

Mrs. Charles O'Connor Will Open Her Home for Tea and Musicales Sunday

Detroit Artist Plans to Provide Musical Program

Plans have been carefully laid and last minute touches are being made by busy committee women for the League of Catholic Women's annual holiday musical tea that is to be held this year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. O'Connor on Avon lane.

Saturday afternoon, Dec. 29, has been set aside for this affair. Many are planning to attend and a partial list submitted by Miss Edna Connelly, general chairman of the tea, reveals the names of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Adams, Dr. and Mrs. James J. Kelly, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Mansfield, Miss Ellen Connelly, the L. Clayton Hills, Dr. and Mrs. O. O. Beck, the Henry Huffs and the Frank C. McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Bell will be there and so will Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Hane, Mrs. Theodore MacManus, the Joseph Sweeney, Mrs. Otto Huck, Mrs. Harry Taylor, the Larry O. Tappan, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Flaherty, the William Blake, Mr. and Mrs. William Livingston.

Others will include Mr. and Mrs. John G. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stillman, the John Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gregory Frederik, the John B. Taylors and Mrs. Frank J. Mulholland.

Helping Miss Connelly with the responsibility of this musicale will be Mr. Frank McGinnis, Mrs. Walter Flannery, Mrs. Jack Leary, Mrs. Walter Rogers and Mrs. Martin J. Wendell.

The program is to be provided by Marcus Kellerman, of Detroit. Members of the League and their friends are invited to attend this function.

Betty Klingensmith To Wed on Saturday

A quiet and simple wedding Saturday at Christ Church Cathedral will unite Betty Klingensmith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Klingensmith, of Southfield road, and Milo Kendall Winter, Jr., of Providence, R. I., son of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Kendall Winter, of Chicago.

A very small reception is to be held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Winter, now teaching at the Rhode Island School of Design at Providence, will arrive in Birmingham Christmas Day and his parents are coming Friday. They will stay at the Bloomfield Hills Country Club.

Musicales Hostess

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Mistletoe Used In Party Decor

A perfectly giant spray of mistletoe hung in the center of the dance floor Saturday evening when another of those popular Community House dances was held for the young crowd.

From this mistletoe extended balloons and streamers which added to the dance floor during the evening.

Chairmen of the chapters for the dance were Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hopkins and with them were Mr. and Mrs. Norman James, the George G. Steelmans, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Golling, Mr. and Mrs. F. Tighe and the E. H. Petersons.

Working on the decorating committee were Margaret Newell, Jean Merritt, Fred Jeffers, Fred Zolzin, Bill Golling and Jim Giehrich.

Proceeds from this dance, as from all others in this series, will go to the visiting nurses' fund of the Community House.

PLAN ARMY DAY

Raymond J. Kelly, past national commander of the American Legion and former corporation counsel of the City of Detroit, has been appointed general chairman of arrangements for the old-fashioned service of Army Day in Michigan next April 4.

Parties Continue For Miss Traub; Bride of Jan. 11

The parties for Barbara Traub, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Traub, of West Long Lake road, are continuing and probably will not let up until Jan. 11 when she becomes the bride of the Rev. Merrill O. Bates, of Grosse Pointe.

The day after Christmas Barbara's aunt, Mrs. William Traub, of the Whittier, will entertain at a small dinner at the Detroit Athletic Club and on the 28th Mr. and Mrs. Allen Beebe, of Detroit, will be hosts at a dinner and dance at the Grosse Pointe Golf Club. Those from Bloomfield who will go in are Mr. and Mrs. John W. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. James Morrison Taylor, Edna Thompson and Jack Saunders.

Jan. 3 has been chosen by Mrs. Benjamin Micou and Mrs. Donald Anderson as the date of the tea. Barbara and Frances English, whose marriage to Frederick Lloyd Robinson, son of the Frederick R. Robinsons, of Iroquois avenue in Detroit, is not too far off.

Mr. Edward Hartwick will be hostess Tuesday evening at her home on Trembley road in Grosse Pointe at the spinster dinner for Barbara and the evening before the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Traub will give the rehearsal dinner at Bloomfield Hills Country Club.

Legion Auxiliary Has Yule Party

The American Legion Auxiliary held a Christmas party recently at the Legion Home. Mrs. Arthur McLean and Miss Agnes Baynes were hostesses. The table was decorated with red, white and blue canopies and with evergreen boughs. A buffet lunch was served.

During the meeting, Mrs. A. D. Cooley, child welfare chairman, gave her Christmas report. The local unit sent the following articles to the children's Otter Lake Bilet in December: A snow suit, cap, mittens and sweater. Each year the children write a letter to Santa, and these letters are sent to the units throughout the State. A box containing roller skates, four games, two pounds mixed candy and two pounds of mixed nuts was sent for a boy ten years old. This is part of the use of the money raised at the annual poppy sale.

At this time there are about 125 children at the Bilet. Visitors are always welcome at any time.

County Salon 8/40 Holds Xmas Party

The Oakland County Salon of the 8/40 held its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Thelma Bailey, Hamilton avenue on Wednesday evening. The dinner table was decorated with Santa and his reindeer and at each place was a candy cane. Each member brought a can of fruit or vegetables which was to be put in a basket for a needy family for a Christmas dinner.

After the meeting gifts were distributed to the members from the Christmas tree. Mrs. Alex Kiemler, of Ferndale, who is spending several months in Florida, sent the members a basket of fruit.

The next meeting will be held at the Legion Home on Jan. 14.

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Visiting Grandparents

Denise Concomy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Dever, of Chicago, is spending the holiday season here visiting her grandparents, Col. and Mrs. G. A. Green at their home on Puritan avenue.

Denise attends school at St. Scholastica's Academy on the Ridge in Chicago.

