

**Community Council Elects Officers**

The old and new boards of directors of the Community Council met Monday evening at the Community House to elect officers for the year.

Mrs. P. G. Garrison was named president; Samuel Bennett, vice-president; Mrs. Philip Hart, secretary and Paul Friedrich, treasurer.

Mrs. Garrison appointed the following committee chairman:

MRS. ALEC PARNIE, children's service; Harry Denyes, Jr., city planning commission; Mrs. Joseph Williams, city commission; Mrs. Charles Crandall and Miss Jeanne Lloyd, ballistics; Mrs. W. M. Brown and Mrs. John K. Ormond, institute.

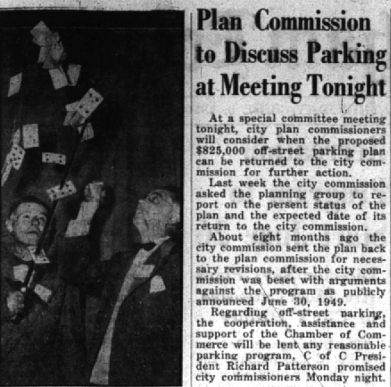
The president announced that chairman appointments are not yet completed and introduced two new board members, Dr. Edwin W. Deer and the Rev. Francis Hoeflinger.

At a special committee meeting tonight, city plan commissioners will consider when the proposed \$825,000 off-street parking plan can be returned to the city commission for further action.

Last week the city commission asked the planning group to report on the present status of the plan and the expected date of its return to the city commission.

About eight months ago the city commission sent the plan back to the plan commission for necessary revisions, after the city commission was beset with arguments against the program as publicly announced June 20, 1949.

Regarding off-street parking, the cooperation, assistance and support of the Chamber of Commerce will be lent any reasonable parking program, C of C President Richard Patterson promised city commissioners Monday night.



**NO MIRRORS** — Harlan Turnbull, left, president of the Society of American Magicians, neatly impales pre-selected cards on a sword after they were rifled into the air by Russ Walsh, president of the International Brotherhood of Magicians. The hocus-pocus horseshow went on at a joint convention of more than 1000 members of the two organizations in Chicago.

**Police Say Youths Planned to Enter Birmingham Home**

Two men were arrested by Birmingham police Saturday evening at the corner of Northlawn and Stanley street after they were reported as acting suspiciously by a nearby resident.

They were Robert A. Koppelman, 19, Ferndale and Robert Kirkland, 19, of Berkeley. Police said the pair admitted they were in the area with the intention of burglarizing a nearby home.

Koppelman, who police said admitted a crime in Berkeley and several in Detroit, was turned over to Berkeley police.

Kirkland had a license plate in his possession which was stolen from a car in Berkeley. He was charged with possessing stolen property and also turned over to Berkeley police.

**Enforce Vending Law In Southfield as 8 Summons Issued**

**SOUTHFIELD**—The state law prohibiting vending on Northwestern, Telegraph and Eight mile roads is being strictly enforced by the Oakland county sheriff's department, according to Southfield township supervisor D. P. Frame.

Last weekend eight summons were issued to popcorn, ice cream and produce vendors on these highways. Frame said.

**Rouge Gaging Station to Be Constructed**

Immediate installation of a U. S. Geological Survey gaging station on the River Rouge immediately west of the city's Baldwin mill has been approved by the city commission.

The station will automatically record high and low water levels and be used in connection with stream conditions in the Rouge valley.

The city and federal government will share equally in the costs of the station.

**Driver Sent to Jail for Disregarding Traffic Ticket**

Disregard for a traffic ticket issued a year ago meant a jail sentence for John F. Beebe of Keego Harbor.

He was brought before Bloomfield Hills Justice Alva Richardson Wednesday. After he was arrested May 28, 1949 for reckless driving he failed to appear in court. When a warrant was issued a year later for his arrest, he was in Monroe County jail because he failed to respond to a traffic ticket there.

Richardson gave him a choice between a 20-day jail sentence or a \$30 fine and \$10 court costs. He was committed to Oakland County jail when he was unable to pay the fine.

He is also wanted in Birmingham, Dearborn and Pontiac for failure to respond to traffic tickets.

**METER INSPECTOR GRANT CAPLING ADDS ANOTHER 'COIN' TO ARRAY**

Includes keys, slugs, matches, gum, hairpins and other assorted 'merchandise'

When collections are made from Birmingham's 300 parking meters each Tuesday and Friday a small but consistent assortment of slugs and foreign coins are usually found.

Strangely enough, there are as many persons who put too much money into the meters as those who attempt to fool the authorities. City Treasurer Russell T. Berger said that dimes placed in the machines as a rule cover the loss caused by slugs and foreign coins.

Along with the nickels and pennies found in the meters last week were 19 dimes, eight mutilated pennies and two slugs. This collection was considered as typical by Berger.

But the most trouble is caused by vandals who place matches, hairpins and popsicle sticks into the slots. Each time this is done, the meter is clogged and a water department meter inspector must make a trip to take the parking mechanism away to repair it.

**Another Major Cause of Meter Breakdowns Results when Well Meaning Persons Place Battered or Smooth Pennies and Nickels into the Slots.**

Mutilated coins usually block the machines. Fewer foreign coins are found in the meters now than in former years. Soon after the war ended, a large amount of German, English and German coins were inserted.

Meter collections are handled by the police department while water department meter inspectors take care of the repairs.

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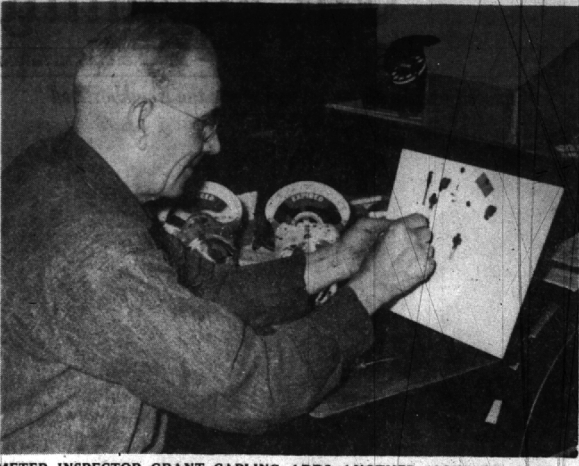
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**Slugs, Foreign Coins Always Show Up in Parking Meters**



City commissioners will take another week to consider what bidder will be awarded the contract for applying permanent asphalt surfaces to 10 city streets.

The commission Monday night tabled the contract award for one week while it makes a more thorough check on the qualifications of the low bidder, A and A Asphalt Paving Co., 1045 Haynes street.

A and A bid \$71,100. Next lowest bidder was Cooke Contracting Co. of Detroit with \$72,515.

City Manager Donald C. Eberhart said the city would extend any asphalt paving contract to include the streets in Birmingham Estates subdivision.

HE SAID DRAIN tiles would be installed this fall to correct a drainage problem in the western blocks of Buckingham, Dorchester and Yorkshire.

Since only one bid was received for installation of an arterial water main on Maple, Knox and Adams, commissioners rejected it on Monday.

They acted on the advice of Eberhart to await a time when more bidders would be interested in the construction.

**Grand Master Speaks Before Local Group**

John S. Smead, grand master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Michigan, was the guest speaker at the High Twelve meeting here Monday evening.

He told members of the work the grand lodge is doing for members of the order, their families and friends and of the increased numbers who are calling on the organization for help.

Work of branches of the Masonic fraternity, such as the Shrine and Knights Templar, were also described by Smead.

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