

Reception For Freshmen Was Merry Event

Ladies from Japan and Holland, dancers, men from the Emerald Isle flitting with the Gold Dust Twins and Mother Goose characters moved hither and thither among the myriad subdued lights and bowers of autumn leaves interspersed with mammoth bouffant of asters. Gloriosa climbed over lawns feet and under the chapters one set to get to the punch bowl first. Behind the friendly shelter of scarlet dominoes, Follies bouffants courted with country lads. Merriment and country ran riot at the freshmen reception at the Baldwin high school last Friday evening. The masquerade was an innovation, and everyone loved it.

Four groups representing the high school connected one with another in presenting an unbeatable "stunt" that evening. Miss Hardy's senior session group presented "Miss Fannika's School of Department for Young Ladies"; Miss Barker's room was responsible for a very lifelike mimicry of "Perry Winkle and His Family"; Miss Denham's group for a mock wedding, and Miss Hornback's junior session people for a presentation of the high school faculty as it really is. With the decision of the Judges the prize for debutant and presentation went to Miss Hornback's room.

Best costumed girl prize went to Lucille Hoffman; John Buckborough was chosen as the best costumed boy. Beatrice Greene, who seemed to walk about on her hands, in a garb consisting only of sugar sacks won the prize for the funniest costume. Figuring to the strains of Finner's orchestra seemed to be the most heartily enjoyed part of the evening. Chaperones at the reception were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Porritt; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Havelin; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Uiter, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Whittlesey, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy N. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Gladden, Mr. and Mrs. R. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Fred V. Quarton, Mrs. Myron Clement, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Wall and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood.

Day Nursery At Community House To Open Oct. 1

Necessary arrangements have been completed by Mrs. Peter D. Hilly for the Day Nursery, an activity sponsored by the Community House. Announcement was made this week by Mrs. Hilly that the nursery would open for the winter session on Oct. 1. The nursery, which proved so successful last year under Mrs. Hilly's management, will continue to hold the sessions on Wednesday afternoon. This day was decided upon as being the most universally convenient for mothers availing themselves of the nursery.

One important phase of the nursery is the entry requirements which causes each child entered for the afternoon to be examined upon entry by the school nurse who will spend one half hour at the house between one and two o'clock on Wednesdays throughout the winter. The children are brought to the house before two o'clock and called for by parents at five thirty in the evening.

Working under Mrs. Hilly as supervisor, Miss Ella Adams will have Family Miss Denham's group for charge of the children's entertainment during the sessions and will have an assistant who is yet to be appointed. The price for the nursery is fifty cents in the evening.

WORTH WHILE BOOKS AT BALDWIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

"To Have and to Hold," a historical romance, by Johnston; "Three Musketeers," a novel of adventure and plot, by Dumas; "The Virginian," Mr. Brown, and for this reason the club wishes to have motorists, and others, on the lookout for any persons shooting at the signs or defacing them in any way.

Miss Griffith Assumes Duties At Community House October 1st

Following her arrival here the first of next week Miss Mary Clarke Griffith will assume her duties as director of the Community House activities sponsored by the Community House. Miss Griffith will continue the work of Mrs. Arthur Hartwell who has acted as hostess in the house since last June and the other directors who have been working with the various activities. Miss Griffith will take up practically the same work handled by Misses Mary Martin and Esther Booth last season and will occupy the apartment in the house.

Members of the Community House Board are arranging for an open house and tea on October 9 for Miss Griffith which will serve to introduce her. At this time Miss Griffith and Mrs. J. J. Jennings of Grosse Pointe will have on exhibition the paintings of Bron Rogers which will hang in the house for a week beginning Oct. 7 and continuing until Oct. 14. Besides the exhibit a program of music has been arranged by the board.

OFFER REWARD TO PROTECT HIGHWAY SIGNS IN COUNTY

In order to protect the 1,200 signs that it has placed throughout the county, the Oakland County Automobile Club has offered a reward of \$25 for information leading to the conviction of anyone defacing these signs.

Wells G. Brown, manager of the club, said this week that as soon as the hunting season opens the club is bothered with would-be nimrods who, failing in their search for wild life to shoot at, must take their spite out on the signs.

In the center of each sign is a circle enclosing the words, "Oakland County Automobile Club." This circle makes an admirable bullseye, according to Mr. Brown, and for this reason the club wishes to have motorists, and others, on the lookout for any persons shooting at the signs or defacing them in any way.

Dr. Newitt Makes Report Of Pupils Examined In 1924

By Dr. A. W. Newitt
Village Health Officer
It may be of interest to some of the parents of Birmingham school children to know the result of the physical examinations carried out in the grade schools during the last year. The following report is self-evident in the fact that neither the parents nor the school authorities are aware of the results found shows such a lack of interest that the work will not be carried on again this year.

As the physicians of Birmingham gave their time gratis and willingly perform this service I think it is pertinent that I express my thanks to them for their cooperation in the work, and especially so concerning the fact that neither the Board of Education nor the Council of the Parent Teachers Association saw fit to reimburse their efforts.

