

People's Column

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identifies fluoride as "insecticide for lice and roaches. Lethal: Muscular weakness, convulsion, cardiac failure. Chronic: Mottling of enamel, osteosclerosis."

Dr. A. J. Shadman of Boston says: "The action of fluoride is slow and cumulative."

Dr. Charles G. Heyde, past president of AMA had to say: "Fluorine accumulated in the body is stored in the bones producing a state of chronic poisoning and pernicious anemia." (For more information, see list of books on fluoridation write to: Christian Educational Assn., 530 Chestnut Str., Union, N. J.)

DR. EMANUEL M. Josephson, M.D., in his forthcoming book on "Fluoridation Conspiracy," Chedney Press, 220 E. 91 St., N. Y. 21) writes:

"The advocates of fluoridation freely admit that some people with allergies and kidney affection will suffer and may even die, but these folks must be sacrificed to protect children's dental caries."

Dr. Josephson believes that the community and every one of its officials responsible for fluoridation of water will render themselves liable for unlimited damage for any injury whether real or psychosomatic.

If you agree with the above cited facts and are unwilling to be a guinea-pig in this poisonous experiment, ask your elected officials to oppose the fluoridation.

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Non-Residents Would Have No Income Tax Vote

To the Editor:

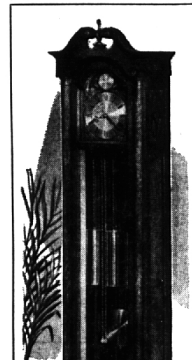
A Detroit morning paper editorial on March 22 certainly reaffirms our being very fortunate in having a state legislature that can weigh a problem in the light of all the people in the state and not just some specific segment.

The subject matter in mind is Detroit's attempt to tax non-residents who, of course, have no opportunity to vote or show displeasure in any other manner to pressure the public officials.

One would think the paper under discussion cares nothing for the thousands of supporters it has out-

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side of Detroit and Wayne County, making many feel that there is ample room for an early morning paper to supply the outlying areas with a more progressive and neutral sheet.

How about it?
S. L. BEARDSLEE
P. O. 84
Pontiac, Mich.

She Appreciates 'City Like Ours'

To the Editor:

It is nice to feel that my first "letter to the Editor" can be one that expresses deep appreciation to a city like ours.

For me, as each businessman, merchant, clerk, gas station attendant, and so many others, would be physically impossible.

Perhaps, through this letter, I may say a grateful thank-you to you and our entire city on behalf of our girls and leaders.

The marvelous cooperation we received during the entire preparation for our golden anniversary celebration might be unbelievable if we hadn't actually experienced it.

I am sure not too many communities can approach such a wonderful record of cooperation and feeling for our young people.

MRS. M. E. SKUTT,
Chairman
Birmingham District
Southern Oakland Girl Scouts, Inc.

Happenings

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first announced last week, causing a vegetable garden feature to be added to the original plans.

The water supply for scores of Bloomfield Hills homes was returning to normal today after a two-day fight with a water gusher which bore it to the capped spout more than 25 feet in the air at a rate of 1,200 to 1,300 gallons a minute, temporarily crippling wells for a radius of nearly a mile around.

The village commission went on record Monday night as being unalterably opposed to a state income tax law by adopting a resolution calling for letters to be addressed to senators and representatives of this district asking them to withhold their support from such a law if it introduced the current special session of the Legislature. The resolution was adopted unanimously.

15 YEARS AGO
April 3, 1947

A new recreation board for the City of Birmingham which will combine both the city and school recreation programs under one comprehensive organization, was created by the city commission. Duties of the new board will include the setting-up of a city-wide recreational program for both children and adults, using both city and school equipment, and with funds expressly appropriated to it for that purpose by the city and the Board of Education.

Members of the Birmingham Teachers Club, representing a majority of teachers in the Birmingham school system were scheduled to return their 1947 special contracts before tomorrow's deadline. The Board of Education is considering revising the pay schedules of the teachers in an upward direction.

Smooth sophistication, highlighted by Nurray Scott's portrayal of "Marion Froude," was the keynote of "Biography," S. N. Behrman's dramatic comedy of character, presented by the Village Players. Splendid acting was performed by well-cast players.

