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# Club Notes and Personals

## BRIDGE IS ANSWER TO HOW TO BE COOL

Birmingham Women Find Hot Weather Diversion in Lunching at Club

An excellent way to keep cool in the torrid days of July is to forget about the weather, and to concentrate on some more absorbing subject. And what could be more absorbing than a game of contract?

That is why Birmingham women flock to Pine Lake Country Club when the summer bridge luncheons are held. No matter how warm the day, after lunching at the club and indulging in a game of contract, one has forgotten enough about the heat to be fairly comfortable.

A number of local Pine Lake members entertained guests at the club Wednesday, taking advantage of the special bridge luncheon. Mrs. Benjamin H. Anibal of Lynne Pine road had as her guests, Mrs. Earl A. Thompson, Mrs. Charles B. Stiffler, Mrs. L. E. Hunt, Mrs. Stanley Rogers, Mrs. Stuart Austin, Mrs. E. J. Kelley and Mrs. Roy Cowlin.

Mrs. Leslie C. Allan of Hupp Cross road entertained a four some, including Mrs. G. W. J. Linton, Mrs. Donald H. Van Pelt and her guest, Mrs. W. G. Stewart of Pittsburgh, and Mrs. C. B. Rumble.

Mrs. Harry D. Wise of Bloomfield Village was hostess to Mrs. Clark Bassett, Mrs. Myron B. Ellis and Mrs. J. J. Kelly, Jr. Mrs. William McCullum and Mrs. John S. Black entertained jointly for eight guests from Detroit.

Mrs. Joseph S. Curley of Kimberly road had as her luncheon guests, Mrs. Margaret Scriven, Mrs. James Scriven of Athens, O., Mrs. Emmett Fink of Wyandotte and her house guest, Mrs. John Traub of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Clifford Tibbels of Pontiac, and Mrs. Robert M. Zema and Mrs. S. O. Dickerson, both of Detroit.

Mrs. Anibal and Mrs. A. Floyd Stanley were in charge of arrangements. Hostesses for the day included Mrs. Ralph C. Spinning, Mrs. Harold W. Dredley, Mrs. Charles P. Ackert, Mrs. R. N. Friel, Mrs. Karl F. Oehler and Mrs. A. J. Prentice.

Mrs. John L. Steffan of Memphis, Tenn., arrived last Thursday to spend the week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Hirsch of Lakeland drive. Their son, Albert Hirsch, will return about Aug. 1 from a visit to his grandparents in Philadelphia and Rutherford, N. Y.

Mrs. Harold L. Blood of Pilgrim road, with her son, Webster, and daughter, Gertrude, have returned from the East, where they have been since early in June, visiting relatives and friends in Massachusetts and Connecticut. Mr. Blood, who joined his family two weeks ago, returned with Mrs. Blood and will leave Birmingham about Sept. 1 to make his home in Boston.

## Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. C. LeRoy Austin of Edison road were hosts at an informal dinner last Thursday evening at Pine Lake Country Club in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Allen of Canton, O. The other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Yonker, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dunton, Mr. and Mrs. George G. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cook of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Langley Smart of Wing Lake Shore entertained a group of friends at a supper party on the beach Saturday evening. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan M. Ball and their guest, Miss Helen Ware of Lynchburg, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carlberg, John McMullen and Kenneth Osborn. Mrs. Smart was also hostess at tea at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whagby of Riverdale road were hosts at dinner and bridge last Thursday evening at Pine Lake Country Club, including as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Friel of Pleasant Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard L. Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton E. Sears.

Mrs. George W. Akers and her son, Dan, of Willis street left Sunday for a visit of two weeks in Chicago, where they are the guests of Mrs. Akers' aunt and uncle, Drs. G. H. and F. E. Carpenter. Mr. Akers also left Sunday for a cruise in the Great Lakes on the U. S. S. Dubuque, as a lieutenant in the Naval Reserves.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Minor of Winneton drive and their son, Larry, Jr., left Sunday for a sojourn on the shores of Lake Huron, near Tawas, Mich. They plan to spend about a fortnight at the beach.

