

Friends and Neighbors Honor Mrs. Potter on Her Birthday

Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Weisner of Lake Geneva, Wis., were the Christmas holiday weekend houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford of Chapin street.

Mr. and Mrs. Marc J. Parsons of Pierce street were hosts to a group of friends at an open house this past Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Carson of Grand Rapids, Mich., are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carson of Chesterfield road this week.

Malcolm Pennington is home from Cornell and is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pennington at the Rotunda Inn on Pitts Lake drive.

Mr. Charles Larabee of California was the Christmas holiday weekend houseguest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Cunningham of Bradley lane, Susan Cunningham is home from Yassar for the holidays.

Preceding the Cranbrook-Kingswood annual dance at the Stabler tomorrow evening, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Booth of Cranbrook road entertained a few friends at dinner in the Detroit Club.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sadler of Green Tree road spent Christmas Day with his mother, Mrs. Herbert Sadler in Ann-Arbor, Mich.

On Christmas Day, Mrs. Clyde Ustiek of North Woodward avenue and her daughter, Marguerite entertained their friends at an evening party in their home.

News copy submitted early necessarily is given preference over late items. The "early bird" usually gets the space.

Spencer Potter and Mr. and Mrs. W. Norman Potter and daughter, Patricia, were among those present. Greetings were sent to the honoree by another daughter, Mrs. Ruth Wentz, formerly of Birmingham, now of Long Beach, Calif. Mrs. Stites was assisted during the afternoon by Mrs. Webster Scheifele, Mrs. Harold Cornell, Mrs. Glen Lindstruth, Mrs. Eleanor Gaffill and Mrs. Herbert Fisher who presided at the tea table and punch bowl. (A Joe Wheeler Photo)

Season's Greetings BIRMINGHAM... ALAN LADD DONNA REED "Chicago Deadline" JUNE HAVOC IRENE HERVEY ARTHUR KENNEDY

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A group of approximately 100 friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stites on South Bates street Saturday to celebrate the 85th birthday of Mrs. Gertrude Potter, an old-time resident of Birmingham who lives with her daughter, Helen, at 740 Ann...

LEND AN EAR By MADELEINE BRODIE SOME NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

Since the old year is ebbing, and the season for New Year's resolutions is fast upon us, there are just a few dos and don'ts concerning music that you can add to the rest of your resolutions.

If you want to understand music—listen to it—and keep on listening to it until the standard works of Beethoven, Brahms, Mozart, Schumann, Mendelssohn and Schubert are under your feet—then tackle the moderns.

If you want to get some background on the history of music or the lives of composers, get a few books on the subject—it all adds to your understanding—and you'll find music is not the mysterious and occult art you believed it to be.

But keep in mind that a person who knows nothing about the technique and history of music can still enjoy listening to it. For music is not a matter of technical appreciation—it is a matter of enjoyment.

I'll Take Vanilla If you like Tchaikovsky, don't be afraid to say it. It's amusing to hear people say they don't like Tchaikovsky, that they prefer the Three B's: Bach, Beethoven and Brahms...

Club Notes Panhellenic The winter meeting of the Birmingham Panhellenic group will be held on Tuesday, Jan. 3 at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Thomas H. Adams, 744 Furman road.

Betrothal Revealed LATHRUP VILLAGE—On their 24th wedding anniversary Christmas Day Mr. and Mrs. John A. Sheppard of Huntington Woods announced the engagement of their daughter, Sylvia Ann to Robert E. Mitchell at a cocktail party in their home.

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Ruth I. Church Is Wed Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. L. Bayne Stanton of Birmingham, Ala., announced a small reception Monday the betrothal of their daughter, Joan to George Butler Storer, Jr. The son of Mrs. Percy Storer of Furlan road and George B. Storer of Blossfield Hills and Miami Beach.

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