

Women Bowlers Feted At Franklin Luncheons

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FRANKLIN VILLAGE—Mrs. Wilfred Smith, Garden Way, was hostess at the Birmingham Country Club preceding bowling last Thursday to Mrs. Nicholas Rosiello and Mrs. Ralph Charbeneau.

Mrs. A. J. Weatherwax was luncheon hostess to a group of the Franklin women bowlers that noon, entertaining Mrs. Frank Winchell, Mrs. Phillip Moore, Mrs. Jack Steyskal, Mrs. Charles Holzen and Mrs. Tom Dadson at her home on Meadowlake.

Mrs. Leonard Lawton was luncheon hostess to twelve of the ladies at her home on Normandy road.

Mrs. Nelson McCarthy was hostess at luncheon recently to the members of her bridge club when they met for their regular monthly get-together. Her guests were Mrs. Dwight Ensign, Mrs. Arthur Thurston, Mrs. Dick Norwalk, Mrs. Carman Adams, Mrs. Howard Love, Mrs. Sam Hemsteger and Mrs. Richard Corkery.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Curran opened their new home on Captains Lane to their square dance group, the Promenaders, after their weekly square dance session at the Franklin community hall last night. Mrs. Richard Horste held a get-together over coffee at her Redfern road home last Monday afternoon for the ladies of the area who are soliciting funds for Detroit Symphony Orchestra maintenance.

The Franklin PTA is sponsoring another combined ballroom and square dance, to be held at 8:30 p.m. on Friday, April 30 at the community hall. Tickets, at one dollar per person, are being handled by Mrs. Gilbert Broders, chairman, and by Mrs. Harlen De View and Mrs. George Altmanberger. Dick Lewis is in charge of the music and John Runsey in charge of the refreshments. Mrs. Jack LeVan, Mrs. Chet Hard and Mrs. Robert Hampson will decorate the hall for this affair.

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Maple Swimming Star Wins Johnson Award

By DOUG LEWIS

The Johnson Memorial award, considered the highest honor a boy can win at Birmingham high school, was presented last Friday afternoon to Birmingham's all-time swimming great Russell Hibbard.

The award is presented annually to the boy who best combines athletic ability with high scholarship.

During his three years in high school, Russ earned six letters: comb, George Pappas, Lewis Parry, John Petrakis, and Vincent Secombe. He has maintained a 3.22 or B-plus average. His track talents are in the high jump and hurdles where he has proved that constant practice really pays off.

However, his sport is swimming. During the last two seasons no swimmer has finished ahead of Hibbard in dual meet competition. He will undoubtedly win All-American for his 100 yard freestyle time of :54.2. He can also win the same award for both his own 50 yard freestyle time :24.4 and for his participation in Birmingham's record breaking medley relay trio with Captain George Stinnett and Tom Sheehan in 1:24.0.

Journalism Students Rewarded with Candy
When Journalism students planned, wrote, and published the program for the winter sports banquet, the results of the finished program seemed reward enough.

But a five-pound box of candy from the mothers' committee Tuesday morning as a thank-you for doing the program. This explains the fact that Journalism students were seen around school Tuesday with fistfuls of chocolates. The gift was very gratefully received and proved the mothers are very nice to work for.

Selling your home? Advertise it in the "For Sale-Houses" columns of The Eccentric.

Peck, of the Birmingham National Bank, will be guest speaker, discussing "Money Management."

The annual meeting for the election of officers of the Franklin Library Board will be held at the home of Mrs. Norman Curran on April 20.

The commission of the Franklin Volunteer Fire Department met at the home of John Hill last Tuesday night for a variety of business including preparations for the forthcoming annual meeting.

The Lenton Study Group met at the Wellington road home of Mrs. Vernon Fisher yesterday morning. Mrs. Hector McMillan, a missionary on leave from the Belgian Congo, was guest speaker. The ladies presented her with a much needed assortment of notions and sewing items. The group has enjoyed its weekly meetings so much that plans are under way for year-round weekly get-togethers.

Mrs. Haven Doane, Captains Lane, is handling tickets in this area for the fashion show and tea to be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 29, at Cranbrook. Fashions are to be shown by the J. L. Hudson Co. and the proceeds from the tickets will benefit the Starr Commonwealth for Boys, as arranged by the South Oklawaha County auxiliary. Mrs. Doane asks that

tickets be purchased well in advance of the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Alger Clark are vacationing at St. Petersburg, Florida.

The Arthur Thurons are back in their home on Old Colony road after a month's vacation at Phoenix, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McCarthy, who vacationed recently at Delray Beach, Fla., have returned to their home on Wellington road.

Also back from a Florida vacation are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Missal, of Valley road.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ziegelbauer, Franklin road, spent the weekend put at Joplin, Missouri.

Ronald Bugel, son of the Henry Bugels, celebrated his fifteenth birthday last Monday, April 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nichols have moved from Vincennes road to their newly completed home on 14-Mile road.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Price are settling in their new home on Colony Hill road.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bugel, Inkster road, had as their house guests over the weekend, Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Wehrheim and Arthur Appleton, all of Chicago.

Birthdays, anniversaries, guests, births, parties are all new—all the society editor about them.

90 B'ham Students Tour State Capitol

Touring the state capitol last Thursday were 90 Birmingham high school students.

At Lansing to study the functions of the state government were 50 members of Student Congress and Civic Control day officers and 40 students from George Miller's civics classes. The trip to a governmental point of interest is arranged annually for participants in Civic Control day.

In the morning the students visited the state House of Representatives and met Birmingham's representative Richard Van Dusen. Following was a trip to Michigan State College to eat lunch and browse about the campus.

Returning to the capitol in the afternoon, some of the group observed the Senate in session while others watched trial procedure in the Supreme Court.

Thor Halvorson, organized the trip. Accompanying the students were Mrs. N. T. Halvorson, Mrs. F. R. Doherty and Kenneth Parker, senior counselor. The trip was made in two chartered buses.

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