

Obituary Notices

Long Illness Takes Life of Mrs. Bemis

Mrs. Elden J. (Marion Holden) Bemis, 70, of 525 Greenwood, Birmingham, died Oct. 7 following a prolonged illness. Writer, publicist and for more than 30 years prominent in Detroit area public affairs, Mrs. Bemis, at the time of her retirement three years ago, had been public relations director for the Cranbrook Institutions.

She moved to Grand Rapids, where she finished high school and where she went to graduate school from the University of Michigan. Her journalistic career was interrupted in World War I when she became a psychotherapist and specialist in nerve rehabilitation in Army hospitals.

Mrs. Bemis was active in the Democratic Party, and in addition to the Women's City Club was a member of the League of Women Voters, Planned Parenthood League, Alpha Phi Sorority, Detroit Historical Society, Founders Society of the Detroit Institute of Arts, American Association of University Women and Public Relations Society of America.

MRS. BEMIS was best known to thousands of clubwomen for the 18 years she spent as publicity chairman of Detroit's Women's City Club and editor of the club magazine.

In the early 1920s she was a reporter on the old Capital News in Lansing and a feature writer and art critic on the Detroit Free Press. She also wrote for several local magazines.

Mrs. Bemis—known by almost everyone as "Hodie", nickname of her youth—was born in Santa Ana, Calif.

William H. Long

William Henry Long of Detroit, formerly of Birmingham, died Oct. 2. Funeral services took place Saturday in the Harper-Mulligan Funeral Home, Highland Park, with cremation following in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mr. Long, who owned his own plumbing and heating company in Detroit and Royal Oak for 40 years, was a life member of Eureka Lodge No. 509, F&M; Sragheona Chapter No. 175, R.A.M.; was a member and past reader of Fifth Church of Christ Scientist. He is survived by his wife, Hannah (Nan); a daughter, Mrs. Wilma Newton of Plymouth; two sisters in England and two grandchildren, Nancy and Richard.

Mrs. C. Albert Olin

Services were held Saturday for Mrs. C. Albert (Lillie E.) Olin, a Birmingham resident for 20 years, in Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co. Burial was in Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Mrs. Olin, 71, died Oct. 8 in St. Joseph Hospital following a brief illness. A member of the First Methodist Church of Birmingham, she lived at 1199 Westchester.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a son, Carl A., Jr. of Rochester; two daughters, Mrs. Bell Gatson of Mt. Vernon, Ill., and Mrs. William E. Shultz of Royal Oak; two sisters and six grandchildren.

Meadow Lake Troop Gives Scout Awards

Troop 14 of Meadow Lake School, Bloomfield Township, awarded its first Eagle ranks to three Scouts Thursday.

They are David Phillips, 6435 Westmoor Drive; John Payne, 4492 Broomfield Lane; and James Wager, 4619 Hedgewood Drive. The Eagle awards were presented by Kenneth Sanderson, vice president of the Clinton Valley Council, a 35-year-veteran and an Eagle Scout.

The Scouters award was presented to John Payne, father of Eagle Scout John Payne, by Jack Frost, district chairman of Manito District, Clinton Valley Council.

Jones, Pete Hirt, Dave Przewdzki, Gary Sherman, Randy Wirth, Clifford Kubit, Bob Harris and Jerry Bayer.

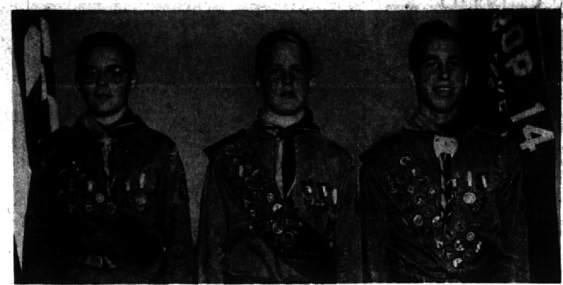
FIFTY-THREE merit badges were awarded for work done since the last court of honor in June by members of the troop.

