Big Traffic Safety Check Opened By Birmingham Police

Today, police of Birmingham will begin participation in the Traffic Safety Check, which will be carried on simultaneously throughout the United States and Canada, it was stated by John P. Hackett, chief of police.

The Traffic Safety Check, according to Chief Hackett, will be conducted by police officers and will be applied only to cars that are involved in traffic accidents or in violations of traffic regulations. The check will consist of on the spot inspection of brakes, lights, tires, windshield wiper and horn. Drivers whose cars show obviously marked defects will be urged to have proper repairs made immediately.

Officers checking cars will make out duplicate forms, giving a copy to the driver and retaining the original for unofficial police records. "Drivers," Chief Hackett said, "will not be penalized because of mechanical defects in their cars unless they are in violation of local ordinances."

"The used car problem is increasingly hazardous," Chief Hackett continued, "and we must keep these rapidly aging cars in good operating condition until they can be replaced by new cars as they come off production lines. Then as the new cars, with their higher speed possibilities, come onto the roads it is going to be necessary to develop new skills in driving. We hope this program will increase public awareness of safer driving and thus reduce the toll of highway traffic deaths and injuries."

The police Traffic Safety Check is an outgrowth of the brake-check which was conducted by the International Association of Chiefs of Police a year ago.

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Birmingham Growers Are told Now Is Time To Start Melon Seed

Birmingham gardeners, planning to have a patch of melons have the following tip on proper planting for watermelons or muskmelons from Karl D. Bailey, county agricultural agent.

These are warm season crops, and all the danger of frost must be gone before they are set outside. So, seed them indoors anytime now. Fill flower pots, plant bands or even strawberry boxes with a good mixture of sandy loam soil. Dust the seed with a copper oxide or mercuric dust to control disease. Plant about six melon seeds in each container and place them in a warm location.

If the containers are kept moist the plants will soon break through; then they need plenty of sunlight. When large enough, thin to three plants in a container.

After May 20—or when all danger of frost is past—dig holes three to five feet apart in the garden for muskmelon and six to eight feet apart for watermelons. Dig the holes 12 to 15 inches deep and fill half full of well-rotted manure. Work in soil and set the plants. If plant bands or strawberry boxes are used, set in the entire container and break down the sides so the roots will grow out. If pots are used, remove the plants carefully saving the soil.

Keep the plants dusted with rotenone to control bugs and beetles and you are on the way to an early melon crop, Karl D. Bailey says.

The county agent recommends Honey Rock or Heart of Gold as cantaloupe varieties and Dixie Queen, Northern Sweet or Honey Cream for watermelons for Birmingham gardeners.

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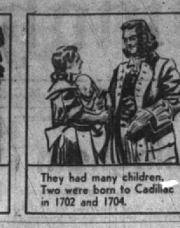

They had many children. Two were born to Cadillac in 1702 and 1704.

Cadillac's colonists totaled 2 200 in 1710; Detroit area, only 468 in 1750.

MANY YOUTH HOSTEL TRIPS ARE PLANNED

By bicycle, boat and train, Youth Hostelers will range the hemisphere from Alaska to South America this summer.

Plans for five two-month tours arranged by the American Youth Hostels were announced by Margrete L. McDaniel, assistant director of the A.Y.H. Metropolitan Detroit Council, a non-profit corporation financed by membership dues and the Community Fund in which Birmingham shares.

The Alaska tour, led by Marjorie Dickieson, 9660 Burnett, Detroit, is slated to leave Seattle, Wash., by steamer July 5. The route leads through the famed Inland Passage, past quaint fishing villages, Indian settlements, and some of the world's most magnificent scenery. Stops include Wrangell Narrows, the Broadway of Alaska; Juneau; Sitka, the Russian settlement; Skagway, entrance to the Klondike; Anchorage, and Mt. McKinley. The group will then travel inland, retracing the steps of the pioneers.

Go to South America

Boat, bike, mule-back and skis will be utilized on the South American tour, which starts from New York July 2. After sailing down to Rio de Janeiro and Buenos Aires, the group will cross the continent to Valparaiso and return via the west coast and the Panama Canal.

The A.Y.H.'s ninth summer jaunt to Mexico begins at Laredo, Tex., July 4. Bicycle tours east and west from Mexico City are planned, and sturdy cyclists who climb the mountains will be rewarded by forty-mile coasts down the other side.

Two other bicycle trips have been arranged, both starting from Northfield, Mass., early in July. One includes New Hampshire, Vermont, Montreal, Quebec, and the Gaspe Peninsula; the other, the salt-water chain of hostels through New England, and the St. Lawrence valley.

ORDINANCE NO. 328
CITY OF BIRMINGHAM
BROWNOUT ORDINANCE

AN ORDINANCE to regulate, during the existing coal emergency, the use of or consumption of heat, electricity or gas within the City of Birmingham; to limit the use or consumption of heat, electricity or gas during such period of emergency; and to prescribe a penalty for a violation of any of the provisions thereof.

