

'Century of Progress in Homemaking' Exposition Will Be Held by Club

Mrs. Paul T. Hurt Chairman of Committee in Charge of Arrangements; Exhibits to Show Style Contrast.

"A Century of Progress in Homemaking" exposition will be held at the Banner-Whitehill building this month, under the sponsorship of the American home department of the Woman's Department Club.

Invitations will be issued to Parent-Teacher groups, school children, Camp Fire Girls, Girl Scouts, housewives, club women and others interested in home development.

Special lectures will be given during the week by authorities on homemaking and home care, according to Mrs. Paul T. Hurt, chairman. Dr. Ada Schweitzer of the child welfare department of the Indiana state board of health has been invited as one of the speakers, Mrs. Hurt said.

A special committee will include representatives of the American home department, and also the district department. Mrs. Felix T. McWhirter, Indiana chairman of better homes in America, has conferred with Mrs. Hurt regarding the arrangements for the exposition.

Citizens, who have home furnishings of a century ago, are urged to get in touch with Mrs. Hurt regarding the loaning of the various articles which will be placed on exhibit, together with modern home equipment to show comparison.

Mrs. Hurt is planning to call a conference of her committee as soon as the personnel is completed to arrange further details for the exposition.

EDWARD K. WILLIAMS TO BE HONORED

A reception for Edward K. Williams, Nashville, Ind., will be given at the John Herron Art Institute from 3 to 6 Sunday afternoon. Mrs. R. B. Bailey is in charge of the arrangements.

Williams, a Brown county artist, is president of the Indiana Artists Association. His paintings will be hung the last of this week.

CHORALE AUDITION FIXED FOR FRIDAY

Auditions by applicants for membership in the chorale section of the Indianapolis Matinee Musicals will be held Friday between 10 and 11 at the D. A. R. chapter house.

For further information, applicants should call Mrs. C. E. Stalder, 706 Congress avenue.

Elmer A. Strokin is director of the chorale. An audition was held today at the same hour at the chapter house. Announcement of members will be made later.

HUNT CLUB WILL HOLD DINNER FETE

Approximately twenty-five members of the Traders Point Hunt will attend the dinner tonight at the University Club. The next hunt will be held Saturday.

YOUR CHILD

Parents' Arguments About Rearing Child Get No Place

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

"BILLY, drink your milk and stop that nonsense with your fork. Sit up now and eat your dinner."

"Oh, Bob, he isn't doing anything. He's been such a good boy all day and he did drink his milk at breakfast and lunch. You get tired of milk, don't you, Billy?"

Billy did not answer. He was rather pleased about being discussed, especially with such a powerful ally as his mother.

"Now, get your lessons, son. It won't be long till bedtime."

"Just more argument. Bob, can't you give the child a minute? He is driven all day long—lessons, lessons, lessons, every second. I don't approve of this night work, anyway."

"He hasn't much. All he has to do won't take fifteen minutes if he sticks at it. He just fobs around and wastes time. Take your books upstairs, Billy, where it's quiet."

"Bob, I never see the child. Up there all by himself. Let him stay down here where he can feel he's in things."

"All right—stay here. Were you out today?"

"Nope. I mean I went to Dick's after school. We worked puzzles."

Debate Over Diet

"I told you to stay out and get some exercise after school. You know—knock around, play ball, ride your wheel, deliver groceries—anything to give you some muscle, you skinny little bean-pole."

"Bob! You have about as much heart as a stone image. The sun wasn't out and besides he gets so tired. Deliver groceries! What do you mean?"

"I mean I had to, and had to like it, and it built me up from a coughing kid into a real he-man. And the sun wasn't always out, either."

"Say, Nan, he's tired because you don't feed him right. You wouldn't give him cabbage tonight, but you

let him eat peanuts right before dinner. Cabbage is good for him."

Each Shares Training

"Look here, Bob Trent, is he your job to raise, or mine? You contradict every single thing I do or say. Raising a boy is a mother's job, not a man's. If it hadn't been for me he'd be dead."

"And if it wasn't for me, he might be dead yet. For Pete's sweet sake, Nan, keep off your ear. Don't I have any say-so about my own son?"

