

POLICE RADIO COSTS SMALL

Cities Would Not Find Expense Prohibitive, Royal Oak Man Says

Individual municipalities of Southern Oakland County which participate in the operation of a police radio system under a project recently by the Metropolitan Club of Royal Oak will not find the cost prohibitive, according to Carl A. Braun, secretary of the club's police radio control committee.

The only expense which will fall to the cities themselves, Mr. Braun said, will be that of equipping their police cars with receiving sets, plus certain estimated sums for maintenance of the central transmitter. In the event the Metropolitan Club is able to raise more than the \$2,000 necessary for purchase and installation of the transmitter, the excess funds will be used for maintenance, according to Mr. Braun, who said that in any case the maintenance cost would be small, inasmuch as Royal Oak police officers will broadcast all messages and no other paid operators will be required.

Parry Feared Cost

Birmingham has been invited to join the system, but City Manager James W. Parry, at a recent meeting of the City Commission, while expressing hope that the plan could be put into operation, said he believed the cost of maintaining the system would be prohibitive. Mr. Braun's statements were designed to end misgivings on this point.

The plan is for the Metropolitan Club to raise sufficient funds to build and install a 10-watt transmitter. Mr. Braun said, "and, if additional funds can be secured, to equip every police car in the southern half of Oakland County with receiving sets."

"If sufficient funds to build and install the transmitter are raised by the club, then the cities desiring the police radio receiving sets will buy the receiving sets for their own police cars."

"The initial cost of the transmitter equipment will be approximately \$2,000, all of which will be raised by the Metropolitan Club. The police lieutenants and sergeants at the desk at the Royal Oak police department, where the transmitter will be installed, will broadcast the messages. This is permissible under the regulations, which require only a third class operator for a 50-watt station. There will be no high-salaried radio engineers or operators connected with this station, as we have received numerous offers from radio engineers to donate their services."

Maintenance Cost Unknown
After the installation of the transmitter, the cities and villages desiring to have police emergency calls broadcast to their police cars will donate a certain sum to this organization for the maintenance only. This amount cannot be estimated at this time, however, if sufficient money is in the fund to take care of maintenance, the fund need not be made, as the Metropolitan Club is prohibited by the Federal Communications Commission from showing any profit whatsoever from operation of the system.

"Our friends in Southern Oakland County can be assured the plan is not prohibitive in cost for these reasons: first, there is no cost to the city for the transmitter, equipment and installation; second, no cost to the city for the operators; and third, no salaries will be paid to engineers. "Police radio needs no introduction in this state, and due to the ever-increasing amount of crime, this organization has been able to trace the trail in Oakland County to combat lawlessness in a modern manner. The police call-box system is now almost obsolete and must be replaced by a modern weapon for the apprehension of criminals."

The club is already planning a series of activities for raising funds. Mr. Braun said. The first of these will be a Monte Carlo party, to be held in the V. F. W. Hall, 26th and Main streets, Royal Oak, on Oct. 25, 26 and 27. A masquerade ball will be given at Royal Oak High school Oct. 31, and a theater party at the Royal Oak Theater, Fourth and Washington avenues, on Nov. 10.

R-B HOSIERY SHOP HAS NEW MANAGER

Owner of the R-B Hosiery Shop in the First State Savings Bank Building has announced the appointment of Mrs. Rose Buck, 467 Park street, as manager of the shop. Mrs. Buck has been a resident of Birmingham for many years, and was formerly employed by Healy's.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1934.

Present: Mrs. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Rosalie Parkhurst Deceased.

The Great H. Parkhurst, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition, and also a bill, for the presentation of claims against said estate and for the appointment of a receiver and trustee to receive, examine and adjust said debts and demands against said deceased and before said court.

It is Ordered, that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, that the fourth day of March, 1935 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.

And for the examination and allowance of his final account, determination of the value of said deceased, assignment of the residue of said estate, and the discharge of said administrator.

DAN A. MCGAFFEY, Judge of Probate.
A True Copy.
FLORENCE DOTY, Deputy Probate Register.
Oct. 18-22, Nov. 1.

