

# Serious Traffic Accident Wave Sweeps Grosse Pointe Shores Again

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# WOODS OFFICIAL TELLS SCHOOL PROBLEM

## Assessor Neil Blondell Clarifies Personal Property Tax Law

Neil Blondell, assessor of the City of Grosse Pointe, stated today that those residents who pay personal taxes under the intangible tax act are not relieved of liability for assessment on the city rolls for their tangible personal property. It was further pointed out by Blondell, that the general property tax law provides for assessment of all personal property both tangible and intangible.

Section No. 301 of Public Acts of 1939, the so-called Michigan Tangible Tax Act, removed intangible property from the local assessment rolls and made it subject to a specific state tax. The act defines intangible property as "acts receivable, monies on hand or on deposit and in transit, interest bearing obligations for the payment of money,

including bonds, certificates of indebtedness, debentures, notes and certificates of deposit, either secured or unsecured, annuities, royalties, shares of stock in corporation, associations, and joint stock companies, certificates of ownership and enterprises conducted for profit (not however including partnership agreements), equitable interest in any of the foregoing classes of intangible property and any and all other credits and evidence of indebtedness."

Due to this act, it is evident that tangible personal property consisting of all goods, chattels, and effects within the city, all ships, boats, and vessels owned by residents of the city, all buildings on leased lands, and for any furniture, fixtures, work of art, jewelry, etc., and any other personal property not enumerated in the intangible tax act must be placed on the local assessment rolls, Blondell stated.

March 20 had been set for the last day to submit tangible personal tax statements, but due to what appears to be a misunderstanding, Blondell has extended the date to March 25.

## State Bureau Organizes Plans for Registration Of Unemployed

The Michigan State Employment Service today announced plans for a state-wide drive beginning March 14, to register the skills and training of all unemployed workers in Michigan, as well as those workers now employed in jobs which do not utilize their industrial ability or training.

From March 14 through April 14, it was revealed, each of the 50 offices operated throughout Michigan by the state employment service will conduct an "all-out" drive to register workers.

Radio, newspapers, motion pictures, billboards, displays, posters, and circuses are being used to inform workers that they register with the employment service.

They register with the employment service.

## TIP TOPPERS MEET

The "Tip Toppers," an organization for tall Detroit and Grosse Pointe residents, will hold their next business meeting in the ballroom on the second floor of the downtown YWCA, 2230 Witherell street, at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 22. There will be a card party and dancing afterwards, and some movies taken on the trip to Grayling, Mich., will be shown.

## Injured Woods Youth Home From Hospital

Basil Donovan, 19-year-old Grosse Pointe Woods youth, who was seriously injured early last week when his car crashed into a tree on Mack avenue near Lochmoor boulevard, was moved from Saratoga General hospital to his home at 2032 Hawthorne road by his parents last Sunday.

Donovan, a student at a Detroit national defense school, is suffering from a slight brain concussion, doctors announced. Woods police believe that the youth, who attends classes from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m., fell asleep at the wheel.

## Woods Police Organize Drive Against Dogs Wandering On Streets

With the approach of favorable weather, the Grosse Pointe Woods police department is formulating drastic preparations to insure the enforcement of the village ordinance that demands all dogs must be kept off the streets.

Walter G. Goulet, police chief, stated that no leniency would be shown.

Dogs that are found running at large in the community will be picked up and held in the village pound until the owners pay stiff fines, Goulet announced. Court action will be taken against habitual offenders, the police chief pointed out.

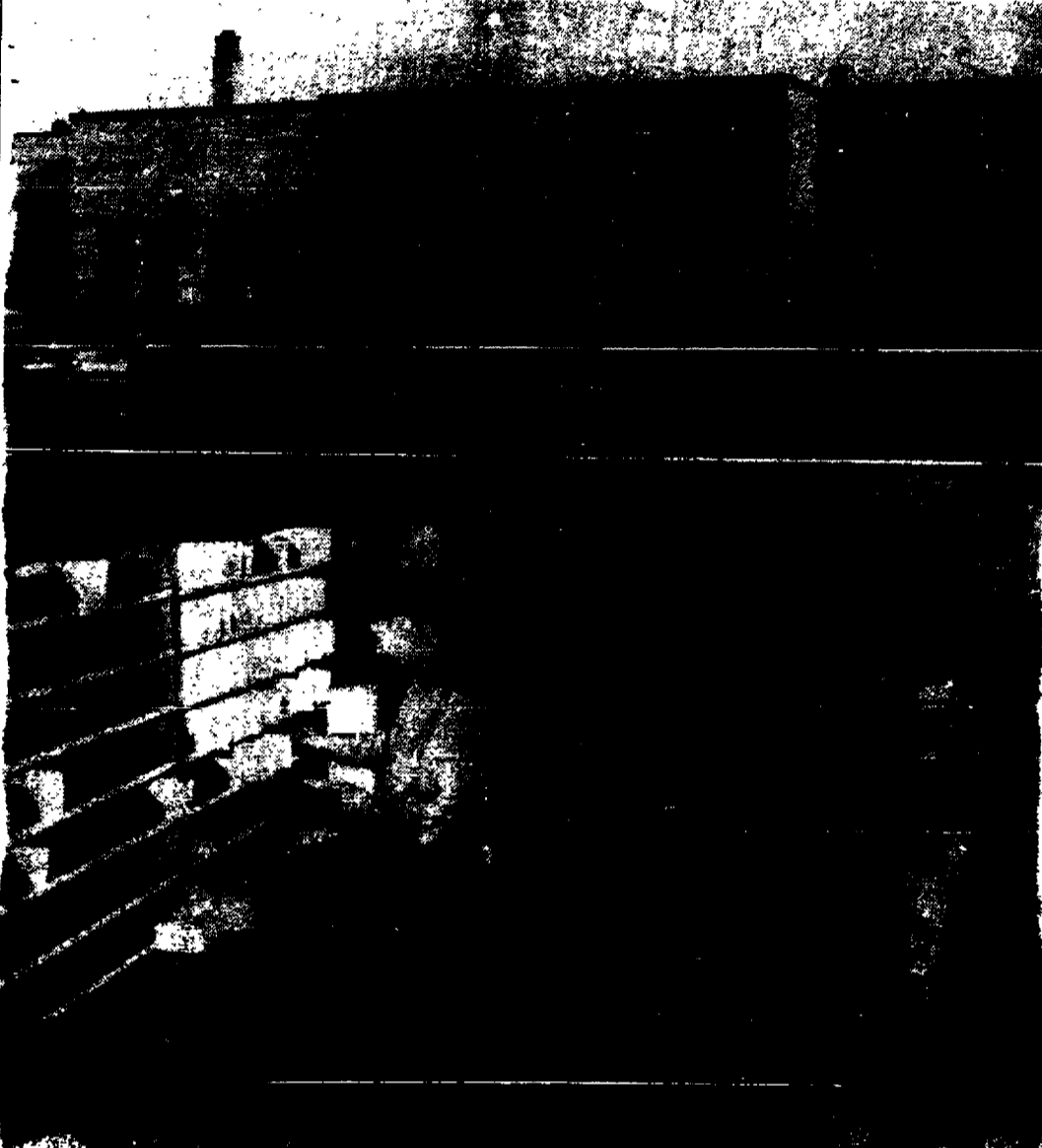
There are over 500 licensed dogs in Grosse Pointe Woods, and while some residents have gone to considerable expense to pen their dogs, other canine owners have adopted a "Mrs. So-and-So's dog runs around, why can't mine" attitude, Goulet related.

## STATEMENTS AVAILABLE

Statements showing the amount of wages credited to the accounts of individuals who have worked on jobs covered by the social security act may now be obtained for all of the years 1937, 1938 and 1939, and for the early portion of 1940. Cards which are used to obtain this information are available. Requests for these cards should be addressed to E. E. Pollock, manager, Social Security Board Field Office, located at 8037 Harper, near Van Dyke.

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## New Post Office Opened



The Fox Creek post office moved into its new headquarters (shown above) at Kercheval and Manistique avenues last week. In the picture, clerks try out the new, modern seating system. Inset is A. J. Patrick, superintendent of the post office.

## Installation of New Water Line Announced By Gratiot Supervisor

According to Ernest A. Provo, supervisor of Gratiot township, final approval has been granted by WPA officials for the installation of an eight-inch water line on Huntington avenue between Beaconsfield and Kelly road.

The WPA will furnish the labor for this project, while the residents and Peter Ternes, the owner of the vacant lots, will put up the money for the materials.

The project was approved on March 13, and WPA officials claim they will have all engineering completed by April 15. The necessary money will be accepted at that time. Construction will start in May, it is believed.

## Fox Creek Post Office Now Established In New Headquarters

The Fox Creek post office, mailing center for the Grosse Pointe area, is now firmly established in its new, modern headquarters at Manistique and Kercheval avenues.

Moving from the old location on East Jefferson avenue near Marlborough, last week, the Fox Creek station is now more centrally situated and offers better parking facilities for Grosse Pointe's busy residents.

The old Fox Creek office, built 20 years ago, originally employed 20 men but the staff has now broadened out to include over 100 persons.

## Gratiot Township's East Park Manor Sewer Problem Solved

The Gratiot township board held a special meeting in Eastwood school last Tuesday evening, March 18, and passed several resolutions pertaining to the East Park Manor sewer problem.

When the sewers in this subdivision were constructed a number of years ago, the arms leading direct to the Detroit sewers were never installed, board officials explained. Plans, at that time, were to annex that part of Gratiot township to the city of Detroit.

As the community continued in its growth, the large number of homes caused the sewer system to become troublesome, as the only connection to the Detroit sewers was by an overflow system.

Officials of the township contacted the Houseman - Spitzley Corporation and the Land Development Company, and it was agreed that the promoters of the subdivision would deposit \$20,000 in escrow to be used in the construction of the new arms.

Bids have been advertised for and are returnable Wednesday, March 20, when the township board will again hold another meeting to award the bid to the lowest bidder. Construction of the arms will begin immediately.

## SOCIAL MEETING

The Amadeus Circle Daughters of Isabella Social will hold a meeting Monday evening, March 24, with cards and refreshments, at Amity hall.

## Auto Accident Wave Sweeps G. P. Shores

The wave of needless traffic accidents that has visited Grosse Pointe periodically for the past year broke out again last week and early this week, when serious accidents were reported on four consecutive days in Grosse Pointe Shores.

Two new automobiles were completely demolished, and damage to other cars involved in the crashes was estimated at over \$300. At 7:25 a.m. last Saturday morning, Jack Morgan, 36, of 200 East Grand boulevard, lost control of his car after hitting the left curb of Lake Shore road near reverential. The vehicle rolled over several times, and Morgan and a passenger, Lonnie McKee, of 279 Newport avenue, Detroit, were treated at Cottage hospital for numerous cuts caused by flying glass.

At 1:40 a.m. the day before Morgan's mishap, a vehicle operated by Bernadine Lilygren, of 11068 McKinney avenue, Detroit, smashed into a light pole near the Shores police station on Vernier road. Police believe that a frosted windshield was the cause of this accident. A passenger, Susan Mader, of 10767 Worden street, Detroit, was treated for cuts and bruises. Later the same day at 8:15 p.m. a student driver attempted to turn off Lake Shore road into Oxford road and crashed into a brick column near the side of the street. The instructor, Kenneth L. Jones, 20, of 22038 Miller road, Farmington, and his student, Marian A. Malvern, were uninjured.

Monday evening at 9 p.m., Ernest Murphy, 33, of 1543 St. Clair avenue, Detroit, lost control of his car near Oxford road and smashed into a telephone pole after running over the curb for 265 feet. He was taken to Saratoga General hospital and treated for a possible skull fracture, police said. Murphy's automobile was ruined beyond repair.

Sunday's accident involved four cars but damage was small in each case, police announced. A car driven by John P. Fraser, Jr., 20, of 285 Washington road, City of Grosse Pointe, was struck from behind after Fraser had stopped to investigate a collision that had occurred a few seconds before.

## 'Puzzle That Pays' Reaches Thirteenth Week

The "Puzzle That Pays" contest, which started in a December issue of The Grosse Pointe Review, has produced hundreds of letters from Review readers, and judges are having a difficult task determining prize winners.

Last Week's Results—First prize, a \$100 merchandise order on Rodger's Service, 15201 Kercheval avenue, has been awarded to Mrs. Carroll W. Kennedy, of 404 McKinley road, Grosse Pointe Farms. Second prize, a \$25 merchandise order on Jacob's Service, 18480 Mack avenue, has been won by Mrs. Clair Krapp, of 1447 Wayburn avenue, Grosse Pointe Park. Third prize, a \$20 merchandise order on the Geo. S. Drets Fish Market, 15124 Maple avenue, Grosse Pointe Woods. Fourth prize, a \$125 merchandise order on the Redwood Cleaners, 16118 East Warren avenue, has been awarded to Ann Fowler, of 682 Notre Dame avenue, City of Grosse Pointe. All merchandise orders will be mailed to prize winners.

Another "Puzzle That Pays" will be found in this issue. It jumbled form the puzzle contains the names of three advertisers and the telephone number of the fourth advertiser found below. Merchandise prizes will be divided into four awards—\$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1.00. No numeral or letter may be used twice in the finding of the correct solution. Untangle the puzzle and win a prize. All letters and numerals must be used.

