TTS A LONESOME OLD TOWN when you can't get around—and Buddy Guilmet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chet Guilmet of Riverside drive, knows it. Buddy, who is 12 years old and will be a seventh grader at Barnum junior high this fall, played on the Steelers Little League baseball team and was chosen for the all-star team, but ran into disaster before he could participate. He was attending the air show with his did on August 1 and was sitting on the fender of an automobile when some jets took off. In scrambling for a better line of vision he slipped and his leg caught between the fender and bumper of the car, twisting his leg in such a manner it broke just below the knee. Now Buddy is at home and on the mend, but he is welcoming all his friends when they come to keep him company.

WITH THE summer vacation plans of members cut-ting into club activities, the Birmingham Kiwanis club has temporarily "discontinued publication" of the Ki-wanis Kwill. Instead, members have delivered to them the "Kiwanis Kwill, Jr.", a government postcard which briefly announces the summer-cutailed program.

RECENTLY A HOUSEHOLDER who lives close to the pew Wilson Cadillac-Pontiac dealership established on N. Woodward heard a siren-like noise seeming to come from the garage portion of the building, in the middle of the night. He finally contacted Ed Wilson, one of the owners, who sent an employee to investigate. "Instead of some dars' electrical system being short-circuited, thus causing a horn to allow the work of the work of the contact of the work somewhat like a sir to this Wanderer.

AFTER ATTENDING the dedication of the Southfield Park Youth Shelter Sunday afternoon, this Wanderer is impressed with the excellence of one township policeman in handling traffic. There were many cars at the affair, and one man to direct parking. Plodding around in a pouring rain, the lone officer handled everything smoothly and courteously. As the crowd broke up, the same biffeer was at the Beverly-Southfield intersection handling traffic. Let's tip our hats to Chief Philip LaVigne, a man doing a good job.

THE THRILL OF A LIFETIME came to Alice Wessels THE THRILL OF A LIFETIME came to Alice Wessels Burlingame this week when an article written by her appeared in "Hospitals", official organ of the American Hospital association. Mrs. Burlingame, who writes "Down to Earth", a weekly column for The Eccentric, based the AHA story on her experience in promoting horticultural therapy in area hospitals and institutions. The article, "Therapy as Near as Your Garden", was written at AHA's request, Mrs. Burlingame said.

BIRMINGHAM'S NEW ambulance service located at 1351 S. Woodward answered its first call last Wednesday to the Detroit Zoo at 10 Mile and Ridge road, to pick up a boy.— Norman Baker, 2110 Eighth, Detroit—who suffered an ap-pendicitus attack. He was taken to Mt. Carme hospital.

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A DETROIT DRIVER was picked up on a drunk driving count Friday night by Birmingham polide for going down the wrong side of Hunter-boulevard. When apprehended, he questioned the arresting officer: "What's wrong—I'm not speeding?"

AS OUR GOOD DEED for the week, we'd like to passalong the recent change in the pledge of allegiance to the flag. The new form is. "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands. One nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all." With so many Birmingham clubs getting back into the swing of things next month, members perhaps will want a bit of rehearsal time on this new wording.

PLAY IT SAFE

You Threaten Lives If You Smoke in Bed

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

If a person is smoking while partially asleep, the ashes and fire that fall is of little concern to him. If these lie on the cotton mattrees or sheets they may smolder for an hour or more before the heat or fire will awaken a person in bed.

USUALIY, by this time, the bedroom is so full of smoke and noxious gases that the sleeper is partially suffocated and will not awaken. As a result, the fire is not noticed until unlich later by some other member of the

umuch later by some other member of the household or building.

In past years, in the City of Birmingham, several deaths have resulted from burns received in this manner. This type of fire can only be stopped by discontinuing the practice of taking a last puff on a cigaratter or cigar after retiring. It is the individual's responsibility to stop these fires from this source, not that of the family as a whole or the owner of the building.

EACH YEAR MORE cigarettes and cigars are being manufactured. The American public is smoking more and there are more new smokers. As a result there are more fires per capita from this source and more loss of life.

Play It Safe! Discontinue this dangerous practice, for that last puff on a cigarette in bed, while partially asleep, could be the kiss of death for you or members of your family.

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BIRMINGHAM FIRE DEPT

New K of C Council 66 Bldg. Permits

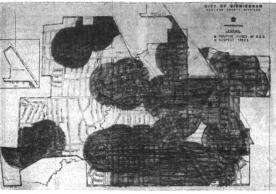
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Holly Name Catholic parish is building the new church. The Sunday, a 4 p. John Pisher, district deputy, deputy, and the special council were installed.

A United States flag and standard was presented to the new council and the program of the program of the state of the state



A CLOSE LOOK at this City of Birmingham map, prepared by City Forester William Lebold, shows the huge areas already endangered by Dutch elm disease, and the threat which exists to trees in the western part of the city. Shaded areas spot the "infection danger area" created by the 70 positive cases, each tree holding a potential threat to all others within a quarter-mile radius.

Committee Chm.

WELCOME WAGON

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CLYDE P. CRAINE, 952 Brookwood, has been promoted to associate professor in the English department of the University of Detroit, accord-

ing to an announcement by the Rev. Hugh F. Smith, U of D

Seeks Reply

Rev. Hugh F. Smith, U of D vice president.

60 Days Probation

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Selling your home? Advertise it in the "For Sale—Houses" calculation by Brimingham Justice John J. Gafill Wednesday House and the state of the

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City Clerk's Help Is Appreciated

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city attorney and city manager for study.

To State Hospital

August 12, 1954 THE BIRMINGHAM ECCENT

Softball League
Battles Tonight
On Two Diamonds

The YMCA softball league cane
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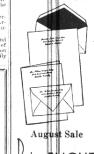
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