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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.

As a result of this meeting plans to appoint a Warren Township Civilian Defense Council whose duties will be made up from representatives of the following groups:  
Warren's Groups: American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Canadian Legion, Polish Legion, Red Cross, etc.  
Federal Agencies: American Red Cross, Boy and Girl Scouts, National United Service Organizations, etc.  
Local: A. F. of L., C. I. O., Fraternal Groups and Service Clubs, etc.  
Business: Chamber of Commerce, P. T. A., etc.  
Educational: Warren Township Schools, etc.  
Professional: Lawyers, Doctors, etc.  
Religious: Churches, etc.  
The committee will meet on Friday evening, December 12, at 8:00 p. m. at Lincoln school, and will coordinate the

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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 assisted the work of the Goodfellows.

### 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 been wearing those Donald Duck hats now.  
Don Slout 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 go 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

Plans 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 Kirtley 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 discussed the project favorably on 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, we urge 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. 436, 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

# Red Cross Seeking Blood Donors Here

The American Red Cross is appealing for the national assistance of our citizens to meet the needs from the National Council of Blood Donors, Dr. T. McIntire, Chairman, and Surgeon General C. Magee of the Army. In a statement to Chairman H. Dierck, they said: "The national emergency requires that every necessary step be taken as soon as possible to increase the best medical service of the expanded armed forces. In this need, in order to assure the adequate medical service, the Red Cross has been requested to secure voluntary blood donors in a number of the larger cities in this country, to provide necessary equipment, to transport the blood to regional centers, to arrange for the separating of the blood and for storing the resultant plasma in refrigerated rooms. The Red Cross has already made the Red Cross National Research Council a center on what will be the largest scale project ever attempted."

Under the direction of Dr. W. H. Dierck, appointed by the National Research Council and Mrs. H. Dierck, appointed by the American Red Cross, the Detroit office has sent out a call for blood donors.

The Red Cross in Center Line will have its first drive 4040 Van Dyke road to call Mr. Clemens 1127 and Mr. Clemens 1127 and make appointments before Jan. 16. The drive is to be on Jan. 19.

Edward Veltz is chairman of the Van Dyke Chapter of the American Red Cross. Mrs. John Veltz is the County Chairman.

## BOY DIES IN TRAFFIC COLLISION AT 90

Macomb County traffic deaths on the main line high last Wednesday when the toll reached 90. The victim was 11-year-old Joseph Veltz, who was struck by a car while playing in front of his home on the Fourteen Mile road. The car was driven by a woman who was stopped from driving a milk wagon into the street by a car driven by Florence Veltz, 54, of Holtzville. The woman was driving west when she was stopped by the boy's car. The boy was killed.

## K of C Council to Hold Sunday Evening Parties At Roth's Barn

Due to the inability to properly hold the Father's Day...

## TWO ARE DEAD IN ACCIDENTS OVER HOLIDAY

A Roseville woman and a nine-year-old Detroit boy were killed in traffic accidents Thursday, the first fatalities in Macomb County in 1942. The fatal accidents came after the county's 1941 highway death toll has reached an all-time record of 90.

The victims were: Mrs. Violet Forbes, 33, of 16843 Victor avenue, Roseville.

Donald Olezak, 9, of 8148 Brentwood avenue, Detroit. Mrs. Forbes died in Saratoga hospital after being injured while riding in a car driven by Leo T. Potts, 22, of 28 Lincoln avenue, Mount Clemens. According to deputies Potts was driving west on the Thirteen Mile road and failed to stop for Hoover road. His car collided with a car driven by Russell T. Dale, 21, of 22719 Schoenherr road, Warren Township.

Della Noble, 15, of 14351 Knox avenue, East Detroit, and Clarence Jock, 19, of 19706 Mack avenue, Detroit, were injured in the crash.

Officers said Dale appeared too intoxicated to make a statement. Both drivers face reckless driving charges and may be charged with more serious offenses.

The Olezak boy died when a car driven by his father, Joseph Olezak, 34, of 8148 Brentwood avenue, Detroit, left the highway on Van Dyke a mile north of Ulica Thursday morning and struck a tree. The boy's mother, Anna Olezak, 31, was also injured. The boy died in St. Joseph hospital Thursday night.

