The new company she explained. set a standard that before a car was put on the market, it had to make two has been lost in the rapidly expanding laps of the track in a set time. The a glorious but "torgotten sport,"

Henry Ford brought his famous "999" racer to the proving grounds on several occasions and races were arranged with other "speed demons." Cars traveling the then unheard of speed of 60 miles an hour, tore and cut the dirt oval to bits. A far cry from the proud and struting horses and silken-clothed jockeys. The machine had at last dethroned the horse.

As real estate frontage on Jefferson avenue boomed, the Chalmers Company having no more use for the track, sold the rickety grand stand and other buildings to expanding business concerns. As the structure was demolished, a famous page in Detroit history was jerked out by the roots. A product of another era doomed to a death of passing fancy.

Historians say the past is forgotten in this changing world, but is it?

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BEN H. COLE

of the Village.

all issues affecting all residents

nal. The idea of men chasing each Newspaper Advertising Discussed by Speaker

"The cost of our modern newspapers would be between 12 and 15 cents if it were not for advertising," declared mobiles. The Thomas company had Miss Louise Grace of Grace and Beoriginally built the lower factory unit of ment Advertising Agency in a talk to the present Chrysler Corporation on high school journalism students re-

Miss Grace went on to say that adtroit Company also secured the race vertising is as old as business itself. race horses." Buried deep in the de- track, which was now rapidly fading and that it definitely has a place in present economic life. The cost of prac-Using the track as a testing ground tically all goods has been cut in half, for new models, people again began to and at the same time the manufacturfrequent the old structure to watch the er's volume of business has been stead-'new-fangled devices" roar and snort ily increasing because of advertising,

Pointing out the small cost of advertising to the public, the speaker aid that less than one cent is paid for soft old barns and stables seemed strangely, drinks advertising, three and a half out of place. The once beautiful per cent of the total cost of an autogrounds were left to rot as a shrine to mobile is spent for advertising, and two per cent of the value of all goods sold is spent for advertising purposes. Figures released by the department of commerce show that there is from three to ten times as great a turnover on advertised products as on those that are unadvertised.

In concluding her talk, Miss Grace touched upon the subject of misleading advertising, and the legislation which has been effected to counteract this problem. Most manufacturers present the full value of their products to the public, she asserted, and it has been found that only 5 per cent of all advertising is false or misleading.

The speaker showed how advertising is possible only in a country where people have freedom of choice.

When the high school music group sing "Rossini's oratorio Stabat Mater in its entiretiy on May 24, their concert may be broadcast over a coast to coast hook-up of the MBS. About 130 students will participate singing the oratorio in Latin.

Well known soloists have been selected to sing the airs of the oratorio. In this work each soloist must be excellent in his or her own field rather than merely a member of a quartette. Thelma von Eisenhaur, of Detroit, an acclaimed soprano throughout the country, will sing the first soprano

Leaving New York where she is studying to become a member of the Metropolitan Opera Company, Winifred Heidt, well known to Grosse Pointe and Detroit music lovers for her concert work here, will sing the second soprano part.

Having been well received last year for their work in the tenor and bass roles of the Elijah, Warren Foster and ! Hardin Van Deursen of the University of Michigan, will return to be soloists in the May concert.

The oratorio will be directed by W. J. Watkins, head of the music department, who will lead both the University of Michigan Symphony Orchestra and Figure 1984 Company of the Comp the chorus, composed of the glee clubs and the A Cappella Choir in the musical materpiece. Thor Johnson will conduct the orchestra in a program of

orchestral music before the oratorio. The concert will be held in the new Pierce Auditorium and arrangements are now being made to broadcast over the Mutual Broadcasting System from coast t ocoast. Arrangements for this broadcast are being made through the Detroit Federation of Musicians and CKLW. The length of the broadcast

has not yet been determined. Stabat Mater pictures Mary despairing beneath the cross where her son, Jesus, was being crucified. The title itself means "The Mother Was" Standing."

Sad and mournful music for the Stabai Mater has been written by Haydn, S Palestrina, Stanford and Dvorak. When Rossini wrote cheerful music, musicians everywhere pronounced the work a "happy operatic work" rather than religious oratorio.

Many of the airs in the oratorio resemble marches rather than hymns. Public reaction shows that people would rather hear the vigor and vitality of Rossini's Stabat Mater from the opening chorus to the stirring finale than any other composer's conception of the text.

