Birmingham Man Receives Doctorate

Charles W. Burnham of Birmingham has received his doctor of philosophy degree in geology and geophysics from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. His thesis topic was "The Structures and Crystal Chemistry of the Aluminum-Silicate Minerals."

Dr. Burnham previously received his bachelor of science degree from MIT in June, 1954.

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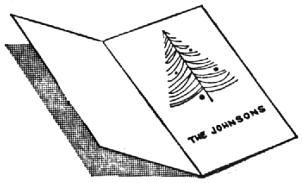

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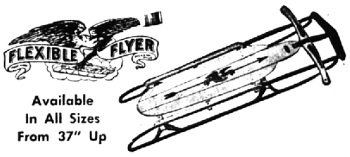

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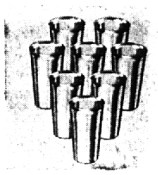

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2nd Informal Con-Con Meeting Contemplated

A second informal meeting between residents and Oakland County's seven Constitutional Convention delegates is being considered for January or February.

Thoburn H. Wiant, Community House president, said today some thought has been given to another meeting in view of the "excellent response" to the first meeting last week.

A crowd of 150 enthusiastic Oakland County residents jammed into one of the meeting rooms at the Community House Friday evening to hear and question delegates about convention progress.

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FOUR OF the seven delegates—George Romney and Henry Woolfenden of Bloomfield Hills, Raymond King of Pontiac and Richard Van Dusen of Bingham Farms—delivered brief reports and then proceeded to answer questions fired at them by a panel of newsmen and the audience.

Interest of the audience appeared to be more on taxation and organization of the state's executive branch.

Romney, a Con-Con vice president, said his reapportionment plan wasn't as complex as believed. He said he believed all the political talk about him personally was detrimental to the convention.

Van Dusen spoke on fiscal matters.

Woolfenden said he favored submitting the new Constitution to the people for approval as a single document.

King disagreed and said he believed the Constitution should be considered in two parts: reapportionment separate from all other sections.

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ROMNEY SAID Con-Con has a sound bipartisan organization and is off to a good start.

One of the biggest problems, he said, will be to communicate the document to the public when it is finished.

Romney said his reapportionment plan is based on population and scarcity of population.

"The problem is," he declared, "communicating with the number of people a representative has, and the distance apart they are."

"I am sure the present basis of representation in the Senate will not remain; people must be represented, not acres."

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VAN DUSEN discussed uniform assessments, limiting powers of a new Constitution on income taxes, the state's borrowing ability and earmarked funds.

Woolfenden contended that Con-Con will not split on a strictly partisan basis.

The meeting, jointly sponsored by the Community House and the Citizens League, ran more than two hours. It was the first in a new "Meet Your Celebrity Neighbor" series launched by the Community House.

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Guess who attended the Birmingham City Commission meeting Monday night? His honor, the husband of the Honorable Mayor Florence H. Willett. "This is the first time Mr. Willett has been here," said her honor. She arose, bowed to Mr. Willett in the rear of the room. Commissioner Robert Page did likewise. "This is the first meeting my son has attended," said Commissioner Carl Ingraham, "and you didn't introduce him." Where is he?" asked the mayor. "I sent him home; it was time for him to be in bed."

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Obituary Notices

Mrs. Mary McNally

After a short illness, Mrs. Mary M. McNally, 1315 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills, died Monday. She was 82. Surviving is a son Arthur J. of Detroit.

Requiem Mass will be 9 a.m. today from St. Elizabeth Chapel. Interment will be in Holy Cross Cemetery. Rosary was said Wednesday from the Manley Bailey Funeral Home.

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Mrs. Mary Griffin

Mrs. Mary Griffin died Nov. 30 in Carmel Hall. She was born July 31, 1884 in New Orleans.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. J. Fred Selman of Bloomfield Hills and a sister, Mrs. John R. Agnew.

Requiem mass was Monday from Holy Rosary Church in Detroit. Arrangements were made by the Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co. Interment was in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

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Wilfred Thompson

A former resident of Beverly Hills, Wilfred Thompson, 56, died Saturday in Easton, Conn. Mr. Thompson was vice president in charge of sales with the Bullard Co. He was with the company for 30 years. While in Detroit, he was district sales manager.

Mr. Thompson was a mason and a member of the Recess Club, Quarter Century Club and attended St. James Episcopal Church.

Surviving are his wife, Ann; his mother, Mrs. F. Archer Thompson of Detroit; two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Ward of Madison Heights and Mrs. Harold G. Beedle of Clawson; two sisters and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday in Bridgeport, Conn., and Wednesday from the Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co.

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Mrs. Rollie Bell

After a long illness, Mrs. Rollie D. Bell, 2223 W. Lincoln, Birmingham, died Nov. 29 at St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital. She was born in Chicago. Mrs. Bell was a member of Holy Name Church.

Surviving are her husband; a son, Raymond of Cleveland; four sisters and two brothers.

Services were Saturday from Holy Name Church with burial in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Arrangements were made by the Manley Bailey Funeral Home.

Mrs. G. Christiansen

Mrs. George Christiansen, 5535 Sunnycrest, Birmingham, died Nov. 29 at Pontiac Osteopathic Hospital after a long illness. She was 64.

She was a member of Shephard King Lutheran Church.

Survivors include her husband; two brothers, Walter McCormack of Birmingham and Richard McCormack of Hale, Mich.

Services were Saturday from the Manley Bailey Funeral Home with burial in Pine Lake Cemetery.

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Mrs. Earl Payton

Services for former Birmingham resident, Mrs. Earl G. Payton of Royal Oak, were Tuesday from the Manley Bailey Funeral Home. Burial was in White Chapel Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Payton died Saturday following a long illness.

A Birmingham resident since 1927, moving to Royal Oak a short time ago, she was a member of the senior women's group of the Community House and the mission group of the First Presbyterian Church. She was also a member of Kings Daughters of Evansville, Ind.

Surviving are her husband; a daughter, Mrs. A. R. Robbins of Beverly Hills, Calif; a son, Dr. Charles Payton of Birmingham; a sister and nine grandchildren.

Municipal Court In Birmingham

Before Judge John C. Emery, Jr.

Dec. 6

James E. Davis, 3797 W. Maple, Birmingham, charged $103 fine and court costs for reckless driving.

Jessie T. Berkley, of Detroit, charged $103 fine and court costs for reckless driving.

Edward J. Penny, of Clawson, charged $6 fine and court costs for prohibited parking.

Dec. 1

Florence E. Woods, of Detroit, charged $15 fine and court costs for failure to yield right-of-way.

George Dwelley, 631 Southfield, Birmingham, charged $15 fine and court costs and sentenced to four days in jail for simple larceny.

Nov. 29

John E. T. Nichols, of Detroit, charged $35 fine and court costs for failure to report an accident.

Daniel J. Beadle, of Royal Oak, charged $3 court costs and received one year probation for disorderly person.

Oscar Knox, of Detroit, charged $20.50 fine and court costs for simple larceny.

Nov. 24

Janice Bordinat, 220 Ravine, Birmingham, charged $103 fine and court costs for driving under the influence of liquor.

Gertrude V. Sternberg, of Royal Oak, charged $6 fine and court costs for violation of traffic signal.

Freeman Completes Navy Basic Training

John Freeman, son of Myron B. Freeman, 797 Coolidge, Birmingham has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

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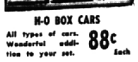

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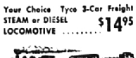

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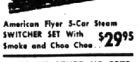

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