

# Birmingham Women Gardeners to Have Tenth Birthday Party on Monday

## Initial Meeting at Community House To Be Gala Affair

Members of the Birmingham branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden association don't believe in saving the best for the last. They believe in splurging right at the beginning of their season as is evidenced by the gala meeting which will be held Monday in observation of the tenth birthday of the local club.

## Legion Auxiliary Plans Installation

Miss Agnes Baynes, a past president of the local unit of the American Legion auxiliary, has been named chairman of the installation tea for the newly-elected officers, with Mrs. Arthur Mason, Mrs. Wylie Pearsall and Mrs. Alvin Sheffield assisting. The installation will be held October 15 at 8 p. m. at the Legion home.

## Detroit Friends Give Shower For Mrs. C. F. Zeigler

Mrs. John Murphy and Mary Kissel entertained at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Murphy on Westwood drive, Detroit, Thursday evening, Oct. 3, honoring Mrs. Charles Franklin Zeigler, the former Patricia Ead, who is a recent bride.

## This Portrait Wins Blue Ribbon



These two attractive youngsters are ANN and KENT RICKENBAUGH, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Rickenbaugh, 900 Brookwood court, the portrait, taken by Mrs. A. E. Arnold, of the Arnold Studio, was entered in the contest of the recent semi-annual contest of the Michigan Photographers Association, of which Mr. Arnold was the retiring president. The portrait was voted a blue ribbon, highest award in its class, by vote of the judges and the delegates present at the session held in Mount Clemens. Ann Rickenbaugh is eight years old; her brother, two.

## Dancing Class First Meeting To Be Monday

Newly organized dancing class for beginners will meet for the first time Monday afternoon at 4:30 at the Community House under the direction of Mrs. Basil Brown.

Sponsors of the class this year are Mrs. Robert F. Grindley and Mrs. W. Whiting Raymond.

Included in the class are David Ballentine, Bill Beresford, John Bones, George Campbell, Bill Eustis, Lewis Farquhar, Lorin Ferral, Bob Grindley, Victor Hadley, Karyl Houghton, Jerry John, J. Bowen, Jim Maloney, Charles Murray, Jim Manning, Steve Miller, Jim Holmes, Bob Shaffer, Jack Simpson, Bruce Smith, Dick Smith, David Van Dusen, Peter Whitlaw and Horace Potter.

## Charles C. Spreens Entertain at Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Spreens gave a dinner party in honor of Mrs. Florence Addison, formerly of Beverly Hills, Sunday evening at their home on Tibbury road in Bloomfield Hills.

Mr. Addison is leaving for Florida this week for the winter. The dinner table was centered with a large bowl of yellow and white mums and yellow tapers and autumn leaves.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Van C. Worden, Mr. and Mrs. George Konstante, Mrs. Menetta Hanrahan, Mrs. Kate Bascombe and Mrs. William Moreton, all of Detroit, Mrs. and Mrs. Hoover Holton, O. P. Wilkin, Samuel Morris and Mrs. Mary Lea, of Birmingham and Mrs. Dolie Benedict, of Sherwood Forest.

## Cornelia Otis Skinner In Detroit Friday

The twelfth winter of Friday morning lectures of the Detroit Town Hall, in the Casa Theatre, under the direction of Mrs. Nellie Peck Saunders, will open with a matinee on Friday afternoon, Oct. 11, at 2:30 o'clock, presenting Cornelia Otis Skinner, famed dramatic artist.

Miss Skinner, renowned as a solo-dramatic actress, has won a unique place in the American theatre with her sweeping repertoire of original plays, creations of historical characters commencing with her first success, "The Waves of Henry VIII" followed by "The Loves of Charles II," "Empress Eugenie," "Manson on Bay," "Edna His Wife," the dramatization of Margaret Ayer Barnes' novel.

## Miss Jo Ann Howell's Engagement Is Told

Mr. and Mrs. Rice A. Howell announce the engagement of their daughter, Jo Ann, to Robert Pollock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Pollock.

Miss Howell graduated from Baldwin High School where she was a member of the Coronet club. She also attended Strophel College and Greenbrier College for Women where she was a member of Eta Upsilon Gamma sorority.

Mr. Pollock attended the University of Detroit.

