

There are some, fortunately a vast minority, of people whose consciences are bothered but little, if engaged in wrong-doing. In business, for example, if one manages to acquire a considerable income through unethical, even dishonest, activity, does not such a one pay a penalty—somewhere along his earthly travels? How can one really achieve business doing wrong?

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Judy Wood, Bloomfield Debutante, Makes Bow

Suburban Scene

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Christmas Everywhere

The spirit of Christmas prevails everywhere . . . homes . . . clubs . . . hospitals . . . and churches.

THE "GIRLS" at Forest Lake Country club must have been dreaming of a "White Christmas" when they chose their Christmas tree. It stands 20-feet tall, flocked white and is accented only by large red satin bows, red ornaments and red lights. Even the electrical cords, were wrapped in cotton to blend with the tree.

AT DEVON GABLES a life-size mechanical Santa is waiting to shake hands and greet guests with a "ho ho". His continuous movement is an "eye stopper" for young and old.

THE 100 POUND holiday wreath which decked the stage for the 21st annual Christmas show, sponsored by Birmingham branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden association, now graces the social entrance of Kirk-in-the-Hills.

Welcome in New Year

The New-Year will receive a warm welcome when teenagers from all over the Birmingham-Bloomfield area gather to see the old year out and the new one in.

The third annual New Year's eve teenage semi-formal dance at the Community house will be from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. Dancing will be to Joe Gagnier's eight-piece orchestra with noise-makers and refreshments furnished.

The record hop—which will be a "party dress dance"—will begin at 8 p.m. and continue until 1 a.m. This dance, stag or in couples, will be at the Lucy Thurman YWCA, 569 East Elizabeth, and will be attended by Birmingham area young people. Members of the senior canteen council will chaperone.

Wedding . . . Travels . . . All Home

She's probably the first girl to have a male maid of honor, and was the first to be married in the new Kelly Hill chapel at Port Bennett, Ga.

Susan Scott Lovell became the bride of Thomas Palmer Estes in a civil ceremony Sept. 13 and was re-married in an Episcopal ceremony Dec. 6.



Susan

Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Estes of Waddington road.

After the ceremony, the Lovell family went to New York and sailed to Bermuda, the Virgin Islands and Havana. They returned to their Birmingham home Friday.

Susan's husband will be home today, and the Estes son, See SUBURBAN SCENE, Page 2-C

The latter ceremony was a military wedding in full-dress uniform with Tom's whole platoon in attendance.

Two of his squadron leaders stood up for the couple. Ken Harris acted as "honor attendant" and James Carlson was best man. Captain Victor L. Coleman, chaplain, officiated.

Only guests at the wedding besides the groom's platoon were the couple's parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lovell of Clifton road, Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Estes of Waddington road.



DEBUTANTE JUDY WOOD pauses on the stairway of their Lone Pine Hill home before going to Bloomfield Hills Country club. Inspiration for color choice of her grenadine pink ballgown came from the pink satin bows accenting the family's white flocked Christmas tree.

Christmas Tea Set

Mrs. George Miles, 325 N. Glen-gary road, Bloomfield village, will be hostess for the second annual Christmas tea for all Kappa Delta college girls and their mothers on Dec. 30 from 2 to 4 p.m. Mrs. Myron Zdzowski, chairman, will be assisted by members of the afternoon group of the Kappa Delta alumnae association.

Delegates Attend Regional Meet

Regional conference of the association of Junior Leagues of America will be Jan. 12, 13 and 14. Region IV of which Birmingham League is a member, will meet in Battle Creek, as guests of the Battle Creek League. Delegates are Mrs. Richard T. Denyes, chairman of the Bargain Box and Mrs. Robert T. Koch, chairman of education. Mrs. H. E. Lunken, regional director, will preside. Mrs. Paul Wingert will lead the three-day conference through the channels and facets of education.

Have You Met . . .

The residents of 6327 Thorncrest? Mr. and Mrs. John F. Pival moved from Gross Pointe Woods on Oct. 27. He is VP for WXYZ-TV. Mr. Pival's hobbies are photography, woodworking and golfing. Mrs. Pival's hobbies are gardening, interior decorating and golfing.

Donns Garnett Gown For Coming Out Dance

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Youthful charm and radiant beauty glowed as one of the season's loveliest debts made her bow last night at Bloomfield Hills Country club.

Pretty Judy Wood wore one of her favorite colors, grenadine pink, and her favorite perfume, Miss Dior, for her coming out party.

JUDY'S ballgown, called "Insanta," was designed by Eleanor Garnett of Rome, and was shown with fashions for the Renaissance show at the Art Institute. The gorgeous satin ballgown was accented by a raised-velvet pattern in the same rich grenadine rose-tone. Graceful folds of the full skirt fell from an empire fitted strapless bodice.

In the receiving line with her was her mother, Mrs. John G. Wood of Lone Pine Hill, Bloomfield Hills, in a pale green ballgown, also a Garnett design. The portrait neckline was fashioned with a drop shoulder and the straight skirt had a back fullness.

ESCORT for the charming deb was Tom Little of Bloomfield Hills, who assisted the ushers in escorting guests to the impressively decorated ballroom. Three revolving gold balls glittered as lights played on them from a drop ceiling of shimmering gold.

