

This & That

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fallen miserably to do what it failed miserably to do to expose others who were suspected of of-color activities affecting the honor and integrity of Congress. So long as Baker remains "protected by his former Senate 'pal'" it is so long will the U.S. Senate remain under a cloud of various suspicions. This, of course, also includes Lyndon Baines Johnson.

Herbert C. Hoover was, so history already has recorded, a truly great American citizen. Back in the Hoover-Roosevelt 1932 campaign, I arranged for 20 Michigan newspaper editors to spend part of an evening with him and Mrs. Hoover to discuss the then current world-wide depression. My old friend, the late Sen. Arthur Vandenberg, made this meeting possible. Graciously, the President and First Lady escorted us into the famous White House Lincoln study. Mr. Hoover explained that this great financial disaster started in Austria, then quickly spread world-wide. Although he was violently, characteristically criticized at the time (especially by his political opponents), the following years, until his death last week at 90 years of age, proved him to be respected and loved by all—even his former political enemies. With Hoover's passing, a huge chunk of basic character and integrity have left the American political and civic scene.

Most Americans vote as their parents did, or as their emotions dictate—too few of them are sufficiently informed about economic and civic subjects... too many are unaware of the historic pattern of nations that have, wittingly or unwittingly, tried a socialist welfare state to solve their numerous problems, and in the trying, their people have lost their liberty and freedom. Already the United States has gone beyond "the vestibule" of the House of Socialism-Welfarism. Who opened the "front door"? — why, "we, the people," who elected the "Do-Gooders" to high legislative and executive offices, not to overlook the appointed U. S. Supreme Court advocates of "the abundant life."

Once again autumn cometh, and with it the miracle of "leaves" that causes so much of our flora to color. The petals and leaves to weave another "blanket" for Nature's vast "bedroom." A little while and descendeth the immaculate white blanket of snow, to stay for its season and its eternal reason. But we know that when spring approaches, once

again life leaps into the being of the floral world... all so wondrous!

A people may want a free government, but if, from indolence, or carelessness, or cowardice, or want of public spirit, they are unequal to the exertions necessary for preserving it; if they will not fight for it when it is directly attacked; if they can be deluded by the artifices used to cheat them out of it; if by momentary discouragement or temporary panic, or a fit of enthusiasm for an individual, they can be induced to lay their liberties at the feet of even a great man, or trust him with powers which enable him to subvert their institutions; in all these cases they are more or less unfit for liberty; and though it may be for their good to have had it even for a short time, they are unlikely long to enjoy it.

—John Stuart Mill wrote this a hundred years ago.

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Economic Opportunity Commission Appointed

Creation of an Oakland County Commission on Economic Opportunity was announced this week by Delos Hamlin, chairman of the Oakland County Board of Supervisors.

"We are establishing this commission as the agency that will coordinate the programs established under the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, known more commonly as the Poverty Bill," Hamlin said.

"A group of community leaders, representing education, government, social welfare agencies, and the community at large met with Malcolm Lovell, executive director of the Human Resources Council of the state of Michigan, who has been appointed by Gov. Romney as coordinator of the Economic Opportunity Act for Michigan.

Mr. Lovell strongly urged the formation of a nonprofit corporation in which the major interest groups in Oakland County could join for a county-wide Community Action Program.

"IN LIGHT of this recommendation and similar indications from Washington, we have formed such a nonprofit corporation with a board of directors representing major interest groups and the community at large.

"The officers are Daniel T. Murphy, chairman; Carl F. Ingraham, vice chairman; James P. Dickerson, secretary; John Mellon, treasurer. The board of directors will appoint a Research and Planning Committee to aid in analyzing and developing a comprehensive program for our county so that we may qualify effectively for the benefits of this act.

City Marine Ends Recruit Training

Marine Pvt. Frederick H. Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Hamilton of 6839 Crestway, Birmingham, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, Calif.

MSU Hosts Parley On Superior Teens

Increasing the special educational opportunities available for Michigan's superior high school students is the aim of a conference of high school educators scheduled for Michigan State University, Saturday.

"It Can Be Done" will be the subject of Dr. Stanley Ilderton, director of the MSU Honors College, who will keynote this conference on special opportunities for superior students.

Among Michigan high school teachers who have been invited to serve as resource persons for the conference is Edgar Dotson, biology teacher at Groves High School.

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Close Vote Continues Airport Negotiations

The Oakland County Board of Supervisors, in a close vote, decided Tuesday to continue negotiations with Pontiac for the possible purchase of the city's municipal airport.

Negotiations will be handled by a six-member subcommittee of the board.

The supervisors voted to accept the \$10,000 outside consultant's report recommending the expansion of county airport facilities by acquiring Pontiac municipal airport.

