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A Republican Senator**

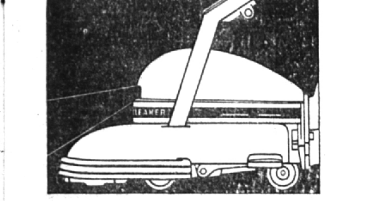
In Michigan, 82 years ago, the Republican Party was born. We are, by every tradition, a Republican State, and need Republican representation in the Senate of the United States. By electing Wilbur M. Brucker—we shall send to Washington a man who understands the problems and needs of the people of this State, and who has established a permanent record for honest, loyal and efficient public service.

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Happenings of Long Ago

Bits of News Gleaned From Old Files Of The Eccentric—The Items That Make Up The Historical Background Of The Birmingham Of Today.

FIFTY YEARS AGO
Two political meetings in town Saturday night. Surely the political pot is boiling.

Brass music will be furnished by the Birmingham band at the Mass. V. Ford meeting Saturday night.

Prohibition meeting at Library Hall next Friday evening. Come out and hear the question of home vs. saloons discussed. Discussion commences at 7 o'clock.

It is strange we have in our village, boys so ungentlemanly, so vulgar and noisy that the services of the village marshal have to be called upon to preserve peace and order. Name boys.

Mark the birthday of the other day to see what proficiency Mrs. L. T. Surman has risen in the portrait line. She has received settings from two prominent gentlemen, whose portraits adorn her studio. She has that rare skill, taste and precision, that always marks the efforts of the successful artist.

The residents of Maple avenue are justly indignant over the fact that the young people of the village go about in the evening wearing in at windows, opening shutters, etc., and one good sensible old gentleman says if he only got hold of one of them, be they high or low, rich or poor, black or white, an example will be made of the offender that will be positively paralyzing, not only to the one caught, but to all the other fellows. Girls, take warning!

The Franklin land manning seven past a year ago in an attempt to get Saturday evening, an advertisement was sent to the Eccentric office and also Hon. Clarence Finley who spoke at National hall. Finley who spoke at National hall. Finley who spoke at National hall. Finley who spoke at National hall.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
Those who have old pictures and are willing to contribute them to where they will be the most appreciated, will find a barrel in 31st and 4th streets, where they can be packed and sent to Beulah Home, where they take boys from the slums of our big cities, and train them to become good and respectable men. Why cause can be more worthy?

It is the farmer now, who is nursing the auto bug in his trunk tank. When the farmer buys his auto, it is cash down. He gets the lowest price, or the sale don't come across.

After having been especially requested to keep silence about the departure of Mrs. May C. Taylor for Los Angeles, Cal., we have read the item in the Press Gazette, the Evening News, the Detroit Journal and several other exchanges. Therefore we are glad to announce that it is true. She was accompanied by Mrs. Tibbitt, sister of Mrs. Fennie Shum.

George E. Daines, president of our village, announces that the Village Clerk has books, numbers for each and all, and it is the wish of the entire board that every house owner step forward, secure their number, and attach it to their home at once. Now do let us be progressive as that you and I can say. First your letter to 1068 Third avenue, or whatever address number it may be.

Det. R. Taxworth has finished the installing of a water system at Brookpark for W. T. Harbour. It would supply a small village with water by the entire population. Mr. Harbour will use this water for his protection, as well as for us on his improved lawn. The power is from a 4-horse power motor and runs for one hour. Mr. Taxworth is proud of his work.

FIVE YEARS AGO
Doubtless there is nothing for a number of village employees to do now but sit around and twiddle their thumbs. Commissioner Morrow Lowman brought before the Village Commission Monday night a demand for sweeping reductions in the village payroll.

Faced with the probability that Birmingham's public schools will be forced to close in November unless money can be borrowed to at least meet teachers' payrolls and the first of the year, the School Board at a special meeting Tuesday night determined to invite the aid and counsel of 11 influential citizens of the district seeking a solution for the emergency caused by the high percentage of delinquent taxes.

The Village Commission's determination to investigate the gas rates charged in Southern Oakland County gained momentum this week with the consent of Royal Oak and Ferndale to cooperate in the probe.

Mark the birthday of our relieving Oakland County of at least part of its tax burden was celebrated squarely in the lap of the Government of the State at a meeting in the county office on Wednesday night called by the Property Owners' Division of the Birmingham Real Estate Board to protest against the high valuations placed on Brookfield Town by property owners of the State.

Birmingham unemployed made a first in the afternoon Monday night when John Elder, 272 North Oakland County road, for not giving the Village's school a square foot of land.

**Institute Of Arts
Offers Lecture On
Paris And London**

Branson De Cou, globe-trotter and traveloguer, will lecture on Paris and London at the Detroit Institute of Arts on Sunday, Oct. 25. At 2:00 P. M. De Cou speaks on the modern art movement in Paris by Day and by Night" and at 8:00, with 20 color views, on "Paris Today."

