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BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 1929

SUCCESSORS NAME TODAY

O. J. Tuttle, Ex-Detroit Officer, To Head Birmingham Police

INSTRAS NEXT TUESDAY

Orta J. Tuttle, 56 years old, retired police lieutenant of Detroit, is named by Manager James P. Furry today as Birmingham's new police chief to succeed James Anderson, who resigned the position...

Police Chief

AWAIT START OF SCHOOLS

Class Bells, Herald Start Of Fall Term, To Ring Tuesday

FACILITIES ANNOUNCED

Birmingham school children—2,600 strong—are getting the most possible from their summer vacation today as the fall semester start looms into sight...

MENDELSSOHN IS RESCUED

Hills Man Drifts Two Days On Lake Erie In Crippled Yacht

George Mendelsohn of Bloomfield Hills, and a companion, who were enroute to Poughkeepsie, New York, were rescued from Lake Erie Tuesday after drifting for two days in a disabled cruiser...

WAR ON 'PETTERS' GETS UNDER WAY

Two Detroit Couples Fined In Sheriff's Drive On Parkers

"Pet" and gay fines. Two Detroit couples have already been arrested in Sheriff Frank Scram's announced drive to crack Oakland county highways of alleged parking violations...

PROGRESS MADE ON MERRILL ST.

Historical House, Cook Before Wreckers' Shovel For New Avenue

Razing of two of the four buildings to clear the land for the opening and extension of Merrill street, from Piquette to Woodward, is in progress this week...

57th Birthday

WARNING GIVEN IN GRASS FIRES

With grass fires increasing at a high rate in Birmingham, Fire Chief William Olson today issued a warning to the public to take special precautions in burning refuse...

THEATER ROBBERY PLOT NIPPED BY POLICE IN BIRMINGHAM

NOTE: This "story" is the actual experience of a reporter. George W. Green, Birmingham, has been held up several months pending the arrest of a detective from Detroit, Mayor Ellerby and an arsenal which believes the claim this party is not prepared to verify...

ADAMS ROAD PAVING ENDS

Paving of the Adams road between Birmingham and the Auburn road, a distance of five and one-half miles, is completed to meet by the Taylor Construction company of Birmingham. It will be open to traffic in a few days...

BARNUM UNIT STARTED TODAY

Excavation is under way today on the addition to the Barnum school building. The work is being done by Birmingham contractors and is expected to be completed by the end of the school term in September, 1930...

LABOR DAY HERE TO BE QUIET ONE

The village will celebrate Labor Day Monday quietly. No plans are made for parades or other public celebration. Police are planning extra traffic patrols in anticipation of the large numbers of persons traveling to and from Oakland County lakes...

OLD FASHIONED DAY PLANNED FOR TOWNSHIP

Official opening of the Bloomfield Township park, on the Charing Cross and Kensington roads, will be participated in by 3,000 people on Friday, Sept. 6, at one of the largest old-fashioned picnics ever held in the township...

DAY FOR FUN

An evening of dancing in the community house at the park is in order, and transportation being offered to and from the park for persons who have not cars. Prizes are being selected for the winners...

ATTENDED OLD HILL SCHOOL

For seven years he has been associated with his brother in the drug store business under the firm name of Cobb and Cobb, on Woodward avenue. His interest in banking came to the fore when he built an "iron cage" in the rear of his store...

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THOMAS H. COBB FIRST STATE PRESIDENT

Announcement is made today of the appointment of Thomas H. Cobb to the presidency of the First State Savings Bank of Birmingham...

SOUTHERN OAKLAND AFFECTED BY STATE UTILITIES ANNOUNCEMENT

Birmingham will have a reduction in gas rates. It was made known this week with the announcement by the State Utilities commission of a cut in rates of domestic and commercial customers...

GUY JENSEN SCORES FIRST HOLE-IN-ONE

Guy W. Jensen, member of the village board of education, is one of the envied few at Oakland Hills Country club, having made his first hole-in-one in three on Sunday morning...

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Probe Drowned Plane Crash, Auto Wreck, Fatal To 3

Investigation into the airplane crash and subsequent auto collision Sunday, which claimed the lives of a girl and two men and injured seven persons, is dropped today by Oakland County authorities and rests in the hands of the United States Department of Commerce, it is learned...

CIVIL WAR VET DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Daniel Bennett, 85, a member of the G. A. R., Fairbanks Post of Detroit, died Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. R. Jaroske, 128 Puritan road, Birmingham...

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