

Fenton E. Ludtke

Fenton E. Ludtke, 75, of Highland Park, father of Fenton A. Ludtke of Birmingham, died March 28 in Highland Park General Hospital.

In addition to his son, Mr. Ludtke is survived by his wife, Lillian; a daughter, Mrs. John F. Denton of Dayton, O.; a brother and two grandchildren.

Funeral services took place Monday in the McManis Diamond Funeral Home, with burial in Woodlawn cemetery.

Rudolph Diem

Rudolph Diem, 60, father of Mrs. Jack L. Bedell of Birmingham, died suddenly March 28 en route back to his home in Royal Oak from St. Petersburg, Fla. Born in Vienna, Austria, Mr. Diem had lived in this area for seven years.

Preceding his retirement in 1957, he was a co-owner of the Combini Tool and Die Co. of Detroit and had also been employed by Chrysler Corp.

In addition to Mrs. Bedell, Mr. Diem is survived by his wife, Marie, and two grandchildren. Funeral services took place Wednesday in Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co., with burial in Cadillac Memorial Gardens, East Detroit.

Mrs. A. C. Densmore

Mrs. Alton C. (Ruth R.) Densmore, 47, of 17126 Kirkshire, Beverly Hills, died March 27 in William Beaumont Hospital. Funeral

services took place Tuesday in the Spilles-Spitzer Funeral Home, Royal Oak, with burial in Oakview Cemetery.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Densmore is survived by her mother, Mrs. Loretta Resch and two brothers, Russell and Glenn Resch, all of E. Palestine, O., and a sister, Mrs. John R. McPhoe of Poland, O.

Terry Ferguson

Terry Lee Ferguson, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ferguson of 19415 W. Fourteen Mile Road, died March 27 in William Beaumont Hospital.

In addition to her parents, Terry is survived by two sisters, Diane and Sharon; a brother, Gary, and her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Arthur Cheek of Illinois.

Services took place Monday in the Vau-Lynch Funeral Home, with burial in Roseland Park Cemetery.

Jacob A. Havel

Jacob A. Havel, 65, of 1124 Bird St., Birmingham, died March 27. Services, arranged by Vau-Lynch Funeral Home, took place Monday in Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Church, with burial following in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Mr. Havel was a retired project engineer for General Motors Truck and Coach Division and a member of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Church.

He is survived by a son, William L. of Birmingham, a brother and a sister.

Carl E. Larson

Memorial services for Carl E. Larson, 70, of 4830 Ardmore, Bloomfield Hills, took place Monday at Kirk-in-the-Hills, with private interment following.

A former owner and manager of Beardsley Furniture and Home Furnishings, Detroit, Mr. Larson died March 27. He was also owner of the Executive Building, Birmingham, and a member of the Highland Park Rotary Club and the Economic Club of Detroit.

He is survived by his wife, Frances G.; two sons, Donald B. of Alamogordo, N. M., and Richard M. of Plymouth; a brother; three sisters and three grandchildren.

Memorial contributions can be made to Kirk-in-the-Hills Memorial Fund.

Carvel R. Fenske

Carvel R. Fenske, 45, of 2810 Latross Lane, Birmingham, died March 28 in Veteran's Hospital, Dearborn. A veteran of World War II, he was a draftsman with the General Motors Corp.

He is survived by his wife, Aurelia; his mother, Mrs. Etta Fenske of Pontiac; three brothers and three sisters.

Services took place Wednesday at the Vau-Lynch Funeral Home and in Holy Name Church, with burial in White Chapel Cemetery.

Verne S. Willard

A well known pianist and composer, Verne S. Willard, 57, of 4400 Seminole, Beverly Hills, died March 27 at his residence.

He was a member of the Detroit Federation of Musicians for 33 years, a former musical director for radio stations WJBK and WXYZ and also conducted his own orchestra for many years.

He is survived by his wife, Helen; two daughters, Patricia and Barbara, and two sisters. Services, arranged by the Vau-Lynch Funeral Home, took place Monday in Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Church. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Mrs. Mabel Seeley

Following a long illness, Mrs. Mabel Sheldon Seeley, 82, of 10654 Westwood, Birmingham, died March 28. Services took place Monday in the Manley Bailey Funeral Home, with burial following in White Chapel Cemetery.