"And as for contradicting, just think over everything you've said tonight. I've suggested a dozen things you flatly contradicted. Then he added, 'Don't do your lessons, Billy. Fall at the end of the month. And don't play outdoors, and don't drink milk, and don't deliver groceries.'"

"Don't do anything. Just whine around and be mama's good little boy!"

"Now you're getting mean," said Nan. "Billy, don't listen. You run upstairs, now, and do your lessons. And here, take this milk with you and finish it. And tomorrow I want you to take a nice long walk after school."

"It might rain, suggested Bob. He has a slicker and rubbers, hasn't he?"

Billy loved the whole affair. He was used to these scenes of dissension. The result was that he obeyed the one that suited him best.

FLOWERS BRIGHTEN ROOMS IN HOME

Just a few blooms, chosen for their harmony and placed in a vase that make an ensemble of the whole, can do more to decorate a house than new drapes even.

If you own a crystal swan-shaped vase—and many families have them packed away in attics along with grandmother's things—try using a few yellow roses and a half-dozen African daisies together. Or try a single pink carnation and blue laces.

Pale primroses and a few deep purple phloxes or some Parmesan violets make a subtle combination. Particularly if they are placed in dead-white vases, preferably a low, open type of vase.

INDORSERS' BOARD TO GATHER HERE

The state board of directors of the Indiana Indorsers of Photographs will meet at 10 Wednesday morning at the Columbia Club. Mrs. Fred Lucas of Greencastle will preside.

Plans will be discussed for the state convention to be held here in April.

Association to Meet

Olive Branch Past Noble Grand Association will be entertained Wednesday at the home of Mrs. A. McCollum, Eastern avenue. The hostess will be a sister by Madames Frank Aldrich and Ed Hahn.

Sororities

Miss Annette Sutton, 1634 East Tenth street, will be hostess for the Omega Kappa sorority meeting at 8 Wednesday night.

White House Child Can Have Normal Life

Task Is Difficult, but Daughter of Grover Cleveland Proves It Is Possible

BY MARGUERITE YOUNG

Times Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—"It is possible for a baby to have a normal life in the White House," Mrs. John Harlan Amen said today, sitting in her drawing room at 812 Park avenue, "but it means quite a struggle for the White House mother."

The former Marion Cleveland, third daughter of Grover Cleveland, spent her first eighteen months in the mansion at 1600 Pennsylvania avenue in Washington. Her conversation was a glimpse into what is in store for the family of President-elect Roosevelt, when Anna Elmer Dall, 6, and Curtis Roosevelt, Dall, 1, children of Anna Roosevelt Dall, 1, visiting, perhaps with the infant son of Elliott Roosevelt.

"My sister Esther, really was the White House baby," Mrs. Amen said. "Of course any of the four of us who married or goes in for work or gets a divorce immediately becomes the White House baby in the press, but it was Esther who always was getting into the newspapers when we lived in the White House."

"It was Esther who made the most of the kindergarten we had there; it was she who always was eating the fancy soap in the baths that were a novelty even in the White House."

"She was just 3 when we were leaving. My father saw her all dressed to go and asked why she was going away, and she laughed and told him, 'McIntley's coming. Tan't have two Presidents.'"

TWENTY-FIVE children of Presidents are living today, three in or near New York—Mrs. Amen, Chester Alan Arthur Jr., lawyer, son of the twenty-first President, and Mrs. James B. Walker Jr., daughter of President Harrison.

All of them Mrs. Amen knows. She confesses her 37 years readily—she looks less than 30, with her clear blue eyes, light brown, reddish hair, fair skin and girlish figure.

She acted in her brother, Francis Grover's, summer stock company at Tamworth, N. H., before he made his recent big-time debut as a villain.

Esther, now Mrs. W. S. B. Bosanquet, has lived in the north of England in a town named, curiously, Marton-Cleveland, since her marriage in 1918. Ruth, born in 1891, died when she was 12. Richard is a lawyer in Baltimore.

"It's hard to say, you know, what is memory and what you feel you remember from being told," said Mrs. Amen.

I WENT back to the White House again for the first time three years ago. Mrs. Hoover kindly took me all over it.

"Downstairs nothing seemed familiar, but when we took the elevator and got off on the second floor I thought almost out loud, 'Oh, this takes me back.'"

