

City Named in Property Suit

City Commission Monday evening authorized City Attorney Forster S. Haswell to defend a suit brought against the city and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Rosso in Circuit Court, by the Birmingham Park Improvement association.

Lawrence E. Smith
Landscape Design and Construction
135 N. Woodward in the Wilson Building
Phone MI 4-9336

Suit refers to the proposed use by Mr. and Mrs. Rosso of their property in the Birmingham Park allotment.

ONLY PORTION of the suit referring to the city is that it be restrained, enjoined and prohibited temporarily during the pendency of the suit and permanently thereafter "from permitting" the Rosso or any other persons from using any part of the lot as a private way or road, or for any other purpose than as a park.

Haswell stated that the plaintiffs' position is that use of the lot for other than park purposes constitutes a violation of subdivision restrictions.

The city attorney stated that a formal answer to the bill of complaint will be prepared.

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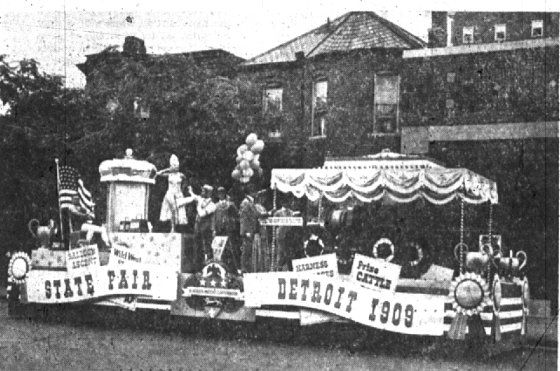
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PASSING THROUGH the Birmingham business district, before taking part in Detroit's 250th birthday anniversary Saturday, July 28, were this local area family in costume with their own horse drawn surrey. They are Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Geisler and daughters Dolores and Jane; and Barbara and JoAnne. The Geislers rode in from their home at 5630 Wing Lake road, and then had the horses and buggy trucked into Detroit. (Joe Wheeler Photo)



A LOCAL ORGANIZATION which sponsored a float in Detroit's 250th birthday parade Saturday was Dearborn Motors Corp. The State Fair of 1909 was the theme of the float. Little Egypt, strong men and other attractions of a fair midway were displayed along with the first Ford tractor. The 1909 model was obtained from the Edison Institute museum.

BEVERLY HILLS NEWS

By DOROTHY KELLY
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All-Star Game

John Madonik, as coach and his son Jay Madonik, the bat boy were among the all-star team that went to Midland last weekend to play a championship game. Mrs. Madonik and daughter Kay were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim O'Connor who motored to Midland to see their son Terry pitch a very good game.

Of Local Interest

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur L. De-Rogier and Mr. and Mrs. William McIntyre, motored to Muskogean and on to a cottage at Mariage. End. The DeRogiers moved to Bedford road recently from Ferndale with their children, Diane, Philip, Christin, Mark and Gay.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Krieger of Bedford road and sons Howard and Martin returned last week after making a two-week educational tour for the boys through Williamsburg, Washington, D.C., and other points of interest in the southeast.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Henick and daughter Terri have returned from a month's stay at their parents' cottage on Lyon Lake near Marshall. While away Don's sister and her husband, Dr. and Mrs. James Henderson, took over the Henick home on Auburn drive while looking for a house. They have moved in Pontiac where Dr. Henderson will be a resident physician at the General Hospital. The Hendersons came here from Denver, Colo., and have two children, Bruce and Susan.

Sunday will find Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barry at Camp Glen Lure near London, Ontario, for Parent's day to pick up their daughter Peggy who has spent the last six weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson and sons Bill and Bob went last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Louise Simpson in Hensall, Canada.

Raymond Walmsley, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. Walmsley of Beverly road is spending the summer as an instructor in drill work and horsemanship at Culver military academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Currier and sons Dennis and Michael and Mrs. R. LaFave's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Donnelly will arrive from Tampa, Fla.

John Elliott of Sudbury, Ont., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur LaFave this week. On Saturday Mrs. LaFave's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Donnelly will arrive from Tampa, Fla.

Corps Exhibition
Beverly Hills was honored last

Saturday when the Racine, Wis., Drum and Bugle Corps gave an exhibition here. Jack Barry of Arden place has a younger brother, Peter Barry, who is the drill master of Wisconsin Scouts. The Corps had been invited to represent the Boy Scouts of America in Detroit's 250th anniversary parade on Saturday afternoon. The Royal Oak Beverly Hills Improvement Association served lunch to the 54 boys.

Building Permits Issued LAST WEEK

TOTAL VALUATION	41	\$449,390	
New	Number	Valuation	
Private Residence	30	312,000	
Private Garage	6	6,600	
Church School	1	130,000	
Alterations			
Private Residence	4	2,700	
Business	1	1,000	
Mo. Permits	1951	1950 Permits	
Jan.	25	1,078,285	\$775,440
Feb.	28	699,429	281,960
Mar.	35	416,800	1,029,722
Apr.	32	699,429	281,960
May	109	949,454	8,652,056
June	72	780,000	1,024,332

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Indians, Sox Tied For Leadership In Little League.

The Indians and Red Sox are deadlocked for leadership in the second round of the Little League baseball season with two victories and one defeat.

The Yanks have two wins and two losses and the Tigers trail with one victory and three defeats. Results are of games played through Monday, July 30.

The Yanks took one of the best played games of the year from the Indians 3-2 Tuesday, July 24. Winning hurler was Art Weeber who gave up five hits. Larry Hower lost while allowing but four safeties.

THE NEXT EVENING, Wednesday, July 25, the Yanks were defeated by the Red Sox, 6-2, as Doug Waggner was the winning pitcher. In Thursday's tilt, the Indians took a wild encounter from the Tigers 19-5, with Roppy Hard hurling.

The Tigers surprised the Yanks Monday, winning 8 to 3. Jim Ellis, on the mound for the winner, gave up eight hits. The Tigers showed their best hitting power of the year also made eight hits, including a double and triple.

Games for the next week are Thursday, Aug. 2, Red Sox-Indians; Monday, Aug. 6, Tigers-Red Sox; Tuesday, Aug. 7, Yanks-Indians; Wednesday, Aug. 8, Red Sox-Yanks; Thursday, Aug. 9, Indians-Tigers. All games start at 8 p.m. and are played at Clara

National Publication Cites City Manager's Report On Work, Plans

"Your City in 1951," an 18-page booklet prepared by City Manager Donald C. Ebert, and sent to some 5,300 residents of Birmingham this evening, has been cited by "Public Management," a national magazine for municipal officials.

Prepared as a memorandum for new members of the city commission, the pamphlet was put in print and distributed in order that residents could get a clearer idea of what their city had accomplished and planned for the future.

Major improvements in 1949-50 were listed along with problems which need immediate consideration such as sewage, streets, water supplies and financing city operations.

E. Maple, From Livernois To Coolidge, To Be Paved

East Maple, from Coolidge to Livernois, will be paved with bituminous concrete by Oct. 15, 1951, the State Highway Dept. reported this week. The contract was awarded to the A & A Asphalt Paving Co., Birmingham, for \$48,331.13; 1.99 miles of 22 ft. roadway is the extent of the project.

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Knudson Memorial Park, at the the ball park is a score board in rear of the Lutheran church on left field. Previously spectators had difficulty in keeping track of One of the newest additions to the score of the games.

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