SOCIETY IN BIRMINGHAM AND THE HILLS

BY SALLY KNOX

BIRMINGHAM AND HILLS GARDEN UNITS ACTIVE AT CONVENTION

Members of the Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills units of the National Farm and Garden Association will take an active part in the national convention of the organization, which is opening this morning at the Hotel Statler in Detroit.

A program full of interest and activity is announced by Mrs. W. D. Thompson, president of the Bloomfield Hills unit and a member of the central committee on entertainment. Other members of this committee are Mrs. E. R. Bryant, of Dearborn, chairman; Mrs. William H. Spicer, of Grosse Pointe, and Miss Clara Snow, of Dearborn.

A reception and old-fashioned dance for which the music will be furnished by Henry Ford's old-fashioned orchestra will be the first large event of the week-end. Hostesses will be members of the Bloomfield Hills unit and a few others, according to the committee, Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. Frank Shoell, Mrs. Walter Morley, Miss Adele Sly, Mrs. H. Alvord, Mr. John T. Shaw, Mrs. George T. Hendrie, Mrs. William T. Barbour, Mrs. A. J. Stabenfeldt, Mrs. C. A. Newcomb, Jr., Mrs. Fred Shinnick, of Rochester, Mrs. Lynn Thomas, Mrs. Wm. Wood, Mrs. Charles Booth, Mrs. W. D. Stevens, Mrs. T. R. Donovan, Mrs. Manly Davis, Mrs. J. Edwards, president of the Birmingham unit, Mrs. Stowe D. Baldwin, Mrs. Fitzgerald, of Pontiac.

Tour Ford's Village

Sleighs will be held, weather permitting, on Saturday, Nov. 22, for the members of the Birmingham Garden Club, according to a report made by Mrs. Arthur Brandt, president of the club. Mrs. Ford's village is one of the Birmingham beauty spots during the winter months.

Leaves For East

MISS VIONETTE PHILLIPS

Miss Vionette Phillips, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Phillips, of Bloomfield Hills and Detroit, will depart next week for the East, where she will attend the Yale-Princeton football game in Princeton, Nov. 15, and the Harvard game at New Haven, Nov. 22.

After spending the summer at Bayfield, Ont., Miss Phillips returned home to Detroit and leased an apartment in the Lenox for the winter months.

Hills Girls Plan Dances For Club

A series of weekly dinner dances at the Colony Club are being planned by Miss Susanne Wilson and Miss Virginia Braun, of Bloomfield Hills, invitations are now being sent out to 200 members of the younger set and their parents for the first party, which will be held on the evening of Friday, Nov. 21.

These afairs, which will be known as "the Colonette" will be held on the seventh floor of the clubhouse.

ST. MARGARET'S GUILD AIDS WELFARE WORK

Members of St. Margaret's Guild received $63 at their benefit bridge party held last week at the home of Mrs. Irving B. Babcock, on Lone Pine road. The proceeds will all be used for the Community House welfare department.

With this money, material for children's clothing and stockings, sweaters, shirts, and other garments were purchased, to be distributed by the Community House.

The Guild is meeting for the Community House.

PYTHIAN SISTERS

The regular business meeting of the Pythian Sisters will be held Monday at 8 p. m. at Castle Hall.

BIRMINGHAM GIRL TO WED H. D. HOEY

Engagement Of Miss Fitzsimmons To Cranbrook Teacher Is Announced

Miss Nerissa Fitzsimmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percival W. A. Fitzsimmons, of Iroquois avenue, yesterday made announcement plans for her wedding to Mr. Harry D. Hoey, of Cranbrook. The ceremony will take place Nov. 22 at 8 p. m. at the bride's home, the service to be read by Dr. S. S. Marquis, rector of Christ Church, Cranbrook.

The matron of honor will be Mrs. Richard B. Cross, of Lee, Mass., and the bridesmaids will be Mrs. Clifford S. Taylor and Miss Fanny Rowlands, of New York. Mr. John Garlinghouse will be best man; and Mr. Lucius Coleman, of Youngstown, O., and Mr. Warren Moore, of Cranbrook, will be ushers.

A reception in the Fitzsimmons home for a larger group of friends will follow. The bride and groom will reside in one of the new faculty apartments at Cranbrook School.

Mr. Hoey is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Hoey, of Youngstown, and is an English instructor at Cranbrook school.

