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Giants Undefeated In Little League

The Giants continued their winning ways during the past week to keep them on top of the Little League national division. Taking games from both the Braves and Cubs, the Giants ended the second week of the season's second half undefeated.

In the American division, the Indians suffered their first loss to the Tigers and share the lead with the Red Sox with two wins and one loss each.

In the National division the Pirates walloped the Cubs, 14-4 with Hogan the winning pitcher. Pete Hurley hurled the Giants to a 7-2 victory over the Braves and Yeoman won the second game for the Giants with an 8-5 win. The Braves won over the Pirates 6-4 with Harris gaining the win.

American division results saw the Indians squeak by the Yankees in a 4-3 score with the win going to Dixon. The Red Sox tripped the Tigers 12-2 behind the pitching of Bosch. The Tigers came back in the next game to trim the Indians 12-8 in seven innings with Inell the winning hurler and the Red Sox swamped the Yankees 17-5. Madona was the winning pitcher in this game.

STANDINGS		Won	Lost
American Div.			
Indiana		2	1
Red Sox		2	1
Tigers		1	2
Yankees		1	2
National Div.			
Giants		2	0
Braves		1	1
Pirates		1	2
Cubs		0	2

SCHEDULE

Thurs., July 31—Tigers vs. Red Sox, Torrey field.
Mon. Aug. 4—Indians vs. Tigers, Luthers field.
Tues. Aug. 5—Yankees vs. Red Sox, Luthers field.
Wed. Aug. 6—Tigers vs. Yankees, Torrey field.
National Div. (All games at Harmon field)
Thurs., July 31—Giants vs. Braves, Nippa field.
Mon. Aug. 4—Cubs vs. Giants, Nippa field.
Tues. Aug. 5—Pirates vs. Braves, Nippa field.
Wed. Aug. 6—Giants vs. Pirates, Nippa field.

Mrs. Quinn Leaves Sr. Activities Group



MRS. CLARENCE HEMSTREET MRS. J. ROWLAND QUINN JOHN ROBERTSON

Bid farewell to Sr. Activities group leader

When the Birmingham Community House closed last week for the summer vacation, it marked the end of Mrs. J. Rowland Quinn's leadership of the House-sponsored Senior Activities group. Mrs. Martin L. Butzel, a member of the board of directors, will take charge of the group when House affairs are resumed in the fall.

The Senior Activities group was founded four years ago to provide a social outlet and congenial companionship for the men and women of the community who are no longer devoting their full time to business or the care of growing families.

The popularity of the group increased steadily, drawing new members each year. Meeting on alternate Monday evenings, these men and women have enjoyed recreational facilities, hobbies, and conversation with others of their own background.

An outcropping of the Activities group is the Senior Workshop a hobby group co-sponsored by the House and the Birmingham branch of Junior League.

During her four years as director of the group, Mrs. Quinn has worked closely with the Community House and has always had the assistance of a board member in carrying out her programs.



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Auto Licence Plates Sales Increase Here

An increase of about 10% in auto license plate sales has been reported by Charles Mortensen, manager of the Birmingham branch, Michigan Secretary of State office.

"So far our figures show an increase of about 10%, as compared to last year's figures," Mortensen said.

"For June our figures last year showed 395 plates were sold, this June 523 plates were sold," he said. Mortensen stated that the increase was partially due to the steel strike which boosted new car sales.

MORTENSEN ALSO URGED that Birmingham residents purchase their licenses in Oakland county if possible. He explained that a very large percentage of license fees are returned to the county for road improvement and construction.

Many residents who work in Detroit purchase their plates there and the refund then goes to Wayne county instead of Oakland.

There were some state plans for having small metal tags instead of the usual plates, but the state decided against it and the 1953 plates are being manufactured at Jackson Prison now, said Mortensen.

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

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION AND SUBMISSION OF CHARTER AMENDMENT PROPOSITION

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF BIRMINGHAM, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, AND STATE OF MICHIGAN:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a special election will be held in the City of Birmingham County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1952, from 7:00 o'clock in the forenoon until 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of voting upon the question of the amendment of Section 1 of Chapter XII of the charter of said city so that said section will read as follows:

**CHAPTER XII
SEWERS AND DRAINS**

Section 1. The commission may establish, construct and maintain a sewerage system, sewage disposal system, sewers and drains whenever and wherever necessary. Such systems, sewers and drains may be constructed either within or without the city or partly within and partly without the city. The commission upon a three-fifths vote of the members elect shall have power to contract from time to time with any city, county, metropolitan district or other political subdivision, or any agency of the foregoing, for the disposal of sanitary and/or storm water sewage from the city, for a period not to exceed forty years; provided that before authorizing the execution of any such contract, the commission shall cause a copy of the same to be deposited with the city clerk and a notice of such deposit to be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the city at least once not less than ten days prior to such authorization. The contract as so deposited may be amended before execution without further notice. No such contract after it has become effective shall be declared invalid for want of proper notice. The amounts to be paid from time to time by the city under any such contract shall not constitute an indebtedness of the city within the meaning of any charter debt limitation. The commission shall impose rates, charges and/or assessments upon the users and beneficiaries of sewerage disposal services and facilities sufficient to promptly meet the obligations under such contract but in event the receipts therefrom are not sufficient to pay all sums when due under the contract, then the city shall be responsible for any deficit. Such rates, charges and/or assessments shall be made and the payment thereof enforced, by any method permissible by law. The provisions of this section shall not be limited by those of any other section or sections of the charter.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that said Section 1 now reads as follows:

Section 1. The commission may establish, construct and maintain a sewerage system, sewage disposal system, sewers and drains whenever and wherever necessary. Such systems, sewers and drains may be constructed either within or without the city or partly within and partly without the city. The commission may contract with any other governmental unit or units for sewerage and drainage facilities, provided that the same is approved by two-thirds of the electors voting thereon at a general or special election.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the polling places for said special election will be the same as those for the General Primary Election to be held on the same day.

IRENE E. HANLEY
City Clerk

Dated July 17, 1952

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