

As we enter autumn when earth's flora, for the most part, will cease to wear its adornment, have we included in our enjoyment of flora an appreciative consciousness of the blessings of life itself? Have we stood before a bit of this greenery and, as we gaze, felt a sort of inner mental, even spiritual, thrill and exaltation as this miracle beckons to our admiration?

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MRS. FERRIS T. LARAWAY

Dawne Karnes Becomes Bride Of Mr. Laraway

Franklin Community Church was the scene Saturday evening for the marriage of Dawne Lee Karnes and Ferris T. Laraway. The Rev. Hugh C. White performed the 7:30 ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Karnes of Poplar Lane, Birmingham. Her husband is the son of Mrs. Charles Laraway of Muskegon, Mich., and the late Mr. Laraway.

ATTIRED IN ORGANZA

Given in marriage by her father, the bride appeared in a white silk organza floor length dress designed with a chapel train and re-embroidered alencon lace on the top and side panels of the skirt.

A Dior flower secured her veil and she carried a cascade of white roses, ivy and stephanotis.

FOUR ATTEND BRIDE

Maid of honor was Judith Karnes, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids were Leslie Allen, Sandra Sweet and Linda Laraway. Attendants were attired alike in mint silk organza dresses featuring a bow at the waistline. Their bouquets consisted of pom-pom mums, yellow roses and ivy.

THE BRIDEGROOM'S brother Duane served as best man. Seating the guests were Paul Vos, Fred Toxopius, Drummond Kurtz, Ronald Marlatte, Ronald Haas, William Haas, Ronald Burke and Bruce Laraway. Ring bearer was Charles Tindall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Tindall. Rhonda Vos served as flower girl. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vos. Rhonda wore a mint green dotted swiss dress.

FOR HER DAUGHTER'S wedding, Mrs. Karnes chose a jade silk organza sheath and Mrs. Laraway wore a blue silk dress with matching accessories. Following a reception at the home of the bride's parents, the newlyweds left for a wedding trip to northern Michigan. They will make their home in Saline, Mich.

Liturgical Crafts Exhibit Scheduled for September

A major exhibition of sacred paintings and sculpture and an exhibit of liturgical crafts have been scheduled for the Cranbrook Academy of Art, 3900 East River Road, Bloomfield Hills, Mich., from Sept. 9 through Oct. 8. Both will be part of the General Convention of the Protestant-Episcopal Church, set for Sept. 17 to Sept. 29 at Cobo Hall.

The exhibition of painting and sculpture, "Sacred Subjects by Twelve Contemporaries," will be held in Cranbrook Academy of Art Galleries. The galleries are open daily except Mondays and major holidays from 2 to 5 p.m.

THE LITURGICAL crafts exhibit will be displayed in the Guild Hall of Christ Church Cranbrook from 2 to 5 p.m. daily and will contain excellent examples of liturgical art in metal, wood and embroidery.

Sculptors participating in the exhibition at the galleries are Berthold Schwitz, head of the sculpture department at Cranbrook Academy of Art; Janet De Cox Gibson, Pa., former sculpture instructor at Cranbrook Academy of Art.

OES Smorgasbord

The ladies of Birmingham Chapter 220 OES will serve a smorgasbord dinner Sept. 9 at the Masonic Temple, 327 S. Woodward. Serving time is from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Ticket committee includes Mrs. Ray Bender, 22405 W. 13 Mile Road and Mrs. William Treshelba, 1291 Taunton. Members of the Past Matrons Club are serving on the planning committee for this event.

Junior Women's Club to Meet

The Birmingham Junior Women's Club will hold its first monthly meeting 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Ruth Shain Room at the Birmingham Community House. Guest speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Melvin Groves, Junior chairman of the Michigan Federation of the Junior Women's Club. She will talk on "Seven Million Women at a Glance."

Eccentric Offices Close Over Holiday

To afford its employees a chance to observe the Labor Day holiday weekend, The Birmingham Eccentric will close its offices Saturday, Sept. 2, and Monday, Sept. 4. All news contributors and advertisers are urged to get their copy in to our offices at 1225 E. Bowers, Birmingham, as early as possible.



Working on Fashion Show

Plans are underway for Birmingham Athletic Club's second fashion show. Committee members working on the Sept. 13 event are (from left) Mrs. James Lovett of Keithdale Road, Bloomfield Hills; Mrs. C. Wisniewski of Golfview Drive, Mrs. Webster Buell of Buckingham Road and Mrs. James M. Crabb Jr. of Lakeside Drive.

Michigan Animal Rescue League Plans Bloomfield Antique Fair

Antique and animal lovers will be welcomed at the ninth annual show to be held Sept. 14, 15 and 16 from 11 a.m. through 10 p.m. at Cranbrook Auditorium, 5500 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills. Again it will be sponsored by the Michigan Animal Rescue League who maintain a shelter at 790 Featherstone Road, Pontiac.

Proceeds go toward the upkeep and much needed expansion of the building.

IN SLIGHTLY over three years,

well over a thousand animals have been placed from the shelter into new and new homes and many hundreds of cruelty complaints investigated. It is the first and only shelter in the history of Oakland County, owned and operated exclusively by a Humane Society.

