

Theater's Campaign Progresses

OPENED with official indorsement of the Chamber of Commerce fine arts committee; representative of business men of Indianapolis, clergy and heads of the educational institutions, the membership campaign of the Indianapolis Little Theatre, which was inaugurated last Monday, has made gratifying progress during its first week according to Mrs. George T. Parry, executive chairman of the drive for 1,000 new members.

Initial activities of the drive included a mass meeting at the Playhouse, Nineteenth and N. Alabama Sts., last Monday night, of all those participating in the campaign; a tea Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Henry Coburn for all interested in Little Theatre activities; a radio program, broadcast Wednesday evening from station WFEM, under direction of Mrs. E. K. Rider and a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce fine arts committee and the executive board of the drive, which consists of Mesdames George T. Parry, J. A. Goodman, Everett M. Schofield, Miss Anna Louise Griffith and Wallace O. Lee.

Next week three-minute talks by members of the Indianapolis Little Theatre will be made at all noon luncheon club meetings in order to acquaint as many people as possible with the value of the Little Theatre as a civic as well as artistic factor in the community.

These talks are being sponsored by the fine arts committee, of which E. J. Wunsch is acting chairman, and by Edgar Hunter, Chamber of Commerce secretary.

Those assisting in the campaign as captains and team members are: No. 1—Miss Helen Coffey, captain; Mesdames Alexander Hamilton, S. L. Shank, Alexander Corbett, Myron J. McKee; Misses Helen Harrison, Betty Heffernan, Dean Rust; Messrs. James Daggett, Robert Coleman and Allan C. Miller.

No. 2—Miss Mary McManis, captain; Mesdames Glen Jackson, James A. Baird, Misses Ola Endley, Constance Dignale and Wallace O. Lee.

No. 3—Mrs. Stanley M. Timberlake, captain; Mesdames Shirley Cain, Eugene Intyre, David Hamilton-Campbell, Rovers Peterson; Misses Margaret Bruner, Lucille Tyner; Messrs. Smiley Chambers, Walker Winslow and Gilbert N. Hurty.

No. 4—Reginald Grant, captain; Mrs. Henry Hornbrook, Misses Alberta Lieber, Sara Thomas and John Harding III.

No. 5—Mrs. Isaac Born, captain; Mesdames Ethel M. Williams, Ferdinand Born, Sam Martel, Edna M. Christian, John Titus, William Zeller, J. E. Holman; Misses Ethel Mae Moore, Eleanor Hester and Adah Bush.

No. 6—Mrs. Mortimer C. Purcott, captain; Mesdames George Bailey, Stanley Brooks; Miss Laura Belle and Rowland Allen.

No. 7—Mrs. Lehman Dunning, captain; Mesdames George Finrock, Robert C. Winslow, George N. Groom, Misses Helen Lauter, Josephine Fitch, Gertrude Weyerbacher, Augusta Selig, Natalie Smith and Lulu Kanagy.

No. 8—Edward Green, captain; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Green, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baker, Mesdames Dick Richards, J. D. Pierce; Misses Virginia Byers, Mary Fletcher and Clara Ryan.

No. 9—Mrs. Ralph Lieber, captain; Mesdames Walter Lieber, Robert Brewer, Ellis Hunter, Russell King, Everett McKenna, L. O. Garber, Robert Wild, Warren K. Mannon; Misses Dorothy Knisely and Meta Lieber.

No. 10—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Victor, captains; Misses Norma De Luse, Helene Wilmanns, Virginia Jones, Margaret Kane; Messrs. Robert MacGregor, Neil Firestone and Edmund Emory.

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Miss John Merrill Baker



Miss Elizabeth Lockard and Miss Frances Baker

MISS AMELIA HENDERSON, daughter of Charles E. Henderson, became the bride of John Merrill Baker, Chicago, at a brilliant fall wedding Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Baker will make their home in Evanston, Ill. Miss Elizabeth Lockard was bridesmaid, and Miss Frances Baker, Chicago, sister of the bridegroom, maid of honor.

Mrs. Guy D. Rock is general chairman in charge of arrangements for the Sunnyside Guild annual fall card party to be held at the Indiana ballroom Oct. 5.

Miss Lois Mona Rushton, Plainfield, will become the bride of Thomas M. Schumaker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schumaker, Richmond, Oct. 28.



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Alumnae Club to Meet
The Alumnae Club of Mu Phi Epsilon, national honorary musical sorority, will hold its first meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Joseph Gregoire, 3002 Talbot Ave. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m. "What We Hear in Music" will be the subject of the year's study, with "Listening to Music" as the first meeting subject. A report from the national convention held in Denver, Colo., last June will be given by Miss Norma Mueller, delegate from Indianapolis.

