

**Soroptimist Club's Officers Elected**

At the annual meeting of the Soroptimist Club held last Thursday evening, Marion Hawkins was elected president; Julia Egan, vice-president; Ruth Collins, recording secretary; Fannie Adams, corresponding secretary; K. H. Ruck, treasurer, and Kathleen Jones, regional representative.

The members will join the Birmingham Business Women's Club for their annual mother and daughter banquet to be held Wednesday evening, May 15.

**Rotary Anns Will Meet May 20 For Annual Elections**

The annual election of officers for Rotary Anns will be held at the home of Mrs. William Knight, 1420 West Lincoln avenue, on May 20.

The luncheon committee, with Mrs. Louis Hascall as chairman, will serve promptly at one o'clock. Assisting her will be Mrs. Harry Bissett, Mrs. Alfred LaBelle and Mrs. Carl Gladfelter.

A trip to the home of Mrs. Homer Leonard on Square Lake road will be the feature of the program for the day. Mrs. Leonard is the possessor of articles connected with several different hobbies and she will show these to the members of the group.

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**WAYNE'S SPRING FESTIVAL**  
Five musical organizations at Wayne University will combine their talents to present the annual Spring Choral Festival Sunday, May 19, at Casa Technical High school, at 3:10 p. m. The University Chorus, Cappella Choir, Symphony Orchestra, and the Women's and Men's Vocal Ensembles will feature compositions ranging from Bach to American moderns.

**Stabler Stresses Need For Parents To Guide Children**

Dr. W. Brooks Stabler, headmaster for Cranbrook School for Boys, gave an interesting address on "Religion and Education" at the Pierce School Parent-Teacher Association's meeting Thursday evening, May 9.

Dr. Stabler said he is often asked in his travels whether children today are better or worse than children of the past generations. He said he feels that there is no real answer to this question as basically the problems are the same, but that children today are facing new and more complex problems.

"Confusion in this post war world, futility, hopelessness and despair are overemphasized to our youth today," said Dr. Stabler. He further stated that "another thing about these children is the fact that they are surprisingly like their elders." He stressed the fact that one thing certain, is that children need the guidance of parents, teachers and clergy in these days of confusion, and that no school can do a good job unless parents and teachers work together.

Dr. Stabler told his audience that "religion is the priceless ingredient in molding the lives of our youth today. No country has gone in so deeply and broadly for education as has America. Education is a light to illumine all mankind and can be the light that failed unless linked up with the high principles of religion."

"Home is the basic unit of civilization but it is amazing that there are so many homes where parents give everything but themselves to their children."

"The best schools in the world cannot give the moral and other training which should be given in the home," he said. "Another thing not turned over to the schools entirely but must be created in the home."

"It is a great opportunity at this present time to realize and feel something more is needed at home. Parents and clergy must instill in young people the idea of usefulness and teach not only how to make a living but how to live."

**It's the Brown-out**



By the light of a kerosene lantern, Mrs. V. J. Senninger tries on a pair of shoes in a Chicago store. To conserve coal during the miners' strike, Chicago has introduced power conservation methods even more stringent than in wartime.

**Women's Union Has Monthly Meeting**

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Union of the First Baptist church was held Thursday, May 9, beginning with its White Cross work at 12:30 a. m.

Hastenings for the one o'clock luncheon were Mrs. N. H. Moysey, Mrs. Virgil L. Lockrow, Mrs. Raymond H. Morrow, Mrs. O. D. Hillman and Mrs. Samuel H. Knowlton.

The subject of the program for the day, which took the form of a playlet, was "Our Stewardship and Challenge of Home Missions" under the theme of "The Spirit Kindles the Flame of Brotherhood."

Mrs. Melvyn W. Crump and Mrs. O. D. Hillman represented Christian stewards, in the field of missions, and were assisted by Mrs. George A. Jackson, Mrs. Wayne D. Brenket, Mrs. E. H. Peck, Mrs. James Olsen and Mrs. Orman Davidson.

A solo by Mrs. Virgil L. Lockrow, and a vocal duet by Mrs. Rudy Schetting and Mrs. Warren Schetting, with Mrs. Stewart Smith at the piano, preceded the business meeting, which was conducted by the president, Mrs. O. D. Hillman.

Mrs. Peter M. Mackay led the closing devotions, accompanying the bringing of love gifts, in furtherance of the greatly enlarged missionary program of Baptists throughout the world.

**Several Local Clubs Assist Cancer Drive**

The American Cancer Society Drive was aided this week by various local club groups. Checks were received from the Philemon Club, the Pythian Club, and the Birmingham Woman's Club.

The Alumnae Club of Alpha Chi Omega, with Mrs. H. P. Halladay as chairman, collected over \$200. The workers on this team were Mrs. C. V. Crockett, Miss Marjorie Unger, Mrs. Walter Power, Mrs. Theodore Albrecht, Mrs. Robert Nelson, Mrs. Thomas Richie and Mrs. Nelson Glenn.

