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OPEN THURSDAY OCT. 20TH THE TRADING POST ANNEX "Our Bargain Basement" WATCH FOR OPENING SALE NEXT WEEK

BITS OF BIRMINGHAM

Walter A. Jensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy W. Jensen of Kenneway avenue has been named one of four Michigan youths to attend the Spring school at Randolph Field, Tex. The school is operated by the Army Air Corps.

J. Bert Peabody of East Maple avenue was the possessor of this week of what can probably be called the last rose of summer. Monday, in addition to the rose, his garden yielded a large snowball, a flower which usually fades early in the summer.

"Eccentrics" look better than New York or Boston papers' George Rounds, a student at Dartmouth College, wrote this week to his parents, the George M. Rounds of North Woodward avenue, George, and Jack Scolaro are the only students attending that eastern college from Birmingham.

Miss Marjorie Howarth of Bates street, who left recently for a month's tour of New England accompanied by Mrs. G. B. Diez, Arbor, has seen much of the devastation caused by the severe storms which raged New England shortly before her visit. She writes that while a great effort is being made to repair the damage, there are still rural districts that do not expect electrical service for another five weeks.

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At 21 he resumed a teaching career, which had been interrupted by his college course, to become a professor, and later a school principal. At 29 he became a senator—the youngest member; at 30, a colonel in the Civil War; at 31, brigadier-general; at 32, a major-general—the youngest in the Union army; at 33, a member of the House of Representatives—the youngest of all; at 49, U. S. senator; and finally, at 50, President of the United States.

Such was the career of James A. Garfield, whose motto was: "Accomplish, or never attempt." —Christian Science Monitor

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NEW DEAL FOE

Dr. J. B. Hassberger, chairman of the major activities committee of the Lions Club reported to the club Wednesday for the past five months that he showed the \$510.50 had been spent on defective vision, social emergency cases, and relief work in Birmingham.

The Oakland County Engineering Society was entertained by the Chrysler Institute of Engineering, in Detroit, at a dinner and program Tuesday evening. The members told about the work of the Institute which last year accepted 40 applicants for training out of 100 candidates.

Reuts are coming down these days and if you don't believe it you can get Postmaster Joseph A. Byrne's Postal authorities are notified by government officials in Washington this week that the rent for the local post office has been reduced to the extent of nearly \$2,000 a year.

THIS AND THAT

(Continued from Page 1) it tolerates a "rubber stamp" delegation of its Republicans to a State convention? And so to another day... let's hope a better day... a day when perhaps "the people will truly rule."

A Career

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MOBILIZATION IS THEME OF TALK BY ARMY CAPTAIN

(Continued from Page 1) Guy Jensen presided at the business meeting of the group which preceded Capt. Jones' talk and tonight's news meeting to attend the Packers-Lions football game in Detroit Nov. 13.

MUSICIANS ASK USE OF BALDWIN AUDITORIUM

A request for the use of the Baldwin high school auditorium by WPA musicians from the Detroit area was considered by the Birmingham Board of Education Tuesday night and the matter referred to business manager Louis Randall for detailed investigation.

HOMEOWNERS, or RENTERS, who need something for the house or yard, may find plenty of such items by running a Classified Ad in the Eccentric.

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HALLOWEEN COMMITTEES MAKE PLANS

(Continued from Page 1) The American Legion Auxiliary pledged her organization to collect candy and place it in bags.

Sen. Vandenberg Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R-Ore.) will lead Anti-New Deal forces on a campaign invasion of Oakland County, when he delivers a scheduled speech at the Pontiac High School Auditorium.

On his current speaking tour about the state, Sen. Vandenberg is flailing the New Deal with particular emphasis on opposition to suspected third term ambitions of President Roosevelt.

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BOARD CHANGES TIME OF REGULAR MEETINGS

Instead of holding one regular meeting each first Monday of the month, with occasional special meetings when necessary, the Birmingham Board of Education Tuesday night passed a resolution to hold two meetings each month, on the first and third Tuesday.

NEEDLEWORK GUILD ELECTS MRS. BROOK

(Continued from Page 1) of the Needlework Guild, and of the need will be greater as winter comes. The Guild is and will help in a very serious problem—that of clothing the families of deserving persons who can only obtain part-time employment and who "are in need of more than their scanty funds can hope to buy."

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KEEP HAPPY, AND STAY HEALTHY IS DOCTOR'S ADVICE

(Continued from Page 1) a calmer mental state, which is the first step toward greater physical well-being. Dr. Sladen told his audience:

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BICYCLE LICENSES REACH PEAK OF 630

In answer to the advisability of the ordinance licensing bicycles which was recently passed by the City Commission, Donald C. Ebert, city manager, reported to Commission members Monday evening that during 1937 only eight

bicycles were recovered out of 22 reported stolen as compared with 11 recovered out of 21 stolen during the period from Jan. 1, 1938 to Oct. 3. Since the passage of the bicycle ordinance 630 licenses have been granted according to a report issued by Irene E. Hanley, city clerk.

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