

### Garden Club Exhibition Is Announced

The Bloomfield branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association will sponsor an exhibition Friday, October 19, at the Bloomfield Hills School on Vaughn road.

The display will open at 2:30 and continue until 6:30.

General chairmen are Mrs. Fred Black, Mrs. Donald James, Mrs. Louis Savage, and Mrs. Albert

**Browning.**  
Mrs. Robert VanderKloot is chairman of the Junior classes, Mrs. William G. Ferguson is in charge of entries, with Mrs. Louis Savage as passing chairman.

Mrs. E. J. Anderson is heading the hospitality committee, and Mrs. Richard will direct the hostesses. Mrs. Josephine Collins will oversee the staging.

**RECEIVING ENTRIES** is Mrs. William G. Ferguson of West Valley road, who urges that entries be made several days in advance. School children are invited to enter.

The public is most cordially invited.

## LWV Begin Discussion Groups



MRS. NORMAN WESTON, MRS. HARVEY GREEN, MRS. RICHARD VAN DUSEN, MRS. BLAIR SWARTZ, MRS. DAYTON SLATER, JR.  
Birmingham LWV begin fall discussion group program (Joe Wheeler Photo)

The Birmingham League of Women Voters feels that there is a role for "Mrs. America" in government and world affairs. Toward this end they have begun their fall discussion group program.

In providing an answer which is effective and satisfying to members and friends, the LWV has inaugurated a leader training course under the guidance of Mrs. E. K. Swartz.

Mrs. Brooks Marshall, president of the Birmingham LWV, states that "When the citizens on the local level, even as you and I, express themselves, their judgments are usually proved sound and true."

"But every Senator and Representative knows, that for one constituted conclusion from a constituent, he finds ten lobbyists waiting on his doorstep to sway his vote."

"The League of Women Voters, through its small, neighborhood discussion groups, offering a means through which its members may form sound judgments and function effectively, as responsible citizens in a free world."

"Here is an honest answer to what can I do about it? We've found discussion in small groups to be stimulating and lots of fun for the participants. Friendliness and respect for each other are the keystones of our neighborhood discussion groups."

"Out of discussion often comes a consensus on current government issues. Our local league reports the conclusions to the state or national leagues, and informs the Congressman or State Legislator concerned. Requests For Action on major issues are sent to each League member, urging that she inform her Congressman or state legislator of her opinion."

**DURING THE WEEK** of October 22, the LWV will begin its third year of unit organization discussion groups on subjects pertaining to government, or of major concern to Birmingham citizens.

"Group discussion seems simple enough on the surface," said Mrs. Blair Swartz, leader training chairman. "Just six to ten people sitting in a room discussing a subject together. The real challenge is for the group to move forward in its thinking."

Mrs. Swartz continues a leader training program for the League begun by Mrs. Charles Blunt. Out of a need for leaders of discussion groups, these women evolved a training program. The leader training groups learn by experience the purposes, methods and possibilities of discussion groups.

### Parties Precede Play Performance

Preceding St. Dunstan's Guild performance of "Clutterbuck" October 12 and 13, there will be a sound of dinner parties from which the guests will leave for the Cranbrook Pavilion and the show.

On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Bennett will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Andrae, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coward, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Horton, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Martin at supper.

Other Friday evening dinner parties include those given by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King, and Mr. and Mrs. Jervis McMechan.

On Saturday evening, October 14, the Carl Meyers will host a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Howe and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tyle.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blanchard will also entertain that evening. Guest of honor at their dinner will be Mrs. Maurice B. Cochran, one of the founders of St. Dunstan's Guild, and who came from her home in Texas for this performance.

## Betty Hawkins Married At Ferndale Rites Saturday

A candlelight ceremony, before a flower banked altar at the First Methodist Church in Ferndale, was the setting for the marriage of Betty Hawkins and Roger Bruce Emmert.

The double-ring rites took place at eight in the evening on Saturday, October 6. Dr. M. C. Oliver, pastor of the Ferndale church, officiated with the assistance of Dr. Arnold F. Rankin of the First Methodist Church in Birmingham.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Warren Hawkins of East Saratoga avenue, Ferndale. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Roger J. Emmert of Berwyn road, Birmingham.

