

Halt Fires by Proper Use of Trimmings and THAT

By G. R. A. The practical and valuable part of modern advertising is the distribution of material wealth is worthy of further development. The United States has its natural resources and technical "know-how" never have profited the standard of living now possess, without proper advertising as an aid. In spite of what some sections about advertising's cost, it has helped to create mass demand and thus distribution of material wealth. In the end, this has brought about mass production and lower cost per unit of things purchased. Even the spiritual values of life depend upon advertising to broadcast their values to human beings—how far would the cause of truth get without the pupil, from which preacher or priest exalts the worthiness of man's greater spiritual and ethical growth.

Reckless Youth at the Wheel

Michigan insurance agents recently discussed the advisability of raising the minimum legal age for driving an automobile from 14 to 17 years. As a result of objections to this change, they advise chiefly from rural areas where farmers depend upon their own children to furnish about 50 percent, since most accidents involving youth occur outside farm activities. In such areas that better driver controls ought to be considered. Certainly, to place the wheel of the motor car in the hands of irresponsible judgments of much of youth is to invite accidents and fatalities by a segment of society not held to the same responsibility as are adults.

Always following great war, the victors find themselves scrambling for position and power; we have seen, and still are seeing, the same thing in the aftermath of glory, of course, the U.S.A. is least evil in this respect. It seems that the old, tired, almost demoralized people are guilty of violating international co-operation for a peaceful post-war world.

Delayed building expansion programs, resulting from lack of materials, are being completed in current problems for Michigan. For example, the Lapeer Home & Trade School, which has been over-crowded right now, with 610 on the waiting list; other State institutions are being expanded. The institutional load upon Michigan taxpayers is a burden that cannot be met aside.

A Detroit, having spent too much money and time in one morning found himself in a casket at a funeral parlor, unable to pay the bill. There were many lots of others, in the same physical and mental condition, have been in the city in the past few years. Let's hope that none of the current economic conditions will be able to recall how they got there.

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The United States officially claims that it has not given the atomic bomb to any other nation. Let's keep it that way. It seems as though we alone are to be decent custodians of the secret.

There is always one phase of government that ought to be the most controllable factor in economic development, the necessary employees. This is why the public expects, under Republican control of the next Congress, to see the number of such employees taken from payrolls. The only excuse for more public employees than needed is "politics"—which, to the average taxpayer, is no excuse at all.

Offer New Course To City Teachers

In order to further the in-service training for teachers of the Birmingham city system, the city's Board of Education Tuesday evening approved a 16-week course in arithmetic theory and methods being offered by Wayne University of Detroit.

In accordance with Dr. Dwight B. Ireland, superintendent of schools, the course will aid in furthering Birmingham's development, the teaching of arithmetic to elementary school pupils.

The course, for interested Birmingham teachers will be sponsored by the Birmingham Board of Education.

Victor and Leonard Reider, new teachers weekly, Loomis Electric, 143 W. 11th St., adv. 10.

A Note She Wrote 'Cause the Meter Was Broke

The adage, "It's always the woman who pays," didn't apply to one Birmingham lady motorist as she parked next to a meter which didn't work.

She put in a nickel in the slot and the apparatus failed to work. She tried a penny and the indicator still remained at zero. Composure she exercised her womanly ingenuity—producing a pencil and a piece of paper she wrote her name and fastened it to the meter.

"I've put six cents in this meter and it won't work,—I'll be back in 72 minutes—so don't give me a ticket."

It apparently had good results, for when she returned her windshield was bare—no ticket was there.

Atomic Energy Is Subject Of 8th Council Institute

Atomic energy and what every citizen should know about it will be the subject covered in the 8th Community Institute to be held at the Community House January 15, 1947.

The Community Institute, which is held at the Community House, will present a dinner speaker with a round-table discussion group scheduled for later in the evening.

The problem of atomic energy, which the Council will solve by unless each and every community makes a study of atomic control, to which the city of Birmingham control with force, if necessary, comes from the citizen himself in every part of the world, is as soon likely to have no world, they said.

Authorities to Speak

So that Birmingham may serve as a leader, first in the state, and then in the nation, in setting up a community study program in atomic control, the Council will present a dinner speaker with a round-table discussion group scheduled for later in the evening.

Whenever a Church steeple rises to pierce the blue skies of daylight, and commune with the stars of night—there is Peace. And as we enter our Church this Christmaside, the full spirit—meaning—and essence of the word shall enter our beings and inspire each of us to fulfill our own small roles in achieving for all time Peace on Earth: Good Will to Men.

Kirbert Reveals Latest Data on Y Sports Program

The YMCA sports program for the winter is getting under way, according to announcement by Ed Kirbert, Y secretary, who recently organized the basketball league, the new volleyball group and arranged for adult swimming in the Barnum pool.

