

The Birmingham Eccentric

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Just as lighted lamp has no concept of the darkness, neither does a working Christian envision an earthly environment of evil. This is not to say that such a one is blind to society's wrongs . . . but it does mean that he is willing to think and act and lend a hand to the sinner and thus help to raise him to a better life. W. C. are optimists with "hand-holds on heaven's gates."

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HANDYMAN'S SHOWER: A handyman's shower was the theme of a recent dinner party honoring bridegroom-elect Thomas Barrow and his fiancée Mary Ann Varlow. Mr. and Mrs. Philip E. Cartwright were the hosts in their Birmingham home, inviting guests to tote gifts that every well-stocked workshop should have. Tom is the son of Albert J. Barrow of Berea, O., and the late Mrs. Barrow, and Mary Ann's parents are the L. H. Varlows of Jackson Park Drive, Birmingham. She assisted her husband-to-be during the unwrapping session.



COMMUNITY SERVICE LEAGUE: Thirty-four members of Birmingham's Community Service League met in the Sandringham Road home of Mrs. Glenn Caldwell recently to enjoy a tea party and contribute funds toward the purchase of materials to be used by the Birmingham Senior Ladies group in their sewing projects for Veterans' Hospital. President Mrs. William Forsythe (from left) poured for Mrs. Mervin Nicholas and Mrs. Caldwell.

Soroptimist Sponsors Teen Award

The Soroptimist Club of Birmingham is sponsoring a National Foundation Citizenship Award. All high school seniors, both boys and girls, are eligible to compete. The national winner will be paid \$2,500 in a lump sum. This award may be used at the discretion of the recipient in any way he or she may decide which will best serve "aims and purposes" in achieving goals. Local and district awards precede the finale. Student applications have been left at all high schools and are self-explanatory. The regular monthly business meeting of Soroptimist Club will be held at 6:30 p.m. at Devon Gables, Citizenship Award Contest will be discussed.

The club wishes to thank the community for the support given to their recent rummage sale.

Delta Zeta

Delta Zeta Group 11 of Oakland County met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. James A. Platt of Farmington. The group made toys of washcloths which will be given to the deaf pre-schoolers of Oakland County.

Betty Hayes of Kirkshire in Birmingham and Mary Cay Ward of Berkeley served as cohostesses. Mrs. Carlyle W. Rees of Royal Oak is chairman of this group.

Ski Fashions Set By Area Chapter

A paid-up membership meeting is scheduled for Suburban Chapter B'tai B'rith women Wednesday, A 12 noon buffet luncheon will be served at the home of Mrs. Edwin Weinstein of Farmington.

A show of ski fashions, from the Alpine Ski Shop of Birmingham, will be modeled by B'tai B'rith members and narrated by Faith Lasker.

Changing Scene



AT CRANBROOK: Approximately 300 parents attended the first gathering of Cranbrook School's newly organized Dad's Club and had brunch together at Deven Gables preceding the school's homecoming game. Jack French (left) watched the game with Ben Mills and son Robbie. Among others on hand were Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Moon, the Russell Stricklands and Dr. and Mrs. Louis H'Romadko.



AT THE JONESES': The Oriental beauty of far eastern decor in the Bloomfield Hills home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Jones provided an appropriate setting for the bon voyage party given last week in honor of Harry Walsh preceding his departure for a

twenty-one day tour of the Orient. Mrs. Walsh (left), Mr. and Mrs. Jones and the honoree took time out during the evening for a walk through the gardens and over the artistic curved bridge which is a conversation piece.



AT THE GOLF CLUB: A ladies bridge luncheon held at the Detroit Golf Club last week attracted many Birmingham-Bloomfield women, among them Mrs. Vincent VanFleet who entertained in honor of her sister, Mrs. William Ross, of Kingsville, Ont., her houseguest. Seated it's Mrs. Victor Matthews

(from left), Mrs. VanFleet, Mrs. Frank Rennell and Mrs. Ross. Standing are Mrs. Thomas Wagner (left) and Mrs. Henry Schlachter. Other hostesses from the area included Mrs. Elmer Gormsen, Mrs. Louis Morse, Jr., and Mrs. Roy L. Thurman.

'Happy Holidays' Theme Of Westchester Meeting

"Happy Holidays" is the theme of the November meeting of the Westchester Branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association, to be held on Monday at the home of Mrs. John McCall, 405 Dalebrook Lane.

Because of a most exciting evening planned for the members, the meeting will begin promptly at 8 p.m. Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. G. O. Beeman, Mrs. Richard Kellogg and Mrs. John Singos.

MRS. ARTHUR STILLER, graduate judge of the WNF&G Judge's association, will speak on "Decorating Your Home for the Holiday Season," and will demonstrate her techniques in designing her unusual collection.

club members. A Thanksgiving table will be executed by Mrs. John Wait with Mrs. Hal Terres and Mrs. William Moore assisting.

THE CHRISTMAS table is to be done by Mrs. M. B. Ricketts assisted by Mrs. Lee Philip and Mrs. Nick Shardon. A New Year's table will be decorated by Mrs. Ray Glausser with the assistance of Mrs. Paul Weiner and Mrs. David Haibek.

The Westchester Branch of the WNF&G will be one of the Garden Clubs to have a booth at the Northville Christmas Market which will be held in the Northville Community Building on Main St. in Northville on Saturday, Dec. 7.

Mrs. Robert Dewar, 3045 Middlebury Lane, is chairman of the Westchester Booth at the market, and will have 15 members to assist her. Tickets will be available by contacting Mrs. Dewar.

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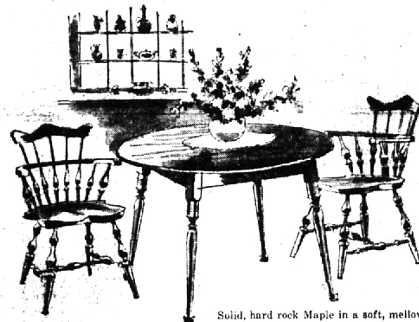
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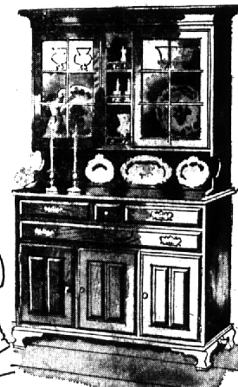
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