

Adams Pupils Complete Audio-Visual Examinations; Room Mothers Named

All Adams school children have now completed the audio-visual examinations which are given each year, under the direction of Miss Frances Curtin, school nurse and Mrs. Harriet Kopp, speech correctionist.

During the two-weeks time required to run these tests, many mothers volunteered their time to assist in the program. Mrs. Ross J. Kittle was appointed by the PTA service committee under the direction of Mrs. T. L. Woodworth, to take charge of the parent participation. Assisting Mrs. Kittle were Mrs. Raleigh Hoover, Mrs. Emil Johnson, Mrs. J. Llewellyn Oakley, Mrs. Paul Reed, Mrs. Arnold Freda, Mrs. Harold Chalk, Mrs. Elmer Beers, Mrs. J. Hector Nimmo, Mrs. Robert Dudley, Mrs. Harvey Greene and Mrs. F. Stinson.

Selection of room mothers for the current year have been announced by Mrs. Stanley Harrison of the PTA, and include: kindergarten, Mrs. Russell Martin, Mrs. Everett Walsh, Mrs. Charles Sitta, Mrs. Charles Davison, Mrs. Edmond Primas and Mrs. Harold Heym.

First Grade
First grade: Mrs. Donald Dahl, Mrs. Paul Carter, Mrs. Grove DuVal, Mrs. Howard McDonald, Mrs. Jack LaVan, Mrs. Robert McKee, Mrs. Melvin Dault and Mrs. J. H. Nimmo. Second grade: Mrs. Robert Bany, Mrs. Fred Anderson, Mrs. Charles Burgess, Mrs. Charles McKinley, Mrs. Thomas Ward, Mrs. Robert Von Mauer.

Third grade: Mrs. Ross Warner, Mrs. A. E. Kimberly, Mrs. Milton Thomas, Mrs. Robert Innes, Mrs. E. I. Bramblatt, Mrs. Roland Reese. Fourth grade: Mrs. J. H. Weldy, Mrs. Allen Parish, Mrs. William Kegel, Mrs. Maurice Germaine. Combination fourth and

fifth grade: Mrs. George Hoke and Mrs. Thomas Schwarz.

Fifth grade: Mrs. James Cox, Mrs. Charles Holdsworth, Mrs. Henry Sellers, Mrs. Robert Silbar. Sixth grade: Mrs. James Bingham, Mrs. Robert H. B. Stubbs, Mrs. L. M. Oakley, Mrs. H. B. Stubbs.

These mothers will notify parents of PTA meetings, assist teachers in every possible way and act as chairmen of various booths at the Adams Frolic.

They have also expressed a desire to assist in the lunch program at Adams in order to free more teachers during the noon hour.

Entertain Mothers of Quarten Pupils

Mrs. F. S. Lyndall, 424 Wellensley drive opened her home for a breakfast recently for Quarten PTA mothers of Mrs. Levin's second grade. Mrs. J. Cook assisted the hostess.

The series which the PTA is sponsoring to give mothers of Quarten students an opportunity to become better acquainted was continued when Mrs. William F. McNaughton, 248 Pilgrim, assisted by Mrs. Hammond gave a tea for mothers of Mrs. Howitt's second grade students. Mrs. Martin Archangel of Midland avenue was hostess at a tea for mothers of students in Mrs. McGookey's fourth grade and Mrs. Tom McDonnell of Larchlea drive entertained for Mrs. Linastrou's fourth grade. Mrs. J. Spencer and Mrs. Davison assisted the hostess.

Miss Brown's morning kindergarten class mothers were guests at a breakfast Tuesday at the Oak street home of Mrs. F. Chalmers Smith. Mrs. Lawrence Falvey is the room mother and Mrs. Guy Watson and Mrs. Andrew Howland served as co-hostesses. Mrs. H. Ben Ruhl of Puritan road entertained mothers of Miss Brown's kindergarten class at a tea Oct. 11. Mrs. Jamie Martin of Tilbury road is the room mother.

Yesterday, Mrs. John St. Clair was hostess at a tea in her home. Her guests were mothers of Miss Tate's first grade pupils and Mrs. E. M. Mulock, Jr. assisted. Mrs. A. D. Slackin will assist Mrs. Charles S. Shaw, 310 Westwood, at a tea tomorrow from 3 to 5 o'clock honoring mothers of Mrs. McHugh's sixth grade students.

Public Invited to School Expansion Meeting Oct. 17

Climax of the Birmingham school board's effort to inform voters of the proposed school expansion program will be a meeting of the League of Women Voters next Monday, Oct. 17, at 1:15 p.m. in the Community House. Everyone is invited.

Speakers will be Dr. Dwight B. Ireland, superintendent of schools; Ernie W. Senholm, school board president; Robert Swanson, architect of the proposed new buildings, and Mrs. E. K. Leavenworth, an interested parent. They will follow short speeches and there will follow an extensive question and answer period.

