

Proposed Movie Should Harmonize with Surroundings, Garden Club Avers

UNIT ACTS ON PLAN FOR NEW THEATER

Early American Or English Type Of Building Is Favored By Group

Prompted by its interest in beautifying the community, the Birmingham unit of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association, has expressed definite interest in the proposed theater building for Birmingham, the new postoffice and other similar enterprises.

A resolution asking the group to "petition the builder of the new theater to contract architecturally in keeping with the suburban community of which it will become a part" was introduced at the unit's recent meeting by Mrs. Aaron H. Webster.

The group voted to adopt the resolution, and Mrs. Sam Garber, president, instructed Mrs. Atwood B. Oatman as corresponding secretary to communicate with George Trendle, builder of the proposed theater.

"We hope the new theater will harmonize with its surroundings," said Mrs. Garber, who realizes that here is an opportunity to add to the beauty of Birmingham architecturally. As an organization interested in "frontside beautification," we feel actively interested in projects of this nature.

Either early American or English types, the latter similar to the Municipal Building, were suggested by Mrs. Garber, as the two styles favored by the unit.

To interest other Birmingham organizations in the idea, Mrs. Garber said, representatives of the garden group will be appointed early next week to present the idea at various meetings. A group from the garden unit will confer with Mr. Trendle, Mrs. Garber said, to discuss the project and to learn what his plans are for the new building.

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Presbyterian Women To Hold Luncheons

Luncheon and sewing will occupy the members of the six divisions of the Women's Union of the First Presbyterian church on Wednesday, November 3. They will meet at the homes of various hostesses who are members of the particular group to be entertained.

Guests Are Honored At Lovely Fall Tea

Mrs. Norman Lyle of Buckingham was hostess at a tea of lovely appointments for 75 guests Wednesday afternoon honoring two out-of-town guests, one from abroad, and one from the National Capitol. They were Miss Lillian de Gidro of Budapest and Milan, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Averill of Rivenoak road. Honored also was Mrs. James Lee Oliver of Washington D. C., formerly of Birmingham, who is the guest of Mrs. Lyle.

Scouts To Collect Toys For Indigent

Local Boy Scouts announced this week that they will set aside the week of November 29 to collect toys for the Christmas baskets. The week is earlier in order that the generous supply of discarded toys and those needing repairs may be better taken care of.

It is asked that children bring their contributions to the schools during the week of the 29th, instead of having the Scouts call for them at individual homes. This will be a surer method of every-one's donation being received, since it eliminates the chance of any home being overlooked.

The generous contributions of other years make an appeal seem almost unnecessary, according to Scout leaders. Nevertheless, they do wish to remind housewives that any toy, in any sort of condition, will be welcomed. When closets are cleaned, very often toys come to light which had been lost for a long time. Send such toys to the schools in care of your children, and the Scouts will see that they are repaired for some underprivileged child's Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardner M. Cobb, of Bryn Mawr drive, will be at the Waldorf in New York until the end of the week, while the Cobb attends the Auto Show. On Tuesday they were among the guests at the cocktail party and presentation showing of the new cars given annually by Alfred P. Sloan.

BRITISH CONSUL TO SPEAK AT DINNER

Women's Club Arranges Annual 'Men's Night' Festivities

Sir Leslie Hughes-Hallett, British consul for Detroit and the Metropolitan area, will be the principle speaker at one of the most eagerly anticipated events in the program of the Birmingham Women's Club, their annual "Men's Night."

Members of the club as well as their husbands always enjoy this evening's activities, when routine business is forgotten for the time being, and every effort is made to entertain the guests. Mrs. John S. Leslie will address the members and their guests on the subject: "Consular Experiences In Many Climes."

Auxiliary Heads Set Final Date For Sale

The American Legion Auxiliary, in its regular meeting at the Legion Home Tuesday night, set the final date for its rummage sale and it will be Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 28-30. The sale will be held, as planned, in the Briggs company's empty store, on Woodward avenue.

Mrs. Judson Hall is general chairman of the sale, and Mrs. Frederick Bennett is assistant chairman. The entire group will participate in the activities, either soliciting donations, calling for them or presiding in the salesroom. This is the Auxiliary's first money-raising project to be given this year. At this meeting, plans were also discussed and the final outlines formed for the entire season's activities.

Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence D. Hartuff, of Ridgedale avenue, will have as their house guest for the week-end, Mrs. Caroline Dayton Hayden, of Minneapolis, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Perkins, of Elbert Lake, will be hosts in their home at a breakfast for members of the Franklin Open Hunt, following the hunt this Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Draper Allen, of Westwood drive, left Monday for a trip centering around the southeastern coastline. They will stop in Baltimore, Maryland, and be the house guests of relatives in Washington, D. C.

Members of the Franklin Open Hunt were guests for breakfast Saturday morning at Stone House, the home of Mrs. Gracia Vay Hart, in Southfield Park.

Romance That Blossomed 64 Years Ago Culminates In 60 Years of Wedded Life

They were playing "Button, Button," as a fair at the Methodist Church 64 years ago, when his turn came, it wasn't the button he slipped into her slender hands—it was his heart. There she has held it all the 60 years of their married life. Because on Nov. 14, Mr. and Mrs. George Pearsall of 859 Chestnut street, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary.

Today, as Darby and Joan they sit together in their cozy living room, and laugh about the old days, happy as any "tride and four," should be.