**Have You Met . . .**

Have you met Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hendrickson, 476 Catalpa drive, who moved here from Detroit in February? Mr. Hendrickson is general manager of the Ellis and Ford Manufacturing company, 148 South Woodward avenue. They have three children, Kathleen, 11, Danny, 9, and Robert, 2. Kathleen and Danny are students at Pierce school.

**More Parties Honor Jeannine Colgrove, June 1 Bride-Elect**

Additional events honoring bride-elect Jeannine Compton Colgrove have been made known. Ginger will share honors with another bride-to-be, Elizabeth Mary Hamilton, this week. Mrs. Ingersoll Lewis will be the hostess today at a luncheon in her Gross Pointe Farms home and on Tuesday, May 21, Ginger and E-M will be feted with a luncheon by Mrs. Jerome H. Remick, Jr., of Gross Pointe.

Mrs. Fred Serin gave a tea and sewing shower for Ginger this past Saturday at her home on Linden road.

Jeannine, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Colgrove of Furman road, and John Garry of Eastways Farm on Square Lake road and the late Mr. Palms, will be married at noon on Saturday, June 1, at St. Hugo of the Hills.

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**Irene Richards To Wed Saturday**

Irene Hayman Richards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Post Richards of Madison avenue, has named this Saturday, May 19, as the date of her marriage to James Kennedy Gilliam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benson Gilliam of Lakewood, Ohio.

The double ring ceremony will take place at three o'clock in the afternoon at the Mary Martha chapel in Dearborn. Dr. Charles Tupper Baillie of the First Presbyterian church in South Bend, Ind., will read the service.

Carl F. Hein, of Madison, Wis., will act as best man and the guests will be seated by the bride's brother, Wilson Post Richards, and Robert Quick of Cleveland, Ohio.

A reception will be held at Dearborn immediately following the ceremony.

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**Plant Sale Will Open Twenty-Third Annual Pet Parade and Fair**

Under the guidance of Mrs. Wm Jackson and her steering committee, comprised of Mrs. Sydney Patterson, Mrs. Orren Andrews, Mrs. L. N. Baker, Deaconess Olive Robinson and the Rev. Harold Towne, plans for the twentieth annual Pet Parade and Fair, May 25, have been completed and committees are at work on their various projects.

Forerunner of the fair will be the sale of annual vegetable and flower plants, which will start May 22 at the Church grounds, and continue through May 25.

Twelve regular prizes for the most outstanding entries in the pet parade and a special "second generation" prize will be awarded this year.

A handsome silver cup will bear the name of the winner of the races, which are to be staged immediately after the parade, and favors for every child in the parade have been arranged for by the chairman, Mrs. Lawton Taber.

**Community House Calendar**

- Thursday, May 16**
  - 9:30 to 9:50 p.m. Ranch Room.
  - 6:00 p.m. Family Dinner.
  - 8:00 p.m. Speech Class?
  - 8:00 p.m. 19-30 Group.
  - 8:00 p.m. A.A.U.W. Theatre Practice.
- Friday, May 17**
  - 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Ranch Room.
  - 6:30 p.m. Missionary Youth Fellowship Dinner.
  - 7:30 to 12:30 p.m. Ranch Room.
  - 10:00 a.m. A.A.U.W. Theatre.
  - 2:00 p.m. A.A.U.W. Theatre.
  - 7:30 to 12:30 p.m. Ranch Room.
  - 9:30 p.m. D.B.S. Dance.
- Monday, May 20**
  - 10:30 a.m. League of Women Voters.
  - 12:00 noon Rotary Club Luncheon.
  - 1:00 p.m. League of Women Voters.
  - 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Ranch Room.
  - 6:30 p.m. Hi-12 Club Dinner.
  - 8:00 p.m. V.F.W.
  - 8:00 p.m. V.F.W. Auxiliary.
- Tuesday, May 21**
  - 10:00 a.m. International Relations.
  - 12:00 noon Exchange Club Luncheon.
  - 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Ranch Room.
  - 7:15 p.m. Wing Scouts.
  - 7:15 p.m. Junior Class Dinner.
  - 8:00 p.m. 19-30 Group.
  - 8:00 p.m. Pythian Sisters.
- Wednesday, May 22**
  - 12:00 noon Lions Club Luncheon.
  - 2:30 p.m. Seaver Banquet.
  - 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Ranch Room.
  - 7:00 p.m. Beverly Hills Association Dinner.
  - 8:00 p.m. Sea Scouts.
  - 8:00 p.m. Rebekahs.
- Thursday, May 23**
  - 10:00 a.m. Planned Parenthood Board.
  - 10:00 a.m. Red Cross Sewing.

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