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**To Start Career In Scandinavia**

By JILL ROBERTS

Mrs. C. Thoburn Maxwell of Wing Lake embarked on the first leg of a career in journalism when she sailed Wednesday on the Queen Elizabeth, bound for Europe. Mrs. Maxwell's destination is the Swedish capital of Stockholm where she will undertake her foreign assignment: international publicist for the fourth international conference on Planned Parenthood which will be in session August 17-22.

AT THE CLOSE of the Stockholm conference Mrs. Maxwell plans to travel extensively through Denmark, Germany, Spain and France before embarking for Beirut, Lebanon.

**Cancels August Meeting**

Birmingham's recreation board has cancelled its August meeting, due to members being away from the city on vacations. The next scheduled meeting is for Tuesday, Sept. 1.

**Talent Heads West to Franklin**

A galaxy of rodeo and radio talent will be on hand to headline Franklin's second annual barbecue and Roundup coming up on Saturday, August 15.

At 1:30 p.m., a parade will officially open the festivities. "Pal" the trick horse and his master, Bud Leach, will prance down the main street along with mounted law and order men from the Oak Shores County Sheriff's office. Parade marshal Jack Roberts says that there also will be cowboys and cowgirls, Franklin's fire-fighting outfit, and a covered wagon.

Horsemanship contests for western saddles on the Village Green will follow the parade. No charge will be made for entering, and judges will award prizes and ribbons.

Bud Leach and "Pal" will be present at an act which they have done on the rodeo circuit at 2:30 p.m.



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Mrs. Maxwell, who for the past two years has been doing graduate work in the department of Journalism at the University of Michigan, will spend the winter continuing her studies and serving in a public relations capacity on the staff at the American University of Beirut.

Other tentative plans include spending the Christmas holidays in Jerusalem and possibly Easter in Greece.

PRIOR TO HER August 5 sailing date Mrs. Maxwell was feted at a round of farewell and Voyage parties, including a luncheon last week given by Mrs. S. James Duncan, and a tea Friday with Mrs. Angus D. Mclay the hostess.

Others who entertained in honor of the departing journalist were Mrs. Russell Barnes, Mrs. Charles Shain, Mrs. James Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Rosenberger, Mrs. Edgerton Cousins, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Garrison and Mrs. Williams Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Le Gros.

**Seek Ordinance To Help Combat Elm Tree Disease**

City Forester William Lebold said state laboratory reports show eight trees within the city limits are victims of Dutch elm disease. Most, he added, are on private property.

Lebold's report, which grew out of a recent city-wide survey brought before Birmingham city commissioners the advisability of an ordinance permitting the city to enter on private property to remove infected trees.

City Manager Donald C. Egbert said he did not like the idea, but felt it was the only way in which this killing disease could be most effectively controlled.

Lebold pointed out that once a tree had been infected, it was lost.

"WE CANNOT cure an infected tree," he said, "but should it be left standing, it can destroy others for a considerable distance around it. Removal of the tree and its complete destruction after being cut-down is the only protection."

The proposed ordinance, Egbert said, would be used only when state laboratory tests had proved the infection.

"Trees would be removed by the city at the owners' expense," he said. "Owners, however, need have no fear that they will be subjected to undue expense. The trees will not be touched until we are positive they are infected."

**No-Death Record For 1953 Traffic Broken In July**

Recording its first 1953 fatality, the traffic picture in Birmingham looked exceptionally dark for July. Mrs. Guy Vetter died July 28 resulting from injuries received in a two-car crash at Merrill and Bates a week earlier.

The monthly record of Police Chief Ralph W. Moxley showed a total of 26 accidents, with 23 traffic fatalities indicated. Property damages were estimated at \$5,028.

Six of the mishaps were personal injury accidents, with eight persons being hurt.

VIOLATIONS were following too closely, often because of excessive speed, eight; improper turns, six; disregard stop signs and signals, four; car not under control, three; driving under the influence of liquor, defective brakes and improper passing one each.

"Following too closely and its implication of driving too fast accounted for about a third of this month's accidents," Moxley said. "It is obvious that drivers should allow ample space between their car and the one ahead, especially on wet streets, to avoid this type of mishap."

The new truck will be used for rubbish disposal and will replace an open body truck now in use.

City Manager Donald C. Egbert recommended the purchase of the large truck to facilitate carrying larger loads to the disposal site.

The city at present has two nine cubic yard load parkers in operation and city officials plan that these two trucks also will be exchanged in the future for the larger size.

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**Approve Roll**

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland

In the Matter of the Estate of DEAN W. GILBERT, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1953.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

It is Ordered, that the 25th day of August, A. D. 1953 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, in said Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, be and the same shall be the time and place for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice of the time and place for hearing of a copy of this order, once each week, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that notice be given to the heirs-at-law named in the petition for administration filed in this cause, and to creditors whose claims have been allowed but not fully paid, by personal service of a copy of this order, by leaving the same by registered mail with return receipts demanded, addressed to their respective last known addresses as shown by the files and records in this estate.

ARTHUR E. MOORE, Judge of Probate. 21, 22, 23

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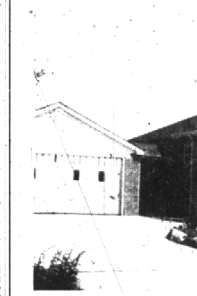
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