

Past Styles To Be Club Show Theme

Smith College Group Will
Model Fashions at
Dance Tonight.

Styles of the Empire, "gay nineties," and the Crinoline Era are to be revived tonight when members of the Smith College Club appear in a fashion promenade at the organization's dance in the Woodstock Club.

More than 50 members are to don outmoded commencement and wedding gowns for the show about 11 o'clock. The ensembles to be modeled have been collected from the wardrobes of great-great-grandmothers, great-aunts, mothers and others, at least one creation dating from before the 1830's. Many of the gowns are more than 60 years old. Mr. James F. Carroll, club president, is to wear a gown representative of the 1890 fashion.

Frank Hoke is to be master of ceremonies.

Numerous parties are being arranged for the dance. Several are to attend the Players Club production at the Civic Theater early in the evening and go on to the dance later.

Dutch Treat Party Listed

Among the parties at the club is to be a Dutch treat party including Misses and Mesdames Hobson Wilson, Robert I. Blakeman Jr., Edward L. Van Riper, William Mamer, Comber, Kendallville, and William Kothe.

Mr. David P. Williams is to entertain for Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Ayres, and Mr. and Mrs. Talcott Griswold, Winnetka, Ill. Mrs. Williams is cochairman of the dance with Mrs. Frederick T. Holliday. Mrs. Williams costume for the fashion show will be a pale gold taffeta gown that was in the trousseau of Mrs. Arthur V. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Collett are to hold a dinner for Messrs. and Mesdames Perry Lesh, Frank Hoke, Evans Woollen Jr., Donald Test and William Munk.

At the table of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Estabrook are to be Messrs. and Mesdames Vance Smith, Herbert Todd, Leroy Gordner and Arthur Naumann, Grosse Point, Mich.

Adams to Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lundblad and Mr. and Mrs. George K. Jones are to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Elder Adams.

Before going to the dance Mrs. Lafayette Page plans to entertain at her home on Woodstock Drive. The guests are to include Messrs. and Mesdames Donald Mattison, Wayne Ritter, Miss Gladys Heacock, Dr. Walter Breutsch and Boman Cramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hadley's party is to attend the Players Club performance and then attend the Smith Club dance. Included in the group are to be Mr. and Mrs. James F. Rogan, honor guests, and Messrs. and Mesdames John R. Brant, Kurt F. Pantzer, Robert Stempfle and Mr. Caled Lodge.

Dr. Myers to Host

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Myers are to have as their guests at their home Mr. and Mrs. F. Noble Ropkey, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Myers and Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Walker Winslow also are to entertain a group.

In Mr. and Mrs. Frederick T. Holliday's party are to be Messrs. and Mesdames Sylvester Johnson, John Gould, Austin Brown, Elias Atkins and others.

Reservations also have been made by Richard Hoberg, Miss Florence Barrett, Messrs. and Mesdames Greer Shotwell, John Sloane Kittle, A. T. Wilson and Carl Mott.

Kokomo, Gary Voters' League Units End Patronage Probes

Reports from Kokomo and Gary Leagues of Women Voters on results of the patronage system survey being conducted by the Indiana League have been received by Mrs. Tristram Coffin, Indianapolis, state personnel chairman.

Local surveys to determine the part of the precinct committeemen and other County party officials in the patronage setup are to be completed by Nov. 30, Mrs. Coffin said. Arrangements for interviews with State party officials are being made by local leaders.

Mrs. Coffin explained that the surveys are parts of a nation-wide investigation by the National League seeking to prove patronage system inefficiency, injustice and extravagance.

National directors of the organization, at their recent semiannual meeting in Washington, endorsed President Roosevelt's merit system recommendations to the special session of Congress.

The directors cited specific clauses of the President's message, urging Congress to "extend the merit system upward, outward and downward to cover practically all non-policy determining posts" and to set up "statutory modernized machinery for the permanent enforcement of merit principles in appointment, promotion and personnel management throughout the Government service."

The 15-member league board expressed as "a concerted opinion" that it is to be hoped that in carrying out these recommendations, proposals for an advisory board of citizens and for highly qualified personnel administrator, selected from a list prepared by a special examining board other than the appointing power, be included.

Knapp-Moore Rites To Be on Christmas

Col. and Mrs. Walter Moore, formerly of Ft. Benjamin Harrison, announce the engagement of their daughter Marjorie to Raymond H. Knapp, South Bend, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Knapp, 45 N. Vine St., Indianapolis. The wedding is to take place Christmas Day in Venice, Fla.

