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Around the World . . .

No, not in 80 days, but in 12 years. It's quite a trip if you chug the wind resistance in an 18-foot boat-on-wheels. See page 1-E.

Have a Heart, Westwood . . .

but consider the long-suffering taxpayer, too. See page 1-B for the village's battle between ethical and legal obligations.

It was a long trip . . .

but it was worthwhile, as Birmingham high copped sixth place in the Central Michigan college relays. Page 6-E.

Only 9 Years Old . . .

but a photographic whiz. That's news cameraman's daughter. Page 1-B.

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This and That

by George R. Averill

Want More Honesty From Congressmen?

Of course it would be wonderful if most high public officials, especially in the federal government's Congress, were absolutely impartially honest. They are not which is why so much of that government is far from economical, efficient, and a success in dealing with its various problems.

Read All About Birmingham in New LWV Booklet

A PUBLIC official who depends upon votes to get into and remain in office has to support very definite policies demanded by a majority of the voters who send him to public office.

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Postal Annex Bids Due in About 30 Days

Will Speed Up Mail Service, Says Reese

With the construction of a parcel post annex, Birmingham's mail delivery problem will be appreciably relieved, Postmaster Rollie Reese said yesterday.

Justice Harlan To Speak

Another famous Harlan will give the address Tuesday at 8 p.m. when Birmingham's new school is dedicated.

The local Harlan, president of Harlan electric company, Detroit, contributed part of the land on which the new school stands at 3536 N. Adams.

Parents Surveyed To Form Guide of Youth Standards

How should a Birmingham teenager behave? What are acceptable standards of behavior? The Barnum Junior high school PTA is trying to answer these questions so parents will have a standard to guide them with their own children.

Fire Destroys 5-Car Garage

Sparks from burning pine boughs were blamed for starting a fire that destroyed a large five-car garage in Birmingham shortly before noon Monday.

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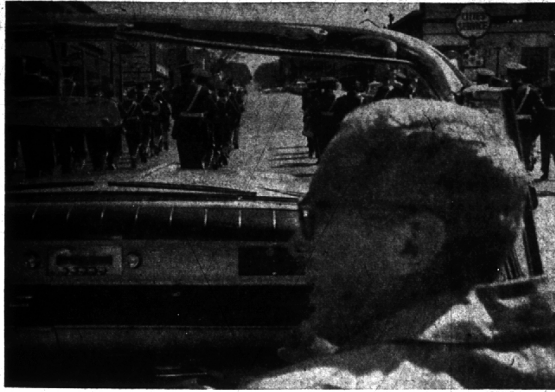
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Band Beats a Welcome

PETOSKEY—City officials got the 60-member high school band out Monday morning to herald Birmingham Mayor Carl Ingraham's arrival on Mayors Exchange Day.



It Was a Busy Day for Petoskey's Mayor

Official hostess to Mayor and Mrs. Chester A. Crago was Birmingham City Commissioner Florence Willett (left), showing the Petoskey mayor and his wife around the municipal building.

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3 Newcomers In Race for Hills B of E

Scott, Hoffman Not Seeking Re-Election

There will be at least three candidates vying for the two Bloomfield Hills board of education posts being vacated this summer because of retirement of incumbents Karl E. Scott and Robert H. Hoffman.

Goodells Host Distinguished Visitors Here

Visiting the United States for six months of study, three distinguished medical people from overseas stopped in Birmingham last weekend to spend a day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George S. Goodell, 475 Tooting lane.

High School Band Comes Out to Meet Mayor Vettraino

They went all-out in Morley, Mich. when Bloomfield Hills Mayor Dominick Vettraino and City Manager Elmer Kephart visited there Monday for the annual mayor's exchange day.

Tag Up Talks On Tag Days

Tag days jumped from 10 in 1955 to 16 in 1957, City Clerk Irene E. Hanley reported to the Bham city commission Monday night.

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No Contest So Far in B'ham Race

Unless additional petitions are taken and filed by Saturday 4 p.m. deadline, Birmingham's annual school district election will be a no-contest event.

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STRICTLY FRESH

Brief resume of how the earth rotates: rapidly.

Strict traffic law enforcement is what is needed to curb the fellow in the outer cast form is up, leaving at your desk is what the boss calls being deep in thought when HE'S doing it.

Fellow in our office either has dandruff or those white specks on his coat collar are terrate dust.

All makes of inner spring mattresses. TRESS COMPANY, Dist. "Q" and ask for ENTERTAINMENT.

This Is Our 80th Birthday

We're 80 years young with this week's issue! It was this time in May 1878 when George Mitchell and Almeron Whitehead brought out their first issue of The Eccentric.