

### Knickerbocker

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key to let her come in and help defend their territory," he explained. "The Turks, with the knowledge of the 'help' Russia has given other nations in the past, refused."

#### "Persuasive" Powers

"Jimmy Byrnes, who recently resigned as Secretary of State

with the knowledge that Russia had troops waiting at Russian borders, averted that disaster," he stated, "by using two of the most persuasive powers a diplomat has—a baptism and an aircraft carrier. Since then Stalin has observed and kept the peace."  
The trouble in Palestine, Knickerbocker felt, could be settled by the British if they would give Palestine to the Jews.  
"In a two-hour talk with Asim

Pasha—secretary general of the Arab states and the "Harry Hopkins of the Arab states"—he declared, "that the Arabs would prefer British rule to that of Russia. If Great Britain were to allow the Jews into Palestine, they would make a beautiful productive garden out of what is now wasteland and would contribute wealth, both intellectual and academic, to a land now relatively poor."

#### Enter Via Underground

Sooner or later, Knickerbocker claims, Palestine would become the Jewish center regardless of what the government does, as about one-third of the population is now Jewish and more are gradually coming in via the underground.  
Knickerbocker felt that the Jewish influence, in order to separate Great Britain from the United States on Great Britain's policy with Palestine, was responsible for much of the trouble stirred up there.

"Remember," he said, "if a war were to come, Great Britain is our friend, and Russia will make any attempt to alienate the two nations and deal with them separately."

In Alaska there are 45 men to every girl—next best places for girls Nevada, Wyoming, Idaho, California, Arizona, Montana, Washington and Oregon.

## Child Labor Reforms to Be Urged at 'Town Meeting' Set for Next Monday Night

A town meeting next Monday, Jan. 20 at the Community House, 1:30 p. m., will climax efforts of four Birmingham organizations, acting jointly as local branch of the Michigan Legislative Council, in support of "A Better Michigan Child Labor Code." The public is invited to attend.

Planned by the American Association of University Women, the League of Women Voters and the Parent-Teachers Association, the program will consist of a panel discussion by experts of wide experience on the educational opportunities, the health and morale of its youth.

Lowest Represents Industry  
John J. Lovett, general manager of the Michigan Manufacturers' Association, industry member during wartime of the War Manpower Commission and present industry member of the national Wage Stabilization Board, will represent industry on the panel.

Mrs. Harold V. Scott of Groves Pointe, research worker in the field of child labor, five times chairman of the Metropolitan Street Trades Committee, chairman of the Michigan Legislative Council's steering committee and member of the National Child Labor Committee, will handle legislative angles.

Dr. Warren K. Layton, division director of the Detroit Board of Education's department of guidance and placement, in close touch with youth problems as deputy district commissioner of the Boy Scouts, Y. M. C. A., committee member of the Detroit Council of Veterans' Affairs member, and several other similar organizations, will represent educators' views of the working child.

Detroit Police Inspector  
Inspector Sanford Shoules, chief of the Boys' Juvenile Bureau and also of the Crime Prevention Bureau, Detroit Police Department, a lawyer and member of the Detroit Bar, will discuss the social implications of children who work.

Chief Inspector Lloyd D. Utter of the State Department of Labor and Industry, Detroit, will present the problems of law enforcement.  
Moderator will be John G. Hammond of Birmingham, legislative chairman of the Birmingham PTA Council.  
Present state child labor laws

permitted under 18 years old to work 10 hours a day, 48 hours a week—a harder, longer week than most adults work—with no pay for lunch. 15-year-old children may quit school for full time employment, point out the Birmingham member organizations of the Michigan Legislative Council.

State Ranks 44th  
They say that Michigan ranks 44th in the nation as the law applies to maximum hours of work allowed in a week; that one of the few states with a worse law is Bill's Mississippi.

Improvements they recommend would provide a maximum eight-hour day and 48-hour week; a maximum eight-hour day and 48-hour week for combined school and work and a minimum age of 16 for employment during school hours.

The committee which is planning and publishing this community meeting consists of Mrs. Peter Loomis, chairman, for the League of Women Voters; Mrs. Lawrence Tabor for the AAUW; Mrs. Robert Lee Graham for the Junior League; and John G. Hammond for the PTA.