The bride wore a white satin, highlighted with chantilly lace skirt, pants. The sheer illusion yoke and train were also accented with chantilly lace appliques, and the long pointed sleeves were of matching lace.

Her French illusion veil swept through a chantilly lace cap, with pearls matching those on the dress and gown. The bride carried staphenotis and ivy strands, with a cluster of phalanopsis.



**THE MATRON OF HONOR**, Mrs. Daniel Vanderbroek, wore an autumn rust costume, a floor-length circular skirt, a tight fitting bodice, a short cape and staid collar all in rust. The matron, with a Dutch cap of the same material. She carried a semi-circular bouquet of white mums and Talisman ribbon.

The bridesmaids, Cheryl French, Beverly Johnson, Gail Hawkins and Janice Beattie, were in similar costumes.

Mr. Emmert attended his son as best man. Ushers were Mrs. Vanderbroek, Jr., and Kenneth Vanderbroek of Grand Rapids, consists of the groom, the bride, brother, Jerry Warren Hawkins, and Jack Daeschner.

Mrs. Hawkins wore a mauve, floor-length dress with gold accessories, and bronze hybrid Cymbidium orchids. The groom's attire was dressed in jade green, floor-length, with gold accessories, and corsage of bronze Cypripedium orchids.

**THE WEDDING** was the first to be held in the new Ferndale First Methodist. It was followed by a reception at the home of the bride and groom.

## Metropolitan Art Association To Open New Series

Of interest to Birmingham residents is the announcement that localites Mrs. Eldon J. Bemis, Wallace Mitchell, and William V. Moltke are on the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Art Association for the 1951-52 season.

Mr. Mitchell is a teacher of modern painting at the Cranbrook Academy of Art while Mr. Moltke is associated with architectural firm of Eero Saarinen.

This year the association is presenting a series of illustrated lectures representing varying contemporary special concerns in the graphic and plastic arts.

**THE SERIES WILL** begin with a lecture by Philip C. Johnson on Wednesday, October 31, at 8:30 p.m. Mr. Johnson is the author of several works on modern architecture, and is the chairman of the department of Architecture and Design at the Museum of Modern Art. He has recently built several houses of advanced design, notably his own, "Glass House" in New Canaan, Conn.

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### Have You Met . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Julian B. Wilson and their three children, Berrie Lee, nine, Paul Stark, seven, and three-year-old Julian B. III. Former Berkeley residents, they moved to 135 Waddington road on September 17. Mr. Wilson is a builder and general contractor with Walter A. Wilson and Son. The Wilsons are members of the Presbyterian Church of Birmingham.

### "CHRISTIAN SCIENCE: THE WAY TO FULFILL GOD'S PURPOSE"

This Free Lecture will be given by **GRACE JANE NOE, C.S.** of Chicago, Illinois.

Member of the Board of Leadership of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

in

Fifth Church of Christ, Scientist, 17425 Second Boulevard

TUESDAY EVE., OCT. 16 At Eight O'Clock

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND

### Have You Met . . .

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Abbott, newcomers on 3235 South Broadway boulevard, Bloomfield Hills. They have two children, Ann and Tom. Mr. Abbott is a sales engineer.

### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Sarver, 4510 Beach road, announce the birth of their son, Andrew Wallace, on October 2. Mrs. Sarver was formerly Shirley Ann Wallace.

A son, James Grier Douglas, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William E. Douglas on October 2. Mrs. Douglas is the former Beverly Grier.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Chambers, 767 Smith, announce the birth of a son, Alan Gregory, on September 29. Mr. Chambers is the former Virginia Adams of Royal Oak.

From San Diego, California, comes word that a son, Jude Mitchell, was born on September 16, to Sgt. and Mrs. Logie Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Flaherty of Covington road announce the birth of a daughter on September 15. The baby has been named Julia Frances after her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Flaherty, is the former Mary Burns.