

Birmingham-Bloomfield Hills Society Notes

from Nancy Porter
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Despite the heat and the thunderstorms of the past week-end, many parents from this area visited their children at camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene A. White of Suffield road and Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Fife of Yarmouth drove up together to visit daughters Cindy White and Katie Fife, who are both at Camp Ta-Wa-Ma-Na, near Charlevoix.

They spent the weekend at Petokey. These two couples (Mrs. White and Mrs. Fife are sisters) also have boys the same age, Stuart and Bob, respectively, who are both attending Lost Trail Camp in Montana this summer, where they are enjoying horseback riding and a trip to Yellowstone National Park.

Just a few weeks ago the Fifes with her mother, Mrs. Stuart A. Cogdill of Orchard lake, saw their other daughter, Pamela, sail from Montreal with her grandmother, Mrs. Golda Fife of Grosse Pointe. Pamela and Mrs. Fife will spend two weeks in London, a week in Paris, then on to Nice, Venice, Rome, Milan, and Florence before settling down in Montreaux, Switzerland, where Pamela will enter the ninth grade at the Chateau Beau Cedre, a girls' school converted from an old castle on Lake Geneva. Last heard from, they had some icebergs just off Southampton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Christensen and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fauver, both of Fairfax road, motored north together for parents' visit at Camp Four-Way Lodge on Torch lake, to visit daughters Karen and Tony, respectively.

Other classmates from Quanton school who are attending Four Way Lodge this summer are Betsy Griffith, daughter of the Thomas A. Griffiths of Suffield road; Kathy Adamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Adamson, now of Wisconsin, and Ann Wedel, daughter of the Dan P. Wedels of North Glenhurst, who remained at Charlevoix over the week end. Connie Wedel is now attending Cranbrook Summer Theatre school.

Two members of the George R. Squibb family of North Glenhurst drive are at camp—Kindy, 15, and Pat, 12—are spending five weeks at Camp Minivanon on Lake Michigan, near Muskegon.

A former camper, Elizabeth Miller, daughter of George Millers of Fairfax road, is a counselor this year at Camp Bryn Aton in Rhineland, Wis. Her specialty is swimming, which she comes by naturally, having gained her experience sailing with her family at Orchard Lake Country club.

The Edward M. Foleys drove daughter Gayle up to Camp Docket at Petokey, Mich., for a two-week period. They have recently returned from a stay at New Ocean Inn, in Swanscott, Mass., and New Haven, Conn., where Mr. Foley's parents reside. Their other daughter, Lyrene, remained in New Haven for a longer stay.

Earlier this summer Mrs. Foley journeyed to Orangeburg, S. C., for a ten-day visit with her parents.

When David Beier left for Camp Na-kana at Manistique, he said good-bye to his Dorchester road home forever; his parents, the Dean G. Beiers, just moved to their new home on Pine street.

After getting settled, the Beier family will take a welcome vacation. First they will pick up David at camp, then go to MacIntosh Cay, and then take a canoe trip down the Manistee river. Children Kathy and Bob will go along.

The James W. Rowlands are also planning to move soon—from Fairview to Suffield road. Last Thursday night they and the Richard E. DeHarts had a dinner party at the DeHarts' Fairview road home for the Charles F. Gulliford, who are moving to Filigint road. The Richard Palmers, who have bought the Rowlands' house were guests at the dinner party, thus meeting their future neighbors.

Mrs. Rowland's sister from Ohio is now visiting them. They and the Rowland children, Wendy, Mark, and Ellen, have taken a cottage at Harrisville, just north of Osceola, on a high bluff overlooking Lake Huron, where they are relaxing before moving.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Rowland just returned to their North Adams road home from a vacation in Leelanau, Mich., where they journeyed along the river looking for good fishing spots.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy W. Dahlberg of Lone Pine road entertained last Friday night at a dinner party for Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. McDonald, Jr. of Jonathan lane. Their other guests were the Hugh Martin, Jr., the Richard Gavens, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, Jr., who were given a special welcome, as they have recently moved from Argyle road to Orchard Ridge road.

The senior Charles E. Wilsons have just returned from a European cruise and are spending the rest of the summer at Wallon lake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Kintworth's son, Bob, Jr., who has been studying at Kiski Preparatory school in Halliburg, Pa., this summer, has just given a vacation last week-end. His parents took advantage of his week-end home by giving him a surprise birthday party (his birthday is July 10) Saturday evening. They invited ten couples for swimming at the Bloomfield Open Hunt club, and a cook-out in the

People's Column Likes Colonial Atmosphere of Pierce Street

To the Editor: I read last week's "Peoples Column" and agree emphatically. The fact that one of our local merchants is planning to erect a new store is most delightful and certainly speaks well for the future of this wonderful city of ours. Congratulations to the "Sportsman" and their community interest.

Now for the second half of my

feelings on this matter. It was noted that this new structure is to be of "ultra-modern design." This certainly is against all past architectural efforts on Pierce Street.

AT THE PRESENT time the shops on Pierce Street reflect an atmosphere of "Early America" and remind one of the quaint surroundings of those early times. Now, all of a sudden someone feels this should be changed. What a mistake this would be. It has taken many years to establish this "touch of the past" and now we must look forward to an abrupt and unwarranted change. I'm sure a vast majority of existing merchants would like to keep this New England trademark. I wonder if the "Sportsman"

The Old Timer
"If you want to get rid of someone, just tell 'em something for their own good."
would take a moment and seriously consider making a change in their construction design.
SOMEONE ELSE INTERESTED IN THE BETTER "BIRMINGHAM EFFORT!"

The Sloppiest?

Birmingham's high scholastic standards spill over from the classroom into the kitchen. A letter from a mother to "Dodie," the cook at Beverly school bore this out. It read: "When my son, Eric, marries, I sincerely expect him to compare his wife's cooking to 'Dodie's,' rather than 'Mother's.' "I've tried—but my 'Sloppy Joe's' just don't compare! Would you mind telling me your seasoning secrets? Please? Ric could jot them down on a slip of paper. "Thanks so much for the work you do."

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