

Two League Members Attend Conference in Cleveland, Ohio

Mrs. Corvett Robertson and Mrs. Howard Liverance attended a conference of the League of Women Voters on Dec. 2 and 3. The meeting was held in Cleveland and was one of the 13 regional conferences in which League leaders discuss Federal taxes and expenditures as they relate to national economy. The local delegates will hold a similar meeting here.

A new pamphlet called "The Forty-Billion Dollar Question" and a recent film strip titled

"Uncle Sam's Budget" will be used at the January meeting of the local league on the subject.

"The League has become increasingly concerned about the economy of the United States," Mrs. Robertson said. "We are convinced that problems of inflation and the high cost of living cannot be remedied by a few isolated measures. The 1948 national convention decided to embark on a more basic approach to such problems and accordingly voted to work on an analysis of Federal taxes and expenditures in order to understand and support such fiscal policies as make for a stable domestic economy."

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Miss Barbara Heym to Marry on Jan. 29

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Heym of Buckingham road recently revealed the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Ruth to Maynard Frederick Outwater, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Olney Outwater of Ann Arbor at a buffet supper in their home.

Miss Heym was graduated from the University of Michigan where she was affiliated with Delta Delta Delta sorority. Her fiancé is a senior at the University.

The couple is planning a January 29 wedding.

Issue Girl Scout Stamps



The first local sale of the Juliette Gordon Low Girl Scout stamp was made recently in the Birmingham Post Office. This is a commemorative stamp honoring the founding of the Girl Scouts by Juliette Low. Shown left to right making the first purchase are troop leader Mrs. Carl Rice; Brownie Ann Reinhardt, first class Scout, Patty Jackson and acting postmaster, Bernard Fowler.

GIRL SCOUTS

Cookies Brigade

The citizens of Birmingham passing Campbell's Village Store last Thursday were wide-eyed with wonder at the display with which a Girl Scout cookie brigade was unloading a large truck.

When Mrs. Raymond Bower, finance chairman of the Birmingham Girl Scout Council, received word that the long awaited cookies had arrived in town and must be unloaded and carried to the basement of the Village Store, she realized that a group of volunteers must be rounded up in short order.

A few telephone calls did the job, and within forty minutes 12 adult Scout leaders and board members had unloaded and carried to the basement storage room 376 cartons containing 3000 boxes of Girl Scout cookies.

As the cartons were passed from hand to hand down the basement stairs, Campbell caught the strains of "They float through the air with the greatest of ease, these tasty, delicious Girl Scout cookies." Not one carton was dropped, not one cookie smushed, but ever-soonful Girl Scout leader that she is, one volunteer mentioned several recipes using cookies, crumb.

Those adult Girl Scout workers who responded to Mrs. Bower's plea for help on ten minutes notice were: Mrs. R. W. Bell, president of Birmingham Girl Scouts, Mrs. Cassius Miller, Mrs. Wm. Milligan, Mrs. Frank Hardy, Mrs. Wm. Jackson, Mrs. James Abbott, Mrs. Wm. DeBaubien, Mrs. Freda Prince, Mrs. T. A. Lewis, Mrs. J. Matousek, Mrs. Harold Chalk.

Troop 23 Holds Tea

Four new girls were invested in Troop 23, Vaughn school last Monday at a special ceremony. They were Marilyn MacKenzie, Virginia Dowling, Deborah Walsh, and Priscilla Andrews. A tea and dramatic performance for the mothers of troop members was also held at the same time.

The plays presented were Rose Red and Snow White, and Rumpelstiltskin. Troop leaders Mrs. Fred Prince and Mrs. J. D. Pound state that the entire production of the plays was done by the Scouts, from arranging the lines to securing costumes and props.

Quarton Students to Present Play

A Christmas program under the direction of Miss Johnston will be given Friday evening, Dec. 17, at 8:00 p.m. in the Quarton school gymnasium.

"Why the Chimes Rang" a play to be presented by students of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades and also the school play club.

Character leads will be taken by Pete Kask, Trudy McKewen, Eddie Glerok, Edwin Mulock, Sally Kelly, Stanley Thompson, Pat Marshall, Tom Schad, Frank Hising, Nickie Colbert, Beverly Ford and Susan McCombe.

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SOCIAL NEWS IN BRIEF

A pre-holiday open house on Sunday, Dec. 13 is being planned by Mrs. and Mrs. Chad M. Ritchie of Puritan road.

