ENTRIES ARE ANNOUNCED FOR OPEN HUNT MEET

Winner of Trophy in 1932 To Run in Steeplechase

Card Offers Seven Races Over Flat And Brush On Alger Farm Course

Announcement was made Wednesday of the entries which will hold the attention of the stands when the annual fall meet of the Bloomfield Open Hunt Club is held Saturday on the Alger Farm Course near Metamora.

Among the outstanding entries is Fire Cure, winner of the trophy in the President's Cup Steeplechase in the meet of last fall. Fire Cure is owned by Capt. F. J. Tareff of Detroit.

Other well known entries include Bird In The Hand, owned by Edward P. Hammond, Grosse Ile, owned by Dr. Harold L. Morris; Sebago, Jr., and Red Rock, owned by Metamora Hunt; Playful Miss and San Play, owned by Richard W. Jackson of Grosse Pointe.

There are also Red Fox, III, owned by Walter D. Briggs, Jr., Reliable and Deep Run Lady, owned by George W. Slaughter; Chief Keyer, owned by J. W. Barstrop; King Lehr and Axel, owned by Charles D. Pierce; Gay Fare owned by Capt. John L. B. Bentley of Toledo, and Dolly Day Dream, owned by Miss Marie Fox of Oxford, and Centerpiece owned by Frederick M. Alger, Jr.

The first race will be run at 2 P. M., following a buffet luncheon at the Metamora Hunt at 12:30. Outstanding among the events of the day will be the annual running of the President's Cup Steeplechase, for which the trophy was donated by Frank J. Navin, president of the Central Racing Association. The first event will be a 1¼-mile flat race, the second a quarter-mile flat race and the third a 1¼-mile race over brush for qualified hunters.

The fourth race, a quarter-mile dash on the flat, is open to farmers of the Metamora community members of their families. The fifth is the President's Cup Steeplechase. The sixth is a race on a two mile course over brush, and the concluding event will be a three-quarter-mile race on flat country.

Bernard E. Hopper is chairman of the committee in charge, which also includes Charles C. Winningham, William Reeve Clark, W. P. Tracy, Carlton M. Higbie, Jr., Donald S. Bell, Howard M. Smith, George W. Nachtrieb, Clay E. Herbst, Frank W. Shuell, Charles D. Pierce, Fred Hammond, W. G. Briggs, Jr., Richard W. Jackson, W. G. Lerchen, Jr., and Clifford J. McDonald.

Mrs. Toothacker To Make Bow As Literary Club President

By MARJORIE ELAINE PORTER

A personality who will become more familiar to Birmingham club women this year by reason of her office as president of the Women's Literary Club is Mrs. W. S. Toothacker of Merrill street.

Since coming to Birmingham from Ypsilanti with her family in 1918, Mrs. Toothacker has been a continuous member of the organization over which she will preside, when the club year opens in October. A teacher by profession, Mrs. Toothacker has proved herself to be one of the capable modern who can successfully balance the duties of family and home on the one hand, and those of a professional career on the other.

As soon as her four children were well out of the woods of babyhood, and after the family home had been established in Birmingham, Mrs. Toothacker returned to Ypsilanti to continue her education. At the conclusion of four years of post-graduate study she was awarded a life certificate as a teacher by the Ypsilanti State Normal College.

In private life, she is the wife of W. S. Toothacker, science instructor at Baldwin High School, and the mother of three sons, Foster, Sanford and Roger, and a daughter, Mrs. R. A. Morrow of Pittsburgh, Pa., the mother of three children.

As a club member, Mrs. Toothacker served 14 years without seeking office until last year, when she was elected vice-president. She was elected president to succeed Mrs. C. A. Bowlus at the last annual meeting. The branch of activity in which she has shown particular interest is that of the art department.

Mrs. Toothacker is a woman whose charm lies in the magnetism of her personality. A believer in discipline, she possesses the rare gift of governing through suggestion and the influence of example rather than by asserting authority to gain power.

Quiet spoken and unobtrusive in manner, she, nevertheless, holds the confidence of all who know her as a woman quietly capable of completing successfully any project she undertakes.

