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Organize Township Civilian Defense Council

Earl Tallman To Head
Local Organization

Li-Col. Harold A. Furlong, administrator of the Michigan State Council of Defense, yesterday notified Warren Township to proceed at once to the organization of civilian defense. The State Defense Council, constituted by act of the Michigan Legislature, informed the Township that detailed defense plans, coordinated with approved Army and Navy defense procedure would be forwarded at once to the Township Supervisor, who was designated as the official instructions for the district.

Tallman last night conferred with representatives of the Township School districts, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion Posts, the Canadian and Polish Legion, and the most beautiful of the school and have chosen the most gifted voices in the school to render them as gloriously as they deserve to be presented. They have chosen as an opening the well-known "Elves Dances" from the Nutsacker Suite by Tchaikowsky. "The Holy City" with which we are all familiar, by Adams-Lorenz, and "Around the Christmas Tree" by Tubert, with a concert solo by Robert Mason.

The Senior band, led by Mr. W. A. Schuttler, will play, "A Winter Lullaby," "The New Moon at Christmas," and "Lullaby of the Bells." Dorothea Aimp will give a solo arrangement of O'Connell's Bell.

The girls chorus will then sing the lovely Brahms' "Lullaby" with a soprano solo by Albert Zimmerman. Next will be the Christmas song with violin obligato by Edward Felke. Then the 16th Century cantata, "The Shepherd Watched Their Flocks" and "Shepherd, Wake."

A radio chorus will render "O'er Bushland" by Yon and Dorothy Fiedler will sing the soprano solo. Next on the program is the inspiring "Jesus Is Born," the ever popular and heartening, "Holy Night" and "The Virgin's Lullaby," by Dicks.

The Girls' chorus will come in again with "Noli" by Dickinson with Zeena Decker singing the soprano solo. Closing the program will be "The Prairie Chord" and "Christmas Morn" with Edward Felke giving the violin solo.

Mr. Earl Tallman, principal of Lincoln high school, will make the closing remarks.

The audience will then give with the chorus and band in giving forth the traditional Christmas carols.

The program will be held at the town's auditorium of Good-

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C. L. Goodfellows



Goodfellows Sell Papers Today

Jarve Beaton Heads Township Group

This year's activities of the Warren Township Goodfellows is under the supervision of the following officers: Jarve Beaton, president; Wayne W. Baird, secretary; Clair A. Hazard, financial secretary; Joseph Stanley, treasurer.

William Romano, chief of the Warren Township police has been appointed chairman of the investigating committee. Charles Moore is chairman of the entertainment committee. Has greatly added to the work program of Good-

McKINLEY MOTHERS CLUB PARTY A SUCCESS

The McKinley Mothers club is happy to announce that their third annual Paper and Quilt drawing held Dec. 8 was a grand success. A sum of \$197.80 was netted, which will be presented to the Boy Scout Troop MG-28 at a special Christmas program to be held December 24th. The Burns and Quilt drawing held last December enabled the troop to enjoy a quiet day vacation in the woods near Lake Van Etten last summer. They can now look forward to another vacation next year.

The members of this club wish

BUSCH CHOIR TO PRESENT CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The Busch A Cappella Choir of Busch School will present a Christmas concert Thursday evening, December 12th at 8 o'clock in the Busch auditorium.

The choir which numbers 72 will present a robust show of 50. Solos, quartets, trios and a quintet will present a varied program, high lighted by a cantata, The Wonderful Story.

Proceeds of the concert will be used to enter the choir in the state choral contest next spring.

C. L. GOODFELLOWS AID SERVICEMEN AND KIDDIES

The activities of the Center Line Goodfellows are now in full swing. Their officers for the year have been chosen, and include Roy Grubbs as president; Alphonse Busch, first vice-president; Joe Hank, second vice-president; Frank Thimms, secretary; and Harry Thomas, treasurer. All soldiers now in camp, as well as those who have been discharged, whose names are in Center Line have been sent a gift package that includes cigarettes, writing paper, envelopes, and stamps in the

With the...
Servicemen

Ray Hartig says his team hasn't lost a bowling or basketball game at all. As for the volley he says they manage to keep up with the other teams.

Vince Schimmel says they have them wearing those Donald Duck hats now.

Don Slott wishes to report a chance of address. His new one is Hwy. B, 118 Field Artillery, Camp Abbot.

Frobie Diets went on a hike over the week-end, and expects to get again in the next two week-ends.

Dick Fierberg was on a cross-country flight to Texas last week. He expects to receive orders to go to the school in Denver, Colorado about January 15, and be out there about five months.

Private Gerald Blair of Ft. Sheridan, Illinois, spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blair of Cadillac avenue.

