

Elect Officers For High School Social Clubs

By ANNE SWARTWOOD

Most Birmingham high school social clubs held meetings recently to name second semester officers. New officers for CTA are Mary Crittton, president; Jodie Sawyer, vice-president; Nancy Clinger,

treasurer; Sally McKay, recording secretary; and Joanna Harley, corresponding secretary. Emerald Key officers are Anne Swartwood, president; Ann Rutledge, vice-president; Marlene Latham, parliamentarian; Carol Burkholder, recording secretary; Nancy Atchley, corresponding secretary; Margaret Carter, treasurer and Elizabeth Carter, historian.

TIARA'S NEW OFFICERS are Bonnie Dayton, president; Shirley Lanning, vice-president; Judy Ritter, treasurer; Carolyn Bryant,

recording secretary; Sheila Traynor, corresponding secretary; Lynn Hannaum, parliamentarian; and Sue Jones, historian. Black and White has Stu Sheffield, president; Mary Josty, vice-president; Russ Sanders, treasurer; Sterling Withington, recording secretary; Doug Cobwell, corresponding secretary; Bob Appleford, historian; and Brant Craner, historian.

OFFICERS OF SAPPHIRE are Carol Marcus, president; Ruth Yeomans, vice-president; Maria Rising, treasurer; Nancy Knecht, recording secretary; Jannie Ross, corresponding secretary; Sidney McNary, parliamentarian; Sylvia Schuster, historian; and Arlyn Bader, sergeant of arms.

KST is headed by Ned Sharples, president; Bill Chapel, vice-president; Larry Coleman, treasurer; Dave Morgan, recording secretary; Bill Donaldson, corresponding

secretary; Dan Tricker, parliamentarian; Tom Lenane, sergeant at arms; and Don Jones, historian. New officers of DIFB are Parker Wolfe, president; Gary Osterback, vice-president; Bob John, treasurer; Henry Moore, recording secretary; Bruce Renfrew, corresponding secretary; and Bill Minor, historian.

Kivania Club Planning Public Relations Program

A discussion of the Kivania education program featured the weekly meeting held Tuesday at the Community House. A public relations program is scheduled for the January 29 meeting.

News copy submitted early necessarily is given preference over late items. So the "Early Bird" usually gets the space.

Dial Phone Service Now In Big Beaver

BIG BEAVER.—Some 400 civic and business leaders and local residents gathered here Friday as guests of the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. in the ceremony to usher in dial telephone service.

Walter B. Fausser, manager here for the company, was master of ceremonies for the new \$320,000 dial system for Big Beaver, which was officially opened at 10 p.m. with the first call being placed by Troy Township Supervisor Norman B. Barnard from the stage of the Troy Township high school.

Mrs. Barnard received the first call in her home. The new service, on which Michigan Bell began preparations some 12 months ago, now enables Big Beaver users to dial directly to each other as well as to Birmingham and Rochester numbers. Users in Birmingham and Rochester are also able to dial directly to numbers in Big Beaver, the exchange now known as "MULberry."

With the new system now serving more than 1,500 telephones, Hanslow declared, "Your new dial system will provide you with fast, efficient, and modern service—it will enable you to reach all of the more than 1,500 telephones with a few flicks of your finger on the dial of your new telephone."

THE ACTUAL CUTOVER was preceded by a highlight in the program called "Modern Miracles," a demonstration and explanation of the basic principles of radar and

JUST PRIOR to giving the signal for cutting the new system



CEREMONY STARTS BIG BEAVER DIAL SYSTEM
1st official call made by Troy Supervisor N. B. Barnard.



MRS. BARNARD RECEIVES CALL IN HER HOME
Cutover ceremony originated in Troy High school.

Board Discusses Recreation Use In New School

Plans for future recreation programs in the new Birmingham school, a review of the city's skating policies, and a discussion of the winter program were taken up by the city recreation board Thursday, Jan. 17.

