City Commission Endorses Campaign To Plant Flowering Crabapple Trees

The Arbor Day program of the Birmingham Branch of the National Farm and Garden Association was unanimously endorsed by the City Commission when spokesmen for the club appeared Monday evening at the commission meeting to ask the city's support in planting upwards of 200 malus floribunda (flowering crabapple trees) on public property.

The local Arbor Day program is based on state planting on Hunter boulevard when about 300 crabapple trees will be planted this spring by the State Highway Department. Through the efforts of the garden club this planting will extend to city and to private property throughout Birmingham.

The three phases of the Arbor Day program are:

1. Planting on city property. Through the direction of the garden club upwards of 200 trees are being donated by merchants and business concerns to be given the city for planting at the Post Office, at the Municipal building, on the Lincoln road parkway, etc. Merchants are being contacted during February. The school authorities at Holy Name and officials of the Birmingham Public Schools system have endorsed the plan to seek the contribution of a penny from each school child, the money to be used to purchase malus floribunda trees for the grounds of Birmingham's six schools.

2. Planting on private property. The garden club will purchase trees for residents for their own property to be delivered for April planting by the individual. Five foot trees have been selected and the charge is $1.50 each. The special campaign for private planting begins March 1 and will continue until Arbor Day.

3. The Garden club will donate and plant a mature tree to serve as an example of a flowering tree, inasmuch as the smaller trees that are being planted will not bloom for a year or so. The mature tree is to be planted at a special Arbor Day ceremony. The date of Arbor Day, when proclaimed by Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner, will be announced in The Eccentric.

To date 50 merchants have donated a total of 200 trees for this Arbor Day program. Donors this week follow:

Birmingham Theatre	Max Broock
National Bank	Manchester Music
Mintz Dry Goods	Inn
Birmingham Trust	Vogue Beauty Shop
Dr. F. R. Galow	Photographic Shop
C. F. Smith Co.	Hudgens
Yan's Pharmacy	Hudgens
D. J. Healy Sho.	Chesterfield Power
Sumner Motors	Matthews Tailor Shop
Phil's Market	

Finnish Conductor To Lead Symphony In Finish Concert

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra will enter the next-to-the-last week of its 1940-1941 season with the concerts of Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 26, and Saturday morning and Saturday night, March 1. Victor Kolar will conduct all three programs, while Edith Rhetts Tilton will lecture at the Wednesday afternoon and Saturday morning performances.

These will be the final programs, respectively, in the series of free concerts for school children, the Young People's concerts and the pop programs.

Announcement has been made that as the orchestra's last concert of the season the guest conductor will be Tauno Hannikainen, noted Finnish artist, who will be the symphony in three concerts in mid-December. This concert is scheduled for Thursday night, March 6, and the program will be devoted to the music of Wagner, Brahms and Sibelius.

Featuring all five of the recordings made by the Detroit Symphony for Decca last spring, the orchestra will play one of the season's most unusual pop concerts Saturday night. The five works will be played as recorded under Kolar: Rossini, Overture to the Opera, "William Tell"; Grieg, Peer Gynt Suites-Morning Mood, Ase's Death, Anitra's Dance, Arabian Dance, Solvejg's Song and In the Hall of the Mountain King; Enesco, First Rounanian Rhapsody. In A Major; Rimsky-Korsakoff, Symphonic Suite, "Scheherazade," Op. 35 (violin solo, Ilya Schkolnik); Herbert, American Fantasy.

"Our Modern Orchestra" is the subject of the Saturday morning program, at which compositions featuring percussion instruments will be played. For the first time in the long history of the Young People's concerts a cymbalum soloist will be presented. His name is Frank Garber and he is a member of one of the most popular downriver Hungarian Gypsy orchestras.

Draftees May Try For Commissions As Army Officers

Opportunities for 2,000 Army selectees or enlisted men to qualify for commissions as Reserve Officers were announced yesterday by the War Department in a communication to Brig. Gen. Charles H. Bonesteel, commanding the Sixth Corps Area with headquarters in Chicago.