Women's Field Army Will Give Program

A benefit program for the Women's Field Army for the Control of Cancer will be held on Friday, March 8, 8:15 ! p. m. in the small auditorium of the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Through the courtesy of Grinnell Brothers, John Hammond will play several selections on the new and unique Novachord. This recently created instrument is an electric organ which utilizes radio tubes 10 produce tones. Its appearance on the market has created a sensation in the musical world Because of its sensitivity and almost infinite tonal range, the instrument simulates aimeet all of the orchestral instruments, from the piano to the horns and reeds.

Mrs. Lois Johnston Chapman, wellknown Detroit singer, will sing. Edgar A. Guest. Free Press poet, will read some of his poetry.

The proceeds of the benefit program will go to the educational program of the Field Army. Fach year during the month of April, the organization carries on an intense ed satimál and fund raising campaign.

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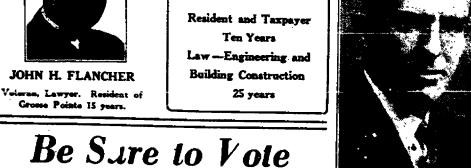
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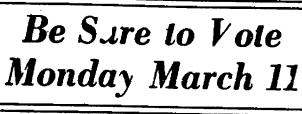
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TREND OF EVENTS

By PAUL M. DEAC The Allies have been very careful not to say anything that could reveal their ultimate plans in this war. But, they sure have more than one way to make Hitler talk, they do it indirectly, through an interposed person. This

invaluable go-between is none other

than our good President Franklin D.

sèizure of Albania when nobody could was indeed a coup de maitre. tell just what the dreaded partners of the Axis gang would do next, our er one, as we shall see.

The two racketeers naively believed they at last had the entire world at their mercy. This was, they thought, the time if ever to wrest sweeping concessions from the panicky democraoccur to them that their utterances with the word WAR. could immediately be brought as evidence to bear against them before the court of world opinion.

lices as their conditions for a durable peace shook the whole world with indignation. From that day on, everybody, everywhere, considered Mussolini and Hitler as the real troublemakers in came, people knew just where to lay tion as to the basic conditions for just the responsibility for such a calamity: and durable peace in Europe. Berlin and Rome.

The two dictators never fully re-Nearly a year ago, right after Italy's covered from that damaging coup. It

Meanwhile, the Duce got wise to himself. After barely escaping a sound President saved peace and the day by thrashing at the hands of the French pinning the two dictators, Musselini for a few timid clain. s over Tunisia and and Hitler, up against the wall and Djibuti, he stopped playing the conbluntly asking them what would be queror. He finally realized that all their price for a ten-year period of profitable conquests were already in peace. The manoeuvre was a very clev- the bag and that it was utterly useless to insist.

Not so with Adolf Hitler. The clumsy brownshirted sign-painter had learned nothing. He continued to play with dynamite, that figurative kind of pyrotechnics which exploded in his hands cies. Not one single moment did it last September and made the world ring dropped dead with fear. And, who

> Hitler bears the responsibility for the war, so far. And, before going any

As expected in Washington, the wild further, the Allies wanted to make it | Masonic Temple Show demands set down by the two accomp- plain that Nami Germany is also to be held responsible for what is to come. But, as no same trick can safely be put to work twice, this time President Roosevelt used an entirely different stratagem to make Adolf Hitler talk. Europe, they were charged with all He pretended he was sending his the unease and fear which paralyzed Under-Secretary of State abroad with humanity in late years. And, if war the sole purpose of gathering informa-

> Hitler, who has been unusually silent lately, readily welcomed this as a chance to say something-something that would enhearten the gallery, in To the layman, his claims and threats Welles, Hitler appeared like a lonely wayfarer going through some dark woods and whistling to reassure himself. But; had someone crept up from behind and suddenly cried "Boo!" the brave fuehrer would probably have wouldn't, in Hitler's predicament.

The wide publicity given throughout the world to Nazi aims as voiced by Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler has definitely pinned the responsibility of World War II on Germany. The Nazis are asking for the Moon. Their demands are simply ridiculous. And, whatever measures will be ultimately taken by the Allies will appear in the views of world opinion as perfectly justified.