Eight persons were injured early Thursday in an accident at Fourteen Mile road and Garfield road, according to deputies.

A car driven by Orville Redlowski, 19, of 4229 Maple Lane, Warren Township, collided with a machine driven by Peter Palajac, 42, of 2176 Fort street, Detroit. Redlowski and Palajac were listed among the injured along with Frances O. Raleigh, 23, of 684 Ryan road, Utica; Mary Palajac, 19, John Zaczala, 36, and Christina Zaczala, 39, all of 2174 Fort street, Detroit; George Nickolich, of 3136 Clinton street, Detroit. All were treated at St. Joseph hospital.

# Registrations Sought For Civilian Defense

With the... Servicemen

## REGISTRATIONS TO BE ACCEPTED AT SCHOOLS BEGINNING JANUARY 4

Training week registration for Civilian Defense will begin in Warren Township on Wednesday evening, January 14th between the hours of 7 and 8:30 p. m. and will continue until further notice on every Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at the same hours. The places of registration will be Warren High School, Warren, Bush and Ellis Schools, Center Line and Fitzgerald, McKinley and Leland Schools, Van Dyke, Fremont eligible are residents of the Township 18 years of age and over.

Governor Van Wagner has said, "Every citizen knows his boundary lines. This nation, Detroit and vicinity is the center of the war industry. The front line of the war may be your front yard. We must realize the importance of being ready for any emergency. The government alone cannot do everything. The people must help. The Civilian Defense Office in each locality is the plan for all to small and large."

"Thought and orderly training preparations will eliminate the possibility of sabotage, disaster and panic. In any event intelligent cooperative citizen action in every home is the source of safety in the emergency."

The organizing of enrollment has been undertaken by the Public and Parochial School Division of the Township. This committee consists of the following: Mrs. Zeta Siegelman, chairman; Mrs. Mrs. Anthony Kabanovitch, Mrs. Mrs. Violet Stefanie, Francis Scroggie, Russell Johnson, Helen Seifelder, and Max Thompson.



## U.S.O. DIRECTORS INVITE PUBLIC TO INSPECT BLDG.

The opening date of the USO Buildings is still uncertain, but we hope to have this news soon. Every week the Red Cross women meet in the Building on Wiegartz avenue on Wednesday afternoon from 12:30 till 4. In the Building on Federal, the women meet on Wednesdays from 10-4. There will be no meeting of the women on Wiegartz avenue next week, however, as the final instructions and supplies have not arrived as yet.

On Monday evenings at 7:30 there are cribbage and card games played in the Wiegartz Building. All are invited to attend these evening sessions.

The high school girls of 58 Cleonist and Bush schools will meet on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. They will discuss the program for the opening day ceremonies. This meeting is for high school girls only.

The directors of the Building on Federal invited all to come in and inspect their building, and to offer any suggestion they may have regarding the recreational program in this area.

## Howard Carroll to Be Master of Ceremonies At Spirit Installation

Two units of the Metropolitan Club will hold a joint installation of officers in a program to be held at the sports arena in Center Line on Jan. 17.

The combined installation will induct officers for the Spirit 54 of Center Line and Spirit 13 of East Detroit.

Master of ceremonies for the affair will be Howard Carroll, assistant promoter. The program will also include the installation of officers for auxiliaries of both Spirits. Spirit 29 of Grasse Pointe is to be installed in guests of Spirit 34 and 33.

The list of officers who will assume their posts for the new year will be Vern Laxer as president; Joe Sharp, first vice-president; Michael Haleninger, second vice-

## Oddfellows Install New Officers

On Tuesday, Jan. 6, Golden Lock Lodge No. 379 held their annual installation of officers. Those installed were: Noble Grand, Frank Colburn; Vice-Grand, Manley E. Brest; Recording Secretary, Hubert Ayling; Financial Secretary, Orvell Hathaway; P. G., Treasurer, Ralph E. Ecker; Trustee, Ernest Johnson and George L. Willis; Degree Captain, Wayne Baird; P. G. and District Deputy, George Baird; P. G.

