

"... and whoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it." These words from Matthew emphasize much of the teachings of the Gullison. In more modern language it declares that only by denying them the desires of carnal, selfish, resentful acts can a man establish his true spiritual identity.

# The Birmingham Eccentric

SECTION B

Thursday, February 28, 1957

## Cotillion Club Dinner-Dance Party Has Nite-Club Setting

### Floor Show of Teen-Age Talent At Bloomfield Hills Country Club



**HELPING THEMSELVES** to a cream cheese salad decked with bright red cherries following the theme of George Washington's Birthday are Joan Anderson and John Baldwin.

Soft lights, sweet music, cabaret tables and a floor show transformed the ballroom at Bloomfield Hills Country club into a nightclub for members of the Cotillion club Friday night.

A little change of pace for the teenagers, dinner was served buffet style beginning at 7:30 instead of the usual late supper.

After supper more than 250 teenagers pulled back their chairs and awaited the floorshow in the ballroom decked with red, white and blue... carrying out the theme of George Washington's Birthday.

A background of music was provided by Jim Ewing, bass; Carl Reynolds, tenor sax; Don Andrae, on the piano and Bill Bell on the drums.

DON NICHOLS, acting as master of ceremonies, brought on the show with tap numbers done by Karen VanderKloot and her dad, Robert VanderKloot, of Lone Pine road, Bloomfield township.

The Nairobi Trio, consisting of Bill Reid, Chad Bennett and Mike Patterson, put on a pantomime in sarcasm of three monkeys, Nairobi, a country or village in Africa... was represented by original costumes of raccoon coats and masks.

**MORE TALENT** was presented by Lee Carkner, spokesman and manager of the "Matistes", a group of Birmingham high school students originating about four months ago to perform for the variety show... they've been invited to appear on radio, the Ed McKenzie show and for USA performances.

The group consists of Don Booth, who plays the guitar and sings most of the lead roles; Tim Usher... he sings and plays the bongos; Mac Gibbons, singer; Bob Sawyer, maracas; Jim MacDonald, bones; Sue Bollinger and Linda Bliss, singers.

Their performances included seven numbers in two parts—"The Fox," "Marianne," "Scarlet Ribbons," "Bacon Fat," "Matilda," "Mamapapa" and "Banana Boat."

An added attraction during "Banana Boat" was a group of Kingwood girls in gaily colored cotton skirts and white blouses dancing calypso style. Dancers included Betty Bugas, Judy Knudsen, Molly Martin, Mary Brad Stevenson, Jose Schofield, Thayer Rice, Chris Menkler, Sally Annas and Sally Sanford.

They danced with roses in their mouths and as a parting gesture threw them to the onlookers.



**TABLES WERE SET UP** CABARET STYLE for partygoers and joining for the buffet were (seated from left) Doug Jocelyn, Joan VanderMeer, Sherry Markler, Phil Fleming, Carol Wilson, Bob Waddell and (standing) Val French and John Roeder.



**MUSIC... CALYPSO STYLE...** presented by the "Matistes", a group of Birmingham high school students. Bringing forth the African rhythms were Tim Usher, Mac Gibbons, Bob Sawyer, Jim MacDonald, Sue Bollinger and Linda Bliss.



**MATCHING STRIPED COATS** and straw skimpers were the order of the evening for Karen VanderKloot and her father, Robert VanderKloot, doing the tap to "Glad Rag Doll."



**THE TALE** of three monkeys done in pantomime by the Nairobi Trio consisting of Bill Reid, Chad Bennett and Mike Patterson.

## Marjorie Thomson Wed To H. William Saffell

In a noon ceremony Saturday at Holy Name church, Marjorie Thomson and H. William Saffell exchanged their wedding vows.

The bride, who made her home in Bloomfield Hills, is the daughter of Mrs. J. her veil, her bouquet was of E. Oscar Thomas Thomson of Still-charm, Okla., and the late Dr. D. Thomson.

Attending her sister as matron of honor, Mrs. Walter Jackson of Madison street, Birmingham, wore a sheath dress of lavender silk. A pink hat and a crescent fast in the home of the groom's cent shaded bouquet of pink roses. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Saffell completed her ensemble.

Robert L. Saffell of Townsend of 2215 Tottenham road.

Marjorie's bridal gown of ivory satin featured a cathedral train brother's best man.

## MRS. THOMSON

mined pink roses to her pale rose crepe dress. A corsage of red roses accented the dress of gray silk stanting worn by the mother of the groom.

The bride's going away costume was a yellow linen sheath with box jacket and hewn accessories.

Mrs. and Mrs. Saffell will make their home in Walled Lake after a honeymoon in northern Michigan.

## Christ Church Cranbrook Is Scene Of Jones-Brewster Marriage Rites

Upon returning from a honeymoon in the Bahamas, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allen Jones will make their home at San Antonio, Texas, where Richard will be stationed as a second lieutenant at Lackland Air Force base.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Langley Jones of Stillwell, Kansas.

Miss Jones selected a gown of ivory Italian silk for her wedding day. Designed on Princess lines, the gown featured appliques of lawn on the long-sleeved bodice outlining the portrait neckline, and extending to form a deep back yoke.

