

Work Slated Soon On Test Well in Beverly Hills

Before work is started on digging the six-inch test well in Beverly Hills subdivision, approval must be received from the state health department, according to Southfield township supervisor William Rooser. Contract was awarded two weeks ago to the Leary Oberlin firm of Detroit. If results are satisfactory from the test well, a 12-inch well will be put in. This action is being taken to relieve the water situation in that area.

Rooser stated that approval is expected by the end of this week and work on the well construction should be started then. Site of the well is in the vicinity of 13 Mile and Southfield.

RECREATION ROUND-UP

Nineteen children of the recreation tennis group saw a semi-final match of the Birmingham Tennis Club's members tournament at Kingswood school on Wednesday morning, July 18. Kathryn Smith, defending club champion, and her partner Mrs. Ann Holmes defeated Mrs. Harriet Galbraith and Miss Patricia Price 6-4; 8-6. Those who saw the match were Albert Sweeney, Ruth Hibbard, Mary Lou Crouch, Sharon Gray, Kathy Matlock, Susie Bogan, Don Laird, Carlo Orlando, Jon Overgard.

Tom Sweeney, David Eldridge, Joe Savino, John Boothby, Andy Fairbanks, Butch Chantler, Fred Woodworth, Tom Woodworth and Don Zimmerman.

but he couldn't even hit the backstop. In fact some of the "experts" were suggesting that he was using blanks. However, it all turned out that Mike had the best laugh and he developed into a contest winner.

The fact that instructor Frank Weaver judged 51 entries in the final trampoline tournament and escaped with his life is probably a story in itself but it is routine compared with the account of the terrific battle which developed between Hank Burdick and Andy Fairbanks on the glorified bed springs.

After each contestant did his prescribed set of exercises, it took four extra sessions for the boys to settle the argument. Andy finally was declared top man.

When the Barnum pool was

completed in 1930, it was called the white elephant and a few other things not quite so pleasant. Today, according to officials, "we have reached the

place in our summer program where we must discourage rather than encourage further increase in capacity attendance. It is now the rule and not the exception.

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Pet parade winners at the Adams school playground on Monday had the fun showing off to a family pet but also witnessed an unscheduled championship bout between the cat and dog kingdoms. It seems that Tiger, a cat, decided to ride an uninvited dog guest.

Occupying ring seats were Kathy Babbitt with Tiger; Penny Ball with Topper; Betty Giles with Becky; Mary Beth with Sissy; Karen Rosenquist with Lady; Bob Sheed with Lee; Helen Leavenworth with Chipper; Jane Torrence with Queenie; Sally Satherwith with Chipper; Judy Lucas with Toby; Jamie Perry with Chico; Donna Andrus with Tony; Dianne Moore with Dinty; Billy Elmer and Whitney Walker with Bonnie.

This week's success story concerns Mike Harper and the rifle range. It seems that a short time ago when he first reported for target shooting, Mike not only could not hit the bull's eye

Obituary Notices

FRED E. YACHT, 59, of 11704 Birwood, Detroit, died after a long illness July 19 at the home of his sister, Mrs. William C. Forman, 4826 Walnut Lake road. He was born in Detroit on June 8, 1892 and spent his childhood in Birmingham attending the local schools. For several years he had been a warehouse clerk for the Crowley-Miner company in Detroit.

He is survived by his widow, May Campbell Yacht; daughter, Mrs. Ethel Valentine of Brunswick, Ga.; four sisters, Mrs. Thomas Myers, Maryville, Ohio, Mrs. Emerson White, Detroit, Mrs. Albert Lawrence of Chicago and Mrs. Forman.

Services were from the Bell chapel Saturday afternoon with burial in Franklin cemetery.

MRS. ETHEL C. LISTMAN, 61, of 25 Arlington, died July 19 in St. Joseph hospital, Pontiac, after a prolonged illness. Born in New Baltimore, N. Y., on June 6, 1890, Mrs. Listman had lived in Birmingham since 1928 and was a member of St. James Episcopal church.

Her only survivor is her husband, Herbert E. Listman, GMC Truck and coach executive.

Services at St. James Episcopal church Sunday afternoon were in charge of the Bell chapel. Burial was in Albany, N. Y.

MARTIN LOEW, 75, died July 23 at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Warren H. Williams, 31260 Lucerne drive, Southfield township.

He was born in Austria on Dec. 31, 1875 and in 1906 married Marie Wellman in Youngstown, Ohio. A former pattern maker for a Youngstown steel manufacturer, he came to Birmingham six years ago. He was a member of the Redeemer Lutheran church here.

Among the survivors are his widow, his daughter, Mrs. Williams, two grandchildren and a brother, Andrew Loew of Austria.

The body was taken to Youngstown for services and burial.

MRS. SARAH MELISSA BARR, 88 of 831 Ann, died at the Arnold home July 22 after an illness of four years.

Born in Hillsboro, Ill., on Dec. 2, 1862, she attended the academy there and was later a rural school teacher in Montgomery county, Ill. She was married to Emery G. Barr in Hillsboro on Sept. 18, 1887, and after his death in 1930 came to Birmingham to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Leonard J. Baker.

She was a member of the Presbyterian church in Hillsboro, the Browning Literary club and was superintendent of the church's primary department. After coming to Birmingham she became active in the Presbyterian church at Royal Oak.

Besides her daughter she is survived by a son Robert E. Barr of Ypsilanti and three grandchildren.

Services were from the Bell chapel Tuesday morning with burial in Acacia Park cemetery.

Construction Approved

National Production Authority has approved the application of the Beatty lumber company of Ferndale to construct a yard, office and lumber shed at the foot of Holland avenue. Estimated cost of the building \$13,340.

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