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Peck, Stuart, Smith, Ralph, Rood and Roland Reese.
Organizations which have already joined in the campaign and have members out selling bonds are: P.T.A. Council, Birmingham Women's Club, Garden Club, A. A. U. W., Presbyterian Women's Union, Rotary Annex, Holy Name Church, Methodist Church, Women's Society, Birmingham Musical, Lutheran Redeemer Church Missionary Society, Soroptimist Club, Baptist Women's Union, MOMS Club, Junior League, Embury Methodist Church, Present Day Club, D. A. R., and Michigan Bell Telephone Office.
The Fifth War Loan will not be easy. The amount to be raised is \$16,000,000,000, whereas the Fourth War Loan in January, February was \$15,000,000,000. Michigan quota \$250,000,000. To be sold to:
Corporations \$250,000,000
Individuals \$276,000,000
Bonds \$169,000,000
All other issues \$107,000,000
Purchases \$1,000,000,000
Birmingham quota \$1,000,000,000

Three New Members of Birmingham Board of Education

The Birmingham school district Board of Education is to have three new members, when the fiscal year opens July 1. The three above were elected on Monday, June 12, in the annual school election. They are Mrs. Norman Lyle, Amos Gregory and Mrs. L. B. Sappington.

FIRES

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old daughter from her second floor room.
Firemen believe this fire was started from sparks which escaped from a burner through wire spark guard on the chimney. The family reported having a fire in the incinerator at about 9 o'clock and it is thought the fire may have been set in the roof at about that time.
Heavy Loss Here
Burning through the insulation into the inside of the second floor flames spread over much of the under part of the roof where damage is estimated at somewhere around \$5,000. Damage from fire, water and smoke to the furnishings is estimated from \$2,000 to \$4,000.
The fire chief said the home was estimated at from \$15,000 to \$16,000 and the furnishings at around \$7,500.
Fire had dropped down into the partitions and corners and made a difficult fight for the firemen.
Fire loss for the year up to Sunday was not high, according to Fire Chief Griffith. There had been a lot of calls but in every case actual loss had been light.
Use New Ladder
At one of these two fires the department made use of its new 53 foot power extension ladder which is just being completed. The ladder was built by the firemen and has just been installed on a large truck. The ladder had been under test at the station for several days before the week end fire flames practiced using the new outfit. Chief Griffith reports it received a good workout at the fires and was found to be OK.

Invasion Victuals

Every Allied soldier landing on the French coast carried 24-hour rations in a small waterproof cardboard box packed with salt, 10 crackers, bucket compressed meat, two meat cubes, three bars chocolate, two packages chewing gum, two packages oatmeal, one packet tea and dried milk, four cubes sugar, 24 pieces fruit candy, and solid fuel in a tin for cooking.

U. S. Naval Program At U. of M. Enlarged And Another Added

With one new training program added and others enlarged the Navy plans to help 50 students at the University of Michigan at its present full strength through the summer term opens July 1.
The new program will be for future Army aviators. As part of the pre-flight school. Another section is being developed. Last term the Navy started a program here for its Supply Corps men. A second class at U.M. in the fall will be developed next month. The work involved given by the Business Administration school.
The general field given by the University for the Navy men included the U. M. faculty and advanced, pre-military, both before and after the Navy Reserve Officers Training Corps, and Marine. Altogether, 428 men are expected to be enrolled.
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SCHOOLS

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well equipped. Room utilization is 72.5 and pupil station usage 63.7. Special rooms show a utilization of 62.4 and pupil station usage of 45.3. The school's special facilities are both obsolete and inadequate.
Discussing population growth, Mr. Ireland reported that on the basis of school enrollment Birmingham's growth has been fairly constant since 1927. Since 1938 the curve has been leveled off as we can all understand. As to the growth from today on, your guess is as good as mine.
In closing Mr. Ireland mentioned the Michigan allocation of \$5,000,000 for post-war planning and reported that schools may share in this on the basis of 45 cents per census child. Birmingham would receive about \$1,485 for this purpose from the state and would match this with an equal sum from local funds. Birmingham should be ready to take advantage of any state or federal funds for post-war building.
Need New High School
He reported the school's bond debt would be about \$650,000 (said Detroit) and said this debt was being reduced at the rate of about \$80,000 per year. Adequate sites are available for additional buildings such as a gymnasium and modern high school building and additions to the elementary school plants. Senior high school facilities, right now, seems to be the most badly needed item in the school program.