Merchandise prizes will be awarded for a period of 16 weeks to the first four contestants who submit the correct nearest, second, and most original solution to the puzzle. However, no matter how near, second, or original your solution may be, it will not have a chance to win unless it is correct. Address all answers to "The Puzzle That Pays Editor," The Grosse Pointe Review, 15121 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Park, Mich.

## President Ghesquire Lists Steps Open To Board; Hits Frame Addition To Mason

By A. A. GHESQUIERE

President, Grosse Pointe Woods  
Among the many things, such as low taxes, the additional public services rendered such as are not furnished by a larger city and the highly residential character of the community that attracted new residents to the Village of Grosse Pointe Woods, one in particular stood out as a special incentive to build here; namely our schools.

Our school system offers are comprehensive, as all inclusive and as modern a curricular program as can be found anywhere. The housing and equipment are of a very high standard and to date has always been ample to care for all the students.

The number of children per teacher is low, much lower than in any of the schools by cities and the teaching staff is of very high caliber.

The school system is under the direction of a school board consisting of five members who are elected by the citizens of the five Grosse Pointe municipalities and a small portion of Gratiot township. Ever since 1922, when the various school districts combined into the one district as it now exists we have been fortunate in having at all times a very progressive board, too progressive sometimes to suit some of the larger taxpayers in the district.

## City of Grosse Pointe Votes on Charter Change April 7

The residents of the City of Grosse Pointe will have an opportunity on Monday, April 7, to vote on the proposed change of one section of the City Charter, so as to provide that the terms of three councilmen be staggered rather than all six being elected at one time.

Some of the membership of this board has changed from time to time but the same general idea of having the best school system possible has always been the guiding principle of school officials during all this time.

Of late the school board has had many problems because:

As the charter now reads, the regular city election is held each two years on the first Tuesday in November, at which time the mayor, six councilmen, and other officers are elected. Councilmen serve for two years. Under the proposed amendment, elections will continue to be held each two years and no change will be made in the manner of office or that of any other officer of the city.

1. The rapid building program which has increased school enrollments tremendously especially so in Grosse Pointe Woods.

2. The great increase in junior high and senior high school enrollment which is the more expensive kind of education.

3. The setting of a time limit on bond issues by the State Legislature.

4. The setting up of a 15 mill limit on tax rates. Because these things loom large in the minds of school board members they have recently decided and announced that instead of building permanent masonry, fireproof additions to our overcrowded schools, that they will construct so called frame additions of the pre-fabricated or portable type of school buildings.

The amendment also provides that both the mayor and councilmen must be registered voters in the City of Grosse Pointe for at least three years, rather than the present one year.

This especially concerns the Grosse Pointe Woods residents whose children attend Mason and Vernier school which are the most overcrowded elementary schools in the whole district. This writer is of the opinion that our board of education is making an error in judgement in doing this because:

As far as can be determined, the amendment has the whole-hearted support of the residents of the city, officials believe. There seems to be a unanimity of opinion to the effect that the city would be better off not to have the terms of all of the councilmen expire at one time, it has been pointed out. As the charter now reads a whole set of new officers might be elected, including a new mayor and new councilmen, which condition may feel would seriously impede the operation of the city government at least until the new officials had served long enough to become familiar with all the operations of the city. The amendment means, on the other hand, that even though all new officers were chosen by the electorate at any election, there would always be three councilmen who would hold over for two years. The value of their experience in municipal affairs and the resultant stability seems to be well recognized.

1. This community is the most rapidly growing part of the district is of a very permanent, sound and durable nature and therefore all additions of any kind to our public services should be of a permanent nature including school buildings.

2. The majority of people coming into this community are young and either have small children or in the near future intend starting their families, most of them having come out here because of the ideal conditions to rear children. Therefore making it practically impossible to at the present time overbuild the community in the matter of school buildings.

3. The constructions of frame, portable or prefabricated additions will lower the standard of our Grosse Pointe school buildings to a degree of which we in a high class residential district should be ashamed. Also the electorate, city officials announced.

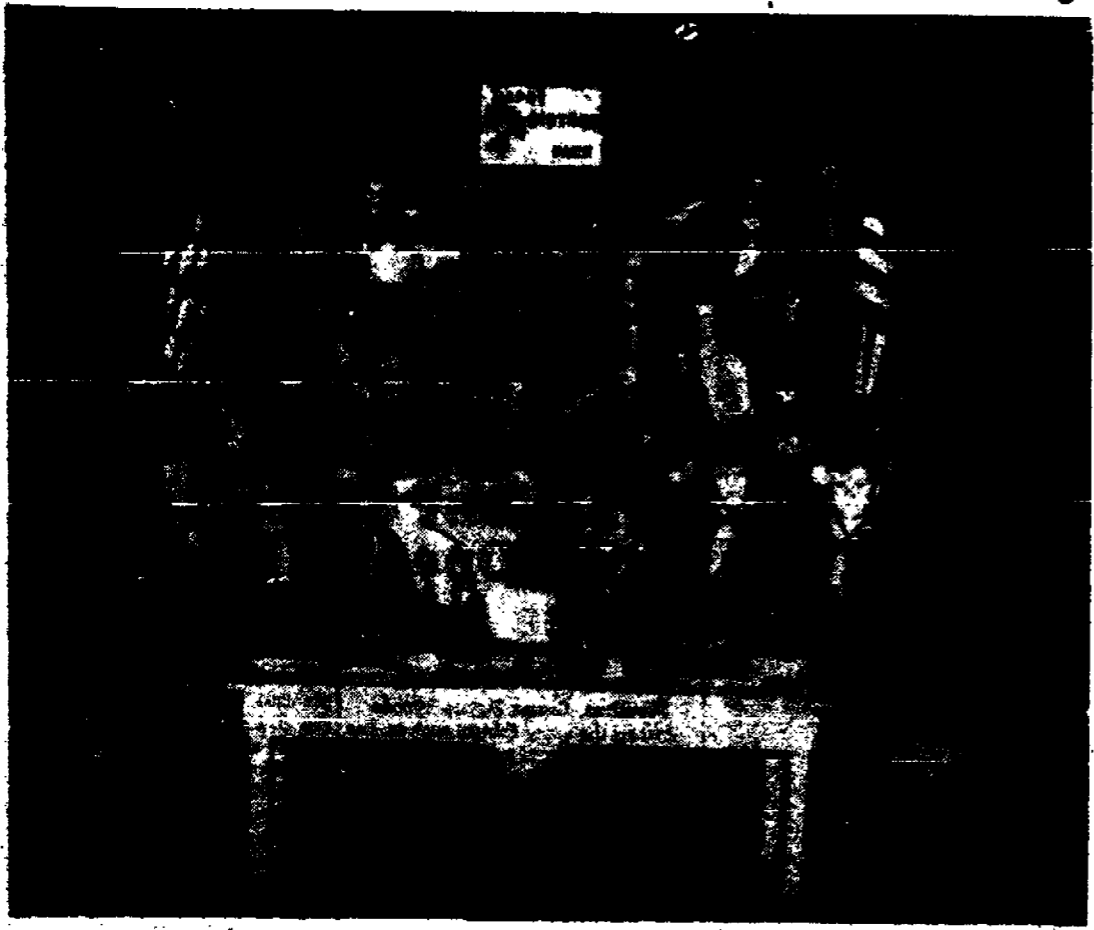
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## Commissioners and Clerk Sworn In



Township Justice C. Joseph Belanger (far right) swears in three Grosse Pointe Park residents who won offices at last week's annual village election. The three men from left to right are: Clerk William C. Stamman, Commissioner Henry C. Beyer, and Commissioner C. A. "Cap" Pfeiffer, who led the ticket. The ceremonies took place last Monday afternoon in the court room of the Park Municipal building.

# Cub Scouts Celebrate First Anniversary



Boy Scout Cub Pack No. 290, of Grosse Pointe Woods, celebrated its first anniversary at a party held in the Mason school on Friday evening, March 14. Charles Hitchings, Cubmaster, is shown standing in the center of the above group of Scouts smiling during the festivities.

## Woods' Cub Scouts Celebrate First Year With Birthday Party

Cub Pack 290, Boy Scouts of America, celebrated its first birthday at a party in Grosse Pointe Woods' Mason school, at the regular monthly meeting of the Pack on Friday evening, March 14. During the celebration, the Cubs and their parents shared the handicraft of the various dens which was on display and thrilled at the sight of a beautiful three-layer birthday cake. The cake was the centerpiece on a table decorated appropriately for St. Patrick's Day.

After the formal meeting, recognition was given by Charles Hitchings, Cubmaster, to the boys who had been in cubbing for one year and also to Mrs. Hugh McTavish, Den Mother, who was instrumental in organizing the pack. The Cubs participated in a game period under the direction of Joseph Hourihan, assistant Cubmaster, and a member of the Mason school staff, while the parents enjoyed a social hour. At 8:30 p.m., photographers from The Review arrived to take pictures of the boys. The birthday party was rounded out by the serving of cake and ice cream, under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. George Grove, members of the pack entertainment committee. Cub Pack 290 is sponsored by the PTA of the Mason school.

## Pres. Ghesquiere

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safety factor in these type of buildings is much lower than of the other buildings in the district.

4. The construction of portable or temporary structures has always proven to be false economy because these buildings will cost roughly \$3,500 per usable classroom in comparison with about \$10,000 per usable classroom in a permanent masonry building.

5. Whenever temporary or portable buildings are put adjacent to a school they are rarely ever removed and usually remain as an excuse not to construct permanent facilities.

6. A frame or portable addition will detract from the beauty and aesthetic effect of the present building and surroundings. As one of our citizens put it, "We do not like the idea of a bunch of glorified chicken coops in the back yard of the Mason school."

A favorite slogan of the school board is "A Community Is No Better Than Its Schools." This writer agrees wholeheartedly with that slogan and for that reason would not like to see our community standard lowered by the construction of temporary frame additions to our school.

At the beginning of this article, I praised the school system and the school board and I am still of the opinion that both are very good in spite of the error in judgment they are about to make.

Recently, some said to me, "I hear that you are fighting the school board in their attempt to put up portable buildings at Mason school?" My reply was that, that was farthest from my purpose.

In the past I have supported and voted for every member now on the board and together with the rest of this community have supported all of the constructive policies of that body.

Fighting the board will accomplish nothing. We should do all in our power to help them to build a permanent addition to Mason school. The nature of this help should be decided upon between the board and ourselves and may consist of any or all of the following:

1. It may mean that we together with the board should put on an informative and educational campaign telling the rest of the district of our urgent and dire need of a permanent addition. The majority of the people in the district are fair and open-minded and if our needs are presented clearly they will support us.

2. It may mean that if the board does not have the money available (preferring as they do to use the available money that they have to construct an industrial arts school at the high school location) that we may have to float a bond issue of about \$100,000 to build this addition facing the fact that it would increase our school tax rate about 35 cents per \$1,000 assessed valuation on our property which would increase the taxes on the average home in the Woods from \$1.50 to \$2.00 annually or about 14 to 17 cents per month which really would not be too hard to face.

3. It may mean that in the Spring, it may be necessary for us to help several of the members of the board get re-elected because if a bond issue is up at the same time as board members are, quite often reacts to the detriment of the members running for re-election. This has been true ever since the last depression because people especially in Grosse Pointe have been averse to increased bonded indebtedness.

Any or all of these things may be necessary to help the school board to build the permanent addition that we need and desire.

## Henry Lavers Named Woods Commissioner Following Recount

Throwing out five ballots that were improperly marked, Grosse Pointe Woods' commission last Thursday night recounted the votes cast at the recent village election and announced that Henry Lavers, of 538 Vernier road, had defeated William C. Gray, of 2158 Fiestwood drive, by seven votes for the third commissioner's post.

Lavers and Gray, originally tied at 445 votes apiece, finished behind Paul Marco and George M. Burgess in a spirited race for the commission seats. Lavers, incumbent, who handles fire department affairs, won an official draw handled by the commission but Gray demanded a recount be made of the ballots. Two slips, one marked "Elected" and the other "Not Elected" were placed in a hat by the commissioners. Gray drew first and pulled out the latter slip. Not satisfied with this result, Gray exercised his legal rights and asked for a recount of Precinct No. 2 covering all the territory east of Mack avenue and north of Vernier road, which he carried by a substantial majority.

Lavers retaliated by requesting a recount of Precinct No. 1, which takes in the remaining of the village not included in Precinct No. 2. The five ballots that were improperly marked were all cast in Precinct No. 2 and all bore Gray's name. Several other previously undiscovered illegal ballots were also thrown out by the commission.

Lavers, Marco, Burgess, and other elected village officials were sworn in to office by Village Clerk Phillip F. Alford during the recount meeting, which lasted until well after midnight.

## Adult Speech Class At Defer School Includes Grammar

Members of the Thursday evening adult speech and public affairs class at Defer school will be interested to know that a half-hour discussion of English grammar will be included in the course for the remainder of the term.

On several Thursday evenings, the instructor will also include a lecture demonstration in music appreciation, the last lecture being an appraisal and estimate of the music featured in the Walt Disney movie spectacle, "Fantasia". Anyone interested in any of the above topics is invited to attend any session of this class, which starts at 7:30 p.m. For further information call Mrs. John Flaucher, chairman of Adult Education of Defer school, at NI. 4775.

## Pointe Fashion Expert Will Address Women's Club Meeting Sunday

Beva York, owner of the gown shop on Fisher road, who has just returned from a buying trip to New York, will talk on the latest fashions for women at the meeting of the Grosse Pointe Professional Women's club on Wednesday, March 26.

