

State Moms Hold Detroit Meetings

The Michigan State Convention of the Moms of America, Inc., will be held in Detroit on October 30 and 31, and November 1. Headquarters of the convention will be the Hotel Fuller.

Mayor Cobo will welcome the delegates, and Mrs. Norton Pearl will speak on Civil Defense.

At five o'clock Tuesday afternoon, October 30, a tea will be given for all Gold Star mothers, Gold Star Mothers who do not belong to the Moms are most cordially invited to attend.

The past presidents will gather for luncheon on Wednesday, October 31. The highlights of the Thursday, November 1 session will be a luncheon at which Betty Roberts will speak. The new officers for the coming year will also be installed.

Pine Lake Holds Party

Pine Lake Country Club was the scene of a party Saturday night, October 20. Three hundred members and their friends sat down to a turkey dinner at 6:30, and later in the evening cider and doughnuts were served.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Larkin, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, who entertained eight guests, and Mr. and Mrs. Neil C. Patterson, who had a table for eight. A table for twenty was reserved for the Robert S. Porzits.



ALEXANDER AUGUSTUS, the Reluctant Dragon, surveys the scenery which will compose his domain on Friday, November 23, when the play, "The Reluctant Dragon" will be presented by the Children's Theatre Players. Seen here making the props at the Birmingham Theater are, left to right, Mrs. M. B. Whittlesey, Mrs. Michael Remondino, Mrs. Norman Gustafsson, and Mrs. Stuart Edgerton.

(Dick Shirk Photo)

Friendly League Announce Plans for Fall Benefit

The Friendly League will hold their annual fall benefit at one o'clock November 9, in the Birmingham Community House. Highlighting the benefit will be a bake sale and bazaar, followed by bridge and tea.

Among those active in preparing for the bake sale are the chairman, Mrs. George B. Hartwick, assisted by Mrs. Herbert E. Bight, Mrs. Harold Cole, Mrs. Stuart Gurney, Mrs. Thomas Austin, Mrs. Edward Shafter and Mrs. Frank Wilkinson.

AN ASSORTED array of handmade gifts has been arranged by Mrs. Frank Saylor, sewing chairman, with the aid of Mrs. F. J. Burgess, Mrs. Arthur F. Bassett, Mrs. James B. Dunkel, Mrs. Mary Monds Fleming, Mrs. Harold Roberts, Mrs. R. G. Strong and Mrs. C. E. Wittmer.

Another feature of the afternoon will be the display of "Attic Treasures", under the supervision of Mrs. Otto P. Dallavo.

Reservations for bridge, and the tables and prizes are Wednesday, handled by Mrs. Douglas R. Strigley and her committee, Mrs. Arthur E. Moore, Mrs. Ronald Nordstrom, Mrs. Arthur Raish, Mrs. Palmer E. Suttor and Mrs. A. J. Seabrook.

TEA TABLE decorations will follow a fall theme arranged by Mrs. A. H. Williams, decorating

Troth Told In Franklin

FRANKLIN . . . The engagement of Barbara Ann Geisler to Robert Mark Leidlain was announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Geisler of Wig Lake Road, at a dinner given by them on Sunday October 7.

Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Leidlain of Saginaw, graduated from the University of Detroit last June. Barbara is a senior at Mercy College in Detroit. The wedding will take place next June.

The engagement dinner was attended by the Leidlain's and other relatives from both families.

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Social Briefs

Harvey R. Hansen of Hillcrest Drive, Brookfield Hills, will leave shortly for Eugene, Oregon, where he will visit his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Hansen, Jr., and their son, Douglas Harvey Hansen. He will be accompanied on this combination business and pleasure trip by Truman Barber of Detroit.

Nancy Dickson of Norchester Drive served on the committee on arrangements for the Autumn Tea, honoring students of the Detroit Commercial College and their mothers, given Wednesday of this week at the Women's City Club. Nancy attended the tea with her aunt, Mrs. Glenn C. Bounny, also of Norchester drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wright of 1708 Holland had Mrs. Wright's mother, Mrs. Leroy Talcott of Boston, as their houseguest during the past week. Mrs. Talcott arrived October 21 and will depart October 26, motoring with her son, Wendell Talcott, to Mount Lebanon, Pa., where they will visit other members of the family before Mrs. Talcott returns to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Knight of 1420 West Lincoln, have as their houseguests this week their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wells of Walpole, Mass. The Wells arrived October 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Briggs of Santa Monica, California, arrived on October 22 to spend a week with Mrs. Briggs' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Oak street.

Mrs. Robert C. VanderKloof, 975 Arlington, is a member of the parents committee, which is cooperating with the teachers and students of Detroit Country Day School, in presenting a symphony concert by Valtter Poon and the Wayne University Symphony Orchestra. The concert will be held in the Country Day auditorium on the evening of Tuesday, October 30.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Anderson of Goodhue road spent last week at the Drake in Chicago. Included in the trip was a visit with Mrs. Anderson's daughter, Alice Shaw, a student at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill. The Anderson's also attended the theater during their stay, seeing "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" and "The Moon Is Blue".

Hansens Host Parties For Bride-Elect Niece And Out-of-Town Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hansen of "Tall Spruce", Hillcrest drive, Bloomfield, entertained twenty couples at cocktails and buffet dinner on October 13. The party was a reunion of their friends who are now scattered throughout various parts of the Detroit area.

The Hansens also hosted a cocktail party on Sunday, October 21, in honor of Mrs. Herbert Blockstruck of St. Paul, Minnesota, who is visiting friends in Beverly Hills. Other guests of honor were the Hansens' house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Palmer Tarnburke, also of St. Paul.

Arriving this weekend to stay with the Hansens are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Minnock of Houston Texas, and their daughter Pamela. Mrs. Minnock will be matron of honor at the wedding of her sister, Joy Lee Tackabay on October 27. Pamela is to be flower girl.

Mrs. Hansen entertained for Joy, her niece, at cocktails, dinner, and a hot air shower at the Plum Hollow Golf Club on October 18. Yellow fall flowers composed the centerpiece.