

Church Women Participating in National Event

Miss Ione Catton Is Guest Speaker At Friday Event

Birmingham Council of Church Women will participate Friday in the nation-wide May Day Breakfast which are being sponsored by the National Committee of Church Women, an inter-denominational organization representing all major interests of church-women. The breakfast is to be held Friday at 9 o'clock at the Presbyterian Church.

The program this year—and this is the third year Birmingham has held such an event—will be built about the theme, "What Do We More Than Others?" and will emphasize the local, national and international aspects of what Christian women can do together.

Miss Ione Catton, director of religious education at Plymouth Congregational Church at Lansing, and head of the child development work of the Michigan Council of Church Women, will speak to the Birmingham convales.

Miss Catton, well known throughout Michigan for her church work, at one time served as executive acting secretary of the Michigan Council of Church Women.

In her talk to the Birmingham women Miss Catton is expected to discuss the vacation Bible schools which have been held so successfully here each year.

Mrs. Stuart Allen is serving as general chairman of this breakfast and is being assisted by a large committee of workers.

Set May 9, 10 Dates For Rummage Sale

Mrs. Glenn Coley and Mrs. Hugh D. McLeese are general chairmen of the annual spring rummage sale of the Women's Union of the First Presbyterian Church which is to be held in the building formerly occupied by the McBride Hardware Store, May 9 and 10.

Assistant Chairmen are Mrs. I. B. Billings, Mrs. F. W. DuBois, Mrs. H. Dean Yocum, Mrs. E. D. Shely, serving in a selling capacity are Mrs. Donald C. Egbert, Mrs. B. Dow Ellwood, Mrs. J. Stuart Cobb, Mrs. T. A. Henshaw, Mrs. William C. Howe, Mrs. Ralph A. Main, Mrs. Edwin S. Snyder and Mrs. Dorval D. Symons.

Mrs. H. G. Wood and Mrs. B. R. Winborn are serving as treasurers for the two days.

Large Reception Honors Ballards, Recently Married

Palms, dogwood and ferns transformed Mrs. Grace G. Newton's home on the Thirteenth Mile road Saturday afternoon into a tropical scene for a large reception which honored her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Burt H. Ballard, of Detroit.

Mrs. Newton has only just returned from Palm Beach where she was present at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Ballard on April 1. Before her marriage Mrs. Ballard was Mrs. Frances E. Jones.

In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Ballard, Mrs. Newton and Mr. Ballard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ballard of Springfield, N. Y.

Assisting the hostess were Mrs. Charles D. McCall, of Birmingham and Mrs. Gordon Armstrong and Esther Ransom, of Detroit.

Mrs. Joseph A. Sweeney was the dining table which was covered by a point Venise lace cloth over pink satin. White candles burned in silver candelabra and two low bowls of gardenias stood at the ends of the table.

For the occasion the bride chose a bouffant gown of white silk with black lace insertions and her mother-in-law's gown was black net. The hostess wore blue silk with black lace insertions and J. Warren Carlisle, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Montague and Mrs. J. A. Turner, all of Saginaw; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Joyes, of Youngtown, O.; James Caruth, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Urester, of Windsor; and Mrs. N. E. Bird, of Chicago.

New President

Mrs. Jack Leary, of Kennesaw road, was elected president of the League of Catholic Women at a recent meeting of that organization held at the Community House.

Mrs. Joseph A. Sweeney was elected vice president, Mrs. Harry B. J. Huft was named treasurer and Mrs. L. Clayton Hill was elected recording secretary.

Mrs. Leary succeeds Mrs. Martin J. Wendell as president of this group.

Plans are already well underway for the annual May breakfast which is to be held on the 21st of this month at Devon Gables. A high mass at 9 o'clock at the Holy Name Chapel will precede the breakfast.

Cloud L. Cray To Show Movies Of Guatemala

Last meeting of the year for the Adams School Parent-Teacher association will be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock when members will be shown movies taken by C. L. Cray on a trip to Guatemala.

Guatemala is often photographed and is frequently snapped from airplane but Mr. Cray is said to have the most ground shots several spots of interest in that country. At the time the Crays were in Guatemala, Mrs. Cray was said to have been the first white woman to visit several places in the interior.

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Musical Plans Annual Luncheon At Pine Lake Club

Birmingham Musicals will hold its annual luncheon and program at Pine Lake Country Club Thursday, May 9, at 12:30. Annual reports will be given, followed by a choral program.

Mrs. Charles F. Dye and Mrs. Orville Foster are arranging the luncheon and Mrs. Howard D. Crull, first vice president will preside, in the absence of Mrs. D. L. Tate, who is vacationing in the West.

