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Obtain 1000 Shoes In Recent Drive

One thousand European children will have warm, padded feet this winter as a result of the Children Shoe Drive staged last week in Birmingham schools. All schools cooperated in the drive, with Adams school children topping the list, bringing in 273 pairs of used-but-sturdy shoes. Boys and girls from each class in every school acted as student helpers of the supervising members of the Birmingham Branch of the Children's Federation.

Boy and girl scouts assisted in trying and bundling the shoes for shipment by freight car to New York City and finally to villages in France, Holland and Belgium. Also helping were mothers from the P.T.A.

Will Attend NROTC At Iowa State

Louis E. Brungaber, son of Louis E. Brungaber, 940 Floyd St., has been accepted for training in the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps at the Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa. As a contract student in the NROTC at the college, he will not be required to serve the usual 15 to 24 months on active duty after commissioning. Upon graduation from college and completion of his NROTC work, he will receive a commission in the U. S. Naval Reserve or Marine Corps Reserve and will be placed on inactive duty.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS J. Todd and Leitch Humphrey, Notice is hereby given that a meeting will be held in the Commission Room of the Municipal Building on Monday, December 26th, 1944, at 2 o'clock p.m. to hear suggestions and objections to the proposed relocation and vacation of the dedicated street in J. L. Todd and Leitch Humphrey's Indian Village Subdivision, being immediately north and adjacent to Lots 1 and 7 to 20 inclusive of said subdivision, and of the property east of the Eastern 10 ft. of River Street extending south from Southlawn Boulevard, a distance of 180 ft. This notice is published in accordance with Chapter XI, Section 2, of the Charter of the City of Birmingham, and Resolution No. 983 (1944).

Moved by Commissioner Moody, supported by Commissioner Marts, WHEREAS, the owners of property on both sides of Davis Street, extending westerly between Jones and Edgewood, a dedicated street in J. L. Todd and Leitch Humphrey's Indian Village Subdivision, being immediately north and adjacent to Lots 1 and 7 to 20 inclusive of said subdivision, and of the property east of the Eastern 10 ft. of River Street extending south from Southlawn Boulevard, a distance of 180 ft., have requested that said streets be closed.

WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the Board of Education and the City Commission that vacation of these streets will provide better utilization of the property for school purposes.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Commission do advise to vacate and abate the streets in J. L. Todd and Leitch Humphrey's Indian Village Subdivision, being immediately north and adjacent to Lots 1 and 7 to 20 inclusive of said subdivision, and to also vacate and abate the eastern 10 ft. of River Street extending south from Southlawn Boulevard, a distance of 180 ft.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Commission shall meet Monday, December 26th, 1944, at 2 o'clock p.m. in the Commission Room in the Municipal Building in the City of Birmingham for the purpose of hearing any objections to the vacating and abating of said streets.

Yours Very Truly, IRENE E. HANLEY, City Clerk.

Bits of Birmingham

(Continued from Page 1, Part 2) Has some of the better high school talent in the State of Michigan and undoubtedly the worst place to present a musical in a local school to this Wanderer Monday. Well, some of these days the community may be back of the School Board and help them build the most modern high school in the State with a lovely auditorium which not only the students may use, but the community as well.

Birmingham children are more marvelous than would ordinarily appear, this Wanderer believes. These little 18- to 36-month-old youngsters can read The Electric, it seems. Ever since we mentioned in the past few issues that someone should invent something to prevent these kids from honking horns while Momma is shopping, the horn-honking in the downtown section has intensified. Haven't we got some sort of anti-noise ordinance that can be invoked?

Latest community comment which is going the rounds: "Well, Joe, sure Joe, Joe!" Sure will, if the type of weather evidenced Monday still continues.

That construction work on the south side of East Maple the other side of the railroad station is grading the Oakland County Road Commission is doing, this Wanderer learns from City Manager Don Egbert.

"While it is to the citizens' credit that they want the city to keep its streets free of paper and other litter, has the average citizen ever thought of the contribution he makes to this refuse by tossing all sorts of stuff into the city's streets?" one local man asks this Wanderer. "I'm sure the city tries to keep them clean, but if residents are going to keep the gutters filled with paper, how can city DPW crews keep up with it? When everyone in Birmingham can honorably refrain from littering, then DPW's sound logic doesn't it?"

This Wanderer hears that members of the Oakland County Engineering Society who attended last Tuesday's annual meeting were treated to a sound film dealing with the actual work involved in getting out a newspaper—from the initial phone call or tip-off on a story to seeing it appear in print. This movie, City Engineer Corbin informs us, was all filmed in Royal Oak in the offices and newsroom of that flourishing daily—the Daily Tribune.

Our spies from the Baldwin Library tell us that there is a unique one-flag exhibit over there now which will stay for at least another fortnight. It's one of the proposed United Nations flags, designed and executed by Dr. Francis S. Onderdonk of Townsend avenue. This Wanderer hears that it's large, with a blue silk background with the Eastern and Western hemispheres silhouetted in white silk—surrounded by 55 stars in an oval, representing the 55 major nations in the organization. Around the edge of the flag march 55 tiny replicas of the nation's flags.

Linda Moore at Baldwin Public Library asks this Wanderer to let the Birmingham people know that

the library will close at noon Tuesday, the day before Christmas, and will be closed Christmas Day. Regular hours will be Thursday, the day after Christmas.

The Wanderer hears that next Saturday, Dec. 21, representatives of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (Post No. 2645) will be stationed at strategic points in the business district to receive donations to the building fund for the new home they soon hope to build on South outward below the 11 Mile Road.

Holy Name Students Give Play Tonight For Their Parents

Students at Holy Name school will culminate Christmas activities Saturday afternoon with an afternoon and evening presentation of the play, "The Madonna of the Rose," for their parents and friends in the school auditorium. An evening performance is set for 8:15 p.m. Playing the part of Francis, a little blind lad, will be John Birney. The Madonna, portrayed by Jane Roach, cures him through a miracle. Other children taking prominent parts in the play are: Ellen Ann Adams, Sheila McGinnis, Patricia McInnes, Susan Roach, Mary Jo Stenger, Thomas Lemmo, Georganne Skiffington, Florence Wilkins, Arthur Caputo, Richard Hendley, James Francis, Douglas McIntosh, Philip Reilly and Julianne Kelly.

J. B. Boyne, Mark Dance Elected By County Engineers

James B. Boyne of Birmingham assumed the chairmanship of the Board of Directors of the Oakland County Engineering Society at the meeting held in Birmingham Tuesday in Royal Oak. Elected as president at the meeting was George F. Landgraf of Royal Oak; as first vice president, George L. Nampa also of Royal Oak; and as second vice president, Mark G. Dance, director of public works in Birmingham. Named to senior director was W. Bradley Edwards of Ferndale, to intermediate director, Stephen P. Collier, assistant City Manager of Birmingham, and junior director, Allan W. Palmer of Pontiac. Treasurer is Roy F. Goodspeed and secretary Keith A. Murdoch, both of Ferndale.

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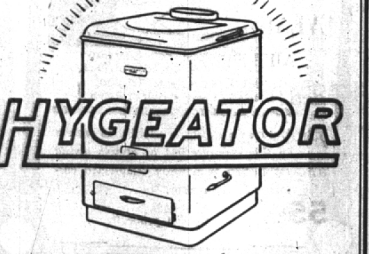
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