MUSICALE HOLDS SECOND MEETING

Mozart Trio, Mrs. Neff, Miss Brunstad On Program of Organization

The second meeting of the season of the Thursday Musicale of Birmingham will be held in the Community House auditorium at 10 a. m. next Thursday.

Mrs. Helen Neff will play several piano selections, and Miss Mae Brunstad will sing several songs. The Mozart Trio, of Detroit, composed of Esther A. V. Johnson, at the violin, Juanita Dudley, at the cello, and Pauline Jelinson Kay, at the piano, will entertain the club.

A talk on Gypsy Music will be given by Mrs. W. Whiting Raymond. The program is in charge of Mrs. Bessie McMechan, and the hostesses will be Mrs. Milton Coulson, Mrs. Harold H. Shuart, Mrs. John T. Edgerly, and Mrs. Clayton Kennedy.

Editor To Speak At Study Forum

Kirby Page, editor of "The World Tomorrow," will speak Wednesday at 7:45 p. m. at the Community House, before the final and of the evening forums on International Relations. His subject will be India.

A large and growing attendance is reported by Mrs. Charles J. Shain for her international relation class, meeting Tuesday mornings at the Community House. Special study of the class is now being devoted to the British Empire and its problems.

Reports on "The Nationalistic Demands for Autonomy by India" will be given by members of the class next Tuesday. A brief resume of the situation in Germany will also be reviewed by Mrs. Shain to prepare members of the class for the talk which will be given at the A. A. U. W. meeting Wednesday on "Germany" by Prof. James W. Pollock.

MUNICIPAL CLUB WILL BE "TAKEN FOR A RIDE"

Members of the Municipal Club will be "taken for a ride" Tuesday when they gather at the Community House for their monthly luncheon. Cars will transport them to the place of their dinner and meeting, which is been kept a secret by the hostesses, Miss Anna Sickell and Miss Carrie Stocker.

POLITICAL SITUATION IN GERMANY WILL BE TOPIC AT A. A. U. W. MEET

Dr J. K. Pollock, of the University of Michigan, will speak Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Lewis on Hawthorne road before the Birmingham branch of the A. A. U. W. His subject will be "Germany Since the Elections". Having returned from a hurried trip to Germany during the latter part of the summer for the election there, Dr. Pollock will have first hand information concerning the situation.

Germany is the most interesting political laboratory in the world today, Dr. Pollock believes, since practically every problem which is now concerning political scientists is being worked out there. Dr. Pollock in his talk will deal with these various phases of modern political development in Germany and will take up the question of whether Germany can be expected to continue along democratic lines or whether she will return to monarchy. Character sketches of prominent German statesmen of the present day will be given by Dr. Pollock.

After the talk, tea will be served, with Mrs. E. G. Wasey in charge.

Members of the organization will be hostesses Friday afternoon in the Community House to sophomore girl students of the Baldwin High School and their mothers. Misses of Smith, Radcliffe, Cornell, and Carleton colleges will be shown, and Miss Eleanor Cooke, president of the Women's League of the University of Michigan will speak. Tea will be served by a committee headed by Mrs. R. H. Schell. Mrs. Paul Penfield is in charge of the program.

DR. J. K. POLLOCK

SOCIAL BRIEFS

MRS. Charles Asper, of Ravine road, left Monday morning to attend the November Furniture Market in Grand Rapids. He expects to be there 10 days.

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Mrs. J. W. Braffett, of Buckingham road, left last week-end for Chicago, to be gone for two weeks.

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A mixed bridge party will be held at Bald Mountain Golf Club next Wednesday evening. Among those persons who attended the mixed bridge last week were four Birmingham couples, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Draper Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Walton.

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Mrs. Charles E. Lewis was hostess to the Detroit Alumnae chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta Sunday evening in her home on Hawthorne road. Supper was served at 6:30 p. m. and was followed by a meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Drake, of Lincoln road, entertained Miss Frances Sackett, Miss Joan Hathaway, Miss Adline Neilson, Miss Mary Giblin, and Miss Ruth Klusak, all of Detroit, in their home at tea Sunday afternoon.

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THE home of Mrs. Alvan Macauley, in Grosse Pointe, will be the scene of an entertainment given by the Detroit committee of the Frontier Nursing Service in honor of Mrs. Mary Breckinridge next Monday evening. A motion picture, portraying the work of the association, will be shown.

