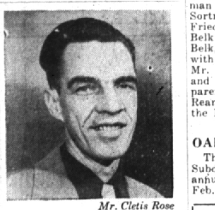
Mrs. Fox Fetes 20 O-W Alums

Mrs. Ralph Fox served dessert to 20 alumnae of Ohio Wesleyan university at her Westwood home on Tuesday afternoon, previous to a talk on interior decoration.

Speaker at the alumnae meeting was Mrs. Phyllis Walters of Jacobson's Birmingham store. Mrs. Charles Hazard of Riverside Drive assisted the hostess.

Have You Met

The new residents of 511 Lake Park? They are Mr. and Mrs. William J. Poplack and children, Lauren 7, Janice 6, and Robert 1. Poplack is president of the Michigan Shortening Co. and owner of the County Fair, Harper-McClellan, Markets. He is a Moslem Templar, George Washington Post 88 and a member of National Sojourners.



Mr. Cletis Rose

Wayne familyman says, "We had the winning ticket, all right!"

"The Blue Cross - Blue Shield identification card that I carry saved me almost $2000," says Mr. Rose. "All I had to do was show it when I was admitted to the hospital recently . . . and almost all of the bills were taken care of *automatically*. I got the hospital care I needed . . . $1550 worth, and all but $55 of it was covered by my Blue Cross Comprehensive Contract. Blue Shield covered every cent of my doctor bill, too. That, brother, is *real* protection that families *need* . . . as any family man can tell you!"

Blue Cross - Blue Shield plans are the *only* plans that entitle you to an immediate A-1 credit rating at practically every general hospital in Michigan . . . and with most licensed physicians, too. Strictly non-profit, Blue Cross - Blue Shield plans are community-sponsored . . . to provide you with the *care* you need, when you need it. No other plans provide so much for so many . . . at such low cost.

Find out how you can get low-cost group coverage for your family. A company with as few as 5 employees may qualify as a group. Today, call or write: Blue Cross - Blue Shield

Mr. Gordon Cox, Huron Center; 1058 W. Huron Street, Pontiac, Michigan

Gilbert Lake

FANNIE ATEN MI 4-7157

31 Guests Entertained At Toboggan Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Reilly entertained 31 guests at their home on Drury Lane Saturday, Feb. 19. The guests enjoyed a spaghetti dinner at noon and in spite of the inclement weather had their scheduled toboggan party at North Hills Golf Course in the afternoon. Others danced and played games in the recreation room.

Guests of the Reillys and their daughters, Gail and Susan, included Mr. and Mrs. William Zechel and children, Gary and David, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sortman with Barbara, Fred and Judy Sortman, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Friedman, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belk and Carole, Judy and Robert Belk, Mr. and Mrs. James DuRoss with Carole and Tom DuRoss and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burkhardt and daughter Gail. Mrs. Reilly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reamer, who make their home with the Reillys, were also present.

OAKLAND HILLS

The Oakland Hills Country Club Subdivision Association held its annual meeting Monday evening, Feb. 21 at the Oakland Hills Country Club. The business of the evening was to elect new directors for two-year terms. Dr. I. D. Nickerson, Golf View drive, president of the association, presided at the meeting.

Please contact your area's Correspondent for The Eccentric, whose name and telephone number appears at the top of this column, with news you would like to have published.

Directors elected were W. W. Stoddard, Golf View drive, Ray J. Raupp, Mt. Vernon, G. H. Hedrick, Oak Hill, C. F. Henrichsen, and M. E. Sharp, of Oakhills. Retained on the board were Dr. Nickerson and E. M. Hill, of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Christian, South Miller Way, returned Wednesday, Feb. 23, from a busy three day visit in Chicago. Sunday evening, they were dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of Evanston, Ill., at the Pearson Hotel, along with Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. John Bennett, of Omaha.

Monday, Feb. 21, Mrs. Christian was honor guest at a luncheon at the Colonial Tea Room in Evanston. Entertaining for Mrs. Christian was Mrs. Lucille Patton. Other guests included Mrs. Robert Johnson and Mrs. Paul Bennett. Following the luncheon the guests attended an Art lecture in the Cahn auditorium at Northwestern university.

