

Grass Grows On Dirty Carpets

Institute Finds That Grass Could Grow on 90% of Rugs!

Washington, D.C.—The National Institute of Rug Cleaning, Inc., finds that nine out of ten carpets are so dirty that a lush crop of grass will easily grow on them.

In other words most floor coverings are dirty. Sprinkle a little grass seed on them. Water the seed occasionally. Pull back curtains and let in the sun. In a few days, the grass will begin to pop up. Ordinarily, it would die out right away, but the grimy grime nourishment, as Mrs. Seale, of Washington, D.C. discovered. A patch of grass on Mrs. Seale's rug grew four inches high within a few days.

Unable to get the grass, especially the roots, out of her rug, Mrs. Seale, a normally fastidious housewife, looked up a reputable plant rug cleaner and turned the problem over to him. Although this is a little far

etched, it is possible. The average 9 x 12 rug holds from 2 to 4 lbs. of dirt.
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Obituaries

PATRICK E. JUETT, five-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Juett, 453 Walnut Lake road, Bloomfield township, died suddenly May 11.

He was born April 5, 1956, and leaves a sister, Amy, and three brothers, J. Lee, Christopher and Mark.

Also surviving are his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pastor and Mrs. Clara Juett of Detroit.

Private funeral services were Saturday in Bell chapel, Hamilton Co., with interment in Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Father Edmund Schwager of Holy Name church officiated.

CHRISTOPHER POWDERLY, 77, who made his home with a son, Robert J., 878 Chester, Birmingham, for the past two years, died May 11 at Green Lake convalescent home.

Born Feb. 24, 1879, in Dushore, Pa., he came here from Scranton, Pa. His grandfather was the first mayor of Scranton.

Besides Robert, surviving are sons Melvin of Scranton, Clem of Lancaster, Pa., and Jerome and Joseph of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Burial was in Scranton's Cathedral cemetery. Arrangements were by Melvin A. Schutt funeral home, Pontiac.

PAUL A. WAGNER, 51, of 1688 Northlawn, Birmingham, died May 10 at St. Joseph Mercy hospital, Pontiac, after a brief illness.

Born Dec. 4, 1904, in Lakewood, Ohio, he moved here 10 years ago. He was employed as a salesman Lumber Co. of Detroit.

Wagner graduated from Ohio State university where he was affiliated with Phi Kappa Tau fraternity. He was a member of the Masonic lodge, Birmingham county club and First Presbyterian church, Birmingham.

His wife, the former Mary Newell, survives, as do his father, Fred Wagner of Cleveland, Ohio, and a

Student Congress Officers To Be Chosen at BHS

Candidates running for next year's first semester Student Congress at Birmingham high school forthcoming election are Don Thacker and Jim Husted, president; Dave Cook, Ted Schaefer and Pat Berry, vice president; Sue Tabor, Sarah Hogan and Fred Finkenauer, secretary, and Fred Finkenauer and Sue Polhemus, treasurer.

Bill Swaney, Margaret Davis, Bill O'Neal, Jim Traas, Bob Hobbmeyer, John Bonds, Sally Hanson, Mike Patterson, Ann Gardner, and William Hill will be campaign managers for their respective candidates.

Local Antique Car Enthusiasts Slate 130-Mile Excursion

GRAND RAPIDS—Three Birmingham antique car enthusiasts are busy shining and polishing their autos these days to have them ready to drive in the second annual WOODLAND antique automobile tour May 19 through 20.

They are Richard Teague, who will drive a 1904 Rambler, Ralph Hulton, who will drive a 1911 Ford and Walter Turner, who will drive a 1929 Ford.

The Birmingham trio will join more than 100 other horseless carriages gathering for the 130-mile weekend excursion.

Following a live TV and radio show Saturday morning, the tourists will travel north through Grand Haven and Muskegon to White Lake where they will spend the night at Murray's and Lakeside Inns.

His wife, the former Mary Newell, survives, as do his father, Fred Wagner of Cleveland, Ohio, and a sister and brother, Mrs. Paul Hudson of Houston, Texas, and Robert of San Paulo, Brazil.

Funeral services were Saturday at Bell Chapel of W. R. Hamilton Co., with interment in Lakewood.

Week Produces Strange Variety Of Accidents

A strange miscellany of accidents were reported to Birmingham police last week.
Two motorcycles, Frank L. Allen, 25, of 1619 Cole, and Clarence Sayre, 46, of Walnut Lake, were treated at Beaumont hospital for minor cuts and abrasions after their cycles fell.

The two were practicing Sunday in a m o t o r o m e temporarily standing at 653 Eton when the back ends of their cycles touched and threw them off balance.

A BB OR PELLET gun is believed to have been the weapon which shot Mrs. E. K. Wilson, of Farmington, in the car in which she was riding drove east on Maple near Chesterfield Sunday.

A boy was reported to have ducked behind a bush as Mrs. Wilson felt the blow which resulted in swelling and bruises to her arm.

ONE OF TWO automobiles involved in a collision Sunday on Woodley near Chapin knocked down a fence and hit a car parked at Parmley's collision shop. The second vehicle struck and slightly damaged the building occupied by Miller Garden and Lawa Implement store.

Following the accident, Stewart V. Schell, 34, of Clawson, was admitted to St. Joseph's Mercy hospital with head injuries, and later released.

