

Ridgedale Players To Be At Village Play House, Feb. 5

WITH THE COLLEGIANS

Three one-act plays will be presented by the Ridgedale Players on Saturday, Feb. 5th at nine o'clock in the Birmingham Playhouse. "The Happy Journey" by Thornton Wilder, directed by Phil Carrel, has the following cast: Fred Lyons, Mrs. Robert Morris, Mrs. Chester Teeple, Mrs. John Shriver, Bill Hickman Jr., and William Pinkerton.

"The Perfect Tribute," a dramatization of the story by Mary R. S. Andrews, with P. H. Pope in the leading role of Abraham Lincoln is being directed by Maud Clement, Paul Morrison, Dan Grandy, Paul Curran and John Adams complete the cast.

"The Courtship of Marie Jenval" by Owen Pharis Ringwood, directed by Maud Clement, has a cast of the following members: O. Reynolds, Steinert, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dewey, Doris M. Keown, Ray Blackwell, Read Jenkins and Charles Marcotte. Mrs. Arthur Geisler is chairman of the refreshment committee.

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Musicale Club To Present Jascha Schwarzman At Artist Program

Thursday, Feb. 10, is the day the Birmingham Musicale has set aside for its artist program to be given at the Community House at 2 o'clock. The musicale will feature

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ture Jascha Schwarzman as guest artist. As a cello virtuoso, Mr. Schwarzman commands an international reputation, for he has been concertized extensively in Europe and this country with marked success.

By birth a Russian, he is a graduate of the Petrograd Conservatory of Music and also the Leipzig Conservatory, where he studied under Kienzel. At the age of 21 he made his American debut with the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra under Alfred Hertz. The next year, G. S. P. Gabriellovitch, conductor of the Detroit Symphony, while on a visit to Germany, met, heard and engaged Mr. Schwarzman for the Detroit or-

chestra, where he occupied the first desk for five years.

From there he went to the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra as solo cellist and remained for five years, leaving Minneapolis to go to New York as first cellist with the newly formed N.Y.C. Symphony under Toscanini. Two years later he returned to Detroit, which he has always regarded as home.

Mr. Schwarzman will be accompanied by his wife, Ruth Schwarzman. Two other artists, who are club members, will take part in the program.

Lois T. Hampton, mezzo soprano, will be accompanied by Dorothy Lind. Mrs. Hampton studied with Hohn Stein, Akron, O., and Frederick Frotheroe, Detroit. Besides being a member of the Birmingham Musicale, she is a member of the Madrigal Club and the Tuesday Musicale, both of Detroit.

Ruth Lowe Laake, pianist, who is an associate of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, will be the second local artist. Mrs. Laake is a former teacher of piano in Detroit. At present she is coaching with Joseph Brinkman at the University School of Music, Ann Arbor. Last summer Mrs. Laake attended Arthur Schnabel's master class in Ann Arbor. She is co-counselor of "Moment Musicales," junior music club of Birmingham.

Mrs. Whiting Raymond is chairman of the day. She will be assisted by Mrs. H. T. Ellery, Mrs. A. H. Knorr, and Mrs. Myron E. Snyder, as hostesses. Mrs. Floyd Franklin is tea chairman and serving on her committee are Mrs. H. Dean Yocum, Mrs. Alex D. Gray and Mrs. E. F. Painter. Mrs. H. E. Edwards and Mrs. Walter G. Steckor have been asked to pour.

SOCIAL NEWS IN BRIEF

SAMUEL STEPHENSON, of South Ste Marie, and ROBERT SHIRLEY visited Samuel's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Paul William Dutton, of Park street, last week while they were taking examinations in Detroit for the Army Air Corps. Both boys will enter the Air Corps in June.

DAVID NETHERCOT, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Nethercot, of Suffield road, is vacationing in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

MRS. CHARLES BARR FIELD, of Westwood drive, is visiting in New York and Washington. While in Washington she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Knight.

MR. and MRS. KARL E. HERRIK, of Lane Pine road, entertained at a supper party for a few friends on Sunday evening.

MR. and MRS. CARLETON SCOTT, who have been at Coral Gables, Fla., for the past two weeks, are expected home tomorrow.

MR. and MRS. WALTER F. HERDRICH, of Baldwin street, had a cooperative dinner at their home before going to the Village Players' Saturday night.

MARY ANN FRY, who has been making a brief visit in Pensacola, Fla., will also visit her brother, Cpl. Walter S. Fry, at Ft. Bragg, N. C.