All business or professional women who live or work in Grosse Pointe are cordially invited to attend this meeting. Dinner will be served promptly at 6:30 p.m. in the lounge of the Grosse Pointe Memorial church. Reservations may be made by telephoning Niagara 3773.

## High School Varsity Letter Winners Named By Athletic Director

Forrest Geary, veteran Grosse Pointe high school athletic director, announced early this week that varsity letters in basketball and swimming had been awarded to 24 local prep athletes.

Basketball letter winners were: Louis Charvat, Tom Conlter, Jack Dillen, Joe Faust, Glen Holt, Tom Ireland, Charles Lee, Charles Marzoff, Adolph Neeme, Mike Ware and Gordon Tanner.

Edwin Boothroyd was given a manager's emblem. Varsity swimming letters were awarded to: John Brink, Bill Carlson, Bill Chase, Wilber Greshlich, Bob Kandler, Herbert Lester, Martin Marsack, Bill Mesmer, Frank Mumford, Bernard O'Neil, Ben Orr, William Pickard and Ray Weaver.

Keith Toghiam received a manager's letter for his work with the football and swimming teams.

## Navy Commander Tells Of Large Sea to Air Transfer Movements

Definite proof that the navy is transferring a large portion of its forces from sea to air, is evidenced in information received today by Commander Carson R. Miller, navy recruiting officer in charge of this area.

"In keeping with its democratic policies, the navy is now offering its enlisted personnel the opportunity of becoming pilots," Miller stated. He continued, "the regular enlisted men of the navy who meet the requirements for pilot training will receive every opportunity to qualify as flying officers of the navy. Further, the educational requirements are waived in the cases of regular navy enlisted men."

The commander pointed out that enlistment in the regular navy now provides an opportunity for young men who are physically qualified, but who lack the educational qualifications, to receive the regular courses in flight training.

## Adult Ballroom Dance Class Will Be Formed At Richard School

An adult class in ballroom dancing will be organized in the Richard school gymnasium, Kercheval avenue and McKinley, Grosse Pointe Farms, on Thursday evening, March 27, at 8 p.m.

The class will be conducted by Arthur Carty, well-known Detroit dancing teacher. Carty is a graduate of the Arthur Murray Dance Studios, and has enjoyed tremendous success in teaching adults the modern dance steps. In addition to the standard steps, special emphasis will be placed on the fundamentals of the "rumba" and "conga". The fee for the 10 lessons will be \$2.00 for residents, and \$3.00 for non-residents.

The class is sponsored by the Grosse Pointe Board of Education, and further information may be secured by calling Forrest Geary, director of adult education, at NI. 2000.

## BASKETBALL TOURNEY

With a record entry of 30 teams from 28 cities, 10 states, and Canada, plans were completed for the sixth annual Serbian-American National Basketball tournament, which will open Friday morning, March 21, with two final round games being played at the Detroit Naval Armory, East Jefferson, near the Belle Isle bridge.

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## LENTEN BOOK REVIEW TEA

Members of the General Guild Auxiliary of St. Columba Episcopal church are inviting their friends to a book review tea on Wednesday, March 26, at 2:30 p.m., in the parish building, 1028 Manistique avenue. Guest speaker for the afternoon will be Miss Harriet Harwood, who will review a group of interesting books which will also be on display. A social hour and tea will follow the program, with Mrs. Philip Clark acting as chairman. At the table, Mrs. William H. Meredith and Mrs. Luther S. Trowbridge will pour, assisted by Misses Jacqueline Shepherd, Joanne Ling, and Jean Van Dyke.

## Detroit Institute of Arts

Friday, March 21, 3:30 p.m.—Paid lecture course, illustrated, "Early Italian Print Makers — Mantegna" by Isabel Weadock.  
Saturday, March 22, 1:15 p.m., Radio talk, station WWJ, "The Human Side of Art" by John D. Morse.



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**Sewer Proposals Gratiot Township**  
Sealed Proposals will be received by the Township Board of Gratiot Township, Wayne County, Michigan, at the Eastwood School on Eastwood Drive in said Township until 8:00 P.M., Eastern Standard Time, March 26, 1941, and then publicly opened, for furnishing materials and equipment and performing all labor necessary to construct approximately 4,240 feet of 12-inch sewer and appurtenances in East Park Manor Subdivisions.  
Plans, specifications, and proposal blanks may be obtained at the office of George Jerome and Co., Township Engineers, 1850 National Bank Building, Detroit, Michigan. A charge of five dollars will be made for each set of plans and specifications. This charge will be refunded for each set returned in good condition within ten days after date of opening of bids.  
A certified check or bidders bonds, payable to the Township Treasurer, in the amount of five per cent of the bid will be required with each proposal as evidence of good faith. The successful bidder will be required to furnish 100% statutory lien and performance bonds.  
The Township Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any defects therein.  
**Eugene C. Plornack,**  
TOWNSHIP CLERK,  
Township of Gratiot.

At the beginning of this article, I praised the school system and the school board and I am still of the opinion that both are very good in spite of the error in judgment they are about to make. Recently, some said to me, "I hear that you are fighting the school board in their attempt to put up portable buildings at Mason school?" My reply was that, that was farthest from my purpose. In the past I have supported and voted for every member now on the board and together with the rest of this community have supported all of the constructive policies of that body. Fighting the board will accomplish nothing. We should do all in our power to help them to build a permanent addition to Mason school. The nature of this help should be decided upon between the board and ourselves and may consist of any or all of the following: 1. It may mean that we together with the board should put on an informative and educational campaign telling the rest of the district of our urgent and dire need of a permanent addition. The majority of the people in the district are fair and open-minded and if our needs are presented clearly they will support us. 2. It may mean that if the board does not have the money available (preferring as they do to use the available money that they have to construct an industrial arts school at the high school location) that we may have to float a bond issue of about \$100,000 to build this addition facing the fact that it would increase our school tax rate about 35 cents per \$1,000 assessed valuation on our property which would increase the taxes on the average home in the Woods from \$1.50 to \$2.00 annually or about 14 to 17 cents per month which really would not be too hard to face. 3. It may mean that in the Spring, it may be necessary for us to help several of the members of the board get re-elected because if a bond issue is up at the same time as board members are, quite often reacts to the detriment of the members running for re-election. This has been true ever since the last depression because people especially in Grosse Pointe have been averse to increased bonded indebtedness. Any or all of these things may be necessary to help the school board to build the permanent addition that we need and desire. "A Community Is No Better Than Its Schools."

## Army Doctors Reject Four Points Draftees

According to the latest word from Wayne county's selective service headquarters, four of 41 men supplied by Grosse Pointe's Draft Board 57 last Wednesday have been rejected due to physical defects.

The men turned down by army doctors were Joseph C. Christians, Walter J. Froelich, Leonard J. Golems, and Simon Schorer. Frederick R. Maedel, of 1220 Maryland avenue, Grosse Pointe Park, who volunteered recently was transferred to a group tagged for "further examination."

Howard L. Hartzog, who was scheduled for induction last week, has appealed his case to a special board, local draft officials announced. The case of Raymond E. Harms, of 1434 Grayton road, Grosse Pointe Park, who is a physical education teacher in the Detroit school system, is still being considered by the board. Sidney Hilgenford, of 344 Ridge road, Grosse Pointe Farms, was bed-ridden last week with an attack of flu and was moved over onto Call No. 5 scheduled for induction in mid-April.

Two other possible draftees were checked off the list last week. Dale E. Stalker, of 677 Lake Shore road, Grosse Pointe Shores, enlisted in the National Guard and William J. Lancaster has been accepted by the army air corps.

Early this week, David S. Smith (Order No. 2122), of 180 Ridge road, Grosse Pointe Farms, visited Board 57's headquarters in the Grosse Pointe Park Municipal building and volunteered. April's call No. 5 will take nearly 50 Grosse Pointe men, it is believed.

Last Monday, county draft authorities announced that Board 57, along with several other northeast Detroit boards, had been transferred to Medical Advisory Board 22 with headquarters in the Charles G. Jennings hospital. Since the draft registration in November, Board 57 had been under Medical Board No. 2 operating out of a hospital in Hamtramck.

In the first four calls, Grosse Pointe and Gratiot townships have supplied 54 men. A large part of this number, originally stationed at Fort Custer in Battle Creek, has been transferred to camps in California. Questionnaires have now been sent to the first 1,100 of the 3,161 men registered. Clerk C. Ernest Briggs stated yesterday.

## "Back Street" And Marriage Comedy Booked At Punch

Happy, hilarious laughter is the major purpose of "This Thing Called Love." Columbia's outrageously riotous new comedy which plays at the Punch and Judy theatre Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Rosalind Russell and Melvyn Douglas star in this merry piece of marriage. A top-notch cast, including Bonnie Barnes and Allyn Josby, is excellent background.

Packed with the same emotional dramatic elements which made the original novel so popular, Universal's picturization of Fannie Hurst's "Back Street," starring Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullavan, is one of the outstanding productions of this or any other season. The production which plays at the Punch and Judy theatre next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, has not slighted any of the sensational drama of the novel. In picture form, it contains every one of the tense dramatic situations, emotional climaxes which lifted the novel when published, into six-figure sales literally over night.

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**Movie Will Be Shown At Joint Meeting Of Mothers'-Men's Clubs**

Dennis Glenn Cooper will be the guest speaker at the next joint meeting of the Mothers' club and the Men's club on Monday evening, March 24, at 7:30 p.m. in Grosse Pointe high school auditorium.

Cooper will present a moving picture and travelogue entitled, "Across the Great Lakes to Isle Royale." He has spent many Summers on Isle Royale and the surrounding islands, making a study of the wild life and native vegetation. His color photography is remarkable for its beauty and charm, and his humorous as well as explanatory comments are of particular interest to the audience.

Also on the program, will be a short talk by Miss Gertrude Barlow about the Visiting Nurses Association. All parents of Grosse Pointe senior and junior high school students are invited to this meeting.

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G. P. WOODS RECREATION			
Team	1	2	3 Total
Cook	144	166	142 452
Sullivan	154	173	127 454
Mastian	117	110	114 341
Maioranu	195	168	191 544
Lucido	176	156	141 473
Totals	776	773	715 2264

OLDBRU BEER			
S. Palozzolo	143	189	125 457
Herbert	121	153	155 429
DeGaech	221	167	176 564
Davi	192	181	167 540
Rife	146	153	149 448
Handicap	10	10	10 30
Totals	833	853	772 2468

COUNTY LINE SERVICE			
M. Elias	168	177	150 495
Summers	116	155	145 416
J. Miller	145	134	145 424
S. Wilsynski	177	170	205 552
H. Elias	194	135	129 458
Handicap	11	11	11 33
Totals	811	782	785 2379

G. P. WOODS SERVICE			
Marshall	158	144	171 473
Grayson	201	133	147 481
Robillard	178	164	116 458
Trombley	163	159	127 449
Rex	114	198	154 466
Totals	814	798	715 2327

HOOP - DE - DOO			
Defer	120	184	101 405
Kopietz	146	146	146 438
Davidson	175	124	103 402
Hansen	129	129	129 387
Tib	170	136	139 445
Handicap	35	35	35 105
Totals	775	754	653 2182

NORBERT F. DENK			
Mamer	146	178	194 518
Kuss	146	123	135 404
Nightingale	100	140	177 417
Krimmel	141	152	202 495
Boye	143	184	141 468
Totals	676	777	849 2302

PIONEER SPECIALTIES			
Fisher	159	149	175 483
Kimber	133	168	169 470
Bugon	134	154	173 461
Morton	134	160	134 428
Wolf	180	213	189 582
Totals	740	844	840 2424

KOPIETZ INSURANCE			
Waldner	157	129	151 437
Stanley	132	144	172 448
Meacham (avg.)	123	123	123 369
Morehouse	152	117	100 369
A. Meacham	135	107	125 367
Handicap	25	25	25 75
Totals	724	645	696 2065

BETTER MADE CHIPS			
Kronberg	153	158	139 450
Williams	147	160	159 466
Reilly	142	135	126 403
Huwaree	162	114	138 414
Brecht	134	139	153 426
Totals	738	706	715 2159

ATHMAN STOKERS			
Stock	145	139	172 456
G. Athman	126	97	114 337
Munson	149	190	141 480
L. Athman	158	137	138 423
Craft	130	131	168 429
Handicap	95	95	95 285
Totals	803	789	818 2410

SHEPLERS CLEANERS			
Ross	195	146	176 517
Winkelbauer	212	134	148 494
Richards	109	143	153 405
Weaver	136	118	165 419
Ketchum	152	142	148 442
Handicap	52	52	52 156
Totals	856	735	842 2433

AMERICAN ARM. WINDING			
Hoxie	138	156	192 486
Cordes	127	137	159 423
Nauman	144	137	170 451
Miller	205	171	183 559
Schroeder	183	144	177 504
Totals	797	745	881 2423

**Spanish Class Added To Adult Program**  
Another adult class in beginning Spanish will be held on Monday and Wednesday evenings, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., at Grosse Pointe high school, starting Monday, March 24.  
Enrollment for the advanced Spanish class which meets on Tuesday and Friday evenings, 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., will be made Tuesday, March 25.  
Mrs. Glens Fossatti will teach both classes which are sponsored by the Grosse Pointe Board of Education. For further information call Ernest Geary, director of adult education at NL 2000. Fees for the 12 lessons are \$300 for residents, and \$450 for non-residents.

