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**GETTING UP IN THE WORLD**—Communications lines are vital to an army and in combat zones must be constantly repaired. So the U. S. Army Signal Corps trains "pole climbers" like those seen above at Camp Gordon, Ga. After six weeks of training in maintenance of communications equipment, students are assigned to duty with regular Signal Corps units.

Registration Set Monday for Evening School in Southfield

Registration for the second 10-week session of the Southfield township school's evening classes will be held Monday, Dec. 17 from 7 to 9 p.m., at the Southfield high school.

Evening school is scheduled from Jan. 7 to March 10 and an enrollment of at least 12 in each class is necessary.

Requests have been made for classes in early American dancing, typewriting, upholstery, painting, sewing and tailoring. In addition, a course may be offered in language arts for immigrants, which includes reading, writing and spelling.

Further information concerning these courses can be secured by contacting the Southfield township board of education offices.

**Lathrup Townsite Church Plans Christmas Pageant**

LATHRUP—The church school of the Lathrup Townsite church will present its annual Christmas pageant Sunday, beginning at 5 o'clock. About 20 members of the church school will be assisted by the junior choir, under the direction of Mrs. George Harden and Mrs. John D. Rose, and the intermediate choir, directed by Mrs. Earl Pierce.

The pageant is under the direction of Mrs. Brewster Sedgwick, assisted by Miss Carol Serenberg, Mrs. Walter Serenberg and Mrs. David Clark, costumes and properties; Mrs. Ernest Zatorzky, makeup; Walter Bielanski, Floyd Nengal and Brewster Sedgwick, stage and John Teague, usher. The organist, Mrs. James Stez-zano, will accompany all vocal numbers.

A social hour and refreshments will be held at the close of the program.

**New Garage Addition To Be Used Next Week**

Next week should see the new \$75,000 addition to the DPW garage in use, DPW Supt. Norman Knapp said Tuesday.

It provides an extra 11,200 square feet of roof area and will permit all the DPW's 41 pieces of equipment to be stored inside, he said. Formerly three-quarters of this equipment had to be kept outside, he added.

Paving of the yard and installation of some new fencing still remains to be done.

**Have You Met . . .**

Mr. and Mrs. E. Barrett Mason of 1944 Graefield Terrace? They moved from Detroit on November 15. Mr. Mason is a junior executive with the Detroit Steel Corporation. Formerly of New York, the Masons paint as a hobby.

**PAIR O' CHUTES**—In a down-to-earth approach to the problem of getting heavy supplies to troops in a minimum of time, the Army is going in more and more for the double-chute type of speedy transport. A pair of the delicate-looking, slinky, 100-foot umbrellas, above, gently carry earthward a pallet with ammunition and fighting equipment in a combat supply drop from a C-119 Flying Boxcar in Korea.

## Bits of Birmingham

**George C. Scott, 284 Hupp Cross road, was among those at the University of Missouri recently cited for outstanding achievements in scholarship or special service at the university's fifth honors convocation. He received the Mehan story second prize from Purple Mask, dramatics honorary.**

**It was an accidental "reunion" for four Birmingham college students in New York a few days ago. Charles Burnham, Massachusetts Institute of Technology student, decided on a weekend in the "Big City," and while waiting for a classmate "ran into" Ward Abbott, Princeton and Ann Tunncliffe, Princeton and Ann Tunncliffe, University of Michigan. Much as this Wanderer hates to be labeled "trite"—it is a small world.**

**The new Birmingham edition of the R. I. Polk & Co. directory now being distributed lists 11,536 names in Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills and vicinity, with eighteen continued as the minimum listing age, representing an increase of 1,904 names over the 1949 edition. This count considers the combined names of man and wife as only one name, the Polk folk pointed out. Special features of the directory include the designations of owner-occupied and rented homes and homes and places of business having telephones, a list of government officials; and an illustrated story about Birmingham, furnished by the City Engineer and the Birmingham Eccentric. Carl Aaron receives "top billing" in the new directory, while M. A. Zoulek is last. As it takes all kinds of people to make a world so it takes all kinds of names to make a people. Some of the family nomenclature curios in the new list are: Fouraces, Whitehorn, Birdseye, Broadwalk, Dear, Feather, Generous and Dinkelo. There is a Claus here (but not Santa!), and a citizen with the picturesque name of See Bird, the directory shows.**

**Several letters to Santa Claus which have appeared in the Eccentric during the past few weeks were read on the popular Garry Moore national network television show Monday afternoon. After hearing the broadcast, a local resident said she would write the show and explain how the letters are prepared by the children. Last year, some of the letters were read on the Arthur Godfrey radio program. As far back as 1930, Santa Claus letters were published in The Eccentric. Many of these first writers now have children who had letters appear the past**

**few years. Local schools cooperate with The Eccentric in this project.**

**"No Parking except for U.S. Mail Vehicles—7 a.m. to 6 p.m." is the regulation on the Bates street side of the postoffice until Christmas Day. The loading area at the rear of the postoffice is too small during these Christmas rush days, so mail trucks and rural route carriers' cars must have some place to park while picking up and discharging mail, explains Postmaster Bernard E. Fowler. Police officers have orders to ticket those cars which have no business in this temporarily restricted area.**

**A new national organization has been formed to sponsor baseball participation for boys 12 to 15. Known as "Little League Baseball," it will be a "continuity" program for boys who outgrow little league baseball. National tournaments will be conducted each year in Yardville, N.J., and the Coca Cola Co. will be sponsor.**

**The Birmingham Eccentric is one of six Michigan Press Association weekly newspapers which has been nominated as an entry in the general excellence contest, metro-**

**politan-urban class, at the annual MPA convention Jan. 25-26 in East Lansing. The Eccentric won first place in the 1950 contest, which stipulates that a year must elapse before winners can be considered in a subsequent contest.**

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**Library Board**  
The board of directors of the Baldwin public library will meet today, Dec. 13, for their monthly session.

## Garbage Dumping Reported Along Township Roadides

**A resident of the area around Wattles and Adams roads, Bloomfield township, reported that quite a number of persons have been dumping garbage, mostly at night along the roadides, in that vicinity.**

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**Former Jackson, Michigan residents Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Mintling? Mrs. Mintling is a member of the Hayes street on November 20. The children are grown and the Mintlings have five grandchildren. Mr. Mintling, a carpenter, is a member of the Knights of Pythias. Mrs. Mintling is a member of the Moms and the YVW auxiliary. The Mintlings lived in Birmingham 25 years prior to moving to Jackson three years ago.**

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