

Lathrup Village Woman Has Adopted Greek Boy

Mrs. William H. Creaser, 18859 San Quentin avenue, Lathrup Village has adopted a 12-year-old Greek boy—that is "financially"—through the Foster Parents' Plan. The foster parents have promised to contribute a nominal fee towards the child's support for at least one year.

The green-eyed lad with fair hair is Diamantis Tolatos. He is a fifth grader in the primary school, an excellent student and loves to read. His ambition is to become an aviator when he grows up.

Diamantis' mother fled, as a child with her family from Asia Minor during the persecutions of the Greek residents after World War I. When old enough, she managed to get work as a housemaid, and in 1942, met Diamantis' father.

SHE has been left alone to care for the boy since he was only a few weeks old. At present, the mother is working as a charwoman, the only employment she can find. She earns only \$12 a month and labors long.

Francis for the welfare of her son, the mother requested that he be allowed shelter in an institution but her application was rejected because he is not abnormal.

Generous and timely "adoption" assured Diamantis of vital, material assistance and is a godsend to his distraught mother, so anxious for the welfare of her son and yet unable to help him.

Village Players' Husband-Wife Duo Ready Dual Set

One of Birmingham Village Players' most versatile husband-wife teams, Mr. and Mrs. G. Thorn-dyke Dweley, is collaborating on sets for the March 2 production of A. P. Herbert's farce, "Two Gentlemen of Soho," and the tower scene from Maxwell Anderson's "Mary of Scotland." The dual bill will be presented at 9 p.m. at the Chestnut street playhouse, for the membership only.

Mrs. Dweley has created a duopurpose setting. When her husband, as stage manager, has supervised construction of the set she designed and painted, Mrs. Dweley says the same set will serve as a traditional background in which to play the Anderson drama, and as a surrealistic set for "The Two Gentlemen."

This change, she explains, is accomplished with a mobile and louvered set. With louvered set

and the set centered straight on stage, it is quite conventional. Moved at an angle to the audience, with louvers opened, it becomes perfect for the Shakespearean parody which the cast has appropriately renamed "Soch and Soho."

BALANCE OF THE production staff, as well as the set, will serve double duty. Mrs. Marc J. Parsons is ranging ahead for Elizabethan costume and 1927 evening dress in her role as wardrobe mistress.

John Hall will photograph both shows. Mrs. Irving Evans is dressing both sets with properties. Lights will be handled by Dr. Ed Deer.

Mrs. John Hall, make-up chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. Douglas A. Brown, Mrs. Stanley R. Hood, Mrs. Reed Alexander, and Mrs. Mary Hammond.

Background music running the gamut of the classical is being taped by Earle Wilson.

Complete staff and casts of both shows will meet and work together for the first time Sunday, when a full day's dress rehearsal will take place. After the traditional "union-building afternoon's" rehearsal, cocktails and supper will

'Color and Design' Lecture Planned For Weavers' Guild

Miss Kathryn Wellman will give a lecture on "Color and Design" for the Michigan Weavers' Guild at 1:30 p.m., Feb. 21 at the Women's City club.

One of the outstanding weavers in the country and a teacher of weaving, her lecture will be accompanied by photographs, actual samples of weaving and demonstration.

Miss Wellman is a member of the Philadelphia Weavers' Guild and is supervisor of a project called "Weaves from Museum Inspiration." Handweaving from the collections of the museum are studied by the guild and original design and techniques are derived from these studies. At a recent show at the Philadelphia Museum

be served, according to Mrs. John T. Klerne, chairman, to give both casts courage for a long night of

of Art Miss Wellman's double weave and drapery fabric inspired as a result of the project was judged "best in the show."

Among the local members are Mrs. James A. Beresford of Lone Pine road, Mrs. L. T. Oleskemer of Baldwin avenue, Mrs. James Roach of Stanley avenue, Mrs. M. E. Beresford of Goodhue road, Mrs. Martin Butzel of Westwood drive, Mrs. Lillian Holm and Mrs. Marianne Strengell, both of Cranbrook.

Marriages

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Deben-Staub
The flurry of parties for Carolyn Staub was climaxed last week by a mother and daughter dessert and personal shower on Valentine's day evening.

Hostesses, Mrs. John Danek and Mrs. John Dongvan, Jr., used little packages of rice wrapped in white net to mark places for the guests. Red carnations formed the table centerpiece for the party, given in the Danekes' home on Buckingham road, and the guest of honor was presented with a corsage of red and white carnations.

Mrs. James Deane of Merritt lane entertained at a kitchen shower for Carol in January, and Mrs. Vernon Hess of Royal Oak was hostess for a linen shower last week. The bride-elect's aunts, Mrs. Gordon Payne and Mrs. Ralph Staub of Detroit, also gave for a shower.

CAROL, daughter of the Charles

R. Staub of Merritt lane, will marry Donald W. Deetz at Holy Name church on March 2.

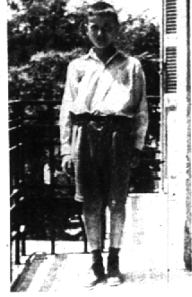
Hostess for the splinter dinner Tuesday will be Kathleen Feely of Larchmont road, who is to be maid of honor. The same evening, best man John Moore will host the bachelor dinner.

Following the rehearsal Wednesday evening, the bride party has been invited to dinner in Deven (table) by Mrs. Nan Degen of Southfield road, mother of the groom-to-be.

Martha Cook Alums Plan Card Party

Mrs. R. Tyler Perkins, Jr. of South Century, West Bloomfield township, is taking reservations for the Martha Cook alumnae scholarship dessert card party.

Planned for March 2 at 1 p.m. in the Ernest Kern Co. auditorium, Detroit, the party will raise funds for scholarships for residents of the Martha Cook dormitory at the University of Michigan.



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Youth Activities Will Be Described To Vaughan PTO

Parents of Vaughan school students will have outlined to them Monday evening the various activities offered in this community for their youngsters. Leaders of these youth groups will make their reports at the Vaughan PTO meeting in the school.

Saluting scouting on its 50th anniversary will be Jim Stirling, PTO institutional representative. Edwin Kierbit, director of the Birmingham YMCA, will discuss the Y program, and the very popular little league football program will be presented by league president M. B. Lindquist.

The Wednesday evening dance class at Vaughan will be described by its director, Florence Schoenfeld Young. Information regarding the popular Cranbrook summer day camp will be given by the camp's director, William Schultz, Jr.

Vaughan physical education instructor, Mrs. Ruth DeLong, will outline details of the Leaders' club. William Schmitz, fifth grade teacher, will tell of the safety patrol.

Following this informative meeting, refreshments will be served by fifth grade mothers. The school will be open at 7:30 p.m. to allow time to view the exposition prepared by Vaughan school club pack B-36.

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