

Good News For BIRMINGHAM

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10-Member Staff To Serve Needs Of This Area

A veteran staff of 10 men and women is ready to serve Birmingham Auto Club members. Headed by the new division manager Douglas C. Brown who has been with Auto Club for the past 20 years. A life-long resident of Birmingham, Brown began his career in 1934. The organization then was known as the Oakland County Automobile Club which was under the direction of Douglas' father, the late Wella G. Brown. Brown served as a membership counselor until 1941 when he entered the Army. He spent four years in the Army mostly in the Pacific theater and was discharged in November 1945. In 1946, he succeeded his father as manager of the Pontiac Division. He held this position until his recent appointment as Birmingham Division Manager.



DOUGLAS C. BROWN JAMES G. MOFFAT CRAMER R. WILSON

BROWN, WHO lives at 320 Arapic, Birmingham, attended University of Minnesota and was graduated from Michigan State College. He is a member of Delta Chi fraternity. His hobbies are gardening and golf. Brown and his wife, June, have two sons, Rickey and Craig.

Membership Counselor Cramer R. Wilson has served in that capacity with the Club since 1951. Before that time, Wilson was associated with U. S. Rubber Company and Community National Bank of Pontiac.

He lives at 1027 N. Woodward, Birmingham, with his wife, Marguerite, and daughter, Mary Katherine who attends Birmingham high school.

He is a member of the Civitan Club of Birmingham and enjoys fishing and golfing as avocations.

JAMES G. MOFFAT, an Auto Club membership counselor since 1951, recently returned from a two-year tour of duty with the Marine Corps.

This was his second hitch with the Marine Corps. During World War II he served as a pilot and dive bomber in the Pacific theater.

He was awarded two Distinguished Flying Crosses, nine air medals as well as a Presidential and Navy Citation.

Moffat, his wife Elizabeth, and children Karen and Jimmy live at 4305 Forest avenue, Watkins Lake. He is a graduate of Pontiac high school and attended the University of Georgia.

A member of the Marine Corps Reserve Officers' Association, Captain Moffat utilizes his spare time golfing and fishing.

DIVISION SUPERVISOR Mrs. Elizabeth Howell has spent 10 years in Auto Club employ. She held the same position in the Club's Pontiac division before coming to the Birmingham office.

Mrs. Howell is a graduate of Pontiac high school and is a member of Beta Theta chapter of Lambda Chi Omega sorority. Mrs. Howell is the wife of Raymond L. Howell, 2272 Pontiac drive, Sylvan Lake.

Their son, George, is a staff sergeant in the USAF in Germany. Her hobbies include charitable work, needlecraft and swimming.

A five-year veteran with Auto Club, secretary-treasurer Joyce Perry also comes to Birmingham from the Pontiac division. She is a graduate of Pontiac high school, the Business Institute and attended Wayne university.

MISS PERRY is a member of Beta Sigma Phi sorority and she spends her leisure hours reading, swimming, traveling and in photography. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perry, she lives at 99 State street, Pontiac.

Mrs. Sylvia Holmes serves as secretary at the Birmingham Division. She is a life-long resident of the Birmingham area and lives with her husband, Charles, and daughters Sandra and Karen at 1647 Villa, Birmingham. A graduate of Baldwin high school, her hobbies are bowling, fishing and other sports.

Travel Counselor Marilyn West resides with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hargrave, at 2510 Fort Drive, Watkins Lake. A graduate of Waterford high school, she counts among her hobbies sketching, painting and collecting tea pots. Mrs. West has a son, Gregory.

TRAVEL counselor Joyce R. Ring came to Auto Club following a varied commercial career and a three-year enlistment in the U. S. Marine Corps. She is a native of Birmingham and lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Ring, 530 Stanley Street.

Joyce enjoys bowling and watching racing. She is a Baldwin high school graduate.

Pauline Oliver, travel counselor, lives with her mother, Mrs. Lena Oliver, at 1311 Cedar drive, Birmingham. She was graduated

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generals will be R. G. Jamieson, general manager; H. M. Cumberworth, assistant general manager; M. N. Malone, administrative assistant; Alan MacLean, manager of claims; Edward G. Rockwell, assistant manager; and L. K. Power, actuary.

The new manager of the Pontiac Division, Emerson F. Alston, will attend the ceremonies. Alston received Brown upon his move to head the new Birmingham Division.

CONGRATULATIONS

The opening of your new Birmingham office is an important date for so many Birmingham motorists. Now in addition to your outstanding services your members have the convenience of a readily accessible home office.

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Birmingham benefits not only from your fine new building but through the many services that your organization promotes for the safety of highways and by-ways in the community.



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Congratulations



We join in heartily congratulating the AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF MICHIGAN, its officers and staff upon this happy occasion . . . the formal opening of the new Division Home.

It is a concrete testimonial to the people who make up the local membership and whose service upon the club make this greater and finer facility necessary in Birmingham.

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Best Wishes



on the formal opening of the Birmingham Division

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APPRECIATION to our New Office Members

THANKS TO OUR FRIENDS all 7,000 of them



We men, who are the contact representatives for the Automobile Club of Michigan and the Insurance Exchange at the Club, are very grateful to the motorists of Birmingham and Homewood Township for supporting the Club so well that the organization has built us our new, beautiful office in which to take care of our local members.

And we are proud, too, that the tens of thousands of strangers that will pass this building, and AAA members from all over America who stop in, all may get a touch of what Birmingham means in beauty, good living and modern motorizing.

This is our little ad, all our own, to you thousands we know personally and to all. The Club, by this building, has given us greater facilities to serve you more adequately, and that is our job. The Club expects us to make, and all of us here desire to make, this the best automobile club division in America. Just wish us top!

We now have about 7,000 AAA members in this vicinity, served from this new office. It is probably the greatest density of AAA members to registration anywhere in Michigan. Our members are motorists, they drive better, safer and a greater pleasure.

Again, thank you all for your wonderful support.

DOUGLAS BROWN
Division Manager

CRAMER WILSON
District Representative

JAMES MOFFAT
District Representative

ROBERT JANKS
Claims Manager

BIRMINGHAM DIVISION AUTOMOBILE CLUB OF MICHIGAN