

# Henry F. Sokols Entertain Guests

WESTCHESTER — Forest Lake country club members gathered at the Henry F. Sokol home on Midway lane Saturday evening for a dinner dance given at the club. Since this was the club's spring season opening, the theme for the cocktail talk was a large gold key, on a black cloth, centered with the Donald Suhrs and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Cleary.

# Jeans, Gay Shirts Attire for Party

SOUTH BERKSHIRES — Blue jeans and gay shirts were the prospective attire for the H-F ten club party Friday evening hosted by Claude Young at his home on Leemon drive. Rock and roll, sock dances and over-popular teen hops added to the gaiety of the evening.

# the Berkshires

## Student Panel Highlights Group Meeting

SOUTH BERKSHIRE — Students from the American Field Service Organization and from Birmingham high school presented a program which highlighted the bi-monthly meeting of the South Berkshires Women's association Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Alexander Newell of Leemon drive. Yukie Nomura from Osaka, Japan and Marti Maeren from Sandeford, Norway, explained educational standards, curriculum and customs in their countries in comparison to ours. Yukie misses the mountains and her countryside, but she is particularly impressed with our wide open spaces and land not utilized by farming or industry, as compared to Japan, so crowded, that almost every bit of land is carefully tended.

MERIT MOSTLY MISSES girls' sports. In Norway, she was a member of the track team and participated in many sports activities. Both Merit and Yukie are over-whelmed with our fast moving pace. Birmingham high students, Betty Nichols, who visited Sweden this summer and Peter Brink, who visited Portugal, related interesting experiences and adventures with their adopted families.

The American Field Service program has two parts. The winter program refers to the students from foreign countries coming to America. They live in homes selected by the local school with the help of the local chairman of AFSS. Every American high school pays \$500 for each student they wish to have.

THE SECOND PART OF the program is the Americans abroad phase. Four students are selected from the junior class. The New York office picks one or more to send abroad for eight weeks to visit with a foreign family during July or August. This costs approximately \$225. A new and most interesting part of the program is the selection of the best all around student and scholar to actually study abroad from September to January. Birmingham high is sending one applicant this year.

Have You Met . . . The Nick Kolidas of Marimor drive, South Berkshires, who formerly lived in Royal Oak? Kolidas is a tool and die maker for Fisher Industries in Birmingham. They have two children, Sandra, 7, and Dale, 9. The Kolidas family are avid music lovers. Nick plays the guitar and his wife Olga, plays the piano and organ. Son, Dale, has started piano lessons and is being tutored on the organ by his mother. Mrs. Kolidas attended Columbia Bible college in Columbia, S. C. The couple are both active in Russian Baptist church activities in Detroit. Kolidas is Sunday school superintendent, song leader and sings in the choir. Mrs. Kolidas is junior chapel director.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
REVISION OF PARKING METER ZONE. Notice is hereby given that parking meter regulations have been revised in accordance with the following schedule and in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance Number 405 of the City of Birmingham. Such revised regulations will become effective Thursday, February 6, 1958.  
Resolution No. 81  
January 22, 1958  
Moved by Commissioner Barlow.  
Seconded by Commissioner Hutchinson.  
WHEREAS, this body is empowered under provisions of Ordinance No. 405 of the City of Birmingham to establish parking meter zones and the fees for parking vehicles therein, and to establish the hours of the day or night during which parking meters shall be in operation;  
AND WHEREAS, Parking Meter Zones have been previously established, and  
WHEREAS, it is deemed proper under provisions of Ordinance No. 405 to establish the following revised regulations for the City of Birmingham:  
BE IT RESOLVED, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT the Two Hour Parking Meter Zone be extended to include:  
Brown Street between Woodward Avenue and Pierce Street  
Merrill Street between Pierce Street and Woodward Avenue  
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the fee for parking of vehicles within this Parking Meter Zone of the City of Birmingham shall be as follows:  
One Hour . . . . . 10c  
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, these meters shall be in operation from 9:00 o'clock A. M. to 3:00 o'clock P. M. on Fridays to 9:00 o'clock P. M. except Sundays and the holidays designated under said Ordinance No. 405.  
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall be effective upon publication, and the installation of parking meters, and suitable signs setting forth such fees and hours of operation, within said zone.  
Attest:  
IRENE E. HANLEY,  
City Clerk

**PUBLIC NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OF CITY OF BIRMINGHAM BUILDING CODE BOARD OF APPEALS**  
The following hearings will be held before the Building Code Board of Appeals on Tuesday, February 11, 1958, at 8 P. M. in the Commission Room of the Municipal Building:  
Hearing concerning the use of a frame building for business at 219 Elm Street.  
Hearing concerning exit requirements on a proposed structure at the southeast corner of Bates and West Maple.  
A. P. BUTT,  
Building Inspector  
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## Berkshire Social Briefs

On Saturday afternoon Arthur Poppert celebrated his 10th birthday with a party at his home on Leemon drive with classmates and neighborhood playmates and fellow cub scouts. Activities were enlivened with party games and prizes. Seated at the table centered with a decorated cub scout motif cake and valentine party favors were Marlene Thompson, Loraine Ezeremlan, Sally Young, Elaine Fella, Diane Fella, Randy Anderson, Ricky Vosler, Randy Schiffer, Larry Colley, David Moore, Tom Mellett, Alan Gassetter, Bill Adams, Bobby Finkhner, Bruce Peters, Donald Fraser and Ricky Poppert.

