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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We had a very nice trip and enjoyed it very much, but it is always nice to get back to the Senior Men's Club and see all you fellows again. I am sorry to have missed the C.B.S. crew, but I understand everything went along very well and a big "Thank You" to Deb Marcy is indicated.

Don't forget the Ladies' Day Luncheon, October 23rd, at 12:00 noon, so make sure to get your tickets early. We would like to have our usual excellent turnout, so be sure to get your wife to put a date down on her calendar. Larry Hess will have tickets available on Tuesday, October 6th, and you will also be able to purchase them at The Community House desk.

G. S. Whittaker

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O suns and skies and clouds of June,
And flowers of June together,
Ye cannot rival for one hour
October's bright blue weather.

Helen Hunt Jackson

There is something in October sets
the gypsy blood astir.

Bliss Carman

That best portion of a good man's life--
his little, nameless, unremembered acts
of kindness.

William Wordsworth

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OCTOBER 1970 PROGRAM

Oct. 2 -- Officer Gary Hawkins Birmingham Police Dept,	Oct. 23 - (Ladies' Day) Mayor Ruth McNamee "Aesthetic Pollution"
Oct. 9 -- Mr. Arno Hulet "Abraham Lincoln"	Oct. 30 - Mr. Owen Goodrich "Hunting With A Camera"
Oct. 16 - Dr. Homer J. Armstrong "India"	

Bill Splittstoesser, Chairman

Harold Simms, Leader

NOVEMBER 1970 PROGRAM

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| Nov. 6 - Mr. Jerry Stone
City Administrator, Lathrup
Village | MICHIGAN EYE COLLECTION CENTER
Pictures and talk |
| Nov. 13 - Mr. Clark Hathaway | A TRIP THRU THE SANTA RIVER VALLEY
Slides and talk S.A. |
| Nov. 20 - Congressman Wm. Broomfield | TOPIC OF HIS CHOICE |
| Nov. 27 - Gulf Oil Corporation | WE CAME IN PEACE
Color movie of history of
space exploration |
| Bill Splittstoesser, Chairman | Victor Wagner, Leader |

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DISCUSSION GROUP - JIM POTTINGER,
Chairman

Contemplated Topics for October:

- Oct. 2 - Headlines of the Week
- Oct. 9 - "Nation's New Morality Comes With a High Price Tag"
- Oct. 16 - More "Tax Reforms" Contemplated for 1971
- Oct. 23 - A New Look at Mid-East Following Nasser's Death
- Oct. 30 - A Review of President Nixon's Trip - Was the Net Result
Good or Bad?

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GUESTS

Dick Taylor
 Dick Rasset
 Phil Jones
 Edwin Norris
 Harry Lunn
 Oscar Anderson
 William Wolfe
 Don Cohoe
 Steve Hammer
 Ross Mack

SPONSORS

Willis Losie
 Ernie Cecil
 Nicol McLean
 Dave Stamy
 Don McGuire
 Dick Dewey
 Geoff Whittaker
 Nicol McLean
 Virgil Wagner
 Murray Kennedy

NEW MEMBERS

Arthur H. Jones	499 North Eton, Birmingham	642-2856
Richard H. Taylor	928 N. Adams Road, Troy	646-6153
Earl L. Lakin	16207 Reedmere Rd., Birmingham	646-2553

We regret an error in the September Reminder. Anna May Bailey, daughter of Oscar Hubbell, was incorrectly given as Anna Mayley.

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The Door

The lintel low enough to keep out pomp and pride,
The threshold high enough to turn deceit aside,
The door band strong enough for robbers to defend,
This door will open at a touch to welcome every friend.

Henry Van Dyke
Contributed - Dave Stamy

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Yes, Gwendolyn, you might say a scratch pad is where a hippy lives.

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A village becomes a town
A town becomes a city
In the transition values are lost
More's the pity.

Birmingham remains a town
Where tradition is respected
A blending of old and new
Change when needed, accepted.

And if these values endure
People will always say
This is indeed a pleasant place
In which to stay.

John McPherson

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One fall, two bears were lying on the outside of their den watching
the leaves fall from the trees.

One bear said, "You know, some winter I think I'll stay awake--just to
see how all those leaves get back up on the trees!"

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"DECEMBER PARTY"

As you know, your special events committee has arranged a specially
good program for Dec. 2nd. The General Motors Choir of 75 voices will
be here to present a varied assortment of excellent songs. The first
part will be of a general nature and the second half will be "A Christ-
mas Story in Song."

