

By FRAN MAIER

Like the man said, "It's a small world," and as he said later, "It'sn't getting any larger".

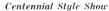
The comments came from Ernest H. Fletcher in his recent book, "Africa, the Trip of a Lifetime".

Fletcher, known to his friends as "Pete", at one time lived at 2215 Tottenham, although he now lists Santa Barbara, Calif., as his home town.

His book recounts the experiences of himself and his son Faul, y former Cranbrook student, dring their 30-day Faul, y former Cranbrook student, dring their 30-day Faul, y former Cranbrook student, dring their 30-day While the hunting trip seemed to follow the hasual pattern, close calls, thrills, tension and a certain saccess, odd incidents of the trip were more outstanding.

While stopping at the Marnacas beach on the Caglibbean, the party met Mr. and Mrs. Walter Frv, whom they again saw in a Johannesburg gold mine, 6,000 feet below the earth's surface.

Not long after, they were enjoying a snack in a hotel in Johannesburg, when they were approached by a young lady who identified herself as Jane McDonald; now Mrs. Anthony Enders, and a former close neighbor of the Fletchers. The third incident to convince Fletcher of the world's smallness, was the meeting in Durbin with Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Bramson of Bloomfield Hills. The Bramson's son, and Mrs. Enders' brother had been classmates of Paul Fletcher at Cranbrook.





'Reunion' Held Tops at St. Dunstan



JERRY McMECHAN

"Country Girl" principals

Bloomfield Village

Barbara Kilpatrick MI 4-8827

Cocktails and Buffet Planned for 70 Couples

The home of the Robert H. Bookmyers, Jr., 740 Woodale road, will be the scene of much festivity next Sunday, Feb. 20. The Bookmyers have invited about 70 couples for a coektail party and buffet supper, which is becoming an annual affair with them. After cocktails the gnests are looking forward to enjoying a supper prepared by Al Green of Grosse Pointe. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Anderman. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Anderman. Mr. and Mrs. Francis Anderman. Mr. and Mrs. Howe Paulous, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, and the years where Lamb was sent by and Mrs. Robert Taylor, and the years where Lamb was sent by and Mrs. Robert Taylor, and the years where Lamb was sent by and Mrs. Robert Taylor, and the years where Lamb was sent by and Mrs. Robert Marylor, and the Yeard Myer, presidency of the seventh grade Girl Scoul Troop that the John Lahi home on Ardmore road last Saturday even how the Scouls out to Forest Lake to eat ink the John Lahi home on Ardmore road last Saturday even party and politick supper sponsored by the Scouls out to Scouls out to the Scouls out to Sc

WELCOME NEIGHBORS

Play Fans Comparing It to Film

Comments in the lobby at the St. Dustan's Guild Play-house Friday and Saturday evenings were heavy with praise for the current produc-tion, "Country Girl", which closes this weekend.

The play is being produced almost in conjunction with the release of the Bing Crosby movie of the same name, and

movie of the same name, and is creating increased interest among St. Dunstan fans for that reason.

"It's one of the best they've ever done," was a frequently heard remark, while one gentleman who admits frankly that his taste runs entirely to musicals, said "It's abow". "Country Gill" shifts from New "Country Gill" shifts from New



RECENTLY NAMED president of the Detroit branch, Woman's National Farm and Garden association, is Mrs. H. Earl Hanson, 18475 Coral Gables. A resident of this area for eight months, Mrs. Haason commented on the fact that a number of women from the Detroit branch are now living in this section and taking an active part in the affairs of their new places of residence. (Eccentric



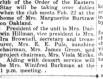
MIKE KELLY SHOWS CO-CHAIRMEN HOW PAT, HIS DUMMY, WORKS Mrs. Robert Wyatt, left, at Mrs. Jean Greene's home. (Eccentric Photo)

Quarton Animal Fair To Have Apes, Dummy

Parents and teachers of Quarton school are busily arranging things like ventriloquist shows, magicians' features, and performances for their Animal Fair.

The Animal Fair chairmen say that the ape has been arranged for, and although it is a small one, it is expected to be one of the most interesting things at the fair.

Everyone working at booths will be dressed as a similal for the state of the state of



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FOLLOWS FAMILY AND CIVIC INTERESTS Mrs. Herman Luhrs in photo-den. (Eccentric Photo)







GOOD CITIZENSHIP award presentations highlighted last week's meeting of Piety Hill chapter, DAR, when Mrs. Robert F. Kohr, chairman, presided at the ceremony. Cited for their work as good citizens were Betty Quillian (right) a Birmingham high school student, and Beverty Baker of Clawson high school. (Eccentric Photo)