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**CLUB NOTES**

**ROAL**  
The next meeting of the Reserve Officers Association Ladies will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 1 at 8:30 p.m. in the Kingsley Inn. The Detroit representative and Mrs. Schermerhorn of Birmingham, of the Dr. Gaylord Hauser System of Beauty will speak on "How to Live and Look Your Best". Wives of Reserve Officers of all branches of service are cordially invited to attend.

**AAUW Child Study**  
The AAUW Child Study group will meet at the home of Mrs. Richard Stite Jr., 18432 Riverdale drive, Beverly Hills on Thursday, Nov. 3 at 8:00 p.m. Malcolm Ferguson, principal of Pierce school will speak to the group on "Audio Visual Aids to Education". Co-hostesses will be Mrs. J. T. Ball and Mrs. R. J. Blandford. Visitors are welcome. Contact Mrs. Stites for reservations.

**Soroptimist Club**  
A social dinner meeting for Soroptimist members and their guests will be held Tuesday, Oct. 27 in the Community House.

**Past Chief's Club**  
Mrs. Jane Capling will open her home, 560 Watkins to members of the Past Chief's Club tomorrow, Oct. 28, at 8:00 p.m.

**Metropolitan Auxiliary**  
Election of officers will follow the business meeting of the Metropolitan Auxiliary when the group holds its monthly meeting on Nov. 2 at the home of Mrs. Verna Griffith, 1234 Maryland boulevard at 8:00 p.m. Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Charles Reynolds and Mrs. Arthur Ellison.

**Alpha Omicron Pi**  
Members of Alpha Omicron Pi will meet at the home of Mrs. B. K. Swartz, 2512 Dorchest, for a one o'clock luncheon on Oct. 27. Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. F. Gordon Davis. The program for the afternoon is entitled "Playing With Clay" and Mrs. Swartz will instruct the group in clay modeling.

**Pythian Sisters**  
Liberty Temple 44 of Clawson, Pythian Sisters, will have a Halloween party this evening, Oct. 27, in the Fireman's Hall, Clawson at 8:00 p.m. On the committee are Mrs. Leo Ayotte, Mrs. Everett Farr, Mrs. James Juhl and Mrs. Jack Kachandrian.

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**First Community Concert Artist**

**All members of the Southern Oakland County Community Concert Association are being reminded that Miss Nan Merriman, mezzo-soprano of concert and radio, will appear on the first program of the Association which has been scheduled for Nov. 2 at 8:15 p.m. in the Royal Oak high school auditorium.**

Miss Merriman has made twelve New York City appearances during the 1947-48 season with major symphony orchestras, making something of a record with six of these appearances for which she was with the New York Philharmonic at Carnegie Hall within a period of five weeks. Her other concert appearances include the Cincinnati summer opera; Hollywood Bowl and the Dayton Opera Festival as well as an appearance at the Robin Hood Dell in Philadelphia. She has also sung with the Birmingham Municipal chorus at the Music Hall.

**Social Briefs**

Among those who have entertained recently in honor of bride-tide, Miss Dorothy Eckers are Mrs. H. Chaloner of Detroit who was hostess at a miscellaneous dinner; Mrs. Glen Emery and Mrs. George Bosworth who were co-hostesses at a miscellaneous shower also and Mrs. Edward L. Barnard, mother of the bride-groom to be, who feted Miss Jackson at a kitchen shower.

Among the localities who went up to Ann Arbor for the homecoming festivities and game were Rocky Gust, Pat Baumgarten, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Coulter, Robert Fisher, Joan Boos, Hugh Mack, Betty Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts, Russell Fisher, Don and Mrs. Walker Busby, Loren Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watts, Nancy Sanders and Bob Frick.

Attending the Oakland Hills Country Club luncheon this past Tuesday were Mrs. R. O. Mead, Mrs. E. H. Burgess, Mrs. C. B. Holst, Mrs. E. M. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Charles M. Houff, Mrs. H. L. Kalmeyer, Mrs. R. R. Rolph and Mrs. M. A. Murphy.

At the games party held in the Pine Lake Country Club Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Waterbury entertained Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Schneider and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris.

Weekend houseguests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale O. Miller of Woodland road were Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Huntington of Akron, Ohio, who formerly resided here and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Osmer of Cleveland. The Millers and their houseguests with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Poase, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Giffels had breakfast together Sunday at the Oakland Hills Country Club.

Last week Mrs. Frank J. McGinnis of Shirley drive entertained at the second in a series of luncheons and canasta parties she is giving in her home.

At the Friday evening performance of St. Dunstan's Guild "O Mistress Mine" were Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Woodruff of Puritan road and their dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Yntema, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Horrocks and Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert F. Copeland.

To celebrate his birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Emmett, Jr., of Henley drive entertained a group of their friends at a party in their home Saturday evening.

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**Village Players Open Year With "Time For Elizabeth"**

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Scene Stealers  
Harold McDonald as the typical landlord hits a fine high in facetious portrayal as does Mrs. Bruce Booth who implicitly makes the most out of the opportunities which the role of a giddy woman offers. Mrs. Donald S. Bell casts walks off with her sharp talent in her too brief appearance; and another too characteristically done by Paul N. Averill whose Scotch dialect never falters and whose perception in the deep human qualities and therefore comic possibilities is unerring and delightful.

Others in the cast, Jack Hollister as an adamant income tax man; Lawton Taber, the blustering music boss; Mrs. Edwin Deer as the official secretary; Russell Richardson who sports a Southern accent with authenticity; Mrs. Tom Klingsmith who rattles up a convincingly supercilious expression and Elliott Higgins who matches Mrs. Booth joy rously behavior, all manage to take the most from their lines.

There is a lesson in the theme of "Time For Elizabeth" and the outcome is deep rooted in the complexities of human nature. It's a well told story and requires deft handling. It's entertaining, has a good number of punch lines and generally it offers the zealous Thespian a meaty piece of play to work with.

Tomorrow, Oct. 28 and Saturday, Oct. 29 are the final performances.

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**Miss Breitenstein To Marry Nov. 25**  
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The Rev. W. Glen Harris will officiate at the rites which are to be held in the First Presbyterian Church, Attending her bride will be her sisters, Miss Sarah Breitenstein as honor maid and Mrs. James McCobb of Ann Arbor and Miss Edith Kendall as bridesmaids. The Misses Penny and Patty Hewlett, small daughters of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hewlett of Brown street will be flower girls. Robert Pensock is to act for his brother as best man.  
A reception will follow at the Orchard Lake Country Club.  
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