

Tea and Program of French Composers Presented for Birmingham Musicales

Music of French composers will be presented for members of the Birmingham Musicales when they meet at 2 o'clock Thursday, Nov. 8, at the Birmingham Community House. Mrs. Harold L. Walker, 17880 Kinross road, has charge of arrangements for the program and the tea which will follow.

Mrs. Walker has arranged a program, presenting the talents of a great artist, Dr. Helen Clapp Dudeck, cellist, and Birmingham Musicales active members: Sherku Yamasaki, pianist; Nioma Terakoman, soprano; Beverly Stief, soprano; and Lois Holmes, accompanist.

DR. DUDECK, who in private life is known as Mrs. Paul Dudeck, began the study of cello at the age of 10 years, and was one of the first students to attend Interlochen National Music camp. By Sigma Alpha Iota, National Music fraternity, she was awarded the Sward of Honor, and is past president of the Grosse Pointe alumnae chapter of that fraternity.

She will play De Pesch's Sonata, Musette and Air de Ballet of Offenbach and "The Swan" from Carnival of the Animals.

MRS. MINORU Yamasaki, a pianist who has had many appearances in the greater Detroit area, was graduated from the University of Southern California. She was awarded a three-year fellowship at Juillard School of Music and was a student of Carl Friedberg. She will open Thursday's program with "The Cuckoo," "Jack o' Lanterns" and a Greek ceremonial dance. To close the program she will play "The Fountain," "Reflections in the Water" and Toccata from "Pour le Piano."

Following Mrs. Yamasaki's first group, three duets will be sung by Mrs. Harold Sherman and Mrs. Raymond Stief.

MRS. SHERMAN, 715 Maple Grove, Royal Oak, attended Central Michigan College of Education, where she was a student of Harold Powers. At present she is studying with Frederick Protheroe of Detroit Institute of Musical Art, and is soprano soloist at St. James Episcopal church, Birmingham. She is an active member and past president of the Royal Oak Musicales.

Her teacher of voice at Primo School of Music and Dance in Berkeley, Mrs. Stief is soprano soloist at Our Shepherd Lutheran church, Birmingham. She is a member of the Detroit Opera Workshop, and is studying with Celeste Cole and Frederick Protheroe. In 1956 she was finalist in

Walter M. Taylor Pledges Fraternity

Walter M. Taylor recently became a pledge of Theta Delta Chi at Dartmouth college, Hanover, N. H. where fraternity membership is limited to the three upper classes. A son of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Taylor of Bingham road, he is a graduate of Cranbrook school.

At Dartmouth, where he is a sophomore, he is an active member of the Outing club, the Ski Patrol and the Mountaineering club, and was on the freshman football squad.

Have You Met . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Randall W. Hansen and their 11-month-old daughter, Jackie Charlotte? They are new residents, on Stanley avenue, who moved here last month from Pontiac. A University of Wisconsin graduate, Hansen is employed as a mathematician at General Motors Tech. Center. He is a member of the Masonic lodge and Pontiac Ski club. Stephens college is Mrs. Hansen's alma mater. They belong to First Presbyterian church in Birmingham.

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panist for the Detroit Madrigal club. Mrs. Donald M. Biggs of Stratford lane, Bloomfield Hills, and Mrs. Elmer C. Rosenberg of Ypsilanti will pour.

the Department of Parks and Recreation Auditions at Belle Isle.

MRS. WENDELL L. Holmes, 3650 Tuckahoe, Bloomfield Hills, accompanist for the cello and vocal numbers, has recently returned to Birmingham from Glenview, Ill., after a year of residence there. She received her musical training at the University of Michigan where she was a graduate of the Music school. She was a pupil of Albert Lockwood and Cal Beecher. For several years she was accom-



DR. HELEN CLAPP DUDECK

To the Qualified Electors of the City of Birmingham, County of Oakland, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in the City of Birmingham, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, on

TUESDAY, November 6, 1956

at the place or places of holding the election in said city as indicated below, viz:

- Precinct No. 1—Chestersfield Fire Station, 1800 West Maple
- Precinct No. 2—Holy Name School, Corner of Harmon and Greenwood
- Precinct No. 3—Adams School, Corner Oakland, Worth and Adams
- Precinct No. 4—Municipal Building, 151 Martin Street
- Precinct No. 5—Barnum School, Frank Street
- Precinct No. 6—Adams Fire Station, 572 S. Adams Ave.
- Precinct No. 7—Grand Trunk Station, 215 Eton Road
- Precinct No. 8—Birmingham High School, Corner W. Lincoln and Cranbrook
- Precinct No. 9—Pierce School, Pierce St.
- Precinct No. 10—Y.M.C.A., 100 E. Lincoln
- Precinct No. 11—Torry School, 1658 E. Lincoln, Corner of Torry

from seven o'clock in the forenoon until eight o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of voting on the following City proposals:

SEWAGE TREATMENT PLANT SALE PROPOSITION

Shall the City of Birmingham, Michigan, sell to the North Evergreen Sewage Disposal authority for the sum of \$549,750, its Sewage Treatment Plant including approximately seven acres of land upon which it is located, described as the northerly 400 feet of the southerly 675 feet of the easterly 770 feet of Section 34, T2 N R 10E, Bloomfield Township, Oakland County, Michigan?

CHARTER AMENDMENT PROPOSITION

Shall there be added to Chapter XII of the charter of the City of Birmingham, Michigan, a new section to read as follows:

Section 1-a The Commission may also without a vote of the electors, contract for the disposal of sewage from all or any part of the city, with any Authority created under the laws of the State, of which the city at the time is a constituent municipality?

IRENE E. HANLEY, City Clerk

October 26, 1956

DOWN TO EARTH

Horticultural News Told at Meet

When gardening is your interest, endless avenues of experience await you. Last week your writer attended the American Horticultural council meeting at Kellogg center in East Lansing.

At this meeting there were scientists in the horticultural field from all over the United States. This meeting was an occasion to exchange new developments since the last meeting.

Ethics of advertising to protect the gardener has been an important part of the work. This year these guests were thrilled one evening to hear the story and see the pictures of the General Motors Technical Center, as given by E. A. Elchardt, of Detroit.

NEW INTRODUCTIONS in the flower world for 1957 were eagerly received. Red Satin, a new hybrid petunia from California, holds its sharp coloring throughout the flower's cycle. It will grow 12 to 15 inches tall and has a mound-shaped shape. It is described as a multi-tifora petunia.

Glitters is a new hybrid petunia introduced from Japan, the first red and white bicolor of this category. It is compact, sturdy, and will grow around 12 inches high.

Twinkle is a new annual phlox for border use and will be about eight inches high. Each petal is sharply pointed like a star. It comes in a wide range of colors. Most of us have been using phlox drummondii for years and will welcome this new introduction which you will use instead of petunias for bright border interest. They



Mrs. Burlingame

By ALICE WESSELLS BURLINGAME
Special Writer for the Birmingham Eccentric

We know that light source, the object's texture and the observer's perception will condition a specific color. But now I think it won't be long before horticulturists will accept a uniform color fan. It will describe plants' colors which can be chosen to match other factors to be associated with the flower or leaf.

MANY AT THE American Horticultural council meeting had been recognized in various businesses and were representing their specific chosen flower interest, such as roses, orchids, etc.

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