

Charles Shain Is Home Again

Charles J. Shain, local businessman and civic leader, returned to his home Tuesday for the first time since May 31 when he was taken to St. Joseph Mercy hospital with a serious heart attack.

"He is regaining his strength very slowly. As much as he would like to see his many friends, it will be impossible for him to have visitors for a while. Mr. Shain has received all the cards and letters he has received during his illness and reads them again in lieu of the personal visits he cannot make with his friends," Mrs. Shain said.

"I am very grateful for the dozens of rides given me to take from the hospital and for the many flowers which filled the room constantly," said Mrs. Shain.

Mr. and Mrs. Shain have both been very moved by the many expressions of sincere concern they have received. They hope it will not be too long before they will both be able to talk to each of these well-wishers personally.

According to hospital authorities Mr. Shain was one of the "finest, most courageous patients we've ever had."

City Manager Asked to Check Violations of Building Code

Homes under construction on the east ends of Hazel, Bowers and Cole streets should receive careful city inspection before families are allowed to occupy them, Mayor Donald S. Bell instructed City Manager Donald C. Egbert at Monday evening's commission meeting.

City commissioners again heard charges from several residents of those streets that the home builder allegedly is not conforming to the city building code in certain phases of construction.

"Eggheads" basement floors, limbo-furnace foundations, leaky plumbing joints were some of the items brought out by the residents.

Mayor Bell also asked Egbert to check with the city attorney to see what action the city could take against contractors who do not perform according to the city code.

Upperclassmen Fete Baldwin Newcomers

By Jack Adams

The spirit of Baldwin will be introduced next Tuesday evening when upperclassmen present a gala affair and a taste of "big stir" for the sophomores.

The all-school party honoring sophomores and newcomers to Birmingham high school has been tagged the "Free-for-All", and all juniors and seniors will also be on hand at 8:30 p.m. to renew the old school spirit.

With the idea of getting acquainted promptly and swinging back into school life, a band has been secured to play for various types of dancing and group music. Other entertainment will also be provided throughout the evening. It is hoped that this first-day-of-school "Free-for-All" will become traditional.

The planning committee consists of Nan Mosby, Bob Ervin, Ann Tunnicliffe, Dick Shalberg, Virginia Dare, Ward Abbott, Bob Hardy, Nancy Wilson, Helen Woodson, Jim Hogan, and Jack Adams.

General news deadline is 5 p.m. each Tuesday.

Oliver H. Kirk, Attorney for Estate, Birmingham, Michigan

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate Court of said County of Oakland: As a justice of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, said County, on the 27th day of August, D. 1949:

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Teresa Bohler, deceased.

Kenneth Robbins having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to the petitioner, or to some other suitable person;

It is Ordered, That the 3rd day of September, D. 1949, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and the same is appointed for hearing said petition;

Public Notice: That public notice thereof be given by publication of this copy of this order once each for three successive weeks previous to said hearing in a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.



HOPE FOR TOMORROW—Marking one of the earliest harvests on record in England, farm workers stack the wheat high in readiness for thrashing on the Appleby Farm near Bedford. With good crops, life in England may be less austere.

The Human Race



Great Books Group to Resume Meetings

Birmingham's first Great Books group will be one year old this fall. So successful was its first year, states Miss Jean Lloyd, public librarian, that members of the discussion group voted unanimously to continue it a second year.

Meeting at the Baldwin Public Library twice monthly last winter, under the leadership of Karl Lutz and E. K. Ratcliff, Great-Booksers examined the basic issues that have concerned mankind through centuries. On some evenings, ideas stimulated by the writers, whether Aristotle, Plato, Rousseau, or another, provoked such discussion on pertinent 20th century problems that the moderators had to call for order.

May Form Second Group

With such interest, as a background, continuing members are looking forward to the first meeting, which will be held at the public library Wednesday evening, Sept. 21, at 8 o'clock.

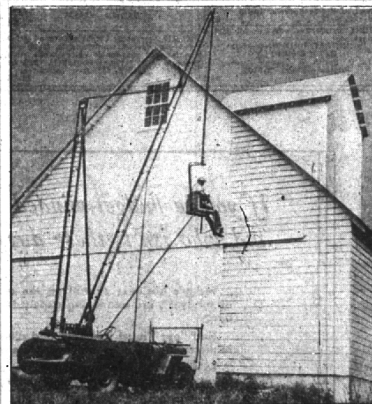
For those unable to participate last year and wishing to join now, another first year group may be formed if enough people are interested. As space is limited, those interested in either the second or first year groups are requested to sign up at the public library as soon as possible.

Sumners Is Leading Softball Play-Offs

Sumner Motor Sales remained undefeated in the Y.M.C.A. softball league play-offs as they won over Birmingham Men by a score of 4 to 2.

The winning pitcher was Rippberger who allowed only three hits. Beidar, on the mound for the losers, also gave up but three hits.

In the other game of the evening, Michigan Bell defeated Craig Sporting Goods, 6-4, which leaves only three teams left in the play-offs. The winning pitcher was McBride who allowed 10 hits while striking out ten. The losing pitcher was Richardson.



THERE'S A BOOM IN BARN PAINTING—Painting the barn is no longer the chore used to be. A spray-painting service in Lincoln, Ill., has developed this aerial telescopic boom which eliminates ladders and scaffolding. Now it's a one-man job.



