

Just as sure as the sun shines, there are people in our government who are bent on robbing the masses and will try their best after the war to do so...

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THE NEWS and THAT

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Simple As A B. C. (?) "As simple as A B C"—that is what the "Goodfellows" are...

Michigan has 60 new olive drab fire trucks, one of which will be stationed in Birmingham...

Every winter, when the sidewalks in this town become coated with ice, the problem of keeping streets free of snow...

War conditions continue to impose restrictions upon many of our citizens...

Next Saturday, December 19, Birmingham's Goodfellows will again "take to the road"...

So many times you have read that cold weather has been applied to the regimenting of people...

18-19-year-old Boys Register Slowly Here

Men Near Graduation School Heads Counsel May Get Deferrals

Registration of 18 and 19-year-olds is proceeding slowly through the Selective Service office here...

December will register during the period beginning Dec. 26 and ending Dec. 31...

Following is a list of those who registered before Wednesday morning...

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Borrowed Army Truck and Others Prepare to Handle Christmas Mail A borrowed Army truck from Selma...

BRITISH CONSUL TO SPEAK Cyril Kane, British consul in Detroit...

School Cafeteria Will Reopen Soon.

Dr. Ireland Says

Baldwin High School will reopen its cafeteria some time during January...

ENROLLMENT INCREASES Public school enrollment has increased by 25 students since September...

GIRLS' SHOWER ROOM A few complaints have been received about the girls' shower room in the high school...

Make List of Names For Honor Panel

Preparation of a list of Birmingham's men in the armed forces is under way...

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VAUGHAN FINDS USE FOR STIRRUP PUMP There has been no air raid here yet...

LIGHT POLE CLIPPED A truck owned by the Boutwell Bros. Co. was struck by a light pole...

Sailor Back From Africa Tells of Invasion Fight

Petty Officer Jack Dunn, who readers will remember as a high school boy who liked to write for The Eccentric...

200 People Rush For Sugar Coupons More than 200 people besieged the rationing office here Monday...

Foreign Legion Fights "The French Navy and the foreign Legion gave us the most trouble..."

Annual Baldwin Christmas Program Friday; Jr. High Program Tonight

Tonight at eight o'clock in Barnum auditorium, Birmingham Junior High School students will present a dramatized version of "The Christmas Carol"...

Drillers Still Looking for Water Continuing its search for a new water well site...

Birmingham Flyer Guest of Potentate Capt. Walter Jensen, with the Army Air Force in India...

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Heads Exchange Club Goodfellows' Paper Sale This Saturday

There were thousands of gallons of high-octane aviation gasoline and thousands of rounds of ammunition...

OTTO KERN, JR. KILLED Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kern, of Squirrel road, Bloomfield Hills...

Eighteen persons from the Birmingham area were granted United States citizenship in a court session here...

Other Business Of School Board: Merchants and the Post Office, had plans for help...

BOY SCOUT LETTER A letter was received from George D. Miller, member of the Birmingham Scout Council...

WILL COLLECT FEE On the recommendation of Mrs. Jane Bigler, teacher...

ON MONTHLY BASIS Mrs. Evelyn Haaks, who was named as a substitute for Miss Magdalen Frederick...

FUND REPORTS Business Manager Louis M. Randall reported a balance of \$247.11...

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