

DeGRAFF

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Communion service was continued. DeGraff was born in Mansfield, Ohio, and attended public school there before moving to Birmingham. He graduated from Baldwin High School in 1938; and while in Birmingham, he was active in the church school and Services Guild of St. James' Church and in various school affairs. He received his A.B. from Kenyon college, Gambier, Ohio, where he was active in the Sigma Xi Fraternity and several extra-curricular affairs. He attended Seabury-Western Theological Seminary, Evanston, Illinois, from which he was graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Divinity in June, 1945. He was ordained deacon by Bishop Creighton in St. Andrew's church, Detroit, on May 26, 1945, and in June he moved to Cheboygan to become deacon-in-charge of St. James' church.

Mr. and Mrs. DeGraff went to Cheboygan for the service and a few days visit; and they were accompanied by Miss Florence Ackery of Royal Oak, an old friend of the family and one of Fr. DeGraff's former teachers at Baldwin. Daniel H. H. (Caseber) of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and Chicago, played the organ. A private luncheon was served after the service for the bishop, clergy, ordinand, his family, and the out-of-town guests.

Fr. DeGraff celebrated his first Eucharist on Monday, November 26, his second on Tuesday, and his third on Wednesday. The latter was a Requiem at which Fr. DeGraff's former teachers at Baldwin who have given their lives in the service of their country were among those remembered by name.

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Jacob Zoller Back At Manley Bailey's

Jacob J. Zoller, Jr., just released from the U. S. Army after serving through the war through Europe, has returned home and has taken his former position as assistant to Manley Bailey at the Manley Bailey funeral home. Before going into the service, Fr. Zoller was with this firm for about 18 months.

Zoller served as a surgical technician with the 1st, 2nd, 7th and 15th armies, battling across France and Germany. Wounds kept him out of the actual fighting for some weeks but he soon returned to continue through the remainder of the war.

He has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal; The European, African, Middle Eastern Service ribbon; the Purple Heart; the American Theater ribbon, the Good Conduct Medal, the Purple Heart, and the World War II Victory Medal with two overseas stripes.

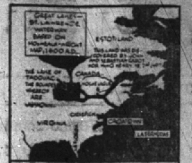
On one occasion he worked his way through the German lines to bring medical assistance to the trapped Airborne Army in Belgium. Mrs. Zoller is the former Jean Delahunty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Delahunty, 248 South Adams.

New Firm Leases Sunoco Gas Station

Announcement was made this week of the leasing of the John McKee South End Sunoco gasoline and oil station, at South Woodward at Lincoln, by John L. Thurber and F. Hartwell Ladd. The two Birmingham men have already taken over the station which they are operating under the firm name of Thurber and Ladd Service.

Members of the new firm are both experienced in this line of business, Mr. Thurber having had 15 years experience and Mr. Ladd five years experience. Mr. Thurber is a native of Birmingham and has been a resident here since 1922. Services offered at this station are to be continued under the new management.

Michigan History in Pictures



Coastal tribes had reported vast inland seas. Champlain founded Quebec, 1608.



In 1612 Champlain had sent Etienne Brule to live among Huron at Lake Simcoe.



While enroute to Huronia he discovered Lake Huron at French River mouth.



Brule's journey from Quebec was difficult. In 1615 Brule crossed Lake Ontario.

FOOTBALL

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and—the entire Birmingham team—to make the first score. Later he broke through center, splashed mud in all directions as he raced half the length of the field for the second marker.

Mary Hale, of Birmingham, says she always wanted a seat right in the front row at a football game, but now she guesses she would rather be back in the last row. She was right up front during the mud splashing at Royal Oak Thursday, and says her blanket, coat and hat were almost as dirty as were the players' suits. "That front seat wasn't as nice as I thought it would be," Mary declared after the game.

One Royal Oak player was heard to remark: "I knew we were in for some kind of troublesome weather. I heard some loud thunder Wednesday evening and felt certain this meant a storm for the next day."

The Kiwanis Club of Royal Oak, sponsoring the game as a part of their care for Crippled Children, found the attendance much larger than had been anticipated when the storm and cold hit the region on Wednesday night. "Had the weather been more favorable the crowd might have reached 10,000," declared one club member at the game.

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Episcopal Men Of Region Hear Talk By Charles P. Taft

"You will find your Christian principles helpful in answering the question of everyday life and everyday business matters," Charles P. Taft of Cincinnati, prominent Episcopal churchman and for some time director of Wartime Economic Affairs in the Department of State in Washington, told more than 700 men of the Northern Convocation of the Episcopal church, at dinner at Cranbrook School Tuesday evening.

