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ARRESTS HERE DROP IN JULY

Fewer Parking Violations Bring Month's Total To 129

The number of arrests made by Birmingham police for July fell off to 129, as compared with 178 the month before, according to the report of Miss Carrie M. Stoddard, police clerk, issued yesterday. A large decrease in the number of violations of parking regulations was largely responsible for the smaller number of arrests.

Only two of the arrests last month were for felonies. One was for carrying concealed weapons and the other for embezzlement.

Speeding, with 69 arrests for this offense, again led the list of misdemeanors in frequency of violation. In addition, four persons were arrested for drunk driving, two for being drunk, three for investigation, two for reckless driving, and 23 for violating traffic signals.

Other Arrests

One person was arrested on the double charge of speeding and carrying improper license plates, two for speeding and violating a traffic signal, one for violating a traffic signal and driving without a license, two for stealing gasoline, one for violating a stop street, two for double parking, eight for overtime parking and two for violating the parking ordinance. Two persons were arrested on warrants for other jurisdictions, one on a bench warrant and two on traffic warrants.

A total of 15 accidents occurred in the village during the month, and four persons were injured, the report shows. There was one suicide.

Answer 72 Calls

Police answered 72 calls and investigated 56 complaints. Seven persons were bitten by dogs and six dogs and six cats were killed. Ten vagrants were given lodging in the village lockup.

Two forgeries and seven simple larcenies were reported. Two grand larcenies were also reported, one of which was unfounded and the other recovered. One stolen automobile was also recovered.

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WE HEARD IT SAID BY—

James W. Cobb, Jr., postmaster: "When I was a member of the Township Board 10 years ago, I thought Birmingham's considerable debt was due to a city. I saw the vast special assessment taxes that were being, and wanted to shy clear of them. Take the Lahser road, for instance, with its $360,000 tax burden alloted to Bloomfield Township. Birmingham pays 45 percent of that. Had we not save a single cent by the change, the additional representation on the County Board of Supervisors would be of great value to Birmingham. I heartily approve of the change to a city."

Obituary

MRS. EMILY M. LETT

Mrs. Emily M. Lett, 81 years old, died last Thursday morning after a short illness at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Payton, 243 Ravine road, with whom she had been visiting for the past several weeks.

Mrs. Lett's home was in Evansville, Ind., where the body was shipped for burial on Saturday. She was born in Dave County, Ind., July 2, 1841, and was a member of the Evansville Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Surviving, besides Mrs. Payton, are two sons, Warren Lett of Evansville and Argie Lett of Raleigh, Tenn.; two daughters, Mrs. A. C. Lett of Indianapolis and Miss Stella Lett of Evansville; and two brothers, Thomas Mount and Goodlett Mount.

FRANK PERRY BATCHELOR

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon for Frank Perry Batchelor, a native of Bloomfield Hills, who died Friday at his home, 990 Wildwood avenue, Detroit. Mr. Batchelor was 68 years old, had been ill for two years. Death was attributed to a stroke.

He had been a resident of Oakland County for 49 years before moving to Detroit. He was a member of the Royal Order of Moose No. 160, Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 82, Detroit Elks Lodge No. 32 and City of the Straits Lodge No. 243.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Coralie Batchelor.

The services Monday were held from the residence, with burial in Oak Hill Cemetery, Pontiac.

ROY DUANE SMITH

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for Roy Duane Smith, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Smith, 33299 Orchard street, Farmington, who died Wednesday morning of last week following an attack of whooping cough. Mrs. Smith was formerly Florence Gravlin of Birmingham.

Surviving, besides the parents, are two brothers, Robert and Roland, and two sisters, Lorraine and Lois.

The services were held from the residence, with interment in Franklin Cemetery. Rev. Floyd Johnson and Rev. H. F. Dunlavy officiated.

PAUL P. LASCA

Funeral services were held in Detroit Wednesday for Paul P. Lasca, father of Mrs. George W. Alberts, 459 Willits street, who died Sunday after an illness of about two months. He was 67 years old.

He had lived most of his life in Detroit, where he was connected with the baking business until his retirement about six years ago.

Surviving, besides Mrs. Alberts, are the widow, Mrs. Mary Lasca, three sons, Norman P. and Herbert T., both of Detroit, and Joseph C. of Toledo; and one sister, Mrs. Johanna Musbel of Foley, Minn.

The services were held from the residence, 6246 Linwood avenue, Detroit, and from St. Agnes Church. Burial was in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

To Run For Circuit Court Commissioner

Mr. Hampton

Verne C. Hampton, Pontiac attorney, yesterday made formal announcement of his candidacy for one of the two positions of Oakland County Circuit Court commissioner on the Republican ticket in the Sept. 13 primary.

Mr. Hampton is a graduate of Pontiac High School, Pontiac Junior College and the Detroit College of Law. He is now actively engaged in the practice of law in both state and federal courts.

This is the first time he has been a candidate for public office.

The ancient Persians had a game, somewhat similar to golf, called "paganica," played with a crooked stick and a ball of leather, stuffed with feathers.

LAWSON RUNS FOR 2ND TERM

Cites Past Record in State Senate As Basis For Re-election

Pointing to the success of his previous record in securing legislation helpful to the district, and promising to continue his fight for reductions in state expenditures and lower property taxes, James E. Lawson, Royal Oak, today formally announced his candidacy for re-election to the State Senate from the 12th district with the following statement:

"In announcing myself as a candidate for the second term in the State Senate, I desire to make

James E. Lawson

this statement. In the eight years that I have served in the House and Senate, no legislation known to me to be detrimental to my district has ever been passed and all important legislation sponsored by me has been passed. All legislation serving the best interests of my district, no matter by whom initiated, has had my support and most of it has been enacted into law.

