



**BIRMINGHAMITES AND FRIENDS** enjoyed a winter skiing vacation at Mont Tremblant lodge, internationally known resort in the Laurentian Mountains of Quebec. Pictured in the front row, at left, are Mr. and Mrs. Theodore H. Guething of Lake Park drive. In the second row, beginning

second from left, are Mrs. Hugh Louis of Hupp Cross road, Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Lerchen of Gordon lane and Mr. and Mrs. James Van Dusen of Harmon street. Starting the back row are Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Gotsinger of Bryn Mawr and Mr. and Mrs. William Baldwin of Westwood drive.

## Party Schedules Keep Southeast Area Busy

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**SOUTHEAST OF BIRMINGHAM**—Wednesday was the day selected by Mrs. George Kessel and Mrs. Maynard Zimmerman for bridge parties.

Mrs. Kessel invited Mrs. Max Kanouse, Mrs. Hans Olsen, Mrs. Neils Nielsen, Mrs. Clarence Stapleton, Mrs. Don McKenzie of Detroit, Mrs. C. L. Shorey of Pontiac and Mrs. C. L. Marsh of Beverly Hills to her home on Hamlet for a dessert bridge that afternoon.

That evening Mrs. Zimmerman entertained Mrs. Paul Beuchler, Mrs. Donn Juhl, Mrs. Gabor Auerich, Mrs. Larry Nixon, Mrs. Stan O'Riordan, Mrs. Kenneth McVittie and Mrs. Earl Potter at two tables in her home on Olivia.

Saturday evening the William Vonnans invited five couples to their home on Grosvenor for cocktails before the annual dance given by the Junior Woman's club of Royal Oak at the Bonnie Brook Country club. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lourie, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ataxian, Mr. and Mrs. John T. White and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nakkula were the Vonnans' guests.

Nancy Cone, daughter of the Richard Cones of Olivia avenue, celebrated her 10 birthday by inviting her former neighbor, Barbara Lau, who now lives in Livonia, to her home for the weekend. Saturday afternoon Leslie Ash and Sara Douglas joined them for a party.

Monday evening Mrs. Hans Olsen, Mrs. Max Kanouse, Mrs. Ed Howell and Mrs. Norman Osborn attended the fashion show and card party at the Masonic Temple, Detroit. The fashion show was put on by Mildred Mills of the Ford Foundation. Proceeds are to be used for charity by the Ionia Temple, OES, Detroit.

Saturday afternoon Mrs. Wally Perkins, Mrs. Wendell Johnson

Mrs. Earl Potter, Mrs. David Ash, Mrs. Richard Gockel, Mrs. Lou Fedtich, Mrs. Louis Leverenz, Mrs. George Seader and Mrs. Richard Cone will join Mrs. Edward Jacques of Olivia avenue at the fashion show and bridge party to be given by the Community Services Committee of the Junior Wives of the Engineering society of Detroit at the Rackham building in Detroit. The Bloomfield Hills Fashion shop is arranging the show.

Mary Powers' second grade pupils at the Upton school have been invited to her wedding to John Bull in the Grosse Pointe Memorial Presbyterian church at 5 p.m. March 5. The children are to meet at the school to be taken to the wedding by mothers who have volunteered.

### Initiated at Denison U.

Robert Whitlatch, freshman at Denison university at Granville, Ohio, was recently initiated into the Denison chapter of Delta Upsilon fraternity. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Whitlatch of 707 Lakewood drive.

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## Players Include Two Productions For Closed Show

"Sorry, Wrong Number" will be presented as a closed show for Village Players only at their Chestnut street Playhouse Saturday night.

The production is proving to be an education in telephones, telephone idiosyncrasies and telephone methods for a group of persons who assumed they knew quite a bit about the things.

Before rehearsals all thought they knew a busy signal from an out-of-order signal and were pretty well accustomed to dial tones and noises. These, along with the voice of an operator they considered just routine, every-day noises.

AFTER WORKING for weeks on the dramatization of this Lucille Fletcher suspense story in which life and death hang on the "click" of a telephone, they find they must learn many variations of telephone tones.

