

For centuries it has been known that he who depends upon popular favor is shackled with the caprices and vagaries of the masses, and therefore unable to shape his life in accordance with mankind's wisest precepts and examples, leading a quiet life in refuge.

## Alysanne Dove and Dave Burkhardt Exchange Wedding Vows and Rings

Alysanne Hazel Dove and David John Burkhardt were united in marriage in a double ring ceremony Saturday evening in First Methodist church, Birmingham. Dr. Arnold F. Eunkel performed the rites in the presence of 200 guests.



MRS. DAVID J. BURKHARDT

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. William E. Dove, 333 Wallace street, Birmingham. David is the son of Mrs. H. L. Burkhardt of Park street, Birmingham, and the late Mr. Burkhardt.

ALYSANNE'S tulle wedding gown was designed with short sleeves, portrait neckline and floor length skirt. Pleated tulle was used at the front neckline and alencon lace appliques trimmed the bodice and sleeves forming a frame at the shoulder line. Alencon lace was also appliqued on the bouffant tulle skirt.

Her fingertip length veil of silk illusion cascaded from a headpiece of tulle, tulle and seed pearls. Tulle gossamers and a bouquet of orchids centered with a white orchid completed her ensemble.

THE GOWNS of the bridal attendants were created of white acetate taffeta in an Empire style. Their headbands were fashioned of white velvet and lace.

Maid of honor Ann Groves of Detroit was distinguished by her bouquet of gladiolus in dark pink shade. Pale pink gladiolus were carried by the bridesmaids, Peggy Kimb of Kalamazoo and Bonnie Baker of Battle Creek, sorority sisters of the bride when they attended Michigan State university.

James L. Burkhardt of Watertown, Mass., was his brother's best man. Guests were seated by brothers of the bride, William and John Dove; Robert Beerford, uncle of the bride, from Windsor, Ontario; and Bruce VanDeusen of Detroit.

MRS. DOVE was gowned in floor length powder blue crepe with matching headband and Mrs. Burkhardt chose a floor length blue sheer crepe dress with a blue velvet headband. Their corsages were of pink roses.

After a reception in the church parlors, the newlyweds left for a honeymoon in northern Michigan. They plan to make their home on Graefield in Birmingham.

## AT THE COUNTRY CLUBS 'Teen Talent Toot' Touches off Weekend Of Social Activities

A "Family Night" program this evening highlighted by an outdoor teen-aged variety show, will touch off a weekend of social and sports activities at Oakland Hills Country Club.

Children of club members will stage the "Teen Talent Toot" at 6 p. m. on the country club's spacious grounds. It will follow a hot and cold buffet.

Activities following the Family Night will include dancing, swim, golf and tennis. Night variety show, Jay Lewis will serve as master of ceremonies. Family Night program chairmen are Henry Kosarke and Gordon Apple. Members of the cast include: Debbie Thompson, Sylvia Knodt, plempst. Assisting them are Ed Brock, Sally Schlueter, Tommy Sullivan, F. W. Lynn, Dr. Orta, Gregg and Joseph P. Balzer, Jeanne Poor, Kathie and Patty Rourke, Josie Paulus, Wendy Padgugher and Jim Ewing, Jr., musical director for the Family Bonnie Richard, Jack Brodie, Evan



IN A CLOSE TENNIS MATCH—Mrs. R. E. Leahy of Franklin, woman's champion of Orchard Lake Country club was two up on the 17th hole and won the match, one up, in competition with Mrs. W. L. Mosher, Jr., of Keswick road, Bloomfield Hills. Mrs. Leahy (right) has been contending for the championship for six years... this being her fourth win and the third consecutive. The match was played off Friday.

Ewing, a chorus line of Karen Sandberg, Jan Lynch, Lila Norton, Ginny Irvin, Barbara Williams, and Valerie French.

Gifts of plastic will be presented to Janet tonight when Patricia Belore entertains at a desert shower in her honor.

