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**Soroptimist Club To Meet August 19**

Members of the Soroptimist Club of Birmingham will meet August 19 at the Hess Wright Home Service Center at 2414 Woodward avenue, Pleasant Ridge, to plan the club's activities for the coming year. The president, Mrs. Wright, will be in charge.

Committees for the coming year are:

Program, Marion Hawkins; Irene Hanley, Doris Thompson; social, Vida Cammarero, Helen Hawthorne; membership, Belle Hannegan, Kathleen Jones, Edna Burnes and Eloise Wooster; Extension, Ruth Collins, Grace Glassford, Dorothy Berr, Mary Dewey, Laura Schroeder; publicity, Grace Glassford; sunshine, Julia Kogin, Winifred Bailey; parliamentary, Gertrude Arnold; and guest book, Bessie Kirby.

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**"Night Must Fall" To Be Given Here By Vesper Players**

Detroit's Vesper Players will present Emlyn Williams' immortal mystery, "Night Must Fall," Friday and Saturday, August 15 and 16, in the Greek Theatre at Cranbrook. David Farlow, well-known Michigan actor-director for stage and radio, is the producer with Owen Jagolis as director. Mr. Jagolis has won fame in the Pasadena Playhouse, Warner Bros. and the Wake Forest College Dramatic School.

Kitty Little, formerly of the Abbey Players from Dublin, Ireland, will play the lead role, that of an elderly invalid. The role of "Dan" will be played by Lew Wood, who was once associated with the Pasadena Playhouse.

The action of the play centers around the Bramson household, Mrs. Bramson (Kitty Little), and a series of murders. The setting is English and brings to the stage a background of mystery and suspense.

The cast of 12, all residents of Detroit and vicinity, includes several names well known in the theatrical world. William Heidel, formerly of Will-O-Way, is the stage manager.

The Vesper Players will be remembered for their fine presentation at the Greek Theatre last August of "For the Time Being," a play which won them national recognition in "Billboard."

**Mighty Tough Competition**



Contestants in the "Miss America" contest at Atlantic City, N. J., may have tough going against Pepper Donna, "Miss Miami Beach of 1947." She makes a mighty alluring picture in the surf.

**Marlyn Cook Takes Part In Haywood-Hefflin Film**

By Alice Morgan

The road to motion picture careers takes some strange turns. There are those who haunt the movie capitals for years, and never appear before a camera, and there are those who just happen to stumble into the limelight with no pre-arranged planning at all.

The latter is the case of little seven-year-old Marlyn, an Elmer daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone Cook of Bates street. Mr. Cook, a native of Asheville, N. C., had taken his family to his old home where they were the guests of his two brothers, Police Capt. Brock Cook and Leonard Cook.

At the time the cast of "Top Roots," starring Susan Hayward and Van Heflin, was on location there, Capt. Cook, as a member of the film company, was aware of the fact that the company was in his city through the additional work thrown upon any group of law officers when a large number of famous and fabulous people gather.

**Use Brother's Horses**

His brother had negotiated with the company and a number of the scenes were being shot on his farm, using some of his horses. Through these contacts little Marlyn made her motion picture debut.

The picture is laid in the days of the pioneer south, during the Civil War. Some of the scenes were shot high in the North Carolina mountains, where even a car could not go. Marlyn appeared in several scenes, working intermittently through her two weeks in the south.

She was asked to wear a dress that would resemble the homemade material of that day, and appears in plaid throughout her several scenes. In one, she is riding one of the pioneer wagons, sitting beside a huge old-fashioned spinning wheel.

**Take a Spill**

She has always had the average youngster's delight in seeing the movies, and was more than thrilled to take an active part in one. For

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**Social Briefs**

Mr. and Mrs. William Cushing and daughter Susan, of Houston, Tex., arrived in Birmingham last Wednesday where they are visiting their parents, MR. and MRS. W. T. CUSHING and MR. and MRS. R. F. REITZER. They will leave soon for their home in Caspar, Wyo. Mrs. Cushing's mother, Mrs. R. A. Tisdale, who has been visiting here for several weeks, left Tuesday for her home in Ottumwa, Iowa.

MRS. H. F. KLEIN entertained at a luncheon last Monday for her mother, Mrs. Charles F. Harris of Belvidere, Ill. Other guests included Mrs. W. Cushing, Mrs. F. A. Tisdale, Mrs. William L. Graham and her mother, Mrs. Charles Bathrick; Mrs. Whiting Raymond, Mrs. Albert Clark and her mother, Mrs. Clyde A. Hagerman.

BERT UHELE, III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Uhele of Yarmouth road, celebrated his seventh birthday Wednesday. He entertained a group of boys at lunch and swimming at Oakland Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Huntington of Akron, Ohio, former Birmingham residents, spent the weekend with MR. and MRS. Ralph SHIELDS at their home on Waddington road. They were guests of honor at a small dinner party given Saturday evening at the Shields' home.

ESTHER and LUCY PURDY of Frank street spent Saturday with Mrs. Emma Harmon and daughter, Lucille, at Redford.

MR. and MRS. DONALD S. BELL spent the weekend at Crystal Lake and Glen Lake. They also visited their daughter, Kitty, at Camp Crystallaire.

MR. and MRS. Paul B. HOFFMAN will entertain at a buffet supper Friday evening at their home on Buford street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Schirmer, who are celebrating their tenth wedding anniversary. Invited guests will wear appropriate costumes, with tin decorations.

Miss Jody Woodbury has returned to her home in Kansas City, Mo., after visiting NANCY SANDERS, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. FRED SANDERS of Epping lane. The two young ladies are classmates at Bradford Junior College, Gene Mosher, of Titusville, Pa., classmate of JACK SANDERS at Amherst college, has also been a house guest.

MRS. DONALD S. BELL will entertain at luncheon and bridge next Friday afternoon at the Bell farm near Twelve Mile road.

MRS. C. C. RICHARD entertained at a tea last Wednesday in honor of her daughter-in-law who with her husband, Robert Richard, is visiting here from Kershaw, S. C. Mrs. Walter Fry, Sr., Mrs. Edward Brehm and Mrs. Jules deBeaubien were assisting hostesses.

**Have You Met . . .**

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hopkins and their three children who have come from Washington, D. C., to make their home at 1670 Northlawn road? Mr. Hopkins is in the management and sales department of the Ford Motor Co.

The James Spencer family, now living at 822 Shirley drive? Mr. and Mrs. Spencer have three children, two attending school. He is an attorney, associated with Dykema, Wheat and Jones.

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**Garden Club Plans No State Fair Entry**

Mrs. Lewis C. Dibble, president of the Birmingham branch of the Women's National Fair and Garden club, announced Monday that little activity is expected from the local club in the State Fair show to be held this year.

"The announcements of classifications, etc., were not received by the club in time for plans to be made," she explained.

The State Fair will be held from Aug. 29 through Sept. 7, with entries for the flower show closing on Aug. 15. There are two sections for professional and semi-professional florists, two for amateurs, and one special section, a display of cut flowers using as its theme, "World Peace."

Individuals wishing to enter may receive full information through Clarence S. Faunce of Hav-A-Look Gardens, Fowlerville, who has been named superintendent of the show. His assistant will be Gerald Thatcher.

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