Antique furniture both elegant and primitive, old books, an unusual collection of glassware and other decorative items will be displayed at the Fair. Seventeen dealers from the Birmingham area will be present.

PATRONS FROM the Birmingham and Bloomfield areas include Mesdames Walter D. Appel, James A. Beresford, Max Colter, Dexter Craig, Irving A. Duffy, S. L. Goss, Graham J. Graham, Roger I. Marquis, Sidney Norwood. Also Mesdames Clark Matthews, C. K. Patterson, John Zarroti, Edward E. Rothman, Aaron Ricker, Graham Shinnick, Robert Skillman, Robert Traub, H. R. Turrell, Daniel Watts, Clifford West and Miss Elaine Appel and Miss Jeanette Hubbard.



Yule Show Gets Underway

There is more to the Christmas Show that Birmingham branch of WNGFA stages each year at the Community House than meets the eyes of the visitors. Mrs. Marvin Katke (left) chairman of this year's show, together with her committee have been working for weeks and are shown at the home of Mrs. Lewis Dibble (right) where they met Wednesday to collaborate on the mechanics of the show. Committee members are (second from left) Mrs. Norman W. Berry, Mrs. Seth Stawson and Mrs. C. V. Di Pietro.

New Members Feted At Morning Coffee

A morning coffee was recently given in honor of new Alpha Delta Pi alumnae in this area, at the home of Mrs. Fred R. Wuelner, 16037 Hummel Drive, president of the North Suburban Alpha Delta Pi Alumnae Association.

Newcomers include Mrs. Burton J. Dueck, Mrs. Peter S. Lindsey, Mrs. James D. Foss, Mrs. Richard B. Hill and Barbara Zimmerman.

THE NEW members were greeted with a directory of ADP's.

in the Birmingham and Detroit and a pamphlet highlighting the history and service work of the alumnae association.

On Sept. 7 the first meeting of the new year will be held at Mrs. Wuelner's home at 8 p.m., with Mrs. Richard Hilkey as co-hostess. Members new to this area are invited to attend.

At Boyne Mountain

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hizar and daughter Ginny of Avon Street, Birmingham, are vacationing at Boyne Mountain Lodge.

Mrs. Pinckney Celebrates 90th Birthday

Best wishes are in order for Mrs. Charles Pinckney (left) who is celebrating her 90th birthday today. A tea is being given for her in the Church parlors of the First Baptist Church. Hostesses are Mrs. George Wright and Mrs. Leroy W. Crazier. Chatting with Mrs. Pinckney is her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Smith of North Woodward, Birmingham. Mrs. Pinckney was born in Jacksonville, Ill. After residing in Kalamazoo for 35 years, she moved to Birmingham in 1936. She has been a member of the First Baptist Church of Birmingham since 1936. Her family includes three children, five grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.



September Book Sale Scheduled

With the 34th annual book sale scheduled a month earlier than usual, this summer has been a busy one for members of the American Association of University Women.

The sale is to be held this year in the Birmingham Room of the new Demery store, Sept. 25-30, from 9:30-5:45 p.m. each day and until 8:45 p.m. on Friday.

MEMBERS have been busy spreading the news and combing the area for book donations. Efforts being successful, several area garages are already filled to capacity.

Bargain prices are being put on more books each day by a large mailing committee. According to chairman, Mrs. Kenneth Kesler, "The sale will be held in the most spacious quarters we've ever had, and Demery's, like our past hosts, have been so co-operative, we hope to have the biggest book sale of all, this year."

HER CO-CHAIRMEN are Mrs. Nicholas Kenjow and Mrs. Peter Burns. Hard-working committee members are Mrs. Robert F. Kohr, Myrtle Hensley, Mrs. George Howell, Mrs. Ernest Upton, Mrs. Z. Louis Horvath, Mrs. Josephine Kurus, Mrs. H. Gidley and Mrs. William M. Barr. Mrs. Berrien C. Ketchum, Mrs. Richard W. Brown, Mrs. Karl D. Bailey, Mrs. Alan Marshall, Mrs. A. S. Thornbury, Mrs. Howard W. Kehl, Mrs. Morton G. Gotzman, Mrs. George Green, Mrs. Arthur T. Iverson Jr., Mrs. Marvin R. Marsh, Mrs. S. McFarland, Mrs. Miss N. McHugh, Mrs. John G. Williams, Mrs. David W. Zimmer, Mrs. J. H. Ganser, and Mrs. Edward Walter.

MRS. CARL J. Theobald, Mrs. Arthur Burleigh, Mrs. Herbert D. Hunter, Mrs. Noah O. Blosser, Mrs. Robert B. Stone, Mrs. Miss G. Walter, Mrs. Donald Fleiser, Mrs. E. B. Schunk, Mrs. John Eckenrode, Mrs. William Milligan, Mrs. Thomas A. Griffith, Mrs. Douglas Keys, Mrs. Peter F. Hilder, Mrs. H. W. Muenchinger, Mrs. Gilbert Seeley, Mrs. Gerald Joyn and Mrs. Dorman B. Dickerson Jr.

