

Stadium Concerts Off to Good Start

On Wednesday night, June 20, the first in a series of stadium concerts by the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Walter Susskind, was presented to a large and enthusiastic audience in the University of Detroit stadium. Dinah Shore was the guest artist of the evening.

The summer season will end July 14 and the following programs have been arranged for the remaining concert series: Saturday, June 20, Viennese night, with no assisting artist; Wednesday, July 4, Winifred Heidi; Saturday, July 7, Jeanette McDonald; Wednesday, July 11, Mischa Kottler; Saturday, July 14, Oscar Strauss.

Busy Season Of Tennis Planned By Jane McKee

This year's recreation program is featuring tennis instruction as it did last year. Jane McKee, last year's instructor, is back. She has been active in the tennis club at the University of Michigan and last year was a member of the women's tennis team at Albion college.

Miss McKee will be teaching tennis to anyone who wishes instruction at the Barnum school every afternoon from 3 to 5. After some instruction has been given there will be a tournament run-off among the beginning players.

There will also be a tournament for junior players, boys who have had some experience in playing tennis and are in the age group from 12 to 18. There will be a girls' division in the junior group, also. Boys and girls from the group may enter the senior tournament too if they wish.

The senior tournament will include men's and women's single, plans for men's doubles and mixed doubles are being worked out. Those who wish to enter any division of the tournament may call either Bud Greer at 1128 or Jane McKee at 118. All entries must be in by noon, July 3.

Actors At Cranbrook Summer Theatre



Left to right: Patricia Newhall, Ada Ward, Dana Elear and Ted Mansfield, actors at the Cranbrook Summer Theatre School which opened last Monday.

Cranbrook Theatre, AAUW Book Clubs Start Busy Season Have Joint Picnic On June the 25th

With a capacity enrollment and a waiting list in most of its seven divisions the Cranbrook Summer Theatre School of the Theatre last Monday started its fourth season in the Greek Theatre on Cranbrook Estate.

Carl G. Wornberger, director of dramatics at Cranbrook school and director of the Theatre School, announces a special post-graduate division for students interested in professional careers in the theatre. These students will be given opportunities to learn script-writing, directing, acting, stage management, make-up, pantomime and body work.

On the summer school staff are Mrs. Carl G. Wornberger, in charge of speech and dramatics; director, Miss Ruth Hull, teacher of pantomime; Mrs. Thomas B. Anderson, production assistant; Miss Patricia Newhall, director of the intermediate division; Miss Nancy Neumann, director of dancing and body work; and Miss Lillian Stoworzak, junior director.

Assistants to the director are Nancy Sanders, Anne Ballew, Dana Elear, Ted Mansfield and Terry Hatchell.

The regular session of the Theatre School will extend from June 25 to Aug. 3, and the season for those who desire school credit will extend from June 25 to Aug. 18. Public performances will be given from time to time during the session.

the arrangements committee and she was assisted by Mrs. D. E. Heald, Mrs. Gilbert Gore, Mrs. Carl Biddle, and Mrs. R. C. Cook.

Mrs. R. H. School, is the new chairman of the West Side Book Club and Mrs. James P. Abbott will serve in that capacity on the East Side group. Mrs. Gilbert Gore will continue as chairman of the Evening group.



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Mrs. Hopkins Fetes Daughter-In-Law

Mrs. S. M. Hopkins, of Coral road, Franklin, entertained Friday evening at a bridge party, in honor of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. William Hopkins. Mrs. Hopkins has recently returned from duty in the China-India-Burma theater

and he and Mrs. Hopkins are making their home near Bonolus Air Field where he is now stationed.

Among those attending the party Friday evening were Mrs. Richard B. Wallace, Mrs. Donald Winn, Virginia Kahlton, Janet Ferrell, Anne Savage, Mattie Fritz, Margaret Newell, Patty Burke, Betty Lou Stolberg and Ann Harrell.

Mrs. Phillip Hoyle Hostess At Picnic

Mrs. J. Phillip Hoyle entertained at the home of her parents, the C. E. Wilsons, of Long Lake road, Sunday afternoon and evening at a picnic supper. Guests enjoyed swimming, tennis, badminton and duck pins.

Among the guests were Capt. Richard Dwyer, Shirley Craig, Lt. and Mrs. William Breech, Capt. El Robert Breech, Jane Maculey, Lt. Walter Eie, Ensign Bud Taylor, Nancy McKee, Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart, and Mrs. Richard Morgan.