A pink and blue crib decorated with crepe paper ribbons provided the decor for a baby shower hosted by Mrs. Thomas Howard at her home on Greenway drive in honor of her niece, Mrs. Robert Simo of Royal Oak.

Following a variety of party games with prizes, the 29 guests were served a buffet supper.

The Thomas Canhams recently ended their pathos supper club at their Leemon drive home. Members of the group who have been enjoying get-together occasions since high school days at Highland Park included Mr. and Mrs. William Matson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon DeRobert and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Canham.

## Troop Committee Formed for Scouts

VALLEY WOODS — Following the "Get-Acquainted" with Boy Scouting" meeting at Valley Woods school last week at which 12 fathers attended, a troop committee was formed.

Serving are: Dr. William Westcott, chairman; Fred Westbury,

## Girl Scouts Set Campout

VALLEY WOODS — Girl scout troop 142 are busy working on their tenderfoot badges. Monday they met at the home of Mrs. William Duhn, troop leader, for a chance to do the bedmaking and table setting badge work. While the troop worked inside, the third patrol accompanied by Mrs. Charles Deuel co-leader, blazed a trail on the Duhn property for the first two patrols to follow.

## Mrs. R. Seeburger Hosts WNFGA

VALLEY WOODS — Mrs. R. Seeburger of Bellvue trail will be hostess to the Feb. 10 Valley Woods branch of the WNFGA. William H. Hudson, chairman, Michigan Society of Ibis and Hennells president, will speak on "Nine Months of Ibis in Southern Michigan."

The centerpiece will be arranged by Mrs. Elmer Weiss and hostesses will be Mrs. Michael Giese, Mrs. Werner Guenther and Mrs. Charles Gregory.

The Spring council meeting will be Feb. 13 at Oakland Hills country club. Members wishing to attend should contact Mrs. Wilson McCellan, club president.

Treasurer, Henry Dellef, secretary, Thomas Groce, outdoor activities, Fred Hopkins, advance, Dr. Russell Seeburger, equipment; R. A. Fox, membership, and Monty Miller, patrol dad.

Robert Couch, from the Detroit council, and Dan Adams, district commissioner, spoke to the club Feb. 4. Al Sass, from the council, met with the group. After a short organizational meeting the troop will be formed.

## Westchester Social Briefs

Visiting the Donald LaVigne family on Heathfield road has been Mrs. Roy Ryan of Emmetburg, Iowa. While here the family enjoyed showing Mrs. LaVigne's mother the local shopping centers and attending "Most Happy Family."

Mrs. Edward Schlee, decorating committee chairman for the Valentine dance tomorrow evening, had a committee meeting in her home on Heathfield road Tuesday evening. Heart decorations for the ballroom were made and table decorations were done.

The novel idea of using silhouettes of active civic workers for a "guess who" atmosphere in decorations was done by Mr. and Mrs. Hal Tysman.

The afternoon bridge group met at the home of Mrs. William Ashlock on Middlebury lane for a sweet bridge with Mrs. Chester Sharpe as hostess.

Playing were Mrs. Hal Tysman, Mrs. Gordon Loveland, Mrs. Henry Groce, Mrs. Thomas Shannon, Mrs. John Bryant and Mrs. John Ruhl.

Small additions of nickel, generally below five per cent, greatly improve the strength, toughness and wear resistance of steel.

## Association Board Sets Joint Meeting

VALLEY WOODS — The Valley Woods Woman's association board met at the home of Mrs. Donald Young on Westlady road. Plans were made for a joint meeting to be held with the South Berkshires Woman's group in April. A home decorator from J. L. Hudsons will address the two groups at the Birmingham Community house.

Mrs. Frank Worrell, newly appointed social chairman, will be in charge of arrangements at the joint meeting of members and friends tomorrow evening at Nativity Episcopal church at 8 p.m. George Rutz from the Detroit and State bar association will speak. Potluck supper will be served by the refreshment committee.

## Kaliko Kickers To Begin Season

VALLEY WOODS — The Kaliko Kickers will start their spring season Friday evening at Valley Woods school. Mrs. Thomas Groce announced that the club is open to new members. The schedule set for March 11, April 18, and May 2.

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