

### What Your City Commission Is Doing—

April 17, 1939  
 Bills were approved in the amount of \$2,857.63.  
 A request from the Barnum P. T. A. for permission to use Springdale Park on May 15th in connection with a picnic project to raise money for the milk fund was referred to the manager.  
 A request was received from the Birmingham Council of Parent Teachers Association for cooperation in the 1939 Recreation Program. Commissioners Moody and Heacock were appointed to serve on this committee.  
 The recently completed municipal garage and warehouse was formally accepted by the Commission as a completed P. W. A. Project.  
 Walter Moreland and Daniel Swartz were appointed to serve on the 1939 Board of Review.  
 FRED E. HANLEY, City Clerk.

Explained  
 "Had, what a moral descendant, an American boy asked his father.  
 "A lineal descendant, son" the father answered, "a lazy lout whose only claim to respect lies in the fact that he once had an ancestor who devoted his life to hard work."



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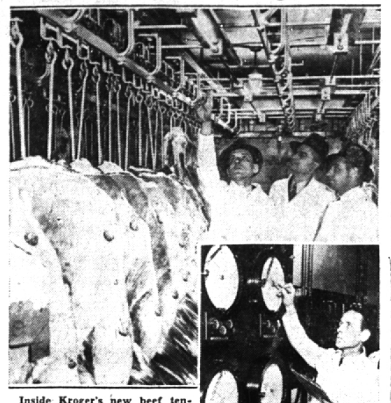
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## Scientifically Tenderized Beef Innovated by New Kroger Plant



Inside Kroger's new beef tenderization plant in Cleveland, Dr. M. D. Coulter, Mellon Institute scientist, points out the overhead ultraviolet ray lamps which make possible the new meat treating process. With him, left to right, are C. L. Arnold, Kroger Food Foundation director who supervised research on the project, and Frank B. Willis, superintendent of meat distribution for the Kroger plant. Inset: Dr. Coulter checks humidity and temperature control instruments at the processing plant.

The natural break-down of tough connective fibers in beef. This is done at relatively high temperatures and humidity in an atmosphere kept free from mould spores and bacteria by an ultraviolet ray lamp developed by Westinghouse scientists in Cleveland, Ohio.  
 Three specially constructed rooms comprise the tenderization plant. Each room has an automatically controlled air conditioning and refrigerating plant; each is kept at a different temperature and humidity, and is equipped with the important ultraviolet ray sterilizers.  
 In the first room beef is held for two to three days at relatively low temperature and humidity. Next the beef is transferred to the second room for chilling at a low temperature. Tenderization process, which is said by the third and largest room for storage to await transfer to retail stores.  
 It is estimated that the Cleveland processing plant can handle a total of 12,500,000 pounds of "Tenderized" beef a year. Operated by trained technicians, the plant places in the commercial field for the first time a laboratory process which is said by authorities to be the most important development in the history of meat processing.  
 As soon as additional equipment becomes available, beef tenderization plants will be installed in other Kroger branches, Mr. Morrill said.

### Cranbrook Institute Loans Display Of Birds' Nests to Baldwin Library

An unusual collection of birds' nests, complete with eggs, is now on display at the Baldwin Public Library. The display is part of the permanent exhibition at the Cranbrook Institute of Science.  
 Most of the nests are very old, according to Dr. Robert Hart of the Institute staff, who arranged the Library collection. He explained that they were collected in

the days before scientists realized the folly of robbing nests and eggs. Now, he said, most scientific collectors must wait until the end of the season to gather nests, running the risk of finding only imperfect specimens.  
 The Library collection shows the nests of several of the new known Michigan birds, of both the resident and migratory classifications. Among the rarest is that of a red-winged blackbird, in perfect condition. This species inhabits swamps and builds its nest on reeds, high above the water. The reeds are drawn together, tripod fashion, and the cone-shaped nest is woven at the top. A natural weaver is the catbird, whose work is also shown. Catbirds will build their nests only from wild grass plants. The outside is formed from thin strips of bark, so evenly woven that the finished nest resembles a man-made basket. The inside is lined and padded with curly tendrils. The eggs are a lovely blue, in a deeper shade than the more familiar robin's egg blue.  
 One of the smallest common birds, the ruby-throated hummingbird, is also represented. The tiny nest, about the size of an ordinary golf ball, is constructed of soft, cottony material, reinforced with lichen and bits of moss. Inside are three tiny eggs, pure white and no larger than small beads.  
 The house wren builds a neat little nest for his pink eggs, and then surrounds the finished product with a litter of twigs to give added protection. Other interesting specimens shown are the nest of the black-capped chickadee, which constructs a soft platform, with no walls; and the chipping sparrow, which uses horsehair for its foundation. The eggs of the cow bird, which forces its way into the nests of other birds and lays several unhatched eggs, are contained in several of the nests.

