

World Security Measures Debated by League Units

Discussing steps in building world security, the three unit discussion groups of the Birmingham League of Women Voters, meeting on Monday, gave priority to the collective efforts of the United Nations, finding the growth of conciliation machinery and the long-term UN program of human betterment hopeful for the future.

For the first time since the League unit groups started in October, a group of men interested in the problems posed, joined the evening discussion.

"The result was so successful," said Mrs. Richard Reiner, chairman of the evening group, "that we are looking forward to increased attendance by men as well as women in our future unit discussions."

In assessing the threat of war between East and West, Mrs. Norman Lyle and Mrs. F. Chalmers Smith in the morning group gave particular attention to the possibility of a fresh approach to atomic energy control, citing suggestions recently made by Carlos Romulo of the Philippines.

Atlantic Pact

The role of the North Atlantic Pact and other regional pacts interim measures in the search of freedom from war was discussed and opinion being divided as to whether they constitute a necessary staying action with serious potentialities for war.

Mrs. William Selmeier, legislative chairman of the League, surveyed in the morning and afternoon meetings the House and Senate hearings taking place in the current Congressional session on 35 resolutions dealing with the United Nations. The Congressional resolutions led the Birmingham discussion groups to a consideration of various proposals for UN charter revision.

In all three sessions the opinion was expressed that some form of limited world government through the UN is an ultimate goal of international organization, but that working to channel foreign policy through the present World Nations machinery is probably the best path now possible.

Social Briefs

Preceding the Dance Club party at the Forest Hills Country Club this Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. J. Sitta will entertain a few friends in their Ridgedale avenue home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Oxford road entertained the members of the Present Day Club and their husbands last Saturday at the organization's annual "husbands party". The executive committee was in charge of the ham dinner.

A new twist was given in baby showers when Mrs. K. Old of Devonshire road held such an affair for the father-to-be, Neil Spicer of Gray court. Among those present were Bill Old, Gene Old, Duke, Mr. Old, Ed Spicer, Leonard Pickering, Dale Spicer, Mr. Bunkley, Howard Hammonds, John Geovian and Jack Nell.

Miss Gail McKinley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKinley of Croft road, celebrated her 12th birthday by inviting the Misses Nina Slawson, E. Shinnick, Gretchen Guck for luncheon last Saturday. Afterwards, they attended a presentation of "Naughty Marietta" in Detroit.

A combined surprise birthday party was held Sunday for Mrs. Mae Crocker who celebrated her 90th year and for Mrs. E. E. Walsh, by Mrs. Hazel Crocker and Mrs. Walsh's daughters, Mrs. Don Marshall, Mrs. Dick Wilson and Miss Laurel Wilson. Many friends and relatives from out of town attended the affair.

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The second Association for Childhood Education dinner meeting will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 18 at the Normandy, Woodward avenue at 10 Mile road. Dr. Robert DeWes of Detroit, psychiatrist, will speak on the subject: "What is a Normal Child?"

Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Jenson of Hawthorne road entertained the state convention committee of the Michigan State Dental Society and their wives last Sunday at a buffet supper. Dr. Jenson is again general chairman for the 39th annual convention to be held at the Statler Hotel April 24-26.

Hold Board Meeting

Community House board of directors held their monthly meeting at the home of president, Mrs. Howard J. Liverance this past Monday. As this was the last meeting for those members who are going off the board, a social gathering followed the business discussion.

Suggest Amendments

The afternoon group tended to give the proposed items its approval, while the morning and evening groups suggested amend-

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