Officers' training camps will begin to function July 1, 1941, providing three-month courses leading to Reserve commissions in the Infantry, Field Artillery, Coast Artillery and Cavalry. Candidates for officers schools must be between the ages of 21 and 36. Successful completion of the courses, open only to selectees or enlisted men with at least six months' service, will gain the students commissions as second lieutenants in the Infantry, Field Artillery, Coast Artillery and Cavalry.

State Civil Service Exams Announced

The State Civil Service Commission took a step looking toward the beginning of the tourist season with the announcement this week of an examination for park ranger to be given on March 15. At the same time examinations were also announced for cosmetologist, motorcycle repairman, sanatorium attendant, game farmhand, industrial hygiene engineer, and child welfare worker.

Park rangers are employees at the state parks who care for the lawns and buildings, issue your camping and fishing permits when you visit there and clean up the rubbish you leave behind. The state has more than fifty of these parks scattered throughout the state. They range in size from twelve to six thousand acres. To maintain them the state employs more than seventy rangers. It is expected that twenty-five new rangers will be hired from among the men who pass the examination.

Oren Root, Jr., to Speak At Grand Rapids Rally

Oren Root, Jr. of New York City, grandson of the statesman Elihu Root and originator of the movement to obtain the Republican nomination for president for Wendell L. Willkie will be one of the speakers at the annual Lincoln banquet to be held here in Grand Rapids Feb. 27, the evening before the Republican state convention, according to Col. John G. Emery, county committee chairman.

4 O'CLOCK every Wednesday is the deadline for turning in your classified "Want Ads." Phone 11. —adv.

Bad-Check Artist Has Victim Here

James E. Roundy, A & P store manager here, was fooled last week by the same bad-check artist who victimized several Pontiac merchants and finally drove away in a new car he was trying. Roundy told police the man gave a Birmingham address and took a large grocery order and cash change in exchange for a spurious $15.50 check.

Civil Service Jobs Are Announced

The Civil Service secretary at Birmingham Post Office has information on the following U. S. jobs:

Junior Engineman, steam-electric, $1,860 a year.

Senior Fireman, high pressure, $1,320.

Power sewing machine operator, $840.

Place of employment, Fort Custer. Closes March 5, 1941.

Seven Are Elected By Health League

Seven were elected by the board of directors of the Maternal Health League at a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Thomas H. Adams. Plans were made for the annual tea to be given by Mrs. Adams at 4 Terrell Place, Mrs. Robert E. Dinsley, Mrs. Lewis E. Daniels, Mrs. Robert C. Kelly, Mrs. E. M. Pyle and Mrs. Nelson C. Rainey.

Also present at the meeting were Mrs. Henry Hart, chairman of the League Archers, Mrs. Wm. W. Williams, Mrs. Edward S. Pye and Mrs. A. W. Subbera, of Royal Oak, Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Robert H. Daisley, Mrs. Austin Harrington, Mrs. William Brown, Mrs. W. E. Wilbrecht, Jr., Mrs. Jonathon M. Ball, Mrs. Chilkes, Mrs. Edward S. Reid, Jr., Mrs. D. R. Ballentine, Mrs. Angus D. McLary, Mrs. George Howard Fox and Mrs. W. A. P. John.

Our Poultry Department Salesman Sam Says—"When a fowl Chicken feels a man to talk Turkey, his Ghost is cooked!"

Seek Enrollees For CCC Work

The Oakland County Social Welfare Board is now taking applications for enrollment in the Civilian Conservation Corps, to fill Oakland County's quota for the month of February. Any young man between the ages of 17 and 23 inclusive, regardless of financial status, is eligible. Applications for persons from the northern part of the county are being taken at the Oakland County Social Welfare Board office, 1200 West Boulevard, Pontiac, and those from the southern part of the county are taken at the Social Welfare branch office, 107 South Troy Street, Royal Oak, Mich.

