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Early Day Life In Birmingham Is Interestingly Recalled By R. D. Bird

Things were not always as they are today in Birmingham, as most of the city's more recent residents can well imagine. However, it is hard to imagine things as they were 60 years ago in these parts when Birmingham was practically a frontier settlement on the old Saginaw Trail and, in Detroit, south of here, the fastest form of public transportation featured the horse as a motor.

R. D. Bird, a lifelong Birmingham resident from the days it was called Piety Hill, who now resides at 627 Purdy Street, skipped lightly over the lay of the land in the good old days and, while he was skipping, this reporter jotted down a few of the related incidents and items.

Mr. Bird was the son of Rev. R. D. Bird, Sr., who served as the pastor of the local Methodist congregation at the time the present church was built in 1871. The corner stone was laid in that year and R. D. Bird, Jr., was born the following year. His father served the Methodist flock here, and in Warren, and traveled to the Warren church with horse and rig to preach Sunday evenings. He returned on Monday morning and pitched in with the farmers of the congregation who cut and finished timber for the new church.

The population of the town then was probably between 300 and 500 but there were many farms in the very near vicinity; along Brown street, for instance. Brown was the farthermost street to the south and the farms came right up to it. On the west, Southfield served as a boundary and there were farms between it and the Rouge river. Willetts street marked the extent of development on the north side and, while Greenwood cemetery, over on Oak street, was there at that time, the only thing between it and Willetts was woods. Between Willetts and Maple, near the end of Southfield, was a dandy stand of timber and a man by the name of Randall fed, and partially tamed a herd of deer that hung around the place which people referred to as "the deer park." The old Grand Trunk line ran through town where Hunter boulevard is now, as many of the more recent residents remember; only then it was the eastern boundary and farms extended beyond it.

Down behind the Bell greenhouses, at one time, was a highly prolific field of buckwheat and Bird says he cradled grain all up and down the middle of Ann street and around Landon and Floyd, too. Of course, there were no such streets then. Woodward avenue was there, but it was called the Saginaw Trail and beside it grew the buckwheat.

He also remembers going to Detroit with a team of horses for supplies and building materials. He was only a lad of 12 or 13 when he first made the trip alone with a big team of horses and heavy farm wagon. The trail was barely wide enough for such an outfit to pass through. Timber and brush came right up to the narrow roadbed. The trail led through the Royal Oak swamp, now the city of Berkley, and through cleared farm areas until it came to Grand boulevard, which was the northern outskirts of the big city. The trip for building supplies took him way down to Fort street and in order to get back the same day he started, he pulled out of Birmingham at one o'clock in the morning. Many times farmers, returning through the Royal Oak swamp from Detroit, were hijacked by bandits and their money taken from them. Young Bird used to hustle his team to get back through that district before dark. The bandits never bothered a farmer going to Detroit because they were not liable to have anything of value with them, except farm products. It was when they returned with their wagons empty and their pockets full that they were in danger. Even if they returned with a wagon-load of something-or-other they were comparatively safe from the bandits, because they figured their money had been spent for the contents of the load. Later on the swamp was cleared and the farmers who first inhabited it could go out before breakfast and kill a half dozen rattle snakes of the bona fide variety. The bandits left of their own accord.

Modern inhabitants of Birmingham often remark the oddity that Birmingham is the only community in these parts that doesn't have a beer garden, or a public bar. Such was not always the case according to Mr. Bird, for, on the spot where the stately Birmingham National Bank now stands, stood a saloon of the wettest variety. Through its swinging doors passed the roughest and toughest clientele that ever graced the streets of Birmingham on Saturday nights. Yes, within its walls congregated the fightingest bunch of roughnecks that ever blacked an eye or flattened a nose. With their passing, and from that frontier setting, came the modern Birmingham that people know today. It is doubtful that many of the modern sons and daughters could be coaxed into going back into the realm of the he-men, and staunch women, of that day, but as one man said, "we'll bet our next week's pay" that Mr Bird, and some of the old guard that remain among the citizenry, would like to return for a last stroll around the old days, and, for just one more look at things as they were when "men were men and the women could bake bread" in Birmingham.

