

American Legion Election Are you thinking of buying a new home? Then read the "Dear Dad" column on the Classified Ad page of this week's Eccentric.

Members of Charles Edwards Post, American Legion, will hold a special meeting on June 15 to elect officers for the coming year.

Awards Granted At Band Banquet

At the band banquet in the Maple room at the high school Arnold W. Berndt, director, presented band members with awards for good service.

Receiving certificates were: Preston Britner, Tom Fetzer, Tucker Frank, Tom Halsted, Ledd Kiefer, Richard Kyker, Neannette Mettre, Robert Perkins, Lynn Reed, Cliff Waeschle, Mike Weston, Jerry Williams, Cliff Zinda, Luanne Lewis, Mary Jo Altgier, Alan Worshy, Howard Didier.

Receiving bronze one-year pins were: Jim McMahon, John Fall, John Kelley, Joe Kroeger, Stan Thompson, Dick Silbar, Nan De Buigne, Marilyn Chrysler.

Silver two-year awards went to: Fred Barber, Lella Barber, Pat Booze, John Bolton, Joan Gasaway, John Kraft, Robert Mance, Tom Masters, Jerry Mills, Ed Nordstrom, Robert Owen, Ann Parnie, Dorothy Schwimmer.

GOLD THREE-YEAR PINS were earned by: Ronald Barber, Ralph Crawford, Phil Fowler, Russell Garlitz, Pat Hubbard, Robert Jackson, Kirk Lewis and Mickey Husted.

Hermits awarded medals from the state festival.

Pat Booze and John Kraft, clarinet duet; Ed Nordstrom, Jerry Mills and Russell Gazitz, the cornet trio; Joan Gasaway, Ann Parnie, and John Boutton, woodwind trio; Tom Masters, Kirk Lewis, Fred Barber and Robert Owen, brass quartet; Tucker Frank, cornet solo; and Joan Gasaway, oboe solo.

Booth Elected Track Captain

Mac Booth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Booth, 845 Fairfax, has been named captain of the Cornell University track team. A junior at the school, Booth will compete with members of other Ivy league schools against Cambridge and Oxford in a track and field meet in Philadelphia, June 13.

A 1950 graduate of Baldwin High school, Booth received the Johnson Memorial award for his outstanding athletic ability and scholarship standing while in high school.

You will find many bargains in The Eccentric Classified Columns.



CADET DAVE FOUSER (left), 5737 Adams, and Cadet Stewart Peck (right), 1135 Maryland, help prepare the next issue of AFRONEWS, the official newspaper of the Air Force Reserve Officers' Training Corps at Michigan State College. Fouser is the photographer and Peck a reporter. With them is Captain William Baldwin, USAF, faculty advisor of the paper.

BIRMINGHAM VETERANNEWS

Compiled from Various State and National Veterans Information Centers

"To the Home-Buying Veterans," a 32 page guide for veterans planning to buy or build homes with GI loans, is now available at all Veterans Administration offices.

VA said the pamphlet is designed to help World War II and post-Korea veterans get started on the right foot under the GI home loan program.

The pamphlet discusses what a veteran should look for in selecting the neighborhood, the lot and the home itself.

IT ALSO COVERS the cost of home ownership, the contract of purchase, final settlement or closing the loan, and what to expect before and after moving into a new home.

The responsibilities of the veteran home owner and what the VA can and cannot do to assist the veteran are also discussed.

A copy of the pamphlet will be sent to each veteran applying for a certificate of eligibility for a GI loan. Veterans also may obtain a copy by writing the nearest VA regional office. There is no charge for the pamphlet.

Building Permits Issued LAST WEEK

TOTAL VALUATION	30	\$305,540
Number	Valuation	
Single family	20	258,000
Private garages	3	2,145
Alterations		
Single family	7	5,175

City Building Inspector Issued 75 Permits in May

Birmingham's building inspection office issued a total of 75 permits during the month of May, representing a total of \$224,345 in construction costs. Permits were for 51 new buildings and 21 alterations.