Applications should be made before February 22, 1941.

In Other Words

Wife—You don't love me any more.

Husband—Why, dear, I certainly do.

Wife—You couldn't love a woman with such old clothes as I have.

Obituary

Mrs. Minnie Abelt

Funeral service was Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Bailey Funeral Home for Mrs. Minnie Abelt, 281 East Lincoln avenue, who died Thursday following an illness of five months. The Rev. W. Glen Harris officiated and interment was in Roseland Park Cemetery.

Born Dec. 22, 1866, in Kowalk, Germany, she was married to Ernest Abelt in Detroit in 1885. He died in 1925.

Mrs. Abelt came to this country when a year old and had lived in Birmingham for the last 50 years, coming here from Pontiac.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Alma Hopson, of Chicago, and two sisters, Mrs. Annie Schebog and Mrs. Emilie Hintzpeter, of Detroit. A brother, Albert Priebe, of Detroit, also survives.

Mrs. Jane Beardslee

Services were held Tuesday afternoon at Twining for Mrs. Jane Beardslee, 304 West Brown street, who died Friday morning. Services were held at the Reno Baptist church and burial was in the Reno Cemetery.

Mrs. Beardslee, 68 years old, had lived in Birmingham for the past four years. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Earl Newberry, of Twining and three brothers, Harry, William and Arthur Latter, of Whitmore.

John W. Bell

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Bell Funeral Home for John W. Bell who died Thursday at his home, 628 Chesterfield road following a long illness. Burial was in Southfield Cemetery and the Rev. W. R. Blachford, retired rector of the Royal Oak Episcopal Church, officiated.

Born in Southfield Township on March 19, 59 years ago, Mr. Bell was a farmer and builder.

On Oct. 12, 1907 he married Rose E. Dudley, of Redford. She died Jan. 1, 1938.

Two sons, David W. Bell, of St. Clair Shores and Ralph E. Bell, of Birmingham, city policeman, survive him; also a sister, Mrs. William G. Olsen, of Birmingham, and three grandsons.

Frank Loren Forester

Services for Frank Loren Forester, 473 East Clawson road, Clawson, are to be held this afternoon at the Bell Funeral Home at 2:30 with Truman Campbell, of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, officiating. Cremation will be in White Chapel Memorial Park.

Mr. Forester, born July 16, 1888, in Milwaukee, Wis., passed away at 8 o'clock Monday evening. He had lived here for 26 years and was a member of the Christian Science Church and the Parent-Teacher Association in Clawson.

He leaves his widow, Iona Ault Forester, a son, Wayne, and a daughter, Jane, at home. A stepmother, Mrs. T. C. Forester, of Greensboro, N. C., also survives.

Film of Pacific On Adventure Series

All the "hot spots" of the Pacific will be visited in natural color motion pictures at the Detroit Institute of Arts, Woodward at Kirby, next Sunday afternoon, Feb. 23, at 3:30, when Francis R. Line, world traveller and authority on Pacific affairs, presents "Circle of Fire—25,000 Miles Around the Pacific."

SAVE TIME, STEPS, MONEY

AT YOUR A&P SUPER FOOD DEPARTMENT STORE . . . NO "SPECIALS" . . . LOW PRICES LIKE THESE EVERY DAY

CRESTVIEW EGGS MEDIUM SIZE Doz. 19c

FRESH CREAMERY BUTTER Lb. 31c Sunnyfield, 92 score, lb. cart. 35c

CHEESE MEL-O-BIT BRICK 2 Lb. Loaf 41c
PURE LARD 4 Lbs. 27c
CHEESE GENUINE WISCONSIN Lb. 19c
FLOUR GOLD MEDAL OR PILLS 5 Lb. Bag 21c
FLOUR IONA 24½ Lb. Bag 55c

