

### PTA Members

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In the next 10 years," Reese said. In 1920 it was 3,694, while in 1948, according to the most accurate figures I have been able to obtain, it is approximately 14,000.

"At present our schools are not too crowded. They really need more room, but we can get along. However, we must consider the future now, not wait until those deplorable conditions are here which exist in other schools."

Dr. Dwight B. Ireland presented slides showing the present location of the schools in Birmingham, and how they are not serving the community as well as they could. The present locations make it necessary for small children to travel long distances to school, crossing arterial highways which are dangerous.

After discussing these points, he presented slides of the plans which can greatly relieve this. The proposed plan includes the erection of a new senior high school on the 46-acre tract which the board owns at the intersection of Lincoln and Cranbrook. It also means the construction of a small elementary school in the Torrey area, and turning what is now Baldwin High school into an elementary school.

**School Locations**

This would give a complete coverage of the city for elementary schools, with two miles estimated as about the farthest a high school student would have to travel. Children in elementary

### City Commission Considers Possibility of Shifting Future Fire Station Site

In order to provide a 60-foot right-of-way on Westchester Way, for a distance of 517 feet south of W. Maple, the city commission has directed City Assessor Elmer Hanck to determine the cost of acquisition of part of a parcel of unplatted and unrestricted property owned by James Wade, 1907 W. Maple.

In recommending this action to commissioners, City Manager Donald C. Egbert pointed out that the present Westchester Way right-of-way is only 30 feet for this 517-foot distance. He also suggested obtaining the northerly 27 feet of the parcel to establish a 60-foot right-of-way on W. Maple at this point.

"It will be necessary to acquire a substantial portion of this property for right-of-way purposes, both to provide a full width of right-of-way for Maple and also for Westchester Way," the manager stated.

May Boy Estline Parcel

Since the residence on this property is partially in the proposed Westchester Way acquisition, Egbert said the assessor should also determine the possible cost of obtaining the entire parcel, which is 120 feet by 517 feet.

In the event the entire property was acquired, it might be advised

### Commission Favors Tax Date Change

City Commissioners Monday night went on record as favoring the proposed Michigan legislative amendment to change the tax date from April 1 to January 1, and to rearrange the assessment, equalization and allocation procedure in a logical order.

A copy of the resolution will be sent to State Senator George Higgins and Representative Howard E. Bates urging their support of the legislation.

**Rubbish Fires Bring Warning From Chief**

Fire Chief V. W. Griffith advises local residents to exercise extreme caution while burning rubbish. Three grass fires were caused here Friday when unattended rubbish fires went out of control. No property damage resulted in any of the fires.

Griffith asked all persons burning rubbish, to maintain an alert watch over them, especially when being burned near areas thickly covered with dry grass, or when strong winds are blowing.

The department also answered a call when a spark from the ignition system of a car set fire to gas which had leaked over the motor. They prevented flames from reaching the body of the car which sustained only slight damages.

### Arrests

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404 as against 49 trucks. According to reports, driving for 20 to 25 miles an hour was the most dangerous speed, for 93 accidents were said to have occurred at this speed. What are considered the best driving conditions also are recorded as follows: accident toll, daylight hours had 201; dry roads, 177 and clear weather, 184.

In a time break-down, the record, from 4 to 5 p. m., saw the greatest number, with Friday as the leading day of the week with 127 December the worst month of the year. Professional and business people were involved in more accidents than any other group. Male drivers outnumbered women, 441 to 37. Local drivers were involved in 239 of the accidents, with 292 coming from out of town. Drivers from 25 to 34 proved to be the worst of all age classifications.

**Accident Areas**

Due to the greater concentration of traffic, Woodward and Maple avenues had the greatest number of accidents. The most important factor in the survey, Hunter boulevard, with 13, followed closely by 10 for Maple and 20 for Woodward. The highest number of intersection accidents, out of the business district, were reported from Martin and Bates, with six.

A total of 171 new traffic signs were erected throughout the city in the interests of traffic safety. September proved to be the month for juvenile cases. Of the 95 arrests made, 19 were in that month. Reckless driving and speeding accounted for 47 arrests; larceny for 12 and destruction of property for 10. Four local juveniles were involved in automobile thefts.

The middle-teens, 15 and 16, showed a total of 24 and 25 arrests. Of the 95 taken in custody here, 45 were released to their parents. Local young people figured in 65 of the arrests, with 30 from other cities. There were 10 of the crimes committed during the afternoon hours.

**Miscellaneous Duties**

Among the miscellaneous duties of the department, 147 stray dogs were impounded; 142 cats and 94 dogs disposed of. Police received reports of 52 dogs and one cat having bitten persons in Birmingham.

In addition to this, 69 guns were registered in the city. There were 59 missing persons found, and lodging provided for 49 transients.

The department at the present time consists of one police chief, one lieutenant, one detective sergeant, three sergeants, one clerk, and 11 patrolmen. A maintenance and repair department are on a part time basis.

