

A kindly, dedicated and informed school teacher, like a kindly, dedicated and loving parent, is one of the earth's most valuable human beings. From such a life flows untold good—good that may be manifest in the lives of students of many youth, grown man and womanhood. What would rouse inner joy must be such a teacher's what inspiring memories must be the heritage of students!

Membership Drive Gets Underway

The South Oakland Symphony will launch its membership drive in the Birmingham-Bloomfield Hills area today with a tea at the home of Mrs. Palmer Sutton of Bristol lane.

Assisting will be Mrs. H. H. Gardner, Mrs. W. H. Koencke, Mrs. Marguerite Mayne, Mrs. Ronald Kasperzak and Mrs. John Raymond, all board members of the society.

THE ORCHESTRA, under the direction of Henri Nozo, is made up of approximately 75 semi-professional musicians living in the South Oakland County area.

Five concerts are scheduled for the 1959-60 season, the first being Nov. 19 with Ruth Slenczynska, pianist, as soloist. Miss Slenczynska, sometimes hailed as the greatest child prodigy since Mozart, is now a world renowned artist. She will play "Concerto No. 2 in F Minor" by Chopin.

DECEMBER 6, "Peter and the Wolf" narrated by Eugene Brooks, local TV and radio personality and the Contemporary Civic Ballet, under the direction of Rose Marie Floyd, will present "Les Sylphides," by Chopin.

Joseph Silverstein, violinist, will be the soloist on Feb. 21, playing the Tchaikovsky "Concerto in G Major." Mr. Silverstein, a former Detroit, is the only American winner in the recent "Queen Elizabeth of Belgium" competition and is currently with the Boston Symphony orchestra.

THE ORCHESTRA will present a concert version of "La Boheme" with soloists and chorus and Hagdin's "Farewell Symphony" in the atmosphere of the 18th century.

Beethoven's Ninth Symphony will be presented on May 28. Also assisting the orchestra will be the newly formed South Oakland Symphony chorus. All concerts are in the Oak Park high school auditorium, Coolidge highway and 9 1/2 Mile road.

TICKETS may be purchased from Sept. 21 through the 26 at 227 W. Maple avenue, Birmingham, or 818 N. Woodward, Royal Oak.

Serving on the ticket committee are Mesdames R. H. Dickenshead, Richard D. Manke, W. H. Hohnmeyer, William W. Lyman, Jr., Lionel D. Thompson, Worthing H. Stone, W. D. McAlister, Herbert H. Gardner and Mrs. J. R. Phelps.

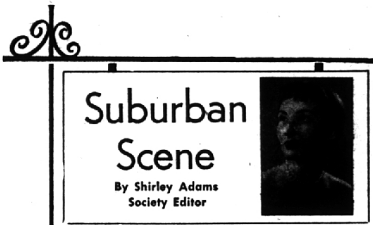


Andree Gallaudet Bows to Society



Assisting Houseguest

Andy, Bloomfield Deb, helping her houseguest, Niki Nixon of Rochester, N. Y., pin her corsage on her dress. Looking on are Mrs. Gallaudet and Edward E. Parson, III of Lima, Peru.



September Debutante

Wearing a gown of silk organza, Andree, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cockrell Gallaudet of Shadow lane, Bloomfield Hills, made her bow to society Friday evening at Birmingham Country club. Andree's frock featured a striped bodice of tiny black and white checks, a white bouffant skirt and front and back panels of matching checks fell gracefully to the hemline. A bouquet of American Beauty roses complemented her attire.

WITH ANDREE in the receiving line were her parents and houseguests, Niki Nixon of Rochester, N. Y., and Betsy Bacon of New York. Welcomes were exchanged in front of the club's main fireplace, which was decorated with a floral replica of the family crest. Mrs. Gallaudet appeared in a floor length moss green satin gown dotted with sequins. A matching satin panel in the back accented her gown.

The club was transformed into a lovely garden setting of colorful floral arrangements. In this atmosphere, the couples twirled to the tunes of Dave Farley's orchestra.



ANDREE GALLAUDET

B'hamites Open Homes to Students

Families who opened their homes to students from abroad last week were the George Hodges, Willys Wagners, Brooks Marshalls, Harold Brooks, Walter Pattons and the Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Norvell. They entertained students from London.

Students from the Philippines stayed at the homes of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Ecklund and Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Enzob, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nuffer entertained a student from Ecuador.

The Mark Duffield's home welcomed a student from Japan and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Page entertained a civil engineer student from China.

And Jamaica, Yugoslavia, Korea and Cambodia were represented at the homes of the William Gimmans, the Orren Mohlers, the Wilbur Saptors and the Harvey Markers.

Secretaries Meet

The first regular meeting of the South Oakland Chapter of the National Secretaries association was Tuesday at Devon Gables. Initiation was held for new members and recognition was given to all members who had joined the chapter since its installation on June 30. Mrs. Louise Feigter was the area was honored.

Membership Tea

The annual membership tea of the Oakland County Medical auxiliary was Wednesday from 2 to 4 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Harry Lichtwardt, 4805 North Haradale, Bloomfield township. Chairman of the tea was Mrs. John Williams.