Questions Concerning New Tax Legislation Answered

The effects of recent legislation affecting the payment of both current and delinquent taxes are simplified in the following set of questions and answers, prepared by Charles A. Sparks, Oakland County treasurer.

The list is designed to answer questions uppermost in the minds of taxpayers who are desirous of saving money in the payment of their taxes by taking the greatest possible advantage of the legislation.

This legislation includes an amended act providing for the payment of taxes of 1933 and prior years in 10 equal installments, beginning Sept. 1, 1935, and an amendment providing for the payment of 1933 taxes before Nov. 1, 1934, without penalties and interest, but with a 3 per cent collection charge.

The list follows:

Q. What taxes should I pay first when I am owing taxes for the years 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932 and 1933?

A. Taxes of 1933 should be paid first, inasmuch as these are not included in the 10-year moratorium.

Q. When should I pay 1933 taxes?

A. If paid before Nov. 1, 1934, no interest or penalties will be charged—only a 3 per cent collection fee.

Q. How much in fees, penalties, and interest will be charged after Nov. 1, 1934?

A. In paying the 1933 taxes after Nov. 1, 1934, the law provides for a 4 per cent collection fee, plus three-quarters of 1 per cent per month interest charge from March 1, 1934. This will make a total of 10% per cent to be added in November, 11% per cent in December, and three-quarters of 1 per cent additional for each month thereafter until paid.

Q. When will the 1933 unpaid taxes be sold?

A. They will be sold at the 1935 tax sale on the first Tuesday in May.

Q. What will be done with unpaid taxes of 1932 and prior years?

A. If unpaid on Sept. 1, 1935, they will be spread over a 10-year installment tax roll and one-tenth of the total will be due and payable on Sept. 1, 1935, and an additional one-tenth on Sept. 1 of each year thereafter until paid.

Q. What charges for interest, fees, and penalties will be made under this plan?

A. All or any part of the total tax due may be paid before Sept.

1, 1935, without fees, penalties or interest. After Sept. 1, 1935, each installment carries an interest rate of 4 per cent per annum.

Q. How much interest would I pay on \$100 in taxes if spread on the installment plan, and payments were made when due each year?

A. You would pay a total of \$18 in interest over the 10-year period. A total of \$190 in taxes of 1932 and prior years would be spread over 10 years and payable as follows:

Sept. 1, 1935	\$10	None	\$10.00
Sept. 1, 1936	10	.20	10.20
Sept. 1, 1937	10	.40	10.40
Sept. 1, 1938	10	.60	10.60
Sept. 1, 1939	10	.80	10.80
Sept. 1, 1940	10	1.00	11.00
Sept. 1, 1941	10	1.20	11.20
Sept. 1, 1942	10	1.40	11.40
Sept. 1, 1943	10	1.60	11.60
Sept. 1, 1944	10	1.80	11.80
Total	100	18.00	118.00

Q. If I fail to meet any installment when due, what will happen?

A. If the installment is not paid Sept. 1 of each year when due, it is immediately returned to the auditor-general as a delinquent tax and will be offered for sale the following May in accordance with the general tax law relating thereto.

Q. How may the installment be redeemed prior to sale?

A. The installment may be redeemed prior to sale by the payment of 4 per cent interest per annum, plus three-quarters of 1 per cent per month from due date.

Q. Is it possible during this 10-year period to pay up the balance of the taxes still owed?

A. Yes. All the taxes owed may be paid at any time. This will also bring about a saving in the interest charge.

Q. The delinquent tax rolls for the years 1930 and 1931 show my property description marked "reassessed." What does this mean?

A. Taxes are usually marked "reassessed" because of poor descriptions. These will be corrected and reassessed over the 10-year plan the same as all other taxes coming under this act.

INTER-CITY ROTARY MEETING SCHEDULED

There will be no local meeting of the Birmingham Rotary Club at the Community House next Monday noon. Instead, an inter-city meeting will be held Tuesday evening, at 6 o'clock, at the Red Run Golf Club, Royal Oak, when District Governor Roscoe Bonsteel, of Ann Arbor, will make his official visit to this area.

