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## Editor To Speak

Malcolm W. Bingay

Malcolm W. Bingay, editorial director of the Detroit Free Press, will be the speaker at the regular 11 o'clock morning service this Sunday at St. James' Episcopal Church.

Mr. Bingay is one of a group of lay speakers and visiting clergymen who are occupying the pulpit at St. James' in the absence of the rector, the Rev. Warner L. Forsyth, who is in Arkansas for his health.

As early as the 15th century small pieces of lacquer ware—cups, trays, boxes—began to find their way from Japan and China to western Europe.

## ADMITS BEING DRUNK WHEN AUTO UPSET

Mrs. Theodore Carpenter, 21 years old, of R. D. 5, Lapeer, who was a passenger in a car which overturned in Woodward avenue at Quarton road May 16, pleaded guilty last week to a charge of being drunk, and was released by Justice Forest S. Hascall after paying $10 costs.

Mrs. Carpenter had first denied her guilt, but changed her plea after her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. B. Kelly, 21-year-old Detroit waitress, who was the driver of the car which overturned, had been found guilty of drunk driving by a six-member jury in Justice Hascall's court. Mrs. Kelly was fined $100.

## PROPERTY OWNERS POSTPONE MEETING

A joint meeting of the Property Owners Association and the Birmingham Real Estate Board, scheduled for last Thursday night, was postponed a week and will be held at 8 o'clock tonight in the Community House. Petitions asking the State Legislature to amend existing tax laws to further relieve the burden on real estate are to be presented. They have been circulated here for the past several weeks by members of the two organizations.

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Detroit—Francis H. Blake, David M. Burnett, Harold L. Frank, Norman W. Getsinger (cum laude), A. Jerome Himelhoch (cum laude), Robert C. Jones, Arthur F. Mercer, Robert V. Hackett.

John H. Seeley, Ann Arbor; Frederick S. Brennan, Webster McKinley, Franklin Smith (cum laude), Bay City; David T. Dort (cum laude), H. Leonard Lippincott (citizenship medal), Flint; George D. Berry (cum laude), Grand Ledge; Frederick B. Lowrie, George F. Pinkerton, Grosse Ile; Richard J. Martin, Grosse Pointe.

Robert L. Frank, Stuart G. Wade, Highland Park; Robert C. Eddy, Houghton; Robert F. Tefft, Jackson; Jack A. Metzger, Kalamazoo; Stewart Van Kueren (craftsmanship medal), Lansing; Thomas E. McCann, Midland; William James, Jr., Mt. Clemens; John W. Strong, Orchard Lake; Bruce Beaudette, Pontiac; Frank Haynes, Port Huron; Carl J. Demrick, Royal Oak.

Thomas Antrim, Charles W. Williams, Willmette, Ill.; Vincent R. Anderson, Highland Park, Ill.; Charles E. Cartwright, Jr., Toledo, O.; John S. Yaryan, Perrysburg, O.; Carl H. Clement, Jr., John K. Clement, Rossford, O.; John French McCarty, Kansas City, Mo.; Ben Mather Osbun, Atlanta, Ga.; John A. Wilson, Beverly, N. J.

**Kingswood Graduates**

The Kingswood graduates are:

Mary Jane Brown, Birmingham; Elizabeth Bird, Sarah Lee Davis, Janet Grace Forbush, Elizabeth Ellen Wallace, Bloomfield Hills; Priscilla Charlotte Angstman, Pine Lake; Margaret Elizabeth Bentley, Sylvia Elizabeth Callender, Margaret Eleanor Grierson, Alice Louise Stebbins, Dorice Orr Suffrin, Mary Jane Welch, Ada E. Winslow, Detroit.

Mary Ann Barnett, Grand Rapids; Mary Theodora Cooke, Honolulu, Hawaii; Helen MacKay Ferris, Royal Oak; Jean Boyd Hill, Northville; Florence Margaret Schust, Saginaw; Nancy Helen Stiles, Jackson; Marjorie Ward Strong, Orchard Lake; Betty Anne Tracy, Maumee, O.; Gretchen Louise Watson, Mary Helen Wendel, Highland Park; Katherine Watson, Bradford, Pa.

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bara Flemington, Betty Lou Flynn, Henry Foley, Dick Forester, Milton Freeman, Maxine George, Louis Goes.

Carl Good, Paul Greene, Bob Grimmelsman, Sarah Groves, Bounds Gunn, Lillian Heth, Gerald Hilts, Ethel Honore, Bill Howting, Patricia Hugg, Jewell Jacobs, Vivian Janchuh, Walter Jensen Randall Kidder, Ian Kiltie, Richard Kinnee, Virginia Lamborn, Elizabeth LeMessurier, Marguerite Lentz, Ruth Luscombe, Robert Mack, Louella Marshal, Lillian Masters, Helen Mau, Kenneth

**NOTICE TO RESIDENTS OF BIRMINGHAM HEIGHTS SUBDIVISION.**

Notice is hereby given that a meeting will be held in the Commission Room of the Municipal Building on Monday, June 18th, 1934, at 8 o'clock P. M. to hear suggestions and objections to the proposed closing and vacation of a certain alley in the rear of lots 12 to 24 inclusive of Birmingham Heights Subdivision, in the City of Birmingham.