The world now begins to realize that what Nazi Germany really craves for is not the overpublicized "Lebensraum," but world supremacy-that is what Germany wants. She would break what Hitler calls England's "stranglehold". over Europe and the world only to replace it with one of her own invention. Unfortunately for Nazism, under prevailing circumstances, the world will continue to prefer England's grip to

Mainly because the British for o penetration is of a peaceful kind; its basic policy is "live and let live," whereas that of Nazi Germany literally strangles to death anyone it can lay its hands on. One method is economical and financial and therefore constructive; the other is warlike, ruthless

The Britons thrive and maintain their supremacy by trade. The Nazis rely on brutal force. Fire and sword is their weapon. That is just why their approach is dreaded; their domination un

Features 'Shawn'

Variety and color mark Shawn's new est program called "The Dome" which Scottish Rite Cathedral at Masonic

He has used those creative works which have been emerging through the years and which did not fit into the programs of the last several years. In-1 spired by Shelley's lines, "Life, like a dome of many colored glass, stains the white radiance of eternity," he has cre-Germany. Unfortunately for him and ated in this production a many-colored the Nazi cause, by saying what he said picture of life's infinite variety. Conhe played right into the Allies' hands, sequently this new production called "The Dome" probably has a wider vamust have sounded like something virile riety of thematic material wrapped in and warlike, but to the trained car of its two-hour entertainment than any diplomatic experts they were pure thing he has previously presented. bravado. In his talk with Sumner There are 26 d .ces on the program, all presented as Shawn is quoted as saying: "For the simple reason that we wanted to do them."

> The program includes a prologue called, "The Dome," seven dances to the music of Johann Sebastian Bach, a group of 13 dances under the heading: Remembrance of Things Past, Excursions into Visible Song, Studies in Rhythmic Form, and a finale entitled 'Jacob's Pillow Concerto."

Of the young men who make up the

year in the company. All of them were Social Security athletes in school or college. They represent practically every section east of the Rockies. Included in the group are Frank and John Delmar, identical twins who joined the group two years ago. he and his company will give in the They come from Chicago, where they attended Notrhwestern University Temple, Saturday evening, March 16. While at the university they partici pated in field events and distinguished themselves in markmanship. Leaving the university they appeared in a number of Broadway musical snows. They have spent three summers at Shawn's estate, Jacob's Pillow, in the Berkshires, where the entire group work, play, rest, rehearse and devise new dances for the coming year.

On this remote farm the boys and Shawn live a life of Spartan simplicity. They do all the work on the farm . . gardening, carpentering, painting, road and cement work, cutting firewood They even dammed a mountain stream and made a big outdoor bathing pool. Some of the boys have built their own cabins on the extensive acreage.

The physical labor and studio work s only a portion of the strenuous train- if he has a birth certificate. As a matter ing and daily routine. Each day there research under the personal guidance of Shawn, who is an able scholar.

It is this group of American men who group this year, all were members last termed "Miracles of beauty."

Documentary evidence of a person's age, ranging from a birth certificate 1857; and Virginia in 1853. to a license to drive an automobile, is going to have an increasing importance as the Federal Government's old-age an survivors insurance program develops, according to E. E. Pollock, manager of the Social Security Board's Eat Side field office at 8037 Harper. Mr. Pollock explained that the Govstatement as to age.

Similarly, the age of a worker's wife or widow or of his children must be school records, or marriage certificates." proved before they can receive any of the supplementary benefits provided under the rivised Social Security Act. But a claimant will be given every opportunity to supply the required proof. The applicant probably will be asked

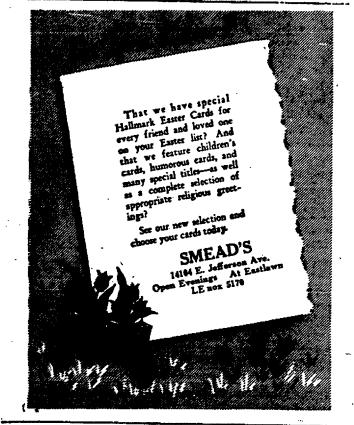
of fact, birth certificates of persons are hours devoted to reading, study and now 65 years old or more are comparitively scarce. In only eight States and the District of Columbia had the practice of keeping birth certificates will appear in dances which have been been adopted before 1874. The District of Columbia began keeping of such

records in 1874; Florida in 1865; Massachusette in 1850; Michigan in 1867; New Hampshire in 1840; New Jersey in 1848; Rhode Island in 1853; Vermont in

"If, however, the claimant cannot produce a birth certificate, a church record or similar document." Mr. Pollock added, "he may submit the statements of two other persons who have personal knowledge that he was born on a certain date, but since such persons will be even older than the claimernment will insist upon the proof of ant, the obtaining of this evidence is one's declaration of age hefore insur- admittedly difficult. If it cannot be ance payments are made. The law pro- produced, the Board will open the way vides that monthly payments may be to the presentation of a miscellaneous made to workers who have reached the lot of evidence, which, when viewed age of 65 if they qualify, but, Mr. Pol- as a whole, may be regarded as suffilock asserted, it will accept no loose cient. This type of evidence will include public documents of varying nature, such as a man's army discharge,

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The Golden Text (Daniel 10:19) is: "O man greatly beloved, fear not; peace be unto thee, be strong, yez, be strong."