SPECIALS

for WEEK-END

EXTRAORDINARY SALE ARMOUR'S STAR GENUINE SPRING LAMB

- Leg Roast Lamb lb. 18c
- Shoulder Roast lb. 15c
- Shoulder Roast Boned Rolled lb. 22c
- Lamb Stew lb. 7c
- Rib Chops Skinned and Trimmed. lb. 29c
- Loin Chops Skinned and Trimmed. lb. 35c

Beef Steak Special

ALL STEAKS

Sirloin Round Porterhouse Club

lb. **33c**


Armour's Star

BACON Sliced—lb. 35c

Fresh Fish

Fillet-Perch Fresh Trout
Fresh Whitefish Halibut Steak
Fresh Mackerel

Old New York CHEESE lb. **35c** | Full Cream COTTAGE CHEESE lb. **9c** | Imported French ROQUEFORT Style. lb. **49c**



- Spinach 3 lbs. **14c**
Clean - Crisp
- Apples 5 lbs. **23c**
Greening - Jonathan
- Cauliflower ... 2 heads **29c**
Large, White
- FLORIDA Grapefruit 5 for **25c**
Ripe, Juicy
- Hubbard, Pepper and Sweet Potato Squash ... lb. **3c**
- Mich. Potatoes 15-Lb. Peck **15c**
Bushel 57c

Weideman Boy Brand Peaches 2 No. 2½ cans **43c**

Weideman Boy Brand Golden Bantam Corn ... 2 cans **25c**

Best Value Tomatoes 2 No. 3 cans **35c**

Crosse & Blackwell

TOMATO JUICE

12 Cans for **98c**

Camay Soap 6 cakes **23c** | P & G Soap 10 cakes **32c**

Ivory Soap Large 3 for **27c** | Crisco 3-lb. can **57c**

OXYDOL

Large Package **22c**

Beechnut COFFEE Lb. 32c	Chase & Sanborn Redbag COFFEE Lb. 19c	Premier COFFEE Lb. 29c
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CROSSE & BLACKWELL

MINCEMEAT

1 -Lb. Jar **23c** | 2 -Lb. Jar **43c**

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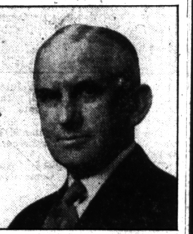
PLUM or FIG PUDDING

1-lb. Can **3 for \$1.00** | 2-lb. Can **59c**

Officials Of Michigan Bell Move Up



Burch Foraker, right, president of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company since 1926 and one of the outstanding figures in the Bell system, has been advanced to chairman of the board of directors.



G. M. Welch, left, who has been vice-president and general manager, has been elected to succeed Mr. Foraker as president. Mr. Welch joined the Michigan Bell organization in 1909. Both have risen from the ranks.

FROM NEWS REPORTER TO NATIONAL LEADER.



UNITED STATES SENATOR ARTHUR H. VANDENBERG



APPOINTED TO UNITED STATES SENATE TO FILL UNDESIGNED TERM OF SENATOR PERKINS, IN MARCH 1925, AND ELECTED TO THE OFFICE NOV. 1932. HE HAS SINCE SERVED. FATHER OF FEDERAL BANK DEPOSIT INSURANCE. MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE ON ANTITRUST (JACOBI), CO-AUTHOR OF THE WEL-VANDERBILT AGREEMENT UNDER WHICH THE INVESTIGATION IS BEING HELD. PRESIDENT PRO-TEMPORARY-CHIEF OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. REAPPOINTMENT OF CONGRESS. SENATORIAL DISTRICT MICHIGAN. FOUR ADDITIONAL CONGRESSMEN AND REPRESENTATIVE ELECTORS.



HIS FIRST REAL JOB WAS WORKING AS CITY NEWS REPORTER. ON THE EDITORIAL STAFF OF THE GRAND RAPIDS HERALD OF WHICH HE LATER BECAME EDITOR AND PUBLISHER. HE WAS 20 YEARS OLD.



HIS RECORDED VOICE REPRESENTS MICHIGAN IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE. HAS MADE HIM A RECOGNIZED NATIONAL LEADER.



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