Mrs. Gertrude Heinze Greer will direct the chorus in the following songs:

"Rainin' rovin'"
Robin...Scottish Folk Song
May Day
Carol...English Folk Song
But For
One...Hungarian Folk Song
Waters Ripple and Flow...Czech Folk Song
Elin
Horn...Swedish Folk Song
Mrs. Mildred Ritter will be the accompanist.

The Musicals is helping to sponsor National Music Week observance here May 5 to 11.

Port Huron Girl Is Married Here At Home Affair

The home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Turner, of Bird street, was the scene Thursday evening of the wedding of the former's sister, Velma Mae Turner, of Port Huron, and William John Wolfel, also of Port Huron. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Duncan C. Turner, of Dutton, Ont., and the late Mr. Turner. Mr. Wolfel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolfel, of Port Huron. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. Glen E. Harris of the First Presbyterian Church before an improvised altar of palms and tall baskets of gladioli and carnations, flanked by lighted candelabra.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, wore an afternoon dress of powder blue crepe, with a corsage of orchids and roses. She was attended by Kay Ward, of Port Huron wearing light green with a corsage of iris and roses. The best man was Fay Sterosky, also of Port Huron.

The bride's mother was gowned in navy crepe with white accents, and wore a corsage of gardenias and pink roses. The hostess wore Johanna Hill roses and baby breath.

At the reception following the ceremony, the guests were served at a large table centered by the wedding cake, with low bowls of sweet peas and carnations on either side, and lighted by white tapers in silver candelabra.

For travelling, the bride wore a navy and white printed dress, with navy dressmaker coat and shoes, her hat and accessories being of white trimmed in navy.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Howell, formerly of Buckingham road, now stay in Akron, O., and have taken up their residence on East Maple street. Mrs. Howell will entertain informally at tea this afternoon.

Hills Garden Club To Go to Grand Rapids

The Bloomfield branch club of the Women's National Farm and Garden association will make a special trip to Grand Rapids Monday to visit the daffodil gardens of Mrs. Stuart Foote.

Among those who are planning to accompany Mrs. Foote are Mrs. D. James, Mrs. Edith M. Forbush, Mrs. Lyman M. Craig, Miss Sarah R. Lee, Mrs. Inez B. Lee, Mrs. Jervis B. Webb, Mrs. W. T. Utley, Mrs. William M. Purves, Mrs. Orville Hunt, Mrs. James B. Mearns, Mrs. Ruth Mosher, Field, of Detroit, Mrs. Ferd M. Broock and Mrs. Max M. Gilman.

Social Briefs

Irene Wright, of Big Beaver road, was honored by a miscellaneous shower at her home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Wright will wear Harry Copeland and Clawson, on May 10.

Mrs. Robert Atkinson, of Shirley drive, entertained 24 guests at a luncheon meeting for her P. E. O. sorority Wednesday. Late officers of the society were guests of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howell are visiting in New York and Philadelphia this week. They also planned to visit Billie Howell at the Mary Lyon School in Swarthmore, Pa.

Word has been received that Francis Appell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Appell, of Elm street, has reached Panama where he will be stationed for two years. He joined the United States Army on March 25.

A surprise party Saturday evening at the home of Jane Reid on Frank street, honored Herbert Flemington on the occasion of his 20th birthday. Guests were Betty Sawyer, Bill Lee, Dennis Lee, Carroll Virginia Everingham, Frances Wisnietz, Keith Parmenter, Marian Allen, Bob Ives, Eugene White and Harriet Grant, the last two of Detroit. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. J. A. Williams and Loretta Hall. Following the dinner the group went to the Hotel Statler to dance.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Watling returned to their home on Wendling Lake road Friday from a two months' stay in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scribner, of Ridgeland avenue, have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ewing, Maurice Ewing, of Ironwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kahn entertained Saturday morning at breakfast at their home on Fourteen street. Guests were Prof. Chester D. Gidewone, of Brooklyn College. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. George R. Kever, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Shain, Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Bechtold and Bill Kahn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert D. Flemington entertained Friday evening at luncheon at their home on Chester street for Mr. and Mrs. Leo Durphy and their son, Albert, of Pleasant Ridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Wellington Hall.

