

### Group Elects Local Woman as Treasurer

Mrs. Bradley M. Patten of Ann Arbor was elected president of the Michigan League for Planned Parenthood and Mrs. Martin E. Busch of Birmingham was elected treasurer at the 26th Annual Meeting held in Detroit January 7th at the Detroit Leland Hotel.

Other officers elected at the meeting were Mrs. Charles C. Hall of Kalamazoo, first vice-president; Mrs. Edward E. Rothman of Birmingham, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. J. Taylor Maxwell of Detroit, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Lauren Hunter of Ann Arbor, recording secretary.

Members who attended the meeting from Birmingham were Mrs. Lewis Daniels, Mrs. W. W. Williams and Mrs. George Trumbull.

D. Kenneth Ross, national director of the Planned Parenthood Federation of America, Inc., spoke at the noon luncheon on "Planned Parenthood in 1947."

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### Use More Care in Jan.-Feb. Driving Motorists Asked

Police Chief John P. Hackett today appealed for increased care in driving during the hazardous months of January and February when winter's twin traffic troublemakers, Less Visibility and Poor Traction, spell double trouble for motorists.

Research by the National Safety Council shows that 45 per cent of all traffic accidents in several snow belt states last winter took place on snow and ice. Even in southern states, with no severe cold but occasional periods of snow and ice, the death rate for winter months was nearly 25 per cent higher than in summer months.

"Drivers can guard against the dangers of reduced visibility and inadequate traction by giving their cars the best of care and by operating them in the safest manner," Chief Hackett declared.

Be on the Alert  
Winter care includes use of

anti-skid chains for snow or ice on mainline highways, wipers, defrosters and lights in proper condition. Safe operation means driving at reduced speeds and keeping an alert lookout for both expected and improper actions of fellow drivers, pedestrians and children who may be engaged in winter-time sports.

Chief Hackett advised adherence to the following safe winter driving rules, recommended by the National Safety Council's Committee on Winter Driving Hazards.

#### WINTER RULES

1. ADJUST SPEED TO CONDITIONS. Be especially careful at intersections, on curves and d bridges, and in school zones. Bridge floors may be ice-covered even when paved approach is comparatively clear.

2. MAKE WISE USE OF CHAINS. Stopping distances without chains are lengthened 3 to 11 times on snow or ice. Anti-skid chains reduce braking distance on snow, ice 50 per cent, get you up and down slippery hills and prevent getting stuck.

3. KEEP YOUR BRAKES EQUALIZED. Check brakes periodically. Forget the fallacy that the front brakes will prevent skidding. Tire chains are the most practical help.

4. USE AN ADEQUATE VISION. Make sure your windshield wipers and defrosters are in good working order. Wipe the windshield when you brush off freshly fallen snow. You must see a hazard to avoid it.

5. SEE THAT YOUR LIGHTS ARE OKAY. Winter hours of darkness are long. Sometimes you need daylight if the atmosphere is foggy or snowy. Always be assured that you can stop your car within the distance illuminated by headlights.

6. AVOID SUDDEN STARTS, STOPS AND DIRECTIONAL CHANGES. Start slowly and in second gear on ice without chains. Stop gradually, applying brakes lightly on-off-on to prevent the rear wheel from locking.

7. BEWARE CARBON MONOXIDE. Open garage doors before starting engine. Avoid running motor of stationary vehicle to keep warm. Fresh air is the best means of fighting this gas.

8. KEEP POSTED ON ROAD AND WEATHER CONDITIONS. Watch for predictions in your newspaper, listen for special warnings over your radio station.

### Insurance Associate



Hugh C. White (left) of the Hugh C. White Insurance Agency, welcomes M. Lloyd Dean of Detroit, as an associate in the agency. Dean was formerly a special agent of the Hartford Insurance Co.

M. Lloyd Dean, former special agent for the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company, has become an associate of the Hugh C. White Agency in the new McBride Building on Pierce street.

Dean's resignation as special agent and his new position, were effective January 1, according to an announcement by Hugh C. White.

Dean's experience in the insurance field began in 1941 with American Mutual Liability Company. For the past two years he has assisted, general agents and industrial plant owners throughout Detroit and Eastern Michigan, in providing safety engineering service and continuous production insurance against boiler and machinery accidents. He will be in charge of the casualty insurance department in his new capacity.

Dean was a resident of Birmingham from 1920 to 1927 when he moved to Detroit. The White Agency was opened in September by Hugh C. White, formerly in Detroit for 25 years in general insurance business. He has been a member of the million dollar round table life insurance club for several years.

White has resided in Franklin for the past three years.

### Research Expert Speaks to Jaycees

Malcolm Denny of Beverly Hills, a representative of the Research Institute of America, was the guest speaker at the Junior Chamber of Commerce first meeting of the year, Wednesday, Jan. 8. While Denny is a well known speaker, his talk on "India and Its People," marked the first time he had spoken in Birmingham or its vicinity.

Preceding the lecture, the JCCs held a short business meeting.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING  
Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Members of the Birmingham Federal Savings and Loan Association, Birmingham, Michigan, will be held on Wednesday, January 15th, 1947, in the Office of the Association, Woodward Avenue at Maple, at eight o'clock p.m. The meeting is called pursuant to the by-laws of the Association, for the following purposes:

1. TO ELECT DIRECTORS  
2. TO TRANSACT ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY PROPERLY COME BEFORE SAID MEETING.  
The polls for voting on election of directors will open for the convenience of members between the hours of 10:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., January 14th, 1947.

WALTER L. MORELAND, Secretary  
Held at Birmingham, Michigan, December 23rd, 1947.  
Directors will be available at the office of the Association for the use of members unable to attend this meeting.

### Home from Guam

Carpenter's Mate S/G John L. Wichman, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wichman, 1435 Humphrey, has written his parents that he is on his way home from Guam for a 60-day furlough. He is expected to arrive home tomorrow.

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