Just before leaving Chicago on Wednesday Mrs. Christian was entertained at lunch at Jacques on the near North Side.

Welcome to Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Durham who moved into their home at 5741 Snowshoe Circle recently. The Durhams moved here from Detroit but were formerly from the east. They have two children, Frank, 19, who is enrolled in Engineering at Yale, and Jane, 13, who attends Vaughan School. Durham is Railroad manager at Ford Motor Co., in Detroit.

WELCOME NEWCOMERS

South Miller Way residents are welcoming Mr. and Mrs. James D. Leslie who moved into their new home from Birmingham about two weeks ago. The Leslie children are Janine, 1, and James W., 9.

Leslie is Engineer in charge of Mechanical Development at Fisher Body in Detroit. He has been actively interested in photography, as a hobby, for several years and has a dark room in the basement of the new home. Both children are interested in photography, also, and like to help in developing and printing.

As a secondary hobby Leslie enjoys woodworking and expects to equip a shop for this kind of work. Mrs. Leslie is an enthusiastic gardener and will find much to keep her busy around the new home.

Saturday, February, 26, Gail Rielly entertained the members of her seventh grade class at Vaughan, at an afternoon of indoor games. Gail had planned to have a skating or toboggan party but the weather man did not cooperate.

Great fun was had in the Reilly recreation room, however, topped off with 'sloppy joes', hot chocolate and chocolate chip cookies. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Friedman were on hand to help with the games. Gail is the daughter of the Ralph R. Riellys of Drury Lane.

OUT OF TOWN GUESTS

Mrs. I. D. Nickerson, Golf View drive, is enjoying a visit from her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scesney who arrived Wednesday, Feb. 23, from Hawaii. The Scesneys have three children, Jeanne, 12, Johnny, 9, and Nancy, 7. They will stay for a time with Mrs. Nickerson and also in Detroit until May 20, when they will go to Montana for one and one-half years where Scesney will obtain his Master's degree.

Dr. and Mrs. Nickerson and their children, Sally and Dean, were among those present when members of Mrs. Nickerson's family gathered for their monthly potluck dinner Saturday, Feb. 26, at the home of Mrs. Nickerson's brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Liebold, Jr., in Detroit. This dinner had special significance, with the sister's family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scesney and children, of Hawaii present.

Another sister and family represented were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd George, with George and Buddy, of Howell, and 4 brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Liebold, of Syracuse, N. Y. with Rusty, Mark and Freddy, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Liebold and Stephen, of Northville, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Liebold, of Royal Oak, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Liebold with Billy and Allen, of Dearborn.

Another event honoring Mr. and Mrs. Scesney was a cocktail party Sunday, Feb. 27, when Dr. and Mrs. Nickerson entertained approximately 60 relatives and friends in their home at 6215 Golf-view drive. Out-of-town guests besides Mrs. Nickerson's sisters and brothers included her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Liebold, Sr., of Grosse Pointe, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Swenson, Benton Harbor and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard of Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Hagman, 3916 Cottontail lane, flew to Chicago Thursday, Feb. 24, on a business trip. They returned late Saturday night.

The Kappa Alpha Theta Alumnae dance Saturday evening, Feb. 26, at the Birmingham Country club drew several people from the area. Among those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Schweppe, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Badger, of Cottontail Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Hollenbeck, Snowshoe Circle, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Horner, Bloomfield Village and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Finch, of Square Lake road.

After the dance the group gathered at the Schweppe home for a late snack.

Bloomfield Village

Barbara Kilpatrick MI 4-8827

Lambda Tau Deltas Attend Benefit at Yacht Club

Several cars of women left the Village last Saturday, bound for the Detroit Yacht Club. The occasion was the annual spring fashion show and luncheon of Lamda Tau Delta sorority which is donating the proceeds of the affair to the Institute of Logopedics at Wichita, Kan. Viewing the new spring fashions from a Grosse Pointe shop were Mrs. Harold M. Dittrich, Mrs. John Hern, Mrs. Sam Brown, Mrs. David A. Taylor, Mrs. Martin Kostere, and Mrs. Robert L. Kilpatrick.

