

Study Center Opens Oct. 13 In Birmingham

Classes in the development of study skills will begin Oct. 13 at the new Maplehill Education Development Center, 287 Oakland Avenue.

Designed to assist students and adults in their preparation for college studies, the center is staffed by highly trained personnel, many of whom are also currently teaching at Wayne State University and Michigan State University.

To provide maximum opportunities for those enrolled, classes are limited to 10 students. Many are planned for late afternoons, evenings and Saturdays to accommodate those employed during the day.

Founders of the school, also serving on its faculty, are Harold J. Abrams, Dale L. Flynn and Merrill L. Miller.

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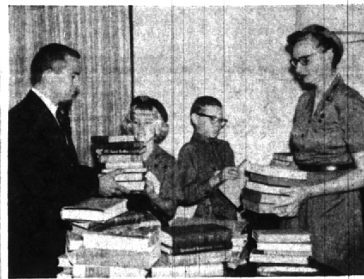
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Book Drive

Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts in Troy are helping to scout up books for the new Troy Public Library today, tomorrow, Saturday and a week from Saturday (Oct. 20). Sherwood Shaver, Troy Postmaster and a director of the Friends of the Troy Public Library, accepts some early donations from Judy Hollingsworth of Girl Scout Troop 450, Craig Hughes of Boy Scout Troop 1710 and Craig's mother, Mrs. John Hughes, leader of Judy's Girl Scout Troop. President of Friends of the Troy Public Library is C. Thomas Austin of 3371 Upton, Birmingham.

Letter 'Disturbs' Lathrup Mayor

LATHRUP—"This approach disturbs me. Instead of handling the problem on its merits we're offered \$200,000 an acre, to a builder who is interested in building some good-looking, 2-story brick garden court apartments."

In these words, Mayor Richard Lathrup summed up his reaction Monday night to a letter from Louise Lathrup Kelley which was sent to City Attorney Everett Cogger by Barbara to the Evans Ditch in the area of Roseland.

IN HER LETTER, dated Oct. 2, Mrs. Kelley said she was willing to sign the case form "on the following conditions:

"I have sold 12 acres, over the acreage part of the subdivision. The mayor noted that the case was located in one part of the city, the 12 acres in another part of Lathrup. The two matters were unrelated, he said.

"If this is a request, it should go through the proper channels," he said.

"The council cannot morally give away any of the citizens' rights."

MRS. KELLEY HAS previously petitioned for a change to multiple-dwelling zoning for land owned by her on 12 Mile Road, near the western city limits. The request was never acted upon.

A proposed alternate route would Her letter did not specify where

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the 12 acres was located.

Mrs. Kelley's husband, Charles D., objected to the letter being read aloud at the council meeting when his wife was away. He said she was out of town for a few days.

Cogger replied, "Anytime we receive a proposal like this, I can assure you it will be made public."

WHEN COGGER mentioned condemnation proceedings, Kelley said, "I think Louise would go against her attorney and give you the case. She won't do it again."

The resolution on the condemnation proceedings was given a unanimous vote by the council.

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Obituary Notices

Mrs. John M. Riley

Mrs. John M. (Jane) Riley, 84, of 656 Purdy, Birmingham, died Oct. 7 in Bloomfield Hospital after a short illness.

She was a member of St. James Episcopal Church of Birmingham, a member of St. Peter's Guild of that church, a member of the East of Besborough Chapter, Daughters of the British Empire, U.S.A., and a member of the Senior Citizens Workshop of Birmingham.

She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Thomas McCall of Beverly Hills; a brother and one grandson.

Services, arranged by the Manley Bailey Funeral Home, took place Wednesday in St. James Church, with burial following in Acacia Park Cemetery.

Mrs. James A. Cox

Mrs. James A. (Etta Ellen) Cox, 85, of 3113 Sheridan Drive, Beverly Hills, died Oct. 4 at the Hilton Convalescent Home in Pompano Beach, Fla., where she was for the past six years, coming from Afton, Okla., where she was a member of the Methodist Church and Order of Eastern Star.