In both lectures, Mr. De Cou combines pictures of famous art and beloved landmarks with views of parks and cafes. He pictures the gay life of the Salon and the Luxe Quarter. In his Paris lecture he introduces his audience to Versailles and Fontainebleau.

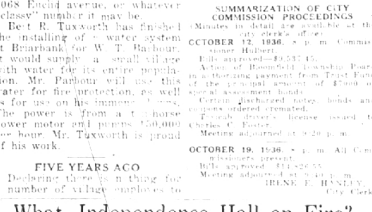
Raised Weight To Speak
"G-men Under II" is the arresting subject of motion picture lectures to be given at 8:00 on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Oct. 27 and 28, at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Raised Weight, world traveler and newspaper correspondent, will be the speaker.

In the gathering of his syndicate motion picture lectures, Mr. Wright ran afoul of Nat. authorities. He was twice arrested for this small time violation of the law. He is now a member of the National Association of Motion Picture Exhibitors.

SUMMARIZATION OF CITY COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS
Monday, Oct. 19, 1936. A. C. M. (Comm. Hubert).
File approved—\$125.00.
A vote of 10-0 was taken on the Board of Health's report on the health of the city. The report was approved. The Board of Health's report on the health of the city was approved. The Board of Health's report on the health of the city was approved.

What, Independence Hall on Fire?

This looks at first like a real fire in old Independence Hall, Philadelphia. But where's the smoke? There's the catch. There isn't any. The fire-lighting demonstration was staged when Philadelphia celebrated Fire Protection Day and compared old and new fire-fighting methods. The modern company is showing how it would extinguish a blaze in America's historic old shrine—if there were a blaze.



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**UNITED THEATRES
PLAN GALA WEEK
STARTING OCT. 29**

Local Picture House Will Participate In The Celebration

Starting October 29th, the theatre company that is well known as United Detroit Theatres, and which had its first flourish in 1906 under the direction of John H. Kunsky and George W. Trendle will celebrate a gala Theatre Appreciation Week. It will be an appreciation week by the theatre-fans in all the cities whose patronage has played an important part in the growth of the important entertainment organization. During that week, the United Detroit Theatres, both downtown and in the neighborhood districts will present the greatest program of stars and pictures ever offered in the history of the motion picture business. The Birmingham Theatre, under the direction of Howard C. Holak, local manager for the past seven years, is a member of United Detroit Theatres and will participate in the week celebration.

Today under the personal management of George W. Trendle the United Detroit Theatres, is an important part of the great National Paramount Theatres organization. Back of all of which is the steady growth of the motion picture business, not only in Detroit, but nationally.

On the third of March, 1906, Detroit's Casino Theatre, a remodelled store, 20 feet wide opened its doors to the general public. If the theatre had been open in the United States he first having opened just thirty years before in Pittsburgh. Accommodating 1000 persons, who at still sound, watching a flickering screen from stony, wooden chairs, the Casino was operated under the direct of two enterprising Detroit businessmen, George W. Trendle and John H. Kunsky. The original program was a one-reel subject, called "The Train Wreckers," followed by an added attraction, a tenor singing to the accompaniment of a piano player, a colored soloist, etc. All of this could be purchased for a nickel, and later, as little theatricals were being given, the price was increased to a dime. They were ingeniously referred to as "Nickelodians."

It is far away from the Casino to the beautiful Michigan Theatre seating 4100 persons, presenting to the entertainment of the great and seven, but from the humble beginning of the little house on Monday Avenue, grew the demand has culminated in the chain of 13 United Detroit Theatres of which the Michigan is the flagship. In rare instances other theatres come forward. The day of the old-fashioned picture organization, sound pictures arrived and with them a change in the theatre setup.

The Madison Theatre, the first in Detroit to be located on Grand Avenue, Paris was started in construction in 1915, this was the last when "The Birth of a Nation" made W. Griffith the greatest famous and Theda Bara created the "vampires." The Madison Theatre in Detroit, the first of Detroit's largest theatres of which the Liberty is the most famous, and also the first to feature the idea of George S. Eastman that Paul C. Park should be the theatre of the future.

Other theatre companies have followed the Capital, setting in 1910, opening in 1911, in 1912. It is the city's largest and on St. Clair St. theatre. The Michigan was built

in 1926 and two years later the United Artists opened its doors. This was followed by the Fisher, whose beauty and comfort was the talk of the show business.

As the chain of theatres continued to grow the chance for public service grew apace. A mainstay in the group of 13 picture playhouses now included in the United Artists, Madison, Fisher, and Broadway, a great theatre downtown, and the Fisher, Riviera, Annex, Ramona, Regent, Rosedale, Birmingham, Alger, Norwest and Varsity theatres in the neighborhood districts.

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