**G. P. Business Men's Bowling League**

GROSSE POINTE PRINTING			
Players:	1	2	3 Total
Elkins	169	198	156 523
Bell	129	148	156 433
R. Oldham	172	101	177 450
R. Oldham	131	130	145 396
Daniels	161	160	178 499
Handicap	12	12	12 36
Totals	774	739	824 2337

ROYAL RECREATION			
Nettschke	137	189	129 455
Heiny	134	127	125 386
Gillette	119	147	159 421
Perkins	182	136	162 480
Thompson	133	189	154 476
Handicap	13	13	13 39
Totals	705	788	728 2221

CRAMER ELECTRIC			
Howe	166	123	160 449
Cramer	149	160	187 496
Muntz	147	147	147 441
Shoaks	166	194	139 499
Trombly	178	140	166 484
Handicap	13	13	13 39
Totals	819	777	812 2408

OAK CLEANERS			
June	144	172	150 466
Stutt	155	162	141 458
McCarron	198	137	181 516
T. Beupre	161	162	159 482
Thayer	192	157	145 494
Totals	850	790	776 2416

JANET'S LUNCH			
Fletcher	159	143	180 482
Van Hooren	211	144	153 508
Rosse	124	174	166 464
Lundberg	173	184	141 428
Weins	147	172	131 450
Handicap	16	16	16 48
Totals	814	817	871 2402

PICHE'S BARBER SHOP			
C. Piche	158	121	157 436
R. Piche	97	108	126 331
Johnson	153	135	154 442
Allard	150	157	141 448
T. Beupre	169	190	184 543
Handicap	16	16	16 48
Totals	743	727	758 2228

WARREN - YORKSHIRE			
Alleman	148	177	174 499
Bloss	129	187	151 467
Korb	173	132	180 485
Nettloff	145	165	141 451
Nutter	145	164	151 460
Totals	740	825	797 2362

KORB'S SERVICE			
Pate	146	172	151 469
Cross	163	127	143 433
Korb	175	161	138 474
Krause	169	156	213 538
Roy	158	139	167 464
Handicap	10	10	10 30
Totals	821	765	822 2408

Standings			
Oak Cleaners	62	800	
Warren - Yorkshire	61	831	
Korb's Service	60	818	
Janet's Lunch	51	796	
Cramer Electric	49	783	
Grosse Pointe Printing	44	763	
Piche's Barber Shop	38	774	
Royal Recreation	35	791	

**Grosse Pointe Unitarian Church**  
Merrill Otis Bates, minister of the Grosse Pointe Unitarian church, which meets in the Alger museum at 11 a.m. every Sunday is planning a series of sermons on "The Seven Last Words." "Woman, Behold Thy Son, Son, Behold Thy Mother," will be this Sunday's topic.  
The congregation will have an old fashioned dance in the Detroit University school on Saturday evening, March 22. On March 29 they will have a joint supper with the congregation of the church of Our Father, Unitarian-Universalist.

**At the Punch & Judy**



Charles Boyer and Margaret Sullivan, the co-stars in Universal's picture of the Fannie Hurst love classic, "Back Street," which plays at the Punch and Judy theatre next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

**Pontiac High Downs Pointers in Season's Closing Encounter**

By DICK BODYCOMBE

Successfully past the first barrier (Royal Oak), Grosse Pointe high's unpredictable cage squad faltered in the second round of the annual state regional basketball tournament held in Ferndale's new gym last Friday night and was soundly trounced by Pontiac high 39-21.

Over four minutes of the first quarter elapsed before Pontiac opened the scoring, and quickly grabbed a 9-2 lead. The "Chiefs," as the Pontiac athletic teams are nicknamed, opened wide their bag of scoring tricks in the second and third periods and ran up a huge lead. Dropping further and further behind, the "Blue Devils" were left holding the short end of a 35-17 count at the start of the final quarter. Both squads were held to four points in the final period, as a flood of substitutions slowed play down to a walk.

The "Chiefs," who finished in second place in the Saginaw Valley league during the regular season, defeated Hazel Park high on Saturday night and captured the regional crown.  
Tonight at 8:15 p.m., Pontiac meets Bay City high in Saginaw's Arthur Hill high school gym. The defending state championship squad, Flint Northern, has already been eliminated.

"Chuck" Marzoff, Grosse Pointe's dependable captain and the squad's leading point scorer during the season, tallied three field goals and a foul shot to pace the "Blue Devils" in the Pontiac contest. Adolph Neeme, husky forward, scored three baskets for second place honors. Jimmy Read, Pontiac's large Negro sharpshooter, and Bill O'Hearn did the most damage for the winners, accounting for 17 points between them.

In the first round of the regional meet, two days before the Pontiac game, Grosse Pointe downed Royal Oak in a spectacular upset 24-23. Defeated four times straight by the "Oaks" during the past two years, the Pointers "shot their wad" in an unexpected flash of offensive brilliance.

Tom Coulter, lanky, bespectacled Pointe center, played his finest game of the year scoring seven big points. Marzoff and Neeme added their share with six apiece. Eric von Eberstein, Royal Oak ace, connected on three baskets and a charity toss to lead his squad.

Their uniforms packed away for another season, Coach Forrest "Pep" Geary and his 1940-41 edition can look back on a moderately successful season of 11 victories and five defeats. In addition to the recent Royal Oak conquest, other highlights of the schedule included a 21-18 victory over Fordson, and a 35-20 win over Port Huron's vaunted quintet.

**Kerby School Notes**

The newly reorganized Girl Scout troop No. 129 has been meeting at Kerby school for several weeks. Twenty-four girls from Kerby's fifth and sixth grades and junior high school are members.  
Miss Margaret Edwards is the leader-captain of the troop, and Mrs. Vondale Brickley is assisting her in an advisory capacity.  
Any eligible girls who are interested may visit meetings on Friday evenings at seven o'clock in the Kerby school gym.

**HOLD TEA**

The Alpha Sigma Chi sorority held their annual "Rushes Tea" at the home of Tina Poppy in Pleasant Ridge, Mich., last Sunday afternoon, March 16. Ping pong and other indoor games entertained the "rushes," Judy Kurvis, publicity chairman of the sorority, announced Monday. Guests who attended were Alyce McCoy, Jean MacKay, Agnes Lynch, Julius Strouse, Marge Edwards, Merrill Spaulding, Bette Edwards, Dorothy Sarenburg, Mary Weiler, Connie Hendrick, and Lois Bonnah.

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"WE LEAD, OTHERS FOLLOW"

City of Grosse Pointe and WRDR

Now that the future operation of Grosse Pointe Township Police Radio Station WRDR is assured by reason of Grosse Pointe Park retaining its status as a village, it would appear that the City of Grosse Pointe should open negotiations with township officials for a resumption of the township police radio service.

The city now has a limited range service. Broadcasts are made only to its own scout cars. In the event of a major catastrophe or crime, it is now necessary to contact the township police radio station in a round-about way, through Grosse Pointe Farms. This results in delay that might some day prove very costly to some citizen.

We believe that citizens of the City of Grosse Pointe are entitled to as good police radio service as the four other Grosse Pointe municipalities. The township radio is here to serve the entire Grosse Pointe area. There appears to be no valid reason why the City of Grosse Pointe does not make use of the township radio. The additional protection would be well worth any extra cost that might be entailed.

Politics should play no part in this decision. Public safety should be above that.

Do Grosse Pointers Lack Music Appreciation?

Grosse Pointers paid poor tribute to the University of Michigan concert band of 105 pieces on the occasion of its second Grosse Pointe appearance at John D. Pierce Junior high school on March 12. An audience that barely filled one-half of the auditorium greeted one of the finest concert bands in the United States.

Those who were fortunate enough to attend this concert heard some very fine music. Conductor William D. Revelli enjoys a national reputation and the encores demanded by its audience proved that the band was a five-star hit.

We believe that on the next appearance of the University of Michigan band here, all community organizations should join in assuring a sellout crowd in advance of the playing date.

The band certainly deserves an S. R. O. audience. Grosse Pointe should see to that from now on.

Woods Saves by Refinancing; Must Watch Future Expenditures

Grosse Pointe Woods officials are to be congratulated upon their recent refinancing of all village debt. A saving in interest rate of one-half per cent was made. With the village debt reduced to \$1,000,000, increasing population, Woods taxpayers should enjoy a lower tax rate.

Village President Ghesquiere voices the fear that at some future time an attempt might be made to promote the sale of special assessment bonds to finance improvements in new subdivisions.

The answer to that problem, Mr. Ghesquiere, is the adoption of a firm policy by the village commission, that all improvements in new subdivisions be PAID FOR IN FULL by owners or promoters of the subdivision BEFORE approval of such subdivision by the village commission.

In communities where this policy has been adhered to, special assessment bonds have never been a serious problem. The scavenger tax sale discloses the fallacy of local governments permitting land promoters to increase public debt by issuance of special assessment bonds on new subdivision improvements. The trouble starts when lot owners fail to pay their taxes.

With the FHA approving loans up to 90 per cent of the value of house and lot, most lots are sold today for cash. Therefore a requirement that subdivision improvements be paid for by the owners, when made, should not deter the development of land now necessary for population growth. Any other method of financing subdivision improvements savors of pre-depression wildcat land promotion schemes. Grosse Pointe Woods should be careful.

Public Letter Box

Mr. Robert Law Crinnian, c/o Grosse Pointe Review, Grosse Pointe, Michigan. My dear Mr. Crinnian: Our association wishes to take this opportunity to express its appreciation for the very fine article that you wrote recently in The Grosse Pointe Review. Your acknowledgment was very noble and democratic.

names easily misleads the uninformed and causes much confusion. The "Citizens Committee" in Gratiot Township could perform a great public service if they would choose to list the qualifications of all candidates fairly so that the public could judge a candidate on his merits as to character, ability, experience and public record. They know, however, that if they did this their political slate could not win and they have therefore elected to become a "pressure group" publicly announcing their opposition to re-election of certain men now in office. Others, such as Treasurer Jones and his brother, Justice Jones, who incidentally will sit on the board together if re-elected, are favored sons of the committee because they have "catered" to its founder, Mr. Matthew M. Goebel, who is not even a resident of the township.

Editor, The Grosse Pointe Review. Dear Editor: Many of the newcomers and even a few of the older residents in Gratiot Township are under the impression that the "Citizens Committee" in Gratiot Township perform the same public service as the Detroit Citizens League does in that city. The similarity in

Why does Mr. Goebel choose to direct the affairs of the township through the "committees" candidates of Houtekier, Korson, Jones and Company? He has no civic interest — he isn't even a resident. Does he secure easy money somewhere? Will he become our next water director? It's an appointment. Does he propose to "flim-flam" the residents of the township through some of his "confidence" deals? The only way the electors can be sure, is to keep Houtekier, Korson, Jones and Goebel out of the township offices. The intelligent and well-informed voter will view with distaste the political efforts of this group to keep alive "party sales" which have no basis. (Continued on Page Five)

The Oldtimer

LISTENING TO YOU BOYS COMPLAINING ABOUT THE SCHOOL-BUS, REMINDS ME OF THE TIME WHEN I USE TO HIKE FIVE MILES TO SCHOOL IN THE MORNING AND FIVE MILES BACK HOME IN THE EVENING. RAIN OR SHINE, HOT OR COLD: WE USED TO COMPLAIN ABOUT THE WEATHER, BUT IT DIDN'T DO NO GOOD



News Digest

Jumping the Gun Department — In spite of the overwhelming defeat of the "city plan" in Grosse Pointe Park last week, Township Justice Joseph C. Belanger unknowingly addressed Village Clerk William G. Stammen as "City Clerk" when he inaugurated Stammen and Commissioners C. A. "Cap" Pfeffer and Henry E. Beyster last Monday afternoon during ceremonies in the Park Municipal building's courtroom.

Orn Beaupre, popular Detroit golf pro and a member of one of Grosse Pointe's oldest families, was rescued from a sinking yacht in the Atlantic ocean off Gulf Port, Miss., on Tuesday, March 11, by the United States Coast Guard Cutter "Magnolia". On board the "Magnolia" was another Grosse Pointe resident, Wilfred DesRocher, who will be remembered by many as the popular young right-hander on the Grosse Pointe Farms' baseball team during part of last Summer.

On the recommendation of Grosse Pointe Park's police chief, Henry W. Fiel, the Wayne county road commission is now studying plans for the removal of the bulky traffic signal pole standing in the middle of East Jefferson avenue at Wayburn, and the substitution of a modern overhead light. Also parallel parking on Jefferson in the block between Maryland and Wayburn avenues will soon be eliminated, Fiel stated yesterday.

If the Japanese are so intent on establishing a "New Order" in Asia, why don't they wise up the poor Chinamen on this reading from right to left, and bottom to top business?

Aha! — Received a letter from a college friend the other day, it started out — "Dear Dick, sorry I haven't written sooner but I have 12 good reasons, and eight of them are women!"

Johnny Biringier, University of Detroit football and basketball star, will be remembered by many Grosse Pointe golfers as one of Lochmoor Country club's most vociferous caddies!

Now that Grosse Pointe Farms' voters have O.K.'d the sale of Kerby field, it is doubtful if the Grosse Pointe Baseball league will be able to obtain permission to use same, thus practically breaking up the infant circuit of one year's standing.