The occasion was the first of what the men will be attending annually for Episcopal laymen of the county and area and drew the attention of the Right Rev. Frank Creighton, bishop of Michigan, and the Rev. Charles Judd of Royal Oak, president of the Northern Convocation, along with nearly every church leader of the group.

The Essery of Bloomfield Hills was the toastmaster. The Rev. Judd gave the invocation and Bishop Creighton gave the benediction. Boys from Cranbrook School arranged the dining room in the big gymnasium and served the dinner. The general committee included Gerald Ginnin, Pontiac; Howard C. Bloomfield Hills; Ed Darr, Birmingham; Fred Lyon, Royal Oak, and John Irwin, Ferndale, to name a few.

Taking the various sessions, church days and other special occasions of the life of the church, Mr. Taft drew from them helpful suggestions for applying the teaching of Christ to everyday living, the business and political worlds, and to the efforts to arrive at a world peace.

THEY GO TO ARMY Birmingham has recently sent three more men to the service. Leaving recently for Army duty was Charles E. Dye, Jr., while inducted on Nov. 21 were Donald J. West and Condie E. Myers, both of Birmingham.

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ORDINANCE

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to be so treated and suggested the limit be changed to read "one year of age." The provision now is six months.

Still others declared that immunization was proving injurious to the health of their dogs, and that their hunting dogs were especially hard hit from the treatment. Mr. Libby complained that he felt more effort was being made to enforce immunization than any other sections of the ordinance and some other sections were being neglected. City Manager Harold H. Carson replied that thus far about 80 per cent of the dog owners had licenses for their dogs. Chief of Police John Hackett stated that nearly 300 dogs were impounded last year and that of these many were destroyed when their owners could not be found.

Consider Public Interest Commissioner John Martz told those present at the meeting that the commission always attempted to keep the interest of the general public ahead of the interests of any one person. "We have a large dog population, probably one dog to every three or four families, and that is a big lot of dogs for a city of this size. In order to handle the situation we have considered it to the best interest of all the people that we have yearly immunization of dogs. It may hurt some dogs but we want to do everything possible to protect Birmingham residents, especially the children."

That part of the session ended with the understanding that the group might return at a later date with new information on the question.

KRUEGER

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involved. Therefore we have never laid long-run careful plans nor been able to surround the emergency measure with intelligent safeguards against concentration of power, chief criticism of such government economic planning. We will have to take more seriously collective types of action in the medical, the economic, in the steel, in any field, or we'll wind up with a government dominated economic system with no safeguards to protect it against excess.

"The business cycle and war are the two great failures of the modern western industrial order of free enterprise. Only substantial change in the way of doing things will help. I think men have the capacity for heroic action when crises arise that call for change. I think they have the potential vision and native intelligence to solve problems they've had the stupidity to create; the economic one, the racial, wage imperialism. I expect new political developments here in the next depression in the form of a third leftist party that may force the Democrats and Republicans to a real program."

NOTICE HEARING ON ZONING ORDINANCE Notice is hereby given that on Monday, December 17th, 1945 at 8 o'clock P. M., a public hearing will be held in the Council Room, 2nd Floor, Municipal Building in the City of Birmingham, to consider an amendment to Ordinance No. 25, which relates to the Zoning Ordinance, to permit changing the present classification of Lots 18 to 22 inclusive, Birmingham Gardens, Subdivision from Business A to Industrial classification. IRENE E. HANLEY, City Clerk.

BUSES

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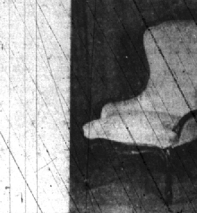
going south—at what I estimated between 50 and 55 miles an hour. It is common practice for bus drivers to make a race track of our main and busiest thoroughfares. Recently a very serious accident occurred which involved two buses. I do not know what findings the investigation disclosed, but it appears that all circumstances point to the fact that the loss of life could have and would have been prevented if both buses had been running at controllable speeds, that passenger cars are restricted to 35 and 40 miles per hour in the city.

Police Chief Replogle, Chief of Police John R. Hackett, responded to Mr. Kadell's letter, stating that a constant check was kept on bus speeds through the city, not only on Woodward avenue but also on other streets. He said that, thus far, the investigation of the recent bus accident on Woodward was not revealing any evidence of excessive speed by the two buses involved. He said the northbound bus had stopped for the view light at Oakland and that the southbound bus had stopped at Harmon to let off passengers.

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