The City of Birmingham Ordains:

Section 1. From and after the date of the passage of the Ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to use or consume or for any person, firm or corporation to assist in or cause or permit the furnishing, supplying, using or consuming of any electricity or gas for signboard, display, window, or other advertising illumination of any kind whatsoever during any part of any twenty-four hours.

Section 2. From and after the passage of this Ordinance, no electricity or gas shall be used or consumed in any store, shop, factory, wholesale house, residence, apartment or other living quarters during the day time for illuminating purposes except where absolutely necessary and at other times only such minimum use is permitted as is reasonably necessary for the purposes of safety or health.

Section 3. From and after the date of the passage of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation within the City of Birmingham to furnish or supply, or for any person, firm or corporation to use or consume, or for any person, firm or corporation to assist in, to cause or permit the furnishing, supplying or consuming of any heat to the commercial, mercantile or other businesses or professions except for such minimum use as provided in Section 2 of this Ordinance.

Section 4. Permission is hereby given to all persons, firms or corporations to supply, use or consume such minimum requirements of heat, electricity, gas or power as may be essential to receive, unload or store shipments of freight, express or parcel post during the usual hours for doing such work.

Section 5. It shall be and is hereby made the duty of the Chief of Police of the City of Birmingham and of each member of the police force and every public officer to prevent any violation of any terms hereof and to enforce the provisions hereof and such public officers and every citizen of the City shall cause immediate complaint to be made for any violations of the terms of provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 6. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance or failing to comply with the same, shall upon conviction thereof, be subject to a fine of not more than $500, or imprisonment in the City or County jail for a period of not to exceed ninety days or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the Court.

Section 7. This Ordinance is designed for the public welfare and to conserve the supply of coal during the present crisis and is hereby declared to be one in the case of a public emergency involving the peace, health and safety of the people of the City of Birmingham, and is hereby ordered to take immediate effect and to continue in full force and effect until amended or repealed.

Made and passed by the Commission of the City of Birmingham this 6th day of May, A.D. 1946.

MILTON B. MALLENDER, Mayor
IRENE E. HANLEY, Clerk

City of Birmingham
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT
No. 244
HARROWGATE STREET
IMPROVEMENT

Notice is hereby given that Special Assessment Roll No. 244, heretofore made by the assessor for the purpose of defraying the cost of construction of a 2" bituminous surfacing on the existing gravel roadway in Bayside—from Chesterfield to and including the Glenhurst intersection, on Glenhurst from Oak to Bayside, on Brookwood Court from Bayside to Glenhurst, and on Kenwood Court for its entire length, is now on file in my office for public inspection.

Notice is also hereby given that the Commission of the City of Birmingham will meet in the Commission Room in the Municipal Building in said City on Monday, the 13th day of May, 1946, at 8 P.M. to review said assessment, at which time and place opportunity will be given to all persons interested to be heard.

IRENE E. HANLEY,
City Clerk.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in Chancery

No. D-18851

ETHEL M. TRAMMEL, Plaintiff, vs. ORMAN R. TRAMMEL, Defendant

ORDER FOR APPEARANCE

At a session of said Court held in the County Building in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on the 16th day of April A.D. 1946.

Present: Hon. H. Russel Holland, Circuit Judge.

In the above cause, upon reading and filing the Affidavit of Ethel M. Trammel, it satisfactorily appearing that the Defendant, Orman R. Trammel, does not reside in the State of Michigan.

It Is Ordered That the said Defendant, Orman R. Trammel, do appear and answer the Bill of Complaint filed in the above entitled cause, within three (3) months from the date of this Order, or that said Bill be taken as confessed by him.

It is Further Ordered That a copy hereof be personally served on said Defendant or that the same be published in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed in Oakland County, in accordance with the Statute in such case made and provided.

H. RUSSELL HOLLAND,
Circuit Judge

A True Copy.
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207 Wabeek Bldg.
Birmingham, Mich.
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Air Service Resumed To North Michigan

Reports that "the fish are biting" spurred air travel into Northern Michigan today as RCA (Capital Airlines) again began flying operated a warehouse and sales depot on Brownell street for the past six years, Mr. Meyer said the owners contemplated continuing the business or supplying feed, salt, garden supplies, and similar items.

The store has been operated for about two years by E. W. (Si) Osborne. The latter said his plans for the future were still indefinite.

to Sault Ste. Marie routes. North Michigan playlands have not been served by this airline since Pearl Harbor.

Flights linking the Capital Airlines system with the North Michigan cities originated last Wednesday at Detroit, and terminated in Michigan at the Pellston airport, which also serves Petoskey, Harbor Springs, and Cheboygan. Service to Sault Ste. Marie proper awaits the availability of airport facilities.

J. J. O'Donovan, PCA vice-president indicated that an all-time high will be recorded this year in travel to Michigan and other vacation centers served by this airline.

Bee-Line Sales, Inc. Buy Osborne Store

Sales of the Osborne Feed and Salt Store, 153-155 South Woodward to the Bee-Line Sales, Inc., of 191 Brownell street was announced last week. Messrs. P. W. Meyer and John L. Marks, of the new owner firm are in charge of the store.

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