Mr. Knapp attended DePauw and Indiana Universities. He is a member of the Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity and Scoboard and Blade Fraternity. Col. and Mrs. Moore have left for Venice, where they are to make their future home. Col. Moore recently retired from army service.

She'll Be 'Miss 1900' Tonight



Child Asks Little From Santa Claus

'If I Get Scooter, My
Sister Will Want
One Too.'

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

The sweetness of childhood, little ones particularly, almost makes one hesitate to act as if to possess a certain calm logic that is often lost sight of in the turbulence of life.

I took a small fellow on my knee and asked him if there was anything he would like Santa Claus to bring him. A silly question, I knew I was being stupid and a bore. But he clasped his little hands gravely and nodded.

"Yes, a scooter and a car." Then added: "That's enough."

Now as he is my grandson, this chap of 4, I said, "Yes, it is enough dear. But I thought you would have a whole barrel of things to ask for."

"Oh, I want more things, but that's enough," he insisted.

"Well let's hear what is in the barrel," said I.

"What did you say?"

The Rest of the List

"Tell Olive what the other things are you were thinking about." I tried to get him to call me "Grandma" from the first. But he chose the name himself. He calls his mother "Mother," but his father, who used to be Daddy Dick is now plain Dick. "Granny" is my preference. I like it much better than Grandma. But we are talking about Christmas and really serious things now.

"I want another sled that you can turn. And a big wheel-barrow and a shovel, and a big yellow car like the one Teddy stepped on and broke. And a two-wheeled bicycle but I'm too little, I can ride it, but Dick says I can't."

"How about new blocks?" His old building sets are almost round from wear. And drably colorless, also sketchy from loss.

"I have blocks," he nodded, gravely.

"If Santa Claus brings you nice new bright ones what kind would you like?"

He was ready. "I need lots to make a garage. I can't make doors any more. The long ones got lost."

"What about Deedie?" I asked.

"What does she want?"

"Then what do you think Santa should bring her?"

How Desires Are Born

"If I get a scooter and a car she'll want a scooter and a car. But she can't ride a scooter. Maybe she'd better get one anyway," he concluded. "Deedie wants a scooter and a car. Yes, that's right."

"What do you think Mary wants?"

"Mary wants everything. She pulls my hair," he laughed.

"Let's tell Santa Claus to bring her a lot of hair to pull."

He laughed hard. "Mother, Oliver says Santa Claus to bring Mary a baby, some hair to pull. Isn't that funny?"

I held him close. But when he said, "Oliver, what do you want Santa Claus to bring you?" I filled up and wept. This 4-year-old, this baby. He is not perfect. He has a temper and stamps around like a top sergeant at times. If he didn't I would not give half a snap for him. But my chief concern in life is to live long enough to see him grow up. And Deedie and Mary, I am not Grandma or Granny. Already my status has been chosen. It is to be "Olive"—friend.

Society to Meet
The Indiana Poetry Society is to meet at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Charles Dwyer. Mrs. Carl A. Taylor, president, is to pre-side.

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Hebrew Society to Meet
The Hebrew Free Loan Society is
to sponsor a card party at 2 p.m.
in the William H. Block &
Co. auditorium. Mrs. Isaac Harris
and Mrs. Aaron Bloom are cochair-
men of arrangements.

**Williamsburg to Be Theme of
Art Association Lecture-Tea**
The Williamsburg lecture-tea
is to be held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at
the John Herron Art Museum at one in the series of
lecture-teas which are proving popular
among Indianapolis Art Association
members.

Mrs. Lewis is to speak on "The
Background of Historical Signifi-
cance of Williamsburg." Her talk
is to be illustrated with views of
Williamsburg, Va., before and after
the colonial restoration recently
completed by John D. Rockefeller.
Hostesses for the afternoon are to
be Mesdames H. W. Rhodehamel,
M. W. Pangborn, William J. Lock-

What Woman Wouldn't Like These?



