

SIXTY-FOURTH YEAR—NO. 38
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Expect \$7,000 Quota Policy Racked In Red Cross Drive

Birmingham's anticipated quota for the 50-million-dollar national Red Cross drive will be about \$7,000, it was announced this week as first steps were taken to get the drive under way.

Charles S. Kinnison, 1478 Northside drive, has accepted the responsibility of chairman for Birmingham, it was announced by the County Chamber of Commerce.

Joslyn Girl, 16, Dies in Mishap At Ann Arbor

General services were held Monday afternoon in Detroit for Marjory Ann Joslyn, 16 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan W. Joslyn, 232 Suffolk road, who was fatally injured in an automobile crash last Saturday.

Her death was announced by her father, Mr. Joslyn, at his home, 232 Suffolk road, in Ann Arbor.

Traffic Engineer Suggests 2 Lanes For West Maple

Recommendations for improvement of West Maple avenue were made to the County Board of Commissioners by the Automobile Club of Michigan, it was revealed this week by Frank S. Suter, 1108 West Maple avenue, a leader in the movement for rebuilding the road.

Flying Cadet Sworn Via Long Distance

Kirk Martin, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Martin, 815 Oakland avenue, left last night for the entrance examination to enter the U. S. Army Air Corps pilot training course. He had just completed his training at Selfridge Field last summer and an annual phase of his enlistment was in being galled by telephone from Washington last Saturday night, and sworn into the service via telephone.

Cubs' Christmas Project

These lads may not care much for girls, but for the sake of Christmas they were willing to build doll cradles for distribution in the homes of 253 youngsters.

Post Office Will Be Open Evenings

For the convenience of patrons, the Birmingham Post Office will be open special hours starting Saturday evening, Postmaster Joseph A. Byrne announced.

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Although Local Board No. 7 is not yet in session, it is expected to hold its first meeting on Monday, December 22, for physical examinations. It is possible that the Army will take all who are ready.

Bob Fisher Valued for January Graduating Class

Bob Fisher, regular member of the Baldwin senior class, was named valuator of the January graduating class of 1942.

First War Casualty Here Is Reported: Baldwin Graduate

The first war casualty reported in Birmingham was Robert W. Uhlmann, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Uhlmann, 25550 Mound road, Larchmont, N. Y.

Appropriate \$1,000 For Defense Work

An emergency appropriation in the 1942 budget bill, providing for the use of \$1,000 for defense work, was voted by the program Monday night.

Estimate City Has 55 Tons of Waste Paper Monthly; SWS Seeks Some of It

A concentrated drive to collect waste paper will begin Saturday under the auspices of the Birmingham Waste Paper Drive.

New Store Building On South Woodward

George Fugman, proprietor of the Virginia Market, south Woodward avenue, announced plans this week for a new store building just south of his present location.

Young Boys Make Doll Cradles As Goodwill Gesture

Carrying on the tradition of the Boy Scout work of Christmas, the members of the Birmingham School has just finished making quantities of small doll cradles.

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Registration of volunteers for Civilian Defense is now under way in the Birmingham Community House, and by Wednesday more than 100 persons had offered their services.

Old-Time Engine Scares Populace, Aids Goodfellows

An old-time steam thrashing engine which scared some of the populace into thinking there was an invasion, helped to raise money for the Birmingham Goodfellows.

Mayor Exhorts Police, Firemen

It was an usual meeting Monday night at the City Commission meeting of its kind in the history of Birmingham. It seems wrong that a war should be necessary to bring us all together for the first time.

Southfield Groups Will Aid Defense

Southfield Federated Association, composed of organizations in the northern part of the Township, voted at its last meeting to have every member register to help in the national defense.

Decorate Homes Already Attracting Entrants

Interest in mounting in the second annual Home Decoration contest which the Retail Merchants' Association is sponsoring as part of its Christmas Goodwill program.

Registration Daily

Registration will be taken daily from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. at the Community House under the direction of Mrs. C. N. Pyle and Mrs. M. B. Baker, co-chairmen.

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