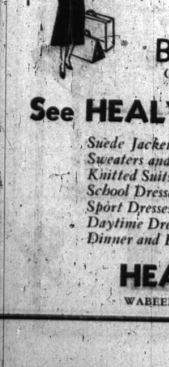
"Topsy-Turvy" Party By Sorority Is Novel Affair

A "Topsy-Turvy" dance, with the girls extending the invitation and acting as escorts to the boys, is the latest social innovation among the school set in Birmingham.

Between 75 and 100 young people enjoyed such an affair at the Community House Wednesday as guests of the Delta Beta Sigma Sorority. The girls not only acted as escorts to the boys, but reserved the privilege of "cutting in" on the dance and picking their own partners.

Members of the sorority acting as hostesses were the Misses Sally Baker, Eleanor Bishop, Pauline Chick, Betty Pew, Virginia Hackard, Becky Tomlinson, Mary Tomlinson, Doris Vehmeyer, Jean Rutherford, Peggy Mills, Frances Watkins, Caroline Barnes, Dorothy Herbst, Kathryn Crawford, Jean Roberson, Betty Lou Flynn, and Janet McCarthy.

Dorval D. Symons of Villa road returned Monday from Harper Hospital, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis.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WABEEK BUILDING

Baptist Women Try New Plan For Union Meetings

The Women's Union of the Baptist Church will begin the season with a new arrangement with which it is experimenting. The organization will be divided into groups this year, which will meet for two months at the homes of members, and the third month will hold a joint meeting at the church.

The first meetings of the two groups will be held at 1 P. M. today. Mrs. L. Earl Jackson of Cedar drive will be hostess to one group at a dutch luncheon, and Mrs. Frank Burnett of Southfield road will be hostess to the other group at the same time.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Rollins of Red Gables have returned from a fortnight's visit to New York and Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Cox of West Lincoln avenue will be hosts at a family dinner this evening in honor of Mr. Cox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cox of Marlette, Mich., who will leave Monday for Texas, where they will reside.

Hills Fashion Show Attracts 300 Guests

Affair Sponsored By Local Committee For Detroit Symphony Orchestra

The spacious rooms of Eastway Farm, the Bloomfield Hills estate of Mrs. Francis Palms, formed an artistic background for the fashion promenade and tea held Wednesday under auspices of the Bloomfield Hills-Birmingham branch of the Women's Committee of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra.

About 300 guests assembled to witness the showing of the new fall modes, gracefully displayed by an attractive group of girls and young matrons of Bloomfield Hills.

Mrs. George T. Hendrie presided at the tea table, lovely with its ivory tapers and centerpiece of pink, white and blue water lilies floating on the surface of a large, low, green bowl.

Noted among the many guests were Mrs. W. O. Stevens, Mrs. W. J. Lerchen, Mrs. H. H. Hills, Mrs. Joseph A. Brown, Mrs. Ray J. Stahelin, Mrs. Bert Morley, Mrs. C. C. Winningham, Mrs. William G. Lerchen, Mrs. Sherman L. Depew, Mrs. Clarence E. Wilcox, George G. Phillips, Mrs. W. D. Thompson, Mrs. Grace Booth Wallace, Mrs. F. W. Brede, jr.

Mrs. Frank L. Klingensmith, Mrs. Gordon Lefebvre, Mrs. Harrie Waldo Bird, Mrs. Marcy L. Bacon, Mrs. Robert K. Floyd, Mrs. Edith M. Forbush, Miss Marjorie Hendrie, Mrs. L. D. Halsted, Mrs. Robert M. Halsted, Mrs. Frank E. Bromley and Mrs. Frederick J. Robinson.

Two late additions to the group of models included Mrs. Charles L. Winningham, and Miss Ann Tobin of Niles, the fiancee of Francis Palms, jr.

Franklin Hunt Holds First Meet Of Year

Members Enjoy Early Ride Sunday, Topped Off By Outdoor Breakfast

Sunday was a red letter day in the history of the recently organized Franklin Open Hunt Club. Early in the morning, the members took to their mounts, and enjoyed the first breakfast ride given by the club since its founding in December.

After following the trail through dewy fields, across streams and over the jumps, the riders drew up at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Wylie Bell at Pine Lake, where breakfast was prepared on a grill in the woods and served out-of-doors.

Among those participating in the ride were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. P. Smith, Miss Betty Endicott, Miss Mary Taliaferro, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Eddy, Mrs. Ezra Jones, Hiram Perry Holmes, Dr. Clayton H. Greaves, Dan Peel, Cloud L. Cray, Frederick R. Mixer, William Van Tiflin, Donald Bell and John Luscombe.

