

# Piety Hill Members to Attend D. A. R. State Conference in Port Huron

## Varied Program Is Scheduled for Three-Day Meet

Hotel Harrington in Port Huron will be headquarters for the 1941 state conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which will be held March 26 to 28 inclusive.

Several officers and other members of Piety Hill chapter are planning to attend the three-day session and will motor to Port Huron for just one day. Mrs. Robert P. Cole, Piety Hill regent, and Mrs. William H. DeGraff, vice-regent, have made reservations for the trip. Mrs. DeGraff is alternate delegate, and Mrs. Henry A. Manley, alternate, also will attend. Duffie Franklin, who won the good citizenship pilgrim award from Baldwin High school, and Lila Sheldrick, pilgrim from Keego Harbor, will attend as representatives of the Birmingham chapter. The girls will accompany Mrs. Cole to Port Huron.

Registration will begin at 9 a. m., Wednesday, March 26, and the opening session will start at 9 p. m. Wednesday with Dr. Carol Sibley, dean of Los Angeles College of Arts and Letters, as the guest speaker. Dr. Sibley's subject will be "America, 1950".

Mrs. O. D. Hesterfield, state regent, will entertain the state board, national chairman and chapter regents a luncheon on the opening day.

Thursday afternoon, the chapter regents will meet to present Mrs. Cole, of Piety Hill, will give her report for the past year.

There will be a banquet Thursday evening at Hotel Harrington, with S. L. A. Marshall, military critic of the Detroit News, as speaker. He will talk on "The United States and the War."

The good citizenship pilgrims will be honor guests of the Michigan society, D. A. R., at a luncheon Friday, the final day, at the Congressional church. Clifford O'Sullivan will address the pilgrims.

Another luncheon on Friday will be the one at which past chapter regents will be complimented. Mrs. William L. Graham, first regent of Piety Hill chapter, and Mrs. Mark Harris will attend this affair from Birmingham.

## Gowns Form Rainbow of Color At Winter Club's Dancing Party

Spring-like prints and in bold tones and the softer pastels of the women's gowns intermingled to form a veritable kaleidoscope of color Saturday night at the Winter club's dance at the Bloomfield Hills Country club. About 80 members attended and the festivities were presided by many dinners and informal gatherings at various hours for cocktails.

The Winter club has decided to have one more fling before the season is out, probably in the latter part of May. The place has not yet been chosen.

Set off by her recently acquired Florida tan, Mrs. Thomas McGill, H.P., played white embroidered organ frock struck a sure note Saturday as she was noticed doing the rumba with

## Dorthella Brown Chooses June 14 For Her Wedding

That rumba artist pair excellence, Gemma A. Florio. The dress was made with a very full skirt and tight bodice, a square neckline and tiny puffed sleeves.

Mrs. Arthur G. Ripper, Jr. attracted admiring attention in her gay printed crepe of "Chinese red" and white, and Mrs. James Battle was equally arresting in a dress which had a full swirling skirt of black and white, and a white jersey bodice.

Mrs. James G. Neal wore a bright-downed printed crepe with a white background and Mrs. Nelson C. Kasper was in shimmering crepe with broad black trim in red and black. Among those in white were Mrs. Harvey E. Green, whose jockeyed gown was beaded in gold, and Mrs. Charles Renfro.

Among others noted at the dance were Mrs. Richard K. Scates, Mrs. H. W. Spahr, Mrs. M. E. A. Schramm, Mrs. J. L. Donald McKee, Ernest H. Graf, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Maass, E. M. Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schirmer, the Rawlerson C. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Millers and Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Hammonds.

## Present Day Club Has Birthday Fete

The Present Day club celebrated its seveneenth anniversary with a luncheon Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. Arthur Kane of Purdy street. A tiered and decorated birthday cake centered the luncheon table and two bouquets of white roses were further adornment. In charge of arrangements were Mrs. Floyd Crouse, president of the club, Mrs. S. E. Wilson, Mrs. James Daniels, Mrs. Harry Clark and Mrs. Balon Bradwood. About the 15 members present, there were nine of the 11 past presidents.

