



Play It Safe!

Smoking in bed, taking a last puff on a cigarette, pipe or cigar, just before going to sleep, is one of the worst and most dangerous practices that can be followed in the home. The smoker not only endangers his own life, but those of his family and other occupants of the building in which he resides.

If a person is smoking and partially asleep or subconscious, the ashes and fire that falls from his smoke is of little concern to him. These ashes, landing on the mattress or sheets, may smolder or burn for an hour or more before the heat will awaken a person in bed.

USUALLY, BY this time the bedroom is so full of smoke and noxious gases that the sleeping person is partially suffocated and cannot be awakened. As a result the fire is not detected until it has spread to other parts of the building.

During past years Birmingham has had several deaths from burns received in this manner. This type of fire can only be stopped by individuals discontinuing the practice of taking a last puff on a cigarette or cigar while in bed.

It is the individual's responsibility to stop fires from this source and not that of the family as a whole or the owner of the building.

EACH YEAR more cigarettes and cigars are being manufactured.

Bloomfield Lanes To Open Saturday, Celebrate Tuesday

Bloomfield Lanes, formerly the Hillwood Recreation, at Woodward and East Long Lake road, will open for business Saturday.

Plans have been completed for the grand opening of the completely reconstructed bowling alley on Tuesday evening, Aug. 18, at 7:30 p.m.

Eight national bowling stars will be on hand to celebrate the opening and compete in a mixed doubles match. Among the contestants will be Marion Ledwig of Grand Rapids, world's champion woman bowler for the past four years.

Other bowlers will be Lou Sielaff, Therman Gibson, Ed Lubanski, Val Mikkel, Doris Knechtges, Elvira Toivola and Earl Kindra.

Admittance to the match is free. Joe Paulus, owner of the Lanes and 521 Thiel, manager and all-star bowler, have spent the past two months redecorating the entire building, reconditioning the alleys, and finishing the landscaping and newly-surfaced parking lot.

Robert E. Lajoie, 476 Fairfax, will operate the restaurant.

Paulus is planning to start a teenage club league on Saturday at the alley, with boys and girls between the ages of 10-14 competing on Saturday afternoons and those 15-17 bowling on Sunday afternoons.

The American public is smoking more and there are more new smokers. The result is more fires per capita from this source and more loss of life.

Play it Safe! Discontinue this dangerous practice. That last puff on a cigarette in bed could be the kiss of death for you or members of your family.

Birmingham Fire Department



TOURIST TIPS

The Michigan Tourist Council publishes a number of little known booklets of tremendous value to tourists, campers, hunters and fishermen. Unless you specifically ask them for information about a subject covered by one of these booklets you'll probably never hear of it.

As an example, if you were at all interested in canoeing some of our streams or rivers and the Tourist Council heard about it you might be the lucky recipient of a book called "Canoe Trails in Michigan." There is no charge for it, and it is packed with detailed information adequate enough to make it a complete guide book on the subject.

Includes Map

A map about a yard square, with the rivers printed in contrasting blue, is included—and there are 44 different "canoe trails" fully described. The material is presented in a painstakingly authentic. It begins with a description of different types of canoes, the purpose to which each type is best suited. Then comes an itemized list of articles you should take along on the trip. Pointers for the novice that might save your life are clearly preferred.

Trips for All
Let's assume you've had some ex-

perience in a canoe in fast water and feel fairly capable in this type of craft. You might like the Presque Isle River in the Upper Peninsula's "Googie" country. "Canoe Trails in Michigan" describes it as follows: "This is a river ONLY for experts. It is a wild river—a fast river—one that flows thru rugged country—but it is a magnificent river! There is no livery service. You take your own. You can put in just east of Marquette on U.S. 2. The trip is about 100 miles and will take from 5 to 7 days." Other details follow relative to fishing, camping, portages, etc.

