

# Birmingham's Vassar College Alumnae to Fete Their Prexy Here April 13

## Senior Student Wins Scholarship

Ruth Minks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Minks, of Henrietta street, has been awarded a tuition scholarship to Baldwin Wallace College at Berea, O. This scholarship is based on scholarship, character, personality, and leadership qualities.

Ruth is a senior at Baldwin High School and will graduate in June. She is a member of the National Honor Society and also president of the Junior Musicals of Birmingham.

At Baldwin High School, she accompanies the choir and many other vocal and instrumental ensembles. Besides the choir work, she plays for the Stephanie Burckhardt dancing school and plans the music for the dances.

In college, Ruth plans to take a Liberal Arts course and major in music.

## Birmingham Group Will Be Hostesses At Sorority Dinner

The alumnae of Alpha Delta Pi will hold its regular dinner meeting at the central branch of the Y. W. C. A., April 13, at 6:30 to be followed by Red Cross knitting and bridge.

The Birmingham group consisting of Mrs. E. G. Mayfield, Mrs. L. M. Nolan, Mrs. Frank Rising, Dorothy Keene, Mary Mayfield, Pattie Main, and Elizabeth Bennett will be the hostesses.

## Present Day Club Aids Blood Bank

There has been a good response to the Red Cross appeal for blood to be donated at the Blood Bank, April 19, 20 and 21. Mrs. H. J. Lauer, chairman for blood bank appointments, reports that the Present Day Club of Birmingham has signed up for at least ten of its members. Any organization wishing to arrange for appointments for its members may call Birmingham 1030.

Knackebrod, a favorite bread in Scandinavian countries, is a round, thin and extremely hard loaf made from whole rye meal.

## Dr. Henry N. MacCracken to Give Public Lecture

Dr. Henry Noble MacCracken, president of Vassar College, will be in Birmingham Tuesday, April 13, as the guest of the Birmingham Vassar Alumnae group. This group is inviting high school girls to meet Dr. MacCracken at the Community House at 4 o'clock and to view colored movies of Vassar College. Mrs. Langdon T. Crane is in charge of the tea.

In the evening, a dinner will be given at the Community House in honor of Dr. MacCracken for alumnae and friends. At 8 o'clock, Dr. MacCracken will speak before an open meeting in the Community House to which anyone who is interested may attend. His subject will be, "The War Challenges the Curriculum." This will be Dr. MacCracken's first appearance in Birmingham.



Dr. MacCracken

The hostesses group who are sponsoring Dr. MacCracken's appearance here will act as hostesses. Included are Mrs. Neil C. McMath, Sally Davis, Mrs. Leigh Lynch, Mrs. Calvin P. Vary, Mrs. Leonard F. Lewis, Mrs. John B. Williams, Mrs. A. H. Olin, Mrs. Benjamin H. Brewster, Mrs. William E. Rice.

Dr. MacCracken is beginning his 28th year as president of Vassar College, having come there in 1915 from Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University and Smith College where he taught English.

He graduated from New York University and, after spending three years in Turkey as instructor in the Syrian Protestant School there, he returned to take his master's degree. He then earned both master's and doctor's degrees from Harvard University and spent a year at Oxford as John Harvard Fellow. He holds honorary degrees conferred on him by Smith, Brown University, and New York University.

Active in many fields, Dr. MacCracken is president of the Kosciuszko Foundation for the promotion of cultural relations with Poland; a trustee of the National Conference of Christians and Jews; and a trustee of Penn Normal School for Negro agricultural and industrial workers. He is a former trustee of Sarah Lawrence College and Bennett Junior College. He has written two pamphlets about race and group relations and the Bill of Rights which have been adopted by several New York State and New England schools as a civics handbook.

Birmingham girls who are now attending Vassar are Eleanor and Elaine Appel and Margaret McMath.

## A.A.U.W. to Hear Dramatic Review April 14

The Birmingham Branch of the American Association of Uni-

## Couple Honored Before Marriage

Mrs. Dorothy K. Roosevelt and Mrs. Francis F. Kemp, of Waddington road, entertained at dinner in their home last Saturday night in honor of Helen Wagner Neff and Joseph de Bruyn whose marriage will take place Saturday, April 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart, of Lake Park Drive, also entertained for the couple at a dinner party in their home Sunday evening.

## Peabodys Entertain Out-of-Town Guests

Mrs. Norman Schlaack and her son, Fred, of Deal, N. J., and Clyde Peabody, of Camp Len, Va., were recent guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bert Peabody, of East Maple avenue. Ann Dulant, of Pontiac, a student at Michigan State College, accompanied Mrs. Schlaack to her home where she will be the guest of Mrs. Schlaack, and Pfc. Frank Peabody, who is stationed at Tilton General Hospital, Ft. Dix, N. J.

## Marriage Licenses

Harry Edward Smith, 420 Lincoln, Clawson and Gertrude Clapp Senz, 202 West Kenilworth, Royal Oak.

Richard Perrien Roseman, Aca. demic road, Bloomfield Hills, and Elizabeth Elsie Buecett, 1824 Hinman, Evanston, Ill.

## Plans Completed For Bette Elliott's Wedding Saturday

Bette Elliott has completed arrangements for her marriage to Sgt. John I. Church on Saturday, April 10. It will be a simple wedding in the home of the bride's parents at 8 o'clock in the evening. Bette will still wear the traditional bridal gown and veil. The reception will be held in the home following the ceremony.

