

Country Clubs Preparing for Opening of Busy and Active Summer Season

Union Divisions Hold Meetings On Wednesday

Six divisions of the Women's Union of the First Presbyterian Church will meet on Wednesday at 1 o'clock in the homes of members. Mrs. Merrill Adams is chairman of the meeting which is to be held at the home of Mrs. Harry Biehlmeier on Tottenham road and Mrs. J. Stuart Cobb is in charge of the meeting which is to be held at the home of Mrs. D. W. Russell, of Pilgrim road.

Mrs. Ernest W. Seaborn will open her home on Kennesaw road to members of her division and Mrs. H. Thompson Bynum is to be in charge of this meeting. Mrs. O. F. Aetkenhagen, of Berwyn road, will be hostess to her group which has Mrs. Oscar P. Peterson as chairman.

Mrs. Donald C. Ebert will be in charge of the meeting which is to be held at the home of Mrs. E. H. Peterson on Elm street and Mrs. R. J. Waterbury is chairman of the meeting to be held at Mrs. Robert S. Porritt's home on South Adams road.

Laurence Thomas To Wed New Yorker

From Franklinville, N. Y., this week comes word of the engagement of Betty Jane Stout, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stout, of that place, to Laurence H. Thomas, son of the L. H. Thomas, of Westwood drive.

Miss Stout is a junior at the University of Michigan where Dr. Thomas received his A. B. degree in February.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Episcopal Church Guild Plans Cooking School

Mrs. Henry W. Thiede is in charge of arrangements for the cooking school and demonstration which is to be given Tuesday afternoon, May 7, at 2 o'clock in St. James Episcopal Church parlors on West Maple avenue.

This cooking school is being sponsored by St. Elizabeth's Guild. An interesting and instructive as well as entertaining afternoon is being planned. Food cooked during the demonstration will be given away. Tea will also be served.

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Local Women Show Interest In Song Recital

Several Birmingham women are interested in the spring musical which voice pupils of Dr. William Howland will present Monday evening, May 6 at 8:15 at the Community House.

On the program list is included the names of Mrs. Jonathan M. Ball, Mrs. Robert M. Ball, Mrs. Ford M. Brook, Mrs. Charles H. Cadigan, Mrs. Herbert A. Carlog, Mrs. Edward R. Chapman, Mrs. Stanton Clark, Mrs. W. H. DeGraft, Mrs. Warren L. Forsyth, Miss Marjorie Howarth, Mrs. Vaughn Joffill and Mrs. William Lloyd Kemp.

Other women interested in the recital are Mrs. William G. Letcher, Mrs. Norman Lyle, Mrs. A. W. McCallum, Mrs. Samuel L. McCombe, Mrs. Donald Fraser McDonald, Mrs. F. H. McKinley, Mrs. Bessie G. McMechan, Mrs. Walter G. Morley, Mrs. Satis York Osborne and Mrs. Frederick A. Protheroe.

The list continues with the names of Mrs. C. H. Parry, Mrs. Dorothy K. Roosevelt, Mrs. Edw. E. Rothman, Mrs. George H. Van Buren, Mrs. Bruce B. Van Dusen and Mrs. F. Raymond Woodruff.

The recital occurs during National Music Week.

Lunch, Fashion Show Is Planned By Guild

St. Catherine's Guild of St. James Church is busy with arrangements for a luncheon and fashion show which is to be held at Pine Lake Country Club, Tuesday, May 14.

Mrs. Blaine Eynoh is chairman. There is to be a children's show, and their aprons is to be modeled by Birmingham children.

Arrangements Taking Form For Festive and Gay Year

A certain indication that spring has arrived is the winter season, have been invited to attend the annual complimentary buffet luncheon at Oak Hills Friday. This year's festive occasion at Oak Hills has practically become a tradition and is looked forward to with much anticipation for it gives an opportunity to meet old friends and greet new members.

The atmosphere around the club is always gay and the comfortable lounging with its decorations of hugh bouquets of spring flowers will make a lovely background for the smart spring outfits of the women guests.

Plans for the day include a game of golf, luncheon and bridge while a strolling orchestra will provide music during the afternoon. A full membership turnout is expected with Mrs. J. William Guse, chairman of the golf committee, and Mrs. Joseph L. Dostal, chairman of the entertainment committee, in charge of arrangements.