MR. and MRS. T. W. WIDENMANN, of Puritan road, are spending the month at the Seacrest in Delray, Fla.

MRS. ROBERT F. G. COPELAND and daughter, Cynthia, are visiting Mrs. Arnold Shoop and son, Tommy, formerly of Wing Lake, in Chicago this week.

MR. and MRS. CHARLES D. McALLI were hosts at a supper in their home, on Argyle road, following the Village Players' show Saturday night.

NINA KALBFUS and SUZANNE BURNSIDE, who were graduated from Baldwin high school last week, left Monday for Fort Lauderdale, Fla., where they will join Nina's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bogart, of Troy, N. Y., for a three weeks' vacation. Nina will enter the University of Michigan for the spring term.

MR. and MRS. GLEN DAVIS and daughter, Dottie, have moved from their home on Elm street to the residence at 516 Vinewood.

MRS. JAMES MARTIN, JR., of 809 N. Dorchester, Royal Oak, is holding "open house" Friday evening, February 4, as a farewell for her husband, who leaves February 9 to join the U. S. armed forces. Mr. Martin for many years has been associated with the McClellan Feed and Sals store in Birmingham, with a wide circle of friends.

THE REV. W. GLEN HARRIS, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, leaves late today for Trenton to join Mrs. Harris and their two children for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cherry, Mr. Harris' brother, Seaman 2/C Weldon Harris, is home on leave and will join the party for Sunday morning Rev. Harold Paul Scott, assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Detroit, will conduct the services at the local church.

MRS. BYRON P. COLGROVE, en route from California to Washington, D. C., has stopped here to spend some time with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Colgrove, Pilgrim road. She had been in the west with her husband, Ensign Colgrove, who has now left for overseas duty.

MRS. CHARLES HALLOCK, of Ann street, had as her guest over Sunday, Mrs. Rhoda Ferrier. Her daughter, Deanna, had as her weekend guest, Clara Shipp.

A/C WILFRED C. BECKER was home Sunday from Naval College at Mt. Pleasant. He brought with him his roommate, A/S Leo Cannon, of Gladstone.

DR. and MRS. RALPH G. FERRIS, of the Fox and Hounds, will be hosts at a swimming party and dinner Wednesday night to Sallie and Lillian Partlan, Martha Hargan, Josephine O'Donnell.

MRS. ARTHUR GOULD, MRS. MAUD SEAGER and daughter, Ruth, left last Saturday for Daytona Beach, Fla., where they will remain for an indefinite time.

MR. and MRS. LEON B. MILLER, of Inglenook Farm, Mrs. John M. Rainey, of Oakland avenue, and Mrs. Grace Miller Rainey, of Mrs. an, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Volney B. Millex, of Oxford.

VIRGINIA PARTLAN, of Woodland road, arrived home Friday from Glen Cove, Long Island, where she has been the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Richard R. Slater.

FLORENCE LAWLER, of Oak street, spent last weekend with her fiancé's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Weil, of Fort Haron.

MR. and MRS. PAUL E. CARBICK and small son, Buddy, of Fairfax road, and Nancy Juhl, of Lauderdale drive, Beverly Hills, spent the past weekend with J. S. Charles William Carstark, at Great Lakes, Ill.

MRS. OLA M. KELLER has returned from Chicago where she was on a combined business and pleasure trip.

JANE NORTH, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee North, of Purdy street, spent last weekend here with her parents. She is attending school in Petoskey and was here during a short recess.

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MRS. SHAIN TO SPEAK
The monthly meeting of the Mothers' Club of the Little Flower high school will be held Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 2 p. m. in the auditorium of the high school, 13 Mile and Woodward avenue. Mrs. P. L. Ledwidge was fortunate in obtaining Mrs. Charles J. Shain to talk on a timely subject, "Is the Future Ours?" Mrs. J. H. Hill and Mrs. Theodore Chase will be co-hostesses for the tea to be served following the lecture. All mothers and their guests are cordially invited.

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Firemen to Have Stag Dinner, February 8th

Auxiliary Firemen, Volunteer and Paid Firemen: The entertainment committee of this group has arranged a one-hour sound motion picture entitled "War Department Report." This picture has not as yet been released for public showing. There will be a stag dinner for Tuesday, Feb. 8, at 7 p. m. sharp.

Members of all companies are to contact their company captain Friday night, Feb. 4, or before, in order that each company captain may make reservations for them.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Beck, of Detroit, announce the birth of a son, Timothy Bristol, Jan. 7.

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