LEGAL NOTICES

ANNUAL REPORT
OF
CITY OF BIRMINGHAM SEWAGE TREATMENT DEPARTMENT
FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1955
COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

	Balance Beginning Of Year	Balance End of Year
Assets and Other Debits		
Utility Plant		
Sewage Disposal Plant	$378,125.48	$375,725.48
Investments		
Miscellaneous Investments—Special Funds	45,676.00	46,996.00
Current and Accrued Assets		
Cash—Working Funds	23,752.20	33,886.31
Accounts Receivable	18,140.41	24,951.43
Interest Receivable	—0—	—
Receivable from Municipality	—0—	—
Other Current and Accrued Assets	—0—	3,000.00
Total Current and Accrued Assets	41,892.61	61,797.44
Deferred Debits		
Miscellaneous Deferred Debits	231.29	—0—
Total Assets and Other Debits	465,929.40	$499,518.92
Liabilities and Other Credits		
Long-Term Debt		
Bond Indebtedness	—0—	0
Current and Accrued Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	4,844.29	5,439.45
Payables to Municipality	5,721.00	5,238.76
Other Current and Accrued Liabilities	260.00	0
Total Current and Accrued Liabilities	10,565.29	10,678.21
Reserves		
Reserve for Depreciation of Utility Plant	129,819.29	136,471.54
Reserve for Contingencies	24,183.84	24,183.84
Miscellaneous Reserves	1,194.82	1,128.12
Total Reserves	159,197.95	161,783.67
Surplus		
Earned Surplus	171,361.60	197,291.15
Capital Surplus	124,795.69	124,795.69
Total Surplus	296,157.29	322,086.84
Total Liabilities and Other Credits	$465,929.40	$499,518.92

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM SEWAGE TREATMENT DEPARTMENT
INCOME STATEMENT FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1955
Utility Operating Income

Operating Revenues		$102,964.93
Operating Revenue Deductions		
Customer Accounting and Collection	$6,573.13	
Administration and General Expense	65,799.97	
Depreciation	9,342.10	
Insurance and Employee Protection	2,700.04	
Total Operating Expense		84,415.24
Gross Income		22,549.67
Other Income		3,401.40
Balance Transferred to Earned Surplus		25,929.35
Earned Surplus		
Earned Surplus, Beginning of Year		171,361.60
Credit Balance Transferred from Income Account		25,929.35
Earned Surplus End of Year		$197,291.15

Note: On July 1, 1953, the City became a participating member in the Southeastern Oakland County Sewage Disposal System, paying the sum of $27,346.32 for certain privileges as a participating member. The system treats approximately one-third of the sewage originating within the City of Birmingham and charges the City for the service. The cost of treatment has been included in the report under "General Expense".

B. B. Purkiss, Jr.,
Director of Finance.

Donald McGaffey, Atty., 316 Pierce St., Birmingham, Mich.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
In the Matter of the Estate of HANITA C. ERWIN, Deceased.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Court in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 23rd day of September A.D. 1955.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

Order appointing time for hearing claims.

Notice is hereby given and it is hereby ordered that the time and place for hearing on claims against the above estate shall be the 5th day of December 1955, at nine o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan.

All creditors or claimants against the above estate are further notified and ordered to prove their claims at said hearing and prior to said hearing to file written claims therefor, with this Court and with the fiduciary of this estate, under oath containing sufficient detail reasonably to inform the fiduciary of the nature and amount of the claim.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
30-31-32

Donald McGaffey, Atty., 316 Pierce St., Birmingham, Mich.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.
In the Matter of the Estate of MARIE HIMMELSPACH, Deceased.

At a session of said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 23rd day of September A.D. 1955.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

William A. Himmelspach, Administrator of said estate having filed in said Court his final account, and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof, determination of the legal heirs of said deceased, assignment of the residue of said estate and discharge of said administrator.

It is Ordered, that the 24th day of October A.D., 1955 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Court in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, be and is hereby appointed as the time and place for hearing said petition.

It is further Ordered, that notice be given to all interested parties as shown by the records in this cause by delivering a copy of this order to each of them personally, or by mailing such copy to each of them by registered mail with return receipt demanded addressed to their respective last known addresses as shown by the files and records in this cause.

And it is further Ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

ARTHUR E. MOORE,
Judge of Probate.
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Democrats Plan Annual Dinner

Oakland County Democrats are busy planning their first Annual 18th Congressional District Dinner at Northwood Inn, Berkley, Oct. 27. It will be a fund-raising affair to give financial support to the 18th District's Democratic Congressional candidate in 1956.

Ticket chairman John Tracey, faced with limiting the gathering to 400 people, requests county democrats send their reservations to him at 2160 North Wilson, Royal Oak.

In order to assure reserved tables for city and township clubs, it will be necessary for club chairmen to make their reservations as soon as possible, Tracey advised.

We Heard It Said By:

MRS. GERALD JOYNT, 684 Southfield, Birmingham: "Most parents find that unless they go to Parent-Teacher association meetings a few minutes early, they have to stand. We at Beverly school had our best crowd at our first meeting, but almost every meeting last year was crowded. And many other schools don't has as large a room as we do. Parents are interested in meeting teachers and knowing what goes on at school."

