

# Report on Junior Victory Gardening Shows Widespread Interest in Schools

## Mrs. Berndt Active In Music Festival

Mrs. Arnold W. Berndt's contribution to the success of Birmingham's part in the Music Festival held in Pontiac on May 1, is well-appreciated by mothers of the pupils who performed.

Mrs. Berndt worked with Mr. Berndt and Mrs. Edith Harris in helping to prepare the students for their part. She also accompanied 37 of the numbers herself.

Besides the Birmingham schools, there were also Pontiac and Oxford schools participating in the concert.

## Betty Lee to Wed Byron Colgrove In Washington

Betty Lee has chosen Saturday, May 15, as the date she will become the bride of Byron P. Colgrove a few days after Byron receives his wings and his commission as ensign in the Navy Air Service.

Betty is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McMullen Lee, of Washington, D. C., formerly of Birmingham, and Byron is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Colgrove, of West Maple avenue.

The marriage will take place at 4 o'clock in the historical Church of John in Washington, D. C., with the Rev. John C. McGee reading the service.

## AN ALL-AMERICAN



"ALL AMERICAN VOLUNTEER MOTHER" is the title bestowed on Mrs. Edith Humphrey by servicemen and USO workers at Biloxi, Miss. At five different USO centers she is receptionist, hostess, travels and assistant member of the hospital visiting committee. Although more than 60 years old, she serves 65 hours every week. Her own son is a Naval officer and she has great skill at handling men homesick for their own mothers. Her tasks include work with Jewish, Catholic and Protestant groups.

## Junior High School Grows Seedlings In Greenhouse

The enrollments for the Junior Victory Garden Project at Birmingham have far exceeded last year. In addition to the increased interest inside the Birmingham limits, many schools of the outlying districts have joined forces and are participating in the garden project under the sponsorship of the Birmingham schools whose chairman is Mrs. Della H. Wilson, of the Science Department of the Junior High School, in cooperation with the educational committee of the Birmingham Branch of the Women's Farm and Garden Association headed this year by Mrs. Walter Ross.

**Birmingham Schools**  
At Barnum School hundreds of seedlings have been sown in flats and are being reared for in the greenhouse adjoining the Science Department. Fertilizer and gardening manuals have been distributed to two large groups of gardeners planned. A club of 30 members meets regularly on Wednesdays for the purpose of studying methods. Soil testing has been available for these members.

**Bloomfield Hills School**  
The third annual carter's planting party of students, parents and staff will take place.

**Brookside School**  
Wallace T. Criggs, Brookside School Cranbrook, supervises a victory garden student committee composed of two representatives from each grade. The members are Frazier Kennedy, Suzanne Peters, Ann Ward, Peter Hart, Jay Thomas, Robert F. Pratt, Tommy Jeffries, Nancy Jeffrey and Bill Downey. Fred Smith and Thomas D. Hart are in charge.

## Anne Campbell to Address MOMS at Tea on Thursday

Anne Campbell, well-known and well-loved Detroit News poet, will be the speaker at the MOMS tea being given in the Community House on Thursday, March 22, at 2 o'clock. It will be given by the MOMS Club of Birmingham for all mothers of men in service who have not joined the club.

Mrs. Frank L. Cavan is general chairman of the affair and will be assisted by the following: Mrs. Warren C. Pratt, Mrs. Robert F. Watt, president, will preside at the tea.

Today the MOMS Club is holding election of officers at their regular business meeting which will take place at 8 o'clock in the Community House.

There are still some pictures at the Infirmary Nurses' center that have not been called for since the display of men in service pictures held in Sanders store last month. Owners are asked to call for them as soon as possible.

## Ridgedale Players Here Saturday Night

Ridgedale Players will close the season with that sophisticated comedy, "This Thing Called Love," by Edwin Burke, which will be presented at the Birmingham Playhouse Saturday, May 15 at 8:30 p.m. As is customary, this performance is open to the members and their guests and a large audience is anticipated. Refreshments are in the hands of Mrs. T. B. Farnsworth and her committee. Ott Dallavo is in charge of the play. It is being directed by Maed Cromell and her committee, assisted by the cast as follows: Dan O'Connell, Doris M. Keown, William Alford, Mrs. John P. Carlisle, Mrs. William Hickman, Jack Carrington, Don Parker, Mrs. William J. Prokerton, Dr. Bob Welling and Edith Crooker.

## Sigma Lambda to Give Priority Prom

The Sigma Lambda Sorority is giving a Priority Prom on Saturday night at the Community House. Hal Berdon's orchestra will provide the music, and the dance will be informal.

Some of the couples attending will be Peg Jensen and Dick Stewart, Ruth Mary Potter and Dick Burkett, Frankie Porter and Bob Burton, Katherine Oleschberger and Norman Schwallie, Barbara Lamb and Harry Lee, Sybil Finch and John Gilbert, Dorothy Atkinson and Larry Brad, Gladys Schlaack and Ralph Aspell, Dorothy Olin and Tom Fox, and Phyllis Moore and John MacGregor.

Serving on the committees will be: Gladys Schlaack, decorations chairman, assisted by Peg Jensen, Eleanor Field and Frankie Porter; Dottie Lee and Ruth Mary Potter; orchestra: Barbara Lamb, Peg Jensen, and Ruth Potter; publicity: Elaine Stutte, Lois Brown, and Carol Maynard, refreshments.