Among the other difficulties the sound effects crew faced was the problem of projecting these tones and sounds so members of the audience could understand what was going on.

"It's not the first time the light and sound crew has been in a position to make or break a show," a Players spokesman said, "but it is the first time they had to come through or not have a show."

Handling this difficult assignment has been Arthur L. Genung and L. M. Bell.

THE CAST includes Mrs. Genung, Mrs. Stanley Saunders, Ray Giffels, A. S. McCall, Kenneth Jones, Mrs. Walter Walkeman, Mrs. R. H. Ashton, Mrs. S. M. Voss, Mrs. Betty Colmar, Mrs. J. W. Torrence, Marc Parsons and Robert Keller.

Mrs. Mary N. Hammond, assisted by Mrs. John E. Hall, has handled directorial duties. Mrs. Robert Woodruff and Mrs. Robert T. Garrison have had charge of properties including telephones. Mrs. Aishton is holding lines for the cast.

Following this tense drama, the audience will be relaxed with the Moss Hart-George F. Kaufman, "George Washington Slept Here." This is directed by George Fox, assisted by Mrs. Fox.

Mrs. J. V. Williams is holding lines and Mrs. John A. Gilray, Jr., in charge of properties.

THIS CAST is made up of Alan W. Joslyn, Mrs. William H. Spinning, Miss Jean Burnett, John Sterling, Berrien Ketchum, Mrs. Ralph Greiner, Mrs. Inez Asper, Robert Billie, Mrs. Arthur Skinner, and Donald Bay.

Mrs. G. T. Dwellley designed sets for both productions. Mrs. Howard C. Macdonald has also served on the scenery committee with Edward E. Godner, stage manager. Mrs. Anthony J. Daley is taking care of make-up.

A business meeting and social hour will follow, with Mrs. Robert C. Wyatt planning refreshments.

### Metropolitan Aux. Has White Elephant Party

Mrs. Walter Leopold of Cranbrook road, Bloomfield Hills, will be hostess to the Ladies Auxiliary No. Nine of the Metropolitan club on Wednesday, March 3. Included in the entertainment scheduled for 8 p.m. will be a white elephant exchange by members.

Chairman of the entertainment committee will be Mrs. Glenn Foltz assisted by Mrs. Donald Richardson, Mrs. Hilda Mulholland and Mrs. Arthur Ellison.

Society deadline is 3 p.m. each Tuesday.

## Garden Branches Joint Workshop

Berkshire Branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association has canceled its March meeting and will participate with the Franklin Branch in a two-day workshop in conjunction with the Extension service of Michigan State college. The workshop will be held at the Franklin Community building March 25 and 26.

H. L. R. Chapman, head of the Co-operative Extension Service at the college, will be the featured speaker along with the Oakland County agent, Karl Bailey, and the Home Demonstration agent.

Members and guests are asked to bring their own sandwiches and coffee and tea will be served at noon.

## Junior Musicians Play At Recreation Center

Several members of Moment Musicale, junior division of the Birmingham Musicale, presented a program Feb. 14, at the recreation center of the Detroit Orthopaedic clinic. Their program highlighted the Valentine party sponsored by Alpha Gamma Delta alumnae, as planned by Mrs. Charles C. Layman of Franklin.

Taking part in the program were Joel Hauser, accordionist; Jeanette Mänge, flute solos, and Sally Dale Garabrant and Kathy Kyes, vocal and instrumental duets and solos. Mrs. Richard Mänge was the official accompanist.

Birthdays, anniversaries, guests, births, parties are all news—the society editor about them.

## Have You Met . . .

Former residents of Crystal Lake, Ill., who now reside at 431 Park street? They are Mr. and Mrs. James L. Kiley and children, Clare, age 9; Jimmy, age 8; Martha, age 4½ and Mary Anne, 22 months. Kiley is assistant to the sales manager of Kent-Moore Organization, Inc. They are members of Holy Name Parish.

## Mark Wessel

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