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SOCIAL BRIEFS

The Walter Andersons, of Lake Park drive, started their round of holiday activities Saturday with the arrival of Mr. Anderson's sister, Mrs. J. E. Seals, of Cleveland, O. Tomorrow night the family will have supper in Pleasant Ridge with Mrs. Anderson's sister, Mrs. Norman Wolse, and Mrs. Wolse will be the Andersons' guest. Saturday, the Andersons and Mrs. Wolse will be entertained for a dinner at the Atkinson, of Shirley drive. This same night the Anderson children and the Atkinson children will be hosts to another group at the club.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carson for Christmas Day dinner will be Mr. and Mrs. William Quinn, of Detroit, and Mrs. Carson's sister, Miss Florence Hurley.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Dudley and their son, Thorndyke, will be guests Christmas Day of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Shain.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Kiebert, of Pelgrim road, will be hosts Christmas eve at a combination Christmas and birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Kiebert's sister, Mrs. Robert Cummings, and her daughter, Carolyn, whose birthday falls on Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Peabody, of Park street, will entertain Tuesday night at a Christmas dinner. Their guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Bert J. Peabody and their son, Clyde Peabody, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Heacock.

Frank S. Packard will arrive tomorrow night from Baltimore, Md., to be with his family at their Christmas dinner that night. Due to business, however, he will return to Baltimore the next day.

Christmas Day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forbes S. Hascall will be Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hascall, Mrs. Ernest Shipman and Miss Elizabeth Hascall.

Guests Christmas Day of Mrs. Frank Mulholland will be Mr. and Mrs. William Mulholland and their two daughters and son, Dorothy, Mary, and William, of Wayne, On New Year's Day it will be reversed and Mrs. Mulholland and her father, Mr. Charles Wright, and her children, Charles, Frank, Jr., and Mary Lou will be guests of the William Mulholland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kennedy, of Detroit, will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George W. Armstrong, of Henrietta street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph I. Robin

St. James Choir To Give Concert On Christmas Eve

On Christmas Eve the vested choir of St. James Episcopal Church will present a special musical service beginning at 11 o'clock.

"The Holy Child," A Christmas cantata by Thomas Adams, is to be sung by the choir that has Waldo E. Fellows as choirmaster. Incidental solos will be sung by Mr. Fellows, Charles E. Hutton and Mrs. Elliott S. Kinney. Mrs. C. H. Bangs will be at the organ. Immediately following the cantata, the Rev. Warner I. Forsyth will be the celebrant at the Holy Eucharist services beginning at 11:30 p.m.

As an offertory selection, the choir will sing the anthem, "Christians, Sing out with Exultation," by Will C. Macfarlane.

One-Time Minister Visiting Lewises Here For Holidays

Arriving Sunday from New York to spend a few days with her granddaughters, Mrs. John H. Lewis of Whitestreet, will be Mrs. J. B. Harrison, former minister to Norway. Many Birmingham people will remember having heard Mrs. Harrison at the Community House late in October when she told of Germany's conquest of Norway last April.

Mrs. Lewis has invited a few friends in Christmas evening hours to the group will be Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Otter and their three daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carlberg, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Brush, Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Angus D. McLaughlin and their daughter and A. Kelsey, former vice-consul to Norway, and his wife, from Ann Arbor.

Town Club Hoping For Snow For Today

The Town Club is hoping for snow today to help out the sleigh ride that was planned way back when the roads were icy and the snow drifts had piled way up.

But snow or no snow the dates are Nick Martin, Irene Donnelly, Dr. Keyes, Maude Keller, Don Wise, Joyce Webster, Percy Guest, Maggie Newell, Dave Nathaniel, Jean Merritt, Olive Olson, Billie McDonald, George Sterling and Jane Bronson.

Greta Garbo has applied for citizenship papers, which should put a stop to that "Ay tank ay go home" line.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo E. Fellows, of Riverdale avenue, are holding open house today and on Dec. 28 will entertain several guests at a midweek dinner party at their home. Their guests will include Mr. and Mrs. William R. Ewald, Mr. and Mrs. Loren T. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald O'Neil, Mr. and Mrs. George Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. William Morris, Mr. J. L. Harding and Robert Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Watkins, of Ridgeland avenue, will have as their guests Christmas Day with Mrs. F. J. Watkins, their daughter, son-in-law and small granddaughter, the Allan Madsons of Royal Oak.

Saturday, Grand Fitzpatrick, young daughter of the John C. Fitzpatrick, celebrated her eighth birthday, which falls on Christmas Eve, with a luncheon at her parents' home on Williamsburg road. Her guests included Sue Westcott, Janet Fossenkemper, Pat Rasmussen, Suzanne Mason, Jo Ann Burdick, Lois Barton and her sister, Mollie.

Detrit guests of the Wylie Christmas Day will be Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Heil and their children, Bob, Betty and Marjorie; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Ryan and their two nieces, Nancy and Marian Johnson, of Newberry, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Flynn. On New Year's Day they will be hosts to Harry Wyche of Had Ave. of Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tinetti from Dearborn Hills.

Rotund Gentleman In Bright Red Suit To Appear at Party

Five-year-old Catherine Saunders, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley K. Saunders, of Chestnutfield avenue, is having a birthday party Monday to which the following have been invited: Barbara and Betty Frederick, Jean and Jerry Flurer, Mary Rathbone, Marilyn and Bobbie Schell, Barbara and Gigi Underhill, Fraser Kennedy, Barbara

Dodds, Gordon and Cynthia Rippey, Jo and Lydia Rothman, Peggy Jo Crim, Marian Klingensmith, Jo Archer, Bobbie DeGrant.

Special place of honor at this birthday party is to be occupied, rumors have it, by that very rotund, ruddy complexioned gentleman with the fuzzy red suit and long white whiskers.

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