

# M. S. C. P. Opens Frolic for High School Crowd and Returning Collegians

## YOUNG SET PLANS HOLIDAY DANCE

### Thanksgiving Night To Be Date of Semi-Formal For Students

Nothing so prosaic as a rest will occupy the members of Birmingham's younger set over the coming Thanksgiving recess. On Thanksgiving night a large proportion of them will flock to the Community House, where M. S. C. P., a high school organization, is sponsoring an open dance for the high school and college crowd. It will be semi-formal, lasting from 9:30 till one.

Dave McKinney, general chairman of the dance—which, by the way, is an annual affair—announces that Harry Blair's orchestra, from Detroit, has been secured for the evening. Other members of the group who are serving on various committees include Bill Cobb, Dick Gracy and Dave Thomas, all of whom are members of the advertising committee.

Jim Bennett, Gene McCullough and Warner Forsyth are seeing to the decorations, while Bill Osterman and Dick Harrell are attending to the patrons for the affair. To date, there are a few of the members and the guests with whom they plan to attend: Steve Wyzant and Frances Chandler, Dick Harrell and Nancy Keegan, Jim Bennett and Pay Anderson, Bill Osterman and Mary Ann Neff, Warner Forsyth and John Collins, Fritz Adams and Florence Brotherton and Dick McKinney.

Since the dance is traditionally open to the public, there are some more dates already made for it: Frank McCarthy and Marilyn Prussing, Bob Etter and Katherine Walton, Harry Stark and Louise Cobb, Ed. Pagan and Mayfa Jean Gracy, Duke Potere and Ruth Anderson, Bob Harrington and Dorothy Matthews, Mildred Plumstead and Jean Wakefield, Johnny Hayes and Jean McKinney, and Byron Colgrove and Betty Minor Forsyth.

## P. T. A. Offers Child 'Checking' Facilities

### 'Checking' their little folks in the Barnum school kindergarten will be the unique privilege of members and guests of the school Parent Teacher's Association, when they meet this afternoon at three o'clock. This has been arranged in cooperation with the school authorities in order to enable more of the mothers of small children to attend the meeting.

The subject for discussion during the meeting will be the changing of the curriculum. Both parents and teachers will participate in this talk. The entertainment committee has arranged for the Mothers' Choir to sing, following the business meeting.

Afternoon tea will wind up the meeting for the afternoon. This will be served in charge of Mrs. Maurice D. Watts, Mrs. James M. Anderson and Mrs. Russell Johnson.

## W. C. T. U. Meet Is Attraction For Big Crowd

An exceptionally large attendance marked the all-day meeting of the W. C. T. U. held recently at the First Baptist Church. Out-of-town guests included organization members from Detroit, Royal Oak, Berkeley, Redford, Troy, Walled Lake, Farmington, Plymouth, Ferndale and Pontiac.

The program opened with a devotional service, led by Mrs. John Edward Martin. Mrs. Charles J. Shain followed, addressing the assembly on various phases of international relations. Following Mrs. Shain's talk, luncheon was served at the church.

The afternoon session was occupied by reports made by delegates to others of the organization's conventions held recently. Mrs. Clara Todd Patterson told of the accomplishments of the W. C. T. U. State Convention, which convened in Saginaw. Mrs. Elizabeth Erwin's address dealt with the National Convention, at Washington, D. C.

## DIRECTOR FORBIDS PARTIES FOR CAST

### St. Dunstan's Members Must Be Troupers Until After Show

Members of St. Dunstan's club who are taking part in the club's presentation of "Dear Brutus," by Barrie, are learning what it means to be troupers, even if it does cut down on their social life. The three-act comedy will be a two-night performance, this Friday and Saturday nights, and Mrs. Maurice Cochran, who is directing it, is taking no chances on letting her cast get too tired to turn in a good performance on both nights. Therefore, she has issued an order that no one in the cast may attend or give any parties until Saturday night, after the performance.

Of course, with so large a cast, such a restriction, that cuts down considerably on the festivities of a formal nature. However, there are several affairs to be considered. One of them is an informal buffet supper, which Miss Rosemary Thompson will tender to a party of friends before the Friday show, in her home on 13 Mile road.

H. Kenneth Bingham will be host to a small gathering, which will necessarily be informal, since the host must leave early to take tickets at the door! The W. S. Kennedys will also entertain a few friends at dinner, in their home on Lone Pine road.