Saturday evening, Dr. J. E. Hausberger of Northlawn avenue, was host to a group of his friends at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earle of 14 Mile road will entertain at a cocktail party before the Winter Club dinner dance at the Bloomfield Open Hunt Club on Dec. 18.

On Dec. 17, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Davis and their daughter and son, Theodora and Dwight of University Row, Bloomfield Hills, plan to go south to visit Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. George Reynolds at Fort Lauderdale, Fla. They will stop by at Duke University to pick up their other son, Hubert, Jr., on their way down.

Dr. Maria Telkes, a faculty member of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology was the guest of honor at a midnight party last Friday hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cain in their Penn-dale home.

Miss Joan Sappington is expected to arrive home on Dec. 18 from New Haven, Conn., to spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Sappington of Arlington drive.

Mrs. W. S. Gilbreath, Jr., of Puritan road recently returned from Sacramento, Calif., where she was visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skinner. She also saw Mr. and Mrs. Jules Agramonte, former Birmingham residents, in Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Doss of Shirley drive entertained at dinner in the Detroit Athletic Club on Tuesday and then took their guests to the Coast Theatre.

The Misses Lois Jean and Arlayne Brown, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson C. Brown of Floyd street are expected home from Michigan State College for the holidays next week.

Mrs. W. Laurance Shaffner will entertain a group of other Birmingham friends at a luncheon in her Greenwood avenue home this Friday.

After a visit in Chicago with Mrs. Michael Cary, and Mrs. Charles E. Carey of Lahser road are back in Birmingham.

Final arrangements for the St. Cecilia Guild's Christmas gift party were made last Monday evening. Mrs. Gilbert Goods opened her Webster street home for the committee meeting.

Mrs. Ralph Skinner, president of the Detroit Society of Women Painters and Sculptors was hostess at a buffet supper in her Lovell court home last Friday. A Christmas program was presented during the evening.

Tuesday, Mrs. Joseph Hinshaw entertained her fellow members of the Birmingham Society of Women Painters at a buffet luncheon in her Pon Valley road home.

A Christmas party for the women of Oakland Hills Country Club will be held on Dec. 16 at 12:00 noon. Mrs. Clarence Kramer and Mrs. Blair D. Burleigh are co-chairmen. Mrs. Damon S. Gail is social chairman. Among those planning to attend are Mrs. N. E. Welsh, Mrs. W. H. Cartwright, Mrs. H. E. Stillman, Mrs. Gould Allen, Mrs. John C. Palmer, Mrs. A. M. Wibel and Mrs. E. S. Waugh.

On Dec. 11, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Manley will entertain at a dinner party in their West Long Lake road home.

Celebrating the 10th anniversary of the building of their Northlawn drive home, Mr. and Mrs. Winston T. Kellogg held an open house Saturday evening.

Frederick C. Baker has gone to his new base at San Diego, Calif., after spending his 30 day leave with his mother, Mrs. Grace Baker of Ruffner street. He started his boot training at Great Lakes in January and after a 10 day leave in April, went to Memphis, Tenn., where he attended school for six months. An airman 1/c, he graduated from Baldwin high school in 1947.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hyde of Bronxville, N. Y., were the weekend guests of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Gillette of Colby lane. Mr. Hyde left the early part of the week and Mrs. Hyde is leaving for home today.

Mrs. Thomas A. Nalle opened her Willow Lane home yesterday for the regular monthly meeting of the Oakland County Junior League.

Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Breech of Bingham entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weckler, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. William F. Thomas, Jr. at dinner in their home.

Thursday evening, Mr. and Mrs. W. Carleton Scott entertained a group of their friends in their Red Maple lane home following the Exchange Club presentation of "Fun for You."

Miss Mary Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Gardner of Arvon road is expected to arrive home next Monday. She has been singing the lead in "High Button Shoes" in Chicago this past week and previously was understudy to the female lead.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morgan of Ann Arbor and football fans from Flint, Milan and Grand Rapids will be among those attending the large Michigan party on Dec. 18 at the Coast Theatre.

which Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Ruhl of Puritan road are planning. They will show official movies of the Minnesota and Ohio, State-Michigan football games.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wells of Kadoka, S. D., will arrive on Dec. 20 for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William James of North Adams road. Mrs. James' brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Ramsay of New York City are also expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester L. Colbert are planning a pre-holiday cocktail party on Dec. 12 in their Puritan road home.

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