"I couldn't tell Mrs. Hoover the smell reminded me of something, so I asked mother about it later. She said, 'Why, yes, there was always that nice smell there, of rose and a little musty.'"

Mrs. Amen's mother, who at 21 married Grover Cleveland at a White House ceremony in 1886, is now Mrs. Thomas Jex Preston of Princeton.



Grandchildren of the President-elect—left, Curtis Roosevelt Dall and his sister, Anna Elmer.

Mrs. Amen laughed as she recalled a historian's statement that when the couple left the White House after Mr. Cleveland's first term he probably was the most unpopular man and she the most popular woman in the United States.

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"MOTHER didn't want a Secret Service guard for us. But one summer when we went to Cape Cod there was a crank letter to a crank scare, and after that we were always guarded. They kept at a distance, however; we rarely were aware of it."

"We had the same things other children have, but we had them in a slightly different way, I suppose. We had other children to play with,

but they had to come to play with us."

"We could get fresh air when they took us for a drive in the carriage, but we couldn't play in public parks."

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"MOTHER had two dogs, a St. Bernard that stayed with us a lot and a little black one. I know that many children came to play with us particularly Margaret Bissell, whose father was Postmaster General Bissell."

"The children of Henry T. Thuber, my father's private secretary,

Mrs. John Harlan Amen, the former Marion Cleveland, who is shown as a White House baby at the upper left.

always were in the house. The kindergarten, for Ruth and Esther and half a dozen of our friends, was taught by Miss Frieda Bateman, where Secretary Stimson lives, now just in the suburbs of Washington.

"We had a nurse, too, Annie Thompson. She stayed until I was 10 and we had long since moved to Princeton."

"Yes, mother was determined we were going to have a normal life, and we did, but she had to struggle for it."

MRS. AMEN went to school in New York, then Marion studied at Teachers' college, Columbia, for two years. Then she was married in 1917 to William Stanley Dell. They have a daughter, 12.

They were divorced in Paris seven years later. She married Mr. Amen in 1926. She actively campaigned for Alfred E. Smith in 1928.

At the door of the apartment she stopped to greet her 7-months-old son, returning from an outing with his nurse in the park.

"His name," she said, "is Grover Cleveland Amen."

Law Club Organized by Women

Mrs. J. D. Johnson Is Elected President of Group

The Parliamentary Club, organized to study parliamentary law, was founded Monday at a luncheon meeting, held at the home of Mrs. E. E. Stacey, 4510 Carrollton avenue. Mrs. John Downing Johnson is the president.

Other officers are Mrs. Stacy, first vice-president; Mrs. W. Bert Denison, second vice-president; Mrs. Charles F. Voyles, third vice-president; Mrs. J. Norman Bailey, recording secretary; Mrs. C. W. Bruenger, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Willard S. Boyle, treasurer; Miss Maude Russell, parliamentarian, and Mrs. Frank X. Kern, historian.

The next meeting will be held Feb. 20 at the home of Mrs. Voyles, 4150 North Meridian street.

The club is composed of twenty-five members, all former students of parliamentary law.

Mrs. Sewell Is Honored for Social Work

By Times Special

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 31.—Mrs. Charles W. Sewell of Otterbein was one of five to receive honorary recognition Monday night at the University of Wisconsin in recognition of services to farming and homemaking. The award was made on the opening night of Wisconsin farm and home week at the college of agriculture.

The testimonial presented by Glenn Frank, university president, listed her effort in the development of the social phases of farming and rural living.

She has been a speaker in farmers' institute work in this state and others, has attended and addressed farm meetings in Ohio, Illinois, Kentucky and New Hampshire, and was one of the women delegates invited to attend a national agricultural conference called by President Warren G. Harding.

BRIDE HONORED by Bridge Fete at Woodstock

Mrs. John E. Hollett Jr., 29 West Twenty-eighth street, entertained today with a luncheon-bridge party at the Woodstock Club honoring Mrs. Henderson Wheeler, formerly Miss Frances Hamilton.

Guests with the bride included Mesdames Henry C. Atkins Jr., Conrad Ruckelshaus, Thomas Madden, Henry Fenzel, Paul Hoffman, John Collett, R. Kirby Whyte and Miss Eunice Disette, Sally Reahard and Sara Tyce Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Whyte entertained informally Sunday night for Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler.

