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Clerk Reappointed To Election Group

Birmingham City Clerk Irene Hanley has been reappointed for a one-year term to the election committee of the Michigan Municipal League.

Miss Hanley has served on the committee for several years. It follows closely election legislation in the state legislature, authorizing that "which we think is good" and opposing that "which we think is not so good."

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Our February Monthly Letter states that "the major influence on the stock market in the next few weeks will be the policies enunciated by the new Administration." It examines some of these policies, and relates them to the current position of the stock market.

Fourteen stocks in thirteen industries, chosen after a painstaking study of a great many companies, are recommended. These stocks have merits which we believe will enable them to outperform the general market this year. In addition to presenting a discussion of each stock the Letter includes an extensive table of financial data. For a copy of the Monthly Letter, available to investors, just use coupon below.

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Receives Proclamation

Boy Scout Week, Feb. 7-13, has special meaning for Jon Hawley, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Garth Hawley, 910 Brooklawn, Birmingham, who will become an Eagle Scout on Feb. 23. Here, he receives from Birmingham Mayor Florence Willett her official proclamation for Boy Scout Week. In her proclamation, the mayor pointed out that Feb. 8 is the 51st anniversary of the founding of Boy Scouts of America and cited the volunteer leaders and many groups that sponsor Boy Scout troops. Young Hawley will receive his Eagle Scout badge at a court of honor Feb. 23.

Sidewalk Replacement Program Is Proposed

City Engineer W. T. Killen received the green light from Birmingham city commissioners Monday night to proceed with a sidewalk replacement program next spring.

Killen outlined a program designed to increase sidewalk replacements over the next five years.

He recommended that the City use the \$5,848 now in its sidewalk account this spring, then start with a new plan for the 1961-62 budget year, with about \$15,000 for the City share.

"At that rate," Killen said, "it would probably take about five years to get the sidewalks up to standard."

SINCE JULY, 1954, the commission has appropriated \$5,000 annually for sidewalk replacements.

Killen estimated the City's share for replacing faulty sidewalks in areas that have not had replacement programs within the last 10 years at \$37,427.

"The cost for City responsibility to bring all sidewalks within the city up to a safe and satisfactory standard would probably be some, where around \$60,000 to \$75,000," Killen told the commission.

"IT IS MY recommendation," he added, "that for the next few years the City undertake larger sidewalk replacement programs than in the past few years."

"Then at such time as we are able to get our sidewalks up to standard, the annual program could be reduced in size."

Killen pointed out that for the last 10 years the City has undertaken general sidewalk replacement programs covering more than half of the city. The work has been done by areas, with areas having the most faulty walks being done first.

"THERE ARE many areas in the city in which no programs have been held," he stated. "Also, much

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A&P Has Grand Opening At B'field Village Store

Area residents thronged A & P Food Stores' new Early American super market which opened Wednesday at Maple and Lahser roads in Bloomfield Village.

The new store, described as a unique blending of early American architecture and modern food merchandising, in the third of its type to be erected by the food chain in the Birmingham area.

A special program of awards and giveaways has been planned to mark the grand opening. Among top awards are a portable TV set, two bicycles, a survey, card table and chairs, three electric trains, three electric frying pans and five sets of dishes.

PARTICIPATING in the grand opening ceremonies were a group of A&P officials headed by Vice President E. J. Vogel and Sales Manager R. J. Murray of the Detroit unit.

Vice President Vogel said the new store was designed to conform to findings of a comprehensive survey of the food needs of consumers in this area.

"We hope," he said, "consumers in this area will be as proud and as pleased with what they see in this new super market as we are."

Though Early American in design, the new store incorporates virtually all the latest innovations in food retailing, it was explained. A paved parking lot will accommodate approximately 175 cars.

ONE OF THE major features of the new super market is the self-service meat department with refrigerated production line for the preparation of meats.

Under the new setup, meat items are weighed, packaged, labeled and priced in full view of customers. A total of 30 feet of refrigerated cases will be used to display a full line of fresh and smoked meats, poultry and fish, store officials said.

Space has been liberally used inside to enable each department to stock a full line of merchandise. In addition to departments for meat, produce, dairy, bakery, groceries, frozen foods, ice cream and candy, the store also features such extras as health and beauty aids and non-food items.

QUICK AND efficient shopping characterizes the design and lay-



ANDREWS KOTTKE

out of the store. A battery of eight mechanized checkstands will facilitate shopping even during the peak periods of operation, it was stated.

Carl Kottke, who joined A & P in 1941 as a produce clerk, is manager of the new store. He has spent his entire career with the food chain in the metropolitan area.

The new store will have some 70 full and part-time employees.

ant manager in 1941 and to his managerial post in 1942. He has served as manager of several Detroit area stores.

Prior to this assignment, he was manager for three years of the Fort Street store in Wyandotte.

AILEEN J. ANDREWS is assistant manager.

A native of Detroit, he first started with the chain in 1949 as a part-time clerk in Ferndale. He, too, has spent his entire career with A & P in the metropolitan area.

Andrews has served in various departments in stores in Birmingham, Ferndale, Pontiac, Detroit and Rochester. He became assistant manager last January.

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NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE that the Village Council of the Village of Beverly Hills, Michigan, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 17 has determined that the area encompassed within Section 1 of said Village (Southfield Road on the West, 14 Mile Road on the North, Greenfield Road on East and 13 Mile Road on South) to be a critical area insofar as storm water drainage is concerned and has directed that all eavestroughs, house gutters, downspouts, patio and courtyard drains, and other similar devices for the channelling of rain water, be disconnected from any sewer or drain on or before April 15, 1961 and remain disconnected.

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FANNIE ADAMS, Village Clerk

Zoning Amendment Adopted in B'ham

In the future, owners of lots in Birmingham that have frontage on two streets, with a rear lot line abutting a street, will have to erect any accessory buildings the same distance back from the rear lot line as from the front.

City commissioners adopted an amendment to the zoning ordinance Monday night to make this ruling effective. No one appeared at the public hearing to object to the amendment.

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faulty walk has developed recently in areas where sidewalk replacement programs have been held."

He said under the present site program a complete cycle of replacement programs for the city would take about 15 years.

"What you say makes a good deal of sense to me," commented Commissioner Charles Renfroe, "I think we ought to consider at budget time an acceleration of the program."

The commission authorized Killen to set up a program this spring using the \$5,848 already budgeted.

To View Possibility Of 12 Town Minus Madison Heights

A committee of South Oakland County mayors will meet this week to probe the possibility of entering the 12 Town Drain project without Madison Heights.

Bruce Garrett of Ferndale, Dave Calhoun of Huntington Woods, Bruce Hayward of Royal Oak and R. J. Alexander of the Oakland County Department of Public Works will meet with Claude Stevens, 12 Town Drain attorney, to determine whether the project can proceed despite the stalling legal action of Madison Heights.

MADISON HEIGHTS' City Council voted to take legal battle on the matter to the U.S. Supreme Court. Officials there think the city's \$2.6 million assessment share is too high.

The negotiations, according to Birmingham City Commissioner William Roberts, are merely in the discussion stage. No definite action is contemplated yet.

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