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Bits of Birmingham

Spring, beautiful spring! It was 75° Wednesday.

With the high price of lettuce, why don't you get out and pick some tender young dandelion leaves as soon as they appear? They make a good salad.

Capt. James Vernon, Jr., is back from the North Pacific and finds the temperature around here quite hot. Remember when he headed for the job. Even his mother and father have had very little opportunity to see him, although we imagine his wife and family have fared better.

Some local citizens mailed a copy of the Eccentric to Mrs. E. H. Reule, "17110 Third Avenue, Birmingham, Mich." Not knowing what to do with it because of the faulty address, the P. O. sent it to our office, where the sender—whenever she may be—may claim it.

A reader phoned us to call attention to the Feb. 27 issue of the Satepost, and to an article dealing with left-handedness. "Anybody with a left-handed child should read this article," she said.

This Wanderer has noted flocks of birds in the area hereabouts. Never saw so many.

Mrs. Helene Hall has filed suit for divorce from Judson Hall.

A subscriber sends us an interesting reprint of a letter sent by an army officer in a foreign field to his sister in Pennsylvania. "Tell America to pray" was this officer's advice. (We cannot reprint it because of its length.)

One reaction received by War Club workers in their travels about the City was that some housewives did not prepare their tin cans because they cannot get good can openers. The best type is that with a lever arrangement which allows the can opener not necessarily the expensive type which you screw to the wall. The dime store managers say that while they are occasionally out of can openers, they get in periodic shipments.

The City has a residue from the disposal plant which may be used as a fertilizer. Originally it was an army officer's foreign field to his sister in Pennsylvania. "Tell America to pray" was this officer's advice. (We cannot reprint it because of its length.)

Incidentally—a note to new residents: Birmingham operates a municipal golf course at Springdale Park, northeast of the city, off Woodward avenue. The green fees are low, or you can get a season ticket.

Ray E. Schauer, of Detroit, driving south on Woodward Tuesday morning, ran into the parked car of Carl E. Lebow, 1591 Humphrey, causing damages estimated at \$10.

As a rule, local drivers are not often caught speeding, but two men had had luck Sunday and got tickets for doing 45 miles an hour in a 30-mile zone. They were William Leroy Boughner and Chelcy Moses.

Pat Sandovally, bike was stolen from near the theatre but found later—minus the saddle and handle grips.

A local physician has commented in regard to a paragraph in this column—contributed by a reader who criticized fees for professional advice and makes frequent phone calls. "I feel I am justified in making a charge for just the same as though he had come to the office. I never used to give advice on the phone at all, but work is so heavy now that I have to do some of it by phone, and some days, I put in as much as a couple hours this way. No charge, unless you make an appointment for a call incidental to a case with which I am currently engaged."

Spring is truly here. A Greenwood avenue resident reported to police a window broken by a baseball. The mother of the child, who is on the lookout for two boys driving an "old green Ford" in a reckless manner.

The draft board has received a letter from a Detroit manufacturer offering temporary work to husky boys who may be awaiting induction.

Chissam Construction Co., of Birmingham, has been awarded a \$29,000 contract to build an eight-room school in Warren Township, to take care of the war factory influx. The Fed. Gov. is paying the shot.

Birds, identification, character of pattern, color, flight, and habitat, these and other items of interest are the object of the Cranbrook Institute of Science one-hour bird walks. Walter Nickell will lead the group, starting at 6:30 a. m., April 17 and 24. Additional walks in May depend on the interest shown in the first two.

Bill Gardner, Clyde Martz, Joe Moery and Hal Buege, of the Lions Club, were down on the streets of Birmingham, Monday morning by Police Sgt. Earl L. Moody.

Carl Miller, famed sculptor at Cranbrook whose work may be found in many American and European cities, has been awarded the first annual award of merit and \$1,000 cash prize of the American Academy of Arts and Letters.

In the current issue of Life magazine there's a novel ad built around a V-mail letter sent by First Lt. Claude E. Streb, serving in North Africa. Lt. Streb, who was a commercial artist, drew a picture showing him pacing around on the desert, angry because he did not have a certain brand of pipe. He sent it to his old agency which handles the pipe account, and they built a page ad around the V-mail letter. It was written by a graduate of Baldwin High School. Michigan State is married and has a son two years old. His parents live here.

