



**At Fancy Dress Ball**

Escorting Susan Tabor to the "Golden Jubilee" of Washington and Lee university's Fancy Dress Ball in Lexington, Va., is Donald Thalacker. She, a sophomore at Skidmore college in N.Y., is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Tabor of Devonshire road, Birmingham. Don, the son of Mrs. Arbie Thalacker of Bloomfield Hills, is a sophomore at Washington & Lee. Sue is dressed as Scarlet O'Hara and Don as Rhett Butler.

**Books**

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 were not an integral part of her upbringing.

Mary's mother was a vivacious, yet timid, woman, who allowed her husband to destroy her. Her vitriolic hate for her daughter was shown in many petty ways, including pages of a diary, which she bequeathed to her daughter, where this hate is plainly set forth.

Combined with his temperamental disposition, Mary's father had a genius for failure. He knew how to spend money wastefully, but had no ability to make money.

IN THE early days of the silent pictures, the whole family became movie "fans" and from that point on Mary was to be a movie star. The schemas in which they indulged and the relentless drive extended before success crowned their efforts, are almost unbelievable.

However, one thing above all else stands out: Mary's father rode his child's life, personal and professional, in the same manner that a witch rides a broomstick. Not for one moment was she allowed to think or act for herself.

When the break came with her father, as it had to come, Mary had no preparation, intellectual or emotional, for disciplining her own life. Her emotions—and they were erratic and weak—were to be the sole guide for the next 25 years.

AT THIS point "My Story" becomes a catalogue of moral transgressions and alcoholic meanderings. There are overtures to sanity and respectability through the church, but failure was always the result. Marriages and love affairs follow in rapid succession, all of them doomed.

The literary style shows the fine hand of an editor who knows how to use restraint. There are times, however, when the language becomes so flamboyant and elche-rided as to cause the reader to wince.

If "My Story" ended in this style and at this point, it could be dismissed as just so much sensationalism. However, the final chapter is reward for having waded through what preceded.

MISS Astor gives one of the clearest and best presented analyses of the difficulty of "knowing thyself." She does not excuse or

**LEGAL NOTICE**

Clarence B. Bowman, Atty., 297 Washburn Bldg., Birmingham, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland, at a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 27th day of January, A.D. 1959.

Present: Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of WIL- LIAM L. FORTIER, Plaintiff, vs. ALFRED D. FORTIER, Defendant.

Emma Alice Fortier having filed a petition for administration of the estate of said decedent, and the Court being satisfied that said decedent was duly and lawfully deceased, and that administration of said estate should be committed to said petitioner, the executor named in said will, or to the person to whom the Court should determine of the legal heirs of said decedent.

It is Ordered: That the 2nd day of March, A.D. 1959, at 9 o'clock, forenoon, at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing and settlement of said petition.

ARTHUR E. MOORE, Judge of Probate.



**Outstanding At Hillsdale**

Susan Paula Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Cole of 6280 Worthington, a senior on the Hillsdale college campus, has been selected for inclusion in the 1959-1959 edition of the Who's Who Among College Students in American Colleges and Universities publication. She is a graduate of the Bloomfield Hills high school.

Susan was selected for her outstanding ability in leadership, both scholastically and extra-curricular achievements. Selection is made by her fellow students, the college faculty, and the editors of the publication.

DURING HER STAY at Hillsdale Susan has been a member and officer of the Chi Omega social sorority. She has been most active in dramatics, being a member of Tower Players for four years, also serving in an office of that dramatics club.

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**Pledges Tri Delta**

Roberta Rebecca Wood, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Benson J. Wood, of 1940 Cedar Hill drive, Bloomfield township, Birmingham, were recently pledged to Delta Delta Delta at Michigan State university. Rebecca was elected president and Roberta vice president of the new pledge class.

Editorial Member  
 Diana Forshaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hildreth Forshaw, 1530 Glenway road, is a member of the editorial board of Scope, the campus literary magazine at Western College for Women in Oxford, Ohio. A senior, she is majoring in English at Western.

**Students Enjoy Semester Break**

We received news from the University of Colorado on what all of the freshmen from Birmingham did over the semester break holidays.

Brad Mack had a terrific time skiing at Winter Park in Colorado. Rogers had the chance and went to Aspen to do a little partying and much skiing. Sue Rogers had the chance and went to Aspen to do a little partying and much skiing.

Sarah Blunt flew to Washington, D.C. to visit and to look for a job for this coming summer. She found a job and had a wonderful time. Tom Fontaine rested and had a good time skiing.

Manager at Denison  
 Phil Fleming, sophomore at Denison university, Granville, Ohio, recently has been selected as advertising manager for the Denisonian, campus newspaper at Denison. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fleming of Franklin road, Bloomfield Hills.

**'Heart of Fashion' Presented at MSU**

Three Birmingham students, Denise Donmoyer, daughter of the W. L. Donmoyers of Sheridan drive; Sandra Firth, daughter of the W. T. Larnes of Kentmoor road; and Michael Oldham, son of the R. J. Oldhams of Maryland, were among 60 students at MSU chosen to model in the "Heart of Fashion" style show, March 3.

The fashion show is part of the Union Board Week, an annual university event, sponsored by the governing board of the student union on campus.

On Honor List  
 Seven girls from Birmingham on the honor list at Mercy college are Helen Braley and Barbara Carroll, seniors; Adrienne Tuyn, junior; Alicia Jo Yarsavage, sophomore; and Sally Lee Croke, Barbara Cueny and Mary Susan Schlacter.

VP of Fraternity  
 Carl Karlstrom, 701 Colonial ct., Birmingham, student at the University of Wisconsin, was recently elected vice president of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity at the State University.

**Local Coed Elected Chairman at Beloit**

Sophomore, Suzanne Hindle of Bloomfield Hills, was recently elected social co-chairman of the Associated Women Students at Beloit college. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Hindle of 2883 Colonial Way, Miss Hindle has been active on campus as a dorm officer and a member of Social Board and the dramatics organization. She is affiliated with Delta Gamma sorority.

Voting took place in the women's dormitories a few days before final exams started. Activities of A.W.S. is it is popularly called, include the administration of dorm rules,

**Receives Degree**

Jean Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor of Lathrup, was one of 28 who were awarded their bachelor of arts degrees from Albion college. At the same time, Jean received her state teacher's certificate. While at Albion, she majored in education. She will return to the Albion campus in June for the formal graduation ceremonies.

publication of student directories and an orientation booklet for freshman girls, sponsoring the Big Little Sister program, and parties for underprivileged children from the Beloit area.

**Elected Co-Social Chairman of Class**

Nancy Sheldon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sheldon of Thorncrest, was elected co-social chairman of her junior class in the Hillsdale college campus. Her position places upon her the obligation of organizing the J-Hop, biggest event of the year at Hillsdale.



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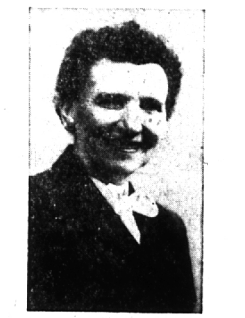
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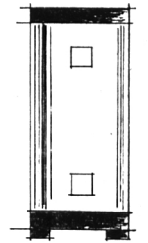
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