Dining together at Devon Gables Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Middleton, the W. S. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Genung, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Fricker, the Loren T. Robinsons, the Henry Harris, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tillotson, the Dwight F. Allens, the Charles L. Winningshams, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin F. Covey, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Neal Averill, the Junior Edward S. Reids, the D. H. Hastreiters, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Hollister, Dr. and Mrs. James Howell, the Clark E. Pardos, Mr. and Mrs. Clement A. Penrose, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ewald, Mrs. Dr. G. B. Braddy, Dr. B. Hasberger, Miss Margaret Telford and Holden Drury. All were members of the cast of technical staff of "Susan and God" given recently by the Village Players. Preceding the dinner Mr. and Mrs. Scott entertained the group at cocktails at their home on Glenhurst drive.

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Allen, of Miami Beach, are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Leroy Austin at the Austin home on Westwood drive. The Allens are stopping in Birmingham en route to their summer home at Lake Pontchar.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hart for a few days last week at their home on Harmon avenue were Mrs. Hart's brother-in-law and sister, Col. and Mrs. Lester Baker who had just returned from South America and were en route to Indianapolis where they are to be stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee DeGrant will return to their home on Kimberly road this week end from New York City where they have been visiting.

Mrs. Mae Hupp is expected back shortly at her home on West Maple street from a stay in Los Angeles.

Mrs. William R. Ewald of Yarmouth drive, will return the last of the week from a visit in Pittsburgh.

BIRTHS

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Young (the late Dr. Cassius W. Young) of Pleasant avenue, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Thomas Young, Jr., on April 28.

Episcopal Church Guild Plans Cooking School

A large group is expected to attend the cooking school which St. Elizabeth's Guild of St. James Episcopal Church will sponsor Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. James Church parlors on West Maple avenue.

Mrs. Henry W. Thiede is general chairman and is being assisted by Mrs. W. C. Moritz, Mrs. Charles Kreidler and Mrs. Fred T. Clifton, who are to be in charge of the tea.

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Club Notes

J. D. Club
Mrs. William Herbert, Main street, Clawson, will entertain the J. D. club on Wednesday. There will be community singing and a reading by Mrs. John Chandler. Mrs. David McMillan will sing a solo. Honor guests will be Mrs. Edger of Union Lake, and Mrs. Thurman C. Kitching, of Birmingham.

W. C. T. U.
Woman's Christian Temperance union will hold its regular meeting Wednesday, May 8, at 1 p. m., at the First Baptist church. There will be a pot-luck luncheon, followed by a program and business session. Mrs. Joseph Mearns is chairman.

Study Club
Poppleton Home Arts and Study club, which meets at Poppleton School each Thursday evening will attend a May breakfast at Clawson, given by the Clawson Reg club on May 7. Miss Edith Craun, Quilt Editor of a Detroit newspaper will be the speaker. Grace Junkin Johnson, fiction writer, and Adele Wybek of the Detroit Institute of Art will be honor guests.

Extension Club
Ten members of the Poppleton Group of the O. A. S. Extension Club in Home Economics attended the Achievement Day exercises held in Pontiac Tuesday.

Cemetery Auxiliary
Franklin Cemetery auxiliary will meet Thursday afternoon, May 9, at 1 o'clock for luncheon at the home of Mrs. Ida Bechtel, 2955 Anderson's road in Waterbury. The committee in charge consists of Mrs. Emma A. Smith, Mrs. Charles Howe, Mrs. Lillian Strong and Mrs. Hattie Evans.

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Wilcox Guests Inspire Round Of Functions

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Peterson of Wilmette, Ill., arrived Saturday to spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George D. Wilcox of Suffield road, and Mrs. Peterson remained for a week's visit Saturday evening, the Wilcox's complimented the visitors with a buffet supper for 17 guests, all of whom were in college together.

A lace cloth covered the table, which was centered with a low turquoise bowl, holding a piece of white coral and a white bird, together with an arrangement of pink roses. Additional adornment were pink and turquoise tapers. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. George D. Miller of Birmingham; Dr. and Mrs. Richard Armstrong of Ann Arbor; Mr. and Mrs. John Kisor of Ypsilanti; and the following from Detroit: Mr. and Mrs. Samuel B. Post, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Campbell and Walter Wolf.

Mrs. Peterson was hostess on Wednesday to a group of her old friends at a luncheon at Devon Gables Tuesday; she was guest of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Post and Mrs. Campbell at the former's home and on Wednesday evening, she was entertained at the home of Miss Clarissa Vyn and Mrs. C. C. Buecher at Mrs. Buecher's home.

Mrs. Wilcox and Mrs. Peterson on Saturday will attend the Founders' Day luncheon of Pi Beta Phi Sorority at Dearborn Inn and Mrs. Peterson will take her departure immediately afterward.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Appell have returned to Birmingham from St. Petersburg where they spent the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Tracy, of Lone Pine road, are back in Bloomfield Hills from a vacation at Port Lauderdale.

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