Fred Missal Honored

Saturday was President's Day at Birmingham Country club honoring Fred Missal. Presenting a tea service to Mr. and Mrs. Missal from the club is J. G. Nick (left) of Dunblaine road, Birmingham. Cocktails, dinner and dancing were on the agenda for the evening.

Reception Sunday For National Chairman

Oakland County Republican women will honor the assistant chairman of the Republican National committee, Mrs. Frank E. Williams, at a reception Sunday at the Birmingham Community House from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Mrs. Williams, whose home is St. Petersburg, Fla., will be making her first official visit to Michigan. Her visit to Oakland county will be one of the most important social affairs for Republican women in recent years.

AN ASSISTANT chairman, Mrs. Williams is the National committee's director of women's activities. She is being honored to mark the inauguration of the Oakland County council of Republican Women's clubs. Many Birmingham area women have been active in planning this reception. Serving on the invitation committee are Mrs. George Hodges,

Detroit Athletic Club's Young Marrieds Party

To launch Detroit Athletic Club's fall social season on a particularly festive level, the entertainment committee chaired by Martin C. Callahan has scheduled a Young Marrieds Party on Sept. 30. It's to be a dancing and supper party sparked by entertainment.

The festivity will follow by a few days the stag reception and open house the club's directors will hold for new members Sept. 25.

In charge of arrangements for the Young Marrieds fete are Phil DeBeaubien and Thomas J. Bolton of Birmingham, Clyde P. Crane Jr. of Bloomfield Hills, and David C. Lloca of Grosse Pointe.

LOCALE will be DAC's main dining room where dancing will start at 9 o'clock (the later time benefiting couples who first want to get young offspring settled for the night). A special supper will be served. Plans are afoot for entertainment by amateur talent among the guests as well as professional entertainers.

On the bandstand will be Emery Deutsch and his "Singing Strings" orchestra—a popular Violinet Deutsch band group opened Sept. 11 at the DAC for an extended stay.

INCIDENTALLY, the committee points out there are no defined age limits on who qualifies as "young marrieds." That's up to practically all interested members. Young bachelor members and their dates are welcome.

The Sept. 25 reception for new



BARBARA LEE DUCHARME

MSU Students Engaged to Wed

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. DuCharme of Birchwood street, Birmingham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Lee, to Robert Thomas Knappe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Knappe of St. Clair Shores.

The bride-elect attends Michigan State university and is a member of Alpha Chi Omega. Her fiancé is a senior at MSU and affiliated with Phi Kappa Tau.

A summer wedding is planned.

Piety Hill's Ninth Annual Antique Show

Piety Hill chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution present its ninth annual antique show and sale at the Birmingham Community House. Doors will be opened from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. Sept. 23, 24, 25 and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Sept. 26.

Sam Yeagley of Amnville, Pa., will again manage the show. Outstanding dealers from New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Missouri, Indiana, New York, plus well known local dealers, will display and sell antique furniture, old prints, jewelry, glass, silver, pewter and copper wares. Chairman is Mrs. Fred Harley and co-chairman, Mrs. Roy Thurman.

THE ENTIRE proceeds from this event are used for the Society's patriotic, historical and educational interests.

Piety Hill's foremost enthusiasm among its national projects this year is aiding the Michigan Society which has undertaken the task of fully equipping and furnishing a dormitory for girls at Tannasee DAR school, Tannasee, South Carolina.

Scholarships are also sent to several of the 13 DAR supported schools. American flags are presented to new local schools and Piety Hill donated the flag and pole adjacent to the Birmingham Community House.

Magazine subscriptions given to the Dearborn Veteran's hospital and the annual DAR Good Citizenship Award given to an outstanding high school girl are other ways in which the DAR members support their community.

Oriental Atmosphere For Show

Nine members attired in Oriental costume greeted guests at Plum Hollow last week at the club's Ladies bridge luncheon and fashion show.

Multi-colored flower arrangements were displayed throughout the club with Japanese lanterns strung up on the light fixtures. Following a hearty meal of Chinese cuisine, members sat back and enjoyed a fashion show presented by Bloomfield Fashion shop.

LOCAL MEMBERS attending were Mesdames H. E. Reatty, T. J. Bennett, Gladstone Peters, Alfred Braun, William Christian, Jr., Ralph E. Gosler, Harold E. Ditt-rich, Forrest T. Ellis, Jr.

List continues with Stewart L. Ferguson, Bruce D. Foster, John J. Fox, Russell Herscher, Richard E. Horste, Walter Jenkins, Anthony Kernjak, Iwsten Lamoureux, Barclay McMillen, Harold Melochio, John O'Brien.

Bob G. Otto, Peter J. Russ, Jr., A. D. Schuffer, D. G. Scott, Andrew Sarto, Paul Tishken, Rudy Vidergar, Bruce Walker, Jack Whitehouse, and Robert Willis.



DRESSED IN BRILLIANT costumes to liamsbury road, Bloomfield Village, Mrs. carry out the oriental theme at Plum Hollow's bridge luncheon and fashion show are Hills and Mrs. Carl Just of Yarmouth drive, Birmingham.



All set to go to Piety Hill's annual antique show are (from left) Linda Hanson, 8 years old, of Hills drive, Bloomfield township, Mrs. Newell Allen of Park street, Birmingham, Mrs. M. M. Hanson and Mrs. Francis Fisher old, of Derby road, Birmingham.