

# It's Now B'ham-B'field League of Women Voters

The League of Women Voters of Birmingham became the League of Women Voters of Birmingham-Bloomfield by vote of the members at the organization's annual meeting Friday, April 10.

The change in name will enable the League to act on issues in Bloomfield Township and in the Bloomfield Hills School district once they have completed comprehensive studies of both areas.

The League adopted an agenda of local study programs which will cover some of the major current issues in the area. The Oakland County study will now be directed toward the evaluation of county home rules for the county, while the League continues the battle for flexible legislation in the implementation of the constitutional provision.

A BLOOMFIELD Township study begun last year, which will result in a "Know Your Township" publication soon, will delve into the structure of the township's government and the effects of possible or proposed legislation on that structure.

The study of initiative and referendum in the charters of local governments will support measures to gain initiative and referendum for Birmingham. A proposed but non-recommended study of planning and zoning for Birmingham received interest and consideration but did not gain the two-thirds majority required for passage.

The membership approved the development and compilation of a guide to the Bloomfield Hills School System, similar to the one they are preparing at the request of the Birmingham Board of Education. The Bloomfield Hills Board of Education has requested the guide.

MRS. WILLIAM Reddy was elected second vice president and Mrs. Lawrence S. King and Mrs.

John Willingham were elected to the offices of treasurer and secretary.

Directors elected for two-year terms were Mrs. E. Dorick H. Spann, Mrs. Richard Rick, Mrs. Lee K. Fisher and Mrs. James Cameron.

Directors elected to a one-year term were Mrs. Marcus Pirman and Mrs. James Scott. Appointed to the board were Mrs. Jack Bush, Mrs. J. S. Kemp, Mrs. Arthur Saltzman and Mrs. Barry McCabe.

Nominating committee for 1964-65 will be Mrs. Peter Keene, Mrs. French McCain and Mrs. John Haro.

Mrs. Garvin Bawden, Jr., president, Mrs. D. L. Zorn, first vice president, and directors Mrs. Robert Gray and Mrs. Arza M. Swart remain on the board for their two-year terms.

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## Obscene Calls Attributed to Fake Doctor

Telephone calls from a man claiming to be a physician conducting a "cancer survey" and asking obscene questions of Birmingham area women has resulted in a joint warning from major cancer control agencies.

Dr. W. T. Tinscher, executive vice president of the Michigan Cancer Foundation, a Torch Drive agency, and Robert H. Wickham, executive director of the American Cancer Society, Southeastern Michigan Division, disclaimed any knowledge of the man and warned that he represents neither cancer control agency.

SINCE THE heaviest concentration of calls have been in the Berkley and Birmingham areas, the agency executives said they assume the man is a South Oakland County resident.

Both the address and telephone number occasionally used by the man are fictitious. He also has used the name of a prominent physician to hold the attention of the women before beginning his obscene recitation.

Anyone receiving such calls is urged to immediately call local police and one of the cancer control agencies. The Cancer Foundation number is TE 3-0710 and the Society's number is TR 2-2277.

## Public Hearing Set For Lathrup Budget

The Lathrup Village budget for 1964-65 will highlight the May 11 meeting beginning at 8 p.m. in the AAA Building on Southfield Road. Adoption of the budget, as amended, is set for the same evening. A public hearing is slated, and Lathrup Village residents are invited to attend by the council.



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## Under Control

Birmingham firemen Tom Fox (No. 10) and John Follis manned a 2 1/2-inch hose in an effort to bring under control the fire that destroyed the barn on Hunter near Maple Friday. Fox was on duty at the Adams Station. Follis, off duty, was called in to help fight the blaze.

## Fire

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ated \$5,000 damage to the tandem bicycle shop, a tailor shop, two automobiles and several nearby garages.

THE BARN was vacant at the time of the fire. It had previously been used as a lumber yard and an artist's studio.

Fire Marshal Harvey Renshaw said the building was owned by Thomas Alban. It was insured, Renshaw said.

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## Dog Owner Fined \$50

A. R. Forster, 230 Woodbury, Bloomfield Hills, was found guilty Tuesday on counts of harboring a vicious dog and allowing a dog to run at large, in Bloomfield Township Justice Court.

Forster, who appeared before Justice Alice Gilbert, was fined \$50 and costs for violations of the Hills' dog ordinance.

ON MARCH 27 two German shepherds owned by Forster attacked and bit a 77-year-old Bloomfield Hills woman as she arrived at her home by cab.

The woman was treated at a Royal Oak hospital and released. Police said it was the first instance in which anyone had been viciously attacked by a dog within Bloomfield Hills.

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## Kids Fly Kites For Honors

Birmingham youngsters took the Optimistic Club's advice to "go fly a kite" last Saturday for their annual contest.

Winners are Jimmie Kendall, John Austin and Chris Weber, most unusual kites in their age divisions; Jimmie Kendall, Craig Hartle and Chris Weber, highest flying kite; and Jonathon Weber, most beautiful kite.

Second place winners were Sandy Forbush, David Alexander and Debbie Forbush, high flying kite; Laurie Kendall, Roger Williams and Mary Williams, most unusual kites.

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## Mayor

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isms," Renfrew said, "and hope that it will be a fruitful year."

He is serving the last year of his present term, having been elected in 1961.

A graduate of Ogden College in Kentucky, Renfrew lives at 867 Arden Lane. He is married and the father of one daughter, Mrs. Frederick Behr of Birmingham, and three sons, Charles B. and Robert B. of San Francisco and William F. of Lansing. He has 10 grandchildren.

Renfrew is a member of the Detroit Athletic Club, the Beacon Club, the Meadowbrook Music Festival and St. James Episcopal Church. He has also been active in PTA and Boy Scout work.