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Will Name Committee

City Plan Commissioner James Pedder said he would announce night at the regular meeting of e city plan commission the smess of members of his new abilicity committee.

TIME TURNED INTO MONEY

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WALL WASHING

Local Coal Supplies One-Third of Normal Study of Local Recreation

A combined report from both of course, is passed on to the customer of the Cox and Parks coal companies shows a serious, but not critical situation in Birmingham.

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THE NEARLY EMPTY BINS AT THE PARK COAL CO. YARDS About one-third nor, I supply on hand

Series Explains Uniform Traffic **Ticket Policy**

Y' Receives \$100 From Local Kiwanis Members of the Birmingham Kiwanis club recently presented a check for \$100 to Ed Kirbert, executive secretary of the local YMCA branch. The money will be used to pay dues of children who wish to become Y members but are unable to pay the necessary fees. Athletic equipment for their use will also be purchased.

Arthur J Grass, district man-

Maples' 1-Point Win Over Pt. Huron Leaves Both Teams Tied for EML Lead

The miracle Maples turned the the Big Red again got rolling, the tables on league-leading Port least of the time being spent with Huron in the second half of a fast but and furious basketball game here last Friday night, to win a 58-57 The Hurons had a last 10-sec-

victory.

tictory.

The on-lookers were given of spectacular exhibition of basketball with both teams using fast and accurate offensives and changing from zone to man-to-man desame. The lead changed hands time after time, with the screaming, capacity-crowd on its collective feet almost every minute of Hirmingham flowe to stack with the carty minutes of the carty m

the second half.

Birmingham took the offensive in the early minutes of the game to stack up a six-point lead at the three minute mark and serve not tice that this was to be a fight to the finish.

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The lend was about-lived, however as the Port Huron fasts ever as the Port Huron fast per break legan to show its offerite or mess. The quarter ended with Port Huron leading, 13-11.

In the second period, the local lads seefied momentarily stumped by the speed and height advantates tage of the Big Red, and were on when the half ended.

Lincoln Lots Downgraded at YMCA Request

Eccentric Honored by **MPA** Editors

The Birmingham Eccentric has been voted the state's best weekly newspaper in the 5,000 to 5,000 circulation class by representatives of 367 Michigan newspapers meeting last weekend in Lansing for the 82nd annual Michigan Press Association conven-

the 82nd annual Michigan Press Association (conven-tion. The Eccentric's 1949 circulation average was 4,969 per week. A committee of publish-ers had previously selected several state papers to rep-resent the various daily and weekly classifications. MPA members attending the meeting made their se-lection after examining copies of the various papers.

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The selection was made on the basis of general ex-cellence, which includes typography, makeup, il-lustrations and advertise-

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Last June The Eccentric placed second for com-munity service in the Na-tional Editorial Associa-tion contest, and also placed sixth in general ex-cellence among the na-tion's weeklies.

Residential Area Rubbish Collection to Start Earlier

Marx Fall, department of pub-lic works superintendent, an-nounces that the new city load packer will be put into use this

"This will make a difference in ty collections," he said, "and

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Baccalaureate Address Given by Dr. Harris

Dr. John Everton to Speak Tonight at Commencement

Mid-year commencement activities will draw to a close here this evening when the 27 members of the January class receive their diploma at Baldwin high school. The

class receive their diplomas at Baldwin high school. The program is set for 8 o'clock. The commencement address will be given by Dr. John Scott Everton, president of Kalamazoo college. He will speak on, "The Darkened Intelligence" of the class heard the Rev. Dr. W. Glen Harris deliver the baccalaureate sernon) in a service held at the End of the Compress William Charles. Dr. Harris compared the graduate of today to Isaiah. They, as youth, face an uncertain world even as he did. They, as Isaiah, and like hin, have it or may be to the compress which will be to the class of the class beard to Rev. Dr. Harris told them. "That is true today. The world has known the larger of war. It has to be rebuilt of the city which is still rubble. Destruction in World On the road to Naples, by way of the Anzie beach there is vast destruction. Rothertam was destructed by the significant with the persons killed. These are the high yellow the significant with the world.

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Birmingham Is 5th U. S. City to Make Traffic Comparison A 89-page comparative study of Birmingham traffic ordinance has been completed and is being board and citizens' traffic safety comment and recommendations. In the commendation, and the commendations are the commendation. In the commendation of the commendation of the commendation of the commendation. In the commendation of the commendation of the commendation. In the commendation of the commendation of the commendation. In the commendation of the commendation of the commendation of the commendation of the commendation. In the commendation of the commendation o

Dies Unexpectedly Committee

and Play Facilities Is Sought

Offers 35 Suggestions Results of 6-Month Survey Available at Tuesday Institute

A 35-page summary of a survey of services to children and youth in the Birmingham school district will be re-leased by the Community Council which sponsored it at the Community Council's 11th annual Institute next Tuesday, Jan. 31, at the Community House when a panel of specialists will dis-cuss the subject "Wherein Are We Failing Our Youth"

The survey summary makes a total of 35 recommendations some urging a new program, others pertaining to expansion or change in program.

The conclusion of the summary recommends that the Community Council sponsor a study of play and recreation facilities in Bir-

Jan. 27 Deadline for Reservations

On-the-Spot Interviews From Europe

German Farmer Doubts He Can Meet Food Quota By Robert Ball PLIENINGEN, Germany—Karl Leiboldt is one of the west German farmers on whom the government is depending for an increase in food production. Now that the former German breadbasket is cut off from the West, and the import-export balance is watched as closely as a patient's puise, both the German Government and the ECA authorities have been laying plans to improve the agricultural yield. Leiboldt has read about the solic hard the second increase his yield by solic hard the contacted him the government is before the war. In design, the government is before the war. In design, the government is before the war. In the solic hard the