

## Moire Taffeta Worn By Suzanne Labadie

Suzanne Marie Labadie and Gerald Francis McUsic were married at 10:30 a.m., Dec. 26, at Duns Scotus. The Rev. Edward Hastings read the solemn high mass for the double ring ceremony.

Suzanne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Labadie, 6270 Thurber road. Gerald's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. McUsic of Detroit.

The bride wore a gown of moire taffeta with a fitted bodice and scalloped waistline, a round neckline trimmed with seed pearls repeating the scallop pattern and a bouffant skirt. The net illusion veil was planted into the headpiece which was trimmed with seed pearls matching the pattern in the dress neckline. On her prayer book she carried a white poinsettia and white holly.

MRS. JOSEPH Stenler was her sister's only attendant. She was gowned in green velvet with a matching headpiece patterned with velvet leaves. She carried red poinsettias and green holly.

James McUsic of Tulsa, Okla., was his brother's best man. Ushers were Dwight Labadie, brother of the bride; Thomas Devereaux of Howell; Joseph Stenler and Richard Elizabeth, both of Detroit. For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Labadie wore a navy blue taffeta cocktail dress with white accessories. Mrs. McUsic wore a blue-grey taffeta dress with white accessories. Both mothers had Christmas corsages of green holly and red carnations.

FOLLOWING the reception in the Birmingham Community House, the couple left for a wedding trip to Chicago. For traveling Suzanne wore a beige three piece costume suit with mink trim and brogue accessories. They will make their home in East Lansing where the bride is attending Michigan State college and will graduate in June.

Out-of-town guests were: Ruth Glass of Saginaw; Mr. and Mrs. George Steinbauer and daughter, Marion, of East Lansing; Mrs. Winfield Packer of Charlotte; Boris Rudnicki of Fowlerville and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dutch of Lansing.

**Sally Selover Engaged to Bill Saunders**

Salome (Sally) Britton Selover's engagement to Lt. William Bradford Saunders was announced at an open house on Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willis Bond of Vaughan road. Lt. Saunders is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Woodruff of Puritan road.

Sally was graduated from Kingswood school and is a senior at the University of Michigan. Bill attended Proctor Academy and was graduated from Hamilton college where he was affiliated with Sigma Phi. He is now stationed at Quantico Marine officers training corps in Virginia.

No immediate wedding plans are being made.

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## Gay Homes Reflect Spirit of Holiday

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WEST BEVERLY—Driving through our winding streets was as much fun as a trip down the great white way this Christmas. Resplendent in holiday finery, each home seemed more beautiful than the last.

A few of the "stoppers" were the big snow man in the front window of the Howard Bells Warwick road home; the lighted wagon of wheels in front of the Mayfair lane home of the Hugh Hemphills; the giant candy cane that almost covered the Emil DuRooks's picture window, on Kirkshire road; the Vern Proctors' lighted roof, running the length of the house, and the spotlight, wreath and garland trim at the Max Roensch and Chet Gullinet homes, on Riverside drive.

Home from Korea for Christmas was Max Roensch, Jr., of Riverside drive. He will report at Fort Sheridan, Ill., on Sunday to be mustered out after three years in the service. On hand to greet his brother was Robert Roensch, a graduate student at the University of Michigan, who was home for the holidays. The senior Roensch accompanied the two sons to Boyne Mountain for a few days of skiing after Christmas.

The W. S. Macdonalds of Rose-year road came back Saturday from a five-day visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fletcher at Lima, Ohio.

Back from Christmas in the snowy north are the Harry Havens of Mayfair lane, who returned Sunday from a visit to her sister and family, in Boone City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Shelley of Riverside drive spent the weekend before Christmas with their son, John, and his family, in Hamilton, Ohio, then went on to Vero Beach, Fla., where they visited their other son, Richard, and family, for the balance of the holiday season.

Among those taking part in the Birmingham Players' Christmas parties on Dec. 19, were the Stephen J. Manhardt of Hillcrest road, and the Lawton Tabors, of Devonshire road. Mrs. Tabor played a comedy lead in a skit entitled "Christmas!" Members of the caroling group were Tabor and the Manhardt, who also assisted the hospitality committee. In addition to performance at the children's and adults' parties on Saturday, the skit was performed on Dec. 16, at Pontiac state hospital.

Continuing a practice started in their former home in Kirkwood, Mo., the Stephen Manhardt entertained friends at an egg-nog party on Christmas Eve.

ton Hadleys, of Warwick road. With their daughter Allison, they spent Christmas day with their daughter and son-in-law, the Frank N. Blakes, in Saginaw.

On Dec. 27, the Richard M. Olsens entertained 100 guests at a breakfast party at the Detroit Golf club. Christmas dinner guests in the Olsens' Warwick road home were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Olsen, here from Melbourne, Fla., for the holidays; her mother, Mrs. Ben Phillips, and sister, Jeanne Phillips, and her aunt, Miss Viola Poore, of Detroit.

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