'Beauty' Gifts Rate High on Shopping Lists for Men, Too

By ALICIA HART

NEW YORK, Nov. 27 (NEA)—Regardless of her age, size, height or weight—not matter who she is, where she came from or where she's going—every woman wants beauty gifts for Christmas. For that matter, her brother, father, husband, children or best beau will be delighted with "beauty" aids. From a brand new perfume "to wear only with black" (for the sophisticate) to a new men's set of lotions in masculine-looking pottery bottles, there's an appropriate beauty preparation for each person on your list.

Sumptuous and smart is a face powder ensemble, containing two shades of powder, one to be applied to the other, and a brush to help do the blending job successfully.

Mr. Cramer is to be introduced by Miss Marian McFadden. His selections are to include Fantasy F Minor, Chopin, and six of Chopin's Etudes, including Op. No. 10, Op. 10, No. 4; Op. 10, No. 5; Op. 10, No. 6; Op. 25, No. 1, and Op. 25, No. 3.

Also included in his program are Chopin's Scherzo, C sharp minor; Granados' "The Maiden and the Nightingale"; "Minuet," Bizet-Rachmaninoff; "Serenade," Strauss-Bachus; "Etude Caprice," Dohnanyi; "Etude, E major," Scriabin; and "Nachitaler Valse," Strauss-Tausig.

The Puritan Party is to be held at 8 p.m. Monday in the clubhouse. Miss Irene Dougherty and Miss Louise McCarthy, East Side Section leaders, are cochairmen.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Walter I. Hess are in New York for the holidays. They are stopping at the St. Regis. They are to attend the Army-Navy game in Philadelphia today.

Miss Carol Gaines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Gaines, an Indiana University student, is spending the Thanksgiving holidays in Richmond as the guest of Miss Marion Miller.

Mrs. Malott White and her daughter Georgia have been spending several weeks with Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Reay, in Phoenix, Ariz.

Miss Florence Carl, Cincinnati, has been the house guest of Miss Beverly Adams, 1836 Mansfield Ave. Miss Carl is to leave tomorrow for Miami, where she is to spend the winter.

Miss Elinor Clancy, 4198 Carrollton Ave., is to leave Wednesday for Miami, where she will spend two weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Henry Warwick, who have been spending the past few days as guests of Mrs. Warnock's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Albert A. Ogle, have returned to their home in Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. G. A. Efraymon is residing for the winter at the Chapman Park Hotel, Los Angeles.

Charles Edward Test, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Test, is visiting his parents over the Thanksgiving holidays. Mr. Test is a student at the University of Chicago School of Medicine.

Mrs. John A. Thompson and her granddaughter, Marilyn Lee Grigsby, Cleveland, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brandine, 1506 S. Alabama St.

Miss Eva Taggart is entertaining with a house party at French Lick for Thanksgiving guests. They include Misses Nancy Lockwood, Peggy Sinclair, Cynthia Test, Letitia Sinclair, Alice Boozer and Audrey Pugh. Members of the party are to ride through the hills surrounding French Lick and enjoy the skeet shooting at the new field.

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Advise Use Of 'Winter Vegetables'

Brussels Sprouts, Cab-
bage and Broccoli Rich
In Minerals.

By MRS. GAYNOR MADDOX

Broccoli, Brussels sprouts and cabbage are in season. Because they are so valuable for their minerals and vitamins, and because there are so many ways of cooking them deliciously, they are really gold mines of health and satisfaction for all the family. Be sure they come fresh from the market. Study them carefully and take only perfect ones. Because they are called "winter vegetables," don't take it for granted they are so hardy that nothing can spoil them. The following recipes are simple and agreeable. You will like them.

Scalloped Brussels Sprouts

(4 to 6 servings)
One quart sprouts, 1 teaspoon
salt, 4 stalks celery, 4 tablespoons
butter, 3 tablespoons flour, 2 cups
milk, 1/2 cup bread crumbs.

Wash and clean sprouts, boil in
salted water about 25 minutes.
Boil celery after it has been washed
and cut in 1/2 inch pieces in water
with the sprouts. Make a sauce,
melt and mix with them. Add the
celery and sprouts and put in a
baking dish. Cover with croissants
which have been mixed with 1
tablespoon melted butter. Bake in
a hot oven (400 degrees F.) for
about 10 minutes or until well
browned.

Broccoli Italian Style

(4 to 6 servings)
One large bunch broccoli, 1 tea-
spoon salt, 3 cups of cream sauce,
1/2 cup of pimento, 1/2 cup grated
parmesan cheese.

Wash broccoli and cut in
portions, removing large leaves,<