

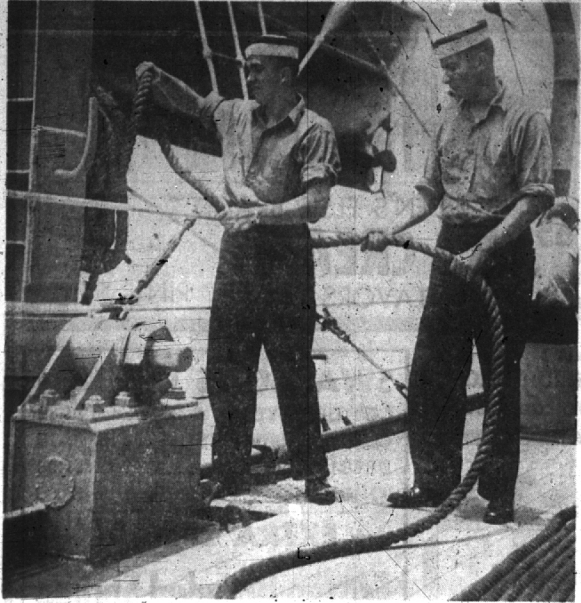
City Seeks Ban on Door-to-Door Peddling

Peddlers in Birmingham will be a thing of the past if city commissioners succeed in coming up with a valid ordinance prohibiting such activity.

No more students earning their way through college or little tots chasing ice cream wagons.

to remember that more of these ordinances have been declared in- valid than have been declared val- id. This is perhaps the first that has been upheld. It is a very re- strictive ordinance, too.

Haskell said the Louisiana ordi- nance prohibited anyone from en- tering on private property "with- out an invitation."



GETTING IN SOME practice with a heavy manila line is Midshipman Frederick W. Beck (right) and an unidentified buddy aboard the U.S.S. Macon. Beck, a student at the University of Michigan, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Beck, 264 Larchlea. He returned Friday from a summer cruise in the Caribbean along with 700 other Naval ROTC midshipmen. Leaving from Norfolk, the cruise visited Kingston, Jamaica, Santiago, Cuba, and the U. S. Navy operating base at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. (Official Photograph U. S. Navy)

That would be the effect of a new city ordinance the commission has asked City Attorney Forbes S. Haskell to work out.

Commissioner Dean G. Beier started the discussion on Monday night by mentioning a recent U. S. Supreme Court decision which upheld a Louisiana ordinance forbidding peddling from door-to-door.

"I have particularly in mind these ice cream trucks that cruise the streets with jangling bells," Beier observed.

Mayor Ritchie said he had given a copy of the ordinance and court decision to Chamber of Commerce Manager Charles Mortenson for comment.

"I DON'T believe the ordinance would prevent ice cream trucks from coming into town. It is de-

signed more to prevent people from coming on private premises," Mortenson said.

He added that he is preparing copies to give to the C of C board of directors and its business committee for their consideration.

City Clerk Irene Hanley mentioned that this Louisiana ordinance was now under consideration by the city of Detroit.

Beier said he'd like to see some sort of Birmingham ordinance prohibiting peddlers and restricting the use of city streets.

COMMISSIONER Frank Rising pointed out that only recently an "exceedingly pushy" young man forced his way into two homes in his neighborhood, "much to the concern of the two housewives."

But Commissioner Milton F. Mallender cautioned, "You've got



PERSONAL OBSERVATION always makes it easier to discuss matters coming up on their Monday evening's agenda, according to City Commissioners Lance Minor (left) and Mayor Chad Ritchie. Here they look over Maryland boulevard, between Lincoln and 14 Mile, in connection with the proposed paving of the street. Both Ritchie and Minor make it a point to take as much time as necessary on weekends to examine personally the subjects scheduled for commission discussion or action.

(Joe Wheeler Photo)

Board of Appeals Denies Petitions For Zone Changes

The Birmingham board of appeals Tuesday night referred the request of Leslie R. Schmier, treasurer of the Birmingham Hills apartments, incorporated here to the city commission for further study.

Schmier had asked that his firm be permitted to build an access drive to their proposed apartment building on Southfield between Norfolk and Northlawn, to be used as a drive and off-street parking facility.

George Green, chairman of the board of appeals, said Schmier would have to have permission of city officials and the Oakland county road commission before a definite answer could be given.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hartwell, 1575 Cole, who had asked to be allowed to house three families in one residence in an income-generating low district, withdrew their appeal.

Four others were denied by the board which voted to uphold existing zoning restrictions.

M. E. Snyder, Benicke and Lorenz and the Cleveland Building company were denied requests to build multiple-dwelling units which did not fully comply with the minimum floor space ordinance.

R. E. Weber, 287 Oakland, was denied his request to keep intact a new structure on the Park street side of his property.

Bloomfield Hills Board Refuses Zoning Change

Request of Edward R. Hagerman for special consideration of the Bloomfield Hills zoning ordinance was denied by the board of appeals Monday night.

Hagerman appealed to the zoning board to disregard the 75-foot setback requirement in connection with the construction of a new postoffice on Long Lake road.



Going down steps for the first time with aid of a Leader Dog is a momentous occasion for a man who has been blind all his life. Clarence Pauschold gets help from instructor Reuben Moore of the school training area of the Leader Dog League for the Blind. Blind students at the home of Leader Dogs in nearby Rochester also learn how to walk through revolving doors and gates, how to avoid overhead obstacles and make their way safely through traffic. Torch Drive dollars help make this education available to blind persons in the Detroit area. The Birmingham Lions club for many years always has contributed \$100 or more each year to this cause.



WATCH THE KITTY—For the benefit of those who haven't guessed, this feline photographer is a mascot for a Navy unit—a photographic unit, of course. "Hypo" and his outfit are attached to the Far East command.

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Kennesaw-Mohegan Curb Project to Begin At Once

Construction of the 2,000 additional feet of new curbing in the Kennesaw-Mohegan street resurfacing program has been approved and will be started at once.

Several residents of the area, previously notified of the project, appeared at Monday's commission meeting but voiced no objection. Questions directed at city officials sought only information. Resurfacing of the streets will be started after the curbs are replaced.

Woodward Resurfacing

Resurfacing of Woodward avenue between Brown and Landon got under way Monday morning. City Engineer L. R. Gare said the job should be completed the first of the week or earlier.

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