Radio Training Is Offered Men Joining U. S. Maritime Service

In accordance with the new Navy regulations calling for continuous radio watch board merchant ships, the United States Maritime Service has reduced its radio-training course to twenty weeks, and has equipped its apprentice seaman training station at Hoffman Island, New York, to turn out radio operators exclusively. It was announced today at Maritime Service regional headquarters in Cleveland, Ohio.
Eligibility for radio training will be limited to maritime service enlistees who qualify for such training upon the basis of a competitive examination after regular apprentice seaman induction at (Shoemaker Bay, N. Y., St. Petersburg, Fla., or Avalon, Calif.)
Upon satisfactory completion of the course of radio training, graduates who qualify for an R. F. C. C. second class radio-telegrapher's license shall receive a rating as warrant officer prior to assignment aboard a merchant vessel. Those who qualify for a temporary (interim) radio-telegrapher's license will be rated as radiomen. 3(c) (Petty officer third class.)
New enlistees have an excellent opportunity to attend the radio school, according to Lieut. (jag.) D. C. Phillips, regional enrolling officer, who indicated that present quotas were at an all-time high.

WEBBER

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Roland W. Reese and Dr. E. D. Kellerman.
Webber's committee appointments are as follows: major activities, Dominic Canuto, Paul N. Averill and Dr. E. D. Kellerman; programs, William Spence, Keith Griffes and Wesley A. Gibbons; Lions education, John Springman, Robert J. McKee and Dr. B. D. Campbell; Social and entertainment, William K. Gardner, Joseph Lemke and Clyde H. Collins; flowers, sick and needy in service, Carolyn Bowers, Collins A. Scott and Emerson Brown; publicity and R. O. R. Hal Brauer, Raymond H. Peck and Claude Morrow; athletics and greeters, Donald S. Bell, Edward E. Bessel and Walter Brand; extension and interview relations, Joseph B. Moery, Dr. Paul J. McConkie and Lloyd Smith; finance, Walter L. Morland, Percy G. Bennett and Charles Cooper.
The two vice-presidents of the club are also acting as supervisors for the committees. Each one is to keep track of the activities for staff the committee and to stimulate action.
Members of the Lions club were guests of Carson Bingham at a special "Roast Wednesday" evening at his home at 32515 Bingham road. The party took the place of the regular Wednesday meeting and the members enjoyed the outing by playing softball and croquet.

PROGRAM

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starting at 1 p.m.; girls at 2 p.m.; adults at 7 p.m. Adults and school age workers 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. The pool will not be in use on Wednesday nights.
One of the big features of the program for boys will be baseball and Director Braham anticipates a large number of teams developing some fine individual and team plays.
A number of community programs are being planned for Wednesday afternoons and evenings.
EARLY HUNTING LAWS
In 1881 the Michigan Legislature first took drastic steps to control methods of bird hunting. Previously, the only restrictions imposed had regulated lengths of hunting seasons.
The deer herd in Michigan occupying about two-thirds of the area of the state, or approximately 34,500 square miles.

DISTRICT 4 Oakland County

Dear Citizen:
I am, as a Republican candidate, seeking nomination for State Representative from District 4, Oakland County.
In view of the fact that Oakland County has been divided into five districts, women should have at least one representative in the Legislature at this time.
I can qualify for this position because I have been in the transportation business for the past 25 years in Michigan. I have also had many years of experience from the Legislative angle, both State and National.
I will make only one promise and that is an honest, efficient and rational representation.
Thanking you for your vote, I am,
Sincerely yours,
GLADYS B. PIKE

HOLD FIRE COLLEGE

Several hundred Michigan firemen, both volunteer and paid, municipal officials and others interested in fire department services are expected to attend the sixteenth annual Fire College, sponsored by the University of Michigan Extension Service in cooperation with several state fire fighters' organizations, which will be held in the Rackham building in Ann Arbor from July 11 to 14 inclusive.