Mrs. W. F. Rostell, who was recently initiated to Lambda Tau Delta, had as her guests Mrs. Stanley Myer, Mrs. Robert Krogh, Mrs. Robert Altman, Mrs. Thomas Devine, Mrs. Fred Cowin and Mrs. R. F. Muncey. Mrs. James Nicholls attended the luncheon with Mrs. R. N. Green.

Mrs. Genero Florez of Hupp Cross road returned from Phoenix, Ariz., in time to pack and head for Denison University for the initiation of her daughter, Jean, in Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. The event, Mrs. Florez reported, brought back many pleasant memories of her own initiation to the Theta chapter at the University of Wisconsin. Mrs. Florez is active in the Birmingham alumnae group of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Please contact your area's Correspondent for The Eccentric, whose name and telephone number appears at the top of this column, with news you would like to have published.

While at Denison she also enjoyed seeing her son, Gerry, who has been practicing daily for a musical program to be given in March.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Dickie Braund, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Braund of Bradway boulevard, celebrated his 10th birthday Saturday, Feb. 19, by inviting his Cub Scout Den for lunch and a trip to the Shrine Circus. His guests included John Moore, Craig McFarland, Joey Thomas, Stanley Cutter, Scott Dittrich, Monty Loud and his cousin Steve Mertz.

Another 10th birthday was celebrated last Saturday at the Garrett Moore home on Overhill road. The host, John Moore, invited Scott Dittrich, Craig McFarland, Joey Thomas, Stanley Purdy, Dickie Braund, Stanley Cutter and Monty Loud for lunch. Latter the boys attended the matinee at the Birminhgam theater.

WELCOME NEWCOMERS

Welcome to Mr. and Mrs. George F. Miles who moved three weeks ago, to 325 Glengary road from New Haddon, where Miles is associated with the Vagabond Coach Manufacturing co. Both graduated from Albion college where Miles was affiliated with the Sigma Nu and his wife with Kappa Delta. Mrs. Miles has a life certificate in teaching and is very interested in working with children in hospitals.

The Miles have a son, Michael, 12, who attends Barnum school, a son Richard, 20, who is a sophomore at Northwestern university and a member of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity, and a daughter, Sue, 18, a freshman at Michigan State college where she is pledged to Kappa Delta sorority.

Den 2 of Cub Scout Pack B-16 visited the Guntzviller Taxidermy studio in Northville last week. They were accompanied by den mother, Mrs. Fred Smart, Jr., and Mrs. John P. O'Hara, Jr., who reported that the boys were very interested in the stuffed wolves, bears, coyotes, eagles, and rattlesnakes and that they listened wide-eyed to Mr. Guntzviller's story about being stung by 300 hornets at one time.

The Cubs in the group were John P. O'Hara, Jr., Patrick Cronin, John Hern, Charles Smart, Fred Smart, and Ricky Keyes.

Both the Bloomfield Village and Bloomfield Township fire departments answered a call Wednesday night, Feb. 23, from the Donald E. Wright home at 1031 Covington road. Volunteer fire chief, Charles Wiggins, reported that the fire was caused by a faulty hot water heater but was not serious and was well under control by the time the firemen arrived.

INVENTORY CLEARANCE

BROIL-QUICK ROTISSERIES

Formerly $69.95

CLEARANCE SALE

$22.50

Also tremendous savings on blenders, mixers, toasters, waffle irons and steam irons.

THE GOLF & GIFT MART INC.

217 Pierce St. (above Village Store) MI 4-7878

Midwest 4-9313

BIRMINGHAM ELECTRIC

PAUL NAUD

Complete Electrical Service

650 W. Ruffner, Birmingham

GLENN WING POWER TOOLS

• Atlas • Delta • Porter-Cable • Shopsmith • DeWalt Saws

1437 SOUTH WOODWARD

Five Blocks North of 14-Mile Rd.