Ushers for the very special occasion were George Trumbull, Jr., David Cooper, Richard Bouton, David Lee, David Theobald, Ernst Kern, George Russell, Jr., Ronald Swanson, Ralph Barbier, Douglas Shaw, Tom Tracy, Frank McGinnis, Jr., Charles Frederickson, Elliott Trumbull, Dennis Dinan, Ralph Polk, Jr., Bruce McCall, George Roehm, Michael Carey and Frank Dunbar, houseguest of Tom Little.

SOME of Judy's closest friends in their most elegant frocks at the ball were Judy Frederickson, Gretchen Raeder, Barb Hedrick, Nancev Tregenza, Kathy VanDusen, Mandy Matthews, Kathy Kyes, Shelagh Gerard, Cynthia Adams, Judy Newberg, Judy MacPherson, Molly Marshall and Ann Emery, the Wood's houseguest.

JUDY, a wholesome all-American Bennett student, is one of the area's first debts since her only sister, Joyce, made her bow in '49 . . . that same year was "Dodo" Booth and Barbara Wilson.

The Kingswood graduate is a liberal arts major with future plan's leaning toward teaching.

Judy is active in all types of sports . . . swimming, tennis and water skiing. She likes to play bridge, plays at chess and loves historical novels.

HER GREATEST desires are to return to Europe, having been there at the age of 11 and 15. The latter trip she made alone joining her mother and aunts, Mrs. Frank Sander and Mrs. C. E. Brockmeyer, who were already there. Bennett is planning a trip to Bermuda during Easter vacation which she is considering.

Although Judy has a flair for clothing . . . everything from Bermudas to ballgowns . . . she is very economical. "I always buy everything at once so I don't go back . . . but I really think I'm kidding myself," she readily replied.

According to the pretty deb, her greatest extravaganzas are her health . . . she's always on the go and never sits down until "something" gets her down.

WITH ALL the busy season Judy has still found time to make one of her Christmas presents—a felt stocking for her escort. And, she used a novel idea for decorations . . . a road leading from Bennett to Ohio (Toms a pre-law student at Ohio Wesleyan), his Phi Delta fraternity insignia, a gavel for his future and the dean's list which he hopes to make.

Her favorite collection is fraternity letters . . . steins, pennants, crests, insignias . . . anything that has to do with the memories of weekends at school.

Eggshells Make Novel Yuletide Decorations

Eggshells that would ordinarily have headed for the back yard disposal, have been converted into colorful and unique holiday decorations.



Mrs. John Mattern, 1165 Fairfax, Birmingham, likes to add a personal touch to her decor and each year undertakes one major project.

This year decorated eggshells hanging on a gold branch make an elegant display as well as a conversation piece.

SIXTEEN shells hang on the branches and each individually painted blue, green, gold or red with miniature "winkies" inside. Edges are done in braid, sequins or beads and "picture scenes" include snowman, reindeer, angels, candies and bells.

Mrs. Mattern says it took her about an hour on each egg. Imagine 16 hours for a holiday decoration . . . but according to the creator, "it's so much fun when you add a personal touch to Christmas."

CREATIONS in the past years include a Santa on the front door . . . made of red and white cloth, and a lavishly decorated felt stocking accented with dolls, deer, sleighs, trees and bells by the fireplace. On the front porch are their boys, with extremely expressive faces and that dual "personal" touch . . . miniature angels on the Christmas tree.



THIS NOVEL DECOR is the "personal" touch to Christmas at the Fairfax home of Mrs. John Mattern.

Area Women Aid Hal Newhouser In Collecting Sports Equipment

"Operation Sports Equipment" went into full swing out North Adams way last week after Mrs. Norman Terry's telephone conversation with Hal Newhouser.

Newhouser, one of baseball's great left-handers of the past and ex-Tiger, has accepted the non-paying post as recreational and athletic director of the Oakland County Children's Home in Pontiac, but has very little equipment to work with. He is trying to organize a winter sports program for the more than 200 children, ranging from the toddler age through 17 years. He still needs equipment badly. Until last week there was only one toboggan, no sleds, and 23 pairs of used skates to be shared.

Mrs. Terry has been busy all week and with her usual charm and telephone calls has already rounded up some of the needed . . . including six sleds, sleds, and skates.

Probably the greatest thrill to the youngsters will be the hockey sticks which she had personally autographed by Gordie Howe, Kelly Ullman, McNeill, Holmes, Mortenson, Wilson and McIntire.

"I had lots of help" remarks Mrs. Terry . . . all the "girls" at Forest Lake brought toys and sports equipment to the luncheon Friday, which have already been taken to Pontiac.

They are still in need of skates for teen age boys. Skates, saucers, toboggans and sleds that have been outgrown by area children could be put to wonderful use at the Children's home.

Inside toys, large and small,

Mrs. Terry has a crew of willing helpers assisting her in the heart-warming operation and states that articles can be left or picked up by contacting her or Mrs. Alan Yates, 2825 Bollingbrook.



Mrs. Terry loads autographed hockey sticks.