Other guests in attendance at the ceremonies were Edward H. Leland, chief Scout executive of Clinton Valley Council; Willard H. Wells, assistant chief Scout executive; Jim Rikabough, assistant district commissioner of Ottawa District; and the parents of Troop 14 members.

Scoutmaster Arthur J. Brooks reported that advancement and merit badges were awarded to 29 Scouts, culminating the summer program.

Commission Lauds Municipal Court

Birmingham city commissioners went on record Monday night in praise of the city's municipal court. The commission passed a formal resolution congratulating Judges John C. Emery, Jr., Edward M. Emery on the court's recent award.



Eagle Scouts (from left) James Wagner, David Phillips and John Payne.

Lathrup Swim Pool Law in Court Test

LATHRUP—The city will go into Oakland County Circuit Court Oct. 25 to defend its swimming pool ordinance.

City Attorney Everett Hayes told the city council Monday night that his pre-trial efforts to have the suit dismissed had failed.

The suit, lodged by Elois and Elizabeth Harps, 18720 Saratoga, against the city and City Administrator Gerald D. Stone, will be the first test of a swimming pool ordinance in Michigan.

THE SUIT CHARGES that the plaintiffs were denied a permit to construct a swimming pool on their property because they had not acquired consent of 70 per cent of property owners within 200 feet of their premises—as required by the city ordinance.

The Lathrup Zoning Board of Appeals also turned down the Harps' petition on April 26. The suit further charges that

unless the plaintiffs are issued a swimming pool construction permit they would be "denied the full use and enjoyment of their premises."

Abutting property owners objected to issuance of the permit because they felt that the noise generated at the location would be a nuisance.

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Joseph C. Mahannah

Joseph C. Mahannah, 73, of 101 St. Andrews St., Birmingham, died Tuesday in his home following a prolonged illness. He was a retired engineer for the Kelsey Hayes Steel Co. of Detroit and had also been general manager of various plants throughout the United States and Europe.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, Shrine and Scottish Rite of Memphis, Tenn., and also a member of the Methodist Church of Memphis.

He is survived by his wife, Pontie; a daughter, Mrs. William T. Almadore of Clarkston, and four grandchildren.

Services will take place this morning in the Memphis Funeral Home, Memphis, Tenn.

Nathan Linden

Services for Nathan Linden, a commercial and residential builder in Detroit for 40 years, took place Monday in the Ira Kaufman Chapel, Southfield. Mr. Linden, 66, died Sunday in Sinai Hospital. He was with his wife, Ada, at 19230 Silvercreek, Southfield.

He was a member of Congregation Shaare Zedek, a life member of the Zionist Organization of America, belonged to the Jewish National Fund Committee and Mosaic Lodge No. 530, F&M.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Victor; three daughters, Mrs. Harry Nelson, Mrs. Bernard Kline and Mrs. Gerold Freed; and 11 grandchildren. Burial was in Clover Hill Park.

Mrs. Susan Maloney

Following a brief illness, Mrs. Susan C. Maloney, 36, of 663 Harmon, Birmingham, died Saturday in William Beaumont Hospital. She was employed in the advertising department of the Royal Oak Tribune, and had been a Birmingham resident for 29 years.

She was a member of Holy Name Church in Birmingham, Book League and was an associate editor of Town Hall magazine. She was also actively involved in volunteer work for The Boy's Republic.

A graduate of Sacred Heart Convent, Grosse Pointe, she was also graduated from Hollis College in Roanoke, Va. She attended the University of Detroit and Cornell University.

FUNERAL services, arranged by Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co., took place Monday in Holy Name Church.

Mrs. Maloney is survived by two sons, Charles and Michael; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Cary of Harbor Springs, and a brother, Michael, of Grosse Pointe.

Mrs. E. E. Rothman Educators

Private services for Mrs. Edward E. (Ruth) Rothman, 59, of 3665 Lakewood, Birmingham, took place Monday in Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co. Mrs. Rothman died Saturday at her residence following a long illness.

