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When is somebody going to come along with a bona fide stalling eradicator? Seems the local problem is not over yet—still plenty of the darn birds are to the north of us, gathering to head south. From Mt. Pleasant this week comes the bulletin that that city has additional congregations of the pests. And they might pick Birmingham to roost in after leaving the north.

Hail the special events! Continuing through the 25th, we are celebrating National Dog Week and National Sweater-Week. Can this be coincidence, or can it be an explanation as to why we see so many more dogs on the streets these days, resident in sweaters of all styles and shades? The first thing we know they will be having a special class at all dog shows to select the "Sweater Girl of the Show" instead of a class for "Best of Breed" or "Best in the Show."

DPW superintendent Marx Fall suggests that merchants sweep their sidewalks in the evening just before closing time, rather than early in the morning. "The city's automatic sweeper operates between four and eight in the morning in order that parked cars do not become a problem," he explains.

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Baldwin Choir Begins New Year With 77 Members

With 77 names on the roster, the Baldwin high school choir is divided into two groups, one meeting five hours and one seventh hour.

The sixth hour choir includes Ann Averill, Joyce Berg, Tribby Blessett, Mary Alice Burrows, Frank Colby, Richard Crowell, Alysanne Dove, Norma Dushbeher, Mary Lee Gregory, Cynthia Hadley, Mary Halladay, Margaret Jafano, Joanne Kindy, Jane Kohr, Ann Morrow, Alma Jean Nordman, Margaret Nordman.

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7th Hour Choir

Members of the seventh hour choir are: Wanda Betty, Lu Ackerman, Heather Burn, Joan Carey, Sally Carrier, Milly Chapman, Nancy Chenna, Bill Crowell, Mary Jo Dewey, June Edard, Dick Gregory, Ann Groves, Darlene Groves, Charlotte Hall, Eleanor Hamby, Lee Hanson, Barry Harper, Velma Harris, Betsy Hood, Jean Hunter, Margaret Ireland, Jane Mallory, Lynn Martin, Priscilla Martz, Suzanne Mason, Tom Maxwell, Pat Miller, Martha Miller, Grace Nielson, Stewart Peck, Pete Plumstead, Russell Quihot, Joan Reising, Robin Renfrew, Frances Ritsner, Gail Rowe, Russ, Catherine Smith, Bob Spence, Susan Swartz, Nancy Sweeney, Janet Thomas, Mary Ann Tomlin, David Williams, Margie Wilson.

Some of the new numbers the choir will do this season are "I Got Rhythm," "Louisiana Hayride," "Hallelujah," "Timber Cutters' Chant," "Song of Love," and "Let's Dance."

The choir is directed by Victor Ulrich and accompanied by Nancy Chenna and Alysanne Dove.

Genaro A. Flores, president of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce, this Sunday will start out by motor for Phenix, Ariz., accompanied by his son, Jerry. Mrs. Flores, her daughter, Jean, and other son, John, will leave a week from today by plane for the same destination. The Flores' will establish a residence there until their new home in Marietta district, Bloomfield Hills, is completed. Flores' local address, while in the city on business, will be at the D.C. While in Phenix, Jean will attend Brownmore, a private girls' school, and Jerry will enter Judson, a private school for boys.

Eugene Hez Joins Commercial Services Staff As Consultant

Richard W. Oudersluys, president of Commercial Services, Inc., announced that Eugene Hez, 412 Ridgedale, has become associated with that company as a general consultant.

Hez came to the United States in 1941, at the invitation of Holland, and since that time he has made several market research studies for some of the largest export firms in the country. In addition, he has written several magazine articles on the subject.

Hez, former market analyst for the Chrysler Export Corporation, studied economics, commercial law and business administration in London, Munich and Hamburg, has served as manager of Foreign Credits and Exchange in the banking house of H. Aufhäuser in Munich, before coming to this country.

11 Try Out as PA Announcers

Eleven contestants for public address announcers were judged by the sixth hour Baldwin speech class Friday.

Receiving the most points were Rollie McGinnis, Frances Ritsner, and Lee Hanson, who will announce regularly. Bill Elliot, student technician, and Larry Young, will substitute.

During the tryout all students were asked to describe a picture and read an identical announcement. Each also read a two-minute selection of his own choice. A committee to handle public address details will be set up by the Student Congress.

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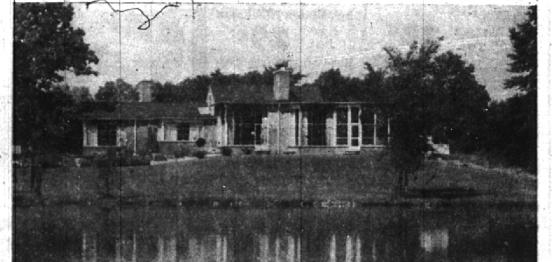
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