

SOCIETY IN BIRMINGHAM AND THE HILLS

By MARJORIE ELAINE PORTER

Race Meeting Closes With Tea Parties

A sociable cup of tea and the friendly warmth of an open fire were sought by the courageous group of spectators who watched the Metamora Steeplechase Saturday in the chill drizzle of an autumn rain.

Following the races, many gathered for tea in the homes of friends and chatted over a buffet supper, and Mrs. Dee Furey Mott entertained a number at her home for tea.

Luncheon parties were also arranged preceding the races at both the Bloomfield and Grose Pointe club houses. At the Bloomfield club, Mrs. Frank W. Shnell was in charge, assisted by Mrs. William E. Tracy and Mrs. William G. Lerohen.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Williams entertained a group of friends at luncheon at their country home. Mrs. Gall Stephens was hostess to a house party at her country home, "The Acorns," including among her guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Deam, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Carl M. Stroh, Miss Marguerite Stroh, John Stroh, Joseph M. Mattiny and Mr. and Mrs. William P. Harris, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swain of Berry road have returned from a week's visit in Cleveland.

MEET the PRESIDENTS

Mrs. J. L. Thornberry, who will direct activities of the Parent-Teacher Association of the Pierce School, announces plans for Milk campaign.

"Supplying its family of school children with 90 bottles of milk a day is one of the responsibilities assumed by the Parent-Teacher Association of the Pierce School."

"We consider it one of our most important obligations," declared Mrs. J. L. Thornberry, of Chapin street, the new president.

"Last year we tried out the plan of furnishing milk to our children from the kindergarten to the sixth grade. It certainly proved to be a popular idea."

"We mothers began in January giving out milk at the morning recess, and continued until the spring vacation in April when the weather was warm and the children didn't seem to need it. But we are going to make it one of our important projects this year, as we found that with the additional nourishment the children were hastening to progress more rapidly in school."

Welfare Program Planned

"We wanted to supply Graham crackers with the milk, but the cost spoiled our plans. So far we have not found anyone to donate Graham crackers, and for the present, at least, milk must satisfy the children."

Her organization is particularly interested in the welfare program it is developing this year, Mrs. Thornberry said, and some novel

Artists And Club Women To Be Guests On Opening Day Of County Art Exhibit

Members of federated clubs and artists from Oakland County will be guests the opening day of the art exhibit sponsored by the fine arts committee of the Oakland County Federation of Women's Clubs, at the Community Club in the county.

Showing inspection of the pictures which will represent artists from Oakland County, as reception and tea will be given. Assisting Mrs. O. W. Dawson, president of the Oakland County Federation, in receiving the guests will be presidents of affiliated clubs in the county.

They will include Mrs. C. A. Boutwell, of the Birmingham Women's Literary Club; Mrs. Mary Gowen, of the Clawson Women's Club; Mrs. Lucy King, of the Clarkston Literary Club; Mrs. Helen Hart, of the Farmington Women's Club.

Mrs. Alice Coe, of the North Farmington Auxiliary, Mrs. W. F. Hamet, of the Ferndale Women's Club; Mrs. Samuel Durbin, of the Hazel Park Royal Taiji Club; Mrs. Harold D. Cole, of the Holly Women's Club; Mrs. Fred Lafayette, of the Wagon Case Club; Mrs. Clara Ousmeyer, of the Lenard Women's Club.

Mrs. Frank W. Taylor, of the Ortonville Women's Literary Club; Mrs. William Sharp, of the Oxford Women's Club; Mrs. W. F. Herring, of the Oxford B. G. Club; Mrs. Henry Predmore, of the Oak Park Women's Club; Mrs. J. O. Thomas, of the Oak Park Women's Club; Mrs. A. P. Frank, of the Oak Park Women's Council of Women's Clubs; Mrs. J. Lester Brown, of the Pontiac Club; Mrs. J. C. Herring, of the Pontiac Women's Club.

Civic Leaders Guests Of Bloomfield Group

Club, Mrs. F. G. King, of the Pontiac Women's Literary Club; Mrs. B. S. Smith, of the Pontiac City Federation; Mrs. Charles Hayes, of the Rochester Women's Club; and Mrs. Fred R. Kitch, of the Royal Oak Women's Club.

The art committee of the Birmingham Women's Literary Club will sponsor the tea, and Mrs. Davory B. Ballentine, representing the Thursday Musicals, will play a group of piano selections.

Among the artists invited to exhibit are Mrs. E. E. Elter, Mrs. H. A. Dick, Mrs. Barbara Withee, Mrs. J. H. Hadjisky and Mrs. E. E. Elter, representing the Thursday Musicals, will play a group of piano selections.

When members of the American Civic Association are entertained in Bloomfield Hills by the Bloomfield Branch of the National Farm and Garden Association Oct. 9, Mrs. W. D. Thompson, as chairman of the branch, will be the official hostess.

The Civic Association, which will convene in Detroit for the first time Oct. 5, is an organization including a wide variety of individuals interested in civic improvement.

Mrs. Thompson has arranged an interesting program for the day beginning with a trip through the estate of Col. Edson S. Hartman at the Oakland Hills Country Club at 12:30 P. M. Following the luncheon, Mr. H. M. Wood, Jr., professor of landscape architecture at Iowa State College, will address the gathering.

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Following the recital the Bloomfield group will be hostesses at luncheon, Oct. 10, in the vacant store on the corner of Pierce and Maple avenues.

