



Born April 16 to MR. AND MRS. E. A. AIKENS III of Southlawn boulevard. Mrs. Aikens is the former Patricia Cherry of Detroit.

Born April 20 to MR. AND MRS. JOHN Brown of Cherry Court.

A daughter, Valerie Price, was born April 20 to MR. AND MRS. RODKEY CRAIGHEAD of Adams road.

A daughter, Fern Jean, was born April 8 to MR. AND MRS. JOHN R. HANCY of Manchester road.

A daughter, Nancy Lynn, was born April 24 to MR. AND MRS. KENNETH J. MEUNIER of Windcrest road. Mrs. Meunier is the former Joy Johnston.

A son, Terry Lee, was born April 1 to SGT. AND MRS. ROBERT C. BROWN at Camp Lejeune, N. C. Mrs. Brown is the former Patricia Capling of Birmingham 545.

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 Long-distance preparations for 'Orchid Luncheon'

En Route to Jersey Shore Meeting

The Birmingham branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association will be well represented at the organization's annual meeting May 27 at Atlantic City's Marlborough-Blenheim Hotel.

Mrs. J. C. Roberts, Michigan division president, will head the state delegation which will be comprised of more than fifty representatives from Michigan's thirty-five branches.

Among those making the trip East are Mrs. Frank Webb, Birmingham branch president; Mrs. Aaron H. Webster, national convention chairman; Mrs. William McCallum, state transportation chairman; Mrs. A. H. Knorr and Mrs. Walter Anderson.

HIGHLIGHT of the four-day convention will be the Orchid Luncheon which is being planned by the Michigan division. Orchid luncheon and congress will add a touch of glamour to the festivities over which Mrs. Roberts will preside. Awards will be presented to branches and committee chairmen for outstanding achievements throughout the year.

The Orchid luncheon will be followed by a tour of the orchid gardens in nearby Brighton, N. J. Later in the day national delegates will be shown a "technicolor film, "Wild Orchid Pilgrimage," by Dr. Edgar T. Wherry of the University of Pennsylvania.

Miss Gertrude Warren, national president, will preside at the business sessions, and Dr. Gladys Gallup will lead the forum discussions.

Also included in the special events are the shaving contest, the president's tea, the annual banquet and garden tours.

Vows Exchanged Before Families

Dorothy Jean Thurman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Thurman of East Frank street, and Harold William Button, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Button of Royal Oak, were married at five o'clock Saturday afternoon by the Rev. W. Glen Harris. Only relatives and close friends attended.

A reception and dinner at the Birmingham YWCA followed the vows.

THE BRIDE wore an ice-blue silk suit with white accessories and a yellow and white corsage. Her sister, Mrs. Albert Vash, was her only attendant. Bruce Bishop was the best man.

Both Mrs. Thurman and Mrs. Button wore navy, accented with white and yellow corsages. Out-of-town guests included W. Earle Drake of State College, Pa., Mr. Small, Edna Sprague, Dorothy Walker and Mildred Welch.

Reserve Thursday Night For Mothers-Daughters

Thursday evening, May 7, will be Mothers-Daughters night for members of the Birmingham Business Women's Club. They will gather for their annual banquet that evening at the Community House.

Chairman Irene Hanley is being assisted by Betty House, Muriel Kitchen, Laura Kurth, Dorothy Pettit, Esther Sanders, Gene Small, Edna Sprague, Dorothy Walker and Mildred Welch.

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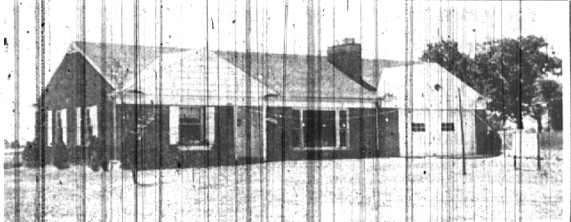
Mrs. Norman Gustafson, chairman, and Mrs. Michael Remondino, co-chairman, will direct the activities of the Birmingham Children's Theatre for the coming year. The new slate was elected at the regular April meeting of the group.

Also named to the board were Mrs. F. L. Murphy, treasurer; Mrs. B. L. Sadler, secretary; Mrs. K. W. Pierce, program; Mrs. W. J. Lambert, assisted by Mrs. Granville Ryan and Mrs. W. C. Scott, social chairman; Mrs. J. V. Whitehouse, business manager; Mrs. Lawrence Kartz, school director; and Mrs. Walter Patton, publicity.

HIGHLIGHT of the meeting was an outline of the aims, purposes and history of Children's Theatre, presented by Mrs. George Green. Her session was followed by a panel discussion.

It was announced that tickets for the coming year will be sold through the schools as usual, with the price of adult tickets reduced to the children's scale. The price of single tickets at the box-office will be prorated.

A drive for new members will be launched during the spring and summer months, with particular efforts to be made to interest newcomers in the theatre.



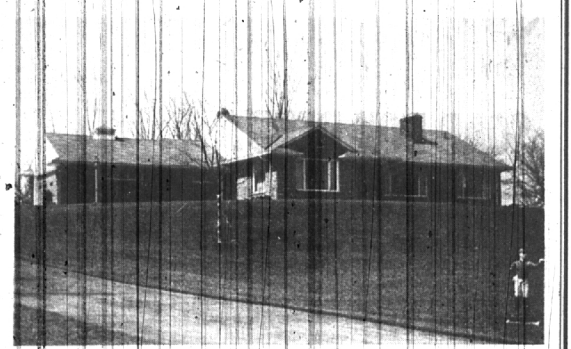
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MR. AND MRS. Frank Hofbauer of Lathrup boulevard have announced the engagement of their daughter, Helga to Alfred Cobb, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. La Cobb of Bungalow drive, Lathrup Village. Helga is a graduate of Case Technical high school, and her fiance graduated from Royal Oak high school. No definite wedding date has been set.

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