Director Frank Whitney stated the board hopes to make full community use of the new high school. Tentative plans call for such activities as archery, badminton, basketball, gymnastics, and crafts, photography, dramatics, lectures, dog-training and other interest group activities.

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Whitney added that there is room for still more swimmers in this program. Saturday morning basketball clubs at the various schools are in full swing and intramural play will get underway this week. Future plans call for football, ice and field goal tournaments.

Construction of more baseball diamonds also was discussed. Board members hope to have diamonds at St. James, the new high school, Pierce field and Poplar park.

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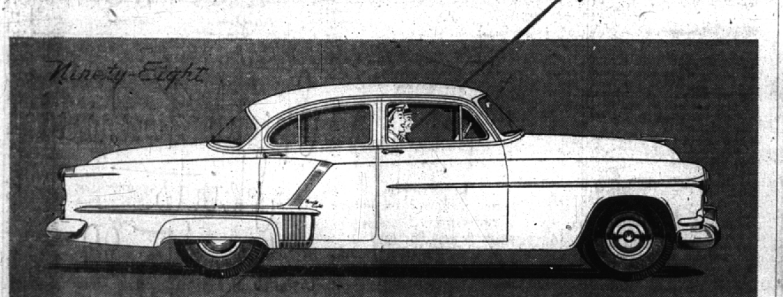
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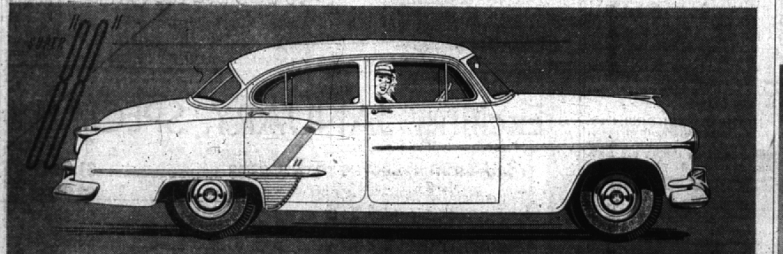
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that by authority of the Birmingham City Commission voting precincts for the City of Birmingham have been re-arranged effective January 8, 1952. Boundaries of the precincts, as re-arranged are defined as follows:

PRECINCT NO. 1—All that property bounded on the north by the city limits, on the west by the city limits, on the south by West Maple Avenue and on the east by the west branch of the Rouge River.

PRECINCT NO. 2—All that property bounded on the north by the city limits, on the west by the west branch of the Rouge River, on the south by West Maple Avenue and on the east by Hunter Boulevard and Woodward Avenue (U.S. 10 Highway).

PRECINCT NO. 3—All that property bounded on the north by the city limits, on the west by the city limits and Hunter Boulevard, on the south by East Maple Avenue, on the east by the G.T.W.R.R. and the east city limits.

PRECINCT NO. 4—All that property bounded on the north by West Maple Avenue, on the west by Southfield Road, on the south by Lincoln Avenue and on the east by Woodward Avenue.

PRECINCT NO. 5—All that property bounded on the north by East Maple Avenue between Woodward Avenue and Adams Road and by Villa Avenue between Adams and the east city limits, on the west by Woodward Avenue, on the south by the city limits and on the east by the city limits and Adams Road.

PRECINCT NO. 6—All that property bounded on the north by Lincoln Avenue, on the west by Southfield Road, on the south by the city limits and on the east by Woodward Avenue.

PRECINCT NO. 7—All that property bounded on the north by the city limits and West Maple Avenue between the G.T.W.R.R. and Adams Road, on the west by G.T.W.R.R. and Adams Road, on the south by Villa Avenue and the city limits, and on the east by the city limits.

PRECINCT NO. 8—All that property bounded on the north by West Maple Avenue, on the west by the city limits, on the south by the city limits, and on the east by Southfield Road.

Information concerning the locations of polling places will be announced at a later date.

IRENE E. HANLEY,
City Clerk.

January 9, 1952

FINAL CALLS HANDLED OVER MANUAL SYSTEM
Chief Operator Mrs. Doris Johnson supervises girls.