The much-awaited draft classification of Henry Ford II is causing local board officials no little trouble. Constantly badgered by the three Detroit newspapers, the Associated Press and the United Press, Grosse Pointe board members are proceeding cautiously with "kid gloves" gingerly weighing every small fact. Henry II can claim deferment for two reasons — he is married, and due to his connection with the Ford airplane division, he is therefore employed in a "key" national defense industry. Many Detroit businessmen believe that Ford will not be classified as I-A, subject to immediate call, but placed in a lower grouping on tap for "limited service."

Observation — Grosse Pointe Woods is growing so fast, that every time you turn around to watch the construction of a new house another sub-division springs up behind your back!

On the Rocks Department — From Detroit comes an announcement that Mrs. Ida M. Whitney, of 544 Washington road, City of Grosse Pointe, has been granted a divorce in circuit court from David M. Whitney, of Pasadena, Calif. Married May 19, 1934, the couple

ball tourney last Spring. Most intriguing of the many facts presented were: "the most active player timed, moved faster than a walk in only 12 minutes and 59 seconds of the 40 minute game. On the average, each player covered 4.8 miles in the course of a regular contest."

William F. McGraw, Jr., of 1112 Kensington road, Grosse Pointe Park, is playing the role of Lucas, one of the three student leaders in Sigmund Romberg's operetta "Student Prince," now singing the role of Lucas, one of the House. The troupe will leave on an eight week's tour of the country, following Saturday's evening performance, McGraw announced in a recent letter to his parents.

For Sale or Rent — One slightly used Italian vice-consulate's office, 2323 Barium tower, Detroit, Michigan, U. S. A. Address all inquiries to Benito "They Can't Do This to Me" Mussoini, c/o The Home for Unemployed Golden Brick-layers, "somewhere" in Southern Italy.

Word that for economical reasons, English newspapers have agreed to reduce their issues to four pages twice a week, and that daylight saving's time has been advanced to two hours instead of one, must make the canny Scot break into a thousand grins. Which brings to mind an old Scotch yarn that has been worn thin at banquet tables for the past 50 years. It seems that a fervent British leader was loudly extolling the virtues of the English empire before a huge holiday crowd. Bringing his verbal solo to a breath-taking climax, the speaker crowed, "I was born an Englishman, I lived my life as an Englishman, and I'll die an Englishman." An unexpected hush spread over the impressed audience, but from the last row a voice unmistakably Scotch roared, "Man, 'ave ye no ambition!"

Paul A. Rehms, ex-principal of Grosse Pointe high school who is now serving in the same capacity at Lakewood (Ohio) high, helped celebrate an unexpected athletic victory last Friday night when the school's basketball team won the state regional Class A basketball championship for the territory in and around Cleveland. For the first time in 16 years, Lakewood has now qualified for the state tournament to be held in Columbus this week-end.

Bernard Cornille, 26, of 1324 Balfour road, Grosse Pointe Park, has been accepted by the United States army air corps and will leave for training school at Oklahoma City, Okla., in the near future. Originally scheduled to depart with 20 other Michigan applicants last Monday, Cornille was unable to complete final preparations and has been put over into the next group to be called from Michigan.

Sport Shorts — Abe Simon, ape-like leather tossing giant, who battles Champion Joe Louis in the ring at Olympia tomorrow night, dropped a 10-round decision in his last bout to a young "unknown" heavyweight in Baltimore in February. . . . Seton Hall college, the small eastern school that presented Ed Sadowski, huge Detroit "Eagles" center, to professional basketball, has chaffed up two successive undefeated seasons and a string of 40 straight wins. . . . Grandstand "jockeys" that have counted out Johnny Vander Meer, Cincinnati's southpaw pitcher of double no-hit fame, should take another look at the finger's 1940 record in the American Association, where he set a new mark of 9.34 strikeouts per nine inning game. . . . Some "you got-a show me" Missouri statistic hounds compiled a few very interesting figures:

The Home Front

By ROBERT LAW CRINNIAN

The opinions, and beliefs, expressed by the writer, do not necessarily express those of this publication.

On several occasions our President has intimated that he desired some indication of the public's reaction to the growing number of strikes in plants engaged in the re-armorment program.

On Saturday, March 15th, of this year, our President, again, issued a veiled warning that drastic steps would be taken to prevent "unhappy" strikes of the "quickie type". This form of strike is viewed by Government officials, and the general public as just another form of sabotage.

Every loyal writer, and editor in America, took up the cue at the issuance of the first Presidential warning and began to expose the real purpose, as well as the persons, behind the plan to "hamstring" American war-production by strike-sabotage. As a result, the public's conscience has been re-vitalized, and re-awakened, to the extent that our citizens now demand an end to all strike between labor and industry.

A CASE IN POINT On Friday, March 8th, approximately 450 employees of the Federal Motor Truck Company went on strike after giving a five-day notice of their intention. This walk-out occurred before the invoked thirty-day "cooling-off" period had expired, governing both the employer and the employees in all "man's engaged in the re-armorment production program."

The Federal Motor Truck Company obtained a five million dollar war-contract to manufacture army trucks and aircraft crash-trucks, both of which are of vital importance to the Nation.

Many months were spent in drafting the plans and re-tooling the plant to produce the specially built trucks. To date, one army truck has been delivered and the aircraft crash-trucks are now ready for the production-line.

The cash reserves of the Company—several millions of dollars—were steadily depleted during the past several years of the depression. Therefore, the Government re-armorment contract was obtained at a time when the cash reserves of the Company had been reduced to a few thousands of dollars; at a time when the Company was struggling to survive.

The Company, hearing rumors of an impending strike, attempted to prevent a work-stoppage by negotiating with the officials of the local of the UAW-CIO, but after almost two weeks of haggling, the negotiations are still at a standstill. (The Company began the negotiations in February).

The demands made upon the Company by the officials of local UAW-CIO, were: A closed shop—a hour—unrestricted use of the Company's bulletin-board, and the right to solicit prospective members for the local, the UAW-CIO, upon Company time.

The Company has refused to permit coercion of the workers who do not wish to become members of the Union, nor will they agree to permit—or pay for—the solicitation of new members on the company's property. The wage increase of five cents per hour has been granted.

The Company will agree to the use of their bulletin-board to post notices of meetings and other activities, but they will not—and have not—agreed to allow the bulletin-boards to be used as a media of propaganda—especially when the boards are used to agitate, or incite, the employees against some other company, or organization.

When the Federal Motor Truck Company is not interested, or concerned, with.

MUSIC STUDIOS Earl William Morse' music studios in the Tuller hotel are well equipped to supply the Grosse Pointe student, young or old, with the very finest in Detroit's selection of musical instructors. Morse, who was dean of the violin department of the Detroit Foundation Music school from 1936 to 1940, is assisted by Leoni Johnson, Elwood Engel, and Gwen DeLany. Private or class lessons may be arranged for by dialing CH. 5200 or TO. 5-6293.

The Company has agreed to allow the Union to collect dues, from the members, during working hours — on Company time.

AN APPEAL TO JUDGMENT This writer wishes to go on record as favoring the attempt of labor in obtaining the rights that should be accorded them. Certainly, no true American desires to hamper the cause of labor. But when some of the demands are brought out into the light of day, and examined, some of their aspects would be held to be childish if it were not for the fact that these very same demands are made at a time when the Nation is struggling to re-arm.

In this instance the workers have obtained the most important concession from the Company—the increase in pay. The closed shop demand cannot be given consideration during this crisis. The bulletin-boards are the property of the Company. If the Union obtains the right to post notices of meetings etc., that should be sufficient.

Our loyal American workers should elect officers to represent them, who have some understanding of the rights of the GREAT MAJORITY, or labor will play the same tragic role that it played in the pre-Democratic nations of Europe—the role that finally resulted in its being led, by utterly stupid, or designing, leaders to

ENSLAVEMENT. The choice, is up to the rank and file of our workers, for all reasonable demands will be granted. Unreasonable demands, that tie up re-armorment production, will most certainly result in a absolute Government control. Please accept the above message in the spirit in which it is intended. I reiterate—that the general public is "fed-up."

Adventurer Relates Of Expedition Down The New Burma Road An exciting expedition down the Burma Road, Marco Polo's ancient route, will be revealed in motion pictures and accompanying commentary at the Detroit Institute of Arts, Woodward at Kirby, next Sunday, March 23, at 3:30 p.m., and again that evening at 8:30 p.m., by Nicol Smith, famous explorer and author of the best-seller, "Burma Road."

Smith was the first occidental to travel over the Burma Road after it was improved to serve as modern China's one remaining link with the western nations. He encountered Chinese bandits, witnessed the strange ceremonies of natives who dwell along the highway, visited the Koochi tin mines where death claims one-third of the workers every year, and had other amazing adventures, all of which he tells in his motion pictures and accompanying word stories.

Even before he was graduated from Stanford University, Nicol Smith began his life of adventure. When only 16, he paddled the length of the Rhine river. A few months later, he was captured by a 300-pound native princess in the South Seas. In Russia, he was married and divorced within an hour, just to prove it could be done. In all, he has visited 54 countries.

Farms Library Starts New Time Schedule On Tuesday, March 25th The Grosse Pointe board of education has announced new hours for the Grosse Pointe Farms library, which is located on the second floor of the Farms' Municipal building on Kerby road.

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Beginning March 25, the library will be open on Tuesdays from 1-5 and 6-8:30 p.m., and Thursdays from 1-5 p.m. The new hours will give those who work an opportunity to use the library during the evening.

The Farms' library has a collection of 623 books, 353 for adults and 279 for children. In addition, the librarian is glad to bring books to answer specific requests or books on subjects not represented in the collection.

According to the last report, there were 333 borrowers registered at the Farms library. During February, 590 books were issued for home reading. Officials hope that the increased hours of opening will make it possible for more of the people in this village to make use of this library service.

Mason School Notes The next meeting of the Mason school PTA will be held at the school on Tuesday evening, March 25. The time from 7:45 to 8:15 p.m. has been set aside for parents to visit classrooms to meet the teachers and see displays of the children's work.

During the formal meeting which will begin at 8:15 p.m., officers for the year 1941-42 will be elected. The speaker of the evening will be Dr. Lavinia G. MacKay, of the University of Michigan Elementary school. Miss MacKay will discuss the psychology of the pre-school and elementary school child.

The children in Miss Clemens' 3A class entertained their parents and the lower grades at Mason school by giving a Spring program on Friday, March 14.

The Grosse Pointe Review is read every week by 25,000 readers in Grosse Pointe and Gratiot Township.

Dr. Ernest F. Denne OPTOMETRIST Wishes to Announce the Opening Of His New Offices in the Ketry Building 16853 Harper at Grayton Phone TUxedo 2-4564 Eyes Examined and Glasses Prescribed

BOOK REVIEW
This afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Thursday book group will meet at 1388 Yorkshire road, and hear a review of

Armine Tempki's "Born in Paradise" by Mrs. Carlos Fosatti. This is a tale of life in the Hawaiian Islands.

Public Letter B-O-X

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truth and will judge every candidate on his own merits as to character, ability and public record. "PROVO FOR SUPERVISOR COM."

Grosse Pointe Review. To the Editor:

I have been a member of the Gratiot Township Citizens Committee since its beginning. I therefore feel qualified to speak on its record, what it is and what it stands for. Much more so than a Mr. George Clark, who allowed himself to "sign a letter" and have it placed in this letter box last week.

mittee, as he had never been to any of our meetings, which are all open to the public. Knowing that no one from our committee was giving out any such statements, such as he claims were made to him, a few of our members paid a visit to Mr. Clark. If any person was really going around and making such statements, we wanted to have him identified.

Mr. Clark was not quite sure about who this "person" was. As a matter of fact, when asked he didn't even know about the Citizens Committee, what it was or what it stood for.

After thinking it over, Mr. Clark thought he had been misled or mistaken. He therefore gave the following letter to the committee to be handed to this paper.

"Dear Mr. Editor: I am speaking for myself in regard to the letter I wrote about the Citizens Committee.

This man came to me and said he was Houtekier, but did not say he was from the Citizens Committee. (Signed) GEORGE H. CLARK."

So now what? He says he was Houtekier. Still on the trail of facts this committee immediately asked Mr. Houtekier if he knew this Mr. Clark. He claimed he had never met the man or authorized anyone to call on him.

Now that Mr. Clark's second letter admits the error, in the first letter, in saying that this man was from the committee, who was he?

Some think he was a "ghost." It is quite possible as we have been hearing a lot about "nebulous" persons from the Provo camp, such as the one who signs his letters "Mr. Anonymous" and the "Mr. X" referred to in the pamphlet circulated last week by the same group. This Provo group also claim they use only actual names, dates and places. Perhaps Mr. Piornack should check his voting list to see if any of the above mentioned are registered as voters as we do not know them.

LLOYD LYLE, 18949 Kingsville avenue, March 18, 1941

To the Editor, The Grosse Pointe Review. Dear Sir: I'd like to make a correction of the

Citizens Committee's letter published in last week's Review. The letter begins with, "Note: Every word printed in this letter is the truth." Now, let's just see if it is.

