

TOLEDO, OHIO

Watch for news from the recently organized Toledo Alumnae Club! The enthusiasm and interest of Nancyann Schmid Nelson (Mrs. Karl), '35, president of the group, should make it one of the most active clubs.

All alumnae in that area are urged to get in touch with her at 1908 Glendale.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

From Ada Cooke Settle (Mrs. T. G.), historian of the Washington Alumnae Club, came a clever report of the November meeting in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Provine. Mrs. Settle wrote:

"The evening was in the nature of a buffet supper with Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Marland as hosts. Miss Arline Smith, the president of the club, received the guests, which included a number of gentlemen.

"The buffet fairly groaned beneath the weight of such sumptuous good things as an enormous turkey, an appetizing baked ham, all the accompaniments for a feast, and two huge white cocoanut cakes with coffee and hot breads. I had the pleasure of sitting beside Mrs. Provine, whose sparkling wit brought the school life close to all present.

"After coffee came a discussion which might have been dubbed 'What's Wrong with the World?' or 'The Ancient Egyptians.' This three-player game began in riotous fun, but soon became a serious presentation of world conditions today with Dr. Provine providing the scholarly outlook; Frank Waldrop, the brilliant editor and an owner of 'The Time-Herald' newspaper facetiously reverting every little while or so to 'The Ancient Egyptians'; and Captain Winston Folk, whose mother was the Nannie Dudley Pilcher whose girl-

hood home on old High Street near Church in Nashville was a center of the spiritual and intellectual life in both Nashville and at Monteagle where Captain Matthew Pilcher, his father, made that early Chattanooga a summer resort sought by the literati of the south, speaking from his experience in military affairs.

"Never was a happier evening spent with more delightful honor guests! Ward-Belmont had given us the treat of the pre-holiday season."

Officers for the year are Arline Smith, 3901 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., president; Catherine McKnight Webb (Mrs. Dwight, Jr.), vice-president; Pauline Brown Folk (Mrs. Winston), secretary; and Margaret Brugh Reynolds (Mrs. M. B.), treasurer.

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department. Each month a picture is chosen for display near the entrance to the dining room.

The purpose of the contest is to stimulate a more active interest in art and to promote a closer contact between the students and the art department.

The first "Picture of the Month" was a charcoal drawing by Ada Marie Oakley, a first year art major from Austin, Texas.

Mr. Joseph Van Sickle and Mrs. Virgil LeQuire are the sponsors of the Art Club.

INFORMATION PLEASE!

This is YOUR magazine and we want it to be representative of YOU. Won't you help us make it that way by offering suggestions and sending us news about yourself and your friends? Thanks!

BITS ABOUT THE BELLES

WARD SEMINARY

1878

SARAH E. S. SHANKLAND writes that she has lived in California since 1903. Although she is no longer active in club work, "Lily" is still interested in world events. Her address is 710 West 27th Street, Los Angeles 7, California.

1880

The address of ALICE McINTOSH WILLIAMS (Mrs. R. P.) is 121 Elm Avenue, Glendale 22, Missouri.

1892

FELICIA G. PORTER lives at 107 Louise Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee. Certificates have been awarded to MAY COLEMAN CARNEY (Mrs. A. K.) for her work with the Tennessee Congress of Parents and Teachers, the U. S. Citizens Corps, and the American Red Cross. Her address is 1103 Holly Street, Nashville, Tennessee.

1894

LILLIAN A. PERKINS THOMPSON (Mrs. S. G.) of 2630 May Street, Ft. Worth, Texas tells us that she thoroughly enjoys the Ward-Belmont Alumnae Club in her city. Last year she had a good visit with MARY ETHEL ARRINGTON ALLEN (Mrs. W. F.) whose address is Route 3, Box 170, Clarksdale, Mississippi.

1895

• Word has reached us that MARY LOU BANKS McDONALD (Mrs. E. B.) passed away this fall at her home in St. Louis. Her husband, who preceded her in death, was a vice-president of Liggett and Myers, Inc., and represented the corporation in Nashville for several years.

LEONORA McMULLEN SIMMONDS (Mrs. Hugh M.) can be reached at 1648 Melrose Place, Knoxville, Tennessee.

1900

MARGUERITE BOISSEAU is living at 2415 Blakemore Avenue, Nashville, Tennessee.

1902

Another Nashvillian is CALISTA BAILEY MANTHEY (Mrs. C. A.), who lives at 1016 Clifton Lane.

1904

JANIE CAMPBELL HOLSHOUSER (Mrs. Joseph) of 1105 West End, Franklin, Tennessee, writes that she has done some social service work in the past and, at present, is interested in home demonstration and church work.

1905

• On October 1, 1949, VIRGINIA FAULKNER LEIPER (Mrs. J. A.) of McMinnville, Tennessee,

passed away in St. Thomas Hospital in Nashville after four months of illness.

The address of MARGARET YARBROUGH CANNON (Mrs. Gabriel) is 543 Otis Boulevard, Spartanburg, South Carolina.

1906

HENRIETTE RICHARDSON BRYAN (Mrs. C. N.) is doing a fine job as hostess of Club Village here at Ward-Belmont.

ANNIE PERKINS STEWART (Mrs. J. H.) is living with her daughter, Mrs. A. D. Powell, in Coldwater, Mississippi.

1907

From an alumnae questionnaire we discovered that JUDITH WILKES STEEL (Mrs. E. M.) is living in Lewisburg, Tennessee. Her daughter, Anne, is married to a professor of English at V.P.I. and her son, James, is doing graduate work at the University of North Carolina.

POLLY PRICHARD BILLINGTON (Mrs. R. Wallace), Route 2, Franklin, Tennessee, has two daughters, one son, and five grandchildren.

A trip to Florida and Cuba was being planned when we heard from ROSALIE LITTERER KEEFE (Mrs. J. E., Jr.). Rosalie's daughter, MARY ANN, was graduated from the preparatory department of Ward-Belmont in 1944.

1908

HELEN ADELINE WRIGHT is the Director of Religious Education at the Meridian Heights Presbyterian Church in Indianapolis. Her address is 4515 Marey Street, Apt. 235, Indianapolis, Indiana.

The address of JESSIE FLORENCE HEARN RHEA (Mrs. J. D.) is 3720 Central Avenue, Nashville.

1909

LUTIE B. PATTON SHAW (Mrs. L. P.), who lives at 246 Jackson Street, Decatur, Alabama, tells us that her son, Luke Pryor IV, married a Ward-Belmont graduate—BETTY LAMB, '44.

LEONE BARRY HARWOOD (Mrs. R. H.) is the manager of the Department of Employment Security in Pulaski, Tennessee.

LUCILE GRAINGER BROWER (Mrs. Howard) can be reached at 1916 Grand Avenue, Nashville.

1910

• ANNE WILSON DAVIS (Mrs. Charles) passed away recently at her home in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. Besides her husband, Mrs. Davis is survived by a sister, Mrs. Harold S. Pettus, of Nashville, and a brother.

KATHERINE ARMISTEAD MOTZ (Mrs. Caleb Carson) is living at 2606 Garfield Street,