## Local Violinist To Play in Concert

Birmingham music lovers have been attracted to the series of evenings of chamber music presented by William Grafting King, noted Detroit Symphony Orchestra violinist. The first series of three concerts was concluded in March and was received with so much enthusiasm that a second series was started.

The second concert of this series will be given on Wednesday evening, May 19, at 8:15 in the Detroit Federation of Women's Clubs Auditorium. Among the artists appearing are George Mitchell, cellist, and Mischa Kottler, pianist. They will be assisted by the string ensemble of which Charles Turner, Birmingham violinist, is a member.

The public is invited to these concerts and admission is by the purchase of war stamps at the door.

## Norma Cross Becomes Mrs. Francis Appell At Rites in Georgia

The Holy Family Church in Columbus, Ga., on Tuesday May 4, was the scene of the marriage of Norma Cross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cross, of Pontiac, and Corp. Francis Appell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Appell, of Elm street, Birmingham. Mrs. Appell, mother of the bridegroom, accompanied Miss Cross to Georgia.

The couple will live near Fort Benning Ga., where Corp. Appell is stationed. After spending the winter in Panama, Corp. Appell received a furlough in March and was sent to Georgia along with other men as a cadre for a new anti-aircraft unit.

## Couple Wed in Ferndale Ceremony

Mrs. Glen Edward Bruning was Betty Louise Beckman before her marriage Friday evening to Mr. Bruning at the office of Charles A. Hahnman, Justice of the Peace in Ferndale.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Beckman, of Kiris avenue, wore a powder blue tailored suit with matching coat and dark blue accessories. She wore a corsage of roses.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bruning, of Ferndale. They will make their home with the brides parents until they secure an apartment.

## Mrs. Uppler Will Be President of Club

At the annual meeting of the Present Day Club held May 4 in the home of Mrs. Floyd Crouse, Mrs. Melvin Uppler was elected president.

Mrs. Isaac Kidd was the speaker and she gave a study of American humor.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, May 18, at the home of Mrs. Jack Gill, of Edmons avenue. Mrs. Harry Clark will give a book review.

Lamb prices are the highest in years, and no wonder. The supply is never equal to the demand in Wall Street.—Indianapolis News.

## Mrs. Henry Ford Speaks at Meeting

Thursday the State meeting of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association took place at the Statler Hotel. The speakers during the morning were Mrs. Henry Ford who discussed drying fruit, and Mrs. Underhill Orten, who talked on nutrition.

Mrs. Ruth Mosher Place who talked on growing protective foods, and Mrs. Emma Du Bord, who talked on preservation of food.

Following the luncheon, the election of officers was held with Mrs. Lynn McNaughton re-elected general chairman. The following officers from Bloomfield and Birmingham were elected to the State Board: Mrs. Donald D. James, presiding secretary, Mrs. William B. Rosevear, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. Atwood B. Oatman, corresponding secretary.

## Plans are Made for High School Party

The Little Flower High School Mothers' Club will sponsor a dessert bridge at the school, 1212 Michigan and Woodward, on Friday, May 21, at 10 o'clock. The feature of the afternoon's entertainment will be a style show given by the students.

The committee in charge of making arrangements for the affair include Mrs. Edward J. Delahanty, Mrs. Charles E. Richard, Mrs. John Slevis, Mrs. Thomas Shea, Mrs. C. A. Cruise, Mrs. G. T. DuBois, Mrs. Howard Hoenigshagen, Mrs. L. J. Brunner, Mrs. Hugh Bowman, Mrs. George Nelson, Mrs. A. D. Sands, and Mrs. Jack Leary.

## Alleen Brewer and Put. Gordon Fingar Wed in Joplin, Mo.

Alleen Brewer and Put. Gordon Fingar, son of Mrs. Kathryn I. Fingar, of Cecil avenue, Birmingham, were married Sunday, May 2, at 3 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brewer, of Joplin, Mo. The Rev. B. A. Pugh, Baptist minister, performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a simple white crepe dress and carried an arm bouquet of red roses. She was attended by her sister, Geraldine Brewer.

Technician Fifth Grade Arthur E. Holt, who is in Headquarters Company of the 86th Signal Training Regiment with the bridegroom, was best man.

The bridegroom is stationed at Camp Crowder, Mo., where he is messenger for the Central Signal Corps School Personnel Division.

## Piano Students To Play May 16

Miss Ruth Porritt will present her pupils in a piano recital Sunday, May 16, at the Community House at 3 o'clock. Those taking part include Dorothy Atkinson, Anitch Bailey, Parker Bailey, Kathleen Bates, Virginia Beresford, Joanne Burdick, Jeanne Cadigan, Charles DeBats, Elizabeth Drake, Mary Drake, Grover Farnsworth, Thomas Frank, Jean Harrell, Marilyn Hart, Nancy Holmes, Margaret Ireland and Ruth Kadell.

Others are Janet Kost, Susan Kost, Jane Melloy, Judy Moritz, Ann Murray, Ray Noyes, Arlene Phelps, Elizabeth Phelps, Roxa Phelps, Shirley Schooner, Margene Thomas, Norma Jean Waterbury, Margaret Vose, and David Williams.

The following will act as ushers: Hanel Betty, Alys Chubbuck, Mary Hadden, Donna Kramer, and Jean Kramer.

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