Daughter of the late Albert and Mrs. Kahn, Mrs. Rothman was a member of Temple Beth El, Detroit; Delta Gamma Sorority, the Women's City Club of Detroit and the Birmingham Village Woman's Club.

She attended Liggett School in Detroit and Emma Willard in Troy, N. Y. She was a graduate of the University of Michigan and completed post graduate work at Harvard University.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William Brasher of Birmingham and Mrs. William Truetner of Chevy Chase, Md.; two sisters, Mrs. Harry L. Winston and Mrs. Martin L. Butzel, both of Birmingham; a brother and four grandchildren.

Plan Chairman Is Appointed By Township

Fred Chapman is the Bloomfield Township Planning Commission's new chairman. He succeeds Chad Anichie.

Chapman, who is serving his second term on the commission, was selected by fellow members at their meeting Monday night.

Herbert Herzberg will serve as vice chairman and John Hamilton as secretary. Herzberg was appointed to the commission two years ago and Hamilton two months ago.

Members also paid public tribute to the services rendered them by township clerk Deloris Little. Mrs. Little attends all commission meetings, makes out its agenda and writes up the minutes.

SELECTION OF commission of ficers for the coming 12-month period followed a public hearing on two amendments to the township zoning ordinance. The amendments were approved later in the meeting.

One change includes office, clinic, convalescent homes and churches as approved use of areas zoned for research park. The other allows erection of fences up to six feet in height provided the township Board of Appeals specifically approves.

Other action by the commission set Nov. 4 for a public hearing on a request for the rezoning of three lots on Manor Road from residential to multiple. The lots lie immediately east of Woodward.

Educators Hold Session In Waterford

The Region Seven Council of the Michigan Education Association will hold its monthly meeting at 5 p.m. today at Plerce Junior High School, Waterford.

Charles H. Lemke, principal of Conant Elementary School, Bloomfield Hills, is council president.

THE SESSION will include a regular region business meeting and also a workshop for the MEA statewide teacher tenure campaign.

The MEA will begin circulating petitions Friday requesting the passage of a tenure bill. The proposal seeks to enlarge the provisions of a 1937 law which provides tenure in those school districts voting it in. Waterford Township adopted tenure under the 1937 law in 1953.

Rex Lundquist

Rex Lundquist, 19, of 3263 W. Maple, Birmingham, died Sunday in Henry Ford Hospital following a four months' illness. A 1963 graduate of Seaholm High School, he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Lundquist; a brother, Lee, and four sisters, Darlene, Jill, Joy and Joyce.

Funeral services took place Tuesday in the Vau-Lynch Funeral Home, with burial in White Chapel Cemetery. The family asks that memorial tributes be sent to the Heart Fund.

Mrs. Ella Bliven

Mrs. Ella Bliven, 85, of 18469 Melrose, Southfield, died Friday in the Southfield Nursing Home. Funeral services took place Sunday in the Vau-Lynch Funeral Home, with burial following in Armada, Mich.

Mrs. Bliven is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Charles Lee, with whom she made her home; Mrs. Sparkman D. Foster and Mrs. Oliver Bardin; a son, A. Robert Bliven; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Willis B. Buchbinder

Willis B. Buchbinder, 61, of 30655 Woodside, Franklin, died Tuesday in his home. Funeral services will take place today at 1 p.m. in Northwest Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co., 18900 James Couzens. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Born in Detroit, Mr. Buchbinder was president of Buchbinder Clock Systems, Inc. He attended the University of Michigan and from 1930 to 1945 worked in the research department of General Motors Corp. He was a member of Ionic Lodge No. 474, F&M, the Harmon Club and Woodward Avenue Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his wife, Olive; three daughters, Mrs. Richard Hall of Royal Oak, Mrs. John T. Thyfault and Kay; a brother, Walter; a sister, Mrs. Elsa Fulton and four grandchildren.

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