

New Group Sponsors Plan for Informal Parties at House

ORGANIZE SECOND DANCE ASSEMBLY

Local Women Announce First Party For Nov. 27

With the gayest time of the year—the Christmas holiday season—right around the corner, Birmingham is definitely in a dancing mood. And right now there is every indication that this movement is going to carry over until well into the spring, effectively brightening up the dreariest of the seasons.

Some of the most enthusiastic exponent of the dance are in the group of local women responsible for the organization of the Friendly Dancing club, which will be in the nature of a quarterly assembly. The first dance which will be informal, will be held at the Community House on Saturday, Nov. 27. Others will be held on as yet indefinite dates during the months of January, March and May. Bill Kurla, a Detroit handsman, will play at the first assembly, and has been tentatively retained for those to come.

Subscriptions to this club are not by any means a closed affair, according to the women who are sponsoring it. They advocated subscribers attending in a group, but indicate that anyone who is interested will be welcome to attend. Those who are interested, may obtain further information from Mrs. Julia K. Lally, at the Community House, or from any one of those who have been active in organizing the group. These include Mrs. H. H. Gardner, Mrs. Howard D. Craik, Mrs. Forbes St. Mrs. George A. Jackson and Mrs. Frank A. O'Donnell.

Social Briefs

Miss Margaret Sanger, of Bloomfield Court, was hostess last Thursday to a group of friends who dined together, later attending the performance of the Detroit symphony orchestra. Included among the guests were Miss George R. Averill and her houseguest, Miss Liane Di Guido, Mrs. F. H. Melling, Mrs. John F. Horton and Mrs. H. H. Gardner.

Mrs. Fred D. Farrar has returned from her horse rides on Kenosaw avenue to a short stay in Delwan, Wisconsin. While there she attended a house-party given by her sister, Mrs. E. G. Buzzell.

Mrs. Donald R. Mowsey, of Chicago, is the house-guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Sills, of Linden road, for a short time. Mrs. Mowsey was Constance Keller before her marriage, last July, to Mr. Mowsey.

Mrs. T. H. Adams entertained at tea Wednesday, in her home on Puritan avenue, for a large group of her friends. The occasion was to meet Mrs. Cassius L. Miller, who, with Mr. Miller, is a new resident of Birmingham.

Mrs. Hugh Hitchcock, of Lowell Court, was hostess Tuesday to members of her book club. In lieu of the customary book review, the guests occupied themselves with records of musical aptitude tests, and in listening to recordings of a complete symphony.



College Knowledge

By SOPHIE MORE

New of the week concerns Dike Dwellier, whom we promise not to mention again for absolute centuries. But his latest escapade really is something 'youghta hear about. Only one per cent of each college's graduating class is selected for this, by a board composed of students and faculty, which bases its choice on everything from the number of pies the candidate's finger is in the way he parts his hair. Those chosen are put in 'Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities,' a manual just like the original, with biographies n' everything. And he's one o' dem. Isn't that keen?

He isn't the only honoree, either. Elizabeth White kicks through with the colossal achievement of being tapped for Wyvern, the highest possible honor for junior but only at double. You have to practically be Mrs. Ann Arbor to make it, but she did. So did Dorothy Stahler, a former Beechman light whom you used to know. And of course Roberta Chisus is already in it.

State Kids Soar Too
Here's news about a couple of Michigan State kids! And it's good news, so lend an ear while we tell all. Betty Sears, who's one o' dem, is a member of the Omicron Nu Omicron Nu, to home economists, is like Phyllis Kappa to others. All of the millions of home ecers at State practically blow a gasket to make it, but only a handful are chosen every year. Isn't that the nuts, and aren't you proud of Betty?

Betty's sister, Barb, (who is a sister of hers in Chi Omega, also), is doing all right for herself too. A mere strapping sophomore, she is going to have a bank balance, including Green Splash, femme's swimming honorary. And Associated Women Students, woman's government goodness, is all so graced by her presence, as secretary.