**CARILLON RECITAL**  
Christ Church Cranbrook  
Sunday, Nov. 21, 5 p. m.  
Prayer of Thanksgiving  
Dutch Melody  
Gaudeamus Old Latin Song  
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Londonderry Air Irish Tune  
Etude Couplein  
Cranbrook School Song

## 'Long Trail' Winds Over Mountains From St. James' Wayside Market Here

### Mrs. Bishop Co-chairman Of Event Sponsored By Local Church

"There's a long, long trail a-winding" from St. James' Church School building "on Bates street and West Maple avenue, on up over the mountains, and far, away into the sunset.

One's first impulse is to follow the trail, it looks almost irresistible, as it threads its way in and out among mountain peaks. But on second thought one doesn't follow the long trail, because if he did, he'd be wasting energy climbing up a blank wall.

The roadway, is merely a very real mural effect executed by Fred S. Cole for the Wayside Market, sponsored by the League of St. James' Women. The Market is scheduled to open at 11 a. m. today, and continue through Friday evening. Mrs. Lane Bishop is co-chairman with Mrs. H. E. Middleton.

Among the original features of this affair, which takes the place of the old-fashioned annual church bazaar, are certainly the decorations. There are two parts of the Market, one on the "Main Highway" in the Church School building, and the other, which is the "Children's Fair," in the Parish House. For both, the decorations are particularly unusual.

**Booths Line 'Road'**  
But as for this road that winds so intriguingly up the wall, it is one of the clearest ideas! The plan is to present as realistically as possible, a roadside market. As one enters, there are booths constructed like wayside market stalls. They are arranged like a little avenue, and on either side one finds the most tempting and attractive things from limes to jams and jellies, offered for sale.

The little avenue, lined with booths, continues to the end of the long room, and then surprisingly goes right on. One really should see Mr. Cole's road to appreciate its striking realism. The snow-capped peaks in the distance virtually make one forget he is still in the level Middle West instead of travelling through the Rockies. The men of the church, are credited by Mrs. Bishop, with the works of art which have so transformed the church school building. Mr. Cole and Lane Bishop were in charge, and working under their direction were Richard Kearns, Norman James, John Luscomb, Fred D. Farrar, Edward E. Ilett, L. M. Baker and Harold E. Middleton.

But the women have played a more important role than they are willing to admit. For instance, the side walls have been done largely by Mrs. George D. Clark. Others assisted by governing the walls with paper preliminary to decorating. By doing some of the "flat" painting, by scalloping awnings for the booths, and various other artistic touches. Among those assisting in this way were Mrs. Warner L. Forsyth, Mrs. Ilett, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Kyrns, Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. Inez Asper.

## Children's Fair Unique

Planning has been combined with work, as those busily engaged this time out Sunday evening for sandwiches and coffee. Monday, the 36 members of St. Margaret's Guild met at the Parish House for luncheon and religious exercises in the completion of the booths.

Among the opening events of the Market planned for today are the bridge luncheon at the Parish House, and the Children's Fair. The Fair will begin at 4 p. m. and will be staged at the Parish House also. It offers a wide variety of attractions calculated to appeal to the juvenile patron. There will be the Lady With One Hundred Pockets, each containing some mystery gift, and the fish pond, for which Ward Crueshank painted a large and very appealing green fish. Ward is responsible for all the decorations for the Children's Fair, including a booth surrounded by plump geese.

The Market will open Friday at 11 a. m., and a feature of Friday evening will be a turkey dinner, of which Mrs. James E. Bullock is in charge. An interesting feature of the Market will be the exhibition of 30 miniature water color portraits done by Mrs. Harold A. Dick. Many of these are of the church members, and Mrs. Dick will take commissions for other portraits to be done.

The booths are particularly attractive. Mrs. Louise Hatch, chairman of the linen booth; Mrs. Carl P. Sitta, of the doll booth; Mrs. Clarence G. Hemmiller, of the novelties; Mrs. Fred Sargent, utilities; Mrs. Clarence Vliet, Jr., candy; Mrs. Norman James, jam and jellies; Mrs. E. H. Strunk, delicatessen, and fortune telling, Mrs. Merritt J. Pike.