During the afternoon, Mrs. Victor R. Owen gave a history of the club and Mrs. Harvey Musmann read a parody on Poe's "The Raven," called "The Ravens."

## League to Honor Pan-Am Students

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### Calendar OF COMING EVENTS

MARCH						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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**Thursday, March 28**  
Family dinner, C. H., 6:30 p. m.  
Barnum E. H. A. Fessenden luncheon, school cafeteria, 1 p. m.  
"Fish" school play, Baldwin high school, 8 p. m.  
DeMolay Chevaliers, C. H. P., at Business Bldg., dinner, 6:30 p. m.  
Birmingham Musical, orchestra, C. H., 9:30 a. m.  
Red Cross, C. H., 10 a. m.  
British War Relief, C. H., 10 a. m.  
Family dinner, C. H., 6:30 p. m.  
Lairduy sisters' luncheon, C. H., 8 a. m.  
H. E. C. H. P. m. m.  
Country Dance Group, C. H., 8 p. m.

**Friday, March 29**  
Players, Exchange, 8 p. m.  
A. A. U. W. luncheon meeting, C. H., 12 noon.  
Red Cross sewing, C. H., 10 a. m.  
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**Sunday, March 31**  
Rotary club, luncheon, C. H., 12 noon.  
British War Relief, C. H., 10 a. m.  
Red Cross sewing, C. H., 10 a. m.  
Birmingham Musical, orchestra, C. H., 9:30 a. m.  
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**Monday, March 25**  
American Legion auxiliary, Lexington home, 8 p. m.  
Exchange luncheon, nonsectarian, Birmingham, C. H., 12 noon.  
Board of Education, Baldwin school, 8 p. m.  
Birmingham Hotel, luncheon, Garden City tavern, 7:30 p. m.  
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## Business Women Sponsor Dinner, Varied Program

The Business Women's Club will meet for dinner and a social meeting at the Community House at 6:30 o'clock tonight. Carl Plumbard is chairman of the entertainment committee with Betty Fillinger, Marion Hawkins and Irene Haney assisting.

"Have You Seen Red?" will be given by the Mimmers club of Barnum school, under the direction of Lyla McCormick. Young Thompson and Mildred Bensoett will entertain with the piece "The Fast Flip." The Mimmers play is as follows:

Jared Sims, played by Bobby Erwin; Bobby Adams, Dick; Betty Madam Sims, Jacqueline; Father Sims, Edward Berg; Graber; One Miss Nancy; Margaret; Letty; Miss Sims; Margaret Plumbard; Jack Adams; Donald Bensoett; Clark Clark; Dulce; Krasner; Mrs. Clark; Betty Lee; Thurman; Bida; Clark; Dork Minks; Denny Clark; Cling Gregory; LaMour; Peter; LaMour; Silvester LaMour; Hope Good.

## Welch-Cole Rites To Be Quiet Affair

Another date has been added to Birmingham's already full social calendar for this spring. Charles G. Welch, Jr., and Miss Joyce Cole, of Detroit, have set Saturday, March 29, as the date for their wedding. The ceremony will be a very simple one, for members of the immediate families only.

Miss Cole is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cole, of Plainedge avenue, Detroit, and Mr. Welch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Welch of Vaughn road, Bloomfield Hills.

Mr. Welch will bring his bride to Birmingham to live following the wedding.

## Farewell Party Honors Mrs. Semann and Daughter

Mrs. M. Ray Cook, Oakland avenue, entertained last Friday evening at a farewell party for Mrs. Semann and her daughter, Barbara, who left Wednesday for San Diego, Calif., where they will live in the future. Mr. Semann has been in California for two months. Twelve guests attended the party which was a going away shower for the Semanns. Decorations were carried out in yellow and white.

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