Orchard Lake country club will be the scene of a luncheon and shower Sept. 8 to which Mrs. Syver Tingstad and Mrs. A. R. Stephenson have invited 200 guests. That evening, Janet and her fiance, Donald McKay Sutherland of Plymouth, will be honored at a dinner party by the Morris Purdys of Glenary road.

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## Shain Park Is Stage For Artists' Exhibit

For the second consecutive year Shain Park will set the stage for the Birmingham Society of Women Painters when they arrange paintings for sale and exhibition Saturday, Sept. 8 with a background of music for the artists and their fans.

The decision has already been made and one of the painting members of the club has enlisted the aid of her son and other members to operate the phonograph day of the show. Mrs. Chalmers Smith's son, Peter, and Mrs. Cyrus Osborne's son, Cy Jr., agree to supervise the playing of records.

THIS year's exhibition will include oils and water colors with many of them inexpensively priced remarked Mrs. Robert L.

## Suburban Scene

by BARBARA GANSCHOW

### Gala Week-end Ahead

Sure to have a gala time is the group that is traveling to Fisherman's Paradise at Bellaire Lake this week-end, if the fun this gang has had on similar excursions during the past four years is any criterion.

About 20 husband and wife teams started out in a car caravan yesterday for the jaunt to the resort where they'll swim, water ski, do some trout fishing, have golf tournaments, play baseball and perhaps get in some impromptu dance contests or the like.

All chums from high school and college days, they've kept their friendships intact with these Bellaire excursions in the summer and ski sessions at Otsego in the winter.

Ex-Birminghamites Mr. and Mrs. William Dorais didn't want to miss the excitement, so they're coming up from Wabash, Ind., to be part of this fun-loving aggregation.

Joining in from this area are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Klarr, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Finn (who'll be off for Paris next week), the Richard Wheatons, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Syme, the William Purcells, the William Duckers, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Don Dittrich, the John Quirks and the Richard Guilford.

As all good things do, the partying will come to an end when they'll all head back home Monday, just in time to get the junior members of the families off to school on Tuesday morning.

### Pre-Nuptial Parties

After the Sept. 14 rehearsal for the wedding of Nancy Jane Alberda and David A. Howell, Jr., David's parents, the senior D. A. Howells of Lakeside drive, Birmingham, will entertain at a dinner in the Peninsular club in Grand Rapids.

The wedding is planned the following day in East Congregational church of Grand Rapids, with a reception in the church dining room.

Nancy has been busily engaged in the festivities surrounding this important event with several luncheons and showers being given in her honor. Mrs. Bryce Becker and daughter Sharon of Battle Creek gave a personal shower and luncheon in Kalamazoo, and in Grand Rapids there has been a kitchen shower, a pantry shower, a china and gadget shower and other miscellaneous showers and luncheons.

### Bride-elect Janet Wasson Feted

Also caught up in the whirl of pre-nuptial activities is bride-elect Janet Claire Wasson, daughter of the William W. Wassons of North Williamsbury road, Bloomfield Village.

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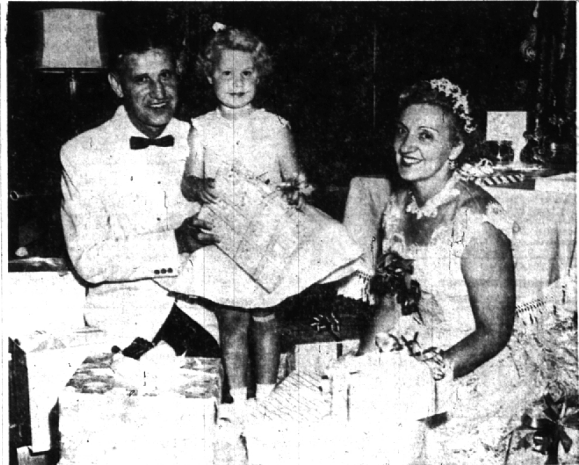
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MR. AND MRS. STEVE CIKITY BEAM with pride on their three and a half year old daughter, Jill, as she lends a willing hand in the opening of their gifts at a party Saturday evening, celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary.