Here Are Some Worthwhile Hints To Victory Gardeners of Birmingham

Cutworms, one of the most destructive of all garden pests, can be effectively combated with a bait of poisoned dandelions, according to C. S. Rust, Birmingham victory garden chairman. A day or two before you set out tomato, cabbage, pepper or other young garden plants, mix about two pounds of chopped dandelion greens with one ounce of Paris Green. Make the bait in the morning and let it wilt until evening, when some worms come out of the ground to feed. Then distribute it through the sections of your garden where you plan to set your plants. After the plants are in the ground they can be protected with collars made of cardboard or several thicknesses of newspaper set one inch in the ground and extending one inch above it. Cutworms are found most frequently in newly plowed sod soil.

If you find hundreds of tiny holes in the leaves of your tomatoes, egg plant, corn, beets, cabbage and other plants, it is a sign that the flea beetles have arrived. Flea beetles are among the first insects to make their appearance in the garden. They are small, black, metallic, and about the size of a blackheaded pin. The fact that they jump when disturbed accounts for their name.

Damage from flea beetles can be prevented if plants are dusted regularly. Cryolite dust, which can be purchased under several trade names, is perhaps the best material to use for these pests. If cryolite is not available, Bordeaux mixture or fixed copper fungicides plus calcium arsenate will do the trick. Although less effective, the use of Rotenone or a dust made of one pound of calcium arsenate and nineteen pounds of gypsum will do a fairly satisfactory job.

Although birds, during most of the year, are among the gardener's best friends, there are certain times, particularly in the first week to ten-day period after the garden has been planted, that they are likely to be troublesome. It is then that such birds as crows and pheasants feed lustily on newly sown seed. They may also attack corn when it is in the milk or dough stage.

Birds can be frightened away from a garden, for short periods at least, by setting out sticks 6 to 8 feet high with a heavy cord strung between them. Fasten strips of white cloth or paper on the string at intervals. When the birds get used to the white strips change the color of the paper or cloth or replace the strips with pieces of mirror or metal that will reflect light and make a certain amount of noise. A scarecrow will also frighten off birds for a few days, but they soon get wise to all these tricks. To keep them out of your garden you'll have to keep changing your frightening devices.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 23rd day of May, A. D., 1944.
Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Lillian E. Merry, Deceased.
Earl D. Merry, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.
It is Ordered, that two months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.
It is Further Ordered, that the 7th day of August, 1944, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.
And for the examination and allowance of his final account; determination of the heirs of said deceased; assignment of the residue of said estate; and the discharge of said administrator.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
Mr. Earl D. Merry,
268 Auburn Avenue,
Pontiac, Michigan.
9-10-11

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 15th day of May A. D. 1944.
Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Mabel B. Kane, Deceased.
Julie Kane Hunter, administratrix of said estate having filed in said Court her Final Account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof; determination of the heirs of said deceased; assignment of the residue of said estate; and the discharge of said administratrix.
It is Ordered, That the 19th day of June A. D., 1944 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
(A True Copy)
OLIVER H. KIRK,
Attorney at Law,
Wabeek Building,
Birmingham, Michigan.
Ecc. 8-9-10

Blood Donors of City and County Give Many Pints

The hundreds of Birmingham residents who either aided in the recent blood donor campaigns or actually gave blood during the various campaigns will be interested to know that the total amount of blood collected in Oakland county up to April 24 was 27,837 pints, according to Harry Hoey, chairman of the blood donor service of the Oakland County Chapter, American Red Cross. Mr. Hoey reports that the collection of blood has been centralized in various points of the county, easily accessible from all sections of the territory.

Here is a recent ruling regarding persons between the ages of 18 and 21. Heretofore a note signed by parent or guardian of a eighteen year old has been all that was necessary to accept a donor. A printed release is now necessary. This ruling includes married people. In this instance husband or wife may sign the release. Parents of the individual may also sign the release. The only exception to this rule is in the case of a minor who is in uniform of one of the military services of the United States.