The hunters were joined at breakfast by Mr. and Mrs. George Shepherd, Dr. and Mrs. Lynn N. Hershey, Dr. and Mrs. D. C. James, Mrs. Mixer, George Lovejoy, Smith, Mrs. Cray, Mrs. Holmes, Vernon Peel and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fisher.

The Franklin Open Hunt Club was organized by a group of residents of Franklin Village who are enthusiastic followers of the chase.

Birmingham Women Enroll For Course At 'Town Hall'

More than 100 Birmingham women have enrolled to attend the Town Hall Series of lectures by world celebrities, the first of which will be held in the Wilson Theater, Detroit, on Oct. 18, under the direction of Mrs. Kathleen Snow Stringer. Dorothy Sands, famous impersonator of the Grand Street Follies, will offer a novel performance for the initial program.

Others scheduled to appear in the series include:

Carlos Davila, former Chilean Ambassador to the United States and provisional president of Chile; Sigmund Spaeth, musician; Carl Sandburg, poet; Lowell Thomas, author and explorer; R. D. Blumenfeld, editor of the London Daily Express; Col. Raymond Robbins, former American Commissioner to Russia; Rockwell Kent, artist, author and explorer; Rosita Forbes, traveler and author; Everett Dean Martin, educator and psychologist; John Strachey, Labor member of the British Parliament from 1929 to 1931; William Hard, radio broadcaster; Gilbert Seldes, columnist; and Clyde Fisher, Curator of Astronomy of the American Museum of Natural History.

The Vienna Boys Choir and Nini Theilade, premier danseuse of the Max Reinhardt Theater in Berlin, are also included in the course.

CHOIRS TO REHEARSE

Announcement has been made by Frederick A. Protheroe of the beginning of choir rehearsals for two local churches. The choir of the Methodist Church will rehearse this evening at 7:30 P. M., and the Baptist choir will meet for rehearsal, Friday at 8 P. M.

YOUNG PEOPLE MEET

Young people of the Presbyterian Church who attended the recent conference are holding a retreat today at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Wylie Bell at Pine Lake to plan work for the coming year. Walter Jensen and George Winborn are in charge.

Charity Ball Is Planned To Benefit Welfare Fund

Mr. Lefebvre

At a meeting held in the Community House Tuesday evening, plans were laid for a Birmingham Charity Ball, to be given for the benefit of local welfare needs. The ball will be held at the Community House Friday, Oct. 6, and is expected to be one of the largest social events planned in recent years.

Gordon Lefebvre is general chairman in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Harry G. Muehlhan will be treasurer, with Carl Rupp in charge of musical arrangements.

Mrs. R. W. Rose of Keaneshaw drive is chairman of the ticket committee. Assisting her will be Mrs. Irving B. Babcock, Mrs. J. Z. Lander, Mrs. Harold A. Dick, Mrs. Rupp, Mrs. F. B. Etter, Mrs. Milton F. Wilson and Mrs. Donald W. Bay.

Mrs. Carl W. Neumann is in charge of publicity, and H. A. Dick is chairman of entertainment. In addition to the dancing, there will be a floor show to be offered by various residents of the community.

University Women Offer 'Intelligent Buying' Course

To learn the art of stretching the dollar beyond the point where it will buy only the necessities of life, and to obtain the highest quality for value paid, is the dual purpose behind a new course of study for college women which will be offered this year by the Birmingham Branch of the American Association of University Women.

At the first meeting of the new season held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Draper Allen on Westwood drive, Mrs. Mason Barr, chairman of the educational committee, outlined the new course, which is to be called "Intelligent Buying."

"In recent years, various agencies have been at work endeavoring to set up standards and tests for the protection of the consumer," Mrs. Barr explained. "Among such agencies are the Consumers League, Consumers' Research, Inc., a bureau which investigates and tests consumers' goods; the Bureau of Standards, which tests food for purchase by the Government, and the Federal Trade Commission, which determines standards. From these and many other sources, the A. A. U. W. has gathered material for this course which will enable women, to do their purchasing intelligently."

First Class Monday

The first class will meet at Baldwin Public Library at 2 P. M. Monday. Thereafter, classes will be held each week until the latter part of November.