## Vows Repeated in Serbian Church For Silver Anniversary Celebration

By FRAN MAIER

Twenty-five years of marriage was celebrated Saturday as Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ciktity, 1974 Maryland, Birmingham, repeated their marriage vows in the Serbian Orthodox Ravica church, Detroit, before Father Miodrag Mijtovich.

Mrs. Ciktity stood before the altar in a white lace dress over beige taffeta and cocoa netting. Her flowers were cymbidium orchids.

Attending the couple were Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Parich of Grosse Pointe. Mrs. Parich wore a wrist corsage of pink cymbidiums to contrast with her blue gown of pure silk organza.

The Parichs are the god parents of the Ciktity's only child, three-and-a-half-year-old Jill, who came to her mother and dad's celebration in a pink organza frock.

A small dance floor was set up where the party guests took part in Serbian dances such as "Malo Kolo" and "Zikino Kolo" to authentic music provided by a combo.

COMING from out of town for the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hall of Postoria, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Longworth of Cleveland, Ohio.

Among those from the area were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mullenex of Foxcroft, Mrs. L. W. Mullenex of West Long Lake road, Dr. and Mrs. C. Baum of Lathrup, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Guilford, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ruby, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Navin, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Clemon, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Collier, all of Birmingham, and Maryland street neighbors.

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## Rings on Their Fingers—Dates Are Set



SUSAN DOHERTY



JILL JOHNSON



MOLLY LOU MCGRAW



JUDITH MARY SAPPINGTON

### Troth Revealed At Open House

At an open house party Saturday in their home on Kenesaw road, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd R. Doherty announced the engagement of their daughter, Susan Jane, to Robert Lee Isaacson, son of the Emil A. Isaacsons of Detroit.

Susan is attending the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor where she is affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

Her fiance is a graduate student at the same school, studying for his Ph. D. in psychology. Delta Tau Delta, Phi Kappa Phi and the U of M Toastmaster's club are among his affiliations. He is a Lt. junior grade in the Naval Reserves, having served in Korea.

They are planning a December 9 marriage. (See TROTH, Page 2, Sec. 2)

### Engaged to Marry Robert H. Kohr

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schilling of Stoneleigh road, Bloomfield Hills, announced the engagement of their niece, Jill Mary Johnson, to Robert Harvey Kohr on Thursday evening at a party in their home.

Jill, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Devis Johnson of Witley, Surrey, England, is presently living in San Francisco, Calif. She is also the niece of the Anatole M. Wauvers of Covington road, Birmingham.

Her fiance's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fran Kohr of Wimbleton drive, Birmingham. The Kohrs entertained Sunday at a cocktail party honoring their son and his bride-to-be.

The newly engaged couple will be married in Birmingham in December.

### Altar Date Told At Cocktail Party

A cocktail and supper party in their Bucyrus, Ohio, home was Mr. and Mrs. Arno William McGraw's way of announcing the engagement of their daughter, Molly Lou, of Lone Pine road, Bloomfield Hills, to Robert Douglas MacGregor. He is the son of Mrs. Harold Douglas MacGregor, 1475 Snydle lane, Foxcroft, and the late Dr. MacGregor.

Miss McGraw was graduated from Maryland college for Women and Ohio State university, where she was affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Cranbrook and received his AB and MBA from the University of Michigan. Sigma Chi is his fraternity.

Plans are for a December 8 altar date.

### Judith Sappington To Wed Law Grad

Engagement of Judith Mary Sappington to Robert Derrick Smith of New York City is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Byron Sappington of Arlington road, Birmingham. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. William Herbert Smith of Toronto, Ont.

Judith, now with B. Altman and Company of New York City, is a graduate of Mount Holyoke college.

The prospective bridegroom was graduated from the University of Toronto, Osgoode Hall Law school, and is currently with the G. M. Basford Advertising Agency of N. Y. C.

An October wedding is being planned.