

SOCIAL RECAP

Reckless Drivers Did Eight Miles An Hour Back In 1906

Even way back in 1906, Birmingham had its traffic problems. In those days it was the delight of reckless motorists to race through the village at the breathtaking speed of eight miles an hour, frightening horses, killing chickens and risking the lives of pedestrians.

Speakers became such a menace in village thoroughfares that the commission found it necessary to veto the Detroit Automobile Club, then at Pine Lake, asking its cooperation in enforcing the law to make motorists throttle their "rod devils" down to the eight-mile regulation.

This interesting bit of history has been unearthed by members of the Pine Lake Country Club, who discovered it recently among the old records. This year is the 26th anniversary of the club, which began on June 25, 1906, at the Detroit Automobile Club.

A fitting celebration of the club's jubilee will be observed the month of July and in honor of its 26th birthday, and began over the week-end with a program continuing from Saturday night Monday, the next big "rod devils" day for the club will be July 10, when the annual water polo will be held, and the club championship tournament played.

The history of Pine Lake Country Club is an example of the changes that have taken place in the comparatively short span of 26 years. For instance, the first products sponsored by the Detroit Automobile Club in 1906 was "10 mile run" from Detroit to the clubhouse at Pine Lake by way of Ypsilanti, Saline, Ann Arbor, South Lyon, New Hudson, Farmington and Orchard Lake.

For this great event, the Tour and Run Committee was authorized to make plans and offer prizes, but the "run" had to be postponed on account of rain.

Golf was a much later development, as the club continued to function as an organization for motorists until 1916, when golfing was seriously considered. By that time the automobile had become established and dependable mode of transportation.

In 1917 the first seven holes were constructed, followed by two more holes two years later. It was not until July 1, 1921, that the 18-hole course was completed and opened for play. Since that time changes have improved the course, the most recent of which was the purchase of additional land in 1931 which enabled the club to lengthen the course.

It is interesting to note that among the founders of this organization were names that stand out conspicuously in Michigan political, professional and industrial history. There were, for instance, Russel A. Alger, Jr., Henry B. Joy, George William E. Metzger, Walter C. Whitney, J. Charles A. DeCharme, C. B. Kennedy, Dr. Bert H. Shurley, Royce and Robert C. Luginbuhl, and P. M. O. Page, W. B. McBurnshaw, and F. M. and W. E. Williams.

Of these, Mr. Henry B. Joy and Mr. Metzger are still members of the club. It was over Mr. Metzger's automobile how regime that the members met in the early days, and until the club moved to the country near Birmingham that sale in 1905, a clubhouse was built at Pine Lake.

It was largely due to the efforts of Mr. Metzger, Mr. Whitney, Mr. E. S. Hammond and Robert K. Vinton that the club changed its policy. Mr. Hammond was president at Mr. Hartman, secretary, when the golf discussion first began. Mr. Vinton was president when the name was changed to the Pine Lake Country Club in 1921.

As time went on swimming, tennis and other sports were added to golf, so that the tastes of all members for various athletic activities might be satisfied. Now the club is a member of the Michigan Amateur Athletic Union, under whose approval it conducts swimming and diving contests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hallock of Ann Street, their sons, Clark and Mrs. Olive Hirth of Pleasant Ridge, spent the Fourth of July week-end at the Hallock summer home at Bay Point, Mich. Mr. Hallock will spend next week-end at Lake Pontchartrain, where there for Traverse City to meet their daughter, Miss Dea Hallock, who will return with her parents.

Miss Clara Parkes of Denver, Col., is making an extended visit in Birmingham as the guest of Miss Anna Parks of Brown street.

Mrs. Albert Lipka of Hattensville, N. J., and her daughters, the Misses Catherine and Mary Louise, are spending two weeks at the guests of Mrs. Frank Corwell of Smith avenue. The Lipka family were former residents of Birmingham.

Family Gathers For Annual Reunion At Township Park

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Hallock of Pontiac were in charge of the Hallock family reunion which took place at the Township Park, Saturday, and was attended by 42 members of the family.

Following a pot-luck dinner, an informal program was presented by talented members, with old-time music for square dances furnished by the Hallock family orchestra.

A quartet composed of Clark, Edson, Rayman and Frank Hallock, sang a group of songs accompanied by Miss Dea Hallock. Readings were given by Mrs. Carrie Raun of Ann Arbor and Mrs. Charles O'Neal of Detroit.

Clark Hallock of Ann Street was appointed chairman. His arrangements for the 1932 reunion, which was held the fourth Saturday in June, Dr. C. Gowing was elected president for the year, assisted by Miss Ruth Gowing as secretary.

Members of the family who attended the reunion included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hallock and family of Birmingham; Mr. and Mrs. Noble Hallock and family of Royal Oak; Mr. and Mrs. William Hallock and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edson Hallock and Mrs. Mrs. Rayman Hallock of Pontiac; Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Hallock and family of Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. Delmer C. Gowing and family of Highland Park; Mr. and Mrs. Yvelant; Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neal of Traverse City, Mrs. Etta Wait of Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Arbo, Mrs. Paul Hirth and Miss Olive Hirth of Pleasant Ridge, Mrs. Margaret Smith of Highland Park and Miss Isabel Foreman of Birmingham.

