

Junior League Sponsors Jan. 27 Drive for Blood

The next visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile to Birmingham will be under the sponsorship of the local Junior League chapter, according to Mrs. Edward Larchen, chairman. She said the unit would operate at the Birmingham Community House on Jan. 27 in two shifts, from 2 p. m. to 6-8 p. m.

A committee of Mrs. Rudolph Eberstadt, Mrs. George Scribb, Mrs. Morgan Douglas, Jr., Mrs. William Douglas, Mrs. Robert

Taylor, Mrs. Edward Holler, Jr., Mrs. Travis Hubbard, Mrs. D. Pierson Smith, Mrs. John Bagby, Mrs. John Finnegan, Mrs. Richard Wallace and Mrs. Robert Craig has been named to contact donors and recruit League members to serve as receptionists and nurses' aides.

"At this time of year reserve supplies of blood are very low," Mrs. Larchen said, "and the Red Cross needs the gift of every available donor."

She added that those wishing to give at this time could enroll by contacting her at her home, 988 Gordon court.

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BARBARA JEAN STEPHEN

Stephen-Williams Troth Announced

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Barbara Jean Stephen to Robert L. Williams II. Barbara Jean is the daughter of Mrs. Harold M. Stephen of Washington boulevard and the late Mr. Stephen. Robert's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Williams of Southlawn boulevard.

The bride-elect attended Michigan State college. Her fiancé was graduated from the same school, where he was a member of Alpha Gamma Rho.

The couple plan an early spring wedding.

Magazine Fiction Editor Talks to Women Writers

Fiction editor of Woman's Day magazine, Betty Finin, was guest of honor at a cocktail party Tuesday afternoon at the Woman's City club of Detroit. Miss Finin spoke to the Detroit Women Writers at the club at 2 p. m. on "What Editors Want."

Mrs. G. A. Sprague of Birmingham was social chairman of the party, assisted by Mrs. Joseph Kubacka and Mrs. J. C. Roberts. Also attending from this area were Mrs. Lewis Tibbille and Mrs. Thomas P. Marker.

Area Officer Will Discuss Philanthropy

North Suburban Alumnae chapter of Alpha Phi will welcome Mrs. Elinor Smith Davis, district governor for Michigan, Indiana and Kentucky on Jan. 17.

Meeting will be held at 7:45 p. m. Tuesday, at the home of Mrs. L. G. Evans, 1465 Henrietta, Mrs. E. E. Burd and Mrs. B. B. Ehringer will be co-hostesses.

Besides being an outstanding member of the Detroit Alumnae group, Mrs. Davis is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and was president in her senior year at DePauw university. She does substitute teaching in language classes in the Detroit schools, dabbles in book reviewing and is active as an amateur theatrical performer.

MRS. DAVIS will discuss new techniques and objectives of the Alpha Phi women's fraternity. Highlighting the discussion will be the national philanthropic project, cardiac aid. The fraternity's interest in reducing the amount of heart disease, now one of the leading causes of mortality in the U. S. is three-way: finance operations of "blue babies"; maintenance of a research lab at the University of Minnesota; convalescent care for children at Henrick House, Barlett, Ill.

The district governor started the philanthropic project at the children's Convalescent Home of Michigan. Members hope to learn various new techniques to make the local philanthropy, the Oakland County Children's Home, more effective.

News About GIRL SCOUTS

TROOP 372—QUARTON SCHOOL. Activities for the new year got underway when Girl Scout troop 372 of Quarton school met with its leader, Mrs. Charles Payton. She explained various health aims and distributed health charts to be kept by the girls.

Plans are being made for an ice skating trip on Quarton Lake this month. An entire meeting will also be devoted to the study of first aid.

Climaxing the activities for 1953, the group was entertained at a holiday party in the home of a leader, Mrs. Thomas Snellman.

A skit entitled "The Night Before Christmas" was given by the Scouts for the enjoyment of their younger brothers and sisters who were guests.

Card Party Scheduled In Detroit on Jan. 21

Mrs. Frederick W. Campbell, noted flower arranger, will speak and show colored slides on Williamsburg gardens before the Detroit Garden Center at 2 p. m., Jan. 15, at the White House on Belle Isle.

The Garden Center is sponsoring a card party at 1:30 p. m., Jan. 21, at the Woman's City club, Detroit. Local residents reserving tables so far are Mrs. Henry J. Beam, Mrs. J. C. Roberts and Mrs. Herbert W. Mason, Sr.

Kingswood Dorm Contributes \$50 To Polio Hospital

Miss Freida Calhoun, director and secretary of the Sister Kenney Anniversary club of Birmingham, announced today the receipt of \$50 from the girls' dormitory at Kingswood for purchasing additional equipment for the hospital in Farmington. She said a second gift of \$25 had been received from a Detroit.

"We have two special needs at the hospital," Miss Calhoun said. "One is a steam cart to carry hot meals from the kitchen in the main building to the annex where polio patients are housed. At present it is very hard to get the food to these children before it has cooled off and become unpalatable."

"Our second great need is for adequate hospital-type cribs for the little ones. We have many which are not even equipped with proper side bars to keep the children from falling out of bed."

"The Birmingham club is planning to sponsor a benefit movie in the near future to help toward the purchase of some of the things the hospital needs, so badly."

Stopover at Wilmington

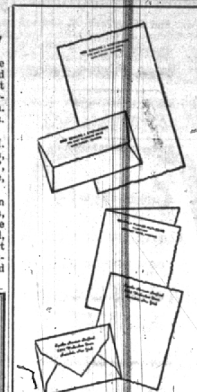
Mr. and Mrs. David Nelson and daughter, Judy, have returned to their home on Lake Angelus after spending the holidays in Pompano Beach, Fla. They flew back by way of Wilmington, Dela. in order to make the acquaintance of their new granddaughter, Carol Joan, born Dec. 23. The baby's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James Hoffmann (Claire Nelson).

Alpha Chi Omega To Hear Biography

Alpha Chi Omega Alumnae chapter of Southern Oakland County will have a luncheon at Carrie Lee's Tea room in Birmingham at 1 p. m., Saturday, Jan. 16. Chairman of the affair is Mrs. James Henderson.

Book reviewer, Mrs. Rex H. Schoonover of Huntingdon Woods, will review "Lady of Arlington," a biography of Mrs. Robert E. Lee, and another book.

Guests will include Mrs. Edwin S. Ross of Cross Pointe Farms, a member of the Detroit Alumnae group; Mrs. Nelson C. Frolund, province president; Mrs. Robert Glenn of Pontiac, Mrs. Walter Eckburg, Mrs. Arthur Colville and Mrs. John Sutton.



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