A. A. U. W. Will Hold Guest Day Meeting

Guest Day for the local chapter of the American Association of University Women will be Monday, November 1st at 2 p.m. Members and their guests will meet at the home of Mrs. L. E. Boers on Arlington drive. Mrs. W. F. Tighe will present a review of "And So Victoria," by Virginia Wilkens.

The next meeting of the A. A. U. W. will take the form of a dessert luncheon, to be held at Mrs. F. H. McKinney's home, on Pastan drive. Following the luncheon, the guests will be addressed by Richard Rasmussen, executive secretary of the Cranbrook Foundation. Mr. Rasmussen will speak on "Activities of the Cranbrook Art Academy," and illustrate his remarks with color moving pictures.

Mrs. Pearsall can't quite recall what the wedding dress was like. It was a basque waist, and the skirt was a cord, of those two kinds she is certain.

"It was blue, anyway," prompts her husband from his chair across the room.

They went housekeeping the following spring on his father's farm located on the old Ball Line road. Their house stood on a hill. Four teams had moved it there, and from their hilltop home, the young couple faced the world and the long years ahead together.

"Two Cows and A Horse!" "We had just moved and we had a nice four room house. Our furniture wasn't new, but we liked it," Mrs. Pearsall recalls.

"And we had two cows and a horse and buggy," her husband reminds her.

"We laid out a young orchard too, didn't we Dad? And we had a nice big garden and chickens."

His father bought the buggy for \$80, Mr. Pearsall recalls. Those were happy days, with two cows and \$80 in money, the young couple lived in enviable comfort.

Mrs. Pearsall liked to dance. They had a party once in the little house on the hill. It was square dance, and everyone came.

"You can't expect sunshine all the time, but we had our share," Mrs. Pearsall smiles today.

One of the darkest clouds in the 60 years of their married life was the death of their first baby girl at the age of two and one half years. But another daughter, Mrs. Mabel Burns, is with them today, and with them makes her home.

"There's—And No Arguments!" They haven't any particular formula for marital happiness. What would they tell a young couple just starting out?

"I'd advise them not to live beyond their means. People are happier when they don't," is Mr. Pearsall's advice. "Nowadays a couple pay a few dollars down and spend the rest of their lives worrying about how they're going to pay for the rest of it. Well, we're getting along without one—still!"

Another point, Mr. Pearsall would like to emphasize is a policy for peace. "If they get into an argument, let one do the talking. The other one should keep still."

"That goes for me too," is the way Mrs. Pearsall sums up the wisdom of their 60 years of wedded harmony.

Recalls Indians
Mr. Pearsall was born on the same farm where later he and his wife started housekeeping. He was the son of Clark and Mary Pearsall. His mother, Mary Patten, came from England with her parents in 1837 and with them made her home in Bloomfield Township.

MRS. BOOTH TO BE HOSTESS TO UNIT

Philip Breitmeyer Will Be Speaker At Meeting In Hills

Mrs. Clarence H. Booth of Lone Pine road will open her home Monday, Nov. 15 for a regular meeting of the Bloomfield Hills Unit of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association.

The program arranged will be of particular interest at this time of year. Philip Breitmeyer will speak on "Flower Arrangement and the Forcing of Bulbs." Tea and a social hour will follow the address.

Of interest to members of the Hills group and other units in the district, will be a special meeting sponsored by the Michigan Horticultural Society, Nov. 4, at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Dorothy Biddle Johnson, editor and writer on garden subjects, will speak on "Flower Arrangement."

Ten Girl Scouts Win Membership Awards

Local Girl Scouts, in a court of awards and rally, held Friday night in the Community House, honored ten of their number with awards in recognition of length of membership. Silver stripes were presented to the honorees, for a record of five-years of membership and active service in the organization.

Those who achieved this record and the consequent award, were: Marjorie Ann Elliott, Alice Lee Heimiller, Nancy and Jane Fletcher, Betty Jensen, Ruth Nafin, Peg Hadjijs, Shirley Smith, Mary Ann Sprague and Yvonne Thompson.

In addition to their silver stripes, Nancy and Jane Fletcher were also given attendance awards. Nancy, in recognition of five consecutive years of perfect attendance, was given five gold stars. Jane was presented with four gold stars and one of silver, as a reward for five years of attendance marked only by occasional excused absences.

GIRL SCOUTS

The week immediately preceding Halloween is designated as Girl Scout week, since Halloween is the birthday of Juliette Gordon Lowe, founder of the organization. Birmingham Girl Scouts are observing the next two months, on handicrafts and basketry.

On last Thursday, 19 members of Troop 8 went through the plant of the Pontiac Press, visiting all departments. They were joined by

Mrs. Glenn Coley, who assisted in transportation. Later the entire group, accompanied by assistant Scout leaders Annie Laurie McIntyre and Eleanor Porter, participated in a picnic supper at the summer home of Mrs. M. J. Clark, on Union Lake.

Troop 8, under the leadership of Phyllis Porter and Mrs. Murray, will hike to the Girl Scout cabin Friday for a winter roast. Troop 3 will concentrate during the next two months, on handicrafts and basketry.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo E. Fellows, of Rivenoak avenue, accompanied by Mrs. Joseph L. Hardie, are motor-touring east, where they will attend the Auto Show, in New York.

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