

# News of Social and Personal Interest

## BRIDGE TEA NETS HOUSE BIG PROFIT

First Party in Series la Well Attended by Birmingham Women

A substantial gift of \$106 was presented to the Community House by the Birmingham Branch of the American Association of University Women, as the net profit gained by the bridge tea given at the House Friday afternoon under the auspices of the Association.

The tea was one of a series planned by the social committee to be given throughout the year for the benefit of the House and to be sponsored by the various women's groups enjoying privileges of the House for their meetings.

Judging from the initial event, the idea has found favor with Birmingham women, as a capacity number of tables were filled. Others, who did not care to join in the bridge game, came to knit or chat and to enjoy the tea that followed. Green and white prevailed as the color scheme for the tea table, artistically arranged by Mrs. W. A. F. John. Shaggy white chrysanthemums seemed to spring miraculously from a branch of white coral placed in a large white pottery bowl in the center of the table. Burning white tapers in white pottery candleholders were diagonally placed at either end of the table. The only color used in the scheme was the green foliage of the chrysanthemums and the green bands of the china table appointments.

Those pouring were officers of the Association, including Mrs.

## Work Of Oakland Artists To Be Seen In 4th Exhibit

A representative group of Oakland County artists have accepted the invitation of the County Federation of Women's Clubs to enter their work in the fourth annual county art exhibition, sponsored by the clubwomen, to be held in the Community House Nov. 1, 2 and 3.

Among the pictures to be hung in the exhibit will be "Snow Scene," by Mrs. Thomas L. Thurber, which received favorable comment in the exhibit of independent artists held in Detroit in April, and which was also on exhibition in Chicago during the summer.

Everett Smith Cofran of the Cranbrook Academy of Art will show several of his oil paintings, including those of "Christ Church Cranbrook," "First Baptist Church, Birmingham," and a landscape of "Bloomfield Hills Toward Kingswood."

Other Exhibitors: Another well known artist from Cranbrook, William V. Kaeser, will exhibit two scenes from Boston and one of Cranbrook in watercolor. Charles E. Esery, Mrs. Charles E. Lewis, Mrs. W. Colt Allee, Mrs. D. W. Millman, Mrs. Lewis B. Sappington, Mrs. J. J. Boura, Jr., and Mrs. D. D. Williams of Pleasant Ridge.

Mrs. Donald T. Stanton was chairman of the ticket committee, assisted by Mrs. H. G. Wood, Mrs. F. H. Mellinger, and Mrs. William J. Norton of Pleasant Ridge. Prizes were made and donated by Mrs. Thomas L. Thurber.

## LEAGUE FIGURES IN STATE MEETING

State Convention Adopts Two Resolutions Presented by Birmingham Delegate

Mrs. C. R. Paton, president of the Birmingham League of Women Voters, and the members who accompanied her to the annual convention of the Michigan League held in Kalamazoo last week, have returned with the satisfaction of having placed the Birmingham League on the convention record.

Attending the convention with Mrs. Paton were Mrs. Edward L. Bryant, Mrs. Dorothy G. Roosevelt, Mrs. Raymond Reilly, Mrs. William H. Jackson, Mrs. F. P. McKinney and Mrs. Forbes S. Hascall.

Two resolutions introduced by Mrs. Bryant, chairman of the department of government and education, asking the incoming Governor and Legislature to provide by legislation for financial aid for the state school system, and opposing the proposed gas and weight tax amendments to the state constitution, were adopted by the convention.

Mrs. Paton spoke informally at one of the sessions on League membership. The closing feature of the convention was a dramatic sketch entitled "Wedded But No Wife," presented by Mrs. Roosevelt of the United States, and Mrs. Reilly as Europe.

Other speakers included William Trufant Foster, chairman of the consumers' board in Washington, D. C., who spoke on "The Consumer Under the NRA"; Mrs. Paul Jones, state president; Mrs. Benjamin Merrick, state chairman of international cooperation; Mrs. J. J. Richards, state legislative chairman, and others.

## County Fair Plans Announced by P. T. A.

A county fair, with all the exciting din of the midway and the usual attractions that draw the crowds will be held in the auditorium of Barum School, Friday, Nov. 2, at 7:30 P. M., under auspices of the Barum Parent-Teacher Association. Everyone willing to pay a penny admission is invited to join the crowd.

There will be, among other things, a fish pond, fortune teller, side shows, a country store where home-baked goods will be sold; a white elephant booth and a lunch counter where the traditional "red-hot" and other refreshments will be sold. There will also be dancing.