Carker Opens New Sales Agency

Roy Carker opened his new Studebaker sales agency Monday at 666 South Woodward and is the site of the old Nash agency. Nearly 500 people were on hand to view the three 1950 Studebakers on display.

Carker has been located in Birmingham for the past five years. During this time he operated the Chrysler-Heloto-Plymouth dealership at 470 South Woodward. However, he leased this place when he purchased the new Studebaker agency.

Equipment-wise, this new agency will have the latest available. Carker has sold the old repair equipment and purchased all new machines which will handle repairs on all makes of cars.

The present showroom is larger than his old one, according to Carker. And he is planning an extensive building program. Another building will be built adjacent to the present one which will offer greater repair facilities.

In addition to a full line of Studebaker cars, Carker will carry a complete stock of Studebaker trucks. He also plans to maintain a well-stocked used car lot.

Local Kiwanians at State Meeting

The Kiwanis Club of Birmingham was represented at the 1949 convention of the Michigan Kiwanis District held August 25 to 31 at Detroit, Club President Tom Ward announced.

More than 100 clubs in the district, which embraces 7,000 business and professional leaders, sent delegates to the three-day meeting, Ward said.

The speaking program featured the appearance of Lee F. Campbell, prominent Middleboro, Ky., merchant and treasurer of Kiwanis International; Walter J. Ray, Detroit banker and a trustee of the community service organization; Ben Dean, Grand Rapids advertising executive and a past international president, also participated.

Delegates who represented the Kiwanis Club of Birmingham at the convention included Ernest Miller, immediate past president; James Sterling, vice-president, and delegates Paul Stocker, Claude Whipple, Ralph Williams, and Kenneth J. Hoover.

Nat Factory Bought by Franklin Woods

Formation of Franklin Foods, Inc. to undertake the manufacture and distribution of a unique line of toasted and seasoned peanuts and nuts, was announced today by Samuel B. Slade of Franklin, Michigan.

The corporation has purchased a part interest in the nut business which has been owned and operated at Frank by Slade and Son. It consists of a group of Franklin friends and neighbors, which includes men well-known in Detroit and Oakland County business and professional fields.

The nuts, now sold under the trade name of "Royal Gem," are toasted with grease and oil and seasoned with a special formula. Slade cites increased demand and the need for wider distribution as the reason for the sale. The move also will give Slade more time for research and development of a proposed new line of seasonings.

William W. Comstock, formerly connected with the Larrow Division of General Mills, will be manager of Franklin Foods, whose headquarters will remain in Franklin. Suitable national outlets are under consideration.

Sept. 12 Hearing on Chesterfield Oiling

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Hills School Opening

The City and Country school of Bloomfield Hills will open September 14 with an expected enrollment of 130 students. The school combines a nursery school and a grade school. Most of last year's staff will continue through this year.

Busman's Car Stolen

A car belonging to Dale E. Cromie of Route No. 2 Utica was stolen from its parking place at Hunter and Bowers last Saturday. It is a blue 1949 Buick Super. No indication of the thief's identity has turned up yet, according to Police Chief Ralph W. Moxley. Cromie is a driver with the Eastern Michigan Bus Co.

Poppleton PTA

The Poppleton school at Crooks and Big Beaver roads will hold its first PTA meeting of the year Wednesday, Sept. 7, at 8 p.m. in the school. Refreshments will be served.

Have You Met? . . .
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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Houghton and their children, Carol and John, newcomers from Ft. Wayne, Ind. They're now residing at 733 Gracefield Court. Mr. Houghton is a representative for the Sun Oil Company.



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Chocolate Fudge Angel Food Cakes	each	59c
Cocunut Frosted Chocolate Cup Cakes	6 for	38c
Danish Almond Filled Coffee Cakes	each	49c
Twisted Cinnamon Donuts	per doz.	57c

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Layer Cakes . . . each 57c
(FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY)
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COFFEE lb. 52c

Miracle Whip
SALAD DRESSING
Quart Jar 49c

Gold Medal
FLOUR 5 lb. Bag .45c

Gains Dog Food
MEAL or KRUNCHEONS
5 lb. pkg. 69c

Headquarters for
Gaines LUCKY DOG CONTEST

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FRESH DRESSED FRYING CHICKENS 39c lb.

Fresh Jumbo SHRIMP	lb. 95c	McMillan's COUNTRY ROLL BUTTER	lb. 63c
Davis-Dubuque-Tobin CANNED HAM	lb. 89c	New York BLACK RIND CHEESE	lb. 79c
U.S. Choice ROUND STEAK	lb. 80c	Treasure Cane BLUE CHEESE	lb. 69c
Kaiber Style BRISKET CORNED BEEF	lb. 59c	Grade A Large Eye SWISS CHEESE	lb. 69c
U.S. Choice SHOULDER ROAST BEEF	lb. 59c	Michigan RED RIND CHEESE	lb. 69c
Grade 1 Skinless FRANKFURTERS	lb. 39c		

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Rib End PORK LOIN	49c lb.	Fresh Dressed TURKEYS 1949 crop	18 to 20 lbs. 49c lb.	Genuine Spring LEG O' LAMB	69c lb.
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SNOW CROP FROZEN FOODS

ORANGE JUICE	2 tins 57c	GRAPE JUICE	2 tins 49c	PEAS	pkg. 23c
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