

Auto Plates For 1960 At Half Price

All 1960 full-year motor vehicle licenses and tabs went on sale at half-price Sept. 1, according to an announcement by Secretary of State James M. Hare.

This includes 1960 passenger car tabs and plates for light commercial, pick-ups, trailers, motorcycles and other vehicles with the exception of heavy trucks paying more than \$50 in weight taxes.

"BECAUSE OF THE high discounts offered by auto dealers on

their large inventories of 1960 cars, motor registrations are holding up," Hare said. "With many 1961 cars coming out earlier than usual due to the Detroit auto show and current competitive conditions in the compact market, this 50 per cent reduction in weight taxes will be welcomed by persons buying their first car or by household units buying a second family car."

Persons who already own cars carrying 1960 license tabs can transfer their old license to new vehicles at a small transfer cost. Before this law went into effect, persons who purchased new cars at the end of the license plate year had to pay for a new license instead of the transfer fee.

BARE SAID THAT half-price plates purchased at this time will

Extra Planetarium Dates at Cranbrook

Extra public planetarium demonstrations have been so popular at Cranbrook Institute of Science that they have been extended through Sept. 15. The extra demonstrations are given at 3 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, in addition to the regular public showings on Wednesdays at 4 p.m. and Saturdays and Sundays at 2:30 and 3:30 p.m.

Topics for September is "Autumn Overhead."

be valid until Feb. 28, 1961, although those who wish to do so will be able to buy 1961 plates or tabs on Nov. 1, 1960.

Birmingham's branch of the secretary of state's office is located at 294 Park street.



Photo by Doug Ashley

Young Campaigner

Two-year-old Rachel Cashion, 2739 Yorkshire, Birmingham, passes out GOP campaign literature to Indians in tribal dress at the AFL-CIO picnic for Sen. John F. Kennedy in Pontiac on Labor Day. Rachel was one of a platoon of Oakland girls who will campaign for the GOP cause this fall. The girls wear bright red dresses with shoes and gloves and a white "Oakland" banner.

Commission To Moore: We're Studying Plan

Oakland Probate Judge Arthur E. Moore wants an answer from the Birmingham city commission relative to the city's participation in his youth protection program.

Commissioners decided Monday night that a letter should be sent to Judge Moore informing him that they have instructed the city manager's office to study the matter further.

Also to be pointed out in the letter is that Birmingham has not made any decision as yet, that it has only received a report from an "independent, outside body" (United Community Services).

"IN A LETTER to the commission this week, Judge Moore claimed that UCS erred in saying that Birmingham should not have youth protection services until a county wide program is effected."

Commissioners pointed out, however, that this was not the case; that UCS recommended that a county wide program be established and that Birmingham participate in it.

Judge Moore differed with UCS relative to a county wide plan. He said: "We (the county juvenile court) intend to have full coordination of each community program with a total county wide program. However, no individual local community is in position to dictate

Annual Excursion Scheduled Sept. 25 By Railroad Fans

The annual fall railroad fans' special excursion is scheduled for Sept. 25 by the Michigan Railroad club.

Grand Trunk Western rail officials have kept some of the old steam locomotives in operation because of pleas from the rail enthusiasts.

Their destination this year is Greenville, the final point of a freight — only branch line that

once was part of the Detroit-Muskegon main line.

THE SPECIAL train will leave Detroit at 8:15 a.m. with stops in Royal Oak at 8:40; Birmingham at 8:50; and Pontiac at 9:05, arriving at Greenville at 1:30 p.m. No. 6325, a recently retired steam locomotive built in 1942, will pull the train. Her last regular run was on March 26 between Durand and Detroit.

B'nai Brith to Meet

The Detroit suburban B'nai Brith will meet at 8:30 p.m. Sept. 14 at the home of Mrs. Jack Peltz, 32340 Queensboro street, Farmington.

Ingraham Inducted Into Probate Group

Birmingham City Commissioner Carl F. Ingraham went to Washington, D. C., last week — and today he is a Fellow in the American College of Probate Counsel and a member of the council of the Section of Family Law in the American Bar Association.

Ingraham went to Washington to attend the bar association's annual meeting and was inducted in the college and elected to the council.

He is an attorney, with offices at 988 S. Adams. He lives at 940 Harmon.



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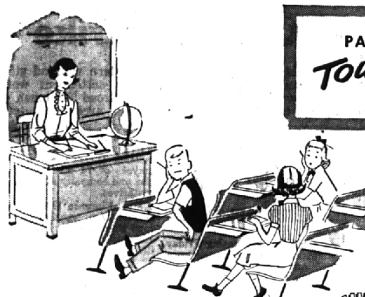


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