Among the Bible citations in this passage (Genesis 1:27): "So God creof God created he him; male and feated man in his own image, in the image male created he them."

Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science tertbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 336); "Immortal man was and is God's image-or idea, even the infinite expression of infinite Mind, and immortal man is coexistent and coeternal with that Mind."

Letter Carriers Sponsor St. Patrick's Dance

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Detroit Garden Center

On Thursday, March 14, at 2:30 o'-Shore Road, Grosse Pointe, the Detroit known landscape architect, George Wasson Vance, who received her degree of Master of Landscape Design at Vance will talk on "Combination of Plant Material," which she will illustrate with colored slides.

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Detroit Institute of Arts

"Exploring the Bottom of the Sea" and "More About Sweden" will be the next two motion pictures public lecture programs offered by the World Adventure series at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Rene Dussaq, Hollywood's daredevil undersea photoggrapher, will tell of his adventures on the ocean floor in the West Indies at 3:30 next Sunday afternoon, March 10. Burton Holmes, world's greatest travel lecturer, takes his audience on a pic torial motor tour of Sweden at 8:30 next Tuesday evening, March 12.

Dussaq shows exciting motion pictures of 65-foot "skin dives" to plant his cameras and to rescue cameramen sponsoring a Saint Patricks party at trapped in the weird submarine jungles. Carpathia Hall Saturday, March 10th, Burton Holmes lands his audience at

Veterans of Foreign Wars Ladies' Auxiliary

To inspire the boys and girls of today with a greater appreciation of the privilege of being an American citizen clock at the Alger House, 32 Lake is the major purpose of the "Benefits of Democracy" essay contest now be-Garden Center will present a well ing participated in by junior and senior high English classes of the Grosse Pointe public schools. The contest is sponsored on a nation-wide scale by the University of Michigan. Mrs. the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Any member of one of the English classes may write a superior enough essay on democracy to have it judged as one of the best three in his class. His essay will then go to a committee which will choose the 10 best manuscripts to send to the Grosse Pointe auxiliary.

The auxiliary will also receive entries from Grosse Pointe's private and parochial schools, and the 10 best essays from the community will be awarded ocal prizes. The first prize is \$15, the second is \$10, the third \$5, and the seven next best will be given cittations. The local auxiliary will also award a plaque to each school and a silk flag will be given to the high school.

The best of the 10 essays submitted in Grosse Pointe will in turn be sent to the state and national elimination contests. And if a Grosse Pointe student is lucky enough to survive the competition and come out on top in each of these contests, its writer will be presented with \$1,000 in scholarship money. If his manuscript comes in sec-

ond, he will receive \$500. This year's contest is the fifth national essay contest sponsored by the auixiliary, and it is the first year that prize awards have exceeded \$300.

Veteran Industrialist Dies in Florida

P. C. Sauerbrey of 1041 Harvard | And so endeth a week of the most Road and first vice-president of the perfect weather to be found anyplace. Plymouth Motors Corporation, died last Sunday night while vacationing in Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Sauerbrey had suffered poor health since over a year ago, when he suffered a broken leg during a fire in his Grosse Pointe home. The deceased man had been in Flori-

da for five weeks and died in the Broward General Hospital. He is survived by his wife and a daughter, Mrs. Lynn Holley.

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'Thumb' Lunch

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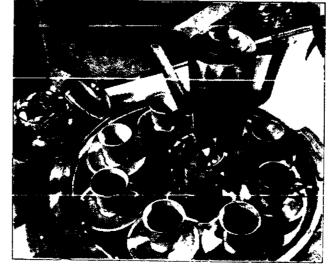
Geosse Exaggerations Chances are that when we (or you)

have unexpected callers, we're stuck with them; not so with the Grand Dames of this neighborhood. One well known woman here, has two carriage] lights on either side of her front door. At night, when the lights are turned on, it is a signal that Milady is at ! home, but when they're not on, even the insurance collector wouldn't dare to raise the knocker. Another woman has an iron black boy at the front gate. All visitors have learned to look at the card in his outstretched hand. If it reads "IN," you're in, if it reads "OUT," you're out of luck. The thing has all kinds of possibilities for anyone with a good imagination.

Bearings Bigger Than Pumpkins Rall-bearings ranging in size from three-eighths of an inch to 56 inches in diameter are now being made in Philadelphia for use in electric motors and generators, steel rolling mills, railroad cars and locomotives.

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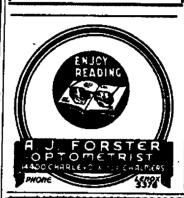
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