

Marriage is presumed by the young to be a partnership, and so it ought to be all through life. Yet there are some marriages where one of the partners tries to change the situation into a monopolistic corporation; romantic bankruptcy then follows.

## YOU CAN HELP US NEXT WEEK BY...

Submitting editorial and advertising copy early for next week's issue of The Eccentric.

The July 4th long weekend will find The Eccentric's doors closed, limiting our publication time.

Through your help we will be able to give the proper treatment to news stories and advertising material in the July 8 edition.

## Red Cross First Aid Teams Patrol Roads on Holiday

Four man teams of first aid instructors and radio "hams" will work with police this weekend as the Oakland chapter starts its new highway first aid project. The aim is to have from 12 to 20 short-wave equipped cars, each with a disaster team, on the road every evening, Friday through Monday. These teams will be called by state police and sheriff's personnel to provide emergency treatment for highway accidents, near drowning and other mishaps over the long Fourth of July weekend. Gas oil and first aid equipment will be furnished by the Red Cross. Cars will be owned and driven by volunteers who are members of the county's Inter-County Amateur Radio club.

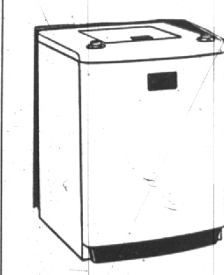
BIRMINGHAM'S James Abbott, club emergency coordinator, said the group was "happy to serve in helping the police and public in the weekend's safety work." The cars, according to Ralph A. Forman of Pontiac county first aid chairman, will carry large banners on the rear deck announcing their purpose on the highways. All will meet at chapter headquarters, 118 Franklin, Pontiac, to get assignments from police officials. "Some cars may cruise high accident zones," Forman said. "Others will stand by at parks and beaches and other crowded spots. A third group will be assigned to dangerous intersections. "We're not sure of all details yet, but if this program works out, we hope to have the same setup on the highways every 'heavy traffic' Sunday and all holiday weekends. "We hope the teams will remind drivers of the danger of road accidents as well as be on hand to give help if it is needed."

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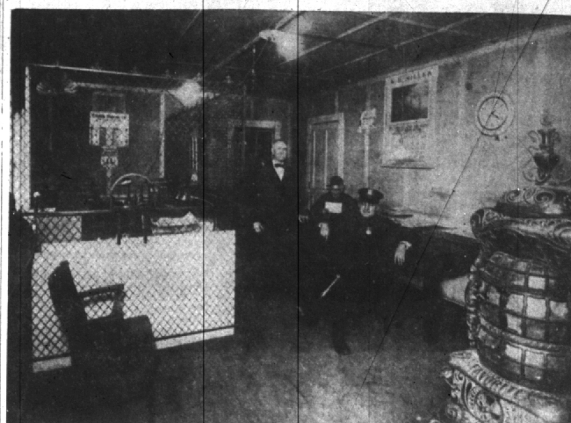
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## BIRMINGHAM BACKGROUND

Local History in Story and Picture  
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Where the Money Rolled In

An old fashioned coal stove heated the village treasurer's office when this picture was taken January 11, 1922 at 4:10 p.m. (Clock and calendars on the wall give the exact time and date.) John Hanna was treasurer and village offices then were in the old library building (built 1893) on the southeast corner of Woodward and Maple where the Briggs building is now. John (left) is standing next to an unidentified patron while Homer Gaskill, head of the village police department, is seated in front. (Picture from Donald Hanna of Ann Arbor)

## Polio Vaccine Trials Piled Up Many Hours

About 4,000 volunteer workers contributed Over 9,000 hours of time to complete the Salk polio vaccine trials in Oakland county. The announcement of the volunteer time was made this week by Mrs. Howard Riemann, 31740 (Glencoe), chairman of this department of the county-wide program, of which Birmingham school district was a part. She said the total hours was run up between March 5 and June 18.

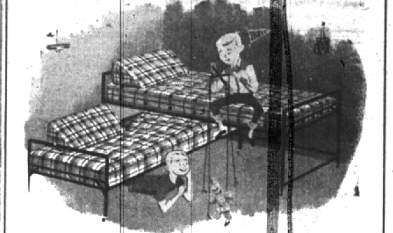
There were 104 women who prepared pre-clinic supplies, request forms and instructions. Another 30 worked on preparing packages of clinical supplies sent to the 18 participating schools. "All personnel worked on a volunteer basis," Mrs. Riemann said. "Supplies and vaccine for the program were financed by March of Dimes funds. "Not included in the time picture, however, are the hundreds of hours which the Oakland county health department spent working with the county medical association. These groups conducted and supervised the inoculations as volunteer workers for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis."

THE TRANSPORTATION group carting supplies from headquarters at 1025 N. Telegraph to the schools, clocked up more than 5,800 miles of driving. This included rushing blood samples to the health department laboratories in Lansing and Ann Arbor for extensive tests.

## Euler Again Heads Oakland Red Cross

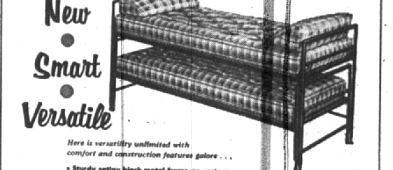
Harold B. Euler of Pontiac has again been named to head the Oakland county chapter, American Red Cross. Meeting at its first session, the new executive board elected Euler and ratified the \$78,922 budget for the year starting July 1. First and second vice chairmen are Harry Besell, Jr., Royal Oak, and Harry Peace, Southfield; Joseph Hills, Pontiac, treasurer, and Mrs. Alfred S. Barnes, Royal Oak, secretary. Among the committeemen are Mrs. Vincent W. Fleet of Birmingham and Mrs. J. W. Blanchard of Bloomfield Hills.

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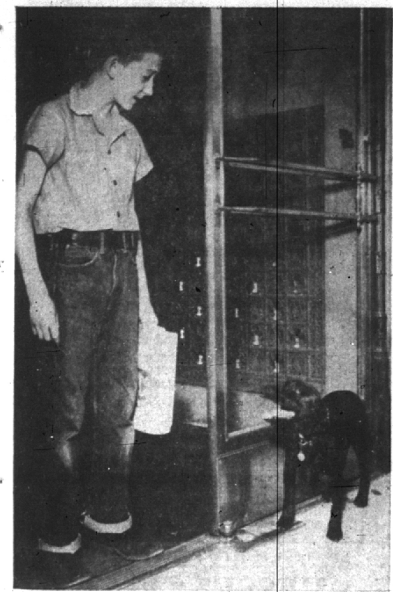
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