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B'ham named in Detroit Graft Case

Project to Determine Support of Our Schools

A \$29,866 grant from the Federal Government is making possible continuation of a research project started in the Birmingham School District last year.

assistant professors of sociology, Ralph V. Smith and Stanley E. Flory, and a former assistant professor, Richard Babshur.

Babshur is the full-time study director for the new study, and Smith and Flory are serving as consultants.

THE BIRMINGHAM district was chosen for the research primarily to employ a panel technique for comparing attitudinal and mobility of residents.

They Agree, Yet Disagree On Park Issue

See editorial opposing dedication, 1-B

How do you designate parks as parks, by adopting a resolution or passing an ordinance?

Jacobson's Opens Its 5th B'ham Shop

(See PHOTO, 5-A)

Jacobson's newest store, an addition to its Home Demonstration shop, has opened at 325 N. Woodward.

ERECTED BY the Christus Construction Co., 820 Bowers, Birmingham, the building sports wide aisles and air conditioning.

WHILE MASON, manager of the store, said the new shop was made possible because Birmingham is a "wonderful place to do business."

"The expansion is a public expression of our faith in Birmingham and the general area," he said. "This is an ideal area to do business."

customer service is declining in many areas," he said. "We feel it is important to maintain this service and we are striving not to lose sight of this goal."

One Killed, Three Hurt In B'field Hills Crash

A two-car collision in Bloomfield Hills Monday resulted in one death and injury to three persons.

Injured are James W. Hamilton, 27, Oakland Township; Anthony F. Cranskie, 24, East Detroit; and Beverly Quatrine, 25, St. Clair Shores.

Hamilton is in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital with a possible concussion and head cuts.

CRANSKIE was traveling south on Woodward at about 1:30 a.m. when it went out of control, police said.

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Eye Bank Brings Gift of Vision In Ist Operation

LATHRUP VILLAGE—The eye bank substitution set up here recently by the Lions Club was responsible for providing the eyes used in two cornea transplantation operations last week.

MAYOR FLORENCE H. Willett suggested that to designate the parks to that specific purpose would strengthen their use as such.

"I am persuaded by the manager of the store, said Commissioner of the district of the people of Birmingham to tie up the properties through donation.

UNDER THE city charter, explained Gave, no park can be sold without a vote of the people—but (See PARK, 2-A)

Reading Course Enrollment Open

Opportunities still exist for 7th, 8th and 9th graders to enroll in the second session of the summer school Junior Reading Improvement classes, according to Charles Buell, director.

WHILE GETTING GAS at the DPW garage, officer Harold Jones, Baker jumped from his car and dodging ditches and cement blocks still standing from an uncompleted sewer line.

UPON REACHING the driveway of a construction company at 14 Mile and Coolidge, police said, Baker jumped from his car and began running. He was caught, however, and although Baker struggled to escape, the arrest was made.

When the man heard this, police said, he suddenly shifted his car into a gutter, was a field, dodging ditches and cement blocks still standing from an uncompleted sewer line.



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Bloomfield Township Adopts Up-Dated Zoning Ordinance

larger lot sizes now required for residentially-zoned property. Several objections to zoning of specific properties were also raised.

OWNERS of a triangular parcel at Opdyke and Square Lake roads objected to a classification of the property as residential. Part of it was reclassified to multiple dwelling.

REPRESENTATIVES of the Citizens' Faculty, owners of Wabek Farms, were among objectors to lot sizes in residential three (R-3) classification. The new ordinance requires 22,000 square feet, with 130 foot footage. R-3 lot sizes were formerly 29,000 square feet.

Mrs. Mildred Puddington, 2292 Horseshoe Drive, Birmingham, pleaded "not guilty" on three counts Monday in Oakland Circuit Court before Judge Russell Holland.

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Wife Defends Contractor Eder; Denies Payoffs

By IRMA N. DAVIS Township Editor

"There's nothing to the whole rigamarole," said Mrs. Sidney T. Eder Wednesday morning in defense of her husband, one of five trucking contractors charged with criminal conspiracy in an alleged Detroit DPW graft racket.

THIRTY DPW employees, past and present, have also been named in the conspiracy.

DETROIT DETECTIVE Inspector Vincent Piersante, head of the Criminal Information Bureau, said Eder and his attorney appeared at headquarters at 8 a.m. Wednesday.

EDER'S INCOME tax was investigated about a month ago and "he was absolutely cleared by them."

EDERS WIFE expressed surprise that her husband's name appeared in the Detroit newspaper article.

Worker Dies After Rescue From Cave-In

A Wayne construction worker died on a job site half after he had been freed from an excavation on Square Lake Road, Bloomfield Township, at 8:17 p.m. after being taken there by ambulance.

ACCORDING to Bloomfield Township police, O'Quin was trapped when the sides of the excavation caved in. Police said he had been partially dug out but was still being supported by fellow workers when they arrived.

Southfield Patrolman Faces Assault Charge

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Burgum Marries Eleanor Ritchie

Announcement is made of the marriage July 3 of Mrs. Eleanor Annul Ritchie of Kenosha, Ill., and Birmingham City Commissioner William H. Burgum.

ONLY MEMBERS of the immediate families attended the ceremony which took place in the First Presbyterian Church of Birmingham with the Rev. W. Glen Harris officiating. A brunch at Bloomfield Hills Country Club followed.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgum will be at home on Westwood Road, Birmingham.