They claim that false statements and rumors were circulated, and an ad run in The Grosse Pointe Review stating that Provo was endorsed by the UAW-CIO, but in the letter they received from the political action committee of Dodge local No. 3, UAW-CIO, it stated they had rescinded their action as of January 31. This is an admission by the UAW-CIO that Provo had the endorsement, and, at the same time, the Citizens Committee claims he did not, so, I say, he had a right to publish the endorsement. Would you call that deceit? I say, "No." Let's get straight, boys. You are arguing with yourselves, and, by the way, did you tell the people why this action was rescinded? Did you tell them that Mr. Michaels wrote a letter to the UAW-CIO making false statements that he claimed would be followed up with affidavits? Have you told the people that the UAW-CIO rescinded this action because they believed the affidavits would be forthcoming, and have you told the people that the affidavits never did arrive? Maybe Mr. Michaels knows that the furnishing of false affidavits would place him subject to a criminal libel suit. It is quite evident that Mr. Michaels is not with the Citizen's Committee any more.

Can you also denounce the statements that outside interests are fostering the candidates? Then, will you explain to the people why Mr. Goebel, the editor of Town News, has taken up so much space in his paper for the past several weeks in supporting the Houtekier-Korson-Jones clique while refusing to print an ad for another candidate for the office of supervisor? Will you explain to the people the reason for Mr. Goebel sitting at a desk in the back of Mr. Houtekier's store for hours at a time working on articles for his paper, or is it your political campaign? We have remarked before and we will repeat again, that none other than Mr. Goebel is the outside interest who is fostering your slate.

While your interpretation of the English language may not be so good, do not insult the intelligence of the taxpayers of Gratiot Township by publishing articles like you did last week.

In answer to an item in the March 1 issue of Town News, Mr. Antlocer made the statement that he would like to catch the culprit who put a Provo sticker in his car. So would I, Mr. Antlocer, for when a man, if you would call him one, will go to another man's house and put a Houtekier sticker on a Provo sticker without telling the residents about it, and when he knows the resident does not want it there, he would be low enough to put a Provo sticker in your car and blame it on our committee. No, Mr. Antlocer, we do not need those kind of stickers that badly as, I believe, the forthcoming election will prove.

MAURICE JENKINS, Co-chairman, "Provo for Supervisor Committee" 20540 Ridgemont avenue, Gratiot Township, Michigan.

Grosse Pointe Review, Dear Editor: I have read in recent issues of the Grosse Pointe Review, certain articles concerning Gratiot township, which lead me to wonder if Mr. Goebel is not satisfied with the circulation or weight of his paper, Town News, or I may be wrong on this assumption, however, I'm not wrong on the correct answers or facts concerning Gratiot township. For instance, referring to the Al Jones letter of recent date. Now, Al,

As a public official, don't you think it would be proper to give the people the correct facts and stop slinging mud just to satisfy your own personal feelings? The amount of expenses as you state are not correct. Provo and myself did not ask for \$800.00 expenses for the year of 1939, nor was the amount received by myself \$250.00. The former salary of the clerk was not \$260.00 and the treasurer was not paid on commission.

Your reference as to 17 people attending the annual meeting is not correct. The building was loaded to capacity with some people sitting double in the seats. If you do not know the facts, then just say nothing, but you do know that in accordance with the statutes of the state of Michigan the annual meeting of 1940 was published, and if all of the people do not come then neither you nor I can go out and drag them in. However, there was more than 20 per cent of the voting population present. This may not seem like a large number, but compare it to the city of Detroit. Supposing 20 per cent of the Detroit voters attended a council meeting. Don't you believe the council chambers would be slightly crowded? So, when you say no notice was given, you are plainly lying.

You stated that Treasurer Frank Jones received only \$50.00 in expenses. That, Al, is just exactly what Frank asked for, and you certainly wouldn't think the people would allow the treasurer \$500.00 or \$1,000.00 if he proclaimed his expenses to be \$50.00. Therefore, \$50.00 is what he asked for, and \$50.00 is what he received. I remember well that Frank Jones did not refuse the increase in salary as set by the people.

As to you, Al, you are correct on only one statement. This is your last paragraph - "Mr. Goebel is not going to run Gratiot Township."

As for Mr. Charles Bugg, if you would take time to look at the records before making statements, you will save yourself many embarrassing circumstances in the future. I refer to fire hydrants. A survey was made a year ago with certain recommendations. This is only one instance. Of course, you were not here then, so suppose you obtain it in the future before going on record.

It is true, Mr. Bugg, that neither myself, Mr. Provo, or the "Provo for Supervisor" committee have any argument with either Mr. Houtekier or Mr. Korson, except that they are led by a certain Mr. Goebel, an outsider, and a committee called the Citizens Committee of which you are chairman, and which committee, through its practice of not giving bona fide facts but just plain propaganda, does not warrant the support of the people.

Now, Mr. George Schmuck, I'd like to advise you that the Township Board of Review has nothing to do with the zoning ordinance as you stated in Town News of March 13, 1941. This is not entered as an argument, just a correction. I would prefer to go on record as saying I enjoyed your comments there-in.

Now, last but not least, I accept Mr. Julin's challenge to state the outside interest in Gratiot Township politics, and I hereby proclaim that Mr. Matthew M. Goebel, editor and publisher of Town News, is the outside party. Mr. Goebel does not live in Gratiot Township, but made quite an issue of the address of one Louis Raizen. Where do you live, Mr. Goebel? If you can convince the people that you are not interested in politics in Gratiot Township, then, at least, you must admit to me that you are a liar, according to your own statements up to and including February 15, 1941.

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Notice of Annual Election

To the Qualified Electors City of Grosse Pointe, Wayne County, Michigan.

You are hereby notified that a General Election will be held in the City of Grosse Pointe, Wayne County, Michigan, on

Mon., Apr. 7, 1941

at the Central Polling Place, the City FIRE HALL, 17145 Munnsee Avenue, between Neff and St. Clair Avenues, polls of such election being open from Seven o'clock in the forenoon until Eight o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of electing the following:

- 2 Justices of the Supreme Court
2 Regents of the University of Michigan
Superintendent of Public Instruction
Member of the State Board of Education
2 Members of the State Board of Agriculture
State Highway Commissioner (To Fill Vacancy)
State Highway Commissioner
Circuit Court Judges
Circuit Court Commissioner (To Fill Vacancy)
County Auditor

and to vote on the following proposals:

PROPOSAL No. 1-

A proposed amendment to Sections 2 and 3 of Article XVII of the Constitution relative to "the circulating, etc., of petitions proposing constitutional amendments and the summarization of such amendments upon the ballots".

PROPOSAL No. 2-

A proposed amendment to Section 1 of Article V of the Constitution relative to "the circulating, etc., of petitions proposing legislative measures, and of referendum petitions asking for approval or rejection of acts passed by the Legislature".

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION CITY OF GROSSE POINTE

The qualified electors of the City of Grosse Pointe, Wayne County, Michigan, are notified that, at a special election to be held in the City of Grosse Pointe on

Mon., Apr. 7, 1941

there will be submitted to the electorate of the City of Grosse Pointe the following: CHARTER OF THE CITY OF GROSSE POINTE SHALL BE AMENDED SO SECTION 11, THEREOF, SHALL READ AS FOLLOWS:

"SECTION 11. The government of the city, and all the powers thereof, except as otherwise provided by this charter or the state law, shall be vested in a council consisting of a mayor and six councilmen. The mayor shall be elected at each regular city election for a term of two years. The six councilmen shall be elected for terms of four years, provided, however, that at the first election hereafter six councilmen shall be elected and of that number the three receiving the highest number of votes shall serve for four years and the remaining three for two years, and provided, further, that thereafter three councilmen should be elected every two years for four year terms. The terms of office of the mayor and councilmen shall begin on the Monday next following their election. The mayor and councilmen shall have been registered voters in the City of Grosse Pointe at least three years prior to the date of their taking office and shall receive no compensation."

For the Amendment YES [ ]

For the Amendment NO [ ]

Norbert P. Neff, City Clerk

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Notice of Annual Election. Gratiot Township

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS TOWNSHIP OF GRATIOT WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Election will be held in the Township of Gratiot, Wayne County, Michigan on

Mon., Apr. 7, 1941

and that the polls for said election shall be open from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 8:00 o'clock in the evening, Eastern Standard Time for the purpose of electing the following Township Officers:

- Township Supervisor
Township Clerk
Township Treasurer
Four (4) Constables
Two (2) Justices of Peace

(One Three-Year Term to Fill Vacancy) (One Four-Year Regular Term)

and for the purpose of electing the following State and County Officers:

- 2 Justices of Supreme Court
2 Regents of the University of Michigan
Superintendent of Public Instruction
Member of the State Board of Education
2 Members of the State Board of Agriculture
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You are further notified that the following place for said Election shall be as follows:

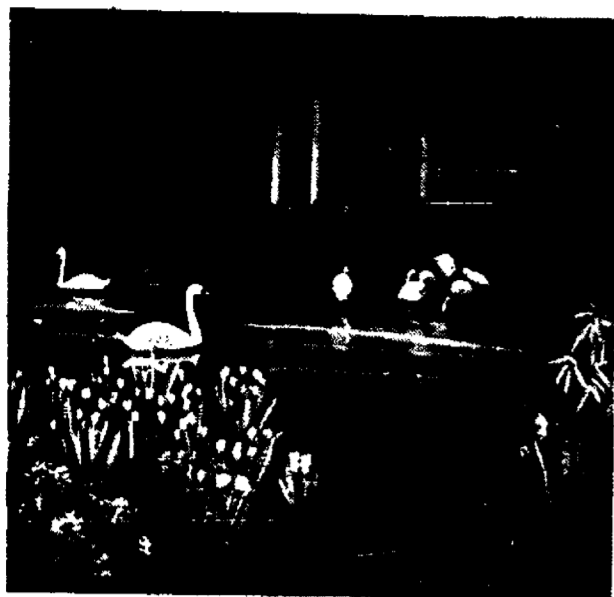
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19442 Eastwood Drive

Eugene Piornack,

TOWNSHIP CLERK.

Detroit Flower Show Opens April 5



Flamingos Make Friends With Swans in the Detroit Flower Show

CHURCHES

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN

Services at the Punch and Judy theatre, 11 a.m. Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. Sermon subject for Sunday: "A Thief Confesses Him". Good Friday service at the theatre on Friday, 12 noon. Special music and special speaker.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Matter" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, March 23.

The Golden Text (Isaiah 40:6, 7) is: "All flesh is grass, and all the goodliness thereof is as the flower of the field: The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: Because the spirit of the Lord bloweth upon it."

Among the Bible citations is this passage (Isaiah 51:6): "Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look upon the earth beneath: for the heavens shall vanish away like smoke, and the earth shall wax old like a garment, and they that dwell therein shall die in like manner: but my salvation shall be for ever, and my righteousness shall not be abolished."

JEFFERSON AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

The Lenten Fellowship programs each Wednesday night at Jefferson Avenue Methodist church are well attended. Supper is served from 6 to 6:30 p.m., followed by devotional service at 6:30 p.m. Dr. Sidney D. Eva will speak again March 23. His subject will be "What Is the Church?"

MESSIAH LUTHERAN

"Is the Case Hopeless?" This question will be the theme of the sermon on the coming Sunday, March 23, to be delivered in the service at 11:15 a.m. The Sunday school will meet at ten o'clock.

EASTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, March 23, Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. At 11 o'clock "Joys of Salvation." At 6:15 p.m., Christian Endeavor groups.

At 7:30 p.m. — "The Fir Tree". The post office Glee club will be the guests at the church at this service, singing several musical numbers.

Wednesday, at 7:30 p.m. we will continue our Lenten Bible studies, by studying the 13th chapter of the Book of John. Following the mid-week prayer meeting, the annual corporation meeting of the congregation of this church will be held, for the purpose of electing new trustees and taking care of other work.

FAITH LUTHERAN

"His Beautiful Feet" will be the next study of "Beautiful Savior," being presented by R. D. Linhart, pastor, in the series of Lenten services each Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

GROSSE POINTE LUTHERAN

"Feeding Five Thousand From Five Barley Loaves," will be the subject of the sermon at the Grosse Pointe Lutheran church, worshipping in the Richard school auditorium, Kercheval and McKiely, Sunday morning, March 23, at 11 o'clock, preached by the Rev. M. Luther Canup, pastor.

"Jesus Condemned and Crucified," will be the topic taught in the upper classes of the Sunday school at 9:45 a.m. The school provides for all grades and ages.

New Sunday school scholars are enrolled every Sunday. Enroll your son or daughter and they will receive religious instruction, which will guide them in life.

RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Malow, and their daughter, Mary Joyce, of 520 University place, City of Grosse Pointe, have returned home from Miami Beach, Fla.

Gerald K. O'Brien's Experience Shown

Gerald K. O'Brien, a candidate for circuit judge, graduated from the law school of the University of Michigan in 1923. He served overseas in the United States Navy during the World War.



O'Brien was deputy attorney general of the state in 1933 and 1934, during which time he assisted in drafting the banking legislation which is still the law of the state. He also drafted the call for the constitutional convention, which met for the purpose of repealing the prohibition amendment.

O'Brien was assistant prosecuting attorney of Wayne county for six years, during which time he was in charge of Blue Sky law prosecutions. He also worked for several months investigating the Black Legion and tried the first Black Legion case, which involved the kidnapping of a number of people.

O'Brien is a member of Alpha Tau Omega, Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity, and Knights of Columbus. He is married and the father of three children.

"Expanding Debt"

By LEE BALINGER

Are United States Bonds Safe?

The federal government will shortly announce a new loan. More and larger ones will follow. The question is continually asked, will these new bonds be paid? The answer is yes, because the federal government can print paper money to pay them off.

A constant increase in national, city, or municipal debt is just as bad. If Germany loses the war, she will repudiate her debt and forget it. . . if she wins she will make us pay it. Great Britain will follow a similar procedure.

