

# AAUW Members to Hear Mrs. Henry Fradkin, Eastern Clubwoman, Friday

## Mrs. H. Fradkin, Miss Allen, H. P. Brumder, AAUW Speaker, Exchange Vows at St. James

## Speaker to Discuss Miss West's Opinions

Rebecca West's magnum opus "Black Lamb and Grey Gale" is a two-volume story of slavery which has been called an "adventure through time" and "one of the most important in all literature," given special emphasis by Dean Byrdine in her "New Books to Share—The Best of the Year" series. The third in the University of Michigan extension series of "New Books and Plays," sponsored here by the Eastern Club, will be given at 8 p.m. Monday afternoon, Dec. 16, at the Baldwin Public Library. The speaker will be Miss West's, whose special attention is the

Brown story of the Chinook woman, "Return to the River," characterized as a "stereoscopic picture" and "deliciously illustrated." "Novels to be especially cited as 'Wonderland' by Mary Elizabeth Chase, 'The Empty Room' by Charles Morgan, and 'Saratoga' by Maria Fretwell." Among the outstanding biography to be discussed is "Admiral" by Carl Detzler, "Amos Mosley" (Cleveland), delightful Western autobiography, "No Life for a Lady," will also be touched upon.

## Legion Auxiliary Holds Mid-Winter Conclave in Pontiac

Representing the local unit of the American Legion Auxiliary at the annual mid-winter conference of presidents and secretaries held in Pontiac last Saturday and Sunday were Mrs. Verle Parrall, president; Mrs. Charles D. Dewart, state chairman; Mrs. W. W. Allen, local chairman; Mrs. A. J. Vining, Greenville, state president, presiding at the sessions. Membership enrollment is the highest at this date than at any time in the state. The local unit already has enrolled forty-five of its members, with a yearly quota set at fifty-eight. However, the local unit officers expect to exceed the quota before Dec. 28.

## Annual Christmas Tea Follows Meeting at Community House

Special speaker for the Birmingham Branch of the American Association of University Women meeting tomorrow afternoon at the Community House will be Mrs. H. Fradkin, of Montclair, N. J., who is a chemist, engineer, and at the time of her visit is engaged in experimental work in relation to the aviation industry. The subject of her subject, "History in the Making," says she is a graduate student of aviation affairs. Fradkin has been state chairman of international affairs for the American Association of University Women. Mrs. Fradkin gave a two weeks course at the Williamsport, Pa. Institute of Continuing Education, being one of the few women ever invited to teach there. She is the first vice president of the New Jersey League of Women Voters, and also president of the Montgomery County, N. Y., A. U. W., treasurer of the National Congress on the Cause of War, and is delegate to the 1932 Conference of the National Women's Committee on Armaments.



Mrs. Fradkin

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## Social Briefs

**THE MARVIN G. KIRNS** entertained Mr. and Mrs. Paul Savage, of Cleveland, Ohio, as their week-end guests.

**MRS. E. W. ALLEN** entertained 27 members of the Executive Board of the First Methodist Church for luncheon at her home on Ridgeland avenue last Wednesday.

**MRS. BERREN C. KETCHUM**, of Madison avenue, and her parents, the R. M. Kerrs, of Detroit, have just returned from a week's stay in New York City.

## Study Groups Active

Members of the A. U. W. study groups have busy months. The first study group meeting of the year was held on Tuesday, Jan. 6, at 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. S. G. Robbins was hostess to the group. Mrs. Robbins was hostess to the group on Tuesday, Jan. 13, at 8 p.m., at her home on Woodland. Mrs. Robbins was hostess to the group on Tuesday, Jan. 20, at 8 p.m., at her home on Woodland. Mrs. Robbins was hostess to the group on Tuesday, Jan. 27, at 8 p.m., at her home on Woodland.

## Dr. A. R. Mears Discusses Opinions on Books

Mrs. H. P. Brumder, of St. James, is the guest speaker at the meeting of the AAUW at the Community House on Friday, Dec. 16, at 8 p.m. The subject of her subject is "Books to Read." Mrs. Brumder is a well-known author and has written many books for children and young people. She is also a frequent lecturer on books and literature. She is the author of "The Story of the World," "The Story of the Bible," "The Story of the American People," and "The Story of the American Republics."

## Birmingham-Bloomfield Women Take Part in Christmas Greens Market, Dec. 17, 18, 19

Six branches of the National Association of Women's Clubs and the Birmingham-Bloomfield Women's Club will participate in the Christmas Greens Market on December 17, 18, and 19. The market will be held at the West End Public Market, in Birmingham. The purpose of the market is to raise funds for the Birmingham-Bloomfield Women's Club. The market will feature a variety of Christmas greens, including holly, mistletoe, and pine branches. The market will also feature a variety of Christmas gifts, including books, toys, and clothing. The market will be open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. on each day. The market is free for all to attend.

## Mrs. Robert Appell Named President For Auxiliary of Metropolitan Club

Members of the Metropolitan Club Auxiliary met last week Wednesday evening, Dec. 10, to elect their officers for the coming year. Mrs. Robert Appell was named as president. Mrs. Appell is a well-known social worker and has served in many capacities for the club. She is also a member of the Metropolitan Club and has been an active participant in its activities. She is also a member of the Birmingham-Bloomfield Women's Club and has served as its president for several years.

## Rotary Agns Schedule Next Monday For Annual Christmas Luncheon

The Rotary Club of Birmingham is sponsoring an annual Christmas luncheon on Monday, Dec. 18, at 11 a.m. at the Metropolitan Club. The luncheon will feature a variety of Christmas dishes, including turkey, ham, and roast beef. There will also be a variety of Christmas gifts, including books, toys, and clothing. The luncheon is free for all to attend.

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