



Serenading voters is the current work of George J. Fulkerson and Anna Roosevelt Halsted, who were serenaded themselves last week by balladier Kay Britten. The occasion was a tea launching work of the Women's Division of Citizens for Swainson, of which Mrs. Halsted is chairman, Fulkerson is the Democratic candidate for U.S. Congressman from the 18th District.

## Swainson Supporters Rallied Here

Anna Roosevelt Halsted opened her home on Bingham Lane, Bingham Farms, last week for the first major event of the Women's Division of Citizens for Swainson.

Mrs. Halsted, the daughter of former President Franklin Delano Roosevelt, is chairman of the Swainson volunteers' Women's Division.

Chief among honored guests at the tea was Robert Weaver, National Housing Administrator. Among Birmingham area residents attending were Mrs. Dorothy Kemp Roosevelt, Mrs. Allen Hennes, Mrs. Herbert Fisher, Mrs. Blythe R. Jones and Mrs. Norman B. Johnson.

WELL-KNOWN balladier Kay Britten entertained guests with folk songs.

In discussing the work of the Women's Division, Mrs. Halsted told guests, "We are concerned with problems of voter apathy and incorrect use of voting machines resulting in invalid ballots. We are, therefore, setting up information headquarters to instruct in proper use of voting machines.

"We are thrilled," Mrs. Halsted continued, "with an enormous response from unaffiliated women who are impressed with Governor Swainson's program. They want to do an educational job of bringing out an informed vote."

The chairman said she planned to meet personally with all workers during the campaign.

DEMOCRATIC candidates who attended the tea were Betty (Mrs. John H.) McVay, of 1878 Yosemite, Birmingham, who is running for county treasurer, and George J. Fulkerson, of 3011 Middebury, Bloomfield Township, candidate for U. S. Congressman from the 18th District.

## Woman's Club Departments Start Season

The four departments of the Birmingham Woman's Club and their new chairmen will have their first monthly meeting Oct. 16.

The fine arts department with Mrs. Thomas Fitzpatrick, chairman, will meet in the Ranch Room of the Community House. Members are inviting husbands and friends at 8 p.m. to hear Mr. Donald Walton talk on "Art is to Enjoy."

The American home department with Mrs. Frederick Kramer, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. John W. Walrath that afternoon to hear a talk on interior decorating.

THE LITERATURE department with Mrs. Annes Gregory will meet at the home of Mrs. George Steelman in the afternoon. Mayor Florence Willet will speak.

At an afternoon meeting at the Community House, modern living department will hear a talk on "Fragging Tips," Mrs. Donald Miller is chairman.

The president and vice president of the club will attend the Southeastern District Convention of the State Federation of Women's Clubs on Oct. 15 and 17. Mrs. Ralph Main, president of the Southeastern District, will also attend the meeting in East Lansing.

## 'Calendar Tea' to Raise Funds for Scholarship

A "Calendar Tea" on Wednesday is the project through which Cranbrook Branch WNEFA plans to raise scholarship funds.

The group is inviting the community to "have tea and see" 12 tea tables, each depicting a month of the year, from 2 to 5 p.m. at Birmingham Community House.

The tables will highlight seasonal events, from Valentine hearts and flowers for February, to a pink May pole for spring. A Christmas dessert table with antique crystal on a dark red damask cloth will depict December.

Mrs. Earl MacPherson, of Merrimac Court, Bloomfield Hills, is general chairman. Assisting are Mrs. W. H. Pettibone, Mrs. George Glover, Mrs. Oscar Mezey, Mrs. Russell Norris and Mrs. Dale D. Douglas.

POURING will be two honorees.

'Past Chiefs' Night To Be Celebrated

It will be "Past Chiefs" night at 8 p.m. Wednesday when Birmingham Temple No. 94 of Pythian Sisters meet at Birmingham Community House.

Past Chiefs will hold a white elephant sale, with arrangements by Violet Meyer, Nellie Tewilliger and Fern Simetz.

## Alumnae Plan Saturday Tea

Detroit branch of Lambda Tau Delta sorority is holding their alumnae tea Saturday. Mrs. Elmer Mellebrand is opening her Bloomfield Hills home for the occasion, at which members will meet prospective pledges.

Among local members planning to attend are Mrs. Bernard Dodd, Mrs. Gordon McGowan, and Mrs. John Hern.

## Meets in Pointe

Among Libri Club members who gathered in Grosse Pointe Shores last week was Mrs. John G. Wood, of Lone Pine Hill, Bloomfield Hills. The group heard Mrs. B. Dale Davis speak on old Detroit at the luncheon meeting at the home of Mrs. David Gamble.

## BEVERLY HILLS

# Clubs Plan Annual Tea; Welcome New Residents

By LOUISE N. KRAEMER MI 6-9716 Sheridan Drive and Mrs. Frank Hartge of Drury Lane.

The West Beverly Hostess Club and West Beverly Sewing Club will hold their annual fall tea on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Thomas Tulla, 18161 Riverside Drive. The purpose is to welcome new residents and re-acquaint old friends in the West Beverly area.

The sewing club was organized in 1952. They are members of the Needlework Guild of America. Persons willing to donate sewing time should contact Mrs. Herbert Wyatt, 18436 Devonshire.

THE HANNAH Guild of the Ascension Lutheran Church, 14 Mile Road, held a dessert bridge on Oct. 2, for 50 members and guests.

Mrs. Olcott Scott, 16971 Buckingham was chairman of the committee.

MR. AND MRS. C. A. HALL of Kenosha Drive have just returned from a three-week trip to Europe.

The visited friends in England, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, Germany, France and Switzerland and Carolyn visited all of the art galleries. They flew both ways, and returned by way of Greenland.

Mrs. Willard White of Hillcrest Blvd., president of the Detroit district Dental Auxiliary says the group will give a luncheon at Oakland Hills Country Club today. The program will be "Sidney Krandall and Sons Million Dollar Jewelry Show."

Hostesses for the day will be Mrs. Robert Ryding of Amberly Road, Mrs. James Barone of

MR. AND MRS. L. EVERETT Humphris of Reedmere have just returned from a colorful tour through northern Michigan where they visited Tahquamenon Falls and relatives in Bay City and Standish.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Zathoulak of Elizabeth Street held a cocktail party prior to the Beverly-Artesian dance at the K of C Hall on Southfield.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Martin Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Erhan who are new in the neighborhood. Other guests were Mr. Daniel Rempel, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Laugen and Mr. and Mrs. William Goulier, former residents of the community.

After the dance, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Rempel of Marguerite entertained the same group at breakfast.

TWENTY-ONE members of the West Beverly Hills Garden Club gathered on Sept. 27 at the home of Mrs. Harlan Ritz, 18146 Riverside Drive, for the regular monthly meeting. Speaker for the occasion was Mrs. Donald Irwin, state chairman of international cooperation for the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association.

Mrs. Irwin described the operation of the international farm youth exchange which fosters an exchange of farm young people between 45 foreign countries and the United States.

Co-hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Arthur DeRosier and Mrs. Edgar Schneider.



## Car Fleet's in for Orders

A special delivery crew for Camp Oakland's Christmas cards prepares to roll into action. From left are Mrs. Forest W. Shea, Mrs. S. M. Vass, Mrs. W. B. Calhoun, Jr., Mrs. John J. Nevin and Mrs. W. C. Newbern. Christmas Card Chairman Mrs. Calhoun and Distribution Chairman Mrs. Vass route their volunteer drivers to homes and offices in various parts of the county as card orders are ready. They leave from the Vass home on Pilgrim Road.

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