

What Your City Commission Is Doing . . .

Jan. 15, 1945. Bill approved totaling \$2,495.12. Report received from the Planning Commission recommending a plan of development of the east side of Hunter Blvd. Referred to city manager and committee of the whole for study.

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Bloomfield Hills Lad At M.S.C. After Time Spent Chasing Japs

Harold Lee Pickering, discharged veteran of the U. S. Marine paratroopers and a veteran of the Solomon, is one of the returning servicemen who have entered Michigan State college studying chemical engineering.

Pickering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pickering of Bloomfield Hills, has come out for track events at college and is to specialize in the 100 and 220 yard dashes on Coach Karl A. Schladenman's team for the spring athletic events.

Players To Present Show In February

The new performance of the Village Players will be given in the play house the evenings of Feb. 2 and 3. Dayton Runyon's "Slight Case of Murder" has been chosen for the February showing.

Mrs. Harry Machus is handling lines and Mrs. Chester Hard and Mrs. Shirley Mairs are in charge of properties.

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Bowling Scores

LADIES' HOUSE LEAGUE January 10, 1945. Mike's Auto Supply 43, Birmingham Electric 42, Matthews Dairy Shop 42, Birmingham Motors 41, McNichols Jewels 39, S. O. Wylie and Son 38, McNeill Hardware 38, Triangle Engineering Co. 34, McNeill Hardware 34, Mulholland's 24, La Belle's Dressing 16, La Belle's Gift Shop 16.

Pistol Shoot Held At Indoor Range

Last Friday evening a crowd of enthusiastic sportsmen formally opened the new range of the Birmingham Rifle and Pistol Club with a special pistol shoot. The range is in the basement of the Mortimer Hotel, 1000 Woodward, and club members say it promises to be quite a drawing card.

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Lathrup Townsite News

By LILLIAN DIEDERICH. Due to unforeseen circumstances this column was omitted in last week's edition; it was written but never published. It was destroyed by me as my notes were destroyed I can salvage only those items I remember. Please excuse the omission.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson and family left Saturday for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they will remain a few weeks.

Lathrup Townsite Women's club will have a bridge luncheon at 1 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 23, in the Birmingham Community house.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flemming of Glenwood boulevard, were hosts at a toboggan party Saturday evening at Riverdale.

Mary Knorrp, age 10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knorrp, of Sunset boulevard, underwent an emergency fracture of her femoral hospital 10 days ago.

Brant Cramer, 11, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rolfo Cramer, of San Diego boulevard, suffered a leg skinning Dec. 31. He will be confined to Mount Carmel hospital for some time.

S/Sgt. Clifford Porter was home from Hawaii visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Porter, of Deloria avenue, R. 1, where he is on furlough in four years.

His brother Sgt. Waide Porter is in France and has never had the Bronze Star. Waide has been in the Air Corps more than three years and has a pilot's license.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herrick, of Saratoga boulevard, were hosts to 12 dinner guests recently in honor of Mr. Herrick's father who was their house guest for a few weeks.

Miller Penney, of Mississippi, and Robert Diederich, two aerial engineers, spent the remainder of their furlough at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Diederich.

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Obituary

Gary Lee Stephens, 16-month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stephens, of Charing Cross road, died at 11:15 o'clock Wednesday following an illness of about five days.

Private Services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Manly Balfour funeral home with the Rev. Warner C. Forsyth, rector of St. James Episcopal church, in charge. Interment in the Roseland Park mausoleum.

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Li. Chas. Van Dusen Joins Flying Group Operating In Italy

15TH AAF in Italy—Christmas Day, 1944, just another opportunity to smash at Hitler and his gang by the crew members of the Italy-based heavy bombers, was the occasion of the first combat mission flown by Second Lieutenant Charles T. Van Dusen, 21, of 783 Puritan road, Birmingham, Mich., pilot of a 15th AAF B-17 Flying Fortress.

The Birmingham pilot was civilian life was an auditor with the Ford Motor Co.

Frank Wacker, Bob Drungraber, Watts Wacker, Bob Jessup were home from Kalamazoo this past week end. The boys are stationed at Kalamazoo college in the Navy V-12 program.

Special Courses For Scouters and Troop Leaders Open Tonight

Classes will start for scouters and leaders of this area at the Royal Oak center, 1220 Cedar drive, at 7:15 p. m. The classes will be held on Jan. 18 and 25 and Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22, and 29.

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MEN IN SERVICE

Howard E. Hackett Is Now Tech. Sergeant. T/Sgt. Howard E. Hackett, of the 358th Base Unit, Ederfeldt, added another promotion to his stripes this week when he was promoted from the grade of staff sergeant. Sgt. Hackett is cashier and auditor at Base Finance and also secretary-treasurer of the Eder N.C.O. Club.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Hackett of Birmingham, Mich., Sgt. Hackett entered service Feb. 12, 1942. He came to Eder Field in 1942 of that year.

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Maples Drop Hot Contest To Ford

Again a team, rated as one of the best class A teams in the state, Baldwin's basketballers came within four points of victory Tuesday night. The Maples outplayed the Ford quintet for three quarters but were finally outscored 23-19. Led by Tom Woodhouse, who scored eight points, the locals played their hardest fought game of the season, their first on the home floor.

Maple's play under the baskets was the best of the year with Jim Lamb and Weldon MacDonald being finally outscored by that route. The locals, again were plagued by wild shots from the floor, though their shooting showed improvement over previous games.

With but two minutes to play Woodhouse sank the margin of defeat. While the Maples scored but one free throw, the Tradesmen did not miss a shot from the free-throw line. The locals, again were plagued by wild shots from the floor, though their shooting showed improvement over previous games.

Local Fans To See Game At Ferndale

Monday evening, January 22, is the date that the Dow Basketball team will appear at Lincoln High School gym in Ferndale for their club with Winston Jewellers of the Detroit Basketball Federation.

The Dow team has been National AAU contenders for a number of seasons and their team this year is marked by several all Americans and players of over average height.

Previously it was announced that the Jagiewicz Giants would play in another game on the same program, but instead the Seiffride Flyers, crack team of army air force players will meet the Bill Mitchell team of the Ferndale city league.

Tickets for this basketball double-header can be purchased at the Eccentric business office up until the day of the game.

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