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**WITH THE Collegians**

Virginia Coultz, Central Michigan College sophomore, is a member of the cast of "What a Life" to be presented May 14-16 at the college.

Kate W. Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Kelley of George street, has been cast in "Tentament of Faith," a play which will be performed in June during the commencement of Antioch College's 100th year. Kate is a senior at Yellow Springs, O., college.

Sarah Cutler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George O. Cutler of Overhill avenue, has been selected for membership in Cwyn, sophomore women's recognition society, at Miami University, Oxford O. Sarah is a freshman in the college of arts and sciences and is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha, social sorority. She was graduated from Birmingham High School.

Judith Grace Bates of San Jose drive was awarded a scholarship for the April meeting of the state board of education. Judith is a student at the Michigan State Normal College, Ypsilanti.

William S. Gilbreath-III, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Saylor Gilbreath, Jr., of Puritan road, was elected to Book and Snare, senior society, at the traditional "Tap Day" ceremonies. William, also a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon, attended Cranbrook.

Shirley George, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Greene of Wilshire road, was a member of the art class from Wheaton college,



ADMIRING THE CATCH after a day of deep sea fishing off Pompano Beach, Fla., are (left to right) L. M. Hogan of Birmingham, Mrs. V. A. Bradley of Georgetown, Ky., V. A. Bradley, and Paul Hogan. The Hogans are residents of Puritan road.

Wheaton, Ill., which held its annual artists retreat at Nashville, Ind., April 28 to May 2. The group returned with landscape paintings which will be exhibited in the college senior exhibition May 28. Shirley will have several paintings on display.

Have You Met... Mrs. M. A. Hill and her two daughters, Ruth and Lorraine, of Webster avenue. The Hills moved from Royal Oak in March. Mrs. Hill is a member of circle 13 of the Congregational Church.

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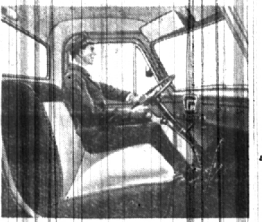
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**West Beverly Hills News**  
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Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Wharton Conover, Bedford, Pa., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Parkinson Conover, to Robert Eugene Ward, son of Mrs. Archie O. Ward of Lincoln Park. The marriage will take place on June 12, at the Episcopal church of the North (Congregational) church, Detroit.

Back from a week's southern trip are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Welch of Devonshire road. They visited her father in South Carolina and spent a few days vacationing in the Smokies. Among the trout fishing enthusiasts heading north last weekend were the Joseph Fortons, of W. 14-Mile road, who spent the weekend at Shugart Lake, near Grayling.

On May 14, the Birmingham Musical held its final meeting of the season following a luncheon at the Cunningham Hotel. West Beverly women who have been active on this year's committee are Mrs. George S. Smith, Mrs. Douglas Witters, Mrs. Mark Chesover, Mrs. Kenneth Mansel, Mrs. John Toomey and Mrs. Samuel Trade. New president of the group is Mrs. William H. Hohmeyer, of Hillcrest road.

Mrs. D. O. Ruth, of South Bend, Ind., is spending this month with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Kane of Bedford road. Last weekend, the Lanes attended the Delta Gamma Parasol Day in Albion as guests of their daughter, Nancy who is a sophomore at the college. The Lanes entertained at a tea and a dinner was given in their honor on Saturday night.

On May 7, Mrs. John Toomey entertained neighbors at a tea in her Buckingham road home. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walters of Devonshire road recently spent four days in New York City, where they "did the town," by embarking on every sightseeing four-day could trip into the schedule.

Judith Anderson, daughter of the William Andersons of Devonshire road, recently spent a weekend at Ohio Wesleyan university as the guest of Miss H. Bell, of Pittsburgh, Pa. While there, she attended the "53 Fashion" dance at the Gamma Phi Beta house with Pete Gross, of Cleveland.

Chairman of the May 1 luncheon of the Detroit area University of Minnesota women's alumnae club, was Mrs. Arthur Zehede, of Riverside drive. The luncheon, held at the Birmingham Country club, was followed by installation of officers, a fashion show, and cards. Mrs. T. E. Olson of Lakeside road was a model in the fashion show. Mrs. Zehede is the club's first vice president for next year.

Mrs. Robert Illmer of Kirkshire road and Mrs. Maynard D. Illmer of Devonshire road members of the Huntington Woods Women's Bowling league, recently attended the league's final banquet of the season at the Birmingham Country club.

Mrs. E. K. Stutzman, Rochester, N. Y., visited her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Forbes of Buckingham road last weekend. The Forbes' son, Gordon, has recently been elected chaplain of Beta Theta Pi fraternity at Amherst college.

Members of Girl Scout Troop 342 recently observed Mother's Day by giving a tea for their mothers at the Cunningham Hotel. A style show of Scout uniforms from 1915 to the present day, was staged by the girls. Also in the program was a Court of Awards, at which badges and four-year stars were awarded. Leaders of the troop are Mrs. E. G. Galvin, Mrs. Elizabeth Wexart and Mrs. Albert Matthews.

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