"The securing of good legislation and the defeating of bad legislation for your people is not done so much through public utterance and paper statements as it is by personal work with the various members of the Legislature. This I am able to do because of my association with the members of the Legislature for several sessions, knowing over 75 percent of them intimately.

"During the special session in which my district's interests were so vitally concerned, I took a firm stand in insisting that the entire weight tax be returned to the counties. As the bill was originally drafted, the $2,500,000 in 1933 to $4,000,000 in 1935 for township roads was to be taken out of the weight tax. I fought most earnestly to have this money taken out of the gas tax and won the fight. Through this action, my county and district will receive hundreds of thousands of dollars more than under the bill as first drafted.

"I wish to call the attention of my people to the fact that I was one of the members of the Legislature to insist on $5,500,000 being cut from the budget. I am convinced that another $5,000,000 can be eliminated and I shall earnestly work to bring this about.

"As a member of the Committee on Banks, I was active in making possible for 85 percent of the depositors to enter into agreements for continuance of these banks threatened with failures, and thereby enable them in time to secure the major portion of their savings. As a result of this simple act, to date some 20 banks have been again able to open their doors. I am of the opinion that other vital banking legislation should be enacted to the end that the savings of depositors be guaranteed. Now that the national government has recognized this problem through the creation of Home Loan Banks, I further pledge myself to sponsor and support measures that will provide absolute safety to depositors and return to them the largest possible amount of the hard earned money that they may now have in closed banks.

"For years I have recognized that the valuation placed upon Oakland County property was beyond sense and reason. I have time and again pleaded with the State Tax Commission to recognize this injustice. This year we are not only receiving nearly a $100,000,000 reduction, but it is a greater percentage of reduction than any other county in the State. There is too much talk and clap-trap about high-sounding methods of reducing the tax burden. My plan to reduce taxes is to reduce expenditures. Public officials must discourage bond issues for years to come. The people have more improvements now than they can pay for. We must reduce property tax.

"Having at all times the interests of the voters at heart, I desire to have my colleagues in the Legislature know the facts as to our financial plight. I am therefore having the assistant secretary of the Senate through the Bureau of Research created by the last session, secure for me facts and figures on the various units of government in the state, so that we may have a true picture of the State as a whole and the relationship of my district as a part of it. When this material is assembled, I have every reason to think that I can interest my colleagues in any fair legislation that will assist us with our problems.

"In conclusion I wish to state that:

"I am familiar with the tax problems of my district and my state.

"No one is more familiar with and anxious to relieve our farmers of their terrible road obligations.

"No one is more in sympathy with the owner of real estate for that is all I possess and the reduction of his taxes than I am.

"No one is more interested in the protection of savings for the benefit of the home and the proper rearing of children than I am.

"Very few people are more familiar with legislative affairs and better able to pass legislation for the best interests of his people than I am.

"To the extent that people feel that I have at all times in the past represented them honestly, faithfully and earnestly and to the extent that they desire unselfish service, I solicit and shall deeply appreciate their support."

Mr. Lawson was born in Troy Township in 1879, and was educated in the Birmingham schools. Associated in the lumber industry and real estate business for years, he entered on his political career in Royal Oak where he served for several years as city commissioner, state representative and a member of the Board of Supervisors.

Besides one term in the State Senate, he has served three terms in the House of Representatives.

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ELECTION NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with a resolution made and passed by the Commission of the Village of Birmingham under date of July 11th, 1932, a SPECIAL ELECTION will be held in the Village of Birmingham at

Precinct No. 1—Corner Harmon and Woodward Avenue,
Precinct No. 2—Adams School,
Precinct No. 3—Municipal Building,
Precinct No. 4—Wylie Bell's Garage, 169 Elm St.,
Precinct No. 5—Voting Booth at S. W. corner Lincoln and Woodward,

on

Tuesday, September 6, 1932

between the hours of 8:00 o'clock A. M. and 9:30 o'clock P. M. Eastern Standard Time.

Qualified Electors shall vote upon the following question:

Shall the Village of Birmingham incorporate as a home rule city without change of boundaries?

YES ☐
NO ☐

Qualified Electors will also vote for members of a Charter Commission.

(Vote for Nine)

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that the day of REGISTRATION of qualified electors for the Village of Birmingham for such special election is hereby set for Saturday, the 27th day of August, 1932, between the hours of 8:00 o'clock A. M. and 9:30 o'clock P. M. Eastern Standard Time, and the places of holding such Registration shall be at Precinct 1—Corner of Harmon and Woodward Avenues, Precinct 2—Adams School, Precinct 3—Municipal Building, Precinct 4—Wylie Bell's Garage, 169 Elm St. and Precinct 5—Voting Booth at S. W. corner Lincoln and Woodward Avenues, in the Village of Birmingham, Michigan.

IRENE E. HANLEY
Clerk, Village of Birmingham

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Rib or Loin Veal Chops	lb.	22c
Shoulder Veal Roast	lb.	17c
Veal Stew	lb.	10c
Fancy Frying Chickens	lb.	20c

Country Club Sliced Bacon ½-lb. pkg. 15c
Sugar Cured Smoked Hams Leg end lb. 12½c
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Pork Loin Roast Choice rib end lb. 10c