The family heirloom veil of illusion net was edged in a wide border of rose points lace, and cascaded from a lace bonnet. She carried a bouquet of carnations, stephanotis and white freesia.

**SILK ORGANZA** gowns in a melon pink shade were worn by the six attendants who preceded the bride down the aisle.

Betsy Brewster of New York was her sister's honor maid. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Robert H. Russell of Oak Park, sister of the groom, Ann Ward of Pontiac, Chloé Davidson of Greenview, Conn., Bonnie Bergland of St. Charles, Ill., and Mary Truss of Grand Rapids.

Their bouquets were composed of tall-tan roses, yellow iris and anemone.

Mrs. Brewster attended her daughter's wedding in a gown of champagne silk accented by a matching hat of maline and tiny flowers. The mother of the groom chose dove gray silk with matching hat. Their flowers were bronze.

## "Doodling" Reward

### Is Toll Call

"Color Came Calling" to the Birmingham Newcomers club last week at their monthly luncheon at the Community House, when Miss Sue Harris of the Michigan Bell Telephone company presented an unusual program on the use of color in home decorating.

Miss Harris' displays were cleverly accented by the effect achieved by adding colored telephones to the general decor.

The clever table decorations especially prepared for the luncheon by Mrs. Ralph Moore and her committee drew a great deal of attention. From the 150 women present, three-dimensional paper telephones in shades of blue, pink and lavender were grouped at intervals on the tables, and each telephone was flanked by miniature telephone poles, with colorful paper birds perched on the wires.

**MEMBERS** were invited to do some typical "telephone doodling" on the paper tabloids between lunch courses, and a committee was picked to judge the doodling program chairman Joan Mooley announced that the prize for the best "doodle" would be a long distance telephone call to any place within the continental United States that the winner designated.

The "doodling" of Mrs. Hubert Schulte was judged the best and she selected Kenosha, Wisconsin, as the place she wished to call Mrs. Schulte, who lives at 708 Greenfield road, is a newcomer who recently moved here from East Lansing, Michigan.

## To Meet Tuesday

Pythian Sisters, Birmingham Temple 24, will have Mrs. Wilma Kelly of North Avenue street, Birmingham, as its guest Tuesday evening. She is the Pythian Sisters' district deputy.

Planned around a St. Patrick's Day theme, the meeting will begin at 8 p.m. in the Community House.



MRS. RICHARD ALLEN JONES

## Suburban Scene

by BARBARA GANSCHOW

### Pat Hoey Docks Next Week

Patricia Hoey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Hoey of Cranbrook road, Bloomfield Hills, will be on board the Italian liner Zulia Cruise when it docks March 7 in New York. Returning from a six-month tour of Europe, she started the homeward trip from Spain, after traveling in Holland, Denmark, Germany, Austria, Switzerland and Italy.

Ann Coulter, who accompanied Pat on the trip, is staying in Europe, where she'll study in Munich until early summer. She's the daughter of the Bruce N. Coulters of Lone Pine road, Bloomfield Hills.

### To Entertain Before "Brigadoon"

Preceding the opening of Cranbrook school's "Brigadoon" Friday night, in which her son, Carl, will have the leading role, Mrs. Gunnar Karlstrom of Colonial Court plans to entertain several guests at dinner.

A senior, and president of Cranbrook Glee club, Carl will be seen as Tommy Albright in the presentations of the operetta Friday and Saturday evenings.

Carl's brother, Olof, will come over from Ann Arbor (where he's a senior at U of M) to be in the Saturday night audience, and another brother, Lars, and his wife, who recently moved to Cincinnati, also plan to be down front. In their party will be Mr. and Mrs. Bengt Wallgren of Benvallie road.

### "Florida Weepers" Party Saturday

Among localities who'll dine and dance Saturday evening at Plum Hollow golf club's "Florida Weepers" party will

be the L. A. Gardiners, the E. C. Justis, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Walker, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Weiss, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Vidergar, the Paul Tishkins and the Andrew Siartos.

Resort clothes will be the order of the evening and a "Miami Moon" flanked by silver stars will shine down on the assemblage of members, transporting them in fancy to the land of sunshine. Plans call for strolling musicians to wend their way among the ocean-decorated tables, and the hors d'oeuvre table will feature miniature palm trees.

### Stephens College Alums To Gather

Arrangements are well under way for a reunion luncheon for Stephens college alumnae from the Birmingham, Detroit and newly-formed East Detroit clubs. Planned for March 26 at Devon Gables, the event will be the initial gathering of the three groups, and members hope to make it an annual affair. Reservations in this area are being handled by Mrs. G. A. Brown, Jr., of Norfolk drive, Birmingham.

Twenty-four active members comprise the Stephens alumnae club of Birmingham. Meeting on the third Wednesday of the month in the homes of members, the club has as its purpose, to promote the interest of Stephens college, and to maintain among former students and graduates a spirit of service and fellowship. The girls also contribute their help to various charitable organizations.

Mrs. William Flanders is president of the group and Mrs. James Fenn is vice president. Secretary-treasurer is Mrs. James Bower; social chairman, Mrs. Henry Hastings; publicity chairman, Mrs. Douglas Watson, and membership, Mrs. Randall Hansen.