This notice is published in accordance with Chapter XI, Section 3, of the Charter of the City of Birmingham, and Resolutions No. 100 and 121.

**Resolution Number 100**

Moved by Mayor Allen that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas the City Commission has been requested to close and vacate a certain alley in the rear of lots 12 to 24 inclusive of Birmingham Heights Subdivision, in said city, and

Whereas by vacating said alley said city will receive an easement in the existing alley for the installation and maintenance of public utilities,

Now, therefore be it resolved that this commission deems it advisable to vacate and discontinue said alley directly back of lots 12 to 24 inclusive of Birmingham Heights Subdivision, City of Birmingham, subject, however, to the granting by the owners of the property abutting said alley, within the limits aforesaid, to the City of Birmingham, of an easement in the existing alley for the installation and maintenance of public utilities, and

Be it further resolved that a hearing be held on such vacation on Monday, June 4th at 8 o'clock P. M., to hear objections thereto, and that notice of such meeting together with a copy of said resolution, be published two successive weeks before the appointed time for such meeting, in the Birmingham Eccentric.

Yeas: 5. Nays: 0.

**Resolution Number 121**

Moved by Mayor Allen that the hearing provided by Resolution No. 100 respecting a proposal to vacate an alley in the rear of lots 12 to 24 inclusive, Birmingham Heights Subdivision, be continued to June 18th and that the clerk be instructed to cause a notice of that hearing with a copy of the resolution to be published in the Birmingham Eccentric for two successive weeks prior to the hearing.

McBride, Henry McCurry.

Ted McCutcheon, Charles Miller, Peg Mills, Jack Mills, Rosemary Neal, James O'Rourke, Louise Otterman, Phyllis Owens, Richard Parsons, Stanley Peabody, Beatrice Penberthy, Jane Pope, Dorothy Ray, Mary Ann Reed, Virginia Richardson, King Russell, Jack Sager, Fred Schwarze.

William Smith, Iris Sorenson, Harry Stark, Martha Stoll, Clifford Streb, Joane Swienhart, Virginia Swienhart, Virginia Thompson, Gertrude Upper, William Van Every, Mary Jeanne Weitzel, Harvey Whalen, Elizabeth Williams, Betty Wilson, Robert Judson, Robert Savage.

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the absence of such an amendment, however, no tickets will be placed on cars parked parallel on Sundays, according to Chief Hackett, who said he preferred that system for holiday traffic, but pointed out that under the existing situation, motorists cannot fairly be penalized for using either system on Sundays.

Mayor Harry Allen promised Mr. Sweeney that an investigation would be made of his complaint against Miss Stoddard. After the meeting, Miss Stoddard denied she was discourteous to Mrs. Sweeney, and Patrolman Grant Springstead, who was in the police station when Mrs. Sweeney entered, confirmed her statements.

"I only told Mrs. Sweeney she had the privilege of either paying a dollar at the Traffic Violations Bureau or taking the case to court," Miss Stoddard said. "That's what I tell everybody who comes in her with a ticket. Mrs. Sweeney elected to pay the dollar, and that's all that was said."

**Vliet Opposes 'Campaign'**

After Mr. Sweeney had addressed the Commission Monday night, Commissioner Clarence Vliet demanded to know whether the police department was engaged in another "campaign" against parking, similar to that which, he said, was conducted against speeding last summer when the speed limit on Woodward avenue between Oakland and Brown streets was reduced to 20 miles an hour. He questioned whether both "campaigns" were not put on because actions taken by the Commission were unpopular with the police department.

"If we don't want any trouble at all," Mr. Vliet said, "maybe we ought to take the parked cars off Woodward and Maple avenues altogether, and let the drivers from Detroit and other places have free passage from curb to curb.

"Last year the police department ran up and down Woodward avenue, arresting so many drivers for speeding that a row and raucus was raised that made Birmingham anathema to the motoring public. Is that what's going to happen again this year? If it is, I think we'd better lay off right now."

**135 Arrests Made**

City Manager James W. Parry admitted that 135 drivers were arrested last summer for violating the 20-mile-an-hour speed limit, but pointed out that the officers were only carrying out orders of the Commission which voted the lower speed limit into effect.

Meantime, merchants are still circulating petitions, issued last week, pledging the signers to cooperate with the police department in enforcing parking regulations. One petition, being signed by the merchants themselves, commits them to park their own cars and to see that those of their employes are parked off Maple and Woodward avenues at all possible times.

The other petition, being signed by shoppers, commits them to observe the parking time limit on Woodward and Maple avenues, and calls upon Chief Hackett to provide for a courtesy parking card system to extend the time limit in emergencies. The petitions are expected to be presented to Chief Hackett during the coming week.

