CLUB AND PERSONAL NEWS

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Russia To Be Theme Of Class Study To Begin New Year

The class in International Relations conducted by Mrs. Charles A. Shain will resume its meetings for 1933 next Tuesday at the Community House at 10 A. M.

The program will include four reviews of articles on Russia by Will Durant, philosopher and author, which appeared recently in a national magazine. The reviews will be given by Mrs. Lewis K. Marshall, Mrs. Louis Hascall, Mrs. J. N. Hadjisky and Mrs. Fred D. Farrell.

As this meeting will mark the beginning of a new year of work, a cordial invitation is extended by Mrs. Shain to all Birmingham women who would be interested in entering the weekly meetings to begin at this time.

Indoor Gardening

Floral Effects

By DEAN HALLIDAY
Colonial Press Garden Expert

TO ARRANGE flowers to the best advantage is to study them. Group all flowers naturally in deep urns and bowls with plenty of water. The best possible holder is a crumpled wire netting and it may be used in most receptacles except cut glass and very shallow bowls.

Here is a guide to effective arrangements:

Quaint jars of Devonshire pottery in shades of blue and brown are lovely filled with yellow chrysanthemums.

A winter breakfast table decoration of purple heather in a brown pottery bowl is original.

A royal Worcester vase filled with shaggy chysanthemums is an artistic delight.

Red cactus dahlias and gypsophilia together are very attractive.

Lilies of the valley and violets form a perfect decoration.

Wall flowers of various shades of purple are perfect in a deep cream, fairly shallow bowl.

The small single sunflower and brown coreopsis together in a brown pottery jar have their own charm.

A charming combination is single dahlias and small white Michaelmas daisies.

"In nearly every instance the ad that is what gets me a new maid, or sells some article I no longer have use for in my home." inexpensive classified ads I insert in The Eccentric get me quick and satisfactory results," one Birmingham woman told another. "I have found that 25 cents will take my message to the entire area—
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Presbyterian Groups To Sponsor Three-Day Cooking School, Jan. 10-12

Miss Phillips

Birmingham women are again to have the opportunity of attending a cooking school, where for three days they may learn secrets of the culinary art.

Under auspices of the women's organizations of the First Presbyterian Church, a cooking school for Birmingham housewives will be held at the church the afternoons of Jan. 10, 11 and 12 from 2 to 4 P. M.

The school will be conducted under the direction of Miss Gladys Helen Phillips of the Consumer Service Department of the General Foods Corporation. Miss Phillips will be remembered as instructor of the cooking school conducted at the Community House last June and sponsored by local merchants, women's organizations and The Birmingham Eccentric.

Under the general theme of "Fashions in Foods," Miss Phillips will cover a broad field of problems confronting homemakers today. At the opening session next Tuesday, her subject will be "Winter Meals—Tempting and Nourishing."

On Wednesday, Miss Phillips' subject will be "When Company Comes, Serve A 'Special Feature'," and the concluding subject will be "Enjoy Your Own Parties." A social hour and refreshments will follow each of the three lessons. Another feature will be the awarding of door prizes.

Mrs. Thomas E. Navin is chairman of the ticket committee.

CALENDAR OF COMING EVENTS

Friday, Jan. 6: Dr. S. M. Feirst to lecture on "Major Planets" in Cranbrook auditorium, 8 P. M.

Saturday, Jan. 7: Mickey Mouse puppet show, Community House, 10 A. M., 2 P. M. and 7:30 P. M. Saturday Night Dance, Community House.

Sunday, Jan. 8: Methodist Men's Forum, Community House, 10 A. M.

Monday, Jan. 9: Birmingham Branch Women's National Farm and Garden Club, Community House, 2 P. M. Chapter efficiency in government, Birmingham League of Women Voters, Community House, 1:30 P. M. Meeting Community House Board of Directors, at House, 8 P. M.

Tuesday, Jan. 10: Class in International Relations, Community House, 10 A. M. First of three-day sessions of cooking school at Presbyterian Church, 2 P. M. Bridge class sponsored by Barnum P. T. A. to resume say, 2:15 P. M. at Barnum School.

Wednesday, Jan. 11: Meeting and tea, Birmingham Branch American Association University Women, Community House, 2 P. M.

Thursday, Jan. 12: Thursday Musicale, Community House, 10 A. M. Bloomfield Hills and District Horticultural Society, Community House, 7:30 P. M.

"There is one place where a woman thinks she shines," "I know—on the end of her nose."—Boston Transcript.

Bridge Classes To Resume Next Week

The class in contract bridge taught by J. B. Howarth for the benefit of the milk fund maintained by the Parent-Teacher Association of Barnum School will resume its meetings Jan. 10 at 2:15 P. M. The evening class will meet again Friday, Jan. 13, at 8 P. M. Both classes are conducted at the school.

Members of the P. T. A. are completing plans for a bridge to be held later in the month, which will close the class work, and so much all friends of the P. T. A. will be invited.

Through a Woman's Eyes

By JEAN NEWTON

The Woman From Whom People Edge Away

It was in the day coach of a train on the way to Boston. They were sitting across the aisle from me, obviously, as the cynic would say, husband and wife. The point is that he was edging away from her.

There was plenty of room on the seat for them both to be comfortable, for they were both thin. But there he was edging away from her until it seemed he must fall off the seat.

