

# CLUB AND PERSONAL NOTES

## "Don't Ignore First Child To Pet Second," Speaker Warns

The traditional "broken home" suffered by the eldest of the family upon the arrival of a second baby sometimes leads to a serious injury of the moral fiber. Miss Marie Rasey, superintendent of the Parental Advisory Department of the Detroit Public Schools, told members of the Barnum Parent-Teacher Association in an address at the school Thursday evening, "The Business of Growing Up" was her subject.

"It seems difficult for parents to understand the mental state of the first child who feels he becomes second-hand after the new brother or sister arrives," Miss Rasey said.

"The second child, who does not realize how many times his feelings are hurt by what seems to him preference for the new baby, and who, as the children grow, the older child becomes more sensitive to this attitude, real or imaginary, which sometimes leads to a neurotic condition."

"The second child, as a rule, becomes the leader. He learns at an early age that he can reach any given goal by starting first, but that short legs have to work faster than long ones. As a consequence his initiative develops, but he assesses himself, but the older child in many cases becomes more retiring."

"Sometimes he becomes abnormally self-conscious of the

## GIRL-SCOUT ACTIVITIES

Advancement classes will meet Friday in the Girl Scout Room of the Community House at 4 P. M. The last meeting of the training class for leaders will be held at the Community House Feb. 4 at 7:30 P. M.

Troops 1 and 3 have announced their programs for the Court of Awards which will represent various phases in the life of George Washington. Troop 1 has chosen to represent incidents that took place at Valley Forge and Troop 3 will dramatize the crossing of the Delaware River by Washington and his soldiers.

A meeting of the Girl Scout Council will be held in the Girl Scout headquarters, Monday at 1:30 P. M.

Troop 1 will visit the Institute of Science of the Cranbrook Foundation, Saturday.

## From A WOMAN'S ANGLE

The corner table had finished four hands, and the players sat trying to score cards, nibbling candies and giving one another over as they waited for the rest to finish.

"Adorable hat," Adele, a commented one to her partner.

"Do you like it?" asked Adele with an uncertain pucker of the brow.

"Why, don't you?"

"What's the matter with you?"

Marjorie E. Porter.

"Yes, I like it. But, you see, I didn't select it myself. Jim brought it to me from New York. And frankly," Adele confessed, "I don't think it suits my type."

"What do you mean 'your type'?"

"Well, I don't know just how to explain it. But I should think you could see for yourself that it's different from hats I buy. I like more conservative things. You know, smart but quiet and—"

"And about 10 years older than you should wear. That shade of burnt orange is just marvelous for you. It brings out the highlights in your hair. I think Jim has good taste."

Jim's wife smiled in reminiscent amusement.

"I wish you could see some of the clothes he has brought me," she observed. "Everytime he goes away he brings me a present and it's invariably something he sees in a shop-window that catches his eye. If he happens to like the color, he buys it, dress hat or what-have-you, and brings it home to me to rave about and wear on every possible occasion."

"It's funny," she continued, "we've been married nearly 10 years, and Jim's been bringing me just gorgeous things to wear, but not one of them is really my type, not the sort I'd pick out myself. And he hasn't realized it yet. I tell him he should have married a movie queen, not a simple fireside companion like me."

"Fireside fidelities!" interrupted her partner. "Don't be absurd! I think you're the one who hasn't tumbled to the big idea in the back of Jim's mind."

"That's the sort of thing Jim wants you to wear. Those clothes he brings you attract him, and so do you, so he wants to put two and two together, and see you in them, since you're the apple of his critical eye."

"And another thing. Whenever I hear a woman, especially a young and smart looking gal like yourself, talking about her 'type,' I want to shake the silly notion out of her head."

"I firmly believe every interesting personality is composed of different types. Get my idea? Salt and pepper, sugar and mustard all mixed up together."

"Nobody in the world can dress and act and look like the sugary type of her personality all the time. You know, this sweet Mother Machree stuff gets on your nerves if you have too much of it."

"Now, Jim is just playing up to the mustard in you, Adele. He likes your Raphael's 'Angels' type of face, but he's curious to know how it would look under a gay hat or above a daintily snappy gown. If you had a sophisticated expression and all that sort of rot, there wouldn't be any contrast."

"Of course I don't suppose he realizes it himself, and I don't for a minute think he'd want you to be anything but yourself; the self he knows and has become used to. But as far as clothes are concerned, why don't you change what you call your 'type' once in a while?"

"If you weren't so good natured I'd never have the nerve to tell you, but you're wearing your hair now exactly the way you did when we were in college and you and Jim became engaged."

## Social Briefs

Members of the Michigan League will meet for a social luncheon at the home of Mrs. Robert H. Huxford of Bloomfield Court Wednesday, Mrs. Thomas L. Thurber of Oak street will assist Mrs. Huxford as hostess.

Mrs. J. K. Burns of Harmon avenue entertained members of her bridge club at dinner Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. James of Donningham Lane will be hosts at an informal bridge dinner at their home Friday evening. Their guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bradt, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. James Lee Oliver and Mr. and Mrs. W. Carl Lound.

A meeting of the Birmingham Union of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the Baldwin Public Library Wednesday at 2 P. M. Mrs. J. C. Matthews will be in charge of the program, which will be in observance of the Frances Willard Memorial Day, held each year.

Mrs. Ruth Campbell will give two vocal solos.

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## Aged Woman Climbs

Mrs. John T. Edgerly of Adams road has resumed her class in ball room dancing which she will conduct on Wednesday afternoons at the Community House.

Miss Margaret Sander of Pilgrim road returned Monday from Indianapolis, Ind., where she addressed the Music Study Club of Indianapolis on "Music and Art in Europe," based on her European travels.

Mrs. Harry B. Price of Rivenoak avenue will be hostess at a dessert bridge Wednesday at 1:15 P. M. for members of the Altar Society of the Holy Name Catholic Church. Mrs. Price will be assisted by Mrs. Charles Brady, Mrs. J. Brock, Mrs. E. D. Mansfield and Mrs. Ralph G. Ferris.

Mr. and Mrs. Gladden Redfern and their small son, Jimmie, of Rivenoak avenue, were week-end guests of Chalmers Redfern of St. Johns, Mich.

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