The national debt has recently been raised from 49 to 65 billion dollars. January 31st showed our debt to be \$45,876,972,769. This means a debt of \$346.48 upon each person in this country. On August 31st, 1919, at the peak of the World War the national debt was \$26,596,701,648 with a per capita share of \$250.18.

Private, corporate and public debt should be kept to a minimum when our national debt is increasing. War prosperity will probably enable many people to get out of debt for the first time in years. By all means pay cash during the remainder of the war.

Rising prices and rising labor costs will head us straight for trouble. We have one way of avoiding repudiation in some form . . . and this is longer hours and lower wages during the defense effort.

Ah, Spring!

It'll be a body blow to sweet sentiment — but the violet, believe it or not, is by no means the first harbinger of Spring.

When warm winds begin to blow and the snow melts away before the rays of a warming Spring sun, the first flower of the year — spring's official harbinger — is not the violet; it's the skunk cabbage!

Such, at least, is the view of Miss Irene Jorae, head of the department of biology at Central State Teachers college. The violet is so late, as a matter of fact, that Miss Jorae is inclined to view it as "not a harbinger of Spring at all."

Preceding the violet also is the trailing arbutus, the lovely white flower that takes part of its name from the fact that it "trails" along the ground. The arbutus, in fact, usually can be found in the Spring even before the snow is gone — poking its white blossoms up through the snow and ice crust.

Then, too, according to Miss Jorae, there is the "harbinger - of - Spring" itself. This, like the arbutus, is a tiny white flower which may appear while snow still lies on the ground.

Even cowslips and marigolds are as likely as not to appear before the jagged violet pushes forth its blossoms. And, of course, the pussy willow is a familiar enough sight to early-Spring hikers, who go forth to "tame the wild flowers," seeking violets, and return home disappointed while real signs of Spring lie all about them.

But it will all make no difference. The skunk cabbage may come first — but it will be about the "Violets in Spring" that the songs will be written.

SPECIAL CONCERT

Professor Olaf C. Christiansen, the son of famous Dr. Melius Christiansen, who is composer and director at St. Olaf college, has requested the use of Faith Lutheran church in presenting the "A Cappella Choir" of Oberlin college in Detroit on Palm Sunday evening, April 6.

Notice of Annual Election To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Grosse Pointe, Wayne County, Mich.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Election will be held in the State of Michigan and in the Township of Grosse Pointe, Wayne County, Michigan, on

Monday, April 7, 1941

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, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

- 2 Justices of the Supreme Court
2 Regents of the University of Michigan
Superintendent of Public Instruction
Member of the State Board of Education
2 Members of the State Board of Agriculture
State Highway Commissioner (To Fill Vacancy)
State Highway Commissioner
Circuit Court Judges
Circuit Court Commissioner (To Fill Vacancy)
County Auditor

and to vote on the following proposals:

Proposal No. 1— A proposed amendment to Sections 2 and 3 of Article XVII of the Constitution relative to "the circulating, etc., of petitions proposing constitutional amendments and the summarization of such amendments upon the ballots".

Proposal No. 2— A proposed amendment to Section 1 of Article V of the Constitution relative to "the circulating, etc., of petitions proposing legislative measures, and of referendum petitions asking for approval or rejection of acts passed by the Legislature".

and for the purpose of electing the following Township Officers:

- Township Supervisor
Township Clerk
Township Treasurer
Four (4) Constables
Justice of the Peace
Commissioner of Highways
Member of Board of Review

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the polling places for said Election shall be as follows:

- VOTING PRECINCT NO. 1—South end 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 Avenue.
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 Ave.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 8—Kercheval Avenue and Bishop Avenue.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 9—The East end of the Defer School.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 10—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—The East end of the Gabriel Richard School.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 17—Kercheval Avenue between Moran Road and Merrilweather Avenue.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 18—Grosse Pointe Farms Municipal Building.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 19—The West end of the Gabriel Richard School.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 20—Kerby Road at Beauvre Road.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 21—Mack Avenue at Moran Road.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 22—The Mason School.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 23—Grosse Pointe Woods Municipal Building.
VOTING PRECINCT NO. 24—Grosse Pointe Shores Municipal Building.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the annual meeting of the Township Electors will be held at the Township Offices in the Municipal Building, Grosse Pointe Park, Michigan, on Monday, April 7th, 1941, at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, for the transaction of the business of the Township which can legally be transacted thereat.

CARL SCHWEIKART, Township Clerk.

MOORE SALES FOR used car lots by means of LIGHT! A dark, gloomy used car lot not only detracts from the appearance of the cars but makes selling difficult. A bright, well-lighted lot, on the other hand, radiates cheerfulness and instills confidence. You are invited to see the services of our Lighting Dept. without charge. Call any Detroit Edison office.

REPAIR WORK Grosse Pointe Appliance Service Washing Machines, Vacuum Cleaners, Ironers, Floor Lamps and Light Sockets, Fancoot Washers. Repaired and Serviced. All Work Guaranteed 228 GROSSE POINTE BLVD. Russell Grange Phone MI. 2874 CABINET WORK Res. Nigam 3524 LEnez 9418 4826 Alton Rd. 15106 Kercheval G. MADER GROSSE POINTE CABINET SHOP Reproductions of fine furniture made to order—Any style or period Remodeling, Repairing and Refinishing The Review is the only advertising medium covering the entire Township of Grosse Pointe.

DAIRY-POULTRY GROSSE POINTE LIVE POULTRY MARKET Strictly Fresh Eggs Poultry Dressed While You Wait LE. 2893 15017 E. Jefferson

REVIEW LINERS

FOR SALE

SILVER FOX SCARF—Two skins, in excellent condition. Almost new. Apply Neighborhood Thrift Shop, 1712 Waterloo, Grosse Pointe.

LARGE—Ten-tube DeLo radio in walnut cabinet, like new. Reasonable. Also Jewel gas range. Good condition. TU. 2-2727.

COCKER SPANIEL — Puppies. Red buff and black. Champion stock. Reasonable. 1461 Beaconsfield.

MAHOGANY—Bad, chiffonier, Windsor desk, \$32. Two large chairs, red leather, \$50 each. Excellent condition. Drapes, rugs, miscellaneous articles. 705 Rivard Blvd. TU. 2-2429.

NORGE REFRIGERATOR — 4 1/2 cu. ft. 1939 model, used six months. Breakfast set, vacuum cleaner, lamps, and miscellaneous items. 2041 Hawthorne Ave. Nl. 2652.

VOSE MEDIUM SIZE GRAND PIANO—Excellent condition. A superior instrument. \$275. Owner, 1229 Bedford Road. TU. 2-1851.

TWO COATS — Gray tweed reefer, never worn, box coat of beige tweed, new tan sports jacket, size 16. 1461 Beaconsfield.

NINE-PIECE WALNUT — Dining room set with table pad. Double bed and spring, two twin beds and springs. Two army coats. Phone DRexel 0238.

COCKER SPANIEL — Black, young, house broken. Fond of children. Papers available. 991 St. Clair, City of Grosse Pointe.

FARM FOR SALE — 234 acres, vacant, 30 acres woods. Stream, also natural springs. Scenic surroundings. Suitable for country estate or club. Terms. V.I. 1-4088.

FLAT FOR RENT — FISHER ROAD, 285—Grosse Pointe, near Jefferson, two bedrooms, steam heat. Garage.

FOR RENT — Upper five-room flat, heated. Modern. Good transportation. Gentles. Will lease, \$110 per month. TUzado 2-3062.

FOR RENT—ROOMS — VERY LARGE—Room, two beds, two closets. Gentlemen preferred. 979 Lakepointe.

BEACONSFIELD, 974 — Gentlemen, comfortable room in private home. MU. 4369.

NICE ROOM—In home of two adults. Light, reasonable, privacy. Separate entrance. Garage. Beaconsfield near Jefferson. MU. 8169 evenings.

FOR RENT—HOUSES — MAWTHORNE ROAD, 48 — Grosse Pointe Shores, nine-room brick, two bath, maid's quarters with bath. Steam or hot water. Two-car garage. Call at 10:30 a.m. Apply to UNION GUARDIAN TRUST CO. CH. 3024.

NEFF ROAD, 42—Grosse Pointe. Excellent seven-room lower flat in excellent condition. Two large bedrooms, two baths, screened, maid's quarters with bath, garage attached. Oil heat, \$110 monthly. Call at 10:30 a.m. Apply to UNION GUARDIAN TRUST COMPANY, CH. 3024.

FOR RENT — PHONOGRAPH — Get an automatic phonograph for your next home party. Best orchestras on the latest records. Also used pin ball machines, \$3 and up, and bargains on used records. Roberts' Music, Nl. 5864.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE — GIRL—Mother's helper, part-time. \$5. Two children. Home nights. References. TU. 2-8697.

ENUMERATORS — For the Grosse Pointe section of the city directory. Apply room 9, 14827 East Jefferson, R. L. Polk & Co.

YOUNG GIRL—By the week to do general housework. Home nights. References. Please phone TU. 2-2813.

WORK WANTED—FEMALE — PRACTICAL — Nurse or companion, doctor's and patient's reference. Will travel if desired. \$15 weekly. TU. 2-4661.

GIRL 20—Desires work in store or bakery Friday and Saturday. Nl. 3494.

INTELLIGENT WOMAN — Takes care of children. Would prefer permanent position twice (three times) a week, afternoons. Beaconsfield (Jefferson). MU. 8169.

HOW TO DRAW MORE PROSPECTS into a car dealer's SALESROOM

The glittering beauty of a new car is well enhanced by proper lighting. Colorful surfaces, polished chromium, sparkling plate glass... all require the right quantity and kind of light to appear at their best. Let our Lighting Staff assist you in this important job. Call any Detroit Edison office.

WORK WANTED—FEMALE

YOUNG GIRL—Wishes to care for children, evenings or after school. Also weekends. Call TU. 2-5828.

EXPERIENCED WOMAN — Wishes day work or by the week. Home or stay nights. Call DRexel 1597.

HELP WANTED—MALE

MEN FOR GOLF COURSE—Beverly Hills, 3033 Van Dyke. See George Diegle or Chuck Clark.

WANTED TO SHARE

BUSINESS WOMAN — To share six-room flat with young widow. Good transportation. 1361 Lakepointe.

WANTED—Unfurnished Rooms

REFINED MOTHER—And daughter want two or three unfurnished rooms, kitchenette adjoining. Very light housekeeping. Private bath, heated, light, gas furnished. Private adult family. Rent not to exceed \$20. Vicinity of Kercheval and Jefferson. MU. 5759.

WANTED TO BUY

SECTIONAL BOOK CASES—Mahogany preferred. Must be reasonable. TU. 2-2053.

WALL AND RUG CLEANING

A BRAND NEW — Machine method for washing walls, store fronts, etc. Rugs and carpets on your floor. King, UN. 2-7486.

ELECTRICAL

ELECTRICIAN—Licensed. Work myself. Wiring and repairs. Fans, floor lamps, motors, switches, wall plugs and vacuum cleaner service. Prompt and reliable. Call any time. LEnox 1552.

FURNITURE REPAIR

FURNITURE REPAIRED — Antique or new. Card tables reconditioned or made to order. First class work. 1729 Hampton road, Grosse Pointe Woods. TU. 2-1649.

PAINTING and DECORATING

PAINTING and decorating. Guaranteed workmanship and material plus 30 years' experience. Won't you let me advise and estimate your work now? Call TU. 2-7143.

A-1 INTERIOR—And exterior decorating. Paperhanging, specialty. Workmanship and material absolutely guaranteed. Estimates and reasonable prices. Hawley, Nl. 2760.

DRESSMAKING

DRESSMAKING — And alterations. Children's clothing and designing. MU. 6142. Irene Kemp, 329 Marlborough.

MARCELLE—French dressmaker. Alterations a specialty. Relining coats. Residence, 3970 Cadieux Road.

DRESSMAKING—Alterations in your home or mine, by hour or piece. Children's hand made clothes. Grosse Pointe reference. Nl. 8444.

Public Letter Box

(Continued From Page 5)

Mr. Goebel, you made faint remarks regarding my past in your paper. Just suppose you print my past in its entirety using honest facts, and upon its strength I will be assured of an election next year if I choose to run, and as a favor, I will return the compliments by printing your past record. Will you accept this, Mr. Goebel?

You say, Mr. Goebel, that you have no interest in the election. Then, why didn't you print all sides of the stories for the various candidates seeking nomination? What qualifications does your candidate, Mr. Houtekier, possess? What do you, yourself, know about township government? Don't try to kid us, Mr. Goebel. This so-called "Ten Point Program" is one of your own brain storms instigated by you for your own personal financial gains as you state therein. If not, why are you going to answer the question, are you going to print the minutes of the township meetings in their entirety for nothing as news? Will you also tell the people that you have no street signs or bulletin boards to sell? You define three of the statutes of Michigan and say we will enforce these. There are more than a thousand. Why just take three? Also, if you are not interested, why did you cause the "Ten Point Platform" to be sent to me for my signature and returnable to you, Mr. Goebel? If you are not interested, why are you donating unneeded inches of advertising space for Mr. Houtekier — or weren't they donated?

You know all the answers, Mr. Goebel. Did you find out why The Grosse Pointe Review was delivered on Sunday instead of Thursday and Friday the week of March 7, and only because the paper carried an open invitation to the people for a party on Saturday, March 8th?