FANCY TURKEYS TENDER - YOUNG Lb. 25c
BEEF ROAST ANY CHUCK CUT Lb. 21c
BAKED HAM Ready to Serve - SHANK HALF Lb. 24c
PORK LOIN RIB HALF Lb. 16c

SMOKED PICNICS Sliced Lb.	15c	DUCKLINGS Long Island	Lb. 19c	FRESH GROUND BEEF	Lb. 15c
BACON SQUARES	Lb. 11c	CHICKENS Fryers, Young	Lb. 25c	BOLOGNA Ring or Large	Lb. 15c
SLICED BACON	2 Pkgs. 27c	RIB ROAST Standing	Lb. 29c	SMELT Fresh Caught	2 Lbs. 15c
PORK ROAST Shoulder Cuts	Lb. 13c	SLAB BACON End Half	Lb. 17c	SHRIMP Fancy Medium	Lb. 17c
STEAKS Round - Sirloin	Lb. 31c	SLICED BACON Pound Layer	Lb. 21c	SALMON Fancy Sliced	Lb. 19c
LAMB BREAST Spring	Lb. 10c	PORK LIVER Sliced	Lb. 10c	OYSTERS Standards	Pint 21c

TOMATOES IONA No. 2 Cans 5 for 27c

SAUERKRAUT	No. 2½ Can 5c	CORN FLAKES Sunnyfield	Large Pkg. 8c
PUMPKIN	No. 2½ Can 5c	WHEATIES	Large Pkg. 10c
PEAS Fancy Type	No. 2 Can 10c	KIX	Large Pkg. 10c
ASPARAGUS Spears	2 Cans 27c	ROLLED OATS Sunnyfield	48-Oz. Pkg. 12c
RED BEANS Dark	5 15-Oz. Cans 25c	CORN MEAL White or Yellow	5 Lb. Bag 15c
CORN Fancy	3 No. 2 Cans 19c	PANCAKE FLOUR Sunnyfield	24-Oz. Pkg. 5c

MILK WHITEHOUSE EVAPORATED 4 Tall Cans 25c

SPRY	3 Lbs. 44c	PEANUT BUTTER Sultana	2 Lb. Jar 19c
BISQUICK	Pkg. 25c	APPLE BUTTER	2 12-Oz. Jars 19c
CAKE FLOUR Sunnyfield	Pkg. 18c	PURE HONEY	5 Lb. Jug 39c
VANILLA EXTRACT Imitation	Pint 17c	SALAD DRESSING	Quart Jar 19c
FRUIT COMPOTE	2 Lbs. 29c	SHRIMP	2 Wet Cans 19c
RAISINS Seedless	4 Lbs. 24c	RED SALMON Sultana	16-Oz. Can 22c

PINEAPPLE SULTANA Broken Slices No. 2 Can 15c

PEACHES Calif. Yellow Cling	2 No. 2½ Cans 23c	PAPER TOWELS Red Cross	3 Rolls 22c
KIEFER PEARS Halves	2 No. 2 Cans 19c	WAX PAPER Queen Anne	Large Roll 10c
GRAPEFRUIT Segments	4 No. 2 Cans 29c	FACIAL TISSUE Queen Anne	2 200-ct. Pkgs. 29c
PINEAPPLE JUICE	No. 2 Can 22c	KITCHEN MATCHES	6 Pkgs. 19c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE	2 Pints 25c	BULL DOG BLUING	2-Oz. Bottle 7c
APPLE JUICE	2 Cans 21c	SILVER POLISH	Pint Jar 33c

FLOUR VELVET 5 Lb. Bag 27c

VERMONT MAID SYRUP	Bottle 16c	FACIAL SOAP Woodbury's	4 Cakes 20c
MOLASSES Brer Rabbit, Green Label	12-Fl. Oz. Bottle 13c	PALMOLIVE SOAP	4 Cakes 16c
SHOW YOU SAUCE Oriental	Bottle 15c	SUPER SUDS Concentrated	Large Pkg. 17c
SUNSWEET PRUNES	2 Lbs. 19c	BABBITT'S CLEANSER	3 Cans 10c
GOOD LUCK PIE CRUST	Pkg. 10c	BABBITT'S LYE	Can 10c
GOOD LUCK PIE FILLER	3 Pkgs. 25c	BABO	Can 11c