The sale has reached such a size in recent years that the Birmingham Branch has been able to contribute generously to the national and international AAUW fellowship ship program. This summer 10 teachers from this area pursued studies with AAUW grants.

THE TRANSPORTATION committee headed by Mrs. John G. Lavanakas and Mrs. C. V. Crockett will gladly pick up any books the public wishes to donate.

Miss McSweeney Frederick Boch Exchange Vows

Kathleen Mary McSweeney became the bride of Frederick Louis Boch Aug. 19 at Our Lady Queen of Martyrs Church, The Rev. Luciano A. Hebert performed the 11 o'clock ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James D. McSweeney of Glencoe Drive, Beverly Hills. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boch of Chickering Lane, Bloomfield Hills.

KATHLEEN appeared in a floor length gown of pearl white taffeta fashioned with lace applique square and fitted bodice with appliques on the bell-shaped skirt which fell into a chapel train.

Her illusion veil was held in place by a pearl crown. She carried white anemone lilies with stephanotis.

THE BRIDE'S maid of honor, Donna Cavel, wore a blue taffeta dress with a pouf over skirt. She carried white anemone lilies with yellow sweetheart roses.

Peter Hesse stood as best man and usher were Brian Boch and Terry McSweeney.

Following the ceremony and breakfast was a champagne and party at the home of the bride's parents.

FOR TRAVELING, the bride wore a gold brocade suit with a white fur stole and accessories. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. McSweeney chose a turquoise tulle dress with matching accessories and wore a cymbidium orchid. Mrs. Boch wore a blue and white silk dress with matching accessories and a white orchid corsage.

After their honeymoon, the couple will reside in Birmingham.

To Tour TV Station

Members of Birmingham Business Women's Club will gather Tuesday, Sept. 26 at 9:30 a.m. for the '61-'62 season Sept. 7 at the WXYZ Broadcast House, 10 Mile and Southfield, at 9:30 p.m. The group will tour the TV station facilities. A charter bus will leave Peirce and Brown in Birmingham at 8 p.m. Members and guests are cordially invited.



MRS. KENNETH R. KUHL

Nancy E. Walser Weds K. R. Kuhl In Bloomfield

Christ Church Cranbrook was the scene Saturday afternoon for the marriage of Nancy Ellen Walser and Kenneth Robert Kuhl. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Gerald O'Grady at 3:30 in the presence of the immediate families.

The bride is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Howard C. Walser of Northlawn Drive, Birmingham. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth William Kuhl of St. Paul, Minn.

FOR HER marriage, the bride chose a gown of alencon lace over white silk taffeta designed with a bell-shaped short skirt. A Queen of Scot cap secured her shoulder length veil of silk illusion. Her bridal bouquet consisted of phalaenopsis orchids.

Serving as her sister's matron of honor was Mrs. Roy M. Nelson. She appeared in a muted green and rose brocade dress and carried a bouquet of pink sweetheart roses.

Robert F. McCullough of Grosse Pointe was the bridegroom's best man.

FOR HER daughter's wedding, Mrs. Walser wore a blue and white silk print with blue accessories. Mrs. Kuhl's gown was beige silk.

Following a reception at Rotunda Inn, the couple left for a week in northern Michigan.

On their return, they will reside at 23834 Edsel Ford Court in St. Clair Shores.

Suburban Scene

By Shirley Adams
Society Editor

French Theme Chosen for Party

A French Cabaret theme has been selected by members of Cranbrook Country Club for their first Labor Day weekend party to be held Saturday evening. Mrs. James Russell, treasurer of the new club, is chairman for this entertainment. To achieve an authentic French atmosphere, some of the Villagers in Cranbrook have been busily painting replicas of French impressionist painters. They will display their masterpieces on easels around the poolside. Red and white checked tablecloths and candles in wine bottles will add to the cabaret scene.

Assisting Mrs. Russell with arrangements are Mr. and Mrs. Don Cavanaugh, Mrs. Gaylan Kersten, Mrs. John Scofield and Mrs. Douglas Bennaway. Dancing at the poolside under the stars will be to the music of Bob Gordon's Quintette. Program co-chairman Mrs. James Snediker and Mrs. Will Robertson are planning further entertainment.

A fall and winter social activities program is being planned by the Cranbrook Village Association with Mrs. James Russell as social chairman. All association members living in the village were polled this week concerning their preferences for various social activities. A dinner-dance at a nearby country club is scheduled for November.

BOWLING LEAGUES are now being organized with mixed bowling slated for Tuesday nights, beginning Sept. 12 and singles for Thursday nights. A proposed bridge tournament would be open to the approximately 10 bridge clubs within the village. Among the other events being proposed to members for their preferences are a street dance, an adult dance class, a garden club, children's Halloween party, teen dances, corn roasts, a monthly paper and golf league.

Officers of the Cranbrook Village Association are Sidney Zwiren, president; Russell Palmer, vice president; Robert Sutton, secretary; W. Richard Wallin, treasurer and board members include Don Cavanaugh, Roger Tyslan and Gilbert Rice.