She is survived by a son, Beltram M., of Birmingham; three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services, arranged by Manley Bailey Funeral Home, took place Oct. 7 in Afton.

Judd C. Smith

Judd C. Smith, 88, of 850 N. Adams, Birmingham, died at his residence Oct. 9. A retired automobile salesman, Mr. Smith was a member of the First Congregational Church of Ypsilanti where he had lived preceding his move to this area three years ago.

He is survived by his wife, Eleanor B.; a daughter, Mrs. Harold J. Norton of Pontiac; two sons, M. Beridge Smith of Birmingham and Richard W. of Ypsilanti; a brother, Carroll, of Greenville, Mich.; and two grandchildren.

Mr. Smith was at Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co. preceding services which will take place today at 2 p.m. in Greenville.

Cecil M. Knights

Services for Cecil M. Knights, 70, former sales manager of the Hanson Van Winkle and Munning Co., took place Tuesday at the Manley Bailey Funeral Home.

Mr. Knights, formerly of Birmingham, died Oct. 5 in Pompano Beach, Fla., his residence since his retirement five years ago.

Surviving are his wife, Eleanor; three daughters, Mrs. Everett Gould of Drayton Plains; Mrs. Michael Ryzas of Westfield, N. J.; and Mrs. Paul Bird of Milan, Ill.; a son, Lee M. of Sunningdale, Washington; two sisters and 13 grandchildren.

Burial was in White Chapel Cemetery.

Mrs. Orman Harper

Mrs. Orman (Mae Belle) Harper, 86, of 2822 Manchester, Birmingham, died Oct. 8 in William Beaumont Hospital after a short illness. A life-long resident of Oakland County, Mrs. Harper was a member of the first Baptist Church of Birmingham.

She is survived by a son, Clifford F., of Birmingham; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will take place today at 1 p.m. in the Manley Bailey Funeral Home, with burial following in White Chapel Cemetery.

George J. Tomi

George Tomi, 82, of Detroit, father of Emil N. Tomi of Birmingham, died suddenly at home Oct. 5.

He is survived by another son, George J. Jr., of Detroit; his wife, Mary, and four grandchildren.

Following a prayer service Oct. 7 in the William Vasu Funeral Home, the funeral took place Oct. 8 in St. George Cathedral in Southfield. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery.

James I. LaPine

Following a brief illness in William Beaumont Hospital, James I. LaPine of Royal Oak died Oct. 4. A former Birmingham resident, Mr. LaPine had retired in 1961 as a field supervisor with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. He had been with the company 48 years.

He was a member of the Shrine of the Little Flower and the American Legion.

Survivors include his wife, Claire Mae; three sons, John O. of Clawson, Philip A. of Birmingham and U.S. Air Force Capt. James E. of Holmstead, Fla., and six grandchildren.

A rosary service took place Oct.

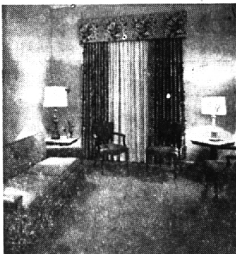
Dominic L. Koltys

Services for Dominic L. Koltys of Dearborn took place Oct. 8 at St. Hugo of the Hills, preceding which a rosary was said at the William Vasu Funeral Home.

Mr. Koltys, 78, died Oct. 4 following a brief illness in Mt. Carmel Hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Frances; two sons, Henry of Bloomfield Hills and Raymond A. of Detroit and three grandsons.

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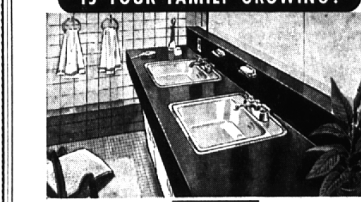
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