Table with 2 columns: Defects Found, Corrections Made. Lists various ailments like Tired, Nose, Ear, Teeth, Heart, Lung, Throat, Vision, etc.

Irma Chatfield And Earl Jewell Married Sept. 17

Nearly sixty guests witnessed the pretty wedding at the Stephen A. and home here, at high noon on Wednesday, Sept. 17, when a daughter, Miss Irma Winnifred Chatfield, of Mr. Earl Weeks Jewell, of Oxford, spoke their marriage vows. The bride was assisted by her sister, First Baptist church of the city. The bride was assisted by her sister, honor, while Mr. Jewell acted as best man to the groom, Miss Nellie Marvin Hamlin of Richmond, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard, completed the bridal party.

The bride, in white broadcloth and veil of white silk net, secured her attendants in pastel pinks and orchids, were lovely among banks of white, pink roses and dahlias and gladioli. Pink roses and gladioli made up the bridal bouquet and the coronation of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a three-course dinner was served to the bride party and guests. Especially lovely was the centerpiece on the 14 bridal table. It was of white orchids and pink asters and dahlias in an iridescent bowl.

Michigan League Plans Intensive Fall Schedule

With a balance of \$5000 remaining to be raised out of the quota of \$6000 assigned to the Woman's Building at the University of Michigan, the Michigan League met Wednesday afternoon to plan an intensive schedule for the next few months. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. A. G. Oster.

A written report was sent to the parents of each school child examined and their consent to the examination was obtained before the child was examined.

Reports from the National Council and the Alumni Council on the proposed drive for funds which will build a woman's building on the Michigan campus which will cooperate in the drive for funds for men. Figures show that during the organization which is working throughout the country were able to raise enough to assure the completion of the project. A quota of \$200 per capita of all women who have attended the University has been set.

Various means will be employed by the local women to raise the quota here this year. The Married Women's Franchise Club, which for the past two years has been the means of materially aiding several benevolent projects, will likely be one of the activities.

More Room Needed At Adams School

An unexpected number of children registered in the Adams School caused the school board to take action in the matter of arranging for more space here. One of the ground floor rooms which has not been used for some purpose since the building was completed will be equipped with desks by the school board at their meeting this week.

The room has a seating capacity of about forty and will for the present take care of the extra pupils. The extra space is exhausted by the board and it is expected that a further tray will be another increase in the registration. The board is gratified in the Adams school as well as other schools.

Maplecrest School Gets New Equipment

A combination playground equipment, consisting of slide, balance board and swings, was requested at the Maplecrest school by the mother of children in that locality. The matter was taken up at the school board meeting Monday evening and the equipment will be purchased at a cost of \$200 at the Maplecrest school grounds immediately. The mother complained that since the removal of the equipment which had been installed on the playground, the children had been without the proper playground apparatus. The new equipment will correspond with that which is now used on the other playgrounds in the school of the district.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

Following is a list of seven books that have been received at the Public Library which will be ready for circulation Saturday: "My Book and Heart" by Mrs. Clara May (White) Harris; "Saint Joan" by Bernard Shaw; "Fiction—Bradeleys, Magificent" by Richard Sabatini; "Coming of Sons" by William John Locke; "Forests Saga" by Galasworn Perry; "Forty-four" by Evelyn Wells, pseud.; "Peacock Feathers" by Temple Bailey, pseud.

Salary Grab of 1873

The "salary grab" in numbers of congress in 1873 stirred up the whole country. Near the end of the term an increase in salary was voted congress men, and the outgoing congress made the bill retroactive.

Ancients Employed Lead

Ancient plumbers made lead pipe for water supply to buildings, provided sheet lead for roofing, and set window panes in lead. They were so skilled in the mudding of lead pipes for sewerage.

Advertisement for ALTON COURT APARTMENTS, Detroit, furnished by J. H. McBRIDE, Birmingham, Mich. Includes contact information for Russell-Erwin Finish Hardware.

Advertisement for SHAIN'S stationery, Birmingham, Mich. Features products like Stationery, Envelopes, and Paper. Includes contact information for West Maple Avenue.

Advertisement for PIED PIPER THE WONDER SHOES for Children. Features an illustration of a shoe and text about fitting feet and quality.

Advertisement for Williams' Boot Shop, 121 West Maple Avenue. Features text about quality footwear and contact information.

Advertisement for BIRMINGHAM LAUNDRY CO. Features services like Flat Work, Wet Wash, and Men's Shirts ironed by hand. Includes contact information for 138 East Maple Ave.

Advertisement for COAL, WE GOT IT 2000 pounds One Ton. Features text about quality and prompt service. Includes contact information for 541 Phone.

Large advertisement for Lithic Printing. Includes text: "WHO IS YOUR LITHIC PRINTER?", "We Are Equipped to Do JOB PRINTING and do it LITHIC", "The Birmingham Eccentric".