

**Cubs Present Gifts to Moms**

**CAMBRIDGE VILLAGE**—Mothers and fathers of cub scouts in den 6 spent a pleasant evening on Dec. 23. After which they met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Payton of Spring Arbor road for refreshments and the presentation of gifts to the mothers by the cubs.

The surprise the boys had been working on for the past month was a gaily decorated bottle sprayed in gold and filled with sweet smelling bath salts.

Payton entertained the group with several renditions on the vibraphone, while the cubs sang Christmas carols.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Bull, Mr. and Mrs. William Carney, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Eller, Jr.

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**3,000 Lights Used In Holiday Display**

**LATHRUP**—There are 3,000 lights in the Nelson Mulligan Christmas display this year, and the beauty and color can be seen from Southfield road. In spite of the blizzards and lines that fall, Mulligan is enjoying his display as much as anyone who drives past his home.

It all began at breakfast last week in September when Mulligan decided he would like to purchase a creecher for his front lawn. He liked a sled and eight little deer he saw and also a beautiful Rudolph. According to Mrs. Mulligan, the display just grew from then on.

**Lathrup Scouts Receive Awards**

**LATHRUP**—Cub scouts of pack 102 held their meeting at Lathrup school Dec. 17. Den 4 was responsible for the posting of colors. The Christmas tree was decorated and a songfest held.

"The Night Before Christmas" was performed by dens 3 and 5, with McCracken narrating, and Richard Sweeney as Santa. After the award ceremony the retiring of colors was carried out by den 6.

Those receiving awards were den 4: Donald Ewers, two silver arrows on wolf badge; den 8: John Shoemaker, bear badge and gold arrow; James Shoemaker, wolf badge and gold and silver arrow; David Baughman, wolf badge; Bill Baughman, bear badge and den 6: Bill Sommerall, gold arrow on lion badge.

**William Boyds Host Gathering**

**CAMBRIDGE VILLAGE**—Host and notes at a gathering for 10 on Friday evening were Mr. and Mrs. William Boyd of Lexington parkway.

After the buffet supper, games and charades were played and the group joined in dancing. An especially attractive centerpiece at the table consisted of pine boughs with pink, green and gold ornaments and beads.

**Lathrup Social Briefs**

Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Flaherty of Rainbow drove to several friends' parties on Saturday for a buffet supper. Guests included Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Roney, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Bauer and Dr. and Mrs. Fred Ciernat. All are in Detroit.

The Sunday family party was held at the DAC in Detroit in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Flaherty's sister, Mrs. Roy E. Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Evers of Lathrup road just returned from a trip to Park Ridge, Ill., where they spent Christmas with a daughter, Mrs. W. N. Bellong. Another daughter, Carol, and friend, Gary Howard, accompanied the Evers on their trip.

The Harry Bromisers of Lathrup road spent Christmas day in the home of Mrs. Bromiser's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Vincent.

Baptized at St. Bede's church Dec. 13 were Theresa Marie, daughter of Mrs. Marie Marie, daughter and Richard John, Michael Harold and Richard John, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Bruce.

Eleven-year-old Nancy Wilson has been invited to play piano at the Royal Oak Knit-in, a month-long banquet at Devon Gables this year.

Nancy will include in her program "Tantasia" by Mozart, "Pomp and Circumstance" by Durand and a few localizing modern numbers.

With a 100-year-old organ strapped to the back of a station wagon, a group of Lathrup neighborhood youngsters made their second round of carol singing just before Christmas. Included in the group were Ann Coffari, Linda, Alexis and Alex Martin, Nancy Keam, Judy Nelson, Marilyn Devlin and Suey Porrasca.

Dick Coffari was organist. The group was accompanied by Mrs. Coffari, Mrs. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. William Hutton. The Carolers ended up for refreshments at the Coffari home.

All 16 members of the Mitchell clan gathered at home for Christmas dinner. Art and Councilwoman Elizabeth Mitchell had a first meeting with latest grandson, Tony, son of Bob and Silvia who came in from New York.

Also present were son, Arthur, his wife, Rilla, and their family, Barbara, Duncan, Stan, Doug and young Jeff. Don and Viv brought their family, Gregg and Pam.

**Fay Bainter Guest At Cocktail Party**

**LATHRUP**—Actress Fay Bainter was guest of honor at a cocktail party Saturday afternoon given by Dr. and Mrs. Frederick T. May of 2850 Elmwood.

Currently appearing in Eugene O'Neill's play, "Long Day's Journey into Night," Miss Bainter attended the party with her son who also appears in the play and her husband, Reginald Venable who is a cousin of Mrs. May.

**Canterbury Gardens Social Briefs**

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cahoon of Red Leaf lane just returned from Belvidere, Ill., where they spent Christmas with Cahoon's folks, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Cahoon. Children, Sherrie, Chris, Ricky and Laura, accompanied their mother and dad.

Guest of the Bill Weirs of Red Leaf lane for the holidays is Mrs. Lillian Hobbs, Mrs. Weir's mother, from Leavenworth, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donnelly of Red Leaf lane had a dinner for 15 at their home Christmas day. Guests included Mrs. Donnelly's sister and family and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Dodson of Ann Arbor.

**Holiday Guests**

**CRANBROOK VILLAGE**—Guests of the Craig Browns of Rick Creek drive were Mr. and Mrs. George A. Blake from Standish. The Blakes were here for the family gathering at the Browns on Christmas eve and are now in Florida for the winter.

**Houseguest**

**OAKLAND HILLS SUBURBS**—Guests of the Robert Johnsons of Fairway Crescent until after New Year's is Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. Helen Welsh from Philadelphia, Pa.

**Florida Visit**

**EAST SOUTHFIELD**—The William Bryans of Everett road had the distinctive pleasure of having Christmas day at home in Southfield and later the same day in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. with Mrs. Bryans' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McDonald. Along with children, Carol Ann and Blunnie, they flew south for a two-week stay.

**Invitation**

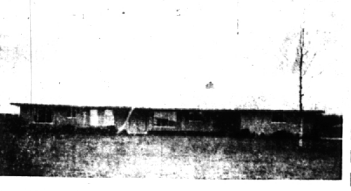
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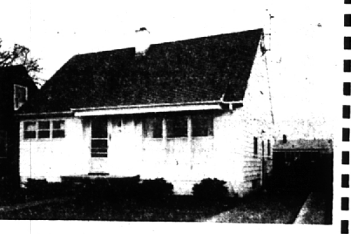
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