

The Birmingham Eccentric

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This earthly environment that North Americans live in these days is a far cry from the simplicities of our grandparents, and their ancestors. Today's standards of living are far beyond the hardships endured by those who really changed the land from wilderness to village and city, from prairie into wide pastures. Our forefathers met the rough and rugged challenges of primitive civilization; today we live the dangerously "softer" existence.

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The Whole Family Gets into the Act

All across South Oakland County, Feb. 8-18, are Girl Scouts "Cookie Sale Days," with Girl Scouts taking orders from neighbors, friends and families.

In Lathrup Village Girl Scout cookies and their proceeds, which go to provide a great camping program for girls of all ages, are a real family enterprise. A Boy Scout in his youth, Thomas Munson, 18153 Coral Gables, has retained his interest in Scouting and with his wife, Ruth, leader of Brownie Troop 474, and daughters, Kathy and Caro-

lyn, he annually prepares a cookie display in his business front to better acquaint the community with the needs and purposes of the sale and of Girl Scouting.

DAUGHTER KATHY is in her fourth year of scouting and is a member of Intermediate Troop 1063. Carolyn, 9, is a member of her mother's troop and until next year can only help with the display, since Brownie Scouts do not participate in door-to-door sales, leaving this duty to intermediate and senior Scouts.



They're Collecting Valentines

Members of St. Columban's parish, Birmingham, are making plans for a Valentine party to be held at the church the evening of Feb. 15. Formik of the evening is cards and a fashion show, gentlemen invited. On the prize committee are Mrs. Patrick Russell (left) and Mrs. Vernon Hess.

Local Women Back Bach Aria Group

Nine world-famous artists who make up the Bach Aria Group will appear in concert at Mercy College Monday at a benefit performance for the late Anthony Marlowe.

Working on the Bach Aria Committee are Mrs. Don Ahrens, 540 Haverhill, Bloomfield Hills; Mrs. Kenneth Cassidy, 1505 Kirkway Drive, Bloomfield Hills; Mrs. Louis J. Colombo, Jr., 3635 Lathrup Road; Mrs. A. Jerome Geisler, 5630 Wing Lake Road; Mrs. Anthony DeLorenzo, 3280 Broadway; Mrs. Nelson Mulligan, 17505 Meadows; Mrs. Harold E. Sweeney, 460 Linden Road; and Mrs. Earl G. Ward, 650 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills.

was choral director at Mercy College from 1955 until his death last June. Mr. Marlowe had been a lead tenor at the Metropolitan Opera for ten years before coming to Mercy College. Karl Haas, noted Detroit music commentator, is honorary chairman. He said, "The Bach Aria Group is altogether unique on the American concert stage, composed as it is of famous vocal and instrumental stars who interrupt their busy individual schedules to combine and subordinate their talents to the magic of Bach's music. Much of this music would be inaccessible were it not for the devotion of this great ensemble. Its appearance always constitutes a highlight of any concert calendar."



Becomes Bride

Given in marriage by her father, Nancy Jane Fortune became the bride of Dale Albert Laramie Saturday at 8 o'clock in St. John's Episcopal Church, Royal Oak.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Canon John Shuffelt and Canon Charles C. Jatho. Parents of the newlyweds are Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Fortune of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon F. Laramie also of Birmingham.

Junior Musical

The monthly meeting of the Junior Musical will be held Feb. 11 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Ann MacLachlan of 17830 Buckingham Road, Birmingham. The program will feature only compositions by American composers, a salute to the month which recognizes them.



SCOUTING IS A FAMILY affair with the Thomas Munson family of Lathrup Village. Currently they're all involved in the annual Girl Scout cookie sale for which they have

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Localites to Attend Black Tie Dinner

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Party Circuit

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burrows of Adams Road are entertaining at a black tie dinner at the Detroit Athletic Club Saturday night. The Valentine theme will be carried out in the flowers and table decorations.

Among guests will be Dr. and Mrs. Orra B. Crego, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cahn, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Norton and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Paulus.

Others will be Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Newman, Dr. and Mrs. William E. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Frankford, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Colby, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walsh and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fellrath of Ann Arbor.

Another Saturday party will be that of the Maynard Andrees of Ridgewood Road who have invited some of the men (wives included) who hunt together in Wisconsin. A goose dinner will be gourmet fare.

Included in the group are Mr. and Mrs. John Jennings of Gleneyre Circle, who moved here recently from Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Moynihan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hohenstein of Tecumseh and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roll, also of Tecumseh.