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Letter Tells More About Fighting During Civil War

Comrades falling in battle around him only served to make a Union soldier more reckless, according to a letter in The University of Michigan Historical Collections.

Franklin H. Bailey, from Adrian, who served in Company D, 12th Regiment, Army of Western Tennessee, wrote to his parents April 8, 1862, to let them know he was safe after the great battle of Shiloh at Pittsburg Landing, Tenn. The battle had taken place on April 6 and 7.

"ALTHOUGH I have been in the service six months, it was the first battle I have seen, and I hope it will be the last one. O what a sight! I make no shadow of think of it, although at the time I did not think any more of seeing a man shot down by my side than I would of seeing a dumb beast killed.

"Strange it may seem to you, but the more men I saw killed, the more reckless I became. When George Gates was the first man shot in the battle, and who stood next to me on my right side, was shot I was so enraged I could have torn the heart out of the rebel who shot him could I have reached him.

"A PART OF the 12th Regiment of Michigan Infantry and two companies of another were the first men in the fight," wrote Bailey. "We were sent skirmishing about three o'clock Sunday morning and reached the rebels' camp just before daylight.

"They were out to meet us and began to fire into us. We returned it and then commenced the battle, with less than 1,000 men and with less than 5,000.

"WE DROVE THEM three times (they not knowing our thought) when they got reinforcements and drove us. That was the beginning of the great battle. It was only a priming to what it was when the main armies met. There was one four of artillery so loud that General Buell's men heard it 23 miles off and thought it was but a few miles from them.

The battle raged very hot all day Sunday the rebels having the upper hand on us. Sunday night a part of General Buell's division reached the field and the rest kept pouring in all day Monday.

"STEAMBOATS WERE running all the time from Pittsburg Landing down to Savannah with wounded. Every house in the place has been taken for hospital. This morning the boats are bringing in the prisoners. Whether they are still fighting or not, I do not know, it is so far back we can not hear them from here."

The Battle of Shiloh was the greatest battle on the North American Continent up to that date. Grant and Buell had lost more than 13,000 men and Beauregard more than 10,000.

Let Children Join In Family Talks

When parents permit a child to take part in family decision making, the youngster gets excellent training in democratic values and skills.

So reports Ronald Lippitt, professor of psychology and of sociology at the University of Michigan, in a U of M television series "Family Living."

YOU DON'T HAVE to observe parliamentary procedure at family meetings, for the advantages of group discussions can be obtained informally, and he adds, better decisions often emerge from mutual discussions rather than when parents lay down the law.

CON-CON WEEKLY REPORT

Delegates Hail Convention Proposals

Democrats and Republicans joined together to hail as "the most important and valuable" sessions of the new constitutional convention on the powers of the state's Executive Department two proposals approved after first debate—the first cuts the state's more than 120 agencies and department to a maximum of 20 and the second increases the terms of the governor and lieutenant-governor from two to four years, while providing they run as a team.

This is the consensus of opinion of the Chairman of the Committee on Executive Branch, John B. Martin, Republican National Committee and the committee's second vice-chairman, William C. Marshall, executive vice-president of the Republican Party. With such bipartisan support, the two proposals were passed with mild debate and few changes.

"All it does is put five more

officials into the Constitution," says Marshall. "Why can't we leave it the way it is, under the control of the Legislature and then the set-up can be changed when necessary?"

THE NEW "Advice and consent" provision practically reverses present Senate procedure, which calls for consideration of an appointment by the Business Committee before the eventual referral to the floor. Once the Senate moves to confirm, a majority vote is necessary. If Senators are ill or choose not to attend, the effect is as though they had voted against confirmation.

The new proposal, introduced by Delegate George Romney, is designed to meet criticism caused by the fact that confirmations sometimes stay buried in committee for years and rejections often occur by attrition, with few Senators voting. With the

exception of 1960 when the total rose to 80 per cent, rejections these last few years have been averaging about 20 per cent.

Under this new section, confirmation is automatic unless the Senate within 60 days takes action to reject; no longer is a majority needed to confirm—now it is needed to reject.

"We believe we should keep this time-honored device in the hands of the Senate," explains Martin. "It is an essential part of our system of governmental checks and balances." The Convention rejected an attempt to give the power to the House.