Gift Suggestions

- Imported Briar Pipes
- Leather Tobacco Pouches
- "Seaforth" Shaving Sets
- "Old Spice" Shaving Mugs
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- His Favorite Pipe Tobaccos
- "Spruce" Shaving Set
- "Yardley" Shaving Bowl
- Plastic Cigarette Cases
- Match King Lighters
- Cool-Ray or Polaroid
- Sun Glasses
- Genuine Pint Thermos Bottles
- Swivodex Desk Pen
- Zenith Radionic Hearing Aid

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John Martin Is Captain In U. S. Army Air Force

John Kirk Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Martin, 815 Oakland avenue, has been promoted to captain in the Army Air Force.
Capt. John Martin returned home last winter after a year of active overseas, during which he piloted Mitchell bombers on 52 missions in the African, Italian and Balkan campaigns.
He received a number of Army Air Force awards and citations, including the Purple Heart for injuries sustained in an attack on an Italian-German fleet. For several months Capt. Martin has been stationed in Atlanta, Ga., at the headquarters office of the Army Air Force Second Flight Control Group.
His duties now are in the direction of reducing accidents resulting from the training flight and ferrying activities of the Army Air Corps units operating in the southeastern states.



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STREETS

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matter was referred to the City Planning Commission for early recommendation.
Master Ray B. Palmer reported the resignation of Harold Kuder as local city mileage rating administrator and named City Manager Carson to fill the vacant post. Mr. Kuder is to become area mileage rating administrator for the territory.
Manager Carson reported receipt of a letter from the Detroit Railway company detailing plans for the erection of a steel pole power line on the Grand Trunk railroad right-of-way from Detroit to Pontiac to provide additional power supply to the area.
Keeping Within Budget
The report of City Treasurer Russell Burger disclosed the city operating under its budget figures up to June 1, with indication of closing the year July 1 still within in the budget figures for operating costs. Mr. Burger also reported having attended the conference in Cleveland last Friday and Saturday in connection with the city employees retirement plans. Mr. Burger is secretary-treasurer of the retirement plan fund.
In the matter of the court action in the Halsted tax opinion case Mr. Carson reported Birmingham was cooperating with Royal Oak and Ferndale cities and schools in a brief to be filed in the supreme court at Lansing where the case is to be heard on an appeal. The Commission approved this action.

Swimming for Women Opens At Kingswood

The Kingswood School Cranbrook Summer Institute is featuring a class in swimming for women only at 11:30 a. m. instruction will be given by Miss Jacqueline Thompson, head of the women's swimming department of Northern University, who enjoyed great success at Kingswood last year.
Classes open at the summer institute on Monday, July 24 for a six-week program. Enrollments are more than double last year's but some of the classes are still open to late registrants, according to Miss Frances H. Reese, director.
GOOD TROUT FISHING
Early-season reports of healthy trout water may reflect the commercially larger plantings made last year, when the conservation department's fish division planted 8,564,337 brook, brown, and rainbow trout of varying sizes in streams and lakes.
The 1943 plantings were 47 per cent larger than the 1942 total of 5,765,475 brooks, brown and rainbow released.

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Generals Must Eat



Army Signal Corps Photo
Brig. Gen. Clarence Martin, of Accadem, Va., left, commanding officer of the 7th Infantry, New Guinea, takes time out from the fighting to eat lunch. Note his carbine resting within easy reach of his chair. (Special photo by Staff Sgt. Clarence E. Metcalf of Stoughton, Wis., in the right. Back up these jungle fighters by buying War Bonds. Photo U. S. Treasury)

Why Vernon J. Brown for Lieutenant Governor?

His qualifications are unquestioned. The Republic of Michigan has a right to elect a responsible man in this important office. As a member of the Republican Party of the State, and as a Republican throughout the State, he has demonstrated his qualifications in the public interest as a "Verplan J. Brown" in the Republican Party. He is a candidate for the office of Lieutenant Governor in the 1944 election.
In recognition of the need for his services as Lieutenant Governor, Verplan J. Brown will continue to fight for the best interests of the State. He believes the service of a Lieutenant Governor is entitled to the service of the citizens in the public interest.
Such an attitude certainly deserves the acceptance of every Republican on Primary day, July 11.
Listen to Verplan J. Brown, Michigan Radio Network, Friday evening, June 23-10 to 10:15 P.M. E.S.T.

PRIMARY ELECTIONS, JULY 11 - VOTE FOR BROWN

Rooms Wanted for Teachers OF THE BIRMINGHAM PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Teachers returning to Birmingham public schools next September must have rooms in pleasant homes. Any family with a comfortable room or apartment they will lease to a teacher or group of teachers is asked to communicate the information to the Board of Education, either by phone or letter.
Assisting the teachers to secure comfortable, pleasant rooms might be considered as a civic undertaking and Birmingham folk who in this task will receive the sincere thanks and appreciation of both the teachers and the Board of Education.