

## Birmingham Hi-Society

BY ANN SHENEFIELD

The SBT, a new club organized by the foreign students, will hold its first actual meeting next week. Officers are president, Barbara Klopfer; vice president, Ann McConaughy; secretary, Ullrich Klopfer; and treasurer, Angela Mathews.

The cheerleaders were honored at their annual banquet Friday evening at a local restaurant. Attending were Nancy Varnall, Trudy McKewen, Shirley Duabebber, Mary Bachman, Alan Van Kirk, Alice Richards, Ann McDonald, Pat Boose, Betty Quillian, Judy Boyd, and Ann Shenefield.

**BAHIA-MAR** featuring Les Shaw and his band will be presented by Congress Saturday May 8 in the Maple room from 10:30 till 12:30.

A going-away party was given recently by Nanette Hammond and Carolyn McLessee in honor of Cynthia Sloane to bid her farewell as she moved to Kentucky.

Enjoying themselves were Sandy Sanders, Nancy Carlisle, Shirley Duabebber, Carolyn McLessee, Betsy Wade, Dede and Libby Williams, Gwen and Gail Smith, Lynn Bennett, Maribel Bums, Trudy McKewen, Cinder Kelly, Bev Blackley, Mable Harabedian and Anna Duffield.

As a money-making project, Tri-A recently had a lake sale. Chairmen of the sale were Betty Quillian, Marie Lindquist, and Julie Reynolds.

Have you seen the COTTON DRESSES at the new Village Store?

## MAMMY

In a light vein I want to make things easier and more beautiful for you next Sunday, so I have found for you a lot of beautiful BULBS (not the light kind) which can be planted with a NO BLISTR TROWEL (and you won't get blisters) after you have loosened up the dirt with the most wonderful, well balanced, light-weight tool called an ALL-PURPOSE HOE (which will delight you if you use it, and then Daddy will be delighted too) and watered with a MEL-O-ROD (not the gushy kind) and after you have trimmed the grass with MIRACLE GRASS SHEARS or the finest and lightest lawn mower (CLEMSON) ever made to cut lawns which are watered with light, flexible, easy to coil plastic hose (KORO-SEAL) or supple SUPPLEX or U.S. ROYAL plastic soakers to make them look pretty and crowd out weeds which, if they are not crowded out, can be knocked out with a killer-diller of a tool called KILLER-KANE (weighing less than one pound) because then the lawn will show off the PERENNIAL FLOWERS which come all wrapped in little paper containers ready for planting and which (after a while) can be cut with strong, durable, light-weight FLOWER SHEARS and displayed in the gorgeous BISCHOFF or BLENKO or MEXICAN hand blown glass bowls and vases with FROGS (frogs with good points) to hold the flowers and all of this will make you lose WEIGHT and make DADDY love you more:

Sonny

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**ANIMAL STUDY IS FUN** for children at the Baptist Children's Home, Thirteen Mile and Greenfield. Just before Easter Mrs. Merrell Davis of Lapeer sent 25 Plymouth Rock chicks to the children and each child banded his own pet. During the holidays four rabbits and six ducklings were added to the home's recreation room "barn" and several

classes from Parker school in Royal Oak have visited the home to see the livestock. The menagerie will be moved outdoors as soon as quarters are constructed as the care and raising of chicks, ducks and rabbits will be handled by the children. (Eccentric Photo)

## Royal Oak Woman Commends Action Of City Policemen

A letter of commendation for the operation of the Birmingham police department was received by The Eccentric this week.

A Royal Oak woman expressed her appreciation for the quick-thinking of both a Birmingham service station attendant and policemen who answered the attendant's telephone call Friday night, April 23.

A Royal Oak boy, Charles Schuman, suffered a fractured ankle and head wound in an automobile accident in Royal Oak on that night.

Royal Oak police took the boy to St. Joseph Mercy hospital in Pontiac but returned him to the Royal Oak police station when Schuman answered that he did not need medical attention.

After his release from the police station the boy returned to his damaged car and called a Birmingham tow service.

When the car was brought to a service station at Chapin and Woodward the attendant noticed that the boy was injured and apparently in a condition of shock.

The attendant immediately called Birmingham police who rushed the boy back to St. Joseph Mercy where the seriousness of his injuries was discovered.

The writer explained that if the boy had driven home without treatment for his injuries he might have been involved in a more serious accident.

## Residence To Open

Open house for the new Ballington Residence for Business Women in Detroit will be held May 10. Mrs. Lilloyd G. Grinnell of Latham drive is vice president of the Women's Auxiliary to the Volunteers of America, sponsors of the residence.



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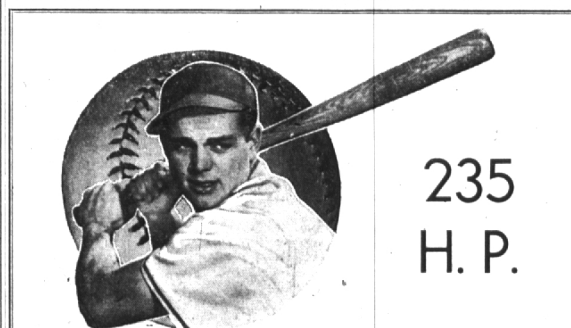
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## 68 Troy Juniors In Attendance at 'University Day'

Sixty-eight juniors representing Troy High School, attended "University Day" at Ann Arbor on May 1.

The excursion was an all-day affair with students leaving the school in the morning. Travel was by school bus and private car with Miss Dorothy Dunn, junior English teacher, chaperoning.

While there, the students assembled in an auditorium for instructions and hints as to the day's program. They visited the different dormitories, society houses, buildings, and classes.

They were particularly invited to visit buildings in which they were most interested. For instance, those interested in office work visited the Administrative Building.

Students from all of the schools were invited for luncheon in the cafeteria. After lunch, a dance which consisted of a program as well as dancing, was held.

—MARY ELLEN RYAN

## Troy High School Music Department Sets Festival

There is to be music in the air on Thursday, May 13th. This will be the biggest night of the year for the Music Department of Troy High School. For the first time at Troy we will be having an all high school program.

The Band, Glee Club, and Choir will be combining their efforts to give you an evening of relaxation and entertainment.

Some of the selections will be: "It's a Grand Night for Singing", "Some Enchanted Evening", "Dry Bones", "Ride the Chariot", and others. The evening will be closed with dancing.

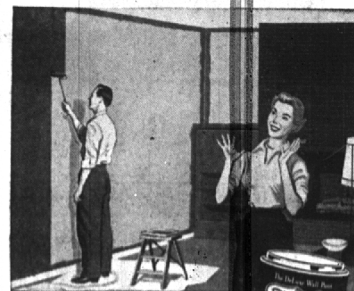
maxed with a finale by the Band, Choir and Glee Club combined in a patriotic number "Born to be Free."

## Awarded Diploma

S/Sgt. George A. Slanina, 390 East Long Lake road, has been awarded a diploma from the USAF Extension Course Institute at Gunter Air Force Base, Ala., for successfully completing the officer candidate correspondence course.

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