Other courses to be offered by the educational department this year, Mrs. Barr said, include those on "Comparative Religions," "Modern Art," "Child Study" and "Music Appreciation."

Mrs. Nancy B. Thomas, chairman of the committee on college information, announced her assistants, who will be Miss Mary Latham, Mrs. Royce E. Beers and Mrs. C. Kenneth Bell. The work of her committee will begin about Oct. 15, Mrs. Thomas said.

As chairman of the courtesy committee, Mrs. Thomas L. Thurber made known the personnel of her committee, which will include Mrs. Frank H. Mellinger, Mrs. M. S. Charlton of Pleasant Ridge, Mrs. Don M. Hawley, Mrs. Lloyd B. Reid, and Mrs. Clark C. Coulter. The function of this committee will be to extend the welcome of the organization to new members.

New Work Outlined

Mrs. Lewis E. Daniels, chairman of the program committee, gave a brief outline of the work planned for the coming season. The program will be based upon questionaires sent out at the close of last season, Mrs. Daniels explained.

"The majority of answers showed the interests of A. A. U. W. members to be in education, international relations, art, economics, politics, fellowship and science," she told the group. "It will be the endeavor of the committee to follow these subjects in shaping the program."

Mrs. Louis Kuhn, chairman of the membership committee, extended an invitation to women eligible for membership to communicate with her. Other chairmen reporting for their committees included Mrs. Paul Penfield, chairman of the scholarship committee; Mrs. A. G. Osterman, chairman of the social committee, and Mrs. Robert F. Watt, chairman of the book sale to be held in October.

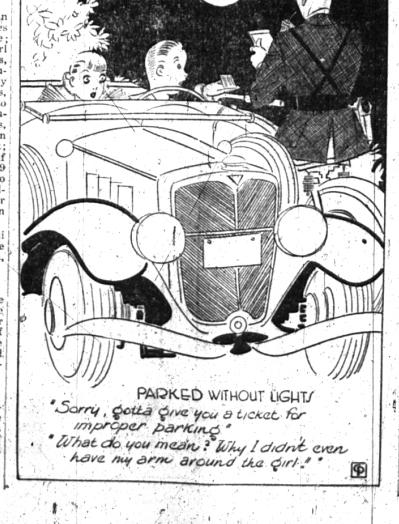
Mrs. Watt announced the personnel of each committee for the sale. Mrs. J. J. Roura, chairman of the solicitation committee, will be assisted by Mrs. Melvin C. Hart, Mrs. Louis Ruthenburg, Mrs. A. G. Osterman, Mrs. Joseph P. Little, Mrs. Craig H. Richey, Mrs. J. H. Rose, Miss Latham, Mrs. Charles J. Shain, Mrs. C. Kenneth Bell and Mrs. Barr.

Other Committees

Assisting Mrs. L. L. Lofgren, chairman of the committee on transportation, will be Mrs. Walter F. Hyndrich, Mrs. Don M. Hawley, Mrs. C. F. Ing and Mrs. Louis Kuhn. Mrs. Douglas H. Ewen is chairman of the committee on sorting and marking. Serving with her will be Mrs. Fred D. Farrar, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. William E. Ivey.

Mrs. Henry G. Doering will direct the publicity work. In charge of the sales committee will be Mrs. Lewis B. Sappington, assisted by Mrs. Carlton Fox, Mrs. C. B. Ramsey, Mrs. Franklin Fricker and Mrs. E. L. Smart. The personnel of the equipment committee includes Mrs. H. C. Wood, chairman, Mrs. Arthur J. Brandt and Mrs. Charles D. McCall.

JUST AMONG US GIRLS



Births

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Caputo, 292 Park street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a 10-pound son, Arthur, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson C. Brown of Floyd street spent the week-end in Saginaw, returning Sunday.

Mrs. Stratton Buck Is Honored On Visit

Birmingham Friends Plan Functions For Interesting Guests From Knoxville, Tenn.

Guests from the South in Birmingham this week are Mr. and Mrs. Stratton Buck of Knoxville, Tenn., who, with their small daughter, Helen, are making a brief visit with Mr. Buck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elton Buck of Puritan road.

Among those who have entertained in honor of Mrs. Stratton Buck and her mother is Mrs. Cyrenius A. Newcomb, Jr., of Bloomfield Hills, who was hostess at luncheon at Orchard Lake Country Club Friday.