Sales Leader

D. F. Lau, C.L.I., of Birmingham, an associate of the Detroit-Holland agency of the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co., with offices in the First National Bldg., placed 15th among his company's 2,000 full-time representatives in the production of individual insurance for the first nine months of 1964. Lau delivered a total of \$2,204,123 during the period.

Operation ORGANIZATION was the theme of Oakland County's March of Dimes community leaders' meeting on Wednesday at the Birmingham Community House.

More than 300 community campaign leaders and committee chairmen made plans to lead the 30,000 volunteer for the 1965 March of Dimes January campaign.

Birth defects cause every 16th newborn in Oakland County to be in need of medical care and rehabilitation. The March of Dimes campaign and research will strike against the crippling disease of birth defects as accomplished with help by the discovery of the Sabin Oral and Salk polio vaccines.

COUNTY campaign leaders for the March of Dimes victory against polio are baseball ace, Hal Newhouse and Al Kaline, both of Newburg; Lou Michel, Pontiac; Table Toppers Association and individuals, Wolverine Enterprises, and many other organizations.

Operation GO will take place Wednesday, Dec. 9, and Operation ACTION will be held on Jan. 2, 1965.

March of Dimes funds have aided over 1,200 birth defects, arthritis and polio victims in the amount of \$1,220,000.00 in Oakland County alone.

Install 1965 Slate At Metro Barracks

The Metro Barracks 2900 World War I, comprising Birmingham, Berkeley, Royal Oak, Southfield, Clawson, Troy, and neighboring townships north of Detroit and south of Pontiac will install officers for 1965 Sunday in the VFW Hall, 214 E. 4th St., Royal Oak.

All members of the armed forces of World War I are asked to come to the meeting or contact Fred Duddles of Ferndale, membership chairman. The auxiliary is asked to contact Mrs. Don Frazer of Berkeley, secretary.

Installation will be by past commander William T. Foster, Lucian J. Jackson, 613 E. Lincoln, Birmingham, is the adjutant.

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Madame Cadillac Joins Series

Painting of "Madame Cadillac Arrives at Detroit" is the latest in series on the history of Michigan by Birmingham artist Robert A. Thom, 6160 W. Surrey, under commission by Michigan Bell Telephone Co. Antoine de la Mothe Cadillac landed on the shores of the strait, called Detroit by the French, between Lake St. Clair and Lake Erie on July 24, 1701. He had in his flotilla his son, Antoine, 9; his second-in-command, Alphonse de Tonty; and soldiers, settlers and Indians. The arrival of Michigan's first pioneer woman—Madame Cadillac, with six-year-old son Jacques and Madame Tonty—grace a sense of permanence to the new settlement in the wilderness.

Life Insurance Ownership In City \$28,600 a Family

(Special To The Eccentric)

NEW YORK—Residents of Birmingham are more heavily insured than any other city at the present time than ever before. They have added considerably to their life insurance holdings in the past few years.

One explanation is that it is easier now than it once was to qualify for life insurance. Another reason is that local families have improved their economic position, making it possible for them to broaden this form of protection.

The result is that the capital amount of life insurance in force in Birmingham has climbed to an estimated total of \$28,885,000.

THIS IS BUT one of the ways that local residents have taken to safeguard the future. Another has been to increase their savings generally, putting more money into their bank accounts and into investment funds.

Figures on the subject, for the country at large and for each of the states, are presented in the new Life Insurance Fact Book and in other reports.

They show that the American people have built up a tremendous bulwark in the form of life insurance. It has reached the enormous total of \$750 billion, \$12,644,000,000 of which is in the State of Michigan.

WHAT DOES IT boil down to at the family level? The average family in the state, it is found, carries an amount of insurance that is equal to its net earnings, after taxes, over a period of 21.8 months.

Applying this figure to Birmingham, where disposable income per household averages \$1,306 per month, ownership of life insurance comes to approximately \$28,000 per family.

This compares favorably with the average in the United States, \$12,200 per family, and with the \$14,040 in the State of Michigan.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

BRITISH SOLDIERS IN WORLD WAR I ATE POTATOES THAT HAD BEEN PREPARED FOR SOLDIERS OF THE BOER WAR.

THE POTATOES HAD BEEN CUT INTO VERY THIN SLICES AND DRYERED, OR DRIED, BUT WHEN PLACED IN WATER, THEY SWELLED TO THEIR ORIGINAL SIZE.

THE WORK DONE BY THE HUMAN HEART IN ONE DAY IS EQUAL TO THAT OF A SECRETARY BIRD OF AFRICA, GETS ITS NAME FROM THE CURIOUS CRIST IT WEARS WHICH RESEMBLES A SECRETARY WITH QUILLS BEHIND HIS EAR.

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