Assisting Mrs. Guse on the golf committee is a group of women, two of whom are from Birmingham: Mrs. A. M. Whel, Mrs. J. H. Fredrick, C. Cyril E. Spley, Mrs. C. M. Merritt, Mrs. L. V. Brown, Margaret Russell and Betty Metz.

Women at Oak Hills Club are also involved in plans for a bridge luncheon and fashion show to be held Wednesday, May 8, at the club. Luncheon is to be served at 12:30 and music will be provided by a trio. Mrs. Dostal is in charge of arrangements for this event. The fashion show is to be presented by an exclusive Detroit shop.

From Plain Hollow comes word of the formation of a new club, which will take the form of a dinner and dance on Saturday evening, May 11, at the Municipal Auditorium. Detroit orchestra and special entertainment is being planned.

From the Birmingham Golf Club for it marked the opening of the women's activities at the club which began with a lovely bridge luncheon and spring fashion promenade. Mrs. Arthur Elason, of Detroit, is chairman of the social committee.

Mrs. Carl Binkle took Mrs. Robert Allen to this luncheon and fashion show and Mrs. Herbert Reeh, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. James B. Brown. Mrs. W. Moody had as her guest, Mrs. Carl Hecker, of Detroit while Mrs. J. R. Latchford invited Mrs. C. T. Price, of Redford, Mrs. C. J. Molony, of Detroit, and Mrs. Rawson Vales, of Birmingham. Mrs. Paul A. Miller's guests were Mrs. Harry Thomas, Mrs. H. Reynolds Huffman and Mrs. Frank A. O'Donnell. Mrs. Warren K. Lee invited Mrs. Haines P. Wahnsley, Mrs. Fred Harriet and Mrs. Russell Burtons, and Mrs. Constance Sills asked Mrs. Morton Parker, of Toronto, and Mrs. E. J. McElhenny. Mrs. Robert Pierce's guests were Mrs. Everett Lundberg, Miss Edith Sanderson, Mrs. J. L. Reed, Mrs. Edgar L. Convery and Mrs. Lester E. Dunn. Mrs. Robert Wright invited Mrs. Earl G. Platt, Mrs. Gerald Groat and Mrs. Frank Rosh, and Mrs. Leo L. Gibbons invited Mrs. Hazel Norris, of Iowa, Mrs. Harold Soderstrom, Mrs. Waldo Lesenger and Mrs. V. C. Fickland, of Detroit.

Council's Growth Will Be Traced By Its President

The growth of Birmingham's Community Council is to be traced by the president of the organization at the second annual Institute for Program Planners to be held Monday at the Central Methodist Church, Woodward and Adams avenues, Detroit.

The Birmingham Institute was a direct outgrowth of the Program Planners meeting last year. Mrs. Cleveland Walcutt, president of the local group, said this week and for that reason she has been invited to speak briefly next week showing the organization steps taken in forming the Institute here in Birmingham.

Eleven local delegates will attend as many group meetings at the afternoon session Monday. Those who will attend are: Ray A. Saken, M. Davis, "Personal Health in Public Health"; Howard D. Crull, "You and Society's Problem"; Mrs. E. M. May, "The Government Human"; Mrs. William Laurence Shaffer, "You and Your Mail"; Mrs. High L. Fletcher, "What It Takes to Be a Parent"; Mrs. Stanley R. Saunders, "Employer and Employee Relationship"; Mrs. Aaron H. Webster, "Housing and Zoning"; Mrs. Earl G. Potter, "New Ideas for Art Program"; and Mrs. Charles J. Shan, "International Relations from a Woman's Viewpoint."

The institute is to open at 9 o'clock and luncheon is to be served at noon.

Barbara Horton Finds Days Busy With Showers

Barbara Pinney Horton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Horton, of Pilgrim road, is an unusually active bride-elect these days and finds much of her time occupied by luncheons, teas and showers which are being given preceding her marriage to Joseph Irvin Robinson, of Buffalo, N. Y. A definite wedding date has not as yet been set but the event is expected to be in the early summer.