### Primarys

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**DEMOCRATIC BALLOT**

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CHARLES R. RYAN 253

Clerk  
GARLAND ARBELE 248

Treasurer  
ALICE JAMES 208  
LURA HOLLOWAY 62

Justice of Peace  
W. L. ACTON 173  
EVELLE MASON 167  
E. J. Cornish 130

Board of Review  
JAMES J. HUBER 242

Highway Commissioner  
CECIL COX 238

Constable  
RAY PAGE, JR. 198  
W. G. LAMAROS 185  
HOWARD MULLANIX 185  
CLINTON B. MULLINS 184

**W. Bloomfield**

**PEOPLES BALLOT**

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H. M. THATCHER 474  
R. O. Felt, Jr. 342  
E. M. Tibbals 212  
Fred Jeffery 15

Clerk  
FRANK HALLIETT 750

Treasurer  
EILEEN B. VAN HORN 582  
F. L. Munson 410

Justice of Peace  
ELMER DIETZLE 430  
A. L. GREEN 429  
W. F. Dobay 567  
Fred Jeffery 291

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Board of Review (Vacancy)  
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What your Doctor wants you to know about

**TETANUS TOXOID**

the preventive drug that helps the body to fight lockjaw

Your doctor has at his disposal a number of preventative agents commonly known as vaccines. The best known is tetanus toxoid, which in a few generations has virtually wiped out a cruel and destructive scourge. There are other immunizing agents—among them tetanus toxoid—which is used to prevent and to combat the often fatal infection of lockjaw.

When a tetanus germ enters the system, the body goes into immediate action to fight the infection. The body creates antibodies to fight off the invaders. The resulting illness is a struggle for supremacy between the invader and the body's resources. Whether the battle ends in death or recovery depends on the ability of the body to repel the invader.

When your doctor administers tetanus toxoid to you, he is fortifying you simply and easily the ability to defeat lockjaw germs before they even enter your body. He is building immunity for you, so that when the germ strikes, the body is prepared to resist.

Young children who frequently suffer cuts—adults who work in stables, or on farms, where the germs thrive—of those whose occupations expose them to serious injuries—should be immunized against lockjaw.

Ask your doctor about the availability of tetanus inoculations.

### This & That

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and have been interested in his comments on the abolitionists in the past century, after the Dred Scott decision. I quote:

**Loss All Standing**

"A man, no matter what his social standing, wealth or culture might be, would lose all standing if he championed the cause of a slave. Wendell Phillips, a man of the highest blood, highest culture, and noblest character, the greatest orator of his age, was regarded as a pariah and an outcast in cultured Boston. There had been for years a few pronounced abolitionists. They were treated with as great contempt and scorn as one would regard an anarchist in these opening days of the Twentieth Century. Ministers of the gospel in the North, who dared

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### Cagers

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process as Port Huron tried to stop them. Just as the Maples would begin to narrow the margin, however, Port Huron would sink another bucket and maintain the lead. The Maroon side was just really gaining momentum in the last seconds ticked away and the game ended 38-32 Port Huron on top.

Folin and Dick Halpin were high for the Maples with 11 and 10 points apiece, while South Lorne Walker, and Fox were Port Huron's leaders with 14, 11, and 10 markers respectively.

**SUMMARY**

Birmingham	G	F	TP
Halpin	2	3	8
Folin	4	4	4
Walker	1	1	1
Smith	1	1	1
Myron	0	0	0
Jackson	0	0	0
McClain	0	0	0
Totals	10	12	32

### Accessories Theft Brings Appeal From Police to Residents

In view of the two robberies which took place here Monday night and were reported to the police Tuesday, Chief Ralph W. Moxley again asks that residents report suspicious persons, noises or vehicles around their homes, especially at night.

According to the report, three tires and a radio were taken from the car owned by Robert G. Silbar, 808 Madison avenue. Two tires were taken from the car of Fred Hopkins, 815 Oakland, whose property adjoins that of the Silbars.

Chief Moxley said that it was apparent that someone had used a truck or car to remove the stolen accessories, both from the weight of the articles and from the tracks found in one of the driveways. He believes the work to be that of men who have a ready outlet for such material. He has few definite clues on which to conduct his investigation.

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- Sweet Mixed Pickles 53c
- India Relish

Cranbrook  
LARGE SWEET PEAS—No. 2 cans 2 for 25c  
Cranbrook  
RED KIDNEY BEANS—No. 2 cans 2 for 29c  
Cranbrook SAUER KRAUT—No. 2 1/2 cans 2 for 25c

Richelieu  
WAFER SLICED BEETS—No. 2 cans 2 for 35c  
Richelieu  
YUM YUM PICKLES—pint jar 28c

U.S. No. 1  
MICHIGAN POTATOES—15 lb. bag 61c  
Medium Size  
FLORIDA ORANGES—2 dozen 59c  
Young CALIFORNIA CARROTS—2 bunches 17c  
Eatmor CRANBERRIES—lb. Cello Bag 19c

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Pork End Cut RIB LOIN ROAST lb. 49c

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