

**Baldwin**  
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new season's scoring record of 181 points.

**Here's the Summary**

Birmingham	52	fa	tp
Davey, f	5	3	0
Reynolds, f	3	1	13
Murray, c	1	1	3
Gasser, g	1	5	7
Grigg, g	1	1	3
D. Linschmer, f	1	0	2
Thurston, f	0	3	1
Sutton, f	0	3	1
Blauman, f	0	3	1
Totals	77	12	46

  

Dearborn	52	fa	tp
Grigg, f	2	3	7
Coats, f	2	3	7
Adams, c	2	3	7
Holbeck, g	3	1	7
Barrell, g	3	1	7
Miller, g	0	0	0
Ostrich, g	0	0	0
Ocerman, g	2	1	6
Totals	33	11	37

**MacArthur Adviser**

Dr. Charles W. Iglehart of New York, formerly missionary of the Methodist church in Japan, is new adviser to occupation authorities and also liaison between MacArthur forces and Christian Japanese leaders.

**Homes**  
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Council, in a brief talk before the assembly said "The returning veteran feels he is entitled to a better place than the fox holes he occupied in the war areas. He wants a decent place in which to live. He does not care much for those temporary homes we have been talking about as some provision for the future. He has had enough of temporary housing the past few years. We should do all we can to stimulate the building of good homes, both for sale and lease. Thus far we have done a lot of talking but have not done much of it."

Mayor Moody reported he had written and wired officials in Washington for any assistance possible in the proposed undertaking.

**Word from Washington**

Rep. Jones have been received from Senators Arthur H. Vandenberg and Homer Ferguson, and one from Congressman George A. Dondero.

Senator Vandenberg writes: "I should like to be helpful in any possible way in connection with your efforts to work out a satisfactory plan for providing suitable homes for veterans and their families. This whole situation is a major war challenge which must be met."

"I have introduced a bill which will increase the veterans' home-building credit and fix an absolute priority on all home building materials for them."

From Dondero, a letter of commendation to the attention of Mr. Wilson Wyatt, the new Housing Expediter, with an estimate of what he can give all possible consideration by his agency."

**From Dondero's reply follows:**

"Your wire of even date is just received, advising me that local builders are unable to secure building materials to construct homes for veterans."

"I am just in receipt of a letter from the OPA to the effect that it has already taken action adjusting the prices of Southern yellow pine to a peacetime economy, and that action will be taken shortly in Douglas fir and other West Coast woods with the idea of encouraging the production of needed items for the home construction program."

"I further states that it is hoped that this action on Western woods will be effective within two weeks."

"I am again making an appeal to the Civilian Production Administration along the lines of your wire and as soon as I receive a reply, shall be happy to send it to you."

**Need Real Action**

Senator Ferguson in his letter states:

"I am glad to receive your letter and to know that you are holding some conferences on the important question of getting homes for the veterans. However, I find here in Washington that there are too many people believing that they can build homes by merely passing legislation or talking about it."

"What we need are men who will actually go out and do the work and furnish the material so that we can get the homes to live in. It's going to take a lot of hard work and I am glad you as mayor are back of the project there on the ground floor; and I'm sure you will accomplish much in that way."

**DEADLINE FOR CLASSIFIED ADS** is five o'clock Tuesday afternoon of the week in which you wish them published. Phone them in, as you desire.

**Must carry on!**

Melvin C. Hart, Pontiac manager of the United States Employment Service today announced that employers in Birmingham and the entire area are to be notified for "thousands" of job openings to be filled by returning veterans, and former war plant workers and others. "Returning veterans are and will continue to tax all employment resources to absorb them," he warned. "Assistance in this problem must be had from every small employer as well as the larger employers."

"The local job development campaign," Mr. Hart said, "parallels state and national campaigns to promote the listing of jobs for approximately 6,200,000 returning service men and women, former war plant workers and other job seekers."

**Need More Jobs**

"There is a widening gap between the number of returning veterans and the jobs listed in public employment offices and veterans can accept," said Mr. Hart. "This is also true of ex-war workers and others who are in the labor market," he said.

"Up to the present time approximately 500 returned veterans have been placed in jobs since V-J Day by the Pontiac U.S.E.S. office, but at the same time there are approximately 4,500 veterans actively seeking work at the local U.S.E.S. office who were not filled by labor-management disputes and who have not found acceptable jobs since their return home," Mr. Hart said. He asserted that a total of 3,000 non-veteran job seekers (1,100 women) are currently seeking jobs through his office. "Furthermore, increasing numbers of veterans will be back during the next few months as a result of demobilization between now and July 1, adding greatly to the number of jobs which must be found. It is estimated that 4,000 additional jobs will be needed for them or workers whom they displace by that time."

