

# Village Players to Inaugurate Fireside Lobby at Performance This Weekend

**Will Present Play 'Incognito', This Friday, Saturday**

## Village Variety

New and different this year at the Village Players' performance will be the "Fireside Lobby"—an after-dinner coffee hour from 8 until 8:45 p. m. It is being inaugurated this weekend, Friday and Saturday evenings, at the Players' first guest show of the year, "Incognito."

Straight from the capitol come more news of our Birmingham-Bloomfield Colony down there. In the past year a goodly number of our neighbors have been called to Washington, D. C., to help with the war program; but now that many offices are being moved to Detroit, we may expect to see some of our friends back again. So it is with the W. R. Tracys, who returned just this week.

Anyhow, on Saturday night the Kenneth K. Martins entertained at cocktails in their apartment, and then the Tracys gave a farewell dinner party, bidding Washington goodbye, at the Russian Troika. Included in the party were Mr. and Mrs. Morgan D. Douglas, the Martins, and, of course, the Tracys, all formerly of the Hills, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Reed, of London, England, Mrs. Gertrude Gregory, of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Gurney is a cousin of Mrs. Frank W. Shull and is a frequent visitor here; and Major General E. B. Gregory, of Washington, Mrs. Tracy's brother, and the James Lee Givens, formerly from here.

Mr. Tracy went to Washington on Feb. 27 as chief of the farm machinery and equipment industry, War Production Board, and Thomas H. Klingensmith, George M. Dwelley is director of the show, and assistant directors are Mrs. George H. Fox and Mrs. Edward S. Reid, Jr. Another announcement of interest from the Players this week is that the date for their annual keno party has been set for Friday, Oct. 6. W. A. F. John is to be general chairman of the event.

**Sorority Group Meets on Tuesday**

Mrs. A. N. Taylor, of Newgate road, will be hostess to the North Suburban Group of Kappa Kappa Gamma Alumnae at a luncheon in her home at one o'clock on Tuesday, Oct. 27. Following luncheon the members will begin the project of making children's clothing from men's discarded shirts, which the members will bring to the meeting.

**Beatrice Sandoval Complimented at Party**

Mrs. Herbert Stralser and Mrs. George Gillingham entertained 20 guests at a shower last Thursday afternoon in honor of Beatrice Sandoval, whose marriage to Rodney Gabels will be an event of the near future. A large bouquet of fall flowers was used as the table centerpiece, and the decoration color scheme was pink and blue.

### Social Briefs

MRS. HENRY DAHLQUIST is leaving for Illinois to spend a week visiting.

MRS. WELDON WALES PRICE and MRS. GLENN WAGGONER were co-hostesses at a surprise party held in the latter's home, on Lakeside avenue, in honor of MRS. PHILIP CARY. The guests included Pat Houff, Mrs. George Cavanaugh, Mrs. Robert Aldrich, Mrs. Jack Scolaro, Mrs. Thomas Walton, Mrs. Clarence Bolt, Guy Carey, Mary Mayfield, Mrs. Herbert Pappleton, Mrs. Harry MacDonald, Mrs. Jack Howling and Shirley Smith.

MRS. WALTER ANDERSON sponsored a Rotary Ann Luncheon, Monday at her home on Lake Park

drive. There were 30 members present. Mrs. William Jackson spoke on the A.W.V.S. activities.

MRS. JOHN R. McALPINE, the former Helen Brown, spent the weekend in Richmond, Va., and Washington, D. C., where she visited with her husband who is at Officers' Training School, Quartermasters, Camp Lee, Va. Mrs. McAlpine is at home now with her brother, Mrs. E. E. Brown, of Greenwood avenue.

JANE McGARTHY, of Pilgrim avenue, has been pledged to Gamma Phi Beta sorority at the University of Michigan. Jane is a sophomore this year.

PATTY MENNES, of Brookside drive, entertained a group of friends at a luncheon and theatre party Saturday afternoon in honor of her ninth birthday anniversary. Her guests were Sheila McGinness, Ellen Ann Adams, Carol

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**Club Notes**

**League of Women Voters**  
Women who feel they really ought to know more about political issues so their votes in the election Nov. 3 will mean something, will have an extra free way to find out Friday afternoon, Oct. 23. The Detroit League of Women Voters is putting on an open meeting at the Book Cadillac Hotel starting at 2 o'clock and everyone interested is invited.

**Eastern Star**  
The Order of the Eastern Star, Oakland County Association, will meet at 10 a. m., on Thursday, Oct. 29 at 4:30 p. m. for an all day session. Birmingham Chapter's past matron, Mrs. Perry A. Vaughan, will be installed as president of the Oakland County Association.

**Sigma Gamma**  
Members of the Sigma Gamma society will meet on Friday afternoon, Oct. 23, at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Henry Sheldon, 1410 Irigoin avenue, Detroit.

**BIRTHS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey deMeules, of 651 Forest street, announce the birth of a daughter, Katharine, born at Grace Hospital, Detroit, on Sept. 23. Mrs. deMeules was formerly Ruth Mary Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Y. C. Smith, of Birmingham. The baby's other grandparents is Mrs. Edgar A. deMeules, of Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil F. Johnson, of 1019 Knox street, announce the birth of a daughter, Susan Carol, on Sunday, Oct. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nash Blunt, of 1231 Cedar drive, announce the birth of their daughter, Penelope Anne, born on Saturday, Oct. 17, at Grace Hospital, Detroit. Mrs. Blunt is the former Katherine Koch.

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