# The Birmingham Eccentric

## SUBURBAN SEEN

BY KAY-REED

WHEN WILLIAM A. McHATTIE of Westwood drive unpacked his bags after a six-week European trip, two battered and torn foreign eigarettes emerged with other more resplendent souvenirs.

No ordinary eigarettes were these, he explained. During a personal interview with King Gustav of Sweden, one of the court aides offered MeHattie a eigarette from His Majesty's own supply and gave him two more to take with him. However, the Swedish monarch, like many a celebrity who indorses a specific brand, has never smoked.

OVERHEARD ON THE Pine Lake golf course: A young matron muttering that she is giving up the game because her 14-year-old son hits the ball longer and straighter than she.

LOCAL CHRIST CHILD society members are devoting a day each month to the Sarah Fisher Children's home on Inkster road. The volunteer program was nearly sabotaged at the start by an epidemic of measles which invaded the

THE CURRENT FLARE-UP of contract trouble in the club dining-rooms and kitchens throughout the area has had a number of strange outlets. At a recent dinner party no matter what guests ordered—they received scallops.

A PICTURE OF distraction was the gentleman whose wife sent him to the Greyhound station to pick up her new cleaning woman. Apparently she had overlooked any means of identification, for the nearly frantic husband had to heave the tide which came off each hus to query the arrivals as to dish identification.

THE MAINTENANCE FUND CAMPAIGN currently he ing undertaken in behalf of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra is striking a responsive chord in the Bloomfield-Birming ham area, reports Mrs. Leonard T. Lewis, area chairman More than 200 individual contributions to the orchestra have been raised by the group headed by Mrs. Lewis, assisted by Mrs. John E. Eckenrode and Mrs. Robert L. Graham.

A NEW NOVES

A NEW NOVEL was launched amid much festivity at an open house hosted by the J. C. Roberts on Yarmouth road Sunday. Honor guest was Jeanne Wylie of Grosse Pointe, author of "Face to Face" whose publication date is coming

author of "Face to Face" whose publication date is coming up shortly.

Mrs. Wylie, a member of the Detroit Society of Women Writers, is a winner of the O. Henry Memorial Collection award, and has shared first place honors in the Atlantic Monthly short story contest.

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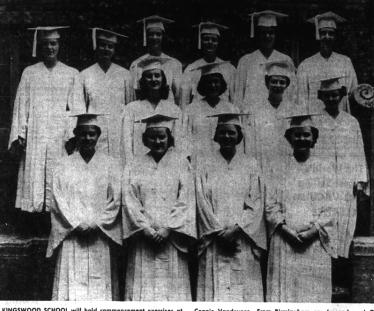
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Precede Nuptials

With the date of her nuptials little more than a week away, beide-elect Margaret H. Kohr is entering the final round of pre-wedding festivities.

Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Kohr of Wimble-ton drive, will meet Thomas G. Lightner, son of Mrs. Donald B. Lightner of Painteville, Ohio and Church at 4.30 in the afternoon of June 28.

The groom has asked his usher and Mr. Kohr to the Fox an Hounds for the June 26th bache lor dinner.

THE REHEARSAL DINNER will be held the evening of June 27 at the Southlawn drive home of the groom's brother and sisterin-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Lightner.



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At non-on the wedding was born June 15 to MR. AND
Mrs. Carl W. Neumann will host a
luncheon for the wedding party the former Shriley Chambers of
Royal Oak.

#### Gardening Board To Gather Monday

NAMED TO SPECIAL commit-tee ponts were. Mrs. Carl Vergue-hospitality: Mrs. Lloyd Lipton, hospitality: Mrs. Lloyd Southard, garden center and community council: Mrs. George Goodwin, flower slow chairman; Mrs. Seth Slawson, exhibits; Mrs. Kenneth Duff, ways and means; Mrs. A. R. Duff, ways and means; Mrs. A. R. Mrs. L. Commick, speakers bureau, McCormick, speakers

Georgia Tech Graduate

ATLANTA, GA.—Receiving the degree of bachelor of civil engineering at the June 9 commencement exercises of Georgia Institute of Technology was Albert W. Smith, 1010 Puritan road.

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