RC Directors Meet

Among the new directors of Oakland county's Red Cross chapter who held their first quarterly meeting yesterday, was Mrs. John Blanchard of Bloomfield Hills. Mrs. Blanchard is on the executive committee, the Rev. William C. Hamm, chairman.

Detroit Town Hall

Detroit will open its 27th Town Hall series in the Fisher theater on Oct. 12. Speaking at the 11 a.m. program will be Micol Fontana, noted Italian clothing designer. Her subject will be "What Is Fashion?"

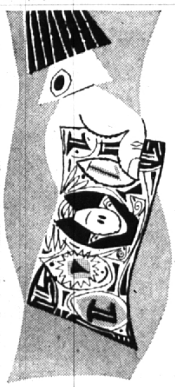
Ensign Graduates

William D. Shardelow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duffield A. Shardelow of Rivernoak, and husband of the former Miss Margaret B. Ault of Glendale, Ohio, was among the Supply Corps Ensigns graduated September 22 from the Navy Supply Corps school in Athens, Ga.

We Heard It Said By:

MRS. JOHN SIEGUSMUND, JR., 575 Merrittlane, Birmingham: "I always am glad when there's something in the news in the fall about sororities' charitable projects. I'm sometimes a little ashamed of how they make so many college girls unhappy at rush time on campuses, but I know they do a lot of good later on to make up for it."

Early copy for church activities makes it better for us and better for you. Don't wait until the deadline, please.



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Steal $138 Worth Of Evergreen Trees

TROY—Thieves took $138 worth of evergreens from Morris Nursery at 4819 Rochester road last Thursday night according to Police Chief David Gratopp.

Walter Morris of 6355 Anslow, reported to Gratopp that 14 evergreens, wrapped in burlap and standing two to four feet high, were missing when he arrived Friday morning. Gratopp said the trees were apparently loaded into an auto.

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Major is Dentist, Stationed in Korea

7TH DIV., KOREA—Maj. Arthur L. De Rosier, son of Dr. A. F. De Rosier, 19455 Riverside, is a member of the 7th Infantry Division in Korea.

Major De Rosier is a dentist with Headquarters Battery of the division's 31st Field Artillery Battalion. He was last assigned at Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

The major is a 1934 graduate of the University of Detroit high school and in 1940 he was graduated from the University of Detroit.

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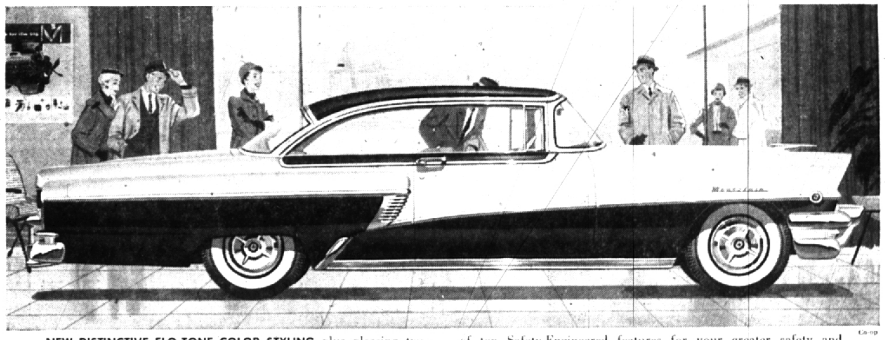

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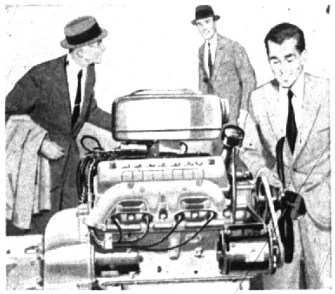
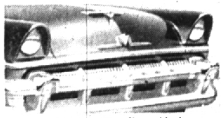
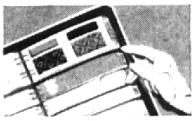


NEW 225- AND 210-HORSEPOWER SAFETY-SURGE V-8 ENGINES—A new high in torque and surging power. 225 hp available in Montclairs and Monterays with 9 to 1 compression. 210 hp in Customs. A new 12-volt electrical system provides hotter ignition.

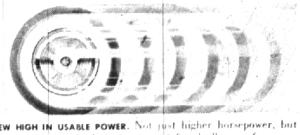
NEW RICHNESS AND LUXURY—THE BIG M is a car that makes you whistle twice—once outside, once inside. The colors, fabrics, and patterns rival the finest custom-built cars for dramatic impact. They are exclusively Mercury's.



DISTINCTIVE NEW GRILLE—From blocks away you can tell it's a Mercury. With the new BIG M crest and newly designed bumper-grille, there is no mistaking this beauty.



NEW FLO-TONE STYLING AND TWO-TONES—Mercury introduces a whole new pallette of sparkling colors, in new Flo-Tone styling, two-tones and solids.



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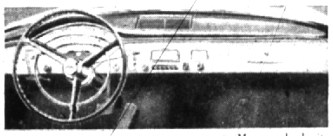

NEW MERCURY SAFETY-ENGINEERED FEATURES—Mercury leads its field with ten new features. A new impact-absorbing safety steering wheel, safety door locks, safety-grip brakes, safety-beam head lamps, and optional safety seat belts and a padded instrument panel.

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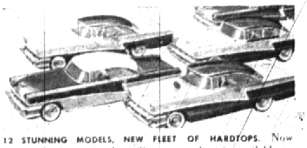

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