

No Assessment Now For Two Churches
 Pieces of two church properties on W. Maple have been rezoned upward from business A to single residence.
 This will permit the churches to escape special assessment when the street is widened in 1955. Commissioners have determined that business-zoned areas will pay an assessment, but residential property will not.
 One rezoning was the front yard of the Redeemer Lutheran Church, the other was three lots at the east of Larches on the site of the new Presbyterian church now under construction.

Branch Bank Gets Parking District
 Rezoning of two lots, tentative vacation of an alley, and approval for an exchange of property has cleared the way for the construction of a new modern, drive-in branch of the Birmingham National Bank and a new service station on S. Woodward, both between Bird and 14 Mile roads.
 To provide off-street parking facilities, the city commission rezoned a lot on Bird street at the rear of the branch bank's proposed site from a single residence classification to a parking district, the city's first such zone under a recent zoning ordinance amendment.
 News copy submitted early is necessarily given preference, so the "early bird" usually gets the space.



PARK HERE—Coming down for a landing is the Marine's "Mighty Mile" dangling on a line suspended from a Marine helicopter at Quantico, Va. Credited with being able to do everything but fly, the motor vehicle is 1000 pounds lighter than a jeep.

Discusses Franklin's Incorporation Plan

By ANGELA DADSON
 FRANKLIN—Ross Campbell, attorney and former businessman, spoke at the Southfield Township Republican Women's club meeting in the Birmingham Community House last Thursday.

Discussing the proposed incorporation of Franklin as a village, Campbell said the primary question was whether Franklinites preferred being part of a large governmental unit or might prefer their circumstances with a small local government.

Professing inability to provide a perfect solution, Campbell said his personal preference was first, for a continuation of township government or, as second choice should it appear that Franklin might become a part of the proposed City of Southfield, to incorporate to preserve Franklin's village character under a simpler, local government.

HE EXPRESSED the opinion that Franklin, at the extreme northern end of the township, is even now a reasonably self-contained unit, has good roads and care, an efficient volunteer fire department, adequate lot sizes for the continuation of private wells

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To Remove Bushes Growing in Street
 No one seems to know how they originally got there, but city commissioners have approved the removal of a row of high bushes in the middle of Bonnie Brier drive.
 The city holds the shrubs are a traffic hazard, although some neighbors have protested the necessity of removing the bushes.

New Books at the Baldwin Library

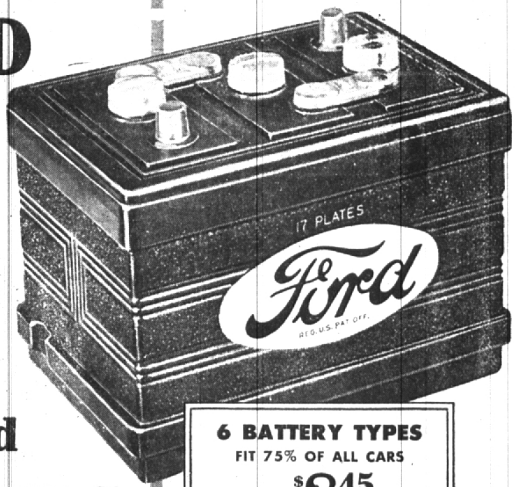
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TRAVEL—HISTORY—BIOLOGY
 PHOENIX—Frobnitz and Politics of Italy
 HULL—Wills Harland Carrier
 NEVINS—Study in Power
 BENTLEY—SMITH—General Line of Business
 SEIFELT—Church in Community Building
 JOSEPHSON—The President Makes

LEGAL NOTICES
 SYNOPSIS OF THE MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE SOUTHFIELD TOWNSHIP BOARD HELD ON SEPTEMBER 20, 1953.
 Present: Ross Campbell, Chairman, Swen, Bradbury, Adams.
 Approved minutes of previous meeting.
 Authorized adjustment of McChesney water bill.
 Approved Plan of Dorchester Hills Nat. Park.
 Referred request for change of zoning for study.
 Final hearing on Ordinance.
 Declared intention of Amending Building Code Ordinance No. 117 of 1952.
 Accepted Treasurer's Report on Special Assessment District No. 11.
 Authorized Supervisor to sign post soil agreement.
 Declared intention of consideration of Plum Hollow Golf Club rubbish fill.
 Granted permission to Lathrop Charter Commission for use of voting machine in the election.
 Approved additional meetings of Board of Appeals.
 Tabled request for rezoning of part of Section 20 and 21.
 Amended Zoning Ordinance No. 114 to rezone W 10 acres of NE 1/4, Section 27, to R-3 Zone.
 Doped recommendation of Zoning Board to rezone all of Lot 6, Fruit Ridge Farms and Lot 149, Bedford Villas, to Residence 2 Zone.
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