DEFENSE ROAD PLAN IS URGED

It is to have Nine and 13-Mile roads taken over as state trunk lines, so that Federal defense projects may be arranged, and also requesting completion of M-97 and a bridge across the Clinton river, the County Road Commission has an appointment with State High Commissioner C. Donald Kortenly in Lansing at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Immediate completion of M-97, forming a by-pass around this city to the west, will be urged on Kennedy by the road commissioners. Gov. Murray D. Van Wageningen, and Kennedy, once assuming that post, have dismissed the project favorably as a number of occasions.

Nine and 13-Mile roads, it is pointed out, are vital arteries as far as the Chrysler Tank and the Hudson Naval Ordnance plants are concerned. In the coming months of war, their construction should be improved by the highest type, officials point out, so that supplies may be required

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Primary Election Monday

This Week Coming Events

20th Century Keystone Club St. Patrick dance at American Legion Hall, Main at Fifth, Royal Oak, Friday evening, March 17.
Women's Progressive Club card and bunco party on Saturday evening, March 18, at 7590 Maxwell Avenue.

Why Pick on Us?

We sincerely hope the statements contained herein will not be construed by the readers of THE WEEKLY REVIEW as being remarks that would signify our approval of gambling in any form. However, it can only be fairly well assumed that a great number of our readers became alarmed when they read of the invasion of slot machines into the very heart of our district, as described in a front page account of last Sunday's Detroit Free Press.

Their generous use of Sunday column space consumed 26 inches supplemented with a five column wide picture to substantiate their story. In relating the details of their noble "discovery," the Free Press let it be inferred that apparently Macomb County officials held little regard for the Governor's anti-gambling orders.

To us it seems that Macomb County appears to be the chief target for the Detroit newspapers' gambling stories. Just why they seem to find it so entertaining to write about our county all the time, when they could, if they wanted to, find sufficient material to write about every day in the week regarding the gambling in Detroit.

With a countless number of "bookies" operating seven days a week, and any number of other "joints" where they can locate crap games, black-jack, stud, and other forms of gambling flourishing in Detroit, the Free Press had to come out to Macomb County and expose the existence of four slot machines within forty feet of the Sheriff's sub-station at the Nine Mile Road and Van Dyke avenue last Saturday.

We are not supporting the presence of the slot machines in our district by relating their "discovery" but are registering a complaint against the frequent attacks Detroit newspapers make on Macomb County with regards to gambling.

The amount of gambling that takes place in Macomb County is so insignificant when compared to the amount taking place in Detroit that it makes us wonder why they even mention Macomb County.

The resources of THE WEEKLY REVIEW are so meager that for us to try to go into Detroit and photograph the many "joints" that have proximity to churches, schools, police stations, the newspaper offices, and other countless places, makes it a task we could not undertake.

We can only express a feeling of unfairness being displayed against our county officials, business men, and residents, by the Detroit Newspapers continually expounding the gambling situation in Macomb County.

Why don't they clean up Detroit? WHY PICK ON US?

Vote Wisely

With only a few days remaining before the voters of Warren Township and the City of Center Line go to the polls in the Spring, the candidates seeking the various elec-

Moses Elected District I.O.O.F. President

BERKLEY, Mich., Feb. 24th—The honor of becoming the first president of District No. 17, I. O. O. F. was conferred upon Justice Edgar I. Moses, of Van Dyke, Michigan, Golden Link Lodge No. 378, today when delegates from twenty three lodges in Macomb and Oakland Counties held their district meeting in I.O.O.F. Temple of Olive Leaf Lodge No. 438, of Berkley.

The meeting, which was presided over by Grand Master Dr. Charles B. Klump of the State of Michigan, also elected the following other officers: Edward Parkins, Past Grand Master Olive Leaf Lodge, Vice Pres.; George H. Ming, Past Grand Master, Clawson Lodge No. 381, Secretary; A. M. West, Past Grand Master Armada Lodge No. 492, District Treasurer.

The purpose of organizing in to a district will allow for closer affiliation between lodges of the district and the better promotion of Oddfellows. It was pointed out that Oddfellowship has no selfish motives, its fundamentals being based on community service.

As an extensive social, humane, and community benefit to mankind, Oddfellows throughout the state are taking blood tests, having their type recorded and indexed so that persons in desperate need of blood transfusions, lacking the necessary funds for payment to professional donors, will not be deprived. This will be done without regards to race, creed, or color. A truly humane act.

Following the organization meeting, lodge of instruction was held under direction of Grand Secretary Fred Rogers.