Members of the committee include Mrs. Gustavus D. Pope, chairman, and trustee exoffico, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Glancy, and Mr. and Mrs. George T. Hendrie.

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Mrs. E. Phillips Standart was hostess Saturday at dinner for Dr. and Mrs. R. N. Holsaple and a number of other prohibition workers.

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Mrs. W. T. Barbour was hostess to 12 guests at luncheon Friday in her home.

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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Waldemar F. Adams at dinner Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Hilliard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Werneken, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gillette, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. John H. Gordon, and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page.

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MISS Virginia Braun entertained the following guests at dinner Thursday evening: Miss Mary Josephine Petzold, Miss Virginia Martin, Miss Suzanne House, Miss Romayne Thompson, Miss Dell Jane Vhay, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foster, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Blake, Jr., Mr. Thomas Petzold, Mr. James Vhay, Mr. George Dilman, Mr. Harrison Phelps, Mr. Jack Sanders, and Mr. Robert Leland.

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Guests of Mr. Mortimier Neff at a buffet supper Sunday evening were Mrs. T. R. Donovan, the Misses Mary Adele Shaw, Marian Parsons, Romayne Thompson, Mary Isabel Davis, Mary Kathleen Morley and the Messrs. Walter Bromley, John Sanders, Fred Graef, and Kenneth Bingham.

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One hundred members of the Metamora Hunt Club will be entertained Saturday morning at a breakfast and barn dance by Mrs. Dee Furey Mott on her farm, in Metamora.

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MR. and Mrs. Loren Robinson of Wimbleton avenue, were honored Thursday evening on the occasion of their wedding anniversary at a dinner tendered them by Mr. and Mrs. Harrison J. Stringham, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Shain, Dr. and Mrs. George P. Raynale, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. George Dwelley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Muehlman, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Rolfe Spinning, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kanney, and Mrs. Max S. Glover.

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Miss Louise Glancy will spend next week-end at Princeton. Miss Nora Glancy is spending a few days in Washington, D. C.

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Mrs. Walter O. Briggs entertained the members of the Milk Fund association of Providence Hospital at luncheon at Walbridge Hall Tuesday.

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Mrs. W. Whiting Raymond and her children, David and Laura Louise, of Willetts street, returned Thursday from a six weeks' stay in California.

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MRS. Richard W. Yeats, of Cranbrook road, entertained at a stag dinner Thursday evening, honoring her husband on the occasion of his birthday anniversary.

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Mrs. Stewart Hanley, of Vaughn road, is again at home after several weeks in California.

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Mr. James Vernor, Jr., was host to 24 men last week-end at "Eaglenook", his hunting lodge near Lapeer.

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Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lambert, formerly of Suffield road, moved last week to their new home in Lone Pine Road Estates.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Atkinson and their daughter, Miss Nancy, of Tiverton road, will attend the Harvard-Michigan game at Cambridge Saturday. They will be joined by Frank, Jr., of New York.

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LITTLE Nancy Juhl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Juhl, of Lauderdale drive, had a party celebrating her fifth birthday anniversary Tuesday.

LITERARY GROUP TO HEAR ORGANIST

Recital To Be Given Nov. 18 At Baptist Church Meeting

An organ recital in the Birmingham Baptist Church, Nov. 18, will be the feature of the next meeting of the Woman's Literary Club, which will be open to the public. Members of the Present Day Club will be guests.

A Thanksgiving program will be under the direction of the American Home department of the club. Mrs. James Cobb and Mrs. H. H. Gilbert will be in charge. Preceding the entertainment, there will be an hour of parliamentary drill directed by Mrs. Charles J. Shain.

The meeting Tuesday was devoted to a report, read by Mrs. C. A. Bowlips, of the convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs held two weeks ago at Jackson. Mrs. Retta Barr gave a report of the Detroit Federation meeting which she attended recently.

COMMUNITY HOUSE IS SCENE OF FEAST

Third Annual Good-Will Dinner Attended By Civic Leaders

The third annual good-will dinner of the Birmingham Community House was held last evening. Hosts were Community House officers interested in a welfare program in the Birmingham area.

Mrs. Frederick H. Holt, president of the association, presided at the dinner, and Mrs. Charles J. Shain introduced representatives of church and civic organizations, who were each requested to respond to a roll-call.