CALIF. NAVEL ORANGES 150-176 SIZE Doz. 25c
HEAD LETTUCE 48 SIZE 2 Heads 11c
FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT 54 SIZE 5 for 19c

LEMONS Calif.	Doz. 19c	CARROTS	Bch. 5c
POTATOES Maine	15 Lbs. 25c	BEETS	2 Lbs. 9c
APPLES Winesap	5 Lbs. 25c	BROCCOLI	Bch. 10c
APPLES Mich. Northern Spy	5 Lbs. 25c	YELLOW ONIONS	10 Lb. Bag 19c

TREAT YOUR FAMILY TO Custom Ground 8 O'CLOCK COFFEE 3 Lb. Bag 37c LOWEST PRICE IN HISTORY

Toast It! Taste It! Test It! IT'S TOPS! A&P SOFT TWIST BREAD 3 1½ Lb. Lvs. 23c DOUBLE WRAPPED DATED FOR FRESHNESS

JANE PARKER DOUGHNUTS Doz. 10c PLAIN OR SUGARED . . . DATED FOR FRESHNESS

Double YOUR MONEY BACK GUARANTEE!

Yes—any Ann Page Food must please you *completely* or we offer *double your money back!* We're so sure of your satisfaction with Ann Page quality because we know these fine foods are expertly made of carefully selected ingredients. They're famous for flavor . . . and they are yours at real savings because the 33 Ann Page Foods are both made and sold by A&P. Try them . . . and save.

★ For a real taste thrill, try Ann Page Preserves. All nine favorite flavors are made with fully ripened fruit, expertly prepared—rivaling Grandma's best. Taste them today!

ANN PAGE PRESERVES 2 Lb. Jar 27c

BEANS	Ann Page, Tender Cooked	16-Oz. Can	5c
SALAD DRESSING	Ann Page	Quart Jar	25c
JELLIES	Ann Page, Assorted Pure Flavors	8-Oz. Glass	10c
FRENCH DRESSING	Ann Page	8-Oz. Bottle	10c

"Seeing Is Believing" Test Proves Ann Page Foods Are Finest!

Ann Page Foods are made and sold by A&P. Try them and see how delicious they are. Then compare them with any other brands. Compare them for flavor, for quality, for purity, for goodness. Then you will know why Ann Page Foods are the finest you can buy.

NORTHERN TISSUE 4 Rolls 19c GAUZE 4 rolls 19c

SUNRITE CLEANSER 4 Cans 19c

A "HORMEL" PRODUCT SPAM 12 Oz. Can 25c

THE NEW KEYKO MARGARINE MADE OF VEGETABLE OILS WITH VITAMIN "A" ADDED 3 1 Lb. Pkgs 30c INTRODUCTORY FEATURE!

WHITE SAIL SOAP FLAKES Lg. Pkg. 10c Grains, 2 lg. pkgs. 25c

PARD DOG FOOD 3 16-Oz. Cans 25c

National Cherry Week RED SOUR PITTED CHERRIES 3 No. 2 Cans 25c 6-Lb., 7-Oz. Can 43c

TOMATO JUICE 2 46-Oz. Cans 23c

OUR OWN TEA ½ Lb. Pkg 35c ½-Lb. Pkg. 19c

100% VEGETABLE SHORTENING dexo 3 Lb. Can 37c For Frying, Cakes, Pastries and Pies

210 S. WOODWARD

OPEN EVENINGS FRIDAY & SATURDAY

SUPER A&P MARKET

MEATS and FISH • FRUITS and VEGETABLES GROCERIES • BAKERY • DAIRY

OWNED AND OPERATED BY THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.