Why don't you tell the people that you were the instigator of the intended audit? Is it because you are not interested?

This sort of thing could go on, and on, but let's get to rock bottom. Why don't you just meet me in open debate before the people on Saturday, April 5, 1941, at the hall of the Grosse Pointe Review at 9 p.m. and let's see if you can convince the people that you are not interested in their affairs.

While on the screen and radio I've since enjoyed Mr. Bergen and Charles McCarthy. I do not believe the people of Grosse Pointe would care for this type of government with you, Mr. Goebel, and Mr. Houtekier playing the parts.

What we want and need are officials of

of not only honesty, but experience, integrity, progressiveness, and co-operation. That man, in Ripley's own words, "Believe It or Not," is Ernest A. Provo. Thank you.

CLARENCE F. CAYAN, 20696 Nesbitt avenue, Oratio Township, Fifteen Years a Resident.

March 18, 1941

Editor, The Grosse Pointe Review. Dear Sir:

May I thank you in behalf of the Grosse Pointe Park Minute Men for the splendid co-operation that you gave our organization during the recent political campaign.

Very respectfully, J. DUNTON BARLOW, 1256 Beaconsfield avenue, Grosse Pointe Park, Mich.

"Points and Pointers"

Pickering's Beauty Studio, at 6221 Courville avenue, near Warren, is suggesting a Zotos Permanent for your special Easter hair treat. Miss Pickering, for many years a Zotos supervisor in Cleveland, O., is well qualified to give a thrillingly perfect permanent wave.

A new superior cream solution, an exclusive part of the Zoto wave, is expertly administered by Miss Pickering and her staff of trained assistants.

Phyllis, Dolly, and Gertrude Barber have recently opened their new Village Beauty Shoppe at 1211 Beaconsfield avenue near Kercheval. Formerly at 15008 Kercheval, the girls have been in business in the Pointe for the past 13 years.

Featuring easy parking facilities in its new location, the Village Beauty Shoppe is equipped with new fluorescent lighting.

Baked in earthenware pots and delivered to your door piping hot, the Crock O'Bears, at 13130 Kercheval avenue, near Lenox, is rapidly becoming Grosse Pointe's favorite epicurean treat.

For quick delivery service, dial LE. 1030. The Crock O'Bears also features fresh shrimp, carefully cleaned and ready to serve.

Grosse Pointe High Basketball Scoring

Table with columns: Player Name, FG, F, Pts. Final score: 154 110 418. \*Games scored in. \*\*Ineligible during second semester.

CORRECTION

In last week's issue of The Review, the monthly Vital Statistics column carried a notice that a baby girl had been born to Mrs. Anita Karpen, of 1546 Anita road, Grosse Pointe Woods. This is in error, the child being in reality not a daughter, but a son, born on Thursday, Feb. 29. Our apologies are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Karpen, who were temporarily burdened with a journalistic-conceived female addition to the family.

Neighborhood Club

Club Fifteen meets the fast-breaking Eastminster five in the second play-off game tonight at 7 p.m. Having shown quite an improvement in their last two starts, the Club 15 should give the church boys considerable trouble.

Eastminster will be relying on feet-footed Elmer Schram, and 6 ft. 2 in. Ray Clinard to keep them in the running for the championship.

On Friday night at 8 p.m., the Police and Firemen will be trying to even an old score against the Indians, as the result of a previous defeat. The Indians have been setting quite a pace, and are being picked by many as the team to heat for the title.

Woolworth Dance

Another dance is scheduled at the club for Friday night, March 21, at 8 p.m. An additional interesting feature will be a square dance from 10 to 11 p.m.

Art Class

On Saturday mornings from 10 to 12 a.m., is an interesting art class for both boys and girls. Work is done in charcoal, crayons, and paints. Anyone interested is invited to attend.

Waukiya Campfire

The Waukiya Campfire girls held their regular meeting at the Neighborhood club on Friday, March 14.

Catherine Barton substituted for Charlotte Braze, secretary. Carol Corey, vice-president, took the place of Marjorie Verriahne, president, who was absent.

Dramatics Club

The Girls dramatics group at the Neighborhood club is very anxious to get girls over 12 years of age to join their group.

Legal Notice

Third Insertion

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In the Matter of the Change of Name of WILLARD IRA GLUNT, an Adult. On reading and filing the petition of the said Willard Ira Glunt praying that his name be changed to WILLARD IRA GLUNT AMMERMAN. It is ordered, That the fifth day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in The Grosse Pointe Review, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

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In the Matter of the Change of Name of WALTER LADISLAW BEDNARCZYK, an Adult. On reading and filing the petition of the said Walter Ladislaw Bednarczyk praying that his name be changed to WALTER ANDREW BEDNARCZYK. It is ordered, That the fifth day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in The Grosse Pointe Review, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Wayne.

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In the Matter of the Change of Name of CARMEN SORATI, also known as CARMEN SORATI, an Adult. On reading and filing the petition of the said Carmen Sorati, also known as Carmen Sorati, praying that his name be changed to CARMEN SAROTTE. It is ordered, That the fifth day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition.

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In the Matter of the Change of Name of MALE ZUKOFSKI, an Adult. On reading and filing the petition of the said (Male) Zukowski praying that his name be changed to STANLEY ZUKOWSKI. It is ordered, That the fifth day of May, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Court Room be appointed for hearing said petition.

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BIDS SOUGHT

Bids were sought this week by G. Donald Kennedy, state highway commissioner, on 32 highway improvement projects estimated to cost \$2,235,500.

Lettings on the projects, which include 82 miles of hard surfacing on gravel roads, eight miles of concrete paving, 16 miles of grading and drainage, and seven bridges, will be held March 26.

BUDGET USE TOLD

More than 57 per cent of the entire Wayne county budget goes for welfare, medical care and upkeep of county institutions, according to Edward H. Williams, auditor, who is chairman of the Wayne county board of auditors.

Congressman Rabaut Sponsors Bill Urging New Food Commission

Declaring that "a victory for democracy that is purchased at the price of the lives of millions of innocent people is a defeat," Louis C. Rabaut, congressman from Michigan's fourteenth district, introduced a bill in Congress last week to establish a European food distribution commission to acquire food and distribute it among needy individuals and needy families in Europe.

The bill, referred to the committee on foreign affairs, provides that such a commission would consist of the secretaries of state and agriculture and three additional members appointed by the President to serve without compensation other than expenses. The commission, which would be empowered to hire such officers and employes as necessary to carry out its duties, would purchase or accept gifts of food for Europe's needy, arrange for the transportation of this food to centers of distribution, and to enter into agreements whereby the belligerents would supply a certain percentage of the food.

Various agencies of the federal government now owning surplus food would be authorized to transfer it to the commission for distribution abroad. Rabaut noted that the needy in America must also be fed, but added, "I propose to use only the surplus food over and above our own needs."

Amendment of the Neutrality Act of 1939 to make the shipment of food possible is provided, Rabaut pointed out. The bill states that "none of the powers or duties of the commission shall be exercised until the President has procured from the belligerents in the present war guarantees for the safe conduct of vessels transporting food."

In introducing his measure in Congress, Rabaut said:

"The clang and clamor of defiance in this country sometimes makes it difficult to hear the pitiful cries and sob of innocent victims in other lands. They no longer want cold steel; they now need the more essential things of life—food and shelter.

"While we strive ever harder to stop aggression and to eliminate it forever from the face of the earth, we cannot be deaf to the pleas of those poor people who cry not for 'guns' but for 'bread.'"

"Many of us have friends and relatives in Belgium, Holland, Norway, Poland, and France, and other countries that are now experiencing alarming food shortages. Hunger is increasing daily and hope for these destitute people lies in only one direction—America."

Rabaut, a Grosse Pointe resident, who represents this community, said that he is aware of those who say that the blockade should be maintained so that these conquered people will be goaded into revolt. "But," he said, "we cannot ignore the cry of humanity. The deliberate starvation of captive peoples is too utterly inhuman for America to adopt as a means of forcing totalitarian capitulation."

Detroit Educators Inspect Pierce Junior High During Meeting

Educators from Detroit and the metropolitan area were guests last Thursday at a meeting held in the John D. Pierce junior high school.

Nearly three hundred members of the administrative and supervisory staffs of the Detroit public schools attended a meeting in the school auditorium in the morning. The meeting, conducted by Dr. Frank Cody, superintendent of the Detroit schools, was held at Pierce in order to enable the Detroit principals to inspect the new structure.

Speakers were Dr. George D. Strayer, outstanding authority on educational administration, of Teachers college, Columbia university, and Dr. E. R. Van Kleeck, superintendent of the Grosse Pointe schools. Doctor Strayer discussed the duties of the present-day school principal, while Doctor Van Kleeck described the effort to develop a democratic public school system for the Grosse Pointe communities. Many of the principals lunched in the combined girls' gymnasium-cafeteria and remained for further visits to classrooms.

At noon, the metropolitan superintendents' association conducted a luncheon meeting in the household arts department. Speakers were Doctor Strayer and Dr. Paul T. Rankin of the Detroit schools.

Ten senior students at the University of Michigan also visited Pierce Thursday afternoon, having spent the mornings at the Grosse Pointe high school and the Brownell junior high school. They were accompanied by Prof. Raleigh Schorling, in whose class they are enrolled.

Red Cross to Supply Athletic Equipment For Army and Navy

To meet an emergency caused by the lack of sufficient funds immediately available, the American Red Cross has agreed to furnish the army and navy with urgently needed athletic and recreational equipment for their camps, it was announced recently by A. J. Berres Jr., manager of the Detroit chapter. The Red Cross, Berres said, will buy sporting supplies to the value of \$1,000,000 for immediate use by soldiers and sailors until the government can obtain an additional appropriation to carry out its recreational program in the camps.

The emergency character of the need for recreational equipment in the camps was called to the attention of the Red Cross last week by Gen. George C. Marshall, Norman H. Davis, Red Cross chairman, immediately authorized the Red Cross to meet the situation in view of the fact that the Red Cross shares responsibility with the army and navy for the health and morale of the armed forces.

Women's Federation Plans 14th Annual Drivers' Institute

Plans are nearing completion for the 14th annual Drivers' Institute to be held at the Detroit Federation club house Thursday evenings during April and the first Thursday in May. The institute is sponsored by the Detroit Federation of Women's clubs and the Women's Safety Committee of Detroit.

Instruction in the traffic law will be given by Officer Herbert German of the bureau of public safety, Detroit police department. Mrs. Eugene P. Berry, chairman of the safety division, and Mrs. Guy Hartsock, corresponding secretary of the women's safety committee, are in charge of arrangements.

GIRL Scouts logo featuring a girl's silhouette.

Mrs. E. R. Romine, leader of Brownie Pack No. 233, was hostess recently to the mothers of the newly organized Brownie Pack of Trombly school at a tea at her home on Barrington road. Mrs. C. F. Gosser is the leader of the new group and the members of the troop committee include Mesdames Walter H. Hoesch, Dallas W. Shepler and Reed. At a brief meeting which preceded the tea, Mrs. W. W. Innes, chairman of the group organization committee of the Grosse Pointe Girl Scout district committee, spoke on the responsibility of the troop committee and the help which the mothers of the girls can give the group. Mrs. E. R. Van Kleeck, district chairman, also talked to the mothers briefly. At the meeting Mrs. G. R. McKiel volunteered to serve as Mrs. Gosser's assistant. The pack is meeting on Tuesday afternoons at Trombly school.

In a short talk preceding the regular program of the Kerby school PTA meeting on Tuesday night, March 18, Mrs. Willis Bugbee, a member of the local district committee, outlined the contribution which Girl Scouting can give and is giving to the nation in this period of crisis. She emphasized the preparation which the Girl Scout program of training is giving the girls for responsibility and co-operation in the nation's work, pointing out that this interest in developing girls for democratic citizenship has been part of their work for many years and has not arisen from a temporary need.

Twenty-nine girls have enrolled in the new Girl Scout troop at Kerby. Miss Margaret Edwards will be the leader of the group and she will have as her assistant Mrs. Carl Brickley. In asking for volunteers for others to assist Miss Edwards, Mrs. Bugbee called their attention to the fact that leadership of girls at this critical time is a very constructive contribution toward national welfare.

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More Brakes and Less Horn Much has been said lately about the pedestrian as a traffic safety problem. While perhaps enough has not yet been said, it is certainly time to do something about it.

The ordinary courtesies of life seem to be observed everywhere except behind the wheel of a motor vehicle. Some drivers, judging by the courtesy they display, seem to think the world would be a better place for everybody if there were no pedestrians. And some pedestrians, crossing a street in such a careless and challenging manner, evidently fancy themselves encased in armor that will permit them to emerge victorious in a metallic encounter with an approaching bumper.

It is always possible to interview the motorist after a pedestrian has been killed, but dead pedestrians give no evidence. If they could, I think the burden of their complaint would be against that particularly obnoxious pest of street and highway—the motorist who, upon spotting a person engaged in crossing the street in front of him, toots his horn but never applies the brakes.

Some pedestrians can walk faster than others and some can jump an

inch or two higher, but the horns of the discourteous motorist does not differentiate. Such drivers leave their courtesy in the garage and tune up their horn when the wheels begin to revolve, and the battle to keep the road clear of two-footed trespassers is reached. Perhaps it is too easy to blow the horn. It seems to me, however, that the world would be better and safer for all of us if the brakes were applied more often than the horns.

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