Drive Is Started For Farm Scrap

The War Production Board has asked Michigan for a collection of 45,000 tons of scrap metal during the first six months of the year. June 30, and nearly all of this amount is to come from farms. John H. Hartwood, chairman of the Birmingham Salvage Committee, said today. "This means that Michigan has an average of 500 pounds per farm to reach this goal. The farm scrap drive is being held early in the year, so that farmers can have time to scour their farms thoroughly before the plowing and planting season begins. It is not necessarily the expensive type which you screw to the wall. The dime store managers say that while they are occasionally out of can openers, they get in periodic shipments.

"Hitler's European fortress is still intact," Brodsky's is even tougher. Our boys have just started their offensives—we have just begun to fight. They need a continuous flow of ammunition and other war supplies to support them. Michigan still has a few piles of tin can scrap, but it is becoming more evident that we may not be able to count on our own. Michigan still has a few piles of tin can scrap, but it is becoming more evident that we may not be able to count on our own. Michigan still has a few piles of tin can scrap, but it is becoming more evident that we may not be able to count on our own.

Frank McAvinchey Runs for High Court

Frank McAvinchey, of Davison, Mich., incumbent judge of probate for Genesee County, is one of the candidates for the State Supreme Court. He is a leader in his field, and is starting his 11th year on the bench. He drew up the State Probate Code adopted in 1935, and has written the Michigan Probate Procedure.

Nelson Eddy to Sing Interesting Group

Nelson Eddy, famed baritone, will appear in a concert at the Masonic Temple Thursday evening, April 8, along with Theodore Paxson, pianist. Mr. Eddy will open with numbers from Handel and Mozart, followed by five Russian songs, Gretschmannoff to Rachmaninoff. Mr. Paxson will play three numbers. Mr. Eddy will return with four American folk songs, and then four romantic ballads.

Jewel Cutting Course Only ten students may be enrolled for the lapidary technique course to be given at the Cranbrook Institute of Science Saturday mornings. The course will begin on April 10 through May 29. Junior members of the Institute, 14 years of age or older, who seem qualified to handle the machinery used in cutting and polishing the semi-precious stones may join.

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Summer Classes Set for Cranbrook

In addition to the featured pre-induction courses for the summer session, regular classes will be introduced at Cranbrook for boys wishing to speed up their preparatory schooling. This boys may be assured of some college training before the draft interrupts their educational programs. Ten of the older, more-experienced members of Cranbrook's regular staff will carry through with the summer school program with concentration in time to score in English, history, foreign languages, science, shop practice, art and music. Physical training by a coach incorporating some of the features recently developed at pre-flight schools together with the usual Cranbrook study supervision and individual instruction will be featured in the afternoon schedule. All of Cranbrook's athletic equipment and facilities will be available to boarding students. Daily classes will be held. Baseball, tennis, track and aquatic sports will be encouraged and supervised. The regular year-round dormitories with a room for every boy will be available to boarding students. Daily classes will be held. Baseball, tennis, track and aquatic sports will be encouraged and supervised. The regular year-round dormitories with a room for every boy will be available to boarding students. Daily classes will be held. Baseball, tennis, track and aquatic sports will be encouraged and supervised.

Fair Employment Group at Work

Despite all the advertisements in the newspapers calling for war workers, several groups of Detroiters are still finding it difficult to contribute their talents to the war effort. The Metropolitan Detroit Council on Fair Employment Practice, Room 301 Hammond Building, stated this week. The council is made up of some 80 representative religious, civic and social welfare organizations and has been working for over a year on the problem of integrating minority group workers into war industry without any discrimination based on race, creed, color, sex or national origin.

Sentence Suspended In Grocer Case

In a trial held Monday afternoon in Justice Forbes S. Haskell's court, William Sherman Walborn was found guilty of assault and battery. He was given a 30-day suspended sentence and ordered to pay \$10 and costs. It was brought out in the trial that Sherman had ordered Roy B. Walborn, 899 Henrietta street, out of his store. On his way out, Walborn was shoved by Sherman, according to his testimony. On March 15, Walborn told the City Commission that he and several women had been insulted in the store. Sherman denied the charge.

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