Theater Benefit

Parents of students at Detroit Country Day School meet Sunday for tea at the Birmingham Athletic Club and to make plans for a theater benefit Feb. 26.

"A Night with Maurice Chevalier" at the Fisher Theater is the lure for prospective ticket-buyers.

Co-chairmen of the tea were Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bagley, Jr. of Burning, Bush Road and Mr. and Mrs. Isadore Winkelman of Detroit.

Among area residents who attended were the Charles O'Neils, Milton Smiths, Frederick Bussers, Elwood Engels, William Fogarty, William Grimes, Jack Saylor, Robert Vanderkloots, John Swains and the Norman Kreiders.

More included Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Angle, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dye, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bannon and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dean.

Visitor from East

Mr. John Beardsley of West Hartford, Conn. has returned to her home after spending a week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Egan of Franklin Park Drive.

She was honored at a dinner at the Detroit Athletic Club given by Mrs. Harry Menard, Mrs. Kenneth Manuel of Bloomfield Hills and Mrs. Bethel Kelley of Henley Drive both gave luncheons in her honor.

Before her return to Connecticut, the Egans entertained at a small dinner party at the Recces Club, later taking their guests to see "Camelot" at the Fisher Theater.

'Round the Town

Recently the William T. Stephenson, Jr. of Poppleton Road had a surprise dinner party for Mr. Stephenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Stephenson of Detroit.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lasko, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Szymke, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Radigan of Port Huron; their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Radigan of Fenton and Dr. Carl Armstrong.

Dr. and Mrs. John Wood of Rudgate Road left Friday for Miami Beach, where Dr. Wood will attend the American Osteopathic Association Convention.

Patriotic Tea Honors Good Citizens

A patriotic tea honoring four Good Citizen girls and their mothers will be held Feb. 11 by the Three Flags Chapter, DAR, Lathrup Village.

Mrs. James D. Eastin will open her home at 2454 Larges Drive, Southfield, to members and guests for the 1:30 tea. Mrs. William Arveson of Lathrup Village and Mrs. Warren Bonner of Southfield will assist the hostess.

Each year one senior girl is chosen by her classmates and teachers as that school's DAR Good Citizen. She is selected on her qualities of dependability, courtesy, leadership, personality and unselfish loyalty to American ideals.

THE GIRLS TO BE honored are Linda McCreir of Southfield High School; Barbara Broegen of Farmington Senior High School; Sue Lundstrom of Milford High School, and Carole Bourgeois of Walled Lake High School. In addition to these schools in the suburban area, Three Flags Chapter also sponsors a Good Citizen at the McBain Rural Agricultural School. This year she is Beverly Outman of McBain, Mich.

Mrs. Paul W. Fairbrother of Southfield is the chapter Good Citizen chairman who will introduce the girls and their mothers and will present a DAR Good Citizen pin to each girl.

A group of students from the music department of Southfield High School, under the direction of Vincent Koehenderfer, will present selections from the musical "Finian's Rainbow."

In addition to the tea, the Good Citizens will attend a program and luncheon in their honor on March 15 at the Jack Tar Hotel, Lansing, as part of the DAR State Conference. Each girl will receive a certificate and the State Winner will receive a \$100 U.S. Savings Bond and the State Winner's Pin.

Club Members Plan Meeting

The New England Estates Garden Club will meet tonight at 8:30 in the home of Mrs. Lester Smith, 2939 Newland Drive East. Mrs. Helen Swan, supervisor of the self-realization fellowship, will present the program demonstrating flower poses and attitudes of yoga. Organic gardening will also be discussed at the meeting.

Co-hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Charles Peterson and Mrs. Max Hawkins.



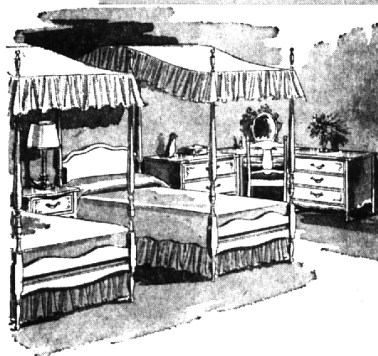
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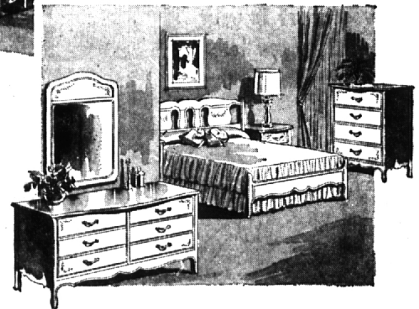
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