## PEARSALLS MARK 60 YEARS TOGETHER

### Bridesmaid, Is One Of Four Guests Who Are Over Eighty

What more suitable occasion for celebration is there than a Golden Wedding anniversary? Mr. and Mrs. George Pearsall can tell you: It's an anniversary of a wedding that is 60 years old, an anniversary which they celebrated Sunday, Nov. 14, in their home on Chestnut street. During the course of the afternoon, 25 old friends came to offer their congratulations. And many more sent cards and other tokens. And everyone is wishing them that old favorite of all good wishes, "Many happy returns of the day."

Among the guests there were four who are over 80 years of age. William Herbinson was one of them. She felt especially the significance of the occasion for she "stood up" with Mrs. Pearsall as bridesmaid in 1877. Mrs. Emma Robinson is another of them. She was classmate of the "bride" when they attended school together—even before the marriage. She was the granddaughter of the bride's mother, "Young" Peter Cuthbertson, who is visiting her boy at present is also over 80. Her little granddaughter was at the party, and sang a group of requested songs for the guests. The other member of the "over 80 group" is the gallant host.

There was an imposing pile of cards. It seemed that every one was anxious to remember the Pearsalls. One of the most treasured keepsakes was from Oakland, Cal. It was sent by Mrs. George Mitchell, who is the widow of George Mitchell, of the Eccentric, 'way back when.

And there were wedding cakes Sunday, three were made by Mrs. Burns, the Pearsalls' daughter, who lives with them, presented her parents with a mammoth affair in the shape of a cake. The cake was "George and Sarah." And that's what George and Sarah's life together has been. It's a grand far sweeter than any frosting though, and far too imposing to ever be set down on a cake, even a wedding cake.

## Club Notes

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Redeemer Lutheran Church will sponsor a bake sale Saturday, at Stroups market. Mrs. Adolph A. Kowinake is general chairman of the sale, which will start at 9 a. m. She is assisted by Mrs. Walter Moderow.

Mrs. Julia B. Randall will be hostess to members of the Philemon club on Tuesday, Nov. 23, at 1:30 p. m. Luncheon will be served, followed by an afternoon of sewing.

Due to the holiday, the Soroptimist club, which ordinarily meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month, will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 23, at 7 p. m. Dinner will be served at Devon Gables, and the regular business meeting will follow.

Men of the Poppleton school Neighborhood Association will hold a Bingo party at the school, 16 Mile and Grooks roads, tomorrow at 8 p. m. The affair features door as well as game prizes, and there will be refreshments. E. L. Bradford, general chairman, issues an invitation to the general public to attend, explaining that the proceeds will be used for school and athletic equipment.

The Clawson Oddfellows have chosen tonight at 8:30 as the date for their feathery party. The scene will be held at the O. O. F. hall, one block south of 15 Mile road, on Main street in Clawson. All the prizes will be poultry, and a grand door prize is also offered. The public is welcome to attend.

The McColl current events class, held on Thursday at the Community house, will be held at 1:30 p. m. hereafter, in accordance with the wishes of the majority of its members.

## Extension Class To Study Furnishings For Home

With its officers duly elected, and its study theme for the year announced, the Birmingham Home Economics Class, and extension project of Michigan State College, is all ready to swing into its winter work. The theme for the year for work and study will be "Home Furnishings."

Mrs. John Gill has been selected to serve the group as chairman. The office of secretary-treasurer will be filled by Mrs. Roy F. Smith, and Mrs. Victor Ogden is recreation chairman. Serving as leaders of the group will be Mrs. Forrest Cornell and Mrs. Myron Clement. Mrs. Smith will be hostess to the group for its next meeting, to be held at one o'clock Tuesday, Nov. 23, at her home on Humphrey street. The subject for the day will be "Color Schemes in the Home." All who are interested in that and kindred subjects, who would like to enroll in the class, are invited to do so. Visitors and guests will be welcome at this coming meeting.

## Business Women Hear Concert And Hold Dinner Meet

A dinner and social meeting will clinch a busy week for members of the Birmingham Business Women's Club tonight, when they convene at the Community House at 6:30. Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Gladys Heinze and Ruth Wall. Members will bring their contributions for one of the club's annual projects, a Thanksgiving basket, at this time, and the basket will be made up, ready for delivery.

Last night the club members were the guests of Mrs. Clara Stewart, who presented them with tickets to hear the Skinner's Chantry's Choir at its Masonic Temple recital.



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