

NOTICE HOW SPLENDIDLY Birmingham's trees have put out their annual offering of green leaves during this Spring? There is life in bare trees that wintry blasts cannot extinguish.

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ELEVEN VILLAGERS

GRADUATE THIS WEEK

FROM THE U. OF M.



LAURA I. TROMBLEY
Miss Trombley will receive her A. B. from the college of literature of the University of Michigan. She is a member of Kappa Phi sorority.



RUTH HOLZNAEGLE
Miss Holznaegle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holznaegle, of west Maple road. She will receive the degree of A. B. from the college of literature at the University of Michigan, where she is a member of the Kappa Phi sorority.



LESTER A. LOONEY
Mr. Looney is graduating from the University of Michigan school of electrical engineering. He is the son of Mrs. A. R. Looney, of Purdy street.



MORTIMER A. NEFF
Mr. Neff is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Irvin Neff, of west Maple avenue, and is receiving his A. B. degree from the college of literature of the University of Michigan. He is a member of Theta Xi fraternity. He completed his studies in February.



KATHERINE MARGARET FERGUSON
Miss Ferguson is a member of College Sorosis at the University of Michigan where she will receive her A. B. degree. She is the daughter of Mrs. Ada Ferguson, of Lakeside avenue.



JOHN W. BLANCHARD
Mr. Blanchard is a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity at the University of Michigan. He will receive his A. B.



WALTER THOMPSON BLOMLEY
The son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Bromley of the "Uplands," he will receive his B. S. in mechanical engineering from the University of Michigan, where he is a member of Theta Xi fraternity. He finished the course in February.



FORBES S. HASCALL
Mr. Hascall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hascall, of North Woodward avenue, is to receive the degree of LL.B. from the law school of the University of Michigan. He is a member of the Lawyers club.

NEW CHURCH IS DEDICATED

Ceremonies Mark New First Church Of Christ, Scientist

Formal dedication of the new First Church of Christ Scientist of Birmingham was held here Sunday with two services in the new building at Willetts and Chester streets. A service in the afternoon corresponded with that of the morning.

Following the reading of the history of the church by Mrs. Frances M. Keineke, a charter member, the sermon was given, its title was "God, the Preserver of Man." The readers are Albert W. Wasey and Mrs. Winna Grayce.

A solo was sung by Mrs. Marie White Clark. She chose "Christ My Refuge," a poem written by Mary Baker Eddy and later adopted to music.

The dedication of the church also marked the clearing of all debt for construction of the building. The church has been in use since last July but in accordance with the custom in the religion, the dedication was not held until the new building was paid for. The cost was \$120,000.

WE HEARD IT SAID BY—
James W. Parry, village manager: "Because of so many small four inch water mains in Birmingham, we are required to maintain water pressures varying from 25 to 50 pounds per square inch. Detroit carries an average of 30 pounds, because most of its water main is large. Birmingham has now adopted a minimum water main of six inches. Low pressure water mains are easier and less expensive to maintain, and give just as much water in proportion."

SON AT WHEEL, FATHER KILLED

Boy Driver Unaware Of Victim's Identity At Time Of Accident

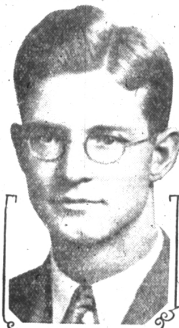
Death came almost instantly late Saturday to John Mackie, 55 years old, of West Franklin, when he was struck by a machine driven by his son, Hershel, on the Rochester road near here.

The man died on his way to the hospital and not until some minutes after the accident did the son know he had struck his father.

The father was employed as foreman of a construction gang. The son was a waterboy. After the days work was over Saturday the men were walking on the road and the boy went after the automobile intending to meet his father at a designated place.

As the car came up the road, way other workmen stepped to one side but the father, becoming confused as they called to him, stepped immediately into the path of the machine. His chest was crushed.

Cropper O. C. Farmer announced there would be no inquest.



DANIEL G. LAMET
Mr. Lamet, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lamet, of 221 Frank street, will receive his degree from the college of literature of the University of Michigan.



ADELBERT TOEPFER
Mr. Toepfer will receive his D. S. degree from the college of dentistry at the University of Michigan. He is a member of Xi Psi Phi fraternity.



HOWARD C. LOONEY
He will receive a B. S. in electrical engineering at the University of Michigan.

CLAWSON ROAD WORK TO START

Contractors Plan Project To Get Under Way Saturday; Cost Is \$191,000

Work is to be started on the paving of the Clawson road between Woodward avenue and the Dequindre road June 16, it is announced today by the R. D. Baker company, the builders.

The project is to cost \$191,000. Three steam shovels will be put on the job at various points along the route. Work will be completed after noon by an automobile driven by a 14-year old boy. The new pavement is expected to be completed by the end of the month.

YOUTHFUL DRIVER HITS PARKED AUTO

Considerable damage was done to an automobile owned by Robert E. Tillotson, 27 west Maple avenue when it was struck Saturday afternoon by an automobile driven by a 14-year old boy. The youth attempted to turn onto

PLANNER WORKS AT HUNTINGTON

Municipally Owned Parks And Gardens Object Of Scheme In Community

Completion of the first unit in a comprehensive plan to establish numerous municipally owned parks and garden spots throughout the village of Huntington Woods, is announced by Frank J. Sherman, commissioner of public affairs.

The plan has been worked out by Commissioner Sherman in conjunction with William A. Jones, village manager, W. A. Lawler, superintendent of the department of public works, and Emerson C. Brown, landscape architect of Birmingham.

The first unit is located on the triangle bounded by Lincoln Drive, Dundee road and Hendrie boulevard. A natural stone fountain in the center, is surrounded by lawns, flower beds and formal walks.

Many other park sites throughout the village will be similarly developed it is stated by Commissioner Sherman who with E. C. Schaeffroth, commissioner of public works, is formulating also a plan

TWO SOUGHT AFTER CRASH

Driver, Companion Flee Police When Auto Is Wrecked

Bloomfield Hills police today are seeking two men who were in one of the three automobiles which crashed at the Franklin road and South boulevard. Police, early Sunday after they had eluded police in a chase through the Hills.

The car, which had been reported stolen, collided with an automobile driven by Thomas Campbell, 22 Western street, Campbell's car overturned but he escaped injury. The police car, following close behind, crashed into the rear end of the stolen car. Two men in the car which had been chased leaped from the wreckage and escaped.

for boulevarding several streets in the western section of the village. Tree experts again will be employed this year to spray and care for the big forest trees in the village.

CONGRATULATIONS To Graduates of 1928

To the successful students who have the honor of graduating this year we extend congratulations and sincere good wishes.

Whether you are planning to pursue higher courses, or to enter the business world, this is a time when you are about to make important decisions.

The officers of this bank are interested in the future of the young men and women of this community. We cordially invite you to come in and consult with them, if you feel that the experience and guidance of any of our officials can be of assistance to you, in making your decisions as to future plans.

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