

There are constant demands made upon men and women to adjust themselves to the conditions that attend their pilgrimages upon earth.

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By G. R. A. Around and around the world's globe goes from Europe to America to Europe, and where it goes no one knows.

Some of these days the high seas of this country will have to face, fairly and squarely, the problem of secret fraternalism and sororities.

Presentation of an old English song is given to Mrs. E. Pyle for six years of active work for the Community House was a fine thing for the Board to do at its recent annual meeting.

Old Man Frost is no respecter of persons. He loves to embrace the warm earth deeply—especially if there is a chance to freeze water pipes.

Postmaster-General James A. Farley is having his hands full, now that the Christmas mailing rush has passed and the postal mail is being held up by the delay in stamping out the power of chaps like Al Smith and other loyal Jefferson Democrats.

I was an interested observer at the recent Girl Scout Award, held at the Community House. One of the features of the award is the serving of a formal dinner, according to the best advice of Emily Post.

That remark of J. P. Morgan's about "leisure class" was probably a random statement made without any particular thought or words.

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STOCKHOLDERS APPROVED BY COUNCIL

Bank Stockholders Will Get Back Money Paid As Assessment

The refund, as provided by Birmingham's city commission, in their Monday night session at the Municipal Building, voted favorably to refund to local citizens approximately \$190,000 which had been paid into the city treasury as assessment on stock in the now defunct First State Savings Bank of Birmingham.

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Quote Not Reached On Red Cross Drive

Due to a late start, the annual Red Cross drive in this city, which was started, the drive is approximately \$200,000 short of the quota.

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Annual Report Police Department Reveals Efficiency

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1935 RECORD EXCELLS ALL OTHERS

For the third straight year Birmingham has been free from major crime or serious traffic mishaps according to the annual report of the police department recently issued by Police Chief John V. Hackett. The report, covering 15 mimeographed pages, shows in detail not only the number and kind of criminal offenses committed in the city during the past year, but the hour, day, week and month in which certain offenses occurred. The number of arrests made and the percentage of convictions are given in addition to other statistics.

Speaks On Peace

According to the report, the past 12 months has produced a better record than the excellent ones of the two preceding years. There were no homicides, no traffic fatalities, no suicides and only three cases of robbery reported for 1935 as compared with three cases of robbery, one suicide and one traffic fatality during the preceding year.

LAW FIRMS GRANTED FEE

Bloomfield Commission Approves Bill From Auditor

Authorizing Police Commissioner Clarence Otter to purchase a new car for use in connection with his work, granting payment of the cost of the car to the city, and services rendered the city and approving payment out of a trust fund held jointly by Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills and Bloomfield Township for auditing the latter city's books, were three of the many matters handled at the meeting of the Bloomfield Hills City Commission, held in the Municipal Building Tuesday night, February 11th.

Back To The Good Old Days When—

By Ed G. Whitsay What's that! There goes a local school teacher into the Community House with cotton stockings, a snuff box and a hat in her hair. And of all things she's wearing a chamamois skin sack around her neck. Poor Girl! Too much hard work has taken the toll. She thinks she's Mrs. Abraham Lincoln. You say she is Mrs. Lincoln. Why, no, my friend, one of us is a cockle. Let's forget this thing out.

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