

I do not believe that there can be such a thing as "bad weather". All weather is good for our earth. Even though at times it may not suit our pleasure, I'm always willing to subordinate my needs to the wealthier design of good Providence.

Local Area News Happenings Reviewed at Close of 1951

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nearly tripled that of the previous year. Work done here during the past year totaled 1,092 permits and costs of \$18,323,140 as compared to 595 permits in 1949 at a total cost of \$5,521,675.

Marilyn Begg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Begg, 1420 Villa, and William Wilkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Wilkinson, 1030 Glenhurst, will be valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively, of the last Baldwin high school class to be graduated in mid-year.

First classes started Monday morning in the new \$235,700 Turey school when 90 kindergarten and first grade students were transferred there from Adams school.

Birmingham, along with other municipalities in the southeastern Michigan area, is being promoted "as an industrial location for that new plant, with the added advantages of good living conditions," reports David L. Brown, division manager for Consumer Power Co.

the ad will appear in the News War. Budget for the year is \$100,000.

Issue of January 15

First of a series of public meetings on the proposed Master Land Use plan for Birmingham will be held Thursday, Jan. 25 at 3 p.m. at Adams school. Plan commission members will discuss various phases of the plan developed by Charles W. Barr, planning consultant of Michigan State college.

Eldens Auker, 315 Glenhurst, was elected president of Birmingham's Little League baseball organization Monday evening.

Oakland County Board of Supervisors this week tabled three petitions for incorporating sections of Southfield township. No action was taken, because the petitions hadn't been on file 30 days before the regular meeting.

Murray D. Van Wagener, 175 Abbey, former governor of Michigan, this week was named a recipient of the University of Michigan's G. Mennen Williams award.

scouts are starting to leave on this evening at Baldwin high school to become emergency service explorers. They will have two-hour classes each Thursday evening for the balance of the school year.

Issue of January 25

Federal rent controls were removed from Bloomfield Hills last week by Housing Expeditor Tighe E. Woods.

Melvin C. Hart, 55, former principal of Baldwin high school and current manager of the Pontiac office of the Michigan Unemployment Compensation commission, died at his home, 1208 Villa road, Saturday evening of a heart attack.

Famed stage, radio, screen and television star Basil Rathbone will speak at Cranbrook auditorium



BIRMINGHAM'S first fatality from the war in Korea was Cpl. Kenneth R. Block, 1332 Davis. Early in January his mother, Mrs. Gerald Eller, received word that he was killed in action Dec. 3, 1950.

George, who died Jan. 25 at his winter home in Delray Beach, Fla., were held Monday in Detroit.

With lanky forward and center Barry Wall sparking an aggressive offense in racking up 35 points for a new all-time single game scoring record, Birmingham coasted to an easy 72-42 victory in a league encounter with East Detroit here Friday.

The Rev. George D. Clark, assistant minister at Christ Church Cranbrook since September 1948,

has accepted a call to become rector of St. Paul's church in Newport, Ark.

City commission Monday evening approved the purchase of an \$8,957 diesel electric generating unit to be used for power for pumping water in the event of an interruption of electrical service.

"The motorist who double parks in the business district is in for some surprises if he continues that practice." With this statement, Police Chief Ralph W. Moxley an-

nounced the beginning of a sterner policy by local police against those who violate one of the basic rules of traffic safety—blocking traffic.

Issue of February 8

Salary increases approximating five per cent have been granted by the board of education to a Birmingham public school teacher and employees retroactive Jan. 1.

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THIS ARCHITECT'S drawing shows the Big Bear Market which opened in Birmingham Jan. 29. On Woodward avenue, near 14 Mile, it is one of the most modern and convenient food shopping centers in the area.

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Tuesday evening, Feb. 6 on the subject: "Magic of the Theatre." Wage and salary increases for city employees, ranging from 2 to 4 1/2% above their present pay, are being prepared by City Manager Donald C. Ebert for city commission approval.

Hill chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Birmingham has given its Good Citizenship award this year to Marilyn Hart, daughter of Mrs. Melvin Hart, 1208 Villa.

Gov. G. Mennen Williams has congratulated the people of Birmingham for their support of the recent blood-typing program here. A total of 8,475 persons were typed at a per capita cost of 89 cents. In a letter to Mayor Bruce G. Booth, the governor said: "The splendid response of the people of Birmingham and the efficient manner in which the program was carried out in your community should inspire residents of other Michigan cities to give their wholehearted support to this project."

Issue of February 1
Philip A. Hart, local attorney, Saturday was named price administrator for the state by Michael DiSalle, federal price administrator.

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and cost "excessive", the Birmingham city commission Monday night flatly rejected the city plan commission's proposed \$84,000 city off-street parking program.

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