Also treated for minor injuries and released were the driver of the second car, John C. Buchart, 32; Dorothy M. Buchart, 37, and John W. Buchart, 1, all of Pontiac.

Police ticketed Schell on charges of driving under the influence of liquor.

ANOTHER ACCIDENT Thursday resulted in minor injuries to Dennis M. Patria, 12, of 2117 W. Maple, who was treated at St. Joseph Mercy hospital and released after a car being driven by his brother, David, 16, struck a utility pole.

Storm Drives Girl Scouts To Shelter

Quarion girl scouts, troop 478, scurried to secure tent lashings and move gear to Sunnyside unit house when the storm broke Saturday evening, the last night of their camp weekend at Lake Nar-rin.

The troop left for camp Friday in a heavy downpour, accompanied by Mrs. Edward Quinn as camp nurse.

Saturday morning was warm and sunny for their explorer hike. After a mid-day rest, the girls practiced their skill with hatchet and saw while preparing a large woodpile for cooking and campfire.

The storm caused an abrupt change in plans. Supper, as well as evening games and singing took place indoors.

Sunday morning, in an impressive ceremony on the hillside overlooking the lake, six girls were presented awards in campcraft by Mrs. Howard L. Canfield, troop leader.

They were Shirley Sampson, Martha Wild, Susan Canfield, Patricia Quinn, Marilyn Merker and Margaret Kemp.

Colon, Mich. is known as the "Magic Capital of the World" because its leading industry is the manufacture of magician's equipment.

5 Streets Dropped From Oil Program

Light oiling of 11 Birmingham streets and heavy oiling and sealing of 43 others was termed necessary by city commission this week.

At property owners' requests, Argyle, Emmons, Stanley, Westchester and Willits were struck from the program. A re-check will be made on the need for including Frank and Graefel, which are scheduled for water or sewer projects in the next year or two, and on Saffield north of Oak, which residents protest does not need new treatment.

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15' x 7'9"	230.00	120.00	
15' x 20'5"	665.00	400.00	
12' x 12'	190.00	115.00	
12' x 4'	65.00	35.00	
12' x 7'	139.50	100.00	
8'8" x 13'8"	181.35	91.00	
15' x 10'	199.00	135.00	
10'7" x 10'8"	150.00	100.00	
15' x 15'			
18' x 7'8"	298.75	198.75	
3'5" x 3'10"			

TWISTS		NYLON-RAYON	
REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
12' x 12'	191.20	130.00	
15' x 7'11"	132.50	80.00	
8'3" x 15'	164.50	120.00	
7'8" x 15'	160.00	115.00	
12' x 20'7"	76.50	39.50	
8'10" x 10'10"	120.00	75.00	
6'9" x 8'6"	65.00	35.00	
12' x 12'11"	215.00	150.00	
12' x 10'5"	150.00	100.00	

AXMINSTER		TWEEDS	
REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
12' x 18'11"	255.00	200.00	
12' x 7'	102.00	50.00	
6' x 10'	66.00	25.00	
12' x 8'5"	72.00	40.00	
15' x 5'7"	111.50	45.00	
9' x 12'			
grey, rose green	95.00	60.00	
Candy Stripe	159.00	90.00	

WOOL TEXTURED BARK		COTTONS	
REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
12' x 16'	210.00	175.00	
Grey Tree Bark	191.23	125.00	
12' x 7'	70.00	35.00	

COTTONS		TWEEDS	
REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
8'3" x 3'9"	27.95	17.50	
12' x 5'	66.50	35.00	
8'7" x 7'9"	60.00	35.00	
2'3" x 9'	81.50	50.00	
12' x 6'	32.00	20.00	
7' x 5'2"	116.50	80.00	
12' x 10'10"	91.00	60.00	
8'8" x 10'10"	90.00	65.00	
7' x 11'8"	69.00	45.00	
12' x 6'5"	106.00	70.00	
12' x 9'10"	70.00	47.50	
9' x 8'8"	310.00	270.00	
15' x 23'6"	37.50	29.00	
8' x 5'5"	111.30	77.00	
12' x 10'7"	132.50	84.00	
12' x 12'5"	172.00	109.00	
12' x 13'8"	255.00	165.00	
15' x 19'3"			

TWEEDS		COTTONS	
REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE	REG. PRICE	SALE PRICE
12' x 12'	143.20	112.00	
12' x 7'	92.50	65.00	
Aqua and Beige	116.00	60.00	
Gold Loop	187.95	145.95	
6'6" x 3'8"	95.00	50.00	
9' x 4'8"	82.50	40.00	
12' x 8'3"	302.00	250.00	
12' x 28'6"	96.00	35.00	
9' x 9'9"	87.75	35.00	
12' x 15'			

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Family Service Sets Open House

Family service of Oakland county is holding its first open house at its new administrative offices in Birmingham Sunday, May 20, from three to five o'clock.

The gathering will be held to acquaint friends of Family Service with its new quarters at 188 Oakland.

Board and staff members will be on hand to answer inquiries regarding the organization's services.

Birmingham area representatives on the board of directors are Carl E. Ingraham, Robert Snyder, Paul N. Averill, Mrs. Edwin J. Anderson, Rev. Robert D. Dewey, Howard Canfield, Mrs. Harvey Kresge, Mrs. T. Hollister Mabley, Harvey R. Hansen and Mrs. John D. Ramsey.

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