To those Brothers who are resigning from office, the Lodge thanks you for your efforts. We hope you will come to our meetings regularly, and help out new

## Macomb County PTA To Meet January 13 In U.S.O. Building

The Macomb County Council Parent-Teacher association will be held in the new Revereational Bldg. Tuesday January 13 at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Robert of Kalamazoo, 4th

## With the... Servicemen

Pvt. Claude Thornton returned to Camp Livingston on Saturday after a 15-day furlough.

Pvt. Paul W. Beaumont flew home on the morning of December 26 from Camp Forrest, Tennessee. He spent five days with his parents on the Forest Mile road. He flew back to camp on Dec. 31.

Donald Wilson returned to Leesona on Wednesday visiting his home during a 15-day furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Downing of 3822 avenue received word from their son, Pvt. Louis Downing, that he had arrived in Honolulu, Hawaii. His address is 2612800th Inf., Schofield Bayview Th, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Mr. Martin Mast of Camp Livingston, La., has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rankin of 6877 Cadillac avenue since New Year's eve, Monday, Jan. 4. He visited the rest of his relatives that live in or near Detroit. He will return to camp by train on Saturday, January 11.

Pvt. Gordon H. Hedley is visiting in the home of his parents of Fichter avenue during his first furlough.

Ray Goodenham of Ford avenue joined the Marines and left the day after New Year's.

Pvt. Frank Eatin came home on furlough for Christmas. This is his first furlough since his induction, which was six months ago. He is stationed at Camp Polk La.

## Couple Celebrate Wedding Anniversary With Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Row of Central avenue in Center Line celebrated their twenty-second wedding anniversary at their home on Christmas eve. Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor, Danforth; Mr. and Mrs. John Park; Miss Gertrude Park; Mrs. Jean M.

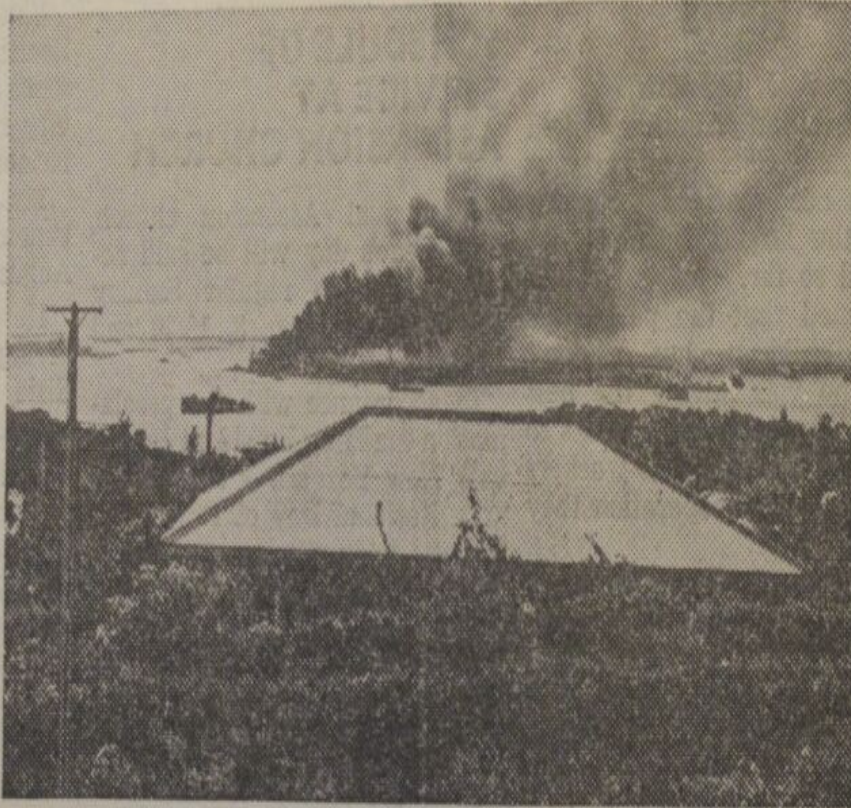
## Men 20 to 44 To Register February 16

Washington, D.C. — President Roosevelt late last week set Feb. 16 as the date for registration of men between the ages of 20 and 44 inclusive.

Although recent changes in the selective service act permit registration of men from 18 through 64, the President called for the registration now of only those cit-



# 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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