Besides the honoree and her hostess, Mrs. Newcomb's guests included Mrs. C. A. Newcomb, III, Mrs. Ralph Stone, Mrs. Leman W. Goodenough of Farmington, and Mrs. George Schemm and Mrs. Maud Schemm of Grosse Pointe.

Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Goodenough entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stratton Buck and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elton Buck as honor guests at a delightful supper party. Another luncheon in honor of Mrs. Buck was given at Orchard Lake Country Club Tuesday when Mrs. H. C. Penny, jr., of Euclid avenue, invited to meet the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Colin Campbell. Mrs. Douglas Campbell, Mrs. Henry Hart, Miss Mary Taliaferro and Mrs. C. A. Newcomb, III.

Mrs. W. S. Gilbreath, jr. of Puritan road has planned a small tea for Friday afternoon, complimenting Mrs. Buck.

RUMMAGE SALE PLANNED

Mrs. W. B. Brown of Southfield road is chairman of a rummage sale to be held at the Parish House of St. James' Episcopal Church, Friday and Saturday. She will be assisted by Mrs. Otis W. Howard.

Many Birmingham women are planning to attend the third annual Diocesan conference to be held at Holiday House, Pine Lake, Sept. 21 and 22.

Child Kept From School By Illness Needs Special Care

Dr. Myers Lists Remedies For Boy, 9, Retarded In Play And Studies

By GARRY C. MYERS, PH. D.

I HAVE a vast deal of sympathy for the child (and his parents) who, from protracted illness, has missed many school days, and fallen behind, discouraged.

Dr. Garry C. Myers

Unfortunately such a child, by virtue of his illness, may have escaped responsibilities, and shunned difficulties, missing much of normal play life.

Through his handicap he may lose interest in the normal competition of the playground and classroom. Physical weakness may continue, or some secondary impairment, as of sight or hearing, may go undetected.

Mother Cites Case

Writes a mother:

"Dear Dr. Myers: I have a boy nine years of age who is very slow and indifferent. In his earlier years he was sick a great deal—had asthma attacks very bad. When he became of school age we started him, but he was in school so little of the time that he learned not much, and could not help himself when he went back as a beginner. He cannot get into the habit of idling his time. He is in the fourth grade now, but it requires a lot of home work and tutoring to keep him up with the class. In playing it is quite the same. He never has become interested enough to want to play games, and would rather play with children smaller than he is.

"He idles his time when given tasks, and punishment is of no avail. He has a brother who is 11 —his very opposite in many ways—is quick, loves games of all sorts, usually plays with older boys, so they are not at all companionable. The younger boy has improved a great deal in health—in fact, so much so that he has not missed a day of school for a long while—is large and well enough to carry the work given him."

Answer: Please, good mother, be most sympathetic with this boy. Try to put yourself in his place. His whole trouble is on the playground and at school could have come about through his long absence from school, enforced by illness. Even yet he may not be so well as you think.

Urges Medical Test

Have a well-trained doctor examine him, a specialist test his sight and hearing. The fact that his brother excels in the very ways in which this boy is retarded, makes him worse by unexpressed comparison. Moreover, you probably hold the older boy up as a model for the younger, than which nothing could be worse.

Encourage the lad to read aloud to you from easy books—from second or third grade level. Also you and dad read much to him. Help him master the simple number facts, such as 8 and 9 are 17, attacking a few calmly each night. Show him how to spell four or five easy words a day, no more. Never let your voice rise when helping him, nor betray the slightest anger at his errors. Do not scold him for his failures, but be very generous with praise for his smallest victories.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Two pamphlets by Dr. Myers may be obtained by sending 10 cents in coin, for each, and a self-addressed envelope stamped with a three-cent stamp, to Dr. Garry C. Myers, in care of The Eccentric. The pamphlets are: "Punishments and Rewards" and "Fear."

Dahlias Win Honors for Size and Beauty At Autumn Show of Horticultural Society

Dahlias that vied with one another for size and beauty of coloring were the cynosure of many eyes at the annual fall exhibition of the Hills and District Horticultural Society held on the Community House Saturday.

The show included the late summer and autumn flowers, specimen fruits, and vegetables, display larger than in previous seasons.