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## Scout Reporter Finds Some Facts About Jamboree

By The R.S.R.  
 The Ramping Scout Reporter climbed into his jalopy recently to call on the eleven troops in this area. He had learned that a jamboree was in the wind and wanted to go the rounds and find out for himself just what was being done on this score. His old put-put didn't carry him everywhere he wanted to go, but he visited enough Scout meetings to find out that this rally is really going to be something of the making preparations he viewed as early criterion.  
 The date of this year's rally will be Friday, April 26th; the place the Baldwin High School Gym, the time 7:30 in the evening.  
 The outlying troops, B-11 of Franklin Village under the leadership of William Lowflier, and B-10 of Big Beaver guided by Richard Welch, promise to send over teams well coached in the art of knot-tying and Scouting. Boss Grinnell's B-8 which meets at the Adams School, have worked hard and well to master the First Aid and Fire-by-friction events of the contest. James Murray's Troop B-1 which walked off with the Back Advancement Cup at the last Court of Honor, will try for a grand slam in Birmingham Scouting honors when it sends its team onto the floor. As far as your reporter can make out they are ready to do battle in every contest.  
 The same can be said for B-7, a Troop which last year with very little advance preparation, nearly walked off with the winner's prize. Watch this troop in the Pyramid building. Troop B-4 one of the largest in Birmingham headed by Ernie Engle, is always a threat, as what Troop under the leadership of an Eagle Scout is not. Dick Spies' B-6 has been concentrating on all events and promises in the face of very stiff competition, to take a large share of first and seconds. Troop B-5 will try its hardest to repeat its last year's victory.

Here's Doughnut Capacity Champ

"This beats goldfish swallowing," thinks 15-year-old Leonard Hanstein, Oklahoma City high school student, whose elastic-like mouth can take care of four doughnuts at one. He's shown starting on the feat with a luxurious looking "gambler."

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in and for the City of Detroit, do hereby certify that Alexander (Alex) Aporovich, Defendant, is a resident of said County, held on the 1st day of April, A. D. 1939.  
 Present: Honorable H. Russell Holland, Circuit Judge.  
 Appearing from the defendant on file that Alexander (Alex) Aporovich is not a resident of the State of Michigan, and that his present address is at 2111 Leland Street, Kew-Forest, New York, as provided in the complaint filed in this cause within three months before the date of said bill, and said bill will be taken as confessed against Alexander (Alex) Aporovich.  
 It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published according to law in the Birmingham Eccentric, and also that a copy be published according to regular street Kew-Forest, New York, at least thirty days before the date of said bill, and that defendant, Alexander (Alex) Aporovich, appear.  
 H. RUSSELL HOLLAND, Circuit Judge.  
 A True Copy as Attest:  
 LYNN D. ALLEN, County Clerk.  
 By FRANK S. BROWN, Deputy.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, in and for the City of Detroit, on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1939.  
 Present: Honorable Arthur F. Moore, Judge of Probate.  
 The will of the Estate of Alexander (Alex) Aporovich, deceased, and James K. Watkins (deceased) under the will of Alexander (Alex) Aporovich, deceased, having died in said County of Oakland, Michigan, and after due and legal proceedings for the examination and attestation of said will, it is ordered that the First day of May, 1939, be and the same shall be the day for the said Alexander (Alex) Aporovich, and James K. Watkins, to appear in said Probate Office, at said Court of Probate, at Detroit, Michigan, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, and that they be appointed for hearing, said date, and that they be given by publication, at least three weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Oakland, Michigan.  
 ARTHUR F. MOORE, Judge of Probate.

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