

Even people have ever reached anything like perfection in the art of living the full life on this earth. Most human beings are content, in their thoughts and aspirations to the getting of creature comforts... far from gaining the Larger Vision.

Suburban Seen

By KAY REED

If the "seen" is a little odd this week, don't blame the above named writer—she didn't do it. As a matter of fact she is busy "resting"—in New York City.

Probably the most noticed thing around town was the Tuesday and Wednesday change in the "Birmingham Theme Song." It was such a relief to our perspiring ears to hear people say, "Quite a bit cooler today," instead of "Heavens! Isn't it ever going to cool off a bit?"

Did you notice while reading the birth announcements last week that the daddies of two of our newest citizens are stationed in Heilbronn, Germany? The two little girls are daughters of Sgt. Gerald McPhail and Pfc. Robert Allison. According to the mothers of the two military men their sons are probably acquainted, more than likely went to school together in Birmingham, but so far as the mothers know, neither is aware that his neighbor is stationed in the same town.

Speaking of scenes—one of the oddest we've run across in a long time involved a lady last Saturday afternoon, strolling down Woodward avenue in the blistering heat, nonchalantly carrying two fur coats over her arm and busily licking away at an ice cream cone.

There's one die-hard in Birmingham's political scene. Just happened to notice a gentleman the other day whose coat lapel sported a Taft button... three days after the convention had ended.

Men are invading the women's field! There's a neighborhood in Birmingham where, nearly every evening of the week you can see two young fathers, side by side, pushing baby carriages while they take the "little ones" out for their evening airing. The mothers? They are usually watering the lawn or pulling weeds from among the flowers.

By the way, Miss and Mrs. Birmingham, while you're relaxing in the yard these days take special note of any branches of the elm trees that appear to be dying. The Dutch elm beetle reports are growing more plentiful as the pesky little insect travels about. First sign of its arrival? Dead branches.



MICHIGAN'S TOP women golfers converged on the Birmingham Country club July 14-18, for the Women's State Amateur Golf tournament. Among the Birmingham competitors were (upper left) Mrs. O. J. Wilson, shown testing off at the third hole. Upper right, Mary Margaret strokes a long putt at the same green. Lower left shows Mrs. Margaret Watkins driving at the third hole. At the right, Mrs. L. C. Laundry heads the ball toward the cup at the ninth green under the sympathetic gaze of Mrs. W. L. McGiverin. (Eccentric Staff Photos)

BEVERLY HILLS NEWS

By JUDITH ANDERSON
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A surprise party in honor of Mrs. Robert Smith was given by Mrs. Edward Krauss of Madeline recently. Attending were Mrs. Maurice Baldwin, Mrs. William Todd, Mrs. Robert Lapham, Mrs. David Johnson, Mrs. Richard Deversau, Mrs. James Siddall, Mrs. Jack Bode, Mrs. Robert Karp, Mrs. Paul McDonald, Mrs. Robert Hungerford, Mrs. Harold Wright, Mrs. Leger Parker, Mrs. H. B. Leinbach, Jr., and Mrs. Lindley Stout.

Eugene Haase of Devonshire went to Bloomington, Ind., last week to join Jerry McMillin to begin military service together. Don Nelson returned to his home on Riverside from the Naval base at Great Lakes, Mich., for a ten day visit before being transferred to Crains, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Baldwin enjoyed a ten-day vacation with their children Tommy and Ross at Okeley Beach, Can.

Mrs. O. B. Martin returned recently after a short vacation in Grand Rapids, where she was a guest of Mrs. Herbert Montague.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brain announce the birth of a daughter Janet Irene.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herrman celebrated the birthday of Mrs. William Rodger with a dinner party at Fox and Hounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Conover of Bedford have as their guest from Vancouver, B. C., Mrs. Edson Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Blackburn and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Racine and families enjoyed the weekend at Grand Bend, Can., recently. The Blackburns have moved from Hillcrest to Warwick.

Jack Souders of Devonshire and Robert Gillman are home after a two week vacation in the Upper Peninsula.

Frank, Cele and Carolyn Green of Devonshire gave a party recently. Cooking their own dinner were Grace Wyatt, Ricky and Carole Olsen, Curtis, Gary and Dale Ashcraft, Billy Rosemont, Judy and Shafen Walters, Mrs. Herbert Green and Mrs. Richard Olsen provided the refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hollowell and their son Dick who recently moved into their new home on Fourteen Mile entertained Mrs. Hollowell's brother Dr. R. A. Bennett from Anderson, Ind., last weekend.



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County OES Picnic
The Oakland County Association of the Order of the Eastern Star has scheduled a basket lunch picnic for July 27. The affair will be held at Kensington Metropolitan Park, New Hudson, with activities starting at 10 a.m.
Birthdays, anniversaries, guests, births, parties are all new—all the society editor about them.

Have You Met . . .
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Cahill who took up their residence at 2247 West Lincoln the first of this month? Cahill, manager of Navy contracts department for the Ford Motor company, is a member of Sigma Delta Kappa, national legal fraternity, and the Columbia university alumna association.

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