



Silver Tea Benefit

Mrs. William Kohler opened her Birmingham home on Far Hill drive for a silver tea and program presented by boys from Starr Commonwealth. Sponsored by South Oakland auxiliary, the groups president pours for (from left) Mrs. Martha Seligman, representative from Starr; Mrs. H. D. Seelinger, social chairman; and Mrs. Daniel E. Ford, program chairman.

Society

Alpha Chi Omega's Christmas Meeting

Mrs. Frank C. Perry of Birmingham is opening her home for the Christmas meeting of the Southern Oakland County chapter of Alpha Chi Omega Tuesday at 8 p.m. Special program for the evening will be presented by Mrs. W. J. Thompson of Salem road and Mrs. Richard Cuddohy of Captain's lane. They will sing and tell the story of the Nativity as described in the four gospels.

As an unusual feature, Mrs. Florence Fall will be presented with a "50 year Guard" for her pin. She has been a member of Alpha Chi Omega, Beta chapter for 54 years.

Assisting the hostess will be Mrs. Hugh Davidson, Mrs. Logan Boggs, Mrs. Doris Ansteth and Mrs. William Haas.

Christmas Party

Pi Beta Phi alumnae club of Bloomfield Hills will have its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. E. L. Sylvester on Snow Shoe circle, Dec. 10 at 8 p.m. Hostesses will be Mrs. W. T. Beresford, Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Mrs. Sidney Smith and Mrs. William Leckie.



MRS. VINCENT L. RAMONEDA

Couple Repeat Wedding Vows

Ann Louise Nichols and Vincent L. Ramoneda were united in marriage Saturday at St. Mary's church in Anderson, Ind. The Rev. Francis Kiely performed the 11:30 o'clock ceremony in the presence of 300 guests.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Nichols of Beaconsfield drive, Birmingham. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ramoneda of New Orleans, La.

THE BRIDE chose for her wedding a renaissance style gown featuring an alencon lace bodice and V-neckline with a long cathedral train. She wore a traditional bridal veil of matching lace and carried a cascade of white camellias and lilies of the valley, accented with red and white heart roses, French nylon tulle and pearl heart.

June Bindevald was maid of honor and bridesmaids were Mrs. Charles A. Nichols, Jr., and Paty Dawson.

Attendants were gowning in red chiffon over tulle with matching accessories. They carried cascades of white roses and Snowdrift pompons caught with white satin loops.

John Ramoneda was his brother's best man. Seating the guests were Charles A. Nichols, Jr., James Skeoch, George Tierney and Thomas Tierney.

MOTHER OF THE BRIDE selected a blue crepe dress featuring an alencon lace bodice, short jacket and matching accessories. Mrs. Ramoneda chose a royal blue chiffon with white accessories.

Luncheon immediately following the ceremony was at Anderson Country Club. Ann chose for her honeymoon a beige dress with matching accessories. The young couple will reside in New Orleans.

WHY?



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Because Charon, who conveyed shades of the dead across the rivers Acheron, Cocytus and Styx, accepted only paying passengers, Greeks and Romans placed a coin in the mouths of their dead on burial. Wealthy Egyptians provided deceased with all manner of valuable objects and equipment to speed his journey. Chinese placed bits of coin-shaped silver paper in coffins.

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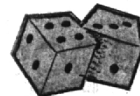
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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 29

All day Check in any time.
6:30 P.M. Old-fashioned Holiday Turkey Dinner, featuring guest carvers.
9:30 P.M. Pajama Party. Don that loud nightshirt or your more colorful P.J.'s for this one! Perennial Lost Week-Enders will show their slides and movies from past parties.
11:30 P.M. Midnight Snack.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30

9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. The Dining Porches will be open for breakfast and lunch at your leisure. The afternoon is free for bridge, gin or napping.
7:00 P.M. Cocktails in the lounge. Pianist Ray Carlin will be on hand to play your old favorites.
8:00 P.M. A Gourmet's Buffet—Alaskan King Crab, Pan Fried Chicken, St. Clair River Pickers, Seafood.
9:30 P.M. to 1:00 A.M. Dancing to the rhythms of Earl Perkins Orchestra, featuring the one and only Judy Carroll.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 31

9:30 A.M. Juice, Coffee and Warm Sweet Rolls, to provide a base for the Milk Punch and Saratoga that follow.
10:30 A.M. Saratoga and Milk Punch in the Coach Room.
11:30 A.M. Hayride to Shorehill for that traditional country breakfast of flapjacks with melted butter and maple syrup and Home-Made sausage—followed by community singing, the Annual Musical Chairs Contest and (for the robust) some terrific sledding.
3:00 P.M. Naptime. You'll be sorry if you don't grab forty winks before the Big Night!
7:00 P.M. Cocktail Party in the Lounge.
8:00 P.M. The St. Clair Inn's famous Roast Prime Beef Dinner with Yorkshire Pudding and all the trimmings.
10:00 P.M. New Year's Eve Party (dress optional). Verne Willard's Orchestra will be with us again and Jim Schulte, the country's best party stimulator, will be on hand to assist.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 1

2:30 A.M. Nocturnal Brunch—Peameal Bacon, Scrambled Eggs, Hot Biscuits, Jelly and Coffee.
9:00 A.M. Breakfast in Bed. Just pick up your phone and start the New Year in an upright position, the Dining Room will be open for breakfast until 1:00 P.M.

THE LOST WEEK-END is officially ended after breakfast, but there's no check-out hour. If you choose to stay this night, there's no charge for your room. Only what grub and grog you consume will be charged to your account.

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