The 17 new single family residences amounted to \$128,000, nearly a third of the total. There were 35 permits for private garages, amounting to \$28,115; one new business enterprise, two living units included, \$30,000.

Alterations included 17 single family homes at \$15,600; one private garage, \$150; one business, \$1,500; one school, \$300,000 and one church, St. James Episcopal, \$130,000. One wrecking was issued for the church alterations, also.

1st Morgan Horse Show Names 2 Area Winners

Local Morgan horses were among the prize winners of the first annual all Morgan show held recently at Clarkston.

Lady Patricia, owned and shown by Robert H. Dudley II, of Charing Cross road, and Joend Colonel, owned and shown by Paul G. Heik of Quarten road, earned four ribbons for their owners.

Buckeye's Mint Ann, owned and shown by James Garlick of Quarten road was also entered in the show which was judged by William McPhee of Detroit.

NEED SOMETHING FOR YOUR HOUSE? Then locate it by reading or using the Classified Ads in The Eccentric each week.



ROY J. HARL of 371 N. Woodward, has been promoted to the post of central regional manager for the F. W. Dodge Corp., division of Sweeney's Catalog Service. It was announced this week. Harl, who has been with the company for 27 years, will continue to maintain his office in Detroit but will be in charge of the Buffalo, Cincinnati and Detroit offices, as well as a member of the firm's sales policy committee.

Settle For Fourth Place In League Track Contest

By BRUCE RENFREW

Birmingham placed fourth in the Eastern Michigan league track meet behind Mt. Clemens, East Detroit, and Ferndale.

Mishaps and disappointments plagued the Marbles and very few men fulfilled their expectations. Maples Ed Hubbard ran a 2:09 1/2 half mile for a second place for his best time of the year. Jim Berger was out in front in the high hurdles for a record but had to settle for a second with a 1:58 because he hit a hurdle.

The 880 yd. relay team of Bill Minor, John Monaghan, Jerry Harwood, and Bill Dove ran their best race in 1:34 for a third place. Mickey Flunsted broke the old high jump record clearing 5 ft. 11 1/2 ins. but took a second behind

Don Kramer, East Detroit, with 6 ft. 1/2 in.

THE REST of the team just did not seem to have it. A pulled muscle slowed Ken Fowler down to a second behind Don Roll, East Detroit, who cleared 11 ft. in the pole vault. Beckelman took second, and Hank Curtis third in the shotput.

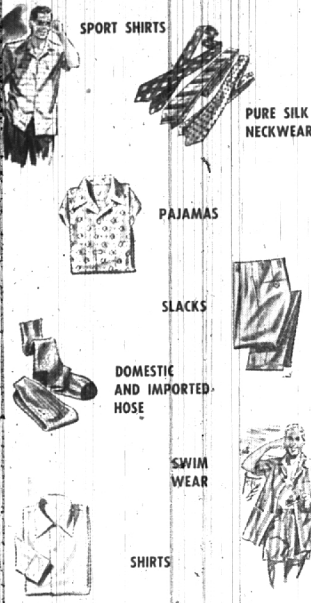
Don Kramer was the meet's outstanding performer. He took three firsts and would have had four if he had not fallen in the low hurdles. He set a high jump record of 6 ft. 1/2 in., won the shotput at 49 ft. 9 3/4 ins., and tied the high hurdle record at 15.7.

Hazel Park's state champion half miler Ernest Bennetts set a new record at 2:01.1 in the half. Al Russell, Ft. Huron, set a record of 5:20 in the 440.

Bill Clemens won the middle relay in the record time of 2:39.3 and the 880 yard relay in 1:34.0.

Behind Mt. Clemens with 20 1/2 points were East Detroit 37, Ferndale 36, Birmingham 23 1/2, Hazel Park 18, and Ft. Huron 17.

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