Rev. E. M. Atkins, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, left this week for Muskegon, Canada, where he will his family for a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Synons of Brown street, and their son, Lloyd Synons, and his son, Eugene, of Pontiac, spent last week-end at Wild-Fog Bay near Bay Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Swartz of Turin attended the Hallock family reunion of the fourth of July, which was held at Unionville, on the farm of J. H. Kemp. About 75 members of the family attended.

Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Crawford of East Maple avenue spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Goodrich, at their summer home at Pine Lake. On the "Fourth," Mr. and Mrs. Smith entertained a pot-luck dinner. In addition to the week-end, there were Mr. and Mrs. Eunice Mings, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Adams and Miss Anna Parks.

The members of the Maple Ridge club will entertain a Thursday evening at a pot-luck dinner in honor of their husbands at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. White, near Pine Lake. Bridge will follow the dinner.

Miss Hazel Synons of Brown street, accompanied by her sisters, Mrs. O. H. Knox of Bay Point, Mrs. A. S. Synons, two weeks as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Knox of Dayton, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Garner Miller of Watley road spent the Fourth of July as the guests of Miss Grace Snyers of Jackson, Mich.

The Women's Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet Wednesday at 3 o'clock at the club, assembling to drive to Bloomfield Township Park where they will hold their annual basket picnic. Shuffle board and tennis will be played during the afternoon.

The Women's Missionary Union of the Baptist Church will meet Thursday, July 14, at the summer home of Mrs. Rachel Banyan at Lotus Lake. A short business session will be held and a pot-luck supper served. Mrs. Earl Cunningham is president, of the society.

Mrs. Victor Owen of Albany, N. Y., arrived last week to spend several weeks as the guest of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vliet of Brown street.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving B. Babcock of Long-Pine road, members of their family, and Mrs. Warren Hills, Mrs. Babcock's sister, will leave today for their summer home at Lake Reado, where they will remain for three weeks.

Birmingham Students Attend Music Camp ABOUT TOWN

Seven young musicians, all members of the Baptist High School Orchestra, were selected to enjoy the privileges and pleasure of the National Music Camp, at Woodstock, near Traverse City, this week.

Of this number six left Tuesday, and the seventh, Frances Allen, is now camping with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Allen of Watkins street, near Interden.

Included in the party leaving Birmingham were Vessie Martin, Pearl Baines, Mary Lambie, Roxanne Lambie, Bob Sabaun and Wilbur McDonald. Bob Sabaun will remain for another week with his brother, William, and Fred Johnson will join him for camping.

The National Music Camp is an organization which affords high school students with musical ability an opportunity for a brief period of concert study and contact with those of similar talent. Each week is devoted to a different subject, where a large number of students receives instruction. Last week for vocal students, the week for orchestra, and next week for band work.

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Pleasures Of Outdoors Lure Village School Set To Favorite Camp-Haunts

As summer advances and every grassy breeze whispers of some invigorating holiday, the outstanding thoughts of (today turns to thoughts of cool swims and cheerful days in the woods.

In the last 10 years or so, the summer camp under supervision of an organization increased in popularity with all members of this family including Mother and Dad. Today it is a recognized, taken-for-granted summer resort for boys and girls who enjoy the pleasures of outdoor life as soon as schools are out, the classes begin, and continues until the opening of the fall semester. Among the camps largely attended by that portion of the younger generation residing in Birmingham and the Hills are Camp Sherwood, the Girl Scout Camp at Danville, the Boy Scout Camp at Bay Lake, the Camp at Camp Brady, the Boy Scout Camp near Y. W. C. A. Camp, the Camp at Camp Brady, the Boy Scout Camp near Y. W. C. A. Camp, the Camp at Camp Brady, the Boy Scout Camp near Y. W. C. A. Camp.

Already a number of Birmingham boys have enjoyed outings at Camp Sherwood, which is now at the camp for the second period which began July 3 and will continue until August 1. Betty Dick, Lucile Hallett, Frances Stanley, Mary Jane Kinross, Dorothy Porter, Eleanor Fortner, Helen Riddell, Barbara Rupp, Elizabeth White, Bebe White, Eleanor Weston, Margaret Corryell, Roberta Chisum, Nancy Fletcher, Richard Williams, Y. W. C. A. Camp, the Camp at Camp Brady, the Boy Scout Camp near Y. W. C. A. Camp, the Camp at Camp Brady, the Boy Scout Camp near Y. W. C. A. Camp.

A smaller group of Birmingham boys are preparing their equipment for the second period, which will begin Saturday are Dustin Adams, John Clark, Jean Cromwell, Jane Ellen Ford, Patricia Hawley, Edith Ford and Barbara Roberts.

Other Birmingham girls who will spend all or a portion of the month of July at Camp Cavell include Jean Cromwell, Jane Ellen Ford, Patricia Hawley, Edith Ford and Barbara Roberts.