Others were Lt. Robert Craig, Midge Smith, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Thomas, III, Charlie A. McLeod, Frances Jane Clark, of Decatur, Ill., Mrs. J. B. John, Ruth Farley Massey, of Winchester, Mrs. Robert N. Barkman, and Jane Ellen Ford.

The St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Will Have Tag Day on Saturday

Mrs. Thomas A. Farrell, 325 Wellesley, is the local chairman of the annual tag day of the Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Mercy hospital to be held on Saturday.

An announcement from the Auxiliary sent to many friends says:

"This is the 14th anniversary of Oakland County Tag Day sponsored each year, on the last Saturday of June, by the Auxiliary of St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital of Pontiac to raise funds to give free medical attention to the poor sick families from every community of Oakland County—irrespective of race or creed.

"It is impossible to correctly estimate the thousands of medical cases cared for, including children from the Juvenile Detention and Orphan Homes, sick children from every school in Oakland County, and with wayward travelers and many borderline cases—all we can say is, 'During these 13 years no one has ever been turned away!'

"Thousands of pairs of glasses have been given to those with defective eyesight who otherwise would never have received them.

"Much necessary equipment has been purchased to be used by the non-paying patients as well as those who pay.

"These unfortunate people receive prompt attention and with the kindest consideration; nothing is neglected that might hasten their recovery. Specialists from Pontiac, Birmingham and Detroit care for these people.

"There is no overhead; every dollar received goes directly into this channel of mercy, Faith, Hope and Charity, the greatest of these is Charity."

Red Cross Swimming Classes Are Started At the Nearby Lakes

American Red Cross swimming instruction has been launched in Oakland county. There was an encouraging turnout of young people but there is still opportunity for many more to enroll in the courses, according to Miss Ruth Kinloch, executive secretary of the local chapter.

Already classes are being held in the various Red Cross Y's and junior and senior life saving classes are being established at several of the beaches.

Classes are being held at the following beaches: Monday, 10 o'clock, City Park, Lake Orion; 2 o'clock, Chetolah Shores, Ellsbeth Lake; Tuesday, 10 o'clock, Orchard avenue, Cass Lake; 2 o'clock, Cunningham Park at Royce; Wednesday, 10 o'clock, Royal Oak High School Pool; 2 o'clock, Walnut Lake; Thursday, 10 o'clock, Sylvan Village, Chesham and Lakeview; 2 o'clock, Sylvan Village; Friday, 10 o'clock, Deer Lake, Oakcrest; 2 o'clock, Beaumont Subdivision, White Lake.

Mark Smith, recently authorized water safety instructor, is attending the American Red Cross Aquatic School at St. Mary's Camp, near Battle Creek, this week.

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The Annual Quota Has Been Reached!

The 23rd Annual Drive of The Birmingham Community House has just been successfully completed. Through the generous and understanding support of families in this area, the quota has been exceeded by over a thousand dollars. It is the board's feeling that the success of the 1945 drive is a community-wide endorsement of the House program. This open letter is to thank the community at large, and each individual contributor, for making the work of the coming year possible, and free from financial operational problems. A personal thank-you letter was planned. But the savings in this form of appreciation will be better used in operating the House itself.

The House Is In Sound Financial Condition

Your Community House is being managed on a sound business basis. Its original capital investment is being protected by an annual program of maintenance and repair. New improvements in keeping with increased demands and changing requirements are incorporated regularly. Otherwise, its usefulness would slowly diminish until a condition of inadequacy would thwart its community-utility. Instead, the present building, in spite of 15 years of use, is completely modern for present-day demands and services. Over 80,000 people used it last year. This has required increased staff personnel and generally higher operating costs. Supporters of the House can be assured, however, that considerable ingenuity and business-like care is being exercised to keep as low an operating budget as is practicable with a high standard of service.

The Use of The House Is Greater Than Ever

There seems to be no end to the uses and usefulness of the House. Month after month, new organizations and individuals avail themselves of it. Last year over a thousand boys and girls initiated what we hope is a permanent program—the Teen-Canteen. Under our direction, starting in September this group will use the House every Friday and Saturday evening as a Youth Headquarters. For this and any other type of non-profit meetings—organizations or individuals—there is, of course, no charge. The Community House belongs to everyone and you are urged to use it freely. We invite you to drop in any time, and particularly now, to meet our new House Director, Miss Faye Jasmann.

Your Support Is Appreciated--Thank You!

Signed
BOARD OF DIRECTORS
BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE ASSOC.

June 23th, 1945