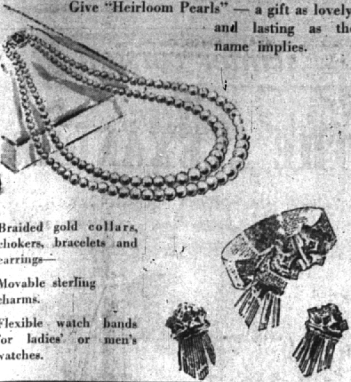


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Daubers Club To Visit Cranbrook

The Daubers Club, under the supervision of Mrs. Paul Schaefer, will visit the Cranbrook Museum of Art Saturday afternoon, December 14.

Other trips planned by this club during the holiday season will include a day at the Institute of Art in Detroit and a visit to the School of Arts and Crafts, also in Detroit. This class of high-school-age art students meets each Wednesday afternoon in Mrs. Schaefer's studio to continue their studies in oil painting.

Members of the Daubers Club include Carolyn Danek, Barbara Boyer, Joanne Shook, Kay Rosman, Hope Hayden and Joan Schaefer.

Former Localite's Troth Announced

At a cocktail party held Saturday in their home, Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Vinton of Lanedon, Holly, Mich., announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Lane, to Jack Burke Obenshain III, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Obenshain of Fenton, Mich.

The Vintons are former Birmingham residents.

The young couple are making plans for a spring wedding.

Have You Met . . .

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Spang, 1823 Webster street; The Spangs moved here from Detroit, and Mr. Spang is a research chemist for the Parke, Davis Co.

They're Tops in the 4th H



Five of the eight healthiest among the nation's 1,700,000 4-H Club members: Robert J. Hartkopf, 14, left; Appleton, Wis.; Mary Lou Jarecka, 18, Zachary, La.; Gordon Thompson, 17, Denham Springs, La.; Nancy Jean Davis, 17, Pittsburg, Okla.; Robert E. Berry, 15, Gage, Okla. They won their blue ribbon health titles at the 29th 4-H Congress in Chicago, during International Livestock Exposition.

Barnum Christmas Program Scheduled for December 19

By Eleanor Thomson

Annual Christmas program for the Barnum Junior High School will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 19, at 8:15 in the school auditorium.

The program will be under the direction of Loris McCormick, English instructor at Barnum, and Victor F. Ulrich, vocal instructor at Barnum and Baldwin.

This year for the first time, a Boys' Ensemble of seven boys soprano from the seventh grade will sing. They, along with the Girls' Glee Club of approximately 65 members, will present the cantata, "Why the Chimes Rang."

Rehearsal Outside School Hours

Miss McCormick has spent many hours interpreting the characters to those participating. All of her rehearsals were held before or after school, thus her contribution to the Christmas program is a great one when one realizes that it is given in the true Christmas spirit. She gives of her time and energy over and beyond her academic load.

The Gift Bearers are to be Marilyn Hart, Tom Maxwell, Jacqueline Block, Pat Miller, Dick White and the Glee Club.

The part of Haler is to be played by Edwin Matus, while Steven is presented by Bud DeLoris. An Old Woman will be impersonated by Margaret Ireland, and the Christmas tree is being enacted by Bill Power. The Angel will be portrayed by Sally Carrier.

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Bloomfield Flower Show and Tea in Holiday Trimmings

Guild Hall at Christ Church Cranbrook was decorated in the festive atmosphere for the flower show and tea given by the Bloomfield branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association.

A variety of Christmas dinner and snack tables were displayed.

An interesting study in green and white was used by Mrs. Robert Traube—Mexican in candelabra with white candles and white chrysanthemums. Green Italian china on a white cloth and white china grapes completed the table setting.

Mrs. Carl Huyette chose hand-some red antique glass on the silver and white place mats which had woven. Lovely silver and white French china perfected the effect with red berries and Christmas pine.

Yule Door Decorations

Mrs. Roswell Curtis centered her snack table with a giant red candle and skirts surrounded by winter greens.

The hunt snack table was done by Mrs. E. E. Green while Mrs. Alfred LaBelle showed how striking white chrysanthemums, candles and reindeer could be on a red linen table cloth.