Among the floral exhibits, the fine specimens of dahlias attracted considerable attention. A specimen bloom of the "Jane Cowl" variety won recognition as the largest dahlia in the show exceeding by several inches its rival, "Watching the Sunrise," voted as the loveliest dahlia entered.

Most conspicuous for floral lovliness, the judges decided, was a basket of newcomer dahlias, exhibited by Mrs. Fred Farrar of Lake Angelus. One of the most unusual exhibits was a lovely single sport of Helianthus Multiflorus (daisy perennial sunflower), entered by Edwin T. Atherton of Baldwin avenue. This exhibit was the object of considerable admiration and was granted a special award.

Among others receiving prizes for the open classes were Mrs. Melvin M. Austin, R. Warren Reed, Walter Thorndyke, Mrs. Fisher and Jacob Bauman, jr. Prizes as awarded to exhibitors were:

Class 3: First prize—Mrs. C. W. Matheson. Class 4: First prize, W. O. Briggs; second prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 5: First prize—Walter Killing; second prize—Mrs. Matheson third prize—Mrs. Walter G. Morley. Class 7: Second prize, Mrs. E. A. Sloan; third prize—Mrs. H. A. Stormfelts. Class 9: First prize—Mrs. W. D. Thompson.

Class 10: First prize—Mr. Killing; second prize—H. A. Stormfelts; third prize—Mr. Morley. Class 11: First prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 12: Second prize—Mrs. Thompson. Class 13: First prize—R. W. Ried; second prize—Theodore F. MacManus; third prize—Mr. Killing.

Class 14: First prize—Mrs. Matheson; second prize—Mr. Killing; third prize—Mr. Ried. Class 15: First prize—Mr. Reed; second prize—Mr. Killing. Class 16: First prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 18: Second prize—Mr. Killing. Class 19: Second prize—Mr. Killing; third prize—Mrs. Morley. Class 20: First prize—Mr. Killing; second prize—Mrs. Thompson. Class 21: First prize, Stormfelts; second prize—Mrs. A. H. Buhl; third prize—Mrs. Matheson.

Class 22: First prize—Mrs. Thompson; second prize—Mrs. Stormfelts; third prize—Mrs. Briggs. Class 23: First prize—Mrs. Thompson; second prize—Mrs. MacManus; third prize—Mrs. Morley. Class 24: First prize—Mrs. Fred Fisher; second prize—Mr. Killing; third prize—Mrs. MacManus.

Class 25: First prize—Mr. Killing; second prize—Mrs. Stormfelts. Class 26: First prize—Walter Thorndyke; second prize—Mr. Killing; third prize—Mr. Ried. Class 27: First prize—Mr. Killing; second prize—Mrs. Stormfelts; third prize—Mrs. Morley. Class 28: First prize—Mr. Killing; second prize—Mrs. Thompson; third prize—Mr. Thorndyke. Class 29: First prize—Mrs. MacManus.

Class 32: First prize—Mrs. Briggs; second prize—Mrs. Stormfelts. Class 34: First prize—Mrs. Stormfelts. Class 35: First prize—Mrs. Fisher; second prize—Mrs. Shaw; third prize—Mrs. Briggs. Class 36: First prize—Mrs. Briggs; second prize—Mrs. Fisher; third prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 41: First prize—Mrs. Fisher. Class 42: First prize—Mrs. Fisher; second prize, Mrs. Shaw.

Class 48: First prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 50: First prize—Carl A. Strand. Class 51: First prize—Mrs. Matheson; second prize—Mrs. Thompson; third prize—Mrs. MacManus. Class 52: First prize—Mrs. Matheson; second prize—Mrs. Thompson; third prize—Mrs. MacManus.

Class 53: First prize—Mrs. Shaw; second prize—Mrs. Thompson. Class 54: First prize—Carl Strand; second prize—Mrs. MacManus; third prize—Mrs. W. D. Thompson. Class 55: First prize—Mrs. Strand. Class 56: First prize—Mrs. MacManus. Class 57: First prize—Mrs. Thompson. Class 58: First prize—Mr. Thorndyke.

Class 60: First prize—Mr. Thorndyke; second prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 69: First prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 70: First prize—Mr. Matheson. Class 72: First prize—Mrs. MacManus; second prize—Mr. Thorndyke; third prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 73: First prize—Mrs. Matheson; second prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 74: First prize—Mrs. Shaw; second prize—Mrs. Strand; third prize—Mr. Thorndyke.

