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New Playground Champs Crowned

Every week finds new tournament champions being crowned on the city's playgrounds by the Recreation Board.

Last week miniature golf players receiving awards were: Butch D'Agostino, Bob Stephenson, Dave Phillips, Mickey Plumstead, Bob Marshall and Henry Parks.

Other tennis champions include: Tom Burdick, Teddy Dingler, Henry Burdick, Ronald Blinshell, Glen Orr, Sally Miller, Tom Kaiser, Errol Briendine, Jim Zimmerman and Earl Roberts.

Jerry Gravin, Art Clark, Glenn Orr and Tom Kaiser are the best punchers of the free hanging punching bag.

Winners in the basketball goal-tossing contest were: Bruce D'Agostino, Don Phillips, Hank Burdick, Michael Chary and Sally Miller.

Mother and Daughter Rifle Classes Held

Following a suggestion made by Mrs. Stanley E. Ross of 1422 Maryland the Recreation Board will hold rifle shooting for mothers and daughters each Tuesday evening from 7 to 8 on the police range.

Rifles and cartridges will be supplied to all members of the shooting club at the range. An open house and beginning class for shooting fundamentals will be held Tuesday, July 26.

Miss Toles attended Michigan State College and Mr. Schroeder was graduated from the same University. No immediate plans have been made for the wedding.

Each Tuesday at 5 p.m. is the deadline for news, society, classified and display ads.

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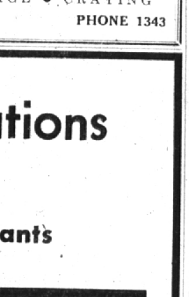


Barbara Toles

The engagement of Miss Barbara Toles to Darrin M. Schroeder, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schroeder of Fond du Lac, Wis., has been announced by the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. Frances M. Reineke of North Woodward avenue.

Miss Toles attended Michigan State College and Mr. Schroeder was graduated from the same University. No immediate plans have been made for the wedding.

Betrothed



Dorothy Scott

Mr. and Mrs. W. Carleton Scott of Red Maple Lane have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage on September 10 of their daughter, Dorothy Fisher to Alan Robert Hopkins. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer D. Hopkins of Arlington drive.

Miss Scott was graduated from the University of Vermont where she was affiliated with Pi Beta Phi sorority. Her fiancé attended Cornell University and was graduated from the General Motors Institute. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

Social Briefs

Miss Melinda Booth will leave on July 31 for Teton Valley, Wyo., to spend the remainder of the summer there. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Booth of Cranbrook road and their other daughters, Cynthia and Martha will be at the Old Trail Inn, Old Mission during the month of August.

On August 5, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Cushing of Bates street will be hosts at the rehearsal dinner preceding the marriage of Saturday of their son, Richard and Miss Gloria Lane.

Miss Mimi Ragsdale of Flint, Mich., was the houseguest last week of Miss Peggy Tollzien, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Tollzien of West Maple avenue. In honor of Miss Ragsdale and in celebration of Miss Tollzien's birthday, Mrs. Tollzien entertained at a luncheon last Thursday. Another guest at the Tollzien home was Miss Martha Seger of Milan, Mich.

After visiting their daughter, Gretchen at Hilltop Camp on Wallon Lake, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ben Ruhl of Puritan road plan to spend a few days at Torch Lake. They left on their trip last Sunday.

Mrs. Edward A. Pearson of Larchlea returned Saturday from a trip to New York City. The Pearsons will be leaving to make their home in the east presently.

Onekama on Lake Michigan is the destination of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Shuter of Woodland avenue who left last Saturday for a two-weeks' vacation.

Mrs. James Grier entertained last Saturday at a luncheon for Mrs. William McCall in her Fairfax avenue residence.

Miss Audrey "Johnnie" Johnson of Janestown, N. Y., is spending the summer with Miss Mary Quinn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Quinn of Fairview street. Dr. and Mrs. Quinn of Ann Arbor recently came down to spend a few days with their parents.

Mrs. Charles Hummel of Devon lane has returned home from a three-week vacation in California where she visited in Los Angeles and San Francisco and also toured many scenic spots.

Children Learn Police Methods

Everything but the price tag and the color socks worn was revealed through a plaster cast of a footprint taken by the city police department for the children at Barnum playground last week.

This was part of the police academy classes which are held each Thursday afternoon at 2 for all children interested. Various methods of crime detection are shown by members of the police force.

Future class activities are to be concerned with collecting evidence for hit and run cases. Headlight glass, grille scraps, tire impressions, paint marks and other debris which are found at the scene of accidents are to be used to illustrate the part that they can play in automobile identification.

A fake hit and run episode is to be staged at a later date. The students will then have practically learned knowledge to solve the accident.

Photographs for publication in The Eccentric must be submitted by Friday noon of the week before publication.

Tell Engagement



Mary Lewis Booth

At a luncheon in the Bloomfield Hills Country Club Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick E. Booth of Harmen street announced the betrothal of their daughter, Mary Lewis to Marlin Keith Edwards, the son of Dr. Charles B. Edwards and the late Mrs. Edwards of Kearney, Neb.

Both the bride-to-be and her fiancé attend the University of Colorado where she is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and he is affiliated with Chi Psi fraternity.

No date has been set for the wedding as yet.

Summer Theatre Will Stage Final Play at Baldwin Next Week

Rehearsals for "The Torch Bearers", final presentation of the Birmingham Summer Theatre, are entering their final stages. This theatrical play will be presented at Baldwin high school next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, July 27, 28 and 29, and will bring to a close the first season of the group, sponsored by the Birmingham recreation board.

Directed by Maurice Yenn, the cast includes Jack Sheenfield, John Yessayan, Charles Boyce, Bill Estlin, Dick Allen, Imogene Powrie, Mary Mayan, Betty Lou Ackerman, Pat Higby, Kit Scheif, Mary Baker and Jim Lurkins.

Want ads cannot be accepted after 5 p.m. each Tuesday.



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