

Bloomfield West

WALNUT LAKE - BLOOMFIELD FARMS - BRAES
MEADOW LAKE - LONE PINE HEIGHTS

Bloomfield West Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mahrie, who were recently stationed at Walker air base, Howell, N. M., are making their home temporarily with Mrs. Mahrie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Finkle in Inlet road. The Mahries plan to settle in the Walnut Lake area.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Krause on Castle drive were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson and Mrs. Ray Rett of Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sherwood of Castle drive have returned from a six-week business and pleasure trip through the west.

Mrs. Joseph's Pair of Valley Spring drive, accompanied Paul on a business trip to Los Angeles, Calif. While there they visited Detroit friends, Twentieth Century studios where they were shooting "South Pacific" and toured Disneyland.

Mrs. Julian Offenstien will open her home at 5454 Putnam to members of the Walnut Lake branch of the WNPGA on Nov. 4, at 12:30 p.m.

Mrs. Frank Webb will talk on "Holiday Preparations," Mrs. Ross Banker, Mrs. Ernest Murray, Mrs. Robert White and Mrs. Anna Heinzen will serve on the tea committee.

On Nov. 11, Mrs. Wilfred Dierham, president of the Meadow Lake garden club will give a demonstration of Christmas decorations at the home of Mrs. E. J. Monteth, 6060 Old Orchard. Members are requested to bring their scrapbooks to this meeting.

Mrs. Frank Wickham, 6615 Meadow Lake, together with Mrs. Thomas J. Evans, Jr., of Huntington Woods, returned recently from a week vacation in New York city.

They saw several Broadway plays including, "Bells are Ringing," "Auntie Anne," "New Girl in Town," "Long Day's Journey into Night" and "The Three Penny Opera" in Greenwich Village. They also visited the United Nations and did a bit of shopping.

Three young housewives and mothers took a vacation from their household duties last weekend to pay a visit to a former Detroit friend, Mrs. D. W. Sprung of Berrien Springs.

Leaving the care of junior to dad were Mrs. Richard Monteth, of Birmingham, Mrs. Elmer Reinhardt of Detroit and Mrs. Richard Maurel of Bloomfield Hills. The girls enjoyed a shopping trip to South Bend, Ind., and dinners at the swankiest restaurants they could find.

Silver Tea

WEST BLOOMFIELD — The West Bloomfield-Bloomfield Women's Republican club will have a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Gordon VanCamp, Commerce road, Green Lake, on Nov. 14 from 3 to 5 p.m. Guest speaker will be George M. VanPursen, speaker of the house of representatives in Michigan.

Meadow Lake Group Sponsored Dance

MEADOW LAKE FARMS — The barn dance given by Meadow Lake Farms Civic Association Oct. 11 at Grammer's barn was a success. Some 126 people attended the square dance. At midnight a buffet supper, prepared by members of the ways and means committee, was served.

Many thanks are extended to this committee who worked so hard. Committee members were Mrs. James Loupe, chairman, Mrs. Walter Gerrick and Mrs. Ernest Murray, co-chairmen, Mrs. William Forrest, Mrs. Edward Houser, Mrs. Maxwell Casey, Mrs. Ted Gray, Frank Wickham, Mrs. Arthur Block, Mrs. Stanley Turner and Mrs. Alfred Olshek.

Mrs. Harmon Speaks To Scout Association

WALNUT LAKE — Walnut Lake Neighborhood Girl Scout association had their first meeting of the year at the home of Mrs. Julian Offenstien on Putnam drive Oct. 23 at 1 p.m.

Mrs. Jack Harmon of the Needlework guild talked to the group. Mrs. Lee Hansen has resigned as neighborhood chairman of the Walnut Lake area to become chairman of southern Oakland County Girl Scout training committee. Mrs. J. B. Roberts has been elected neighborhood chairman.

Ghosts and Goblins Attend Wiener Roast

MEADOW LAKE FARMS — Young ghosts and goblins of Meadow Lake Farms started their Halloween festivities Oct. 26, at 12 noon with a winner roast on the island. Grilled franks, hot chocolate, potato chips and cup cakes were served.

All children were dressed in fancy costume. After the party the children paraded home in a group with a partying gift of a bag of peanuts, an apple and a lollipop. Mrs. Ted Gray and Mrs. Ed Houser arranged the party and were assisted by several mothers.

