

Bloomfield Village

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Homes Aglow with Christmas Lights Welcome Guests at Holiday Parties

The village is a picturesque place these days with houses aglow with Christmas lights, wreaths of holly decorating doors, and the spirit of Peace on Earth, Good Will to Man abounding.

While many families plan Christmas gatherings in their homes, there are those who are traveling elsewhere to celebrate the event. The William Brinkley of Greenville is traveling with their children to the home of Mrs. Moorehead in Birmingham, where they will spend the next few days at the "Coca Bazaar Hotel." They left by plane yesterday to travel to New Orleans, the only stopover between Chicago and Jacksonville. Recently anticipated, a young woman in the Michigan campus when she returns to the same when he returns to his campus at Birmingham high.

Linda Robeson, daughter of the Harry Robesons of Overhill, left today for a flying trip to visit her cousin Carol and husband, who are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Newton of St. John, New Brunswick. Linda was in Carol's wedding party in June and is looking forward to spending Christmas with the young couple.

FAMILY GATHERING

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reid Jr. of Union had a great deal to look forward to in the next few weeks. Their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reid II will arrive home with 30 months old Carol Kerthoval Reid to spend their holiday days between their parents' home in Bloomfield Village and Greece Pointe.

The 11th 24th Church of the Pointe Her national headquarters will be held in the happy occasion by celebrating the birthday of the family of a luncheon in their home at 4000 1/2th Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Upper, the Robson daughter and son-in-law will travel to Ann Arbor to be the Robson household along with their two little daughters, as well as their mother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kilpatrick of Hupp Cross road will be entertaining a family group for dinner on Christmas. Among their guests will be Mrs. Kilpatrick's parents, the C. W. Woodruff and the C. W. Woodruff Jr. with their young son, Corey. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Flood, and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Kilpatrick of Grand Rapids, and Miss Effie Malshers of Inlay City.

A meeting of the Christ Child Society was held at the home of Mrs. Robert Fisher of Glenayric Circle last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Judge W. Beardon was selected as chairman for the group's spring dinner.

Venturists Guests Of Soroptimists

Birmingham's Soroptimist club will honor members and prospective members of the Birmingham Venture club at a Christmas dinner party Dec. 29 in the home of Mrs. Helen Rege of Golfview road.

After dinner Mrs. Ruth Kelley will present a film on "Adventures in South America."

Entertaining the sister club is an annual seasonal event for the Soroptimists. A second annual activity consists of adding to a revolving fund for the Jackson County Infirmary. This fund is used by members of the Infirmary who are working in occupational therapy or at hospital for the purchase of supplies.

Have You Met
Mr. and Mrs. David W. Bruce Bruce and their small daughter, Mary Margaret, 8. The Bruce family recently moved to 1208 Cole from Royal Oak. Mr. Bruce is with the Ethyl Corp.

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DOWN TO EARTH

Gold Spray Creates Yule Cheer

By ALICE WESSELS BURLINGAME
Special Writer for The Birmingham Eccentric

Recently the Birmingham National Farm and Garden club invited its more than 400 members to the Community house for a workshop to design and make decorations for their homes.

A well chosen committee helped the neophytes create outstanding arrangements. Here are some ideas I saw, and perhaps some of these ideas can be used for your holiday hospitality.

Mr. Lewis Public made a child's wreath by attaching wadded scraps of red candy to a round ring such as a spirit case as a wreath base. The wreath looked neat, and the candy wrapper provided a way to attach the candy.

Mrs. FRANK WEBB attached a wooden dowel to the center of a 5 inch circular block. Superimposed on the dowel were three funnels, with the largest on the bottom. These inverted funnels were filled with nuts, and the entire arrangement was sprayed with gold.

As the homemakers sprayed they set work with various paints. I noticed they kept windows open. The workers sprayed into a large cardboard box with the top left on to control the spraying.

A complete with its content sprayed with gold is stunning. Contents were a pineapple, oranges and nuts.

For the record you can see that the girls are enjoying spraying with gold paint for Christmas 1958.

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Village Principal To Wed Texas Girl Zonta Clubs Unite For Holiday Party

Announcement was made at a family dinner at her home in Kerrville, Texas, of the engagement of Nan M. Brown to Edwin W. Crandell.



NAN M. BROWN

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert C. Brown of Texas. Edwin is the son of Mrs. Raymond H. Pack of Maryland boulevard, Birmingham, and the late Charles W. Crandell.

Nan was graduated from the school of Commerce in Austin, Texas. The prospective bridegroom, principal of Franklin Village school, was graduated from Alhambra and Wayne.

The couple will be married Dec. 28 in Kerrville.

Christmas party for the Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills Zonta clubs was held at the Pine Lake home of Mrs. Matt Gowers. The 18 guests sang carols to organ music played by the hostess.

The groups' service project included the filling of a basket for a needy family and planning a Christmas for two little girls who are wards of the court.

Next regular meeting of the clubs will be January 10 at the Community House.

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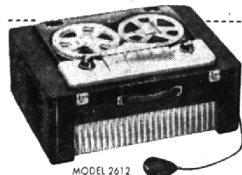
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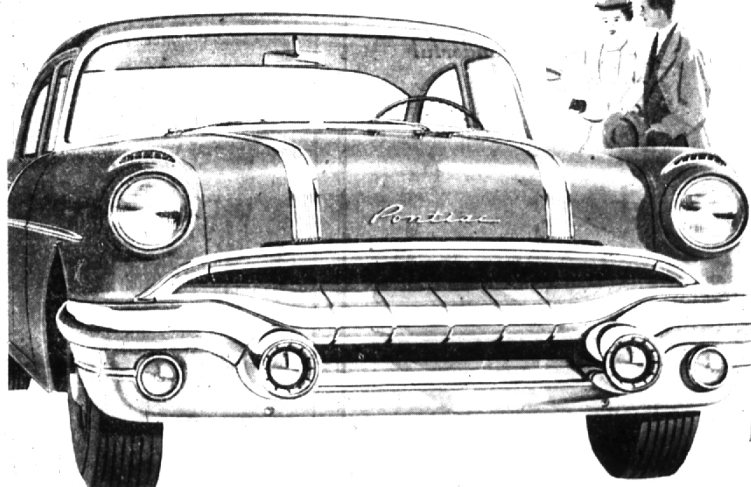
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