BIRMINGHAM, MI 4-0444

Daily 8 to 6:00—Fri. 8 to 8:00

We Are Not The WORLD'S LARGEST DEALER

We Cannot Sell You A Car With No Down Payment

We cannot give you hundreds of dollars more than your car is worth.

HOWEVER

we can give you an

ACCURATE APPRAISAL

on your present car . . . it has never been worth more than it is today on a new

1955 MOTORAMIC CHEVROLET

See Us Now!

The NORTH CHEVROLET Co.

1000 S. Woodward MI 4-2735

Service Dept. open Mon. thru Fri. 7-6, Sat. 7-4

LEWIS..Brings you the YEAR'S GREATEST MATTRESS VALUE!

SIMMONS 85th Anniversary Mattress

$39.85 for this occasion only

YOU'D HAVE TO PAY MANY DOLLARS MORE FOR A MATTRESS LIKE THIS FAMOUS SIMMONS QUALITY.

310 COIL SPRINGS

More coils for more comfort, more durability!

AUTO-LOCK

With this stabilized construction, mattress keeps its comfort for years.

SAG FREE EDGES

Quality feature by Simmons. Edges retain their shape for the life of the mattress.

FRESH AIR

Built in ventilators to circulate fresh air through the entire mattress.

EASY TURNING

Strong cord handles make this mattress easy to turn, easy to carry.

BEAUTIFULLY DESIGNED TICKING

85th Anniversary cover, in soft stripes of gray with colorful floral design.

MATCHING BOX SPRING JUST 39.85

More than a Furniture Store - A Department Store for the Home

LEWIS Fine Furniture

203 Pierce St. Phone MI 4-4920

Pontiac Store 62-70 S. Saginaw St.

MARCH MESSAGE

ROSES: When the proper time comes we will offer some beautiful packaged NORTHERN GROWN roses. (No more Texas roses after what we learned about them in Chicago in January.) These will be mostly HYBRID TEA ROSES.

For gosh sakes, get OUT your catalogue and get IN your orders for FLORIBUNDAS, CLIMBERS, etc., before it is too late. We are not the only dealer who buys from VAUGHAN'S.

CUTTING: Although the ground is (may be) covered—but good—with snow, NOW is the time to get your LAWN MOWER conditioned. We have no axe to grind because we don't grind lawnmowers. However, if you forget and the grass gets 6 inches tall come in and we will tell you what to do.

FUNGI: Mushrooms, toadstools, MOLDS, SMUTS and MILDEWS! The last three spoil one-sixth of our fruit, vegetables and grains each year. BUT, maybe you can help reduce this loss by using N-TRICHLOROMETHYLTHIOTETRAHYDROPHTHALIMIDE.

If you wish to try and help please use the nickname CAPTAN when you come in for it. It will probably be one of the ingredients of an all-purpose dust.

INDOOR SHELF: For those who grow things inside we have a special assortment:

SEL-KAPS
STIM-U-PLANT TABS
AFRICAN VIOLET FOOD
AFRICAN VIOLET SOIL
AFRICAN VIOLET KITS
(These Africans are tough customers)
HYPONEX
RAPID-GRO
NEW PLANT LIFE
ROOTONE
FLORAGLOW
FLORA-BOMB (This happens after Flora Glows)
FRUITONE (Do you like seeds in your tomatoes?)
BOOK SHELF

Plan your garden and yard NOW. We have established a BOOK SHELF at the store (the books are for sale of course) including the following simple yet comprehensive volumes:

HOW TO GROW HOUSE PLANTS
PLANTS INDOORS
POPULAR GARDENING IDEAS
SMALL HOME LANDSCAPING
THE NEW BOOK OF LILIES
THE COMPLETE BOOK OF BULBS
COLOR & DESIGN OF GARDENS
WILD FLOWERS & HOW TO GROW THEM
GARDEN ENCYCLOPEDIA
10,000 GARDEN QUESTIONS
PRUNING GUIDE
VEGETABLE GARDEN BOOK
AFRICAN VIOLETS
ET CETERA.

from "Garcia"

McCLELLAN-BALL CO.

YARD GARDEN SUPPLIES FARM KENNEL

BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN

Phone MI 4-4133 159 Brownell St.