

Hills Police Get New Interceptor

BLOOMFIELD, Hills—City commission approved the purchase of a new police car in the only business at a short meeting Tuesday night.

Harold Turner Ford dealer was awarded the contract on a low bid of \$1,150 on a 1959 Ford Interceptor. This included the trade-in of a year-old police car.

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A German Band Leads This Parade

Even a four-piece German band met male shoppers at Men's Night. Whitney Walker, Birmingham high school junior, greeted them too. The Village Shop personnel said

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'Business as Usual' For B'ham Police

Police Chief Ralph W. Moxley warned today that although his officers believe in the Christmas spirit, this does not mean there will be any relaxation in the enforcement of traffic laws and ordinances in Birmingham between now and the end of the year.

"For us it will be business as usual," Moxley said, "and I believe our attitude will be understood and appreciated by most citizens. We don't like to see people pay traffic fines in addition to their other heavy expenses this time of year, but we hate even more the thought of their becoming involved in a serious accident."

"For this reason, we actually think we are doing a favor when we warn a driver or pedestrian about an unsafe act, and even when we issue a ticket for a hazardous traffic violation. In our own way, we are really wishing everybody a happy, accident-free holiday season."

Moxley also reminded drivers that stop-and-go traction is vital to efficient and safe winter driving.

"If pavements become snow-covered or icy, the use of a good set of tire chains is an excellent precaution against becoming hopelessly stalled in traffic, or becoming involved in an accident," he advised.

"So don't wait until Christmas if you are planning on presenting the family car with a set of reinforced tire chains this year. You may need them before Christmas and you probably will use them to good advantage several times before this winter is over."

"In the meantime, instead of looking for special favors from busy police officers, let's put the spirit of the goodwill season into practice — by driving a properly equipped car in a courteous and law-abiding manner. That's the best method I know for wishing everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year," he concluded.

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FRANK J. HOWLETT Howlett Re-Elected Mich. AAA Club President

Over 520,000 Michigan motorists now are Automobile Club of Michigan members. Frank J. Howlett reported to the board of directors that he was re-elected president, Dec. 2, at the annual meeting in the Detroit Golf Club.

Secretary-treasurer of Howlett-Barrett-Watson, Inc., Detroit realtors, Howlett lives at 1160 Hillside drive, Birmingham.

"November was the 132nd consecutive month in which the Michigan AAA Club membership showed a gain," Howlett reported.

"I think this makes Auto Club the only major organization connected with the auto industry to show a gain in membership during the recession. It maintains Michigan's title to the largest motor club in the world, with almost 10 percent of the entire AAA membership."

HOWLETT REPORTED opening the 40th division office in East Detroit at 10 Mile and Kelly, plus new offices in Pontiac, Jackson and Niles in 1958. A new Alpena office will open Dec. 22.

Other officers re-elected for 1959 were: Howard Baldwin, first vice president; Mervyn G. Gaskin, second vice president; William G. Walters, third vice president; Ralph Thomas, secretary; and J. Lee Barrett, treasurer.

Directors re-elected for three-year terms included Baldwin, Oscar L. Baird, Clarence E. Otter and Walters.

Special Treatment

The World Book Encyclopedia reports that the cat gets special treatment during the Christmas season in the French sections of Canada. Tabby is well fed, because it's supposed to be bad luck if a cat meows in the house on Christmas Eve.

President's Two Sons Saved Christmas Tree

If it hadn't been for two sons of a president, Birmingham residents might not have their Christmas trees today.

President Teddy Roosevelt, who was convinced by conservation-minded citizens that the forests would be soon depleted, promptly banned the evergreen from the White House.

Archie and Quentin Roosevelt cared little about presidential edicts, however, and smuggled a tree into Archie's room in the White House mansion.

ROOSEVELT had little choice but to relent, and the Christmas tree has been displayed every holiday season since.

Since much publicity had appeared with the ban, an equal amount appeared when he relented.

The Christmas tree industry soared following the new order and that was the beginning of the community Christmas tree.

Research experts with the World Book Encyclopedia say a Harvard professor named Charles Follen set up one of the first known trees in America in 1822.

THE FIRST evergreen farmer, a Catalina farmer, who lived in 1821, reaped a fortune from the publicity given to Follen, Roosevelt's sons.

In 1924, a Norway spruce was planted near the White House and was later dedicated as a national living Christmas tree.

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