Among the guests at the dinner were county welfare workers, Mrs. Charles J. Burgess was chairman of arrangements for the dinner, and Mrs. Harvey Whalen and Mrs. Warren Pease, Jr., were members of the committee.

MISS MELODY TO WED IN DEC.

Announcement is being made this week-end in Flint by Mr. and Mrs. James B. Melody of the engagement of their daughter Miss Gertrude, to Mr. Russell Neuman, son of Mrs. John Neuman, and the late Mr. Neuman, of Holly. The wedding will take place early in December.

Miss Melody has been assistant librarian at the Baldwin Public Library for about two and one-half years. Her work at the library will terminate Dec. 1.

Rotary Anns Will Meet On Monday

The Rotary Anns will meet Monday at the home of Mrs. S. O. Wylie Bell, at 219 Elm street. Luncheon will be served, followed by a program. Assisting Mrs. Bell as hostesses will be Mrs. Fred Crawford, Mrs. John Maynard, and Mrs. F. W. Sabom.

Mrs. Sibley, of the Associated Charities in Detroit, will speak in the afternoon, her subject being some phase of girls' protective work.

REBEKAHS MEET

The Rebekahs will meet at the Oddfellows Hall this evening at 8 p. m.

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DANCE AND THREE PLAYS FEATURE PLAYERS' PROGRAM THIS MONTH

The Village Players of Birmingham are busily engaged in club plans these days. Rehearsals are going forward for their next three productions, "The Noble Lord," by Percival Wilde, "The Liar" and the Dancing Party and "The Thread of Scarlet," by J. T. Bell, which will be events of outstanding importance on Friday, Nov. 21.

Immediate interest of the whole organization is directed to the Players' Dance, which will take place Saturday evening at the Playhouse. A large crowd is expected, an excellent orchestra has been secured, and members of the committee promise good entertainment for those present. Seven dinner parties, as usual, will be given before the dance. One group of 24 will gather for a pot-luck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stringham on Wimbleton road.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Oliver, of Villa road, have invited Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Davock, Mr. and Mrs. James Vernor, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lefebvre, and Dr. and Mrs. George P. Raynale, to be their guests at the box and buffet supper to be served following the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Eldred, of Riverlook avenue, will be hosts to Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Cousins, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Keenan and Mrs. Ruth Saunders at dinner in their home.

Right dances will be given this year, Mrs. Ruth Saunders is general chairman, assisted by Mrs. Arthur J. Brandt and Mrs. Francis P. McKinney. In addition, a special committee is appointed for each party.

Those who will be in charge Saturday evening are Mrs. Joseph P. Little, chairman, assisted by a refreshment committee with the following members: Mrs. W. Ford, Mrs. John, Mrs. L. V. Osborn, Mrs. Gordon Lefebvre, Mrs. Fred Farrar, Mrs. George P. Raynale, Mrs. Louis Shaffer, Mrs. Brandt, Mrs. John T. Edgerly, and Mrs. Harrison J. Stringham.

MRS. HARRY MACK

Mrs. Mack is chairman of the evening benefit bridge-party which members of the Altar Society of the Holy Name Chapel will sponsor on Monday. This affair will be the second in a series of bridge parties to be given by that organization throughout the winter.

Assisting Mrs. Mack will be Mrs. Ralph Bird, Mrs. Don Durfee, Mrs. Lawrence Colgrove, Mrs. Frederick Dickinson, Miss Dolphine Vhay, Mrs. Joseph A. Sweeney, Mrs. Max Springer, Mrs. Frank Flynn, Mrs. Raymond Nelson, Mrs. Walter Hans, and Mrs. C. J. O'Connor.

In connection with the party, there will be an apron sale, of which Mrs. Bird and Mrs. Daron will be in charge.

GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL TO HONOR 50 WOMEN

Members of the Girl Scout Council will be hostesses in the Community House Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock, following the Council meeting, to the 50 village women who serve as examiners for the Scouts. Mrs. Fred Johnson will be in charge of the tea, and Mrs. Clinton Sears and Mrs. Stowe D. Baldwin will pour. The council meeting will be held at one o'clock.

Church Auxiliary Meets Tuesday

The monthly luncheon and meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church will take place Tuesday. Hostesses will be Mrs. John W. Gillette, Jr., and Mrs. Gordon Lefebvre. There will be sewing in the morning, followed by the luncheon, and a meeting in the afternoon.

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