

Combined Effort Creates Vacation Fun



MRS. HUGH GLIME WITH 14-MONTH-OLD HENRY

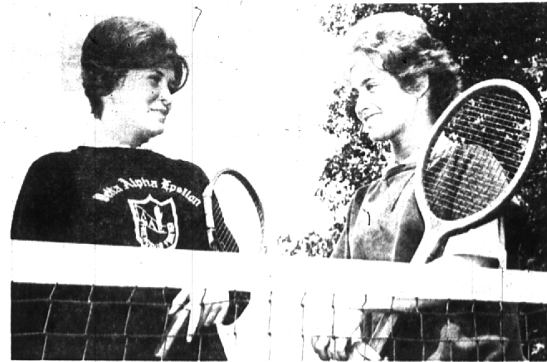


Four houses built on five lots combine to make a whole of a backyard, especially when no fencing breaks the sweep of property from one wooded end to the other. Such is the case in Beverly Hills where the 12 Glime cousins, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy, Hugh, Eugene and Don Glime, have lived next door to each other on Baleswood for the past 10 years. Because of the youngsters, a playground de luxe has evolved, including tennis and badminton courts, a swimming pool, a baseball diamond, a putting green, animals (a pony, lamb and three poodles) and a kitchen garden complete with scarecrow, this project under the sole care of Hugh Glime Jr. and his cousin Chuck, who proudly keep four kitchens well stocked.



KITTY GLIME AND FLUFFIE

Illustration by Al Marshall



GROVES CLASSMATE CAROL REDFERN (LEFT) WITH KAREN GLIME

Suburban Scene

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Modern Fairy Tale

Once upon a time there was a family living in Pennsylvania consisting of 11 brothers and four sisters. As the years went by and the children grew up, four of the brothers, being almost of an age and scampy in each other's aims in life, decided to come West to win fame and fortune.

Ten years ago, after careful consideration, they established themselves in Birmingham where they purchased five lots, erected four houses, side-by-side, and continued raising the families which had already got underway back East.

Currently there are 12 young cousins living next door to each other on Baleswood in Beverly Hills, and if you don't know the Glime family—or about them—then you don't have kids. For word gets around, at Groves and at Greenfield, and there isn't a student who's unaware that the Glimes have created a youngsters' paradise in their own backyards. The brothers Glime, whose vision, love and interest promoted the project and kept it alive, include Leroy, Hugh, Eugene and Don, ably assisted by their four attractive wives. Young people belonging to them, respectively, and serving as constant inspiration for the playground deluge are Karen, Sammi (a daughter) and Fred; Hugh Jr., Kitty, Jane Ann and Henry; Bob, Chuck and Cindy; Don and Terry.

Anything Missing?

The combined Glime yards, unfenced except for shrubbery, measure 750 feet long by 288 feet deep and include a huge above-ground pool (regulation type to be built next year when smallest tikes will then be old enough to enjoy), tennis courts, a baseball diamond, badminton, a putting green, swings, slides and a tector totter PLUS a pony called Silver Sue (Sue for short), a lamb, who answers to the name of Fluffie, and three poodles.

Down at one end of the property is a flourishing vegetable garden planted with tender loving care by Hugh Jr. and cousin Chuck. Tomatoes, beans, pumpkins and radishes are growing in profusion under the protection of as rakish a looking scarecrow as ever came out of the Wizard of Oz.

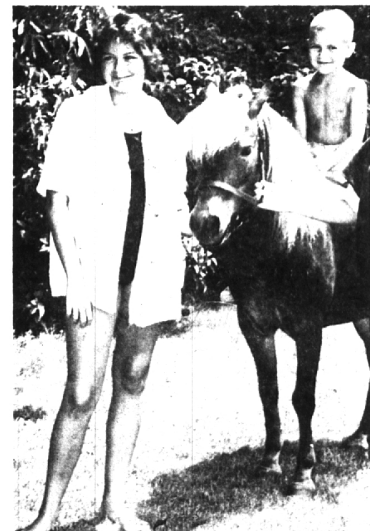
Giant Size

And of course there's a tremendous grill for the petting living which is enjoyed most of the summer. Family barbecues are seldom attended by less than fifty or sixty (there are lots of relatives living in Detroit and nearby areas), and frequently there are parties including that number of young people. Friends of the youngsters are always welcome. Brunet and vivacious Mrs. Leroy Glime agreed with us that the set-up is "pretty wonderful," then smiled and added ruefully, "but just let one of us wives suggest a vacation AWAY!"

That's when the men respond in full chorus, "WHY, when we've got everything right here!"



GUEST NETTA WHITE (FROM LEFT) WITH CINDY AND JANE ANN GLIME



SAMMI GLIME WITH BROTHER FREDDY ASTRIDE SILVER SUE

Dixie Land Sets Theme At Oakland

"Showboat"! Edna Ferber wrote it, Oscar Hammerstein II dramatized it, Jerome Kern composed the music for it and Oakland Hills Country Club has the setting for it in a colorful Saturday evening party, July 28.

The club's olympic swimming pool is the docking site for a Mississippi showboat. Pool-sitters and bathers will vacate the pool deck early that day so it may be polished and made ready for dancing. Bouncy music will be offered by two bands, Captain Eddie and his Dixie Barons and Hank Warren and his Riverboat Revelers. During a short intermission, there will be a Showboat Revue floor show. Another highlight of the evenings' entertainment will be a professional demonstration of the Louisiana shuffle.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS Mr. and Mrs. David M. Diltz, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bauby, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hatch, Jr. and Mrs. John J. Abers have arranged that the area surrounding the swimming pool will be colorfully decorated with garlands, lanterns and Spanish moss drooping from the tree branches. Old Southern hospitality in an abundance of food and beverage will be added to the Yankee neep. (See THEME, 2-C)

Come One, Come All! Fun to Reign

Preparations are rapidly being completed for St. Mary's-in-the-Hills ninth annual Country Fair Saturday. This year an old-fashioned Country Auction will begin the day at 10 a.m. A fascinating collection of the useful, the decorative and the amusing has been gathered and should attract the attention of bargain hunters and collectors alike.

The fair itself, with its many colorful booths, opens at noon. Everything from candles and candy to white elephants will be displayed in the Church's beautiful rural setting at Joslyn and Greenfield Roads, southwest of Lake Orion.

There will be all sorts of entertainment including a puppet show given twice during the afternoon. Special attractions will be offered children, including pony rides and a Kibbie Korer.

VARIOUS KINDS of food, including a Country Cupboard, refreshment booths, a cracker barrel and a ham dinner served from 5 on, will be available during the day. Proceeds are for the benefit of church activities.

Local people involved include the Edgar Beattys of Lane Pine Road, the Allan Malcomsons of E. Maple, Mrs. Duncan McCallum of Oak St. and Mrs. Moffet Gray of Lincoln Road.



THE LEROY GLIMES AT SAME OLD STAND