Miss Nikirk Bride-Elect Entertained

MRS. H. S. NIKIRK, 421 E. Twenty-Eighth St., entertained Friday evening with a bridge party and crystal shower in honor of Miss June Nikirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Nikirk, 345 Kenwood Ave., whose marriage to Roy Crowder will take place Oct. 20 at the Sutherland Presbyterian Church. The hostess was assisted by Mesdames Maude Steffy and J. N. Nikirk.

Guests with Miss Nikirk included: Mesdames Russell E. Young, Harry Tackett, Lewis B. Thomas, Robert Price, Ted Owens, Frank Crowder; Misses Marguerite Johnson, Myra Smith, Susan Hale, Doris West, Katherine Elzeas, Rebekah Hisslop, Zelma Cummings, Louise Crowder, Florence Grady, Elizabeth Poe, Mary Schanck and Alice Hoover.

Mrs. Frank Crowder will entertain with a miscellaneous shower at her home Sunday afternoon in honor of Miss Nikirk. Mrs. J. M. Nikirk will entertain Oct. 6 with a miscellaneous shower, and Miss Marguerite Johnson with a boudoir shower Oct. 8. Miss Nellie Morgan will give a personal shower, the date to be announced later.

Bride-to-Be Honored at Bridge Fete

MRS. PHILIP BERNSTEIN, 423 E. Thirty-Third St., entertained Friday evening with a bridge party and boudoir shower in honor of Miss Diana Greenspan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Greenspan, 808 S. Illinois St., whose marriage to Morris Olshan will take place Oct. 14.

Decorations and appointments were carried out in orchid and green, the bridal colors. Shower gifts were presented to the bride-elect by means of a treasure hunt.

Guests with Miss Greenspan were: Mesdames George Long, Hubert Freeman, David Polasek, Saul Marcus, Mike Pitts, Fred Mitchell, M. B. Rappaport and William Barb; Misses Ida Lohrstofer, Marybelle Dyson, Alma Hager, Edith Barnes, Jessie Hamrick, Beatie Gerstein, Constance Spangler, Pauline Sommers, Frieda Napierstick, Ruth Eshardt, Rebecca Simon, Helen Clark and Jeanette Brill.

Miss Edith Clark, 3536 N. Illinois St., will entertain in honor of Miss Greenspan at 3 Sunday afternoon, with a bridge party.

INTERNATIONAL STUDY CLUB CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK

Spain will be the topic of lectures to be given by Mrs. Samuel Artman before chapters of the International Study and Travel Clubs next week, as follows:

Normandy chapter will meet with the president, Mrs. C. Aldrich, Monday. She will be assisted by her sister, Mrs. E. Murray. Members will respond to roll call with reminiscences of the summer. Miss Dolly Clark will give readings.

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Indorsers of Photoplays to Open Season

"MOVIE-TONE and Vitaphone," a lecture by George Sim, Louisville, Ky., is on the program of the Indiana Indorsers of Photoplays at its first meeting of the year to be held at 10 Tuesday morning in the women's room of the Fletcher American National Bank Bldg. Mrs. David Ross will preside, and Mrs. W. H. Lewis will give a report of the national convention at San Antonio, Texas.

Chairmen, vice chairmen and committees of the indorsers for the coming year are announced as follows:

Membership—Mrs. E. L. Burnett, chairman; Mrs. J. H. Orndorff, vice chairman, and Miss Helen Dalley.

Hospitality—Mrs. John Titus, chairman; Mrs. Charles Sherman, vice chairman; Mrs. Curtis Hodges and Miss Grace Fells, speakers; Mrs. L. G. Hughes, chairman.

Special Matinee—Mrs. J. H. Orndorff, chairman.

Philanthropic—Mrs. Alex Goodwin, chairman; Mrs. John Harrison, vice chairman; Mesdames W. C. Bartholomew, Harold Warren, W. A. Sulphur, John Titus and L. G. Hughes.

Cooperative Downtown Theaters—Mrs. Thomas Dennerly, chairman.

Neighborhood Theaters—Mrs. H. C. Bertrand, chairman; Mrs. Harry French, north district chairman; Mrs. Harry McDonald, east district chairman; Mrs. C. R. Kempf, south district chairman, and Mrs. Claude Power, west district chairman.

Bulletin—Mrs. H. C. Hacker, chairman.

Picture Committee—Mrs. Charles Davidson, chairman; Mrs. James Sproule, vice chairman.

Automobile—Mrs. W. C. Freund, chairman; Mrs. Francis Summers, vice chairman.

Telephone—Mrs. H. B. Richards, chairman; Mrs. G. A. Bratton, vice chairman.

