

To be sure, parents themselves have a right to be proud of their children, to be grateful that they grow into good men and women. Still, aren't the rest of us beneficiaries of each generation's crop of good youngsters? 'Tis life's very best harvest!

## Newcomers to See Summer Fashions

Newcomers' club's regular monthly luncheon will be next Thursday, 12:30 p.m., at the Community House.

After lunch, Davidson's of Birmingham, will present a fashion show, featuring summer attire for sports and dress.

Mrs. Louise Ivers will comment. Members who are modeling are Mrs. Franklin Mills, Mrs. Ian Harrower, Mrs. Harold Vagler, Mrs. Walter Mitchell and Mrs. Kenneth Moriarty.

Mrs. Mel Mauser, Mrs. Richard Stratton, Mrs. John Morris, Mrs. Richard Sigel and Mrs. Marvin Olson complete the list of member models.

All Birmingham newcomers are invited by the fashion-luncheon committee. Reservations must be made with the Community House before next Tuesday noon.



## District Governor To Visit Alphas

Mrs. Fred L. Davis of Detroit, one of the 12 district governors of Alpha Phi, international fraternity for women, will be with the local north suburban group of alumnae at their meeting Tuesday, May 15, at the home of Mrs. John E. Eckerode, Jr., 1099 Canterbury, Birmingham.

Mrs. Davis serves as the official link between collegiate and alumnae chapters in Michigan and Indiana. She will discuss the final arrangements for the Alpha Phi residing in her district who will be hostesses to the representatives of the entire fraternity at the biannual convention July 2-6 at Mackinac Island.

In addition, plans for the annual June picnic honoring husbands will be completed as will meeting schedules for the year 1956-57.

Assisting Mrs. Eckerode as co-hostesses will be Mrs. Richard Nette and Mrs. Richard W. Brown.

## Compositions Will Be Given First Performance

A program is to be presented at 8:30 p.m. Monday in Baldwin hall, Detroit, in which music by Detroit area composers will be featured.

Beta Chapter of Delta Omicron national professional music fraternity is sponsoring the event.

Among composers whose work will be performed is Esther Frost of Henrietta avenue, Birmingham, who has submitted several songs.

Catherine Skelley of Shipman avenue, Birmingham, will sing three songs written by Charles Winslow of Detroit.

## Weavers to Hear Lecturer, Designer

Miss Berta Frey, noted lecturer, designer and weaver will be guest speaker at the May 17 meeting of the Michigan Weavers guild.

Being held in the Founders room of the Detroit Institute of Arts, Miss Frey will conduct a morning session at which time she will demonstrate four harness, loom techniques at 10 a.m. At 1 p.m. she will lecture to the group.

A tea will follow for members of any guild in Detroit or suburbs.



**JANICE ELAINE FLEMINGTON**, daughter of the Herbert D. Flemingtons, Chester avenue, Birmingham, is engaged to marry Knut Erichsen of Bloomfield Hills. Knut's parents are Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Erichsen of Oslo, Norway. A summer wedding is planned.

## BIRTHS

A son, George Robert III, was born April 7 to MR. AND MRS. G. ROBERT KERR of Fairfax, Va. Mrs. Kerr is the former Nancy Lippert of Birmingham.

A daughter, Kathryn Bryant, was born May 8 to MR. AND MRS. NATHAN B. HALL of Ann Arbor. Mrs. Hall is the former Anne Willson, daughter of the J. Curtis Willson of Half Moon road, Bloomfield Village.

## Hickory Grove PTA To Discuss Future Plans of School System

Hickory Grove faculty will hold open house for parents at the school tonight at 7:30 p.m. Featured will be an architectural display of the new elementary school, now under construction.

At 8 p.m., the PTA will present a panel discussion on the future plans of the school system. Dr. W. V. Hicks, consultant in the department of teacher education at Michigan State university, will be guest panelist.

DR. HICKS recently served as curriculum advisor during an educational survey of Hickory Grove conducted by the university.

Also on the panel will be Nathan Hargett, the school's superintendent-principal, and Dr. James Read, president of the Hickory Grove board of education. The curriculum, object of a year-long appraisal by the school administration, will be discussed.

Dr. Hicks' participation in the program is the installation of the PTA's new officers.

LOWELL EKLUND is president, Mrs. Ward Ross, vice-president, Mrs. Leslie Draker, teacher vice-president, and Frank Marback is father vice-president.

## Murrays Visiting From Great Lakes

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Murray of Great Lakes, Ill., are spending the week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boos of Detroit and the Donald Murrays of Tilbury road, Birmingham.

Dr. Murray is attached to a dental unit at Great Lakes naval training station.

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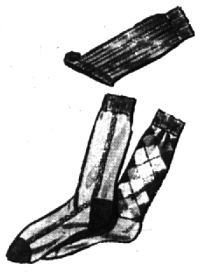
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