

There are some who hold that renting a home is less expensive and less bother than owning one. Nevertheless, more people live in homes they own than do rent. Perhaps this fact is rooted in the universal desire reaching back to those days when every family wanted its own cave. Pride of possession is a great stimulant to effort.

The Birmingham Eccentric

Section 6

Thursday, December 6, 1956

Minnesota Women's Yule Luncheon Set for Tomorrow

Friday is the day set for the University of Minnesota Women's club annual Christmas luncheon. The group will meet at 12:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Victor Drummond, Joyce court in Bloomfield Hills. Mrs. Drummond will be assisted by Mrs. John H. Gebro of Birmingham, Mrs. Merl Baker, Mrs. Raymond Books and Mrs. Alan Stanley. The program for the afternoon will consist of a group of Christmas readings by June Sanderson. Instead of exchanging presents among the members as has been done in previous years, the club has made arrangements for these gifts to be given to patients at Herman Kiefer hospital.



EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES at Penn Hall Junior college and Preparatory school, Chambersburg, Pa., make college days interesting for Birmingham coeds (from left) Ann Wright, Susan T. Aldrich and Martha McDonald. A freshman in the junior department, Ann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Wright, 315 Pilgrim. She is a member of the Hans Kindler Music club and the Glee club. Susan's parents are the Charles E. W. Aldrichs, 655 Baldwin court. Martha, in her second year, is a member of the Varsity Hockey team, the year book staff, the Commentator staff, Hans Kindler music club, Motet choir and the Glee club. She is the daughter of Clifford S. S. McDonald, 1472 Cranbrook road.

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Organists at the 8 p.m. event next Tuesday at Christ church Cranbrook will be Janet Wherry Martin and Robert Bates. Mrs. Roger I. Marquis, Mrs. Glen R. Miller, Mrs. Edward T. Chapman and Tempin Licklider will be soloists. St. Dunstan's president, Fred D. Hendrick, Jr., will lead the singing.

Members of St. Dunstan's board are arranging for the party when the group gathers afterward around the wassail bowl at the Cranbrook pavilion.

Board members making plans and putting up decorations include Hendrick, Mrs. Herbert Taylor, Mrs. Stephen F. Booth, Henry M. Jackson, J. Thomas Martin, Robert L. Garrison, Mrs. Robert H. Porter and Mrs. Donald S. Hutton.

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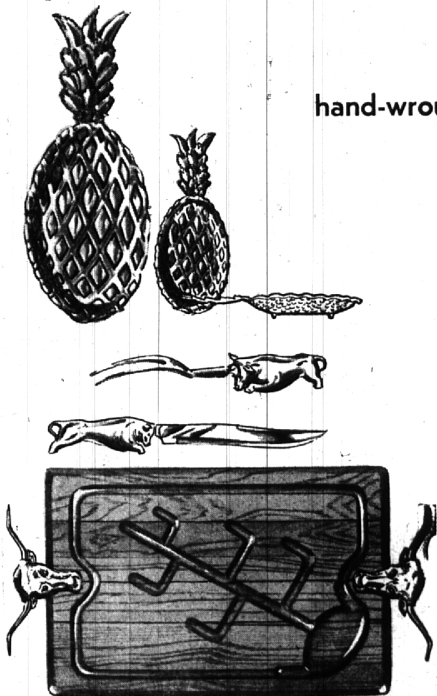
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