Dr. Allan Birk Opens New Office

BLOOMFIELD WEST — Dr. Allan Birk has opened an office at 2880 Walnut Lake, formerly occupied by the late Dr. Donald Alken. Dr. Birk received his Bachelor of Science degree at Long Island university in New York and his Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon's degree at Chicago Osteopathic school of Medicine.

He interned at Art Centre hospital, Detroit. He is at present on the staff of Art Centre hospital and Pontiac Osteopathic hospital.

New Membership

BLOOMFIELD WEST — The senior Girl Scout troop 360, under the leadership of Mrs. J. B. Roberts, and Mrs. Julian Offenstien, assistant, are looking for new members for the troop and would welcome any new girl who is in the ninth through twelfth grade in the neighborhood. If any girl is interested, call Mrs. Roberts.

Scout Campfire

BLOOMFIELD WEST — Members of scout troop B-17, under the leadership of W. J. Ruth, scoutmaster, gathered around a huge campfire on the eastern shore of Hammond lake for an outdoor meeting. Winners were roasted and served with plenty of cider and doughnuts to the group who later sang camp songs and presented skits.

Hayride and Dinner

BLOOMFIELD WEST — Browne fourth grade troop 753 held a hayride and dinner at the Hayride Inn in Rochester, N. Y. The girls were accompanied by Mrs. J. C. Pais, troop leader, and Mrs. Frank Wickham and Mrs. John Holmes.

Square Dancing

WEST BLOOMFIELD — A series of instruction classes in beginners western style square dancing will be given in the West Bloomfield township hall. The teachers will be Mel and Dorothy Sheffer. Any person interested is invited to attend the classes. A tentative schedule for instructions is as follows: Nov. 7, 14, 21, 28, Dec. 5 and 12.

Guest Speaker

WALNUT LAKE — November 6 meeting of the Walnut Lake Women's club will be at the West Bloomfield township hall at 7:30 p.m. Virginia Peterson will speak on "Streamlined Home Management." Serving on the tea committee will be Mrs. John Bell, Mrs. Lester Johns, Mrs. Alfred Huber, Mrs. John Phelps and Mrs. Russell Rowe.

Campout Attended By 15 Boy Scouts

WING LAKE — Boy scout troop B-6 of Wing Lake school held a campout recently at camp D-Buc-A at Metamora.

Fifteen boys and eight dads attended, using the 15 pup-tents and one wall tent which the troop purchased this year with the money they earned selling Christmas wreaths last year.

They took and prepared their own food over open fires, hiked, played games, had lessons in woodcraft and some worked on achievements toward their eagle award.

Hearing Held On Drain Costs

SOUTHFIELD — A public hearing was held today on the allocation of costs to 14 communities in the 12 town drain area which must split up an estimated \$440,000 bill for the storm drain designed to relieve flooding in the South Oakland community.

The hearing, which was held in Royal Oak, directly affects Southfield township which drains some 1,900 acres in the area. Costs have soared from \$38,000,000 to \$44,000,000 during the past year.

Broomfield Seeks Separate Southfield Postal District

SOUTHFIELD — Congressman William S. Broomfield (R-Oakland County) has asked the post office department to "establish a separate postal district for Southfield and/or Westwood Village so that the residents will have uniform mailing addresses."

Broomfield, in a letter to Arnie M. Betts, post office regional director at Chicago, points out that "the residents of Southfield township have submitted to me petitions bearing some 1,400 signatures requesting the establishment of a separate post office to serve their area."

He adds that Southfield currently is served by six postal addresses which often results in "wholesale confusion in mail deliveries in the community."

In addition to asking Betts to consider establishing a separate postal district, Broomfield also requested he consider the construction of "any needed new facilities to handle the rapid influx of new residents."

David B. Redwood In 1st Postmasters' Instruction Course

LATHRUP — Postmaster David B. Redwood was one of seven Michigan postmasters who took part in the first postmasters' instruction program instituted by Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield to train new postal chiefs.

Redwood spent two days in Chicago at the Regional postal headquarters and the Chicago post office, largest single office under one roof in the world.

He also spent one day in Detroit and a day at Clawson observing postal operations. Redwood said one of the surprising facts he learned during his studies was that the United States postal department handles more mail than the rest of the world combined.

Board Accepts Election Canvass

BLOOMFIELD — The election board canvass on the Oct. 8 sewer bond election has been accepted by the township board.

The bond issue was defeated by a vote of 385 to 312. It called for the passage of a one mill levy per \$1,000 on the assessed valuation as equalized.