Preceding her retirement, Mrs. Seeley had been a casualty agent for the Astma Insurance Co., Detroit, for 40 years. She had lived in Birmingham for the past 12 years.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Thomas J. Mills of Birmingham; three sisters; a brother; two grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Mrs. John G. Kirsch

Mrs. John K. (Hulda O.) Kirsch, 85, mother of Mrs. Harold A. Storch of Birmingham, died March 25 at her residence in Utica, N. Y. Private services took place in Detroit March 31, with burial following in Glen Eden Cemetery.

In addition to Mrs. Storch, Mrs. Kirsch is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Arthur E. Kleps of Utica; a son, Gilbert J. of Detroit and seven grandchildren.

Fred D. Simpson

A resident of Lathrup Village for 26 years, Fred D. Simpson, 69, of 18327 San Jose Drive, died March 28. He had been employed by Dodge Division of Chrysler Corp. for 40 years.

Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth A.; a son, James F. of Whittier, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. Frances Jean Cheesman of Berkeley; six grandchildren and a brother.

Services took place Monday in the William Sullivan and Son Funeral Home and at St. Bede's Catholic Church. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Mrs. Leon Tooley

A former resident of Birmingham and a graduate of Baldwin High School, Mrs. Leon (Dorothy Tracy) Tooley, 64, died suddenly March 19 in Wayne.

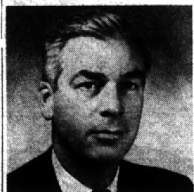
In addition to her husband she is survived by three sons, Richard of Livonia, Robert of Wayne and Donald of Los Angeles, Calif.; a brother, John Tracy, and a sister, Mrs. Bessie Hogan, both of Birmingham; another sister, Mrs. Wilma Whiteley of Highland Park, and eight grandchildren.

Toros A. Kantarian

Toros A. Kantarian, 82, of Detroit, died March 29 in Detroit Memorial Hospital. A retired rug dealer, he was the father of Edward Kantarian of Arlington Road, Beverly Hills.

He is survived by his wife, Beatrice; a brother and three grandchildren.

Services took place Wednesday in the Vau-Lynch Funeral Home, with burial in Woodlawn Cemetery, Detroit.



General Chairman

Norman B. Weston, 1091 Lakepark Drive, Birmingham, is serving as general chairman of Family Affairs Month for the Detroit area.

Weston is vice president in charge of the trust department of the National Bank of Detroit. Each year for the past four years bankers have joined with three other fields — lawyers, insurance men and certified public accountants — to encourage every head of a family to



Teen of the Week

Because of his wide interest in all types of student activities, James Dean has been selected as The Birmingham Eccentric's Teen of the Week. As president of the Brother Rice Student Council, he has displayed his leadership. Jim's musical abilities are attested to by his singing and playing of the guitar for the Briers, a folk singing group. He also plays the piano and the bass. Jim has the lead role in the school presentation of the play, "The Mouse That Roared," which will be presented on April 16, 17 and 18. Athletics are not forgotten as he is a member of both the varsity football and track teams. Besides all this, Jim is also the treasurer of the National Honor Society and a member of the French National Honor Society. When free time can be found in his busy schedule, he enjoys snow skiing and water skiing. Upon graduation in June Jim would like to attend Harvard and then follow a law career. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Dean, 640 Baldwin Court.

The holes in Swiss cheese serve no particular use, but are a feature that is introduced during the manufacture of the cheese. At one stage, while the cheese is still plastic, it is kneaded and stirred. During this process, gas bubbles are formed in the cheese and, since the cheese is very thick and viscous, the bubbles cannot escape but remain in the form of holes. The holes in Swiss cheese have become such an accepted feature that different markets favor cheese with holes of different sizes. The French, for instance, demand cheese with small holes, while Americans like their Swiss cheese to have large holes.

establish a plan for his retirement and his family's future financial security. Mayor William Burghum has issued a proclamation proclaiming April as Family Affairs Month in Birmingham.

Named VP. William J. Cochran has been elected a vice president of the Devon Management Co., an investment and management firm. Among its operations, the company manages Creative Capital of Michigan, Inc., a licensed small business investment company, and also participated in the recent purchase of the Ford and Dime Buildings in downtown Detroit. The company has offices at 1100 North Woodward, Birmingham, and in the Ford Building, Detroit. Cochran lives at 19180 Riverside, Beverly Hills.

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