

# The Birmingham Eccentric

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SECTION 5

Round the Towns

Every age has produced its thinkers and its doers, and in doing so has earned respect for itself and dependence upon God. Its thinkers recorded the world and emphasized the value of mankind's devotion to a loving deity. Who is not the better for prayer?

## Allison, Dewar to Help In 1954 Jaycee Award

Robert Dewar, 15651 Kirkshire, Beverly Hills, and Kenneth W. Allison, 4045 Chestnut Hill Drive, Troy township, have been appointed to the Distinguished Service Award Committee of the Detroit Junior Board of Commerce to aid in the selection of the most outstanding young man in the metropolitan area.

The award is sponsored annually by the Detroit Jaycees to honor a young man between 21 and 25 years of age who is selected on the basis of community service, leadership, character and achievement. Nominations are made by anyone in the metropolitan area and are judged upon by a Senior Selection Committee of leading citizens representing business, labor, education, religion and government, according to Dewar, who was in charge of appointments of the senior board this year.



Allison

"ANNOUNCEMENT of the winner and presentation of the award will be made at the D.S.A. Banquet to be held January 18th in the Ballroom of the Statler Hotel," he added.

"We have a good reason for making this a metropolitan area award, Allison, in charge of public relations for the award said. City such as Detroit draws its working citizens from all surrounding communities. No one can say that civic work for a hospital in St. Clair Shores or efforts in youth activities in Birmingham do not benefit Detroit. There are other cities in many outlying towns and they also take care of the metropolitan area."

"While Birmingham Jaycees can restrict their award to their own community, Detroit has to recognize a much larger area. A Birmingham man very easily could do more for the Detroit community than anyone inside the city limits."

## Howard T. Keating, Noted Realtor Dies in Detroit

One of the Birmingham area's largest real estate developers, Howard T. Keating, died in Detroit, following a brief illness, on Sunday in Harper hospital. He was 65 years old.

Mr. Keating originally started in real estate development about 35 years ago with the Casper J. Lingeman company, developer of the University of Detroit section of Detroit.

## Institute Marks Attendance Rise During Past Year

GRANBROOK. Public visits to Cranbrook Institute of Science, Bloomfield Hills, increased by 12 percent during the past year. Dr. Robert T. Hart, director, announced this week the 24th annual report.

A COMMITTEE of AAUW members worked with the Institute staff in planning, assembling and displaying exhibits for distribution to local schools during the year.



## BEVERLY HILLS—Trips through the city's automobile plants, a "must" on the agenda of many Detroit visitors, continued their popularity as the year ended.

On Thursday, the year's 50,000th visitor toured the Plymouth Motor Corp. plant at Mt. Elliot and Lynch road, and officials preferred to say he was included in the group. As the youngsters ended their tour, Plymouth Vice-President William J. Bird (standing left) loaded them into a new convertible which they had watched being made. Shown above are: (front seat, left to right) Paul Cheever, 18610 Hillcrest; Robert Redmond, 18921 Hillcrest; Jim Hohmeyer, 18520 Hillcrest; and Billy McMillan, 32433 Myfair. (Rear seat, left to right) Bill Gilmore, 32025 Waltham; Bill Bricker, 19661 Beverly Hills; Billy Cheever, 18610 Hillcrest; Timmy Redmond, 18921 Hillcrest; and Stephen Hazard, 19900 Riverside Drive. Standing are Mrs. Dorothy Redmond; 18921 Hillcrest; and Mrs. Markham Cheever, 18610 Hillcrest.

## Eight Injured In Troy Crash

TROY—Eight persons were injured in a three-car collision at 4000 and East Long Lake roads Sunday.

Planned for minor injuries and released were Bourdon's sister, Joan of Royal Oak, and Richard Morris, Pontiac. David Grattap and Ernest Mayer, heading east on Long Lake, stopped momentarily at Crooks and then pulled into the path of the southbound car.

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## To Join Glee Club

David L. Higgins, Orchard Ridge road, Bloomfield Hills, will be one of 70 to tour the town of January with the University of Michigan Glee Club, special guest club from the country.

## My Neighbors



## March of Dimes Choirman Named

THROY—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sanders, 2610 Markton, as co-chairmen under Mrs. Leonard Liss, 1900 E. Sprague Lake, will head the 1955 March of Dimes campaign in the townships.

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Beirut are very precious since there are strict government laws on what wood may be cut in any forest, private or public. Christmas is making a greater and greater demand on decorative trees.

## Compromise Hope Seen In Condemnation Suit

## Appoint Committee To Study Turnpike

FRANKLIN—A citizens' committee was named Monday night by the village council to keep abreast of progress on the Toledo-Detroit-Saginaw turnpike and study what means can be taken to keep the toll road out of Franklin.

Some forty residents appeared at the January meeting of the new village council to learn what they could about a proposed route of the turnpike that would cut through the village on a line west of Telegraph.

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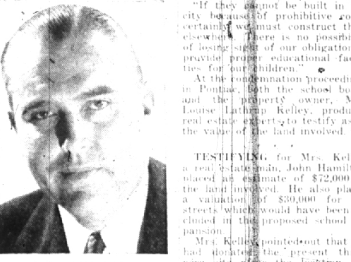
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