And she was following him over.

I wondered whether she could be jabbing pins into him—but she was only talking. I did not hear what she was saying to him. Apparently it was not terribly abusive—it appeared that they had settled their argument and that she just could not let up. And it seemed to be this rather than what she was saying to him that was wearing into the man's bones and sending him as far away from her as he could get.

There are women like that—women who are wearing. That's it—they wearing—so that you want to edge away from them almost, if necessary, to the brink of a precipice.

Life with them is a constant process of attrition—you feel as though they were going to get you in the wall and then smother you.

Why do they do it? Is it nervousness or an exaggerated sense of uneasiness—or what? It is just wearing on them as on the people with whom they live. And it is such a pity because it is so utterly needless.

For that woman on the train had talked what was on her mind, said what she had to say and then been through with it she would have been efficient.

After all, in any argument it's what we have to say that counts and the shorter we make it the stronger it is likely to be. But to keep at it—nagging—wearing—even after it is settled—

What's the use? It doesn't get us anything but assurance of a big wide space around us as long as there is any place to which the other person can run.

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Taking Him at His Word

Father—Do you love my daughter?

Sailor—For her sake I would face anything.

Father—Come and meet her mother, my boy.

DINNER GOWN FOR A TALL BRIDE

The statuesque bride would adore this stately dinner gown of black velvet, which should find a place in her trousseau. Its lines are long and graceful. The collar and bracelet of silver metal give it a most distinguished appearance — just the touch, in fact, that the bride covets for the garments she collects for her bridal wardrobe.

ENGLISH STAR ADVOCATES SENSIBLE SLIMMING

Left, Ursula Jeans, being weighed; right, as she appeared in her American picture; center, exercising for weight.

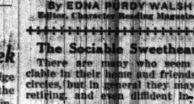
Ursula Jeans, English motion picture actress, who was brought to this side of the big water to make a cinema, urges sensible methods of slimming to keep the figure slender but well rounded. This method, which is practiced in Europe, diminishes the fast to obtain the slender silhouette to sane proportions through a combination of sensible eating and exercises.

Know Your Sweetheart by His Handwriting

By EDNA PIRDY WALSH
Editor, Characteristics Magazine

The Sociable Sweetheart

There are many who seem sociable in their home and friendship circles, but in general they may be reticent, and even diffident in the



Mark of a Concentrator.

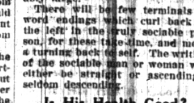
outside world. The slanting writer is usually more sociable away from home than the vertical or backhand writer.

If the slanting writer has a long hook to the beginning of the capital M or N, if the terminals of the writing are present, and not cut short, at the end of each word, if the o's and a's are open or lightly closed at the top, with fairly generous spacing between words and fairly generous margin, you may be sure the individual is sociable and expressive in the outside world, especially if the writing is reasonably large.

There will be few terminals or word endings which curl back to the left in the truly sociable person, for these take time, and mean a turning to self. The writing of the sociable man or woman will either be straight or ascending—seldom descending.

Is His Health Good?

The general physical health of a person reveals itself in lower loops of the letters g, j, y for they will be either as long, or longer, than



Good Health.

the loops above the line like l, h. When the high letters above the line are large and the lower letters below are short, the individual is apt to be using his mental strength too rapidly for his physical energy

Depressed Upper Loops, Danger.

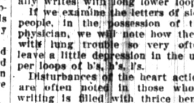
or vitality. The nature lover usually writes with long lower loops.

If we examine the letters of sick people, in the possession of the physician, we will note how those with lung trouble so very often leave a little depression in the upper loops of b's, d's, f's.

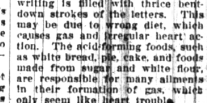
Disturbances of the heart action are often noted in those whose writing is filled with thrice bent-down strokes of the letters. This may be due to wrong diet, which causes gas and irregular heart action. The acid-forming foods, such as white bread, pie, cake, and foods made from sugar and white flour, are responsible for many ailments in their formation of gas, which only seem like heart trouble.

The Industrious Sweetheart

The truly industrious man does not believe in wasting much time. We do not expect, therefore, to see very large margins and much space wasted around words and between letters; yet the writing may not be cramped at all, to denote stinginess.



Looped f's and t's, Energy.



T Bars Increasing in Size, Lasting Energy.

The writing of the very industrious man may not be excessively angular, but may be termed semi-angular, since very oval and rounded lines predominating would mean a more easy-going nature.

There is no uncertain wavering in the writing of the energetic man. He often makes triangular loops on such letters as y. Letters such as f and t will also be looped back in crossing.

The really industrious man keeps up his industry, day after day. He does not work in fits and starts. Consequently his letters are as large at the end of the word as at the beginning, as a rule, and the words in the last of his letters will be made as firmly as those in the first. His energy does not give out before he finishes.

Many energetic businesslike people cut the letters like y and g off sharply below the line, showing their desire to eliminate unnecessary details and fussing.

Note—Do not make final judgment until other signs in writing are studied.

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Wife Savers

Apple butter roll is a quick and easy dessert. Cover vanilla or molasses wafers with apple butter, stack them in a long roll, wrap in waxed paper and let chill or "ripen" in the refrigerator overnight. Slice diagonally and serve with whipped cream.

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