Among various acts carried on in lodge instruction was the exemplification of Draping of the Charter by Macomb Lodge No. 13 of Mt. Clemens.

A period of questions and answers followed the draping ceremony to which Secretary Fred Rogers and other officers supplied the answers.

Citizens are Urged to Vote as Early as Possible

Samuel Martin Dies

Samuel Martin, age 65, of East Maple road, Troy township, died at noon Sunday in St. Joseph Mercy hospital, after a week's illness.

Surviving are his wife, Catherine; six children, Mrs. Russell Brace of Royal Oak, Alice, Marie, Garnet and Fred, at home, and Glenn of Center Line; two brothers and four sisters, Mrs. J. A. Thompson of Richmond, Wash., Mrs. Fred Wilson and Miss Sarah Martin of Center Line, Mrs. Seymour Cromie and John Martin of Royal Oak, and Charles Martin of Rochester.

His son, Glenn, is well known in Center Line, being employed at Langenbohn's Service Station for many years.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday by the Rev. V. Vosburg of St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church. Burial was in Oakview cemetery.

On Monday, March 6th, the voters of Warren Township and Center Line face the task of selecting their candidates for the various offices at stake in their respective communities. The officers chosen finally, will govern the business affairs of those year and it is extremely important that all the voters get out early AND VOTE.

To facilitate the voting in Warren Township, Precinct No. 7 has been added to lighten the burden of the Lincoln School precinct.

Added facilities have been arranged for in Center Line so that voters may get in and out much quicker.

In making your selections, the WEEKLY REVIEW has only this advice to offer. You are choosing men to conduct your local governmental affairs, CHOOSE WISELY.

BASE LINE — Postmaster George Siagkris, of Base Line has been confined to his bed recently with a severe attack of the current flu epidemic.

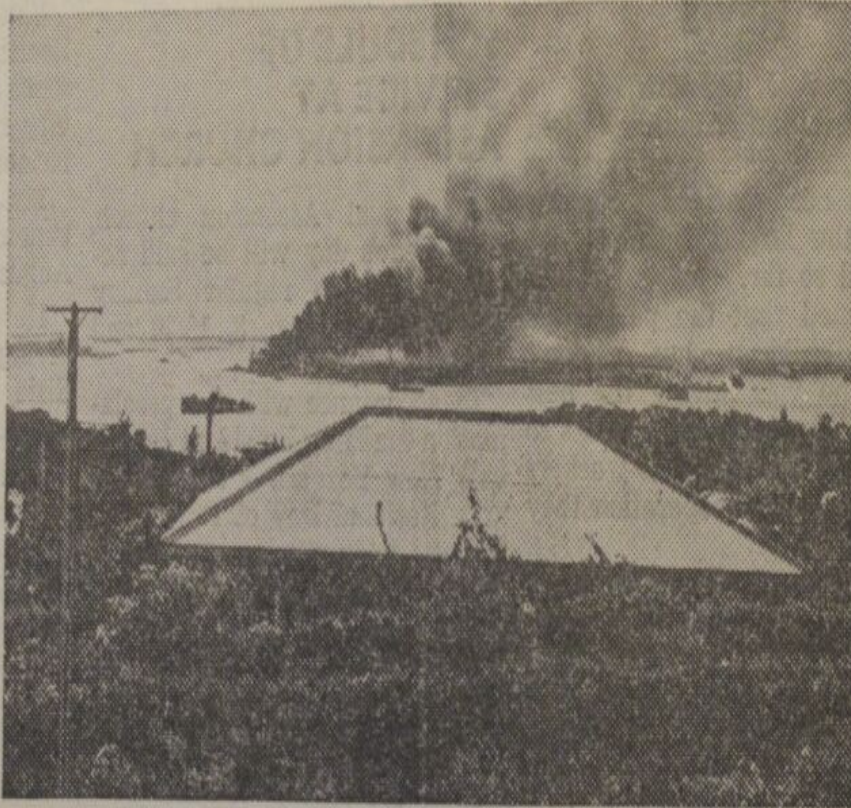
Fire Truck Arrives



VAN DYKE—Having completed and passed the twelve-hour National Underwriter's test recently, and made completely ready for delivery, the General Fire Truck Company of Detroit, formally turned over Warren

into service, its addition to the fire fighting apparatus in Warren Township will insure the residents, business places, schools and factories of the Township, Center Line, and the Village of Warren, adequate fire

U. S. Battleship Arizona Goes Down



The U. S. S. Arizona on fire and sinking in Pearl Harbor after sneak raid by Japanese bombers. The 25-year-old battleship was destroyed by the explosion of the first of its boilers and then its forward magazine, due to a bomb which was said to have literally passed down the smokestack.

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