

THE ECCENTRIC

BIRMINGHAM

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MICKIE CAYS



OUR BUSY DAY IS EVERY DAY!

LET'S GET WATER!

Shall Birmingham lose her pride? Shall she lose her prestige with other communities? Shall the "bride of old Oakland" dissolve community service and dry up like the Sahara desert? We've heard the story of how a Camel could go nine days without a drink of water...

Then the Commission, still bent on obtaining water, began operations for a new well. This move was frustrated by a restraining order issued by the Circuit Court at Pontiac...

There is—there must be a way out of this dilemma. People take up a residence in Birmingham that they may have all the conveniences of a city...

If Birmingham is to grow—and grow she surely will if given a chance—something practical must be done to increase the water supply.

IT'S A BOY!

"I now pronounce you man and wife!" How those words thrilled us! What a glorious roseate world this was after we had slipped the cotton cord over the third finger of Her left hand!

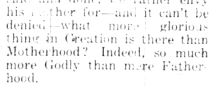
We'd like to shout from the housetops, telling the world how we felt when the white-garbed nurse smilingly exclaimed last Monday a term that we both of our minds...

Both of our minds were in the "yes" column. We'd like to see the words fall to come from the scrawling pen and we can only say that we are jubilant—exultantly so—and, some day, ere long, when he is able to utter intelligible words...

Yes, after all is said and done, we rather envy his father for—and it can't be denied—that most glorious thing in Creation is there: Motherhood!

Indeed, so much more Godly than mere Fatherhood.

READ ECCENTRIC WAVE AD.



FOR THOSE WHO WALK MUCH

It is impossible to save shoe leather and at the same time keep the feet easy and comfortable. When old shoes are worn, their soles are dead and they are heavy on the feet...

BIRMINGHAM SHOE SHOP

For those who want to beautify their homes by flowering shrubs, call H. J. Ross, phone 1284, every day.

Advertisement for Rusty Stoves Made New, featuring a picture of a stove and text: 'BEST BLACK ENAMEL MADE Rusty Stoves Made New...'

Campbell, Scott & Lowe GENERAL REAL ESTATE. Proclamation is the thief of time. Now is the time to take a home in Birmingham. We have some good ones that, if bought now, will make you some money...

A REAL STOCK OF REAL TIRES UNITED STATES FISK GOODYEAR FIRESTONE. JOHN D. MARLOTTE. Telephone 181 217-219 So. Woodward Avenue BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN.

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PAYS \$100,000 TO ITS EXHIBITORS. PRIZE REWARDS WORTH WHILE AT MICHIGAN STATE FAIR EN COURAGES THE BEST.

MANUFACTURERS BUSY IN PREPARING THEIR GOODS.

A record sum in premiums will be paid the people of Michigan who will exhibit at the Michigan State Fair...

DETROIT UNITED LINES BIRMINGHAM TIME TABLE. In effect Nov. 2, 1935.

Table with columns for routes and times. South-bound: Detroit to Birmingham via Toledo, 11:45 AM; 1:30 PM; 3:15 PM; 5:00 PM; 6:45 PM; 8:30 PM; 10:15 PM. North-bound: Birmingham to Detroit via Toledo, 6:00 AM; 7:45 AM; 9:30 AM; 11:15 AM; 1:00 PM; 2:45 PM; 4:30 PM; 6:15 PM; 8:00 PM; 9:45 PM; 11:30 PM.

PLANT DIVISION. A change of location for the Rochester, Detroit, Flint, Romeo and Lakes City through limited cars for Flint, St. Louis and Detroit, at the rate of \$1.00 per hour, two hours to 3:30 p.m.

Frank P. Sherman of Oakland and wife is suffering from severe influenza. He was admitted to the hospital at the Birmingham Hospital and is now in the hands of the staff of Hamilton Hospital and now at the Birmingham Hospital.

Mr. Martin Murphy, local car salesman, has been arrested for the theft of a car from Birmingham and is now in the hands of the Birmingham Police Department.

MICHIGAN FAIR NOW LARGEST IN WHOLE U.S. Largest state fairs in the United States are those conducted by Texas, Iowa, Minnesota and Michigan. Exhibits of these great states are unique and new...

Michigan State Telephone Co. The conduct of any public service corporation comes with the share of attending problems—problems that are so vital to the public which it serves as to the company itself.

These problems cannot and in fairness should not be solved by the corporation alone. The public is too vitally interested and where public interest is so intimately involved, the public's judgment must have every consideration.

It is our purpose, therefore, to make these announcements as though we were all in council, where all have free opportunity of discussion.

Among the problems that will undoubtedly come before us are matters of service—why it is that there sometimes are apparent delays in getting a number, why you sometimes get the wrong number, etc.

It will be our purpose to speak frankly, to acquaint you with every phase of the "telephone problem," and to maintain this open-minded attitude permanently.

And we will want to discuss with you very frankly the rate problem, and tell the real facts that confront us in the face of constantly increasing costs of labor and material.

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What Is Telephone Service. It is because the telephone is so intimately yours—because the daily benefits from this service are so far-reaching and vital, that we are coming to you with a message.

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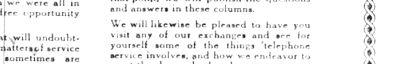
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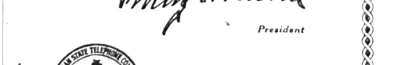
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