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Obituary Notices

Evelyn Larson Dies Saturday

Requiem Mass was conducted for Mrs. Evelyn Larson, 55, of 12275 Bingham road, Birmingham, at the Holy Name church Tuesday morning. Msgr. Eugene Paulock officiated with burial in Holy Sepulchre cemetery. Arrangements were by Bell Chapel of the Wm. R. Hamilton Co.

Mrs. Larson died Saturday at her residence after a long illness. Born March 5, 1903 in Providence, R. I., she lived in this area for 25 years.

SHE WAS TREASURER of the Larson Clay Pipe Co., of Ohio and a partner of the Larson Co., builder and supply firm in Detroit. Mrs. Larson was a member of the Hospital Guild, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., the Holy Name Altar Society and was active in several Catholic charities.

She is survived by her husband, August; four sons, Edward, John A., Donald R. and Robert P.; and a mother, Mrs. Mary Gerhardt; also nine grandchildren.

MILWARD TED HOWITT, of 23712 W. 13 Mile road, Birmingham, died Monday at William Beaumont hospital after a short illness. Born Aug. 24, 1886 in Amherstburg, Ontario, he lived in Birmingham for 18 years.

He was a consulting engineer for Schroeder Machine Co. of Detroit for 12 years. Mr. Howitt first worked with the Dodge Brothers in the tool and die department. He was affiliated with the Michigan Tool Co. and was one of the founders of the Continental Tool Works of Detroit, of which he was vice president and general manager.

CONTINENTAL is now a division of the Exello Corp. He continued with Exello as superintendent of the division until 1936. He was then made general manager of Siewek Tool Co. and was with them until he became consulting engineer for Schroeder.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Clayton H. Lennon of Birmingham; a son, Clyde M. Howitt of Birmingham; a sister Mrs. Wilbur Johnstone and a brother, Richard L. Howitt of LaSalle, Ontario.

Services were Wednesday at Bell Chapel of the Wm. R. Hamilton Co., with entombment at White Chapel cemetery. The Rev. Warner R. Cole of Covenant Baptist church was assisted by Elder Wilbur Neff of Bay City, Mich.

MRS. MARY PARKS GIRMUS, 94, of 707 Harmon, Birmingham, died March 6 at Bloomfield hospital after a short illness. Born Oct. 30, 1865 in Troy, she lived in the area since 1917.

Mrs. Girmus taught school in South Dakota, Oklahoma and Highland Park. She attended

Teachers college in Detroit and graduated from Alma college. She was a member of the IAM Temple in Detroit.

She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Emma Parks Baidus of Birmingham; a niece and four nephews.

Services were Saturday from the Bell Chapel of the Wm. R. Hamilton Co., with cremation at White Chapel. Mr. Paul Center officiated.

WILLIAM FRANK TYLER, 63, of 18135 Dunlams, Birmingham, died Sunday at Harper hospital after a short illness. Born Oct. 30, 1894 in Indiana, he lived in Bir-

mingham for six years. Mr. Tyler was employed at Chrysler Corp. for 35 years.

He is survived by his wife, Sara; two sons, Norbert of Waterford and Clifford H. of Royal Oak; two sisters and a brother also survive.

Services were Wednesday from the Wm. Vasu funeral home with burial at Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Carl G. Maier, Agency Executive

Funeral services for Carl G. Maier, 6105 Surrey, Birmingham, a prominent advertising executive who died suddenly at his home March 9, were from the Wm. Vasu Funeral home Tuesday with the Rev. Francis Dickson officiating.

Burial was in Arcadia Park cemetery.

He was 53 years of age and vice president of the Campbell-Ewald Co., having been a member of its staff since 1935. He became production manager of the firm in 1944 and a vice president four years ago.

Born in Detroit on July 10, 1904, he was well-known in the graphic arts field throughout the area.

He is survived by his wife, Marcella; two daughters, Susan Lynn and Judith Lu; two sisters and two brothers.

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Hills Estimates Paving Costs

Bloomfield Hills city commission took steps Tuesday to eliminate parking violators at the Cranbrook. The commission decided to investigate sewer routes to prevent new parking spaces from being paved, paving being torn up later.

The commission adopted a weight ordinance regulating road loads. City Manager Elmer Klopfer gave estimates totaling \$71,645 for paving of Odyke road from 1312 N. Woodward avenue, for paved to Woodward (\$20,000) and tents.

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