**Well Qualified**

"Most veterans who are out of jobs now have good qualifications for a wide variety of jobs," said Mr. Hart. "If they did not have work experience before entering the service, many gained experience and skills which fit them for a variety of jobs in civilian industry. The soldiers and sailors who were discharged between now and July 1 are also qualified for good jobs and will need employment assistance. As a matter of fact, veterans represent many cases for the 'cream' of the labor market."

"Since we do not have enough jobs to absorb them, their experience, training and abilities of these applicants, we are going to work with the employers to see every case so that qualified veterans and other job applicants can be referred to specific employers for the specific kind of jobs they are qualified to perform."

**Job Survey Being Made Here To Aid Returning Vets**

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gr asked permission to invest \$27,880 in city debt retirement bonds in Series F U. S. Saving Bonds. The authority was granted. The bonds will come due in February, 1958.

Initial merchants' licenses were authorized to The Wolverine Insulations Co., at 212 North Hunter; Maples Sales and Service, Inc., dealers in Kaiser-Frazier products, at 314 East Maple, and the Hills Market at 1991 Pierce.

**Drive**  
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Edwin D. Harkins handling West Bloomfield.

Among those serving on the county advisory committee are C. G. Rudderham, Judge H. Russell Holland, Harry Huey, Arthur Bassett, Roger Emmer, W. A. Laking, Marshall Smith, Mrs. Carleton Shaver, Mrs. T. W. Jackson, E. M. Hereford, Mrs. C. William Gregory, Milton Hazelwerdt, Godfrey Strelinger, Frank Steere, Guy Hackett and Monroe Ostrum.

**County City Quotas**

These quotas for the various cities, towns and townships have been set up on a population basis. The list, giving the unit names, and the quotas follows:

Addition, \$300; Avon, \$6,000; Berkeley, \$2,600; Birmingham, \$13,200; Bloomfield Division, \$10,400; Brandon, \$100; Commerce, \$1,440; Farmington, \$6,000; Ferndale, \$16,500; Groveland, \$250; Hazel Park, \$1,750; Highland, \$625; Holly, \$2,400; Huntington Woods, \$3,600; Independence, \$1,800; Lyon, \$1,800; Midway, \$2,160; Novi, \$1,700; Oakland, \$600; Orion, \$2,900; Oak Park, \$4,000; Oxford, \$2,000; Pleasant Ridge, \$6,000; Pontiac City, \$60,000; Pontiac Township, \$1,080; Royal Oak City, \$1,080; Royal Oak Township, \$1,080; Madison & Lamphier, \$500; Southfield, \$7,500; Springfield, \$400; Troy, \$3,300; Waterford, \$2,508; West Bloomfield, \$3,900; White Lake, \$300.

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**Bronze Star Goes To Capt. Thos. Neal**

News of the awarding of a Bronze Star Medal to Capt. Thomas P. Neal, 279 Greenwood street, Birmingham, has just been released by headquarters of the Fifth Infantry Division Camp Campbell, Ky. The citation was one of several recently released.

Neal's outstanding devotion to duty as a rifle platoon leader and liaison officer, contributed greatly to the success of the regiment. During the pursuit of the enemy across France and later during the hard fighting on the Moselle River and at Metz, Lieutenant Neal never failed to obtain vital information and documents despite the heavy enemy fire to which he was subjected. His willingness to undertake and carry out all missions assigned to him contributed greatly to the coordination of the attack on Metz and to the success of all units of the combat team. Entirely military service from Michigan.

Alfred E. Brown, Major General, U. S. Army, Commanding

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**Cancer Tag Day**

The City Commission Monday evening granted permission to the Birmingham Branch of the American Cancer Society to conduct a tag day in Birmingham April 27. The Society held a successful tag day last year and plans to operate on a similar system this year. The request for permission for the tag day was presented by Mrs. Wm. H. Knowles, 1943 West Lincoln, head of the local branch.

**NOW AT ANNAPOLIS**

Lt. Charles Gardner, recently home on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Gardner of 607 Hawthorne road, has returned to Annapolis, Md., where he is now teaching ordnance in the U. S. Naval Academy. Mrs. Gardner and their son left by plane this week for Annapolis where they will make their home.

**PAY HEAVY FINES**

Bloomfield Hills police court reports that George Holland, Detroit, paid a fine of \$75 on a charge of reckless driving while John Green, Grosse Pointe, paid a fine of \$70 on a similar charge.

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