

Sometimes when I hear one complaining about not offering a bit of praise, I compare it to the light of a candle in the night light only in terms of street illumination. He forgets to count.

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Winners of SET PRIZES TO BE DECIDED IN CAMPAIGN

Special Award By The Eccentric Will Be Given June 28

LATE STARTERS AIDED
The Birmingham Eccentric today announces the addition of a brand new Majestic radio, Model P, to the list of prizes to be awarded to subscribers, starting this week and ending at 10 o'clock Saturday night, June 28.

Count Two Ways
Every subscriber turned in to the Majestic radio also counts toward the two beautiful cars and the thousand dollars prize.

SCORE BOARD

- Harold Atwell — 341,800
- Miss Louise Bingham — 311,000
- Mrs. Carolyn Cole — 349,300
- Clyde Collins — 288,500
- Mrs. Kate Drumm — 272,900
- Walter Forbes — 261,000
- Miss Estelle Howard — 254,500
- Big Beaver — 73,100
- Edward L. Kurth — 348,100
- Miss Violet Prentice — 132,900
- Mrs. Fera Thacker — 381,900
- Mrs. A. Townsend — 276,200

3 ARE INJURED IN AUTO COLLISION

Hubbard Woman Seriously Hurt, Daughter Slightly Cut In Clash
Three persons were injured, one seriously, early Sunday afternoon, when two cars collided at Lahser road and Northwestern boulevard. Mrs. Gladys Bariteau, Detroit, R. F. No. 312, and the St. Joseph Mercy hospital with a fractured pelvis and injured back. Hospital officials report her condition as "improved." William Bariteau, her husband, and Jean, her nine year old daughter, were treated at the hospital for cuts and bruises and discharged. The accident occurred when Bariteau, driving north on Lahser close behind another car, attempted to pass a third car, and collided with an automobile driven by August Stephens, 2656 Sturtevant street, Detroit, police report. Stephens was proceeding south on Lahser. He was uninjured.

Conditions In Soviet Russia Described By N. J. Hadjisky

Editor's Note: The following excellent article, describing a few of the economic, social, and religious conditions in Soviet Russia, was written by N. J. Hadjisky, of 744 Water street, Detroit. He is a former student of the University of Michigan and is now in charge of engineering and architecture, representing Albert Kahn, and assistant in advancing the Soviet program of industrializing Russia. He follows in this serial letter from Mr. Hadjisky.

Townships Fail To Pay School Tax

Members of the Birmingham School Board at their weekly meeting, Monday evening, agreed to apply for a loan of \$111,500 from the First National, the First State Savings, and the Birmingham Savings banks to cover deficits in school taxes from Bloomfield and Southfield townships.

Heart in Fall From Horse at Hunt Club

Mrs. C. H. Ainsworth Seriously Injured When Animal Balks TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Crushed beneath her horse when it reared and fell upon her at the Bloomfield Open Hunt Club Tuesday noon, Mrs. Charles Harrison Ainsworth, prominent Detroit society matron, is in a serious condition suffering a fractured pelvis. Mrs. Ainsworth was riding with her daughter, Miss Peggy Ainsworth, one of the most prominent horsewomen in the district, when the accident occurred. Mrs. Ainsworth, it was reported, pulled up her horse's reins when it balked and ordered her to take the horse off backwards upon the track.

LOCAL GOLD STAR MOTHER LEAVES

Mrs. Thora Smith Sails Saturday To Visit Son's Grave In France
Birmingham's Gold Star mother, Mrs. Thora Smith, will enter Thursday for New York on the liner, the Pennsylvania. She will be accompanied by Mrs. George Ferrel, of Royal Oak, Mrs. Alice Morgan, Mrs. F. M. Myer, Mrs. J. Stockwell, and Miss M. C. Govern, of Pontiac, all Gold Star mothers and sisters. At Detroit, they will meet the special Wisconsin-Michigan train, to New York.

SCHLAACK APPOINTED TO MEET PARRY TODAY

Phillip Schlaack, appointed last Friday as superintendent of street maintenance, said last night that he would accept the position. Mr. W. Parry, village manager, about his new duties. George A. Newman, chairman of the department, has agreed to a lesser position with the advent of Schlaack. Mr. Parry announced that he would resign.

SEVEN VARIOUS GRADUATES GET DIPLOMAS

Highest Class In School's History Will Receive Parchments Tonight DR. VOLKER TO SPEAK

Members of the graduating class of 1930, the largest in the history of Baldwin High School, will receive their diplomas this evening at the Commencement Program which will be conducted at 8 p. m. in the high school auditorium. Dr. Paul Volker, president of Battle Creek College, will give the address and has chosen as his subject, "The March of Destiny."

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MAJESTIC RADIO IS ADDED TO CAMPAIGN PRIZE LIST

The Birmingham Eccentric today announces the addition of a brand new MAJESTIC RADIO, purchased from the Jestic Radio Shop of Birmingham, to its already large list of prizes in the "Everybody Wins Campaign."
This is an entirely new offer and new candidates are invited to enter this special prize. All subscriptions turned in on the MAJESTIC RADIO also count votes towards the two beautiful cars and other awards. All candidates start on an even basis, only subscriptions turned in from now until June 28 count on this added prize.
Below is a nomination coupon, if you are not already entered, cut it out and see that it reaches The Eccentric office at once. Don't put it off, get started today for the Majestic Radio. Remember, active workers do not win one of the cars or cash prizes, are guaranteed a 20 per cent cash commission of all subscriptions.

LEADERS RESIGN—MEN MAY GET THEIR POSTS

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STRESSES NEED OF ZONING LAW

Member Of Planning Commission Tells Lions Club It's Real Necessity
The need for a comprehensive zoning ordinance for the protection and advancement of Birmingham, was stressed in a talk yesterday by Harlow Davock, member of the Village Planning Commission, who returned recently from a hunting trip in Africa. The talk was given at the regular luncheon meeting of the Birmingham Lions club in the Commodore Hotel.

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Emphasizes Spiritual Values in Baccalaureate Address

Rev. Henry S. Evans, pastor of the United Presbyterian Church in the Baccalaureate address at the services held Sunday evening at the Birmingham Hotel, stressed the 60th anniversary of the graduating class, spoke on the "Importance of the Unseen." The text of his address was: "The only thing that we can be sure of is that we are going to die. In every important area of life, today, the major emphasis is upon the material and the physical, with the result that young people starting out in life, more often than not, are going to be disappointed. In every important area of life, today, the major emphasis is upon the material and the physical, with the result that young people starting out in life, more often than not, are going to be disappointed. In every important area of life, today, the major emphasis is upon the material and the physical, with the result that young people starting out in life, more often than not, are going to be disappointed."

E. B. Howarth Again Senate Candidate

Announcement that E. B. Howarth of Royal Oak will be a candidate for a second term as senator from the twelfth district was made today. Howarth set out on a tour of the state senate in the 1925 legislature. Howarth and Oakland Counties are in the same district. It has been the custom in the past to alternate between the counties. For this reason Mr. Howarth withdrew at the end of his first term. Howarth is a resident of Washtenaw county. This year Oakland County is entitled to elect a senator from the county. Howarth offers his record as another line of qualification to voters.

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