

The opportunities for enriching one's mind by correct reading, observation and observation are unlimited. One who fails to develop his mind during his whole life is like the farmer who refuses to neglect to fertilize his land; his crops are poor and scanty.

Invited to Enter State Publix Golf Tournament

Birmingham golfers who extended an invitation by the Michigan Publix Golf Association tournament committee to participate in that organization's annual state public links golf championship Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 1 and 2. The tournament will be

at the Keadley Lake golf course, in Flint. Fifty-four holes of medal play will be engaged in with 18 holes played Saturday. The low 50 and ties will compete in 36 holes of medal play Sunday. Non-qualifiers will engage in a special 18-hole best ball tournament Sunday. The entry fee is \$6 and entry blanks can be obtained from Tex Ellison, 811 Humphrey. Post entries will be accepted.

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The Birmingham Eccentric

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Bits of Birmingham

A coincidence in names came up at the Bloomfield Hills police station last week. Thompson Napoleon of Detroit was arrested for reckless driving and, operating a vehicle without an operator's license. It was discovered that he was carrying the license of his brother Joseph Napoleon who lives on Waterloo street in Detroit. Thompson was fined \$75 while his brother paid a \$40 fine for unlawful use of a driver's license. (Historically, though, it was the Duke of Wellington who caused another Napoleon to meet his Waterloo!)

A total of 5490 copies of the pamphlet "Helpful Tips to Improve Your Garbage and Rubbish Service" were mailed out by the city last week, according to Dana Whitman, administrative assistant. The pamphlet explains the major rules covering collection of rubbish and garbage.

It seems that Birmingham is very well represented at the beautiful MRA race track, or for that matter very well represented in the trotting racing profession. Included in the list of Birmingham residents that have their horses racing at the track are: M. S.

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Perry Williams, 4740 Adams road, William A. Brown, 918 Suffield and Samuel J. Reeve of 32900 Telegraph road.

Floyd Jazewski, instead of plowing through some fields as he did this summer, will be attempting to stop opponents from plowing through the Detroit Lions' line this fall. Jazewski, a 6' 4" 230 pound Minnesota graduate, drove a tractor for Dearborn Motors this summer and will be starting his second year with the Lions at tackle position this season.

Estimates for the coming year are not available as yet but in past years Michigan State College has been labeled as "Little Birmingham" because of the large enrollments of Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills residents.

The corner at Wilbur and Woodward might be called "Irritation Corner" because of the great many motorists that unthinkingly get behind another motorist who completely overlooks the traffic sign on the signal light that allows a vehicle to turn on a red light after a stop. Many cars can be seen turning toward this direction, but yet the unattentive driver waits for the green light.

Sometimes it just seems everything goes poof!—all at once. It happened last week in the story about the Maryland boulevard block party. First we somehow got the location incorrect—it was the block between Southlawn and 14 Mile which celebrated the new paving job. If that wasn't enough to do to those lovely people, we omitted the name of one of the hardest workers on the committee—Steve Cliky. We hope we are forgiven.

Dawn Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Martin, 1328 East Maple, will be six years old Wednesday. She celebrated her birthday a little in advance on Saturday by being a guest on the "Happy Birthdays" TV show, originating in Detroit. Several months ago Dawn became headline news among the Small Fry of Birmingham by winning the complete "cowboy" suit, in a contest sponsored jointly by the Bloomfield and Birmingham theaters.

A. J. "Jack" Hart, 327 Southfield, has discovered within himself a hidden talent. Recently, in a desire to interest himself in a new hobby, he bought some modeling clay and has been spending some spare time in the field of

amateur sculpturing. "I started out to make a miniature horse, then there followed an elephant, man, a bear," he told this wanderer this week. "Right now I'm working on a female nude... and doing right well, too... even if I say so myself. This new hobby, I have found, provides me with complete relaxation... and, since that is what a hobby is presumed to do for one, I'm glad I started modeling in clay."

Every newspaper office (as in the case of many other types of business) must work on "deadlines". This simply means, in order to meet mechanical requirements and publication dates, a newspaper determines how late it can accept various kinds of copy for its current edition. In the case of The Eccentric's Classified Ads, we have set each Tuesday at five o'clock as the "deadline". We regret, of course, our inability to accept Classified Ads after that time... so won't you please remember this each week when you want to use this section of The Eccentric? Thanks!

While it is not The Eccentric's policy to public "horror" pictures,

one was run last which which showed the results of a small boy's disregard for traffic. Since that time numerous persons have contacted this Wanderer to say that with school about to open, they felt the picture's lesson was timely. One mother stopped by to thank us, saying it had the desired effect of stopping her little daughter from going into the street. Another woman, a mother, said that although she was aware of children she felt she would be doubly cautious in the future, especially in driving past school zones.

As a weekly newspaper, The Eccentric primarily carries information concerning Birmingham and surrounding areas. However, according to reports this Wanderer has received from several men in service, it is read regularly by many servicemen who have no connection with the area. One corporal serving in Germany stated that each week when his copy arrives, there is a great demand from his buddies to look it over. He divides it up by sections and passes it around.

It seems that outdoor advertising finally came down to earth last week when members of the Flara sorority painted ads on sidewalks throughout the town announcing their Coronation Ball to be held Sept. 8 at the Community House. The girls explained that Police Chief Moxley had given them permission to "paint up the town."

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Want a snapping turtle for a pet? Mrs. Robert Plasko, 3805 Oak Hill, stated that she discovered a "real old and large" turtle in her back yard Tuesday. She said any person who wants the mammal can have it for the asking. A strange factor about the discovery of the turtle is that Oak Hill drive, which is behind Oakland Hills Country club, is not located near a body of water, although there is a small pond at the 16th green.

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