



A PLAQUE from the AAUW was presented by Mrs. John S. Judd (from left) to Claude Morrow for the Birmingham branch of the Detroit Edison company for its cooperation with the group through the use of its building for the last 13 years. Looking on are Mrs. Howard B. Green, president and Walker Lee Cislcr.

Walker Lee Cislcr Talks to AAUW On Peaceful Means of Atomic Energy

Atomic Energy for peaceful means is now being produced at the Enrico Fermi Atomic Power Plant in Monroe, stated Walker Lee Cislcr, president and director of the Detroit Edison Co. before the American association of University Women Birmingham Branch at the Community House.

The cost is too high for general industrial use, but according to Mr. Cislcr should be available within ten years. The country which paces in the production of fissionable material ready for the production of Atomic energy will take the lead.

The Monroe plant, financed by 24 companies at a cost of 45 million dollars, is at present in the developmental stage and is the first plant to successfully establish a chain reaction with peaceful intent. It is a symbol of international cooperation since all information is available to the world. To date, our Monroe plant produces more fuel than it needs.

CIVILIZATION depends upon the production of energy, Mr. Cislcr said. From the time fire was discovered by man, through the use of the thermal wheel, there has been a close relation between the utilization of energy and the progress of man. The country which controls energy sources has the power to control the world, herein lies the significance of the Suez Canal for Britain it brings oil, its most important energy source.

The general use of atomic energy is dependent on the depletion of our coal and oil supply. Four hundred and fifty million tons of coal was produced in the U.S. last year and it is estimated that ten years hence the need will be greater. One pound of uranium is equivalent to thirteen hundred tons of coal.

THE BURNING of coal for energy is a chemical reaction, while the production of atomic energy is a conversion. Dependent upon Albert Einstein's theory of relativity, atomic energy is similar to the basic production of heat and energy in nature and is more effective, much simpler and requires fewer facilities and less storage space. In time, it will be cleaner.

One bar of uranium contains isotopes U 235, which is fissionable material, and isotope U 238 which is termed fertile but not fissionable material. Only seven tenths of the material of nature is fissionable and ready for Atomic conversion.

Lecture on Table Settings To Be Presented by Author

With wit, originality and artistry, Mrs. Emily Stuebeling will present her lecture on table settings, flower arrangements and decorations throughout the house at the Nov. 27th meeting of the Birmingham Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Associations. The 1:30 p.m. meeting will be held at the Community House.

Mrs. Stuebeling has a unique appeal because she is more than a lecturer. She is, on the platform, both a teacher and artist at work. She brings with her all the raw materials of her art and then, before the eyes of her audience, creates the table setting of flower arrangements. She not only presents new ideas for the hostess but shows how to carry them out, talking, as she works, with the vivacity and humor which are the keynotes of her personality.

The speaker will be the house guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. P. McKonkie of West Lincoln for several days during her lecture.

Mrs. McKonkie, program chairman, will introduce her guest and also on the program will be garden tips on "Starting Seeds Indoors" by Mrs. William Hyland.

GUESTS included Charles Drake, Mr. Cislcr's special assistant, Claude Morrow, local manager of the Detroit Edison company and district officials. A plaque was presented to the Birmingham branch of the AAUW for its cooperation with the group through the use of its building for the last thirteen years. Mrs. John S. Judd made the presentation. Mrs. Howard B. Green is president.

"A BOUNTIFUL HARVEST TEA" will follow the meeting planned by tea chairman for the day, Mrs. George O. Cutler, who will also make one of her lovely arrangements for the tea table.

Her assisting committee is Mrs. Paul Grant, Mrs. Carl Abbott, Mrs. J. Edward Gill, Mrs. W. J. McCortney, Mrs. A. J. Forster, Mrs. Richard W. Burgis and Mrs. Donald Wallace.

Pouring will be Mrs. Robert Mason, Mrs. William McCallum, Mrs. Carman Adams and Mrs. George Dixon.

Hospitality committee will consist of Mrs. Owen Hendren, Mrs. Ormond Wessels, Mrs. A. C. Jordan and Mrs. Ray Washburn.

Duck Hunting, Relaxation for Committee Head

Mr. and Mrs. Walter A. Williams of Glangarry road, together with their son, Walker F. Williams, Miss Elizabeth Boyne, and the Edward W. Brehms, spent the past Friday-to-Sunday week-end duck hunting at a lodge at Monroe.

The duck hunting was a bit of change and relaxation for Mrs. Williams, chairman of the Detroit Grand Opera Association's women's committee, after the Nov. 14 close of the grand opera season at Masonic Temple.

Honoring a group of her fellow opera workers, Mrs. Williams entertained at a luncheon at the Detroit Athletic club last Tuesday. At the table, centered with white carnations and pink stock, places were marked for Irene Kramarich and Hevety Bower, two of the New York City Opera stars, and Mrs. Julius Rudel, wife of one of the conductors; Mrs. William H. McCaughey, Mrs. John S. French, Mrs. James J. Nance, Mrs. Victor Brink, Mrs. Gunnar Karlstrom, Mrs. John Churchill, Mrs. Holmes Brown, Mrs. Charles J. Fellrath, and Mrs. Harold C. Vollmer.

Troth Reveals Altar Date

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent B. Watkins of 587 Henley drive, Birmingham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara, to Robertson Andrew Struthers, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James A. Struthers of Minneapolis, Minn.

Miss Watkins graduated from Kingwood school Cranbrook and Middlebury college. Mr. Struthers graduated from Blake school and the University of Minnesota. He is attending Hastings Law school of the University of California in San Francisco.

A December 22nd wedding is planned.



BARBARA WATKINS

Detroit Artists' Market Shows Cranbrook Weaver

Detroit Artists' Market has announced the opening on Friday, November 23, of an exhibition of the work of Marianne Strengell, head of the department of weaving and textile design at Cranbrook Academy of Art. This is the third one-man show for Miss Strengell in one year. The first was held at Cranbrook Academy of Art Galleries, the second toured the Scandinavian countries last summer and is still circulating there.

One of the important items in the Artists' Market exhibition is a large rug in 15 brilliant colors specially woven for this show. Other items include woven and printed

textiles, sheers, blankets, upholstery fabrics, rug samples and six pieces woven on the Cranbrook power loom. Miss Strengell also pursues photography as an avocation, specializing in flower prints and photographs, some of which will be shown.

Hostesses from this area for the opening tea on Friday include Mrs. Walter Hickey, Mrs. Elliot Robinson, Mrs. Harry L. Winston, Mrs. Benjamin Micou, Mrs. Hilbert DeLaware, Mrs. Zoltan Sepeshy, Mrs. Robert Swanson and Mrs. Willy P. Wagner.

We Give Thanks

We would like to join you this Thanksgiving day in giving thanks for the many blessings which we have received. May the gratitude of the early Pilgrims for their blessings (meager in comparison with ours) set the example for all of us on this day.

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