Be sure and mark this event on your calendar as it will be an outstan-
ding event and includes a good dinner also. We were able to get them
for this club because we assured them we would have a good turnout.
You can bring guests also if you desire.

Kudos to one of our fellow members! In the July issue of "The Torch", there appears an excellent article, "Implications of Modern Biology", by our own Dr. John K. Ormond.

"The Torch" is the monthly publication of The International Association of Torch Clubs, consisting of members of the different learned professions.

Dr. Ormond has served three terms as president of the Oakland County chapter of the club. How inspiring and gratifying to include in our group a man whose contributions to society date back to World War I and who is still analyzing and interpreting new and important trends and developments.

H. H. Bogin

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GOLFERS-BOWLERS BANQUET

On Thursday, Sept. 24, 1970, the first Golfers-Bowlers Banquet took place at The Community House. There were 71 members present, all seated at card tables. After a tasty punch bowl, a delicious dinner, with all the trimmings, was served.

In the absence of President Whittaker, Vice-President Arthur B. Marcy welcomed the group with some choice remarks about the Senior Men's Club. Francis Leiber announced the plans for the Bowling Season and invited all members to participate.

The golf prizes were distributed by the committee members, consisting of Willis Losie, Oliver Hawkins and Norman Sanborn. Earl Bierbauer won the golf shoes by drawing the lucky ticket. Mr. John A. O'Brien was recognized as the champion of the club.

Many of the members enjoyed a game of bridge or pinochle before leaving.

It is recommended that this event will become an annual affair.

Gus Muth

BRIDGE SCORES FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1970

<u>Week of Sept. 4th</u>		<u>Week of Sept. 18th</u>	
High ----- Chas. Strelinger	4940	High ----- John Gates	4230
Second --- Ivan Graham	4320	Second --- Bob Connor	4140
<u>Week of Sept. 11th</u>		<u>Week of Sept. 25th</u>	
High ----- Carl Binkle	5360	High ----- Oliver Hawkins	7750
Second --- Ralph	4580	Second --- George D. Johnston	5900

High for the Entire Month of September 1970:
Oliver Hawkins - 17,250

Second High for the Entire Month of September 1970:
Ralph Marson - 14,260

PINOCHLE SCORES FOR SEPTEMBER 1970

Sept. 4th - High ----- Karl Sauskojus ----- 738
 Second --- Al Olin ----- 705

Sept. 11th - High ----- Al Olin ----- 729
 Second --- Francis Drittler --- 647

Sept. 18th - High ----- Francis Drittler --- 742
 Second --- Karl Sauskojus ----- 690

Sept. 25th - High ----- Francis Drittler --- 689
 Second --- Frank Rigotti ----- 531

Daniel M. Watts

1970-71 BOWLING

Sept. 28 - The assignment of Members to Teams is still under consideration. Those "still trying" -

	<u>3 Game</u>	<u>High</u>	<u>Average</u>		<u>Average</u>
	<u>Total</u>	<u>Game</u>			
J. Peereenboon	508	213	169	Savola	129
Hartsuff	503	199	168	P. Peereenboon	129
				Ulrick	128
Groves	476	200	159	Slawson	127
Hanlon	470	176	157	Watts	122
Williams	463	162	154		
Rigotti	458	168	153	McGuire	118
Dreyer	458	162	153	Saylor	117
Larzalere	453	183	151	Underwood	114
Splitts	451	170	150	Nightingale	112
				Stevensen	109
Daneke		177	148	Haines	104
Davey		172	146	Gates	98
Christianson			145	Doty	93
Hawkins			142	Kropf	91
Ansama			140		
Kreuger			140		
Gray			139	There were <u>35</u> in attendance.	
Fisher			139		
Kennedy			138		
Fish			137		
Leiber			134	F. M. Leiber	
Maki			134		

GOLF

The golfing season is drawing to a close; after what I believe has been most enjoyable for we seniors. The combined golf and bowling banquet was a howling success. More than half of the golfers received at least one prize. I trust Earl's (9-1/2 N) drawn prize does not result in corns (and thank you Carl Sitta) and all you other contributors.

In scoring you are aware, I expect, of the top scorers. The low gross was John Obrien's "39". There were three "low net" scores of "33 each" for Daley, Greer and Hanlon. Will Losie & Norm Sanborn should be commended for their work in handling the prizes. The play will continue as usual on Thursdays at nine until the course is closed.

Yours for pleasure at golf,
 "Ollie" Hawkins
 58-18=40