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Just Like That

'Run for Congress?' Plea to Mrs. Jenckes; She Would—and Won.



Mrs. Jenckes

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Virginia Jenckes, the new congresswoman from Indiana, believes in taking things as they come—without fuss or excitement. That's how she took the job which will give her a seat in the capitol on March 4, succeeding Representative Fred Purcell.

Demurely dressed in black, thin, with large, dark eyes, Mrs. Jenckes described how she happens to be here.

Said she:

"It was late one night at my home in Terre Haute. There was a rapping at the door and when I answered, a delegation of eleven men filed into the house."

"The asked me, 'Mrs. Jenckes, will you run for congress?' and I replied: 'Why, yes, I'd be glad to! That's all there was to it.'"

MRS. OSCAR BAUR TO BE TEA HOSTESS

Mrs. Oscar Baur, 4919 North Meridian street, will be hostess for the silver tea to be given from 3 to 5 Sunday afternoon by the Civic theater of Indianapolis. Lists of assistants will be announced at a later date.

CLUB WILL HOLD LUNCHEON-BRIDGE

The Ellen Mattwig Club will meet for a covered dish luncheon at the home of Mrs. Edward Schuck, 310 East Eleventh street, Thursday. A short business meeting and card party will follow.

Mrs. H. S. Wyeth, outgoing president of the club, recently installed the following officers: President, Mrs. Alma Powell; vice-president, Mrs. Sam Loosmore; secretary, Mrs. Ellen Mattwig; treasurer, Mrs. Grace Willey; chaplain, Mrs. Ida Rattiff.

RADCLIFFE DEAN GIVES TALK HERE

Miss Bernice Brown, dean of Radcliffe college, who has been the guest of Mrs. T. C. Howe, 4226 North Meridian street, spoke to pupils of Tudor Hall this morning during their assembly.

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JOAN OF ARC CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

Dr. Bernard Larkin will address the regular meeting of the St. Joan of Arc Women's Club at 2 Wednesday in the school hall, Forty-second street and Park avenue.

The women will meet at 10 to 12 on comforts for the needy.

A Day's Menu

Breakfast—
Canned cherries, cereal, cream, fried cornmeal mush with brown sugar syrup, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—
Creamed calves' brains with rice, raisin bread, French cndive with French dressing, orange doughnuts, lemonade.

Dinner—
Baked liver and bacon, baked potatoes, broccoli with easy Hollandaise sauce, stewed dried apricot salad with cream cheese balls and toasted crackers, cup cakes served with butterscotch sauce, milk, coffee.

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"Eczema on my daughter's face came when she was about two months old. It was red and rough, and when she scratched it would spread and form small water blisters. It itched all the time and she scratched until it would bleed. I had to tie her hands when I put her to sleep. The trouble would dry up, then break out again."

"I sent for free samples of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I purchased more, and after using one cake of Cuticura Soap and part of a box of Cuticura Ointment she was completely healed." (Signed) Mrs. Charles C. Viers, 132 Cuyahogaisa Ave., Akron, Ohio, July 5, 1932.

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Manners and Morals

BY JANE JORDAN

Bring your love problems to Jane Jordan, who will help you locate the trouble and correct it.

Dear Jane Jordan: I am 20 years old and have been going with a fellow 26 for the last eight months. Before we fell in love, I had three love affairs. The fellow has had two serious love affairs. He asked both girls to marry him.

One of these girls let him down so hard that he swore he never would idealize and worship another girl. We were both unhappy when we met each other, and we were not in love at first sight.

We began seeing each other three and sometimes four times a week and staying up until 2 and 3 in the morning. Mother soon put a stop to that. Then she began finding fault with him. Everything he did was wrong. That made me irritable.

Then I was ill off and on for several months. During that time my disposition changed and I was cross and mean. He noticed it and we quarreled frequently.

Now he says that he doesn't know whether he loves me or not, that he isn't sure. But he said he wouldn't let me down for anything. He thinks we were happier before we fell in love.

He wants me to be gay and happy again, but not get serious. He says he's getting old and wants to go with lots of girls, and that he could love several the way he loves me.