License Approved

BLOOMFIELD — A request for an SDD wine and liquor license by Nathan Kaplan at 1079 W. Long Lake road has been approved by the township board.

A similar request by Steve Gromack for an SDD license at the southwest corner of Maple and Telegraph roads was tabled by the board.

The Beverlys

WEST BEVERLY - EAST BEVERLY

Beverly Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. William Simpson of Arlington are having a costume Halloween party Saturday night. Guests of the Simpson's will be Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brindle, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McCarty, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton V. Newman, Mrs. Robert Hall, Mr. Eli Heick, Mr. and Mrs. James Gullberg, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Jordon and former Arlington residents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Joldersma who now reside in Niles Mich.

Jeffery, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Phelps of West Rutland will celebrate his fifth birthday Saturday and has invited a party of his friends to a party.

His guests will be Mario and Henry Seussel, Michael Mann, Bill Baldwin, Louis England, Kenny Lindensmith, Nick Baker, Bill Frackelton, Ricky Reynolds, Craig Bond and Butchie Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Venstra of Ann Arbor, daughter and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Dusen-dorf of Sheridan road, spent last weekend with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Hoover of Riverside drive have recently returned from an extended trip to the west coast and Montana. The Hoovers flew to California where they spent five weeks.

They visited Los Angeles, San Diego and San Francisco and La Canada where they spent some time with the Glenn Freemans, former residents of Beverly Hills. While Mrs. Hoover flew back to Detroit, Hoover travelled to Kalispell, Mont., to meet his good friend, B. G. Grimes of Huntington Woods for three weeks of hunting. Hoover was pleased when he bagged an elk, deer and a mountain goat.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Alexander, announced the birth of a daughter, Wendy Lee, born Sept. 27 and weighing 7 pounds. They have one other child, Robin Ann, 2½ years old.

The Alexanders are living in Lansing at present, where Alexander attends Michigan State university.

The grandmother, Mrs. Richard L. Alexander of 14 Mile road, has her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Brice, and her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wilson of Virginia, as her house guests for the winter.

Mrs. J. S. Kennedy, Jr. of Buckingham road will entertain her bridge group at lunch tomorrow. Members of the group include Mrs. Robert Saffell, Mrs. Thomas Hubbard, Mrs. Lawrence Spademan,

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Have You Met . . .

The Bruce J. Donaldsons of Beverly Hills? They moved to their new home on Amherst from Evanston, Ill. They have two children, Bruce, 5, and Robert, 2. Donaldson is an attorney associated with the law firm of Raymond, Chirco and Fletcher. He was graduated from the University of Detroit and New York university and is a Gamma Eta Gamma. Mrs. Donaldson is a graduate of Marygrove college and a member of the honor societies, Iota Gamma Alpha and Kappa Gamma Pi. They both like to hunt and are interested in all other outdoor sports particularly water skiing.

The Wm. M. Monahan of Marquette will entertain the Usher's club of Our Lady Queen of Marys, Saturday night before their dance.

Bruce Donaldson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Donaldson of Amherst, is 5 years old today. He invited some of his chums in for a party. Guests were, David Chaffin, Bryan Manley, Chris and Joseph Payne, Joe Fitzgerald and Bruce's brother Robert.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilde of Wentworth avenue have returned from Florida and an island hopping trip in the Bahamas. While in Nassau they stayed at the Fort Montagu Beach hotel.

Recent houseguest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boon, 18811 Riverside, were Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Leck of Wilmette, Ill. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Sanders formerly of Birmingham and now of Buffalo, N. Y. Leck is president of the Illinois alumni association. The group attended the Michigan State-Illinois game Saturday. They also visited the Boon's son Bob who is a freshman at MSU.

Hard wood makes better coals for a campfire than soft wood.

Detroit Carpenter Suffers Fatal Attack

BLOOMFIELD — Henry DeFauv, 55, a Detroit carpenter, died of a heart attack Oct. 24 while he was working with his son on a new home on Lockridge road in Indianwood subdivision.

He was taken to St. Joseph Mercy hospital, Pontiac, but was declared dead on arrival. His home was at 1960 Telkey, Detroit.

Discuss Assessment

FRANKLIN — W. H. Gallagher, Farmington township assessor, discussed the new assessment plan with members of the Woodstock Men's association when they met, Wednesday, at the Wellington road home of Jack Richards. Properties in the township are undergoing re-assessment for the tax rolls, and Gallagher was invited to explain the basis on which appraisals are made.

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