

March 22 Dinner To Observe MSC Centennial Year

A banquet celebrating the 100th anniversary of Michigan State college will be held at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 22, at the Birmingham Community House. Speaker will be President whose topic will be "Looking Ahead." The event, open to the public, is being sponsored by the MSC Alumni club of Oakland county. Communities throughout Oakland county are observing March 22 as "Michigan State College Day" in honor of the centennial observance. Mayors and village presidents in the county will be special guests at the dinner.

DR. HANNAH will discuss problems threatening world peace and the role education will play in coping with them.

An chairman of the permanent joint board on defense, Dr. Hannah heads a 10-man agency charged with planning the defense of the United States in Canada. Until recently he was assistant secretary of defense in President Eisenhower's cabinet. He has traveled extensively in the interests of national security and education.

AS THE ELEVENTH president of Michigan State, Dr. Hannah heads the nation's oldest land-grant college.

During his 14 year tenure, he launched an expansion program which has resulted in \$2,700,000 worth of new structures and facilities at the East Lansing campus. Reservations may be had by calling Richard Ernst, Birmingham.

Northlawn Sidewalk Up for Hearing

New sidewalks in two places on Northlawn will be considered March 28 at a public hearing before the Birmingham city commission. City officials say the new portions will complete a paved route for Pierce school students. Discussions with the board of education for a walk on Pierce, between Southlawn and 14 Mile, have reached no decision, said City Manager D. C. Egbert.

We Heard It Said By:

ARNOLD BEHN, music director of Birmingham high school: "Why don't we have a high school orchestra? That's a good question! We look at the 'crop' the seventh grade seems to offer and think that now we have it made. We wait until these youngsters get in high school and out of the hundred or so potentials they had, we find about four or five who still are making music. What happens between the seventh grade and high school is something I have not been able to even make a good guess about."

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Tribes To Gather At Local YMCA

Members of the Sioux and Ottawa Indian Guide tribes will gather at the Birmingham YMCA, 400 East Lincoln, next Tuesday, March 15 for a long-house meeting. Plans for the spring camp-out will be discussed, group singing will be featured and an Indian Story by Gordon Belling will be part of the introductory program. Movies of Indian Lore will be shown. Refreshments are in the hands of Chief Bald Eagle.

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Membership Drive Adds 1147 Youths To YMCA Roster

The Birmingham YMCA's Membership Enrollment which covered the month of February and was extended through March 8, has added 1147 members to the roster and brought the local Y's total membership to 1947. This is the largest coming ever to grace the Y's roll and indicates a marked growth since the Birmingham Branch of the District YMCA was established in November of 1946. In announcing the final results, Chairman William C. Gordon of

Arthur Blakeslee, chairman of the Y's enrollment, stated that work for an early agreement with the Metropolitan Detroit Building Fund to insure the start of a capital funds effort for a new edifice on the Lincoln Avenue property. HE STATED that the first unit to be built would house a swimming pool and locker facilities for both boys, girls, men and women. Preliminary plans have been ready for sometime and the local case has been presented.

Bad Check Writers Take Birmingham Merchants For \$250

Birmingham merchants were warned this week to be wary when cashing checks presented by persons unknown to them. Birmingham Police Lt. Merlin Holmquist said Tuesday that more than 100 checks for \$250 each, especially in the drug and market fields, were victims of one or possibly two people last week of Pleasant

who cashed about \$150 worth of fraudulent checks. Using phony identification papers from Jackson, the check papers wrote about 9 checks for amounts of \$20 to \$25, Holmquist said.

10 New Lots Referred for Study by the Birmingham plan board is a proposed 10-parcel plat for Bonnaf, north of Lincoln immediately west or possibly two people last week of Pleasant

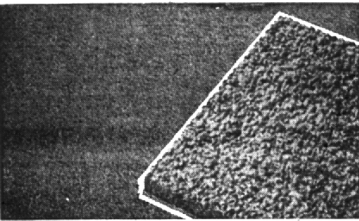
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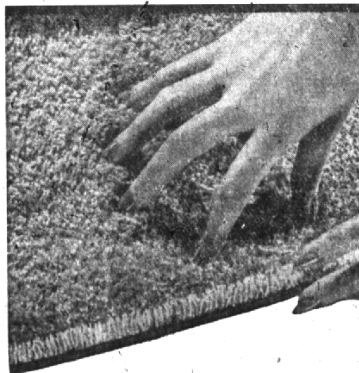
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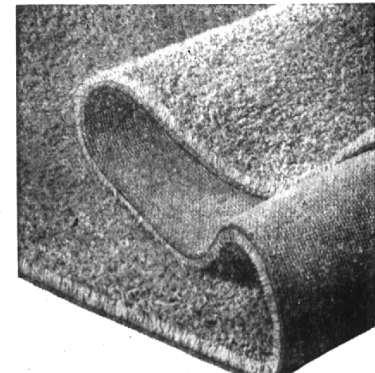
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