Historian—Mrs. E. W. Springer, chairman.

Musie—Mrs. T. W. Engle, chairman; Mrs. John Compton, vice chairman.

Publicity—Mrs. Fred H. Knodel, chairman.

Registration—Mrs. Warren Harrell, chairman.

Program—Mrs. Harry French, chairman.

Citizenship—Miss Helen Dalley, chairman; Mrs. W. W. Ward, vice chairman.

Federation of Clubs of the Seventh District—Mrs. J. H. Orndorff, delegate; Mrs. J. H. Orndorff, alternate.

Community Fund—Mrs. Wolf Sussman, chairman.

Local Council—Mrs. W. F. Holmes, delegate; Mrs. H. Lewis, alternate.

Americanization—Mrs. Benjamin Meyer, chairman; Mrs. Isaac Born, vice chairman.

Officers—Chairman, Mrs. David Ross, first vice chairman, Mrs. Thomas Dennerly; second vice chairman, Mrs. E. L. Burnett; third vice chairman, Mrs. Wolf Sussman; fourth vice chairman, Mrs. James Sproule; recording secretary, Mrs. Fred H. Knodel; corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. Orndorff; executive committee, Mesdames Harry French, M. E. Robbins and W. W. Ward.

Initiation Friday Night

Rough initiation of Sigma Alpha Chi sorority was held Friday night at the Beta chapter house, 1232 Park Ave. Formal services will be held at sunrise Sunday morning, followed by a breakfast. Pledges are Misses Imogene Poliom, Jane Pitman, Mar Clayton, Ethel Bergman and Billy Hinkle.

Club Department to Offer Class in Citizenship

The community welfare department of the Women's Department Club will sponsor a class in citizenship as part of the year's program. The first discussion, to be led by Mrs. Edward Franklin White, will be "Origin and Necessity of Political Parties," at 11 Monday morning at the club house.

Mesdames E. C. Rumpel, chairman; Philip Zoercher, Curtis Hodges and W. C. Smith compose the citizenship committee. A practice voting machine will be in charge of the citizenship preparedness committee, of which Mrs. Ira M. Holmes is chairman.

Season at the Fletcher American Bank Bldg. at 9:45 a. m.

Mrs. Earl Fortney is hostess for the women's luncheon bridge, Avalon Club meeting, at the Indianapolis Athletic Club. Reservations may be made with Mrs. H. H. Bushong.

Friday

President's day will be observed by the Irvington Fortnightly Club with Mrs. F. William Hogle, president, as hostess.

Saturday

Members of the Saturday Afternoon Literary Club will observe President's day with Mrs. Glen Howe, incoming president, as hostess. Mrs. George Aig, Jr., will present a talk on "Indiana Artists." A musical program will be given.

NOTES OF SOCIETY FOLK

Mrs. D. L. Chambers, 5272 N. Meridian St., has gone to Nevada for a two weeks' visit on a ranch.

Dr. and Mrs. James H. Taylor, 1808 N. Pennsylvania St., have as their guest their daughter, Miss Margery Taylor, New York.

Mrs. Teasdale Fisher, Cincinnati, Ohio, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. John M. Shaw, 1306 Park Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Woods Caperton, 4830 N. Meridian St., will have as

their guests Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Metcalf and daughter, Patricia Metcalf, Yokohama, Japan, who will arrive in Indianapolis Wednesday. They arrived at Vancouver, B. C., today. They are on their way to London, England, where Mr. Metcalf has been transferred. Mrs. Metcalf was before her marriage Miss Helen Terry Caperton.

Ray C. Cooper, Indianapolis Athletic Club, is in New York.

Miss Ethel Maple, 131 E. Sixteenth St., is at Hotel Roosevelt, New York.

Mrs. Frederic M. Ayres, 5700 Sunset Blvd., and son, Frederic, Jr., are in Ojai, Cal., where he will enter the Thatcher School.

Mrs. Frank W. Gregor, 1621 N. Meridian St., is in Gary for a short visit.

Entertain at Cards

Mrs. George Wittmeier will entertain at cards Sunday afternoon at Mars Hill Hall for the benefit of St. Ann's Church. The committee in charge consists of Mesdames Thomas Harmon H. Hieny, A. Baker, Bertha Hayes, Bertha Wehrle, F. Landick, W. Renner, S. Bauer and B. Hahn. A chicken dinner will be served from 11:30 until 2 p. m. preceding the card party.

Rush Party Sunday

The first of a series of rush parties to be given by Theta Mu Phi sorority, will be a tea at 3:30 Sunday afternoon at the home of Miss Maxine Ballwig 528 S. Central Ct. Miss Constance Perkins is rush captain.

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