Proceeds of the fair will be used for the milk fund maintained for the school by the Association. Mrs. E. L. Birtwhring is general chairman for the fair, assisted by Mrs. J. H. Rosso.

## Church Will Honor Pastor At Dinner And Reception

A harvest home supper, followed by a reception in honor of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Hopkins will be held at the First Methodist Church Friday evening at 6:30 P. M., under auspices of the Women's Society.

The friendship group of the Society, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Thomas A. Schooley, will be in charge of the dinner. Mrs. Claude Streb and Mrs. John E. Martz, comprise a committee arranging a brief, informal reception. There will be a welcome extended by officers of the church, musical selections and group singing. An invitation is extended to the public to attend both dinner and reception.

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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

Written For Central Press and The Birmingham Eccentric  
By E. V. SHEPARD  
FAMOUS BRIDGE TEACHER

WHAT CAN EAST MAKE?

WHEN ILLUSTRATING principles it is important to carry an analysis to its final conclusion. East has a hand that is not a simple one. The lightest difference which clubs, following the general rule a hand averages to win one more trick than at no trumps. West insisted upon playing the suit containing ten aces should be led up to, not through. West overcalled with 7-10 Trumps. He went down a trick through in expert play.

♠ J 10 9 8 4  
 ♥ K 9 7 5  
 ♦ K 10 2  
 ♣ 4  
 ♠ A Q 5 2  
 ♥ A 9 8 7 6 4  
 ♦ 7 6  
 ♣ 8 6 3 2  
 ♠ K 3  
 ♥ 10 4  
 ♦ 5 3  
 ♣ K J 10 9 8 3 2

The natural question arises, could East have made a grand slam at clubs against any defensive play? Look it over. What opening lead is best calculated to defeat the contract? Try by turns each of the four possible suits.

Playing the hand at 7-Clubs, with or without the double, it is probable that no player would fulfill his contract, yet it can be done, as shown below.

If South leads a spade, win with declarer's K. If South leads any

## Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Thorn Smith of Cranbrook will leave Tuesday for their winter home at Fort Myers, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lloyd Kemp of Yarmouth road entertained 12 guests at a buffet supper at their home Tuesday evening. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. Joslyn, the Rev. and Mrs. W. Hamilton Aulenbach, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gray Murdy, Dr. and Mrs. Campbell Harvey, and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Beresford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McClare of Long Lake road were hosts at an informal bridge and buffet supper Sunday evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Housman, Mr. and Mrs. Manley R. Bailey, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Higby.

A new group of Bloomfield Hills in Birmingham went to join those attending the Friday morning Town Hall Series includes Mrs. Clarence Booth, Mrs. P. J. Kent, Mrs. George Coleman Booth, Mrs. N. Bradley Higbie, Mrs. George D. Storer, Mrs. Guy C. Smith, Mrs. W. A. Shaver and Mrs. Anthony Gaubis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fogarty of White Pigeon, Mich., are the guests this week of their daughter, Mrs. Benjamin H. Anibal and Mr. Anibal of Lone Pine road.

A wedding ceremony quietly performed at the home of the Rev. W. Clarence Wright on West Maple avenue, Saturday at 4 P. M., united Miss Nancy Stewart of Lakeside drive, recently of Ireland, and Leroy Edward Denison of Royal Oak. Miss Margaret Stewart was her sister's only attendant, and Civille Hinman of Pontiac was the best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Bieling of Squirrel road will be hosts at dinner Friday evening in honor of their house guest, Miss Mary McMillan of Los Angeles, Cal. Their other guests will include the Rev. and Mrs. W. Hamilton Aulenbach, and Mr. and Mrs. Ferd M. Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald T. Stanton of Moberg drive were hosts at an informal dinner Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Marie Ahnighito Peary Stafford, daughter of the late Robert Edwin Peary, famous explorer and discoverer of the North Pole. Mrs. Stafford, who with her husband, Edward Stafford, resides in Washington, D. C., is a noted author. To meet their guest, Mr. and Mrs. Stanton have invited Mr. and Mrs. George M. Dweley, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Herdich, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. P. John, Mrs. Melvin J. Kates, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Penfeld, George Goodnow and Edward Shattuck. Mr. and Mrs. Stanton also were hosts at dinner Saturday evening, having as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. William Hoopner, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Minor, the Rev. and Mrs. Warner L. Forsyth, and Mr. Shattuck. In a group attending the football game in Ann Arbor Saturday, will be Mr. and Mrs. Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. Hooper and Mr. and Mrs. Herdich.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher D. Richards of Vaughan road are expected to return the latter part of the week from New York City, where they spent the past week.

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