Christmas door decorations and candle arrangements were numerous, as well as studies in green and white. These were done by Mrs. Donald James who used red carnations with scotch pine. Mrs. Frederick Weed placed white carnations and mums in an old white china sleigh.

Mrs. Earl Thompson, Mrs. W. D. Thompson, John E. Shaw, Lynn Craig, Joseph Hinshaw, E. Downing, Mrs. Richard English, Mrs. William Purvis, and Mrs. Carroll Boutell were among others displaying.

Acting as judges for the occasion were Mrs. Longyear Palmer of Griggs Pointe, Mrs. Clara Snow of Deedwood, and Mrs. Harold Kline and Mrs. Aaron Webster, both of Birmingham.

The tea table was laid with green and gold cloth, candelabra and snowdrops. A huge mirror surrounded by greens and Christmas tree ornaments was the centerpiece.

Porting tea were Mrs. Vernon Genn, Mrs. Leroy Vandever and Mrs. Lynn Craig, Jr.

During the tea, a special choir from Kingswood School sang Christmas music.

Methodist Women Elect New Officers; Assume Duties Jan. 1

The Women's Society of the First Methodist Church has elected new officers who will take over their duties Jan. 1.

The new president is Mrs. A. F. Gregory; vice-president, Mrs. M. H. Smiley; program vice-president, Mrs. J. D. Maynard; missionary vice-president, Mrs. William Dale; and vice-president of local church activity is Mrs. Charles Olin.

The new assistant vice-president of local church activity is Mrs. R. D. Lind; recording secretary, Mrs. J. R. Wilson; assistant recording secretary, Mrs. J. F. Heacock, secretary of girls' work.

Mrs. Harry McCarry of Paritan road, will open her home for the annual Christmas tea to take place Wednesday, Dec. 18, from 2 until 5 in the afternoon.

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Old Carols to be Sung

The old familiar carols to be used are "Silent Night," "Joy to the World," "I Came Upon a Midnight Clear," "O Come All Ye Faithful," and "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day."

Mr. Ulrich will give some interesting historical facts about the three unusual carols which the Girls' Glee Club will sing. They are "The Coventry Carol," "I Saw Three Ships," and "There Comes a Gally Sailing."

The Boys' Ensemble will sing "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen" and "O Holy Night."

Then the Girls' Ensemble will present "Whence Comes This Bunch of Wings" and "What Child Is This." Herbert Dedo will be accompanist.

Ulrich, like Miss McCormick, has spent a great deal of time working with every student who wished to participate.

In the November PTA panel, he said that in his fifteen years of teaching vocal music he had yet to find an interested child who refused to sing. Because of his attitude toward anyone who honestly wants to sing and tries, he has always had the hearty support of the parents as evidenced by the large turnout for the Christmas programs in past years.

Pythian Sisters Elect New Officers for 1947 and Plan Yule Party

At the Pythian Sisters' meeting held Dec. 3, the following officers were elected for 1947:

Past Chief is Mrs. Stella Edgar; Most Excellent Chief, Mrs. John Brown; Most Excellent Senior, Mrs. Joseph Madaras, and Most Excellent Junior, Mrs. Irene Gifford.

Manager is to be Mrs. Millard Estes; Mistress of Record and Correspondence, Mrs. James Olsen; Mistress of Finance, Mrs. Peter Smith, and Protector, Maxine Thompson.

Others are Guard, Dorothy Harris; Installing Officer, Mrs. Edwin Weaver; Degree Captain, Mrs. Hazel Lawler; Trustee, Mrs. John Simels; Grand Temple Delegate, Mrs. Grant Copling; alternate, Mrs. William Lindsay; and Mrs. Howard Wright will be delegate to the district convention as well as press correspondent.

On Dec. 17 the Pythian Sisters will hold their annual Christmas party, and at that time names of secret pals will be revealed. Also, each member will bring a low cost Christmas present. If guests are to be present, there should be gifts for each of them.

Mrs. M. G. Parks and her committee are in charge of the entertainment for the occasion.

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