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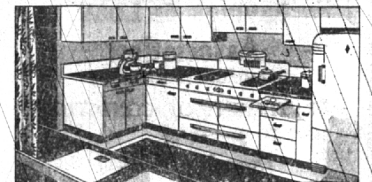
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Did Hitler Teach Us Anything? Saying that Adolf Hitler has taught us something of the amazing powers of education...

The point is worth considering but we think that Hitler has taught us the danger of human prejudice...

The human race has not yet developed more than a thin veneer of civilization...

It is worth noting that the Nazi plans misfired, not because the German people did not support Hitler...

Magnificent A new star is reported in the constellation Aquila, where it was discovered by a Swedish astronomer.

The star is two thousand light years from the earth. This is the distance that light will travel in two years...

Miraculous and amazing as the universe proves to be, there is something magnificent in the development of the human mind...

WHO, OR WHAT, WAS REALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR Japan's successful attack on Pearl Harbor? So far, the investigation by Congress has failed to pin the fault on any specific person...

THERE ARE TWO SIDES TO EVERY QUESTION; BUT like the postage stamp, only one of them needs to be licked.

No Crime Wave Ahead? There is little use to be worried about the threatened "crime wave" according to Lewis E. Laws...

This is a far different time from that being sung by J. Edgar Hoover, head of the Federal Bureau of Investigation...

The former prison head puts his finger upon one fact which deserves attention when he says people "are interested in their own lives..."

"WE SPEND MORE MONEY FOR TOBACCO THAN for education in this country," Dr. Dwight E. Ireland, Birmingham Dept. of Public Schools...

IT USED TO BE PRACTICAL TO ADVISE YOUTH to work hard and save up for a rainy day. But certain segments of government now refute that old-fashioned idea...

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Happenings of Long Ago

90 YEARS AGO January 16, 1896 "Sylvan Lake, near Pontiac, is crowded daily with skaters..."

80 YEARS AGO January 16, 1896 "Linabury and Mitchell are not yet ready to sell season tickets for their skating rink..."

70 YEARS AGO January 16, 1896 "Every room at the school building is overflowing. A ward school for the 1st and 2nd primary is one of the needed improvements..."

60 YEARS AGO January 15, 1926 "Mr. and Mrs. Taxpayer of Birmingham, read ready for a dandy municipal bond issue..."

5 YEARS AGO January 16, 1941 "Doris Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Franklin, 1721 Winthrop Lane, has been named valedictorian of the graduating class of January, 1941..."

Ice Carnival will be held on Quaker Lake Saturday afternoon, Feb. 1, it was announced today.

"Birmingham's official census listing for 1940 is 11,195 people, it was revealed last week."

"Five automobile crashes occurred in Birmingham on the icy streets last Saturday, despite city slanting operations."

"Candidates for Naval Aviator Flight Training will no longer be required to show credits in mathematics in order to qualify for this training..."

"Through the kindness of the Detroit Symphony Society, 30 members of Baldwin Senior High School's voice classes..."

"Michigan lumber production is now only one-tenth what it was 60 years ago."

STATE OF MICHIGAN. — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

As a result of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on the 17th day of January, A.D. 1946...

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing...

OLIVER H. KIRK, Judge of Probate, Atty. at Law, Birmingham, Mich.

THE ECCENTRIC'S Camera Corner

COME day some photographer whose name will undoubtedly go down in history, will write all one to the sky...

The use of a simple, clear sky provided the best possible background for this photograph. You will profit by the example of this photographer...

WABEEK STATE BANK OF DETROIT. Statement of Condition at Close of Business December 31, 1945. RESOURCES: Cash on Hand and Due from Other Banks \$12,480,821.08. LIABILITIES: Capital \$1,200,000.00. Surplus 800,000.00. TOTAL LIABILITIES \$74,176,206.81.