"The old system was bad," said Marshall. But the new section will force the Senate to take action which usually, it predict, will be a veto on most of a Democratic Governor's appointments."

Job Placements Highest Since '59

The sharp upturn in economic activities in South Oakland County is reflected in the March, 1962, job placement activities of the Local Branch of the Michigan State Employment Service.

During the month of March, 1962, the Royal Oak Branch placed 345 persons in jobs, the highest total since March, 1959.

At the close of the month, there were still 135 unfilled job openings. There is a continuing demand for secretaries, typists, sales persons, skilled machine operators of all types, gas station attendants, waitresses and domestics.

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But here the unanimity ends. Martin estimates the next most valuable achievements of the Executive Article are changing from elective to appointive the method of selection of four members of the State Administration Board and keeping it in the Senate—in a modified form—the right to "advise and consent" to gubernatorial appointments. Both were controversial, approved only after prolonged and bitter debate.

"These proposals are so ill-considered and ingly conceived, it is hard to tell which will disrupt the state government most," says Marshall.

UNDER THE PROPOSALS, the Superintendent of Public Instruction is to be appointed by the State Board of Education, the Auditor General by the Legislature, the State Treasurer by the State Board of State Highways, and the Director by a bipartisan four-man State Highway Commission. Two Administrative Board members remain elective—the Attorney General and Secretary of State.

Debate over the Highway proposal was particularly prolonged and bitter. Marshall told the Con-

Price Is Elected VP of Pa. Jaycees

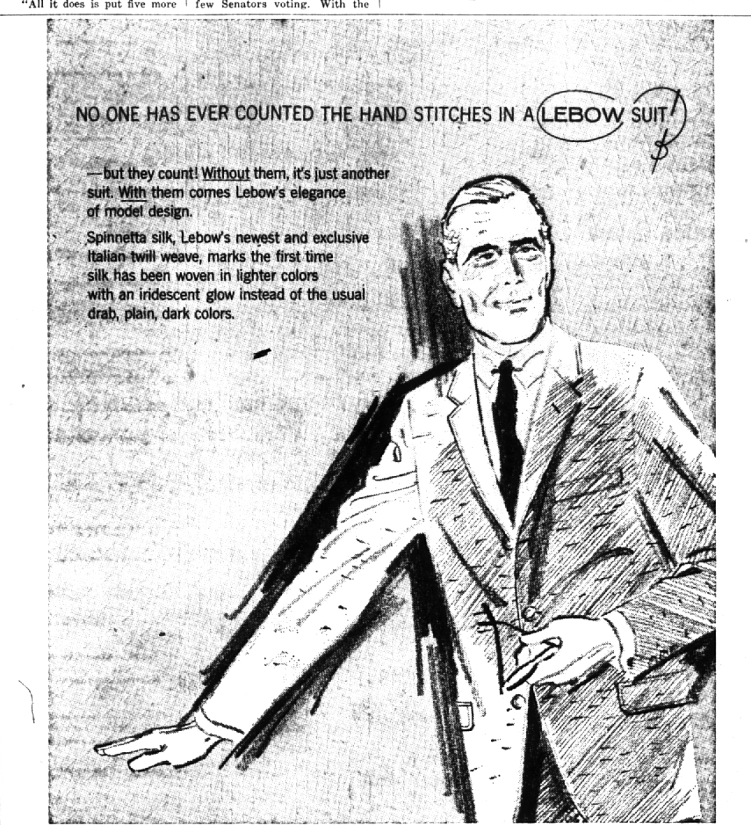
Laurence A. Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Martin Price of 4145 Orchard Hill Drive, Birmingham, has been elected a vice president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Philadelphia.

Price, who previously had served as chairman of the chamber's publicity committee and public relations counsel since joining the organization in 1960, is currently a member of the board of directors. His new one-year term of office began April 1.

In the Public Relations Department at Smith Kline & French Laboratories, a pharmaceutical company, Priced worked from 1955 to 1960 on the public relations staff of the General Motors Corp. Born in Detroit, he and his parents moved to Birmingham in 1954.

A GRADUATE of the University of Michigan, where he received his bachelor's degree in political science in 1953, Price also obtained a B.A. in journalism in 1960 after attending night school classes at Wayne State University. At present, he is working on his masters in industrial relations at Temple University.

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