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The monthly meeting of Alpha Rho chapters of Alpha Delta Kappa International teachers' honorary sorority, will be held Friday at the home of Mrs. George Clifford Cook, 26196 River Road, Franklin, Co-hostess with Mrs. Cook will be Mrs. George Alberts.

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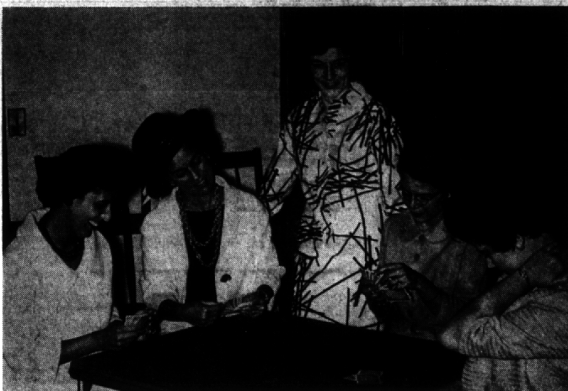
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Playing Cards for a Cause

As their contribution to the Community House Fund Drive, members of the Newcomers Club will sponsor a benefit card party Wednesday, April 29, at 7:45 p.m. in the Community House. Any kind of card game may be played and refreshments will be served. The public is invited, husbands in-

cluded, with tickets available through Newcomer board members or at the door. Among committee members are Mrs. Stanley Ball (from left), Mrs. Harold Woodsom, Mrs. Richard Wardell, Mrs. Richard Geuder and Mrs. Edward Sichter.

Stroll Through Marian High's 'Old World Market' Enthralls

An "Old World Market" representing 26 countries is slated for May 8 at Marian High School, 7225 Lahser, Birmingham, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.
 The fashion show will be presented three times during the afternoon's activities, while proceeds will be applied towards the purchase of books to complete the Marian library.
 Rain won't dampen the spirits of the guests as they stroll from their cars and step under a striped awning. Young men from nearby Brother Rice High School, dressed in black berets and blazers, will park the ladies' cars.
 Guests will be greeted by Marian students and move into the main lobby of the school, named "Marktplatz," which resembles an old village square.

RUSTIC SIGN posts will mark the trip past wayside shrines, bookstalls, flower carts, and the first of the nine market places. Marian girls, charming their hosts, named "Marktplatz," which resembles an old village square, where mother-and-daughter teams in native dress will offer German clocks, china dolls, silver spoons, knitted slippers, sweaters and leather shoes, and Venetian glass.
 The next market is the Nordic scene where knitwear, Stavanger-fine imported from Norway, tiny hand-carved tools and many more items will be displayed.

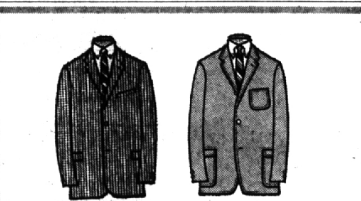
Next the Italia Market with its bright selection of silks, ceramics and felt articles.
 A costumed water-pipe smoker will mark the site of the Middle East Alley. Stepping through a beaded curtain, the ladies may sample Turkish coffee, sweets and pastries, and buy Lebanese, Syrian and Turkish items imported from Beirut.
 Marian girls, dressed in long, flowered skirts and black basques, will guide the guests to the L'Cole Des Beaux Arts. Marian's own art show with paintings and other art items for sale.

ACROSS THE Marian Strasse from the art market will be the gay, bright colors of Mexico in baskets, jewelry, serape shawls and china, plus fetching straw hats.
 Continuing along the road, guests will note a shop displaying Marian's official stationery available for the first time, along with silk appliqued notepaper from Sister Dorothy's classes.
 At the corner is the old Ireland shop, very green and filled with extra fine and unusual linens and aprons made by the Marian Sisters and students, plus very fine old hand-painted china.
 Next door is the Polska, or Polish Market, featuring Anna Olsheka, an octogenarian whose still-nimble fingers create the lovely lace of yesterday. Other highlights of the market will be First Mass pillows, a hand-outfitted infant of Prague, Black Madonna plaques, medals and wall hangings.

THE HEART of the Montmore section of France, the Place Du Tretre, is also reconstructed. Here the guests will find three dining rooms serving luncheons from noon to 3 p.m.
 The Hotel De La Gavina, an open air restaurant representing Spain, features a running fountain and Marian hostesses speaking only Spanish and wearing black lace mantillas.
 The second dining area is a French sidewalk cafe with hostesses in big, black silk berets, speaking French and serving a special Parisian menu. The third area is the Casa Veglia, (old house) and a replica of a spot in St. Moritz, Switzerland. Hostesses will be dressed in Berlin native and speak German and French.

While dining in the three rooms, the ladies will be able to watch the fashion show with performances at 12:30, 1:30 and 2:30 p.m.
 AFTER LUNCH, the guests may browse through the lovely La Boutique Francaise, featuring hats, colorful foam rubber clothes brushes and hangers, hand-painted curler caddies, pretty beaded mirrors, sachets, and poodles.
 The last stop is La Patisserie, a bakery with goodies from all over the world, many with recipes attached, plus jams, jellies, sauces, and candies from old country kitchens.
 Throughout the afternoon, strolling gypsy musicians, Flamenco guitarists and dancers, French, Irish, Italian, German, and English singing groups will entertain the guests. Also staged is a mock bull fight and a Swiss yodeler.

CHAIRMEN FOR the event are Mrs. K. Douglas Mann and Mrs. John P. O'Hara Jr. Secretary is Mrs. Anthony J. Maturi.



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Past Matrons Meet

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 A dessert luncheon at 12:30 p.m. will precede the business meeting.

An estimated 15,000,000 book titles have been published since Gutenberg's invention of printing. Nearly a third of these titles have been issued in the present century.

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