### Graduates

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as captain of the track team last spring. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Watson, 548 W. Frank street.  
Baccalaureate services this Sunday for the seniors will begin with the invocation by the Rev. J. J. Liston of the Embury Methodist church, the Rev. George J. Rentschler, assistant minister of the First Presbyterian church, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon, and the Rev. Arnold F. Runkel of the First Methodist church will preside.

Graduation exercises next Thursday, Jan. 23, in the high school auditorium at 8 p. m., will open with the playing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the direction of A. W. Berendt, and will be followed by the professional.  
The Rev. W. Glen Harris, of the First Presbyterian Church will deliver the invocation, to be followed with the vocal solo, "Ave Maria," by Joan Grove, graduating senior.

Roland Watson, class president, will present the class gift, which will be accepted by Charles Murray, president of the Student Council. Dr. Winters to the gathering. His Commencement address is titled "The Fine Art of Living."  
The program will also include a piano selection by a graduating student, Mary Anne Foster, who will play the Warsaw Concerto. Ross D. Wagner, principal of the school will present the class to Dr. Dwight B. Ireland, superintendent of schools in Birmingham, who will award the diplomas to each student.

List of Graduates  
Those graduating this year, in addition to the three honored students, are:  
Frank William Baker, William Edgar Bosticher, A. Jerome Bosley, Jr., Stanley G. Boynton, Jr., Kenneth N. Bradwood, Gordon T.

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### Registration Notice

FOR GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO BE HELD MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1947  
To the Qualified Electors of the City of Birmingham County of Oakland, State of Michigan  
To vote at this election all persons must be registered in the City by Tuesday, January 28th, 1947, at 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.  
Citizens of the United States, 21 years old, who have resided in the State of Michigan six months and in the City of Birmingham twenty days at the time of voting are eligible.  
TO REGISTER, call at the City Clerk's office in the Municipal Building or before Tuesday, January 28th, 1947, during business hours. The City Clerk's office will be open on Tuesday, January 28th, from 8 A. M. until 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.  
IRENE E. HANLEY,  
City Clerk  
January 16, 1947

Burrows, Alexander L. Clark, Bertie B. Cole, Denny E. Converse, Gloria E. Davison, Florence Erickson, Mary Anne Foster, Barbara Joyce Gans and Robert K. George. Joan Grace Gove, Peter T. Greig, Elaine Griffin, James Robert Guitman, Mary E. Kemp, Mary Anne Kraft, Henry George Leck, William Jennings Larsen, Betty Ann Lee, Herbert H. Lowish.

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Everett C. Swanson, Jr., Herbert D. Tewillager, Leon I. Thurston, Jr., Barbara Tullis, Harry W. Waegner, John R. Welch, Harry Bruce Williams and Clifford B. Young.

### Hospital Drive

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High School, Ferndale, at 8 o'clock tomorrow (Friday) night when workers of Ferndale, Hazel Park, Oak Park and Pleasant Ridge organizations launch the campaign in their areas.  
General Chairman Welch said today that members of the Advance Gifts, Industrial Corporation and Retail Corporation Committees have been at work from one to three weeks contacting individuals of means, industries and mercantile firms of the Greater Detroit area in the interest of the campaign.

### B'ham Barons Lose Practice Game, 8-1

In a practice game with Cranbrook last Friday, the Birmingham Barons were sunk by a score of 8 runs to 1. Jack McBride came up with the lone Birmingham tally. Spencer showed well for Cranbrook and should be a factor before many games are played.  
Lack of ice has definitely handicapped play, and the boys succumbed to their second defeat in three days when they lost to Royal Oak 4 to 2 in a second game. The game was rough and frequent penalties were called.  
Birmingham meets Cranbrook January 23 at 4 p. m. on the latter's rink.

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Sweet Potatoes . . . . . 3 lbs. 29c  
California Seedless Naval Oranges . . . . . 200 size dozen 35c  
Sweet Juicy Florida Oranges . . . . . 200 size 2 dozen 53c  
Grade A Maine Potatoes . . 15 lb. bag 59c