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Social Briefs

Mrs. C. H. McDurdy of Romeo and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Howe of Detroit, en route by motor to the western states, were seen Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Trummel of Ridgewood avenue. Rev. McDurdy and his wife, Mrs. McDurdy, are very residents of Birmingham.

Mr. Linton A. Barber of Windsor, N. C., who is spending several weeks visiting relatives in Birmingham, Michigan, left Wednesday as the guest of his father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Cassius Carter of George street. Mr. Barber will join his parents in two weeks.

Miss Dea Hallock left last Monday morning for Traverse City where she will spend two weeks as the guest of Mr. Etta M. White.

Mrs. Antoinette Montgomery of Purdy street and Henry Watch-poke of Pontiac spent the Fourth of July as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Goodrich, at their summer home at Pine Lake. Entertainment at the tennis club during the afternoon, and guests in the evening at a birthday dinner honoring Mrs. Goodrich.

Mrs. Francis C. Barry of Dorchester road has as her guest, her sister, Mrs. E. B. Kramer of St. Louis, Mo., who will remain for a fortnight.

Warren S. Hills of Ypsawood avenue will leave today for Chicago with his daughter, Susan, who will continue her journey from Chicago to Omaha, Neb., where she will spend the summer with her grandparents.

Miss Betty Dick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dick of Ashgyle drive, left Sunday for Camp Sherwood, the Girl Scout Camp at Danville Lake, where she will spend the month of July.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grosssett and their daughter, Jane, of Forest avenue, have left to spend the month of July at Sutton's Bay and Bay Shore in Northern Michigan.

ABOUT TOWN

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Miss Anne B. Cortis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick B. Cortis of Surfside road, was hostess on Wednesday of last week at a bridge luncheon at her home. Her guests included the Misses Charlotte Moore, Mary Tomlinson, Dorothy Herbst, Doris Veinmyer, June and Harriet Babcock, and Jean Rutherford.

Edward and Bill Lerchen, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lerchen, of West Long Lake road, are at Camp Charlevoix, where they will spend eight weeks. Mr. Lerchen, who drove his sons to camp last week, is the parents' representative on the Camp Council.

Members of the "Daytona Beach Club" will hold their annual picnic meeting at Bloomfield Township Park, Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry D. Wise of Willamsburg road, Bloomfield Village, was hostess at an informal luncheon at the Shadowlawn Dining room Friday. The guests included Mrs. Donald Van Pelt, Mrs. W. T. Herdan and her daughter, the Misses Virginia and Donnell, and Mrs. Ralph Steenson of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Titus of Dorchester road entertained informally at a Sunday evening, including among their guests, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rye, Mr. and Mrs. Eastway and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Morris of Chicago.

Bloomfield Estate Will Be Scene Of Musical Tea

The grounds of the Howard Hammond estate, "Hillwood" in Bloomfield Hills, will serve as picturesque setting for the musical tea and tea to be given Saturday afternoon for the benefit of League of Catholic Women.

The musical program will include vocal selections by Ruth Sackley and Miss Florence of New York. Tea will be served on the lawn.

Mrs. Hammond will be assisted by Mrs. Edward Akin Shaw, William F. Conolly, Mrs. Charles T. Fisher, Mrs. Joseph A. Brink, Mrs. J. A. Moynihan, Mrs. E. Ward, Mrs. William J. Brink, Mrs. H. B. Sharkey, Mrs. Leon Brink, Mrs. Thomas Melner, Mrs. Charles Brant and Mrs. A. Quinn.

Mrs. Donald G. Fiske of Tuscarora road is entertaining members of the sewing club at luncheon Tuesday.

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JUST AMONG US GIRLS

Miss Betty Neal, who is attending summer school at the University of Michigan, will be the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Neal of Oakland avenue. Miss Neal will be home over the holiday weeks of the summer and Frederick Pogle of Birmingham, Ala.

Miss Rosemary Neal of Oakland avenue left during the past week for Camp Charlevoix, where she will spend the summer. Miss Neal returned to Birmingham Friday, leaving the same evening with 20 boys whom he accompanied to Camp Charlevoix for the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. T. A. Neal of Oakland avenue will be home over the holiday weeks of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Botzford of Pine road, with their son, Jack, were guests at the Park Place Hotel in Traverse City over the week-end and holiday.

Among the Birmingham boys who are spending their vacation at Camp Charlevoix are Kay Phelan, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Behn of Highland drive; Norman Picaire, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Picaire of Abbey road; and Sam Garber, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Garber of Bloomfield Village.

John J. Gaffill of Hilltop lane and his wife, Mrs. Gaffill, for their son, Jack and Betty, and the remainder of the summer at their cottage at Harbor Springs.

Nancy and Fred Johnson, who spent several days last week in Evanston, Ill., have returned to their home at Adams road.

Mrs. Annie S. Lambie of Pittsburgh, Pa., and her daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. John S. Lambie of Pierce street.

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