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in business as well as in Scouting.

Colonel George praised the excellence of the supervision and direction of Birmingham Boy Scout activities, both at the camp and in the community, holding up Mr. Martindale's efforts as typical of the unselfish devotion with which the movement here has been favored.

Mr. Aulenbach declared that Mr. Martindale has exemplified perfectly the philosophy that "the joy of life is to be found in living as fully as you can." He lauded the principles and purposes of the Boy Scout movement, which, he said, "deals with the fundamentals of truth and honesty and the intelligent living of life."

**Jamieson Sends Letter**

Mrs. Navin spoke highly, not only of the services Mr. and Mrs. Martindale have given the community, but of their success as father and mother in rearing a family of four children, including two sons who are Eagle Scouts, another who is just beginning his Scout training, and a daughter who formerly served as lieutenant of a Girl Scout patrol.

Mr. Irwin read a letter from A. Douglas Jamieson, president of the Detroit Boy Scout Council, in which the latter formally expressed his appreciation of Mr. Martindale's constructive efforts in behalf of the movement. "Mr. Martindale has not come to the end of the road—he has but come to a bend in the road," said Mr. Irwin in predicting a continuance in Philadelphia of the publicspirited work Mr. Martindale began here.

Mr. Wenzl presented the Martindales with a hand-toughed photograph of Camp George, showing two of the sons, Bill and Jim, standing in the foreground. A letter of appreciation from the Scouts themselves was read by Bob Peebles and presented to the family by Thomas Navin, Jr., both members of Troop 3. The local troops also gave the family an attractive statuette of a Boy Scout in uniform.

**Kinnison's Poem**

Mr. Kinnison's poem, written especially for the occasion, is entitled "To J. J. Martindale and Family." A specially-bound copy of the poem was presented to the family. The poem follows:

"'Jim' Martindale, you Good Old Scout
Of smiling, friendly face—
You're one it's hard to do without,
For none can take your place.
We'll miss your smile, your twinkly eyes,
Your suavity and poise,
Your common sense, your judgment wise,
Applied to help our boys.

"For 10 good years, 'J. J.', you've worked
For Scouting—joyous task!
No duty have you ever shirked—
For thanks, you'd never ask
For what you'd done. You found, no doubt,
What we have found, 'J. J.',—
Your good turn, done for some Boy Scout,
Was in itself rich pay!

"And on that basis, you are rich
Beyond what dollars build—
And as you go, you leave a niche,
That ne'er can quite be filled.
A niche, to be forever bright,
And warm, and genial, Jim—
A glow with mem'ries' golden light,
That time can never dim!

"So, kindly wishes we extend
To fam'ly and to you—
And may the future years you spend,
Be lived 'neath skies of blue!
And this we know—On some Far Day,
When you are mustered out—
The Master Scout of all will say:
'Here comes a great Old Scout'!"

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was introduced by J. B. Howarth, secretary of the Rotary Club, who was in charge of the program for the day.

Previous to Mr. Miller's talk, Mrs. James Lee Oliver, of Villa road, well known locally and throughout the state as a talented soprano singer, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Heck, accomplished pianist, sang several numbers to the delight of the audience.

Mr. Miller traced the progress of Oakland County from 1817, when the first survey was put through to stake out the northern tier of townships, up through the time when Pontiac became the county seat. Lack of time prevented him from going into greater detail.

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for wages, $4,175 for equipment and $58,125 for expense.

**Payroll Higher**

Although no wage increases are contemplated, the payroll item is about $5,000 higher than that in last year's budget, due chiefly to the taking over of Bloomfield Park by the city.

At the end of his estimate, Mr. Parry had attached six special projects which he said deserved to be included in the budget if they could be financed. For one of these, cultivation, planting and expansion of the city nursery, the Commission included an appropriation of $300, but omitted appropriations for all the others.

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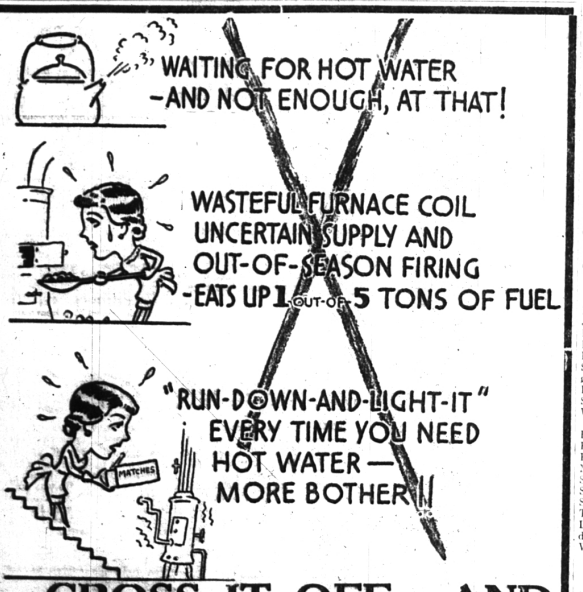


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