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### Present Day Club Celebrates 25th Anniversary

Mrs. Arthur Kane and Mrs. S. Forman Wilson poured at a table decorated in a green and white motif and centered by a tiered birthday cake and tall candelabra at the 25th birthday celebration Tuesday of the Present Day Club.

Mrs. B. R. Ogden, the only charter member now active in the club, cut the celebration cake. Hostesses for the affair which was held at the Embury Methodist Church parlor were Mrs. Ogden, Mrs. Isaac Kidd and Mrs. H. B. Barrett.

### Pythian Sisters to Meet This Saturday

Pythian Sisters Temple 94 will entertain the grand chief of Michigan, Pearl Kring of Pontiac at a special meeting Saturday evening in the Community House.

At this time there will be two candidates for initiation and hostesses for refreshments which will be served following the meeting are Mrs. Stella Edgar, Mrs. Patrick Tobin, Mrs. Frederick Kemp, Mrs. Victor Kirby, Mrs. Roy Le-willager, Edith Capling and Dorothy Harris.

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### George Shepherd League Speaker

Dr. George W. Shepherd, who has spent 20 years in China during the heyday of the national government and who was an advisor to General and Madame Chiang Kai-Shek while they were the country's popular rulers, will address the League of Women Voters at their annual meeting Monday afternoon, March 21 in the Community House. His subject will be "Uphoals in Asia That Affect Us."

Having been closely associated with many leaders of modern China including quite a few who are now prominent in the communist occupation, Dr. Shepherd has observed the forces and personalities which make the sum total of China's strength and weakness. His observations refer to world conditions as he has traveled widely and lectured in both America and Great Britain.

He will give the League members an insight into the history of China's long struggle and explain the political, social and economic upheavals which are shaking Asia's foundations.

Dr. Shepherd was educated at the University of Michigan and the Harvard Divinity School. He is at present minister of the Highland Park Congregational Church.

Preceding Dr. Shepherd's address, the annual luncheon will be held at 1:30 p.m. Reservations should be made with Mrs. William Howell who is in charge of arrangements.

The morning session which begins at 10:30 is to be the annual business meeting. At this time election of officers will be held, the annual reports of various chairmen given and the local project and budget determined.

### AAUW Author



Mrs. Walter Patton

Mrs. Walter Patton has written the original play, "Topsy-Turvy Land" which is to be produced and presented by the Children's Theatre group of the AAUW on Tuesday, April 19 in the Birmingham Theatre.

The three-act play which is complete with music and dancing, revolves around fairy-tale characters from Mother Goose who decide they do not wish to be themselves.

Leader of the Creative Writer's group, another activity sponsored by the AAUW, Mrs. Patton writes essays, poetry and short stories for her own pleasure. While at the University of Michigan, she wrote the junior girls' play "Forward March". Her hobbies are golf and swimming.

### GIRL SCOUTS

#### Troop 2

Troop 2 at Adams school was one of the 61,737 Girl Scout troops in this country which celebrated the 37th birthday of Girl Scouting by a Scout-sized birthday party last Monday. Mrs. William Milligan spoke to the girls on "What Girl Scouting Means to Me." Ice cream and green frosted individual birthday cakes were served.

Francesa Coody has been welcomed into Troop 2. Frances was a Brownie Scout at Walnut Lake and more recently was a Girl Scout in Caro, Mich. New officers recently elected by Troop 2 are: Gail McKinley, president; Roberta Burns, secretary; Barbara Shinnick, treasurer; Karen Hull, hostess; Patrol leaders are Janet White, Kitten James and Judy Dillon.

#### Troop 4

A mothers club has been formed by the mothers of Girl Scouts in Troop 4 at Quanton school. They meet once a month and discuss what is going on in the troop and plan how they may help with the Scout program. Two or three mothers come to the weekly Scout meeting at the school. Troop leader Mrs. Paul McDonald and assistant leader Mrs. Gardner Allen are enthusiastic over this newly organized mothers club and anticipate a highly successful term for it.

Scout With Symphony  
Girl Scout Jeanette White, Rapid City, S.D., is a Scout who is really up on her music. She was one of the three ten-agers on "Weekend with Music", the special intermission feature of the New York Philharmonic broadcast on Sunday, March 13.

#### Camp Dates

When plans for summer vacation are being considered by your family, remember these dates for your Brownie and Girl Scout aged daughters: Day camp at Springdale Park Girl Scout cabin will be held July 5-9 for Intermediates and July 11-16 for Brownies. Mrs. Frank Hardy will be camp director.

### Mary Jane Pawley Engaged to Marry Arthur G. Neff

Word has been received from Madras, India, of the engagement of Miss Mary Jane Pawley to Arthur G. Neff, the son of Mrs. Joseph deBruyn of Knox street. Miss Pawley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pawley of New York and Bangalore, India.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Redondo Beach high school in California and attended Mt. Vernon Junior College in Washington, D. C., and the University of Geneva, Switzerland. Her dance was graduated from Cranbrook School, Michigan and Harvard University. Since the close of the war during which he served in the South Pacific and Japan, he has been with an American firm in Madras.

The couple is planning an October wedding to take place in Washington, D.C., when the bridegroom-to-be will be home on leave. After Christmas, they will make their home in Bombay.

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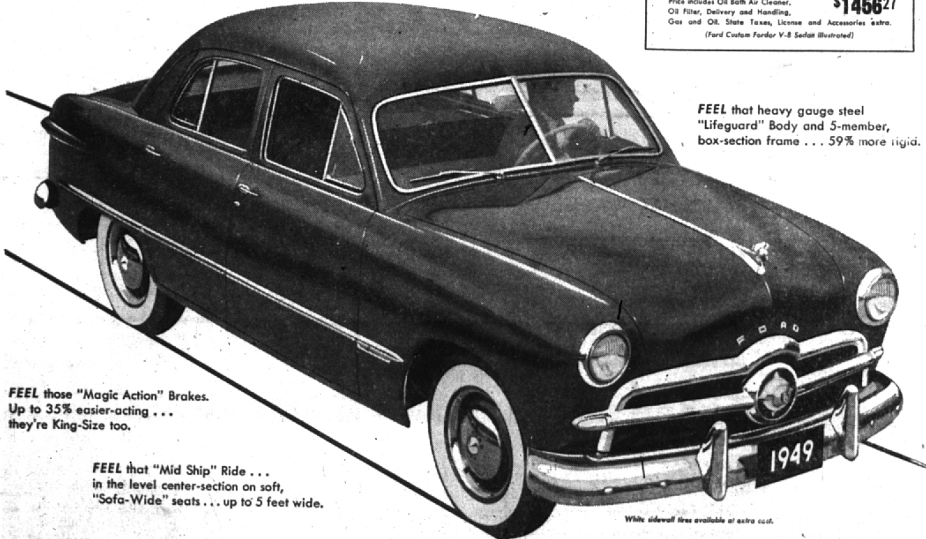
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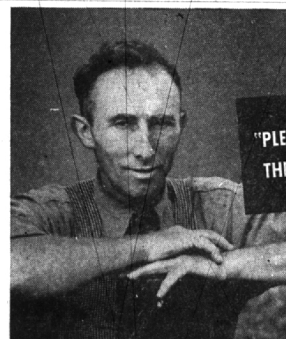
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