Among those who attended the sailors' dinner at the Orchard Lake Country Club Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. C. Theron Van Dusen, Miss Janet Page, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Strong, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. Campbell Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton H. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gray Muzzy, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Mico, Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Grindley, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Warren S. Booth, Robert L. Biggers, Capt. and Mrs. H. Ledyard Towle, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crim, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Duffield, Mr. and Mrs. Guy C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Hal H. Brook, Miss Betty Broody, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Campbell, Vernon Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Nussman.

Literary Club Opens Season With Music

The Women's Literary Club of Birmingham will open its season this year with observance of officers' day Tuesday at its first meeting in the Baldwin Public Library.

The program, which will be musical, has been arranged by Mrs. G. W. Patterson and Mrs. Alfred E. Fox. It will include selections by the violin quartette of the Tuesday Musical of Pontiac. In the personnel of the quartette are Mrs. M. A. Buckley, Mrs. Charles Hayner, Mrs. Louis Schimmel and Mrs. E. L. Tibbels.

The instrumental program will open with "Sarabande" by Bach, which will be followed by the familiar "To A Wild Rose" by Mrs. Dowell, and "Praeludium and Rondo" by Weinmurer.

Mrs. Rose Wright, soprano of Pontiac, will sing a group of songs, including "The Nightingale" by Ward Stephens, "Like the Rosebud" by Frank La Forge and "Pale Moon" by Logan. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Fox.

Classes Resume Saturday

Miss Gertrude Parrish, who will open her dancing classes at the Community House Saturday at 1 P. M., has been chosen as the partner of Theodore Smith, Detroit dancing teacher with whom she has studied. In his opening recital in October, in her work in Birmingham, Miss Parrish will give instruction in ballet, tap, ballroom and acrobatic dancing, in connection with her ballet work. She will teach Spanish dances which she studied under the tutelage of Senorita Cabanero of Spain.

The order of Eastern Stars will hold a rummage sale on South Saginaw street in Pontiac on Saturday. The order will also give a card party at the Mission Temple, Friday, Oct. 9, at 8 P. M. Mrs. Harriet Todd is in charge of arrangements.

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Although the program for the year has not been completed, Mrs. Thornberry said, there will be in all probability two evening meetings during the year. One of these will be Fathers' Night when the program will be turned over to the fathers so that they may feel they have something to do with formulating and carrying out the association's plans.

"We hope to increase our membership also this year," Mrs. Thornberry said. "To include all of the represented families, although we do not want those who are not members to feel they are not welcome."

New Officers Stated

Because of the change of address of the vice-president and treasurer, new officers will be elected to fill these vacancies. Mrs. Caroline Reynolds is the new secretary.

Mrs. Pearl Morrison is chairman of the program committee. Mrs. Mildred Musselman is chairman of the social committee, and Mrs. Irene Stevens is chairman of the membership committee.

Mrs. W. D. Thompson of Kennoways was hostess to members of the Bloomfield Branch of the National Farm and Garden Association at tea at her home Monday. T. Glenn Phillips of Detroit was the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Klingler are again domiciled in their home on Cranbrook road following the summer spent in their cottage at Walloon Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Nussman who have been temporary residents of Birmingham during the summer, will return to their home in Detroit today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White of Winnetoon avenue have returned to their guests for an extended visit. Mrs. White's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis, who have recently returned from a summer vacation at Sarnia.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Cobb of Oakland avenue have returned over the week-end, Miss Cleathra Parks of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Looney of Purdy street have had as their guest, Mrs. Looney's brother, Frank Salmon of Chocoma, who visited here while on a business trip to Chicago. Mrs. Looney entertained for Mr. Salmon at a family dinner last Sunday. The guests were Mrs. John Salmon and his daughter, Miss Carrie Salmon, of Lapeer, and Mr. Dexter Salmon, of Lapeer and his son, Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hutchinson and their wife will return to their home in Detroit after a stay of some time at their summer home at Mulllet Lake.

Miss Betty Harrington and Mr. Victor Conti, both of Detroit, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Harrington of Ann street. They were entertained on day evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Carter of Ann street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Trumbull of Birmingham were overnight guests last Thursday at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cobb of Oakland avenue at Square Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Shattuck of Park street entertained at dinner Saturday evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Doris Stanton, Mr. Stanton's father, Mr. Robert T. Stanton of Chicago, and Mr. M. C. Weatherhead.

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The Ladies Aid Society of Cranbrook, M. E. Church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur J. Kane of Smith avenue. Tea will be served.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Swartz of Purdy street and their son, Clyde and Junior, spent last week-end in Saginaw as the guests of Mrs. Swartz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Stueber.

The annual Harvest Home supper and reception in honor of Rev. and Mrs. R. M. Atkins was given Wednesday evening at the Methodist Episcopal Church under the direction of the Methodist Ladies Society, which included Mr. and Mrs. George U. Jones of West Lincoln Road, Dr. Fruit, district superintendent, and Mr. Thomas A. Schooley of Adams road was in charge of the program. A large number of guests were present to Mrs. Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lyle will be guests at the luncheon, for which Baldwin, Mich., over this week-end.

Others interested in civic problems in this district are also invited by the Bloomfield Branch to share the program arranged for the visitors. Luncheon reservations may be made at the Oakland Hills Club.

Assisting Mrs. Thompson on her committee are Mrs. George T. Hendrie, Mrs. Walter G. Morley, Mrs. Frank W. Shnell, Mrs. Sidney P. Waldon and Mrs. Edwin G. George.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Peck, formerly of Hanna street, moved Monday to their new residence at 422 Southfield road.

Mrs. Crawford J. Lee of Ridge-dale avenue has as her house guest, her sister, Mrs. L. A. Bancall, of Cheboygan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Dodds of Puritan avenue returned this week from Kingsville where they have spent the past month.

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