All blood after collection by the Red Cross is turned over immediately to processing laboratories and from then on becomes the property of the United States Army and Navy, to be used at their discretion.

The Army and Navy have entered into contracts with a number of large commercial laboratories for definite amounts of finished plasma or serum albumin. Fulfillment of these contracts is dependent upon the ability of Red Cross Blood Donor service to supply form its various centers an adequate amount of blood a week. To meet this responsibility each center has been assigned weekly quotas, based on population of the city and surrounding region. The Mobile Unit visits towns and communities of Oakland county at frequent intervals for the purpose of filling its quota.

STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County on the 19th day of May A. D., 1944.
Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Della Waterbury, Deceased.
Thomas L. Luscombe having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration de bonis non of said estate be granted to your petitioner or to some other suitable person.
It is Ordered, That the 19th day of June, A. D., 1944, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
Oliver H. Kirk, Attorney,
Wabeek Bldg.,
Birmingham, Michigan.
9-10-11

ELECTION

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tem. The McBrides live at 1936 Fairview.

James S. Tuttle resides at 1234 Willow lane, having been a local resident for the past six years. The Tuttles have five children, three now in school and another preparing to start school next autumn. Mr. Tuttle has had a varied business career, being in the oil production business for some time, real estate, insurance, spent several years with the S. S. Kresge company and is now looking after his own investments. He attended the public schools of Detroit, Culver Military academy and Brown University.

Charles H. Welch, Jr., another of the men candidates, came to Birmingham in 1928. He is a Detroit Central high graduate and following this schooling went directly into business. He has been general sales manager for the Fred Sanders company for many years. There are two daughters in the Welch family. A member of the price panel of the Birmingham Rationing and Price board of the OPA, Mr. Welch has served in many other capacities in the public life of the city and community. The Welch home is at 287 Suffield.

Many Persons Register

Registration of voters for the coming election will close at 8 o'clock on the evening of Saturday, June 3. Many voters are registering for the election, indicating a much larger vote than last year. Persons qualified to register and vote are; Citizen of the United States, 21 years of age. Must have a three-month residence in the school district; must own property or be the parent or guardian of a child between the ages of five and nineteen years included on census list of the district.

Election booths are to be set up at Adams, Barnum and Quarton schools for the election, hours for which will be 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Dieppe Raid Hero Hi-12 Club Speaker

Lieut. Leslie E. Scobie, Highland Park, a survivor of the Dieppe raid against the Germans, was the speaker at the Monday evening High Twelve club dinner at the Community House. He related his experiences in the raid in which he was one of the 18 survivors of a group of 600 soldiers taking part in his section of the front, where he was in command of a gun detachment. He was badly wounded but succeeded in rescuing several of his men.

EXCHANGE CLUB SPEAKER

William B. Tippy, vice chairman of the Oakland County Committee for Economic Development, is to be the speaker at the June 6th meeting of the Birmingham Exchange club. At the luncheon meeting at the Community House he will speak on "What the Committee for Economic Development Means to Oakland County." Mr. Tippy is assistant to the divisional manager of the Consumer's Power company at Pontiac.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the City of Pontiac in said County, on the 25th day of May, 1944.
Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of John L. McGirr, Deceased.
Allen F. McGirr, administrator of said estate having filed in said Court a petition, praying for license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.
It is Ordered, That the tenth day of July, 1944, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
OLIVER H. KIRK,
Attorney at Law,
Wabeek Building,
Birmingham, Michigan.
10-11-12

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 12th day of May A. D. 1944.
Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Albert W. Wasey, Deceased.
Harlow N. Davock, W. Whiting Raymond and Donald D. James, Trustees under the Will of said deceased having filed in said Court their first annual account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof.
It is Ordered, That the 12th day of June A. D., 1944 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;
It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
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