The round of pre-nuptial parties began gayly Saturday afternoon when four women joined in honoring Barbara with a tea and personal shower at the Women's City Club in Detroit. Hostesses at that time were Mrs. J. A. Roura, Jr., of Birmingham, Mrs. Lawrence Quinlan, of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Hugh W. Weiman, of Detroit, and Mrs. Glen Phelps, of Orilla, Ont.

Mrs. Roura and Mrs. Horton, Barbara's mother, presided at the tea table.

Mrs. John Smithers opened her home on Euclid avenue, Detroit, Tuesday at a kitchen shower to which 18 guests were invited. Mrs. Frederick C. Cyril E. Spley, Mrs. G. Kim will be hostesses Friday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower for 29 guests. This party is to be held at the Dye home on Lake Park drive.

May has been reserved by Mrs. W. F. Hollinger and Mrs. H. Warren Russell who will entertain at Mrs. Robinson's home at afternoon tea for 30 guests to compliment the bride-elect. This party will be in the form of a honeymoon shower.

Rosemary Potere To Wed Saturday

Rosemary Potere, daughter of George Potere, of Villa road, will become the bride of Francis A. Rosen, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Rosen, of Royal Oak, at a ceremony Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Shrine of the Little Flower, Edinboro. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast will be served at Devon Gables and a reception and dancing will follow to be held from 4 to 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents.

Acting her debut as maid of honor will be Evelyn Potere, and bridesmaids will be Mary Anne and Betty Gosson. Robert Rosen will be the bride's best man and ushers will be William Rosen and Paul Potere.

Miss Hornel to Give Last Lecture Monday

Olive Deane Hornel will give her final lecture, "The Ten Best Plays of 1939-40," in her series on contemporary literature and drama offered by the University of Michigan Extension Service, at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, in Gault Hall, Christ Church Cranbrook. Subscribers to the course may also benefit to this lecture.

Miss Hornel has spent ten days in New York reviewing plays, including an advance showing of William Saroyan's new play, "Love's Old Sweet Song." She is also bringing back with her a script of the new Robert Sherwood play, "There Shall Be No Night," which will open on April 28, and to await which the Drama Critics Circle has postponed their meeting for their annual award until midnight after the play.

Women's Auxiliary Plans Rummage Sale

Several women have been giving generously of late their time to assure success of the rummage sale to be held May 1 and 2 under the austeres of the Women's Auxiliary of Christ Church Cranbrook.

Aiding Mrs. Henry A. Manley, who is in charge of the sale, are Mrs. Herbert C. Hall, Mrs. Jones B. Shannon, Mrs. Kenneth D. McGee, Mrs. George V. Reed and Mrs. H. T. Ellerby.

Bowling Dinner

Candles in the shape of bowling pins and balls flanked centurions and daffodils on the tables at Devon Gables Monday evening when members of the Municipal Bowling League celebrated their annual spring dinner.

Mrs. A. L. Newcomb provided dramatic entertainment during the early part of the evening.

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Weddings

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These weddings mean so much that there is no effort too great to make this day of days a symphony of beauty and charm—a picture cherished always as a lovely memory.

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O. J. Greig, landscape extension specialist from Michigan State College, will present an illustrated lecture on "Making the Home Grounds More Beautiful." Other members of the program will be a welcome address by Mrs. Henry Esceman of Big Beaver, who is county chairman of the extension groups and other speakers.

Mrs. J. E. Harvey Gives Springtime Luncheon

Mrs. J. Elmer Harvey entertained at luncheon and bridge Tuesday afternoon at her home on East Maple road. Spring flowers in pastel tones were arranged on the one long and two square tables and were also disposed about the rooms.

Guests were Mrs. Arthur Wrag and her house guest, Mrs. Sidney Paul of Lima, O.; Mrs. John S. Henry, Mrs. A. M. Manley, Mrs. George V. Reed, Mrs. William C. Rowland, Mrs. W. B. Hope, Schmidt, of Detroit, Mrs. W. E. Ray, Mrs. Arthur Fletcher Plant, Mrs. F. W. Guest, Mrs. E. F. Birmingham, Mrs. E. L. Sauer, Mrs. Peter K. Boyne, Mrs. Robert F. Watt and Mrs. D. W. Millman.

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