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## Alice DeWeese

- Hi-Fi and Stereo
- Defined by Expert
- For Women's Group

High quality sound reproduction—as developed for hi-fi and stereo sets — was described by Paul Klipsch, sound expert of Hope, to a large group of interested women yesterday in the Officers Club of the Pine Bluff Arsenal. . .

Hi-fi is usually mis-used as a term, claimed the tall, lanky speaker, whose brilliance has been expressed in the invention of the Klipschorn and other stereophonic equipment, and who is an internationally-known authority on sound equipment. . "I don't like to use the terms hi-fi or stereo," he elaborated, "because hi-fidelity should mean an accurate portrayal of sound—and stereo, the reproduction of the original spacial relationships. . .

Speaking with a dry wit which captivated his audience, as they were informed, he declared, "There are no small concert grand pianos—and there are no high quality small speakers!"... But the apparent high original cost of good speakers—and he recommends that there be three in number—is actually economy in the long run for stereo fans, because the performance will be good for years, guaranteed by good basic design, he claimed...

Klipsch recommended that for best results, the three-speaker stereo array should be on the long wall of an oblong room. . . Ideally, the room should be 18 x 22 feet with a nine-foot ceiling, although a 16 x 25 foot room would be "tolerable," he claimed. . . The room itself is important—so much so that a real stereo fan would think little about remodeling as a step toward the best in sound reproduction, he has found. . . And the electronic controls are often hidden from view in a wall cabinet. . .

The speakers should be widely separated—one in the center of the room's wall, lengthwise, and the other two flanking units "toed-in" from the corners—so that the whole width of the room is listen-



PAUL KLIPSCH AND ARSENAL HOSTESS

Paul Klipsch of Hope, inventor of the Klipschorn stereo speaker, shows a doll house demonstrating the proper array of stereo speakers (two toed-in from the corners and one in the center of a room to Mrs. Dan Durkee, who was a hostess for a lunch eon yesterday at the Arsenal. (See accompanying column).

#### Medical Assistants Attend Convention in El Dorado

A group representing Pine Bluff attended the seventh an-

#### Ritchey-Edwards Vows Are Said

SHERIDAN — Prattsville Baptist Church was the setting for the 8 p.m. wedding of Miss Patricia Edwards and Calvin Ritchey Jr. this past Friday. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard H. Edwards of Tull. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ritchey of Prattsville.

Rev. J. P. Johnson performed the ceremony. Lighting the candles were Bill Ramsay and Leon Cornett. James Burleson of Ouachita Baptist College was soloist, and Miss Carol Ann Zahringer of Tull was pianist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a floorlength gown of white Chantilly lace over net and taffeta designed with fitted bodice, long nual convention of the Arksas State Medical Assista Society in El Dorado this pweekend.

Attending as delegates of Jefferen County Medical sistants Society were Mrs. A rie Phillips and Mrs. Elizab Wilkerson. Other members the county society who atteed included Mrs. Dorothy Hrell, Mrs. Howard Gatlin, M. George Fuell, Mrs. Louis P. nauer, Mrs. A. L. Greenwo Mrs. J. D. Williams and M. John Hunziker.

Highlighting the convent was the installation of new of cers by Maxine Williams of K sas City. Installed were the lowing:

Mrs. Katherine Spraggins Little Rock, president; Bes Kennedy of El Dorado, pr dent-elect; Mrs. Mildred Ro of Little Rock, secretary; M Bernice Koonce of Arkadelph treasurer.

Guest speakers for the ovention included: Dr. R. L. J tice of Crossett, who spoke

ing area, he explained. . . He warned against the temptation of getting too close to one speaker, commenting, "If you stuck your head in a tuba, you wouldn't expect to hear the whole orchestra!"...

And by the way, Mary and Jim TerKeurst of 2412 Poplar have owned a Klipsch speaker since 1954, and praise it without reservation . . . They have just one speaker, located in the living room, which is similar to one which was exhibited at the World's Fair in Brussels . . . It is designed to broadcast, maintaining accurate sound reproduction, to as many as 1,000 listeners in an auditorium . . . The TerKeursts and their children play records by the hour, deriving genuine listening pleasure from the hi-fi reproduction . . . Jim has built the electronic controls and record changer into a wall cabinet in the adjoining dining room. . .

Hostesses for the luncheon-program meeting of the women's division of the Arsenal Officers Club yesterday were Mrs. Daniel Durkee, Mrs. Robert Rump, Mrs. Fred Graham, Mrs. Bill Westbrook and Mrs. Gary Stephens. . . The committee had decorated the luncheon tables gaily with beribboned purple parasols of net. . . The door prize, which went to Mrs. Andy Denham, was a bouquet arrangement of purple and white iris on the speakers table . . . Guests for the meeting were Mrs. E. W. Harris and Mrs. R. A. Teeter, with Mrs. E. H. Bishop; Mrs. Joe Gorman with Mrs. R. B. Spencer; and Mrs. E. M. Conerty and Mrs. Dorothea Haney, with Mrs. O. B. McClaran; and Mrs. James Shelley with Mrs. Robert Myers. . .



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and sabrina neckline. The full skirt swept into a train, and her veil of illusion fell from a coronet of lace, embroidered with seed pearls and rhinestones. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid and stephanotis.

Miss Sue Tull of Tull was maid of honor. Miss Judy Ritchey, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Elizabeth Case of Pine Bluff, niece of the groom, and Dedra DuVall of Tull were flower girls. Doyle Webb was ring bearer.

Calvin Ritchey served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Franklin Pumphrey and Carrol Pumphrey, cousins of the groom. Ushers were Bill Ramsay and Leon Cornett.

A reception in the church parlors followed the ceremony. Mrs. Herbert Case of Pine Bluff, sister of the groom, kept the bride's book.

When the couple left for a wedding trip, the bride was wearing a blue suit with bonecolored accessories, and she pinned her bridal orchid at her shoulder. Upon their return the couple will live at Pine Bluff.

"Hypnosis in Medicine": Dr. K. R. Duzen of El Dorado, who discussed, "Why Autopsies?"; and Dr. Harold Cummins, assistant dean of Tulane University, who stressed the importance of the medical assistant on the "Medical team.'

#### Personal

Mrs. Ada McCoy Scott, who has lived at 1217 Main for the past 25 years, moved today to Little Rock, where she will make her home with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Cobb of 2501 South Tay-

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