## Rose Buck New Head of Business Women

Mrs. Rose Buck was elected president of the Birmingham Business Women's club at a meeting held Thursday evening at the Community House. Gladys Hutz is the new vice president, Hazel Dennison is secretary, Alice McGregor is treasurer and Zella Tucker is a trustee of the Mary Griffith Loan fund.

## Dinner in Celebration of Silver Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. F. Raymond Woolfenden, 4200 Sibley avenue, observing their silver wedding anniversary Monday with a dinner at Devon Gables.

## PARENT INSTITUTE ANN ARBOR—Hundreds of Michigan parents and teachers will attend the eleventh annual Parent Education Institute to be held at the University of Michigan, Oct. 30, 31, and Nov. 1.

Of course, greens are good—olive greens and gray greens.

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## Parties Continue for Miss Chissus Who is to Become Bride on Nov. 2

There is still no let-up in the steady stream of parties that are being given for Roberta Chissus prior to her marriage Nov. 2. Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Parker, of Oakland, were hosts of a party.

Mrs. Herbert Meredith was hostess at a bathroom shower Saturday at her home on Oxford road in Gospe Pointe for Miss Chissus and Tuesday, Mrs. Leslie Eby entertained at a luncheon for the bride-elect at Devon Gables.

Guests at this party included the honoree and her mother, Mrs. K. W. Chissus, Mrs. James Taylor and Mrs. John B. Taylor, Mrs. Edwin McVaugh, of Warren, Mrs. Roy Kindeald, Mrs. Roy McPherson, Mrs. Ted Christman, Mrs. James Itherson, Detroit, Mrs. Frank Knight, of Farmington and Mrs. William Anderson and her daughter, Peggy, of Spring Lake.

That same evening Marjorie Tate was hostess at a paper shower at her home on Westchester way, and asked Mrs. Harry Allen, and her daughter Eleanor, Mrs. Guy W. Jensen, Mrs. James Taylor, Jane Long, Virginia Osterman, Dorothy Porritt, Elizabeth White, Mrs. William P. Anderson, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Joseph Brooks, Mrs. Blanche Cooper, Mrs. Fred W. Johnson and Mrs. H. T. Ellery.

Out of town guests included Frances Burgess, Jane Pope and Mrs. Allen Fullerton and daughter, Janet, of Detroit, and Mrs. Ralph Creager, and her daughter, Marilyn, of Pontiac.

On Friday Mrs. Anton Dohmen, of Detroit, will entertain at her home at a kitchen accessories shower and has asked Mrs. Knight, Mrs. McPherson, Mrs. Eby, Taylor, Kincaid, Mrs. William Bell and Mrs. Creager to attend.

On Saturday, Oct. 12, Margaret Waterston will honor Roberta at a luncheon of 12 covers at the Women's City Club and on the 15th Mrs. Charles S. Kinnison and Mrs. Heber P. Gahn will give a recipe tea at Mrs. Kinnison's home on Northlawn avenue.

Mrs. Herbert G. Wood has issued an invitation for Oct. 17 for what she calls an "A. B. C. Shower" for the bride-elect. In reality this is to be a miscellaneous shower but all gifts proffered must be "A. B. C."

Eccentric classifies pay!

## Jack Whittlesey Wed at Quiet Rites

Of considerable interest to many in Bloomfield Hills and Birmingham was the quiet wedding at 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon of Gerda Kuerschner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hermann Kuerschner, of Leslie, and John M. Whittlesey, of East Hickory Grove road, in the Hills.

The service was read at the home of the uncle and aunt of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Thuringer, of Hazelhurst avenue in Ferndale by the Rev. J. A. Jennings, of the Presbyterian Church, Leslie.

Attending the couple were Louise Meyer, of Detroit, the bride's cousin, and Robert C. Utley, of Birmingham.

Following a short wedding trip the couple are living on Euclid avenue in Detroit.

Mr. Whittlesey is a graduate of Cranbrook and attended the Cranbrook Academy of Art and Yale Art School.

## Marriage Licenses

William Norman Smith, 23, 14 Valley road, Bloomfield Hills, and Margaret Virginia Aklerley, 23, 812 Pleasant street, Birmingham, were married Saturday by Rev. John M. Whittlesey, 24, Bloomfield Hills.

George Winter Stark, 23, 1950 Longfellow avenue, Detroit, and Margaret Duell Slade, 22, Franklin.

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