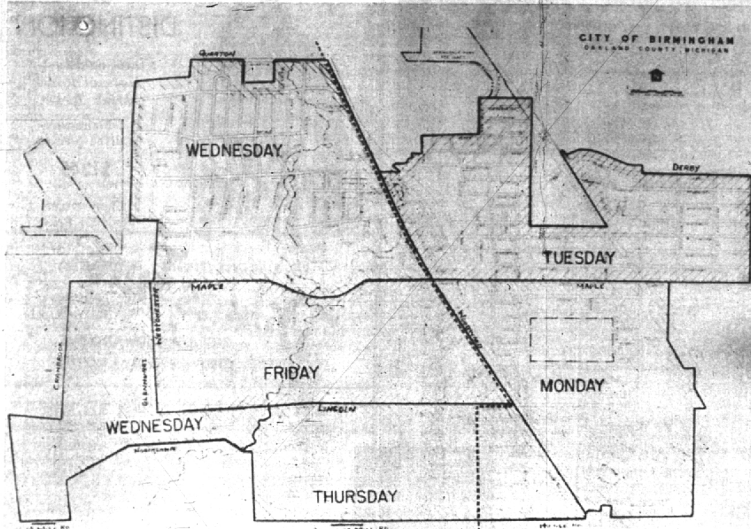


allows the one praying to get an answer through which can meet any emergency or problem in life. When one prays rightly he is making communication with Divinity itself; such strength is never purchasable on the mart.



HEAVY BLACK LINES BORDER SECTIONS OF CITY AND DATE FOR REFUSE COLLECTIONS
Dotted line marks division of city for home heating ashes for separate pickup (Eccentric Staff Photo)

Changes in Refuse Pickup Effective Feb. 1

There will be some changes made in the garbage and rubbish pickup in the city starting February 1. The collection of ashes will also be rescheduled by the city's department of works.

The change will become effective with the start of the city's 1954-55 refuse pickup contract in the residential sections by the B and B Disposal Service.

Under terms of the new contract residents may combine their rubbish and garbage in a single container, place the container at the curb and save the \$9.36 a year previously charged for the garbage pickup at the rear door.

Customers who prefer to keep

the garbage can at the rear of their homes may still have the pickup service at the same price.

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to call the city water department so that his name may be taken from the garbage collection fee list. After the change is made the contractor will not pick up garbage at the house unless it is at the curb.

A SECOND CHANGE called for in the contract is for one collection a week, winter and summer. In previous years garbage was picked up twice weekly in the summer months.

Collections will start at 7:30 a.m. and residents are asked to place their refuse at the curb the night before their collection day or early that morning.

To gain the most economical col-

lections residents are asked to place rubbish in metal containers weighing no more than 60 pounds when filled. It is suggested that the containers be covered to avoid paper and articles of refuse from blowing out of the containers.

The contractor will now collect waste paper but not magazines or newspapers.

NO ASHES from home heating units will be accepted in the rubbish. These ashes will be picked up by separate trucks on different days.

Residents living east of a line running south on Woodward, west on Lincoln to Grant and south to Fourteen Mile road will have a Tuesday pickup for heating ashes. Those living west of this line will be served on Thursdays. It may be that some residents will have a rubbish pickup one day with the ash collection the very next day.

ASHES must also be deposited in metal containers, preferably covered, weighing not over 60 pounds when filled.

Complaints concerning refuse pickup should be made to the city department of public works.

December Traffic Shows Sharp Rise In Street Mishaps

Traffic mishaps in Birmingham for December 1953 nearly doubled the closing month of the previous year, the Birmingham police department monthly report shows.

Last month had a total of 41 accidents with only 24 the previous year. Damages for the two periods were \$13,420 (1953) and \$5,230 (1952).

Right of way violations led the field in contributing to 13 accidents.

Other causes listed by police are following too closely, 7; excessive speed, 6; improper turns, 3; disregard stop sign or signal, 2 and improper passing, 1. The department reported two hit-run accidents.

laws whenever he observes infractions of traffic regulations."

Mosley also cited the December increase over the previous month when 34 accidents were responsible for \$9,171 in property damages.

Detroit Branch Has New Manager

New branch manager of the Detroit office of the Business Men's Assurance Co. is Robert E. Cook, 1708 Winthrop.

In the life insurance business since 1943, he was BMA regional manager during 1953. Graduated from Michigan State College, Cook served as a commissioned officer with the U. S. Navy Air Corps.

He has been active in several service clubs, the Detroit Life Underwriters Assn., Life Leaders of Michigan, BPO Eika and Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Smile A Minute

"So," sobbed Ilma Kropotkin-Vailaynikovitchsky, "Ivan Niniporsky died in battle. Did he really die in a battle?"

"Every officer should be alert for these violations and enforce the

"He did his best, lady," was the reply. "He did his best."

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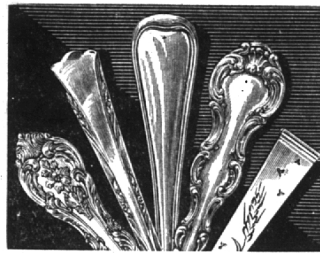
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