

# SOCIETY IN BIRMINGHAM AND THE HILLS

By MAJORIE ELAINE PORTER

## Atrons Announced For Players' Benefit

A third performance of "Cocktail" by the Village Players will be given at the Playhouse Friday evening for a benefit under auspices of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital in Pontiac. Proceeds of the affair will be used for the hospital clinic which the Junior Auxiliary is interested in.

## British Guests Here Are Honored At Large Tea

Of unusual interest socially was the tea for which Mrs. Harold E. Shurt of Adams road opened her home Tuesday afternoon. The event was held in honor of a representative group interested in the Oxford movement, including Mrs. Cecil Grimshaw of Oxford, Eng.; Mrs. H. Kennaston Twissell, also of Oxford; Mrs. J. Seville Wisahni of Summit, N. J.; and Mrs. George W. H. Smith of Providence, R. I. Of these, several spoke informally on the purposes of the movement.

## Second Village Mart Due To Open Friday

A shimmering land of silv'ring walls and tinted splendor will be revealed to Birmingham with the opening of the Village Mart at the Community House Friday and Saturday. The decorations will transform the auditorium into a winter wonderland, cheer, with the traditional colors of red and green intermingling, and gaily Christmas trees and radiant with trimmings and colored lights.

## Her Betrothal Is Made Known To Friends At Informal Tea

For many weeks, the committee headed by Mrs. P. B. Bates as general chairman, with the co-operation of local churches and organizations, have been preparing for this Birmingham's second annual gymnasia bazaar.

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## Chorus Will Give Program At Church

A program of sacred music in keeping with the approach of Christmas will be given by the Thursday Musicals Chorus under the direction of Frederick A. Froehner at the First Presbyterian Church at 7:30 P. M. Sunday.

## W. C. U. To Meet Wednesday

Mrs. A. R. Leamy will be in charge of the program to be given at a meeting of the W. C. U. Public Library Wednesday afternoon at 2 P. M.

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Each group participating will be represented by a booth at which various articles, ranging in variety from hand-made pieces to home-washed delicacies, will be sold.

The booths will form an avenue from the entrance of the auditorium to the stage, which will be adorned with gaily lighted Christmas trees and spot lights.

Among the highly entertaining features will be the "Bazaar of the Bazaar," proceeds from which will be used to defray the expenses of the Mart. A second annual gymnasia bazaar.

Other booths of interest include the toy booth sponsored by the American Association of University Women at which new types of toys will be sold to benefit the Birmingham Student Loan Fund.

Mrs. Gordon Bailey is chairman of the booth sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary for the sale of rubber stamps. Christmas wreaths made from Northern Michigan cedar. In charge of the booth Friday will be William Green, Mrs. Russell Williams, Mrs. A. D. Cooley and Mrs. Ernest Burrows.

Rotary Anns Will Sew For Welfare Needs, Monday

Mrs. Thomas A. Neal of Oakland avenue will be hostess to the Rotary Anns who will hold their combined November and December meetings at her home Monday.

Author Is Dinner Guest in Birmingham

Will Durant, noted philosopher and author, was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Olson of Adams road last Sunday afternoon, following the lecture at Case Technical High School in Detroit.

Gold Pro Attends Convention

James M. Anderson, golf professional at the Pine Lake Country Club, attended an executive meeting of the Professional Golfers Association held recently in Ferris, O., where he spent a week.

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Country Club Names Officers For New Year

At the recent election of officers of the Pine Lake Country Club, J. Pruetice was chosen president to succeed Ralph S. Lane, the retiring officer for the past two years.

Clavichord Recital To Be Postponed

Owing to a conflict in dates with the Thursday Musicals, the clavichord recital which was to have been given under auspices of the Birmingham League of Women Voters, Dec. 6, has been postponed until after the holidays.

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Organ To Peal Forth Carols At Concert For Community

Dr. V. R. Marburger, organist at the Unitarian Church in Detroit, will be the chief soloist in the community concert sponsored by the Thursday Musicals to be given at the First Methodist Church, Thursday, Dec. 8, at 10 A. M.

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