

SOCIETY

Club Calendar

February 24
The Past Matron's club of Birmingham Chapter 229, Order of Eastern Star, will hold its annual meeting at the home of Mrs.

Walter H. Weitzel, 4691 Hadlington Lane, Bloomfield township, at 1:00 p.m. Election of officers will follow a dessert luncheon.

Village Garden Club will meet at the Detroit Boat club for meeting and luncheon. Mrs. Oscar Keyser will be hostess. Guest speaker, James Schoeder, will talk on the "St. Lawrence Seaway."

February 23
Altruism club of greater Birmingham will be entertained for dessert and coffee followed by a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Russell Barnes, 788 Randall court, at 7 p.m.

February 27
Past Chief of club will meet at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Irene Gifford, 951 Ruffner street, Birmingham.

Birthdays, anniversaries, guests, births, parties are all new—call the society editor about them.

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JUDITH RITNER

Troth Announced Valentine Day

The announcement of Judith Patricia Ritner's betrothal to Peter John Shagena was made Valentine's Day. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Ritner of Clarendon Crest, Franklin.

Judith is a graduate of Michigan State university and her fiancé graduated from Notre Dame. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Shagena of Caro, formerly of Flint.

A September wedding is planned.

Mt. Holyoke Teacher and Dr. Haskell Wed

Vows were exchanged between Berjousie Andreassian and Edward O. Haskell, Jr., in the Community church of New York January 31. Dr. Haskell is the son of Mrs. E. O. Haskell of Ridgeland road.

The bride, a native of Lebanon, is an assistant professor in the department of religion at Mount Holyoke college. The bridegroom is on the counseling staff of George W. Hawlett high school, Long Island.



The Fred E. Bigelows Return from Jamaica

The Fred E. Bigelows of North Adams road are back in the Winter Wonderland after six weeks in Jamaica, British West Indies.

They arrived in December and made their headquarters at the Chatham hotel at Montego Bay during their stay. Many hours were spent at the edge of the hotel pool basking in the sun enjoying the 90 degree temperature.

Side trips were taken along the picturesque narrow roads in little English towns to Ocho Rios where they dined at the Jamaican Inn. Another trip was taken to Mammee Bay, Ocho Rios, where they enjoyed the tropical gardens and luncheoned at the Arawak hotel.

They also spent time at the Shaw park and beach where they enjoyed the scenic, countryside 500 feet above sea level.

During their travels on Jamaica they met Dr. and Mrs. Morris Schwartz of Glenham, N. Y., whom they discovered while chatting, that Mrs. Schwartz and Mrs. Bigelow were cousins both from Canada.

Before leaving they attended a cocktail party honoring the Stanley Posters and their Chatham Hotel in a 25th anniversary celebration. The Bigelows stopped off in Miami, Fla., for five days before their return home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rex of Kirkcaldy road joined Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCartney of Burnley drive on a three weeks trip to Florida and the Bahamas. They left here in the "Aero

Commander," a twin engine plane that was piloted by McCartney. Much of the time was spent relaxing at the Pompano Surf club at Pompano Beach, Fla. Five days were spent island hopping in the Bahamas.

They found the Andras Island most interesting and made their headquarters at the Lighthouse club while they toured the island. Another stop was made on Eleuthra island where they stayed at the Rock Sound club.

While there they did some deep sea fishing for milar and dolphin. They also did some "bone fishing" that is becoming very popular in the islands. A rowboat equipped with a native guide took them up the narrow creeks where they netted their bone fish in three feet of water. They found it to be more exciting than deep sea fishing.

During their shelling strolls along the white sand beaches they collected many fine flower shells that are a deep purple color and conch shells.

The John Goetztes of N. Reading road hosted a buffet and square dance party for 20 friends of the Flint area Feb. 8.

The same group recently gave the Goetztes a farewell party when they moved from Flint into their new home on N. Reading. They have two daughters, Sandra, 19, a student at University of Michigan, and Candace, 9, a pupil at Eastover.

Goetz is personnel director of the Process Development staff at the General Motors Tech Centre. Their interests include gardening, sewing, square dancing and they belong to the Callers Choice in Detroit.

Mrs. C. S. Maxwell entertained at a dessert-bridge in her Hylane drive home an afternoon last week. Her guests were Mrs. Frank Kelly, Mrs. Richard Strohm, Mrs. Vera Fritzman of Royal Oak. The group have been meeting weekly for the past four years.

Apple branches sprayed white with dangling red hearts adorned the walls at the Valentine dance in the Eastover school's multi-purpose room on Friday evening. The many couples attending danced square and round dancing to the tunes of the Frank Shafer Orchestra.

The caller for the square dancing was Sam Joan. Chairmen for the event were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Carnegie, Mrs. Gordon Johnson and Mrs. John Ready. The PTO invited the teachers to be their guests.

The Hugh Carneys of Sussex road were among the many couples hosting cocktail parties before the dance.

A daughter, Elizabeth Ann, was born to the Fred Trickets of Orchard Hills drive on Jan. 25. Her junior admirers are her three brothers, Fred, 10, Dick, 8, and Dennis, 7.

Chapel Hills Estates have many new families moving into the area. The Thomas Rockers and their four year old son, John, are enjoying their new home on Ashover road. Rocky is in the stamping department at Chrysler Corp.

Another new family on Ashover road are the Barry Joneses and their two children, Robyn, 7 and Harry, 7 months. Their move was from Loxonia. Jones is on the treasurer's staff of Chrysler Corp., and is an avid golfer.

Newcomers on Leadbetter road, Chapel Hills, are the James Duttons of Detroit. They have four children, Sharon, 16, Nancy, 14, attend Avondale high, Jim, 10, is a pupil at Auburn Heights, and Ricky, 8, a student at Stone.

Leadbetter is an application engineer in sales of Vickers, Inc., and Mrs. Leadbetter is with Zurich Insurance Co., Detroit. They and their children enjoy tobogganing, skiing and skating.

The William Foxes are new residents on South Blvd., formerly of Southfield. Fox is affiliated with the Detroit Bank and Trust Co., Detroit. They have two daughters, Patricia, 8, attending Auburn Heights, and Denise, 4.

Have you met the John Mooneys of Winchcombe, Chapel Hills? They recently moved from Detroit. Mooney is an engineer with General Motors Truck and Coach in Pontiac.

The Mooneys are enjoying their new son, Tim, born on Jan. 5. They have another son, John, two years old.

Newcomers to Southdown court, Eastover Farms, are the Carl Roesechs of Grosse Pointe Woods. Roesch is part owner of Roesch McKnight Furniture in Grosse Pointe Woods. They have a 16 month old daughter, Carlene. Their interests center around photography, golf, and their new home.

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Engagement Announced

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