As her maid of honor, Bette has chosen Lucille Wayman; and Air Cadet Robert Larson of Chicago will be Sgt. Church's best man. Sgt. Church arrived from Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Aberdeen, Md., on Wednesday.

## On Extended Trip To South and West

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Allen, of Townsend street, have left on an extended visit to the South and West Coast. Mrs. Allen will renew acquaintances in Los Angeles, while Mr. Allen, Detroit editor of Steel magazine, visits aircraft plants, shipyard, and other industries in the New Orleans, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Seattle areas for editorial material.

The Allens will return to Birmingham around May 10. While they are away, their daughter, Virginia Elizabeth Allen, is in charge of the household.

## Arrangements for Peace Institute Are Being Made

The long awaited Peace Institute to be conducted by Dr. Edward C. Lindeman, noted sociologist, will take place the afternoon and evening of Thursday, April 29, at the Community House. Dr. Lindeman will give two lectures on post war rehabilitation and peace plans. This meeting is sponsored jointly by the Community House and the League of Women Voters.

General chairman for the Institute is Mrs. Lee A. White. Mrs. John M. Allman and Mrs. Charles J. Shain are in charge of tickets. Mrs. H. S. Burlingame, Mrs. Eric F. Hyde, and Mrs. George W. Patch are helping with the general arrangements, and Mrs. Norman Lyle is contacting new residents.

Mrs. F. G. Garrison is handling publicity, and Mrs. Clinton E. Sears, Mrs. Forbes S. Haxall, and Mrs. Robert H. Daisley are representing the Community House.

## Out at First

"So you have been singing in the choir?"

"Yes."

"What part?"

"Well, I went in as first base, but they changed it to stop stop when they heard my voice."

## McConaghs Moving To New Jersey Soon

Mrs. L. B. McConaghy, of Northlawn road, is leaving Saturday for Chicago, where she will meet her husband, Major McConaghy who is graduating from the Command and General Staff School at Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.

They are returning to Birmingham Monday long enough to pack up their furniture and then are going on to New Jersey. Major McConaghy will be stationed at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., and they plan to make their new home nearby.

## Dinner Party Given Before Club Dives

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Deer, of Rivenoak avenue, were hosts to a dinner party in their home preceding the Quadrille Club dance Friday night.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Miles W. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Percy G. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Dan M. Robins, Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Mel Davey of Highland Park.

## Spring Chickens

To give tenderness to spring chickens add a tablespoon of vinegar to the water in which they are being cooked.

## BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. C. Harold Will, 975 Madison, announces the birth of a son, Jonathan Charles, on Tuesday, March 30, at St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital.

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## Group Gives Show For English Girl

Last year, a group of young girls gave a play, the proceeds of which went to British Relief. The British Relief bought some needed articles for a young English girl, and she in turn wrote to Mary Halliday, a member of the group, to thank her for the gifts. They have been carrying on a correspondence ever since.

This year, the girls are giving a Spring Review in the Community House, April 25, featuring song and dance specialty numbers. The proceeds from this review will be spent on more things for the English girl, Annie Savill.

Some of those who will take part in the show are Mary Halliday, Libba Doris, Joan Schafer, Ellen Campbell, and Martha Kraft.

Mary has just received a letter from Annie. She writes, "We had a quiet Christmas. Only air raid kept us from having fun. It is bad spent on more things for the English girl, Annie Savill. It makes me miserable to go to school. When it rains, he is over. But not sunny days. We are all O. K., so what is the use of grumbling. We try to be cheerful now we live here but there is no place like your own town. Where I was born, it was poor but we were happy. I do wish this old war would be over, so that we could all be happy again. I want to go back, but what is the use if all my playmates have gone and the houses are all down. I can only make the best of things, as mother says. Plenty have it worse than we do."

She continues, "It is gloomy tonight. It is so dark and quiet all you have to do is to go to bed; get up and go to school; home again—nothing fresh to look forward to... So now good night. Good bless you all, America."

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## Tomatoes for Tulips

Mrs. Ruth Amling sets out a potted tomato plant in a Chicago hothouse. It's part of the Chicago Allied Florists' campaign to raise millions of seedlings for Victory Gardens—and let the prizewinners grow where they will.

## Birmingham Musicales Meets Today

Alberta Macdonald, mezzo soprano, will be the featured soloist at the meeting of the Birmingham Musicales today at 2 o'clock in the Community House. Mrs. Macdonald will sing selections by Wagner, Rachmaninoff, Charles Reppe and others.

Also on the program are the Madrigal Singers, under the direction of Gertrude Heinze Greer, Marie Jackson Mansfield, harpist, and Jean Hohmeyer, violinist. Accompanists will be Alta Lynn Magor and Gail Fairchild Bangs.

Mrs. Lett B. Eiv is chairman of the meeting with Mrs. Erik Bergshagen, Mrs. Shelton Wright, Mrs. John A. McAllister, and Mrs. Frank D. Webb acting as hostesses. Mrs. Harry W. Wheaton is chairman of the tea committee.

## D. A. R. to Meet April 13

The Piety Hill Chapter of the D. A. R. will hold their regular meeting on April 13 at 1:30 in the home of Mrs. Clifford L. McArthur, 1240 Buckingham road. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Glenn Coley and Miss B. Catherine Purcell. Mrs. Hugh D. McLeese will address the club on the subject "Japan, Our New Neighbors." Reports from the State Congress will be given.

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