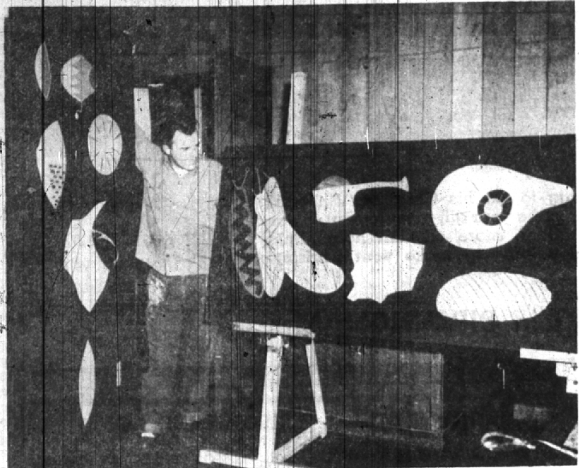


BIRMINGHAM BUSINESS BRIEFS



KINGSWOOD ART DECORATES the new Alban's food specialty and beverage store at 1830 N. Hunter. Here Jim Bryan, art instructor at Kingswood school, displays two of the 7 1/2 foot long sections of mural he has finished for the modern new building. In all, the mural is 46 feet long. Business owner Tom G. Alban stated that although the new store opened Friday, Dec. 10, the old store at 362 E. Maple will remain open for the balance of the month. The new store will continue its catering service and line of imported gifts in 3200 square feet of floor space. (Eccentric Photo)



THE PRESCRIPTION CENTER, the second pharmacy operated by Mark Beers, Birmingham druggist, has opened in the new Reid Building on the east side of North Woodward between Oak and Harmon. The store, at 624 N. Woodward, carries a complete drug stock and prescription services in the new clinic and office building. Complete from the traditional apothecary jars in the window complementing the modern birch interior, the store will be open from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday. In the picture is Manager Ray Jensen. (Eccentric Photo)

Gallery Opens Its Teen-age Section

To stimulate youthful interest in art, Mrs. Peggy DeSalle has opened her teen-age gallery downstairs at the Little Gallery on Maple. A bare-branch Christmas tree holds jewelry and small objects of art, and that and other displays are tended by a teen-age saleswoman, Judy Roland.

Furniture Store

The John J. Brady furniture store opened a branch store at 4062 W. Maple, Bloomfield township, on Thursday, Dec. 9. The new shop

will feature the lustrous, hand-rubbed Pine furniture of Pine Shops of Big Rapids, Mich., as well as upholstered furniture by Schoonbeck Company of Grand Rapids. Accent pieces will also be a feature.

Joins Ad Agency

Mary Spaulding has joined the copy staff of MacManus, John & Adams, Inc., Bloomfield Hills advertising agency. Miss Spaulding, who formerly was with the James Thomas Chirug Company in Boston, and has had considerable agency as well as department and chain store experience as a copy-writer, will devote her time to the Dow Chemical account.

Parking Strip Is Turned Down

Creation of a parking strip west of an alley at the northwest corner of Southfield and 14 Mile has been turned down. Residents immediately to the west of the proposed commercial project objected to the proposal, claiming it would violate subdivision restrictions. City commissioners and plan board members favored the parking district idea, feeling it would be a desirable auxiliary commercial use.

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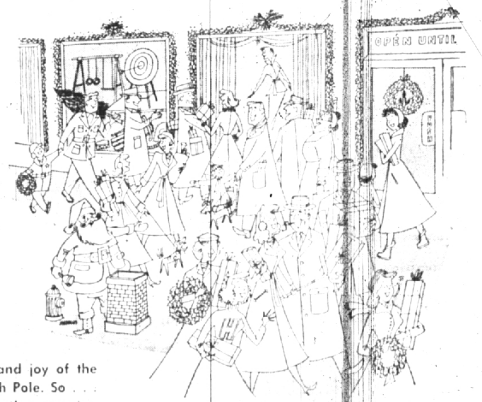
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