Class 78: First prize—Mrs. Thorndyke; second prize—Mrs. MacManus. Class 79: First prize—Mrs. Carl A. Strand. Class 82: Second prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 79: First prize—Mrs. MacManus; second prize—Mrs. Buhl. Class 80: First prize—Mr. Thorndyke. Class 84: First prize—Mrs. Buhl; second prize—Mrs. MacManus.

Class 84: First prize—Mrs. Shaw; second prize—Mrs. Stormfelts. Class 85: First prize—Mrs. T. F. MacManus. Class 86: First prize—Mrs. H. A. Stormfelts. Class 87: First prize—Mrs. Morley; second prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 88: First prize—Mrs. Buhl. Class 90: First prize—Mrs. Buhl. Class 93: First prize—Mrs. Shaw; second prize—Mrs. MacManus. Class 94: First prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 96: First prize—Mrs. Fisher. Class 97: First prize—Mrs. Shaw; second prize—Mrs. MacManus. Class 98: First prize—Mrs. MacManus; second prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 99: First prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 101: First prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 102: First prize—Mrs. Shaw.

Class 103: First prize—Mr. Strand; second prize—Mrs. Matheson; third prize—Mr. Thorndyke. Class 104: First prize—Mrs. Shaw; second prize—Mrs. Thorndyke; third prize, Mrs. Matheson. Class 105: First prize—Mrs. Ried; second prize—Mrs. Matheson; third prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 106: First prize—Mr. Thorndyke; second prize—Mrs. Matheson. Class 107: First prize—Mrs. Matheson; second prize—Mrs. Shaw. Class 110: First prize—Mrs. Carl Moergeli; second prize—Mrs. M. M. Austin; third prize—Mr. Thorndyke. Class 111: First prize—Mrs. Matheson; second prize—Mrs. Moergeli. Class 122: First prize—Mrs. Strand.

Complimentary awards were made to Mrs. Austin, who received first prize for her annuals and perennials; Mr. Killing, who was given second prize for his marigolds, and Mrs. Austin, third for her exhibit of dwarf zinnias. Other awards were made to Mr. Atherton for his sunflower specimen, to Skae, for agratum, to White Chapel Memorial Cemetery for an exhibit of marigolds, and to M. James of Pontiac for his entry of gladioli.

CONTRACT BRIDGE

Written For Central Press and The Birmingham Eccentric

By E. V. SHEPARD

FAMOUS BRIDGE TEACHER

How Many At Diamonds for North?

EAST AND WEST were vulnerable. North and South were not vulnerable. There was no score on the second game. How should bidding go?

South and West had passed. North was willing to bid high on his two-suiter, and he knew that his opponents were not prepared to venture overbidding. East might bid anyway. In which case North wanted to make certain that South heard about both the minor suits. His reasoning was sound enough. Bidding went as follows: North, 1-Club; South, 1-Heart; North, 3-Diamonds (an urgent robid call); South, 5-Diamonds, ending bidding.

As opponents had bid different suits before agreeing upon a third suit, East's lead was the best possible—a trump. The question was how many could be made with that lead.

North's 8 won the opening diamond lead. Dummy ruffed a club. Declarer's Q of trumps overtook dummy's lead of the 10. All opposing trumps were down. Dummy ruffed a second lead of clubs. The declarer ruffed a low heart. Dummy ruffed a third club, taking declarer's last trump, but declarer's clubs were established.

The 5 of spades was led from dummy. The declarer's Q lost to East's Ace, establishing two good spades in dummy. The declarer still held 2 long trumps, so that he spread his hand for a small slam, regardless of what East chose to lead.

East and West went game and rubber on the next deal, but the score amounted to only 660 points, whereas the score would have been 970 points if North had not bid and made game. That difference was well worth saving.

Can Spades Go Come?

A heated argument arose over the following hand:

Bidding went: South, 1-Spade; North, 2-Diamonds; South, 2-Hearts; North, 2-Spades; South, 3-Hearts, to show two long suits; North, 4-Spades. The opening lead was the 3 of clubs. The contract was defeated one trick. Can game be made in spades against perfect defense?