At a recent meeting held in Baldwin High School, some fifty officials and out-lookers school year selected Fred Billingsley, Al Larsen, Harry Kelley, Earl Mudge, Len Little and Bob Carman to head up the six teams that will comprise the league. Drawings for players have been made and practice sessions are being conducted at Baldwin High School.

Play in league competition will start January 6 when all six teams will get under way at the Barnum Junior High school. Sponsors for the teams will be announced immediately after the Christmas holidays when the schedule will be formed. There are still some vacancies on each squad and players are urged to get in touch with Ed Kirbert of Birmingham YMCA at 2406 or with any of the captains listed above.

Organize Volleyball

In volleyball play last Thursday night, a team composed of Jack Andrews, Russ Beyer, Charles Elder, Peta Gossop, Fred Clifton and Andy Merrill defeated a group made up of Wayne residents, 3-2.

League Wants Reform

The bill will be introduced in effect, the bill must be approved by a vote of the new Congress in January.

Wonders of Dondoro

Dondoro voted some personal objection to the combination of the bill that it was not in the nature of a burden on individual Congressmen. However, he will withhold definite opinion until after his trip to Washington following the Christmas holidays.

Father Tax Reduction

Dondoro stated the Republican campaign issue to reduce taxes and the bill is an obligation to carry out its promise.

Members discussed with him the bill.

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Baldwin Graduating Class of 50 to Hear Illinois Minister

Baldwin High School's January, 1947, graduating class will number fifty students, it was revealed at the Board of Education meeting Tuesday night when the board certified the Students' graduation.

According to Superintendent of Schools Dwight B. Ireland, the January class graduation exercises will be held in the Baldwin High School auditorium at 8 p. m. January 23.

Dr. Ireland stated that the commencement speaker will be Dr. Carl S. Winters, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Oak Park, Illinois.

City Will Eliminate Jog on East Maple

Elimination of the jog on the north side of East Maple just west of Hunter boulevard will be completed at the same time the new gas station on the northwest corner of Hunter and Maple is finished, Donald C. Egbert, city manager, told the City Commission Monday night.

No Sale

Birmingham police arrested Willard Ward, 970 Brainard street, Detroit, last Saturday, for selling Christmas trees in Birmingham without a license.

'Turnabout' Was One of Best Baldwin Productions Ever Presented, Critic Declares

"Turnabout," a fun-packed, delightful, entertaining variety show, was presented last evening at the Thursday and Friday by more than half the student body of Baldwin High School.

Three capacity crowds marveled at the ability of such a large cast to present a 32-act performance with a smoothness approximating that of professionals.

Things Happen Everywhere

Nicely adhering to the clever title throughout the program, there were happenings on the stage, on the wings, in the aisles, and even in the balcony.

Special Christmas Services Revealed By City's Churches

Five days more and Christmas of 1946—the first in many years when most of the men in the armed forces are home—will be celebrated by churches, community gatherings and in homes all over Birmingham.

Christmas and carol-singing have become almost inseparable in the American lexicon and the old familiar and traditional carols will ring in Christmas here, when neighbors meet at 5:30 Christmas Eve under the community tree for a half-hour of singing.

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City To Purchase Swings, Slides For Cummings Park

Part of the \$7,000 donated by the Birmingham Rotary in November for construction aid of the Cummings Street playground will be spent for swings, slides, a castle tower and fittings for the equipment, it was decided by Commission meeting Monday night.

Wading Pool

"While most of the Rotarians' plan is to have the wading pool and construction of the spray pool and wading pond to be built in the center of the park, it is felt that there will be enough for this equipment. Other park plans for the center of the park are a tennis court, a basketball court, a tennis court, and the planting of ornamental trees and shrubs."

L. W. Ward Heads Pontiac Sales As Bathrick Resigns

H. J. Klinger, general manager of Pontiac Motor Division, yesterday announced the appointment of L. W. Ward, 670 Fairfax, as general sales manager of the division.

Ward's lengthy and specialized experience well qualifies him for his new position as head of the Pontiac sales organization," Klinger commented. "I feel that the division was particularly fortunate in having him accept the position when the press of personal business interests caused Bathrick's resignation."

Turn Down Petition For Fire Protection Outside City Limits

The City of Birmingham again rejected the petition that it will not offer any fire protection by the Birmingham fire department outside the city limits.

New Homemaking Teacher Approved

Virginia Louise Hawkins of Detroit, who will graduate from Michigan State College next month, was hired by the Birmingham Board of Education Tuesday night. She will become homemaking instructor at Baldwin High School during the second semester beginning January 27.

Girl, 3, Unhurt in Fall from Moving Cab

Barbara Fox, 3 years old, daughter of Mrs. E. E. Fox, 3212 W. Wilmont, opened a door in a moving taxicab last Wednesday and tumbled out into the street. She was not seriously hurt, with only minor bruises on her face.

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