Lieut. Clyde H. Wood, Jr., Kenosha, Wis., arrived last Thursday last Thursday for Grayling, Mich., where they will remain for a week at the U. S. Air Corps of the Michigan National Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Storm of Chesterfield drive and their children, John and Alice, left Saturday to spend a week at Tawas Beach, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Peters of Martell drive and their children, Joy and Wallace, will leave next Friday to spend a fortnight at Bigwin Inn in northern Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne E. Groves of Hanna street and their daughters, Sara and Ann, returned Sunday from a visit to Newberry, Mich., where they spent the past three weeks.

Miss Gertrude Wynn of Hanna street had as her house guest for the week-end, Miss Dorothy Smart, of Youngtown, O., formerly of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. David R. Ballentine of Poppleton avenue, and their daughter, Ann, are expected to return Aug. 1 from Dublin, N. H.

Miss Irene Bear of Champaign, Ill., is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hutchinson of Barbour terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shaver of Southfield road will have as their house guest this week-end, Miss Jean Warner of Pasadena, Cal. Miss Warner, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Shaver for 10 days recently, left for a brief sojourn in Toledo. She will return this week-end to continue her visit here.

The Misses Helen Shaver and Kathleen Mead, who are spending a month at Chippewa Trails Camp near Elk Lake, Mich., are expected home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis K. Marshall of Wilminton Terrace have returned from a month's visit in Kennebunk, Me., and Boston, Mass. Mr. Marshall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Marshall of Norwood, Mass., near Boston, arrived Sunday for a week's visit.

Miss Elizabeth Dillon and Miss Ethel Rice of Ann Arbor will be guests for the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Forbes S. Halcott of Ferndale avenue.

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

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### MASTERING BRIDGE

PERFECT understanding of one elementary fact before consideration of the next fact gives an assured feeling never experienced by average players. Consider this theorem: All sound systems of hand valuation must give the same results approximately. It is cumbersome to work with the long decimal values for individual honors: Ace, 1.000; K, 0.667; Q, 0.433; J, 0.283; Ten, 0.167. For convenience honors are all reduced to eighty-firsts of a normal value, thus: Ace, 8 1/3; K, 5 1/3; Q, 3 1/3; J, 2 1/3; Ten, 1 2/3. Ten each is divided by some convenient number, to preserve relative values in smaller numbers. The following famous systems of honor values are obtained by dividing the above numbers by the ones cited in each case: Whitfield, 8; Robertson, 11; Beasley, 15; Pitch, 18; my own "Short-cut," 23. The final results are tabulated below:

	Ace	K	Q	J	Ten
Whitfield	10	7	5	4	3
Robertson	11	7 1/2	5 1/2	4 1/2	3 1/2
Beasley	15	10	7 1/2	6	5
Pitch	18	12	9	8	6
Short-Cut	23	15 1/3	11 1/3	9 1/3	7 1/3

In every sound system the playing value of the K is one probable trick, both for declarator and dummy, whether at no trumps or a suit contract, with all honors of suits not adversely bid. Value the following go trump hand by decimal method for true playing value and by the five standard systems mentioned above:

A 10 7 K Q 5 3 10 6 3 K 9 2

Declarator method: 3.525 (divided by 0.667, result: 5.28 probable playing tricks.)

Whitfield gives 36 points divided by 7, or a plus probable playing trick.

Robertson gives 25 points divided by 5, or 5 probable playing tricks.

Beasley gives 22 points divided by 4 or 5 1/2 probable playing tricks.

Pitch gives 15 points divided by 3, or 5 probable playing tricks.

Short-Cut gives 10 points divided by 2, or 5 probable playing tricks.

As a rule the Whitfield and Beasley methods give slightly more accurate results, but any one of the six standard methods given is sufficiently close for practical purposes. Their neither is nor should be any serious controversy between followers of any standard method of trick counting.

Within a year two-thirds of the antiquated graphologies in the schools of Salt Lake City have been replaced by modern textbooks.

## Promising Player



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