Tobin-Risch Vows Exchanged

Miss Annette Risch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Risch of Chestnut street and Jack E. Tobin, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick D. Tobin, also of Chestnut street were united in marriage on Oct. 1 by the Rev. David Duncan in a morning ceremony at Holy Name Church.

Order of Eastern Star Installation Is Next Wednesday

A semi-public installation of new officers of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held next Wednesday, Oct. 19 at 8:00 p.m. in the Masonic Temple. Refreshments will be served following the ceremony.

Senior Activities Meeting Oct. 17

The next regular meeting of the Senior Activities Group will be Monday, Oct. 17, at 8 p.m. in the Community House.

Social Briefs

John Mathews, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Mathews of East Brown street, left yesterday for Texas where he will join the Huston Texas Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Efram Kurtz, famed as a ballet conductor. The orchestra has scheduled a 24-week season including an extensive tour of the States.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Rosborough of Pilgrim road have left by motor for the east. They will spend the weekend with their son, "Hap" at Colby College in Waterville, Maine, before visiting friends in Portland, Maine, Hartford, Conn., East Orange, N. J., and Philadelphia, Pa.

This past Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Crenius A. Newcomb, Jr., entertained at a tea in their Bloomfield Hills residence for the trustees of the Cranbrook Institute of Science and their wives. Assisting were Miss Nancy Newcomb and Miss Peggy Cold and presiding over the tea and coffee were Mrs. Warren S. Booth, Mrs. James A. Berenford, Mrs. Robert Hatt and Mrs. Robert B. McMath.

Rufus W. Baxter and his family of Chatham, Ont., were recent houseguests of Mrs. Belle Baxter Peterson of Ann street and Howard C. Baxter, Mrs. Peterson's son, who went with the Baxters to Chatham where she visited with relatives and old school friends for ten days. Mrs. Eloise Baxter of Watford is now spending several days here with Mr. Peterson.

Among those who are entertaining before the Community House dance, "Autumn Nocturne" are Mrs. and Mrs. James McCoy who will be hosts at a cocktail party. Their guests will include Mrs. and Mrs. Edward Penet of Plymouth and Mr. and Mrs. William Lenhart of Pontiac. Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon will entertain ten Birmingham couples at cocktails preceding the dance as will Mrs. and Mrs. Lawson C. Taber. Mr. and Mrs. J. Donald Bowers are also to be hosts to a group of friends. Mr. and Mrs. William Albee, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eagan and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Kelley at cocktail parties before the "Autumn Nocturne."

Library and at the home of Mrs. Ogden Vogt on Puritan road. Mrs. W. P. Kennedy and Mrs. Vogt arranged these unit discussions with Mrs. Jack Beamer and Mrs. Charles Guilford leading.

Mrs. William H. Jackson, education chairman, said that over the past seven years there has been an increase of 32-44 per cent of pupils in Adams, Pierce and Quaton schools. Of these new pupils, 429 children or 71 per cent came to Birmingham in the past school year. These new buildings will only take care of pupils now here and those coming into Birmingham at the present rate.

"What happens if we do not vote the new buildings?" Mrs. Jackson was asked and replied: "Teachers will then have to have larger class loads, give up individual guidance for mass, old-fashioned paper work and perhaps even half-day sessions would be necessary. Also, new buildings allow for improved and expanded curricula both for preparing the college student and rounding out the education for those who do not continue formal schooling. Such curricula would naturally be forfeited and with such a heavy teaching load, standards are bound to drop."

It is hoped that all who have not been able to attend the preliminary discussions of the League or the PTA meetings, will take advantage of the Oct. 17 program.

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Among those being installed are: worthy matron Edith Jones; worthy patron, Glen Bingham; association matron, May Hillman; associate patron, Ernie Morrow; conductress, Arlene Wetzel; associate conductress, Elma Kidd; secretary, Mrs. Sarah, Florence Bingham.

Others are: Ada, Marilyn Perkinson; Bessie, Catherine, Hazel Pariseau; Martha, Rhea Bowden; Electa, Agnes Puls, color bearers, Mary Kirby and Leone Garside; chaplain, Mary Clark and pianist, Bessie Ferguson.

Worthy matron Martha Giles is attending Grand chapter at Grand Rapids where she is taking part as one of the grand officers.

Winners of the essay contest held recently in connection with the Book Sale which is under the sponsorship of the AAWW have been announced as Beth Clark, seven year old second grade student at Pierce; Richard Adams, ten year old Adams school pupil, 80 or thereabouts, who would like companionship in their own age group.

There are many new members this fall, and all eligible Birmingham residents are cordially invited to meet with this group next Monday. This is an excellent opportunity to compare hobbies, mutual interests, and snapshots of the grandchildren.

Mrs. Irma Jaus of Smith street announces the marriage of her daughter, Dorothy Laura to Edgar French, son of Mrs. E. French of Grand Rapids, on Sept. 24 in Pontiac. The couple are making their home in Grand Rapids.

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