On the easier side how about the White River in Oceana and Muskegon counties? This is a 60 mile run you should make in 2 days. Ed Henning at Newaygo will outfit you with the canoe, and supplies if you wish. The best place to put in is just south of Hesperia, and the whole trip is thru practically uninhabited country. You'll feel just like an Indian!

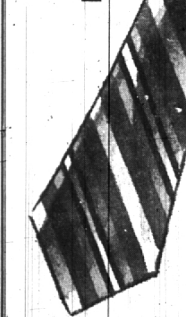
Camping places are easy to find along the bank and you'll be sorry when the trip ends at White Lake on U.S. 31.

These are only samples. "Canoe Trails in Michigan" lists 44 such trips, each in a different Michigan River. If you like to canoe get this book. It's a worthy guide to an important part of Michigan Outdoors!

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Ford Tractor Div. Appointments

Additional appointments for the newly established Ford Tractor Division, Ford Motor Co. (formerly Dearborn Motors) announced this week by Thomas A. Farrell, vice-president and general manager, including a number of men from the Birmingham area.

Mr. Michaels, 7245 Parkhurst Drive, is assistant divisional controller and chief accountant. Assistant controller of the former Dearborn Motors, he joined that organization in 1947.

Responsibility of Mr. Carter, 441 Glenhurst Drive; he had served Dearborn Motors in the same capacity since 1951.

W. H. Binns, 414 Linden, continues in his capacity as manager of the advertising department, a position he has held since 1947.

Announce Plans To Open New Nursery School

Directors and staff members have been named for the Westma Nursery school which will open for pre-school children on Wednesday, Sept. 9.

The board of directors includes Craig Miller, 1956 Pembroke; J. P. Luid, 1952 Glemgray; Mrs. Robert Evert, Lincoln drive and Richard Oberschulte, Franklin.

Teachers for the coming term are Mrs. Theodore Wuggazer, Mrs. Robert Whaley, Mrs. LeRoy Kroger and Mrs. W. C. Saunders.

The school will be conducted in the youth building at the Redeemer Lutheran church from 9 a.m. to noon, during the regular school terms.

Elizabeth Knudson park at the rear of the church is also available for the school.

The Westma Nursery holds membership in the Michigan Council of Cooperative Nursery groups, and after schedules are fully underway, will operate on the cooperative basis with mothers and volunteer workers assisting the staff. Transportation is available for children where desired.

Cutting Torch Ignites Roof; Damages Minor

A potentially serious fire was brought under control with only minor damages Aug. 5 at 1609 S. Woodward.

Fire Chief Vern Griffith said the blaze was started when sparks from a cutting torch ignited insulation under the roof of the Associated Designers building during an expansion job.

Griffith said the blaze was held to an area of about 25 feet of the roof although "at the first it looked bad."

Half & Half Trees Not City Problem

Trees that lie halfway on city property and halfway on private property within the Quanton Lake Estates subdivision and whose roots upheave and break sidewalk are still the problem of residents who own the property, city commissioners agreed Monday night.

A petition signed by 27 residents on Safford seeking to have the city pay for these damaged walks was denied by commissioners who added that the city's policy in sharing a portion of the sidewalk repair costs was a generous one and could not be further extended.

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Selected As Counselor

Joseph Gryson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Gryson, 5527 Crabtree, Bloomfield township, has been selected as one of the 105 upperclass student counselors for the 29th annual freshman camps at Cornell University, September 15-18.

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Dance Request Okayed
The request of the Birmingham Rotary club to hold a benefit dance in the parking lot at the rear of the Briggs building, E. Maple, has been granted by Birmingham city commissioners. The dance will be held Sept. 11, proceeds to go entirely for the benefit of the Oakland County Crippled Children's association.

Library to Get \$1,500 To Make Improvements
An appropriation of \$1,500 has been approved by Birmingham city commissioners for needed improvements at Baldwin library.

In suggesting this move to commissioners, City Manager Donald C. Egbert pointed out that back taxes for the past two or three years amount to \$1,287.25. This money will be channeled into the account from which the library advance was made.

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