Our Eastern Pal
Of course you know Esther Lee Mixer was something it, and loving it. But perhaps you didn't know how very well E. L. is getting along. She majors in French, with vague ideas towards being a clothes buyer in the future. But that isn't the half of it. She is tenderly inclined towards the "Tattler," Smith mag., and will probably make the regular staff when she has a minute. At present she's a sort of bus boy for the dramatics worker. Nennind—it's worth savoring for when you finger that she'll probably make their very tough dramatics society, when they're inducted their senior year. If they live!

Fun And Staff
And here's a hospitality note as IS hompable. Betty Spinning, of State, is trucking home for Thanksgiving, of course. But she'll bring with her, no less than three guests! Mary Lee Schooley, of St. Petersburg, Florida, is one of 'em. They call her "Peaches" up here, and according to some of the local gent who've had a preview, she's rightly called. Alice, one o' dem Spin's room-mates, is another guest. Ah! halls from Buffalo, and is a sister of Betty's in Alpha

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American Legion

The Armistice Day party of the local post was a decided success, well patronized by both Legionnaires and other service men. We saw there the Mayor, the doctor, the dentist and the man about town all combining in the fun and discussing events of 1919 and this Armistice Day.

The Bowling League reports Harold Corson and Ernest Bartraw fighting for first place in the individual scoring and teams one and four captained by Corson and Pearsall waging a ding-dong battle for leadership. M. Ray Cook has been knocked so he has lost his first place but is coming up strong to gain the limelight.

The membership continues to increase steadily although no special effort is being put upon it at this time. All ex-service men who are interested in bowling and the Legion are invited to join with us every Thursday night at the Birmingham Bowling Alley. From there we adjourn to the Legion Home for food, drawing straws to see who shall do the KP duty for the night. So far—Gordon Bailey seems to be the man to make arrangements or our acquaintances in advance call Wiley Pearsall, phone 972 or Dr. Peter Ariston, phone 15.

The local Auxiliary is dressing dolls for Christmas and making dresses for the Free Press dress contest. Mrs. John Gill, the president, reports. The next business meeting of the Unit will be held Tuesday, Nov. 20th at the Legion Home. Mrs. Glenn Moore, first vice-president will be hostess for the evening's refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vernon, Jr., of Labor Road, are expected home just before Thanksgiving, from an extended stay in Biloxi, Miss. and New Orleans, La., where they have been since the fifth of this month. On Saturday, they were guests at the debut of Miss Augusta Pipes, at the Hotel Roosevelt, in New Orleans.

PARENTS TO VOTE ON SATURDAY CLUB

A. A. U. W. Arranges Poll to Determine If Work Shall Go On

Everyone interested in the Saturday Club, a play program for children, sponsored by the American Association of University Women for the past three years, is going to have a chance to vote on it. This afternoon, bulletins will be passed out to the children in grades 3 through 5, or ranging in age from approximately 8 years through ten. Then, if the parents vote to carry on the project, the children will have their chance.

It is planned this year to offer four craft classes only, and concentrate on learning rather than variety. The question on which the children will poll is their first four choices among a group which includes: wood work, metal work, drawing and painting, clay modeling, dramatic and puppetry. Each of the craft classes will be in charge of a professional leader, and there will be a charge of 25 cents for the term, to pay for materials.

If the Saturday Club continues, it will have a six-week term, beginning January 16. And it will mark the return of Theodore (Caesar) Czerkowski, of Brookside school Cranbrook, who directed its activities in 1935, as general supervisor.

Mrs. William Buchman is general chairman of the committee of A.A.U.W. members who will gather returns Friday afternoon, working for Adams school. Others who will serve include Mrs. Marie C. Bailey, for Barnum school; Mrs. C. C. Hood, for Holy Name; Mrs. Carl Binzel, for Quacken, and Mrs. William Essery, for Pierce.

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