

B'ham Sets Hearings On Sidewalk Program

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The major areas of the city will be included in this year's program, Killen said.

They are: An area bounded by Lakeside, Quarter, Woodward and the south side of Oak. An area bounded by Maple, Henrietta, Brown and the Rouge River. An area bounded by Maple, Eton, Derty and Coolidge.

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city was not completely satisfied with the cleanup and landscaping work done by the private contractor for the forestry department would take over the job this year.

Executives Get Bonuses At Ford's

Bonuses totaling \$4,665,000 were awarded to Ford Motor Co. executives, including several residents of Birmingham-Bloomfield, as the company received its highest earnings for last year.

John Dykstra of Bloomfield Township, company president who retired May 1, received a salary of \$175,000 and an increased bonus of \$260,000 to \$340,000.

Charles H. Patterson, president of 2321 Harlow, Bloomfield Hills, received a \$200,000 bonus and \$125,000 salary.

JAMES O. Wright, recently resigned vice president, 6100 Wing Lake Road, Birmingham, bonus, \$270,000; salary, \$125,000.

Irving A. Duffy, vice president, 85 Manor Road, Birmingham, bonus, \$250,000; salary, \$125,000.

Theodore O. Nissen, vice president, 3950 Franklin Road, Bloomfield Hills, bonus, \$160,000; salary, \$125,000.



IF THE PROPOSED new municipal parking lot is constructed in the southwest quadrant of Birmingham's downtown area, this house owned by David DeWolf, 252 Townsend, would be torn down.

Gun Accident Causes Death Of Hagen Boy

A shooting accident last week resulted in the death Friday of Walter Hagen III, 14, grandson of golfing great Walter Hagen.

The boy, who never regained consciousness, died at Pontiac General Hospital where he was taken after he was wounded in the head by a bullet fired from an automatic pistol by a friend, Michael A. Hough, 14, of United Lake Village.

THE OAKLAND County prosecutor's office today issued a statement from the Hough boy and termed the death accidental.

The boy is survived by his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Walter Hagen, Jr., his grandfather and two grandmothers.

A rosary was recited Sunday night in the Holy Sepulchre Church, with burial in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Parking

Burgum noted that the only public hearing on the matter that would have to be held would be on how to spread the cost (assessment) of the benefited area.

RECK SAID he was against the proposed lot and was not convinced of the need for another lot. He said he asked the city administrator for information on parking problems in the city but had not received the reports until just before Monday's meeting.

BRECK suggested that the commission might take into consideration an alternate proposal by former Mayor Florence H. Willett.

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GOP to Hold Gathering in 18th District

Charles Lyle of Birmingham, Republican party district chairman, is in charge of a meeting of the 18th district to be held May 23 in Birmingham.

Arthur G. Elliott, Jr. of Bloomfield Hills, Republican state chairman, has scheduled a series of district meetings to be held throughout the state during May, designed to boost a growing organizational effort.

COMMISSIONER Breck asked if a referendum on the proposed lot would be possible, but City Attorney Dean Beier said the referendum applied only to ordinances.

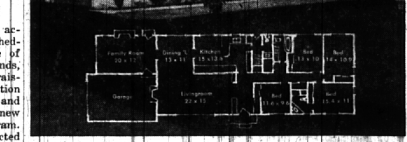
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Court Reporters Request Pay Hike

Oakland County court reporters, \$7,500 annually and are the highest paid in the nation. They have asked for raises amounting to some stages of the 1964 budget are \$1,200 each. Their demand followed prepared, according to the decision the increase in pay for circuit by the salaries committee of the judges which is before the state Court Board of Supervisors, Legislature.



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Women's Clubs Will Gather At Oakland

Oakland University will be the setting for the 1963 annual meeting of the Oakland County Federation of Women's Clubs May 3, at 10 a.m.

THE RICHMOND Woman's Club is hosting the meeting. The Birmingham Woman's Club will be represented by Mrs. Ralph Main, Mrs. Frances S. Hascall, Mrs. Robert Connor, Mrs. Iza Brownell, Mrs. Thomas Fitzpatrick, Mrs. William B. Greenfield, Mrs. Harriet Hicks, Mrs. R. G. Hoover, Mrs. D. D. Langlois, Mrs. Lawrence Middleton, Mrs. Hans Schollin, Mrs. Nick Sferzari, Mrs. Glenn Waggoner, and Mrs. John W. Wainath.

THE LUNCHEON speaker will be James P. Dickerson, assistant to the Chancellor for the development of Oakland University. At the close of the meeting the newly-elected officers for the coming year will be installed by Mrs. Ralph Main, president of the southeastern district of Michigan State Federation of Women's Clubs and a member of the local Woman's Club.

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League

efforts will be combined with the efforts of other citizen groups under the general direction of the state Coordinating Committee for the New Constitution which has appointed Mrs. Ruth Licherman of Huntington Woods as Oakland County recount chairman.

MRS. LICHERMAN will meet with the Oakland County Committee for the New Constitution Saturday at 10 a.m. at the Community House in Birmingham to lay plans for the Oakland County recount and announce training meetings for challengers.

Roberts

progress of the family solicitation phase of the United YMCA Capital Campaign today showed the metropolitan drive approaching a \$625,000 total.

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