

Riverside Dancers Pause for Chat

BEVERLY HILLS—Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence A. Gillenjoyed a moment of relaxation between dances at the Riverside dance club's Tinsel ball held Dec. 19 at the Birmingham country club.



Tinsel Ball Guests Arrive

BEVERLY HILLS—Mr. and Mrs. Hal Vogler arrive at the Tinsel Ball held recently at the Birmingham country club by the Riverside Dance club. Greeting them at the door are Dr. and Mrs. Art DeRosier.

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Maynard R. Bailey Family Spends Colonial Christmas

BEVERLY HILLS—Dr. and Mrs. Maynard R. Bailey of Arlington and their two children, Christina and Robert, spent the Christmas holidays in historic Williamsburg, America's most famous restored city, where they participated in the traditional Colonial Christmas activities.

They also visited the homes of three former presidents: Mt. Vernon, Monticello and Montrose's Ashlawn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Phillips of West Rutland held open houses for some 40 friends and neighbors last Sunday. Christmas weekend they spent with Philip's parents in Chagrin Falls, Ohio. The previous Sunday they entertained 45 guests, business associates of Philip's at a buffet supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker of Devoreshire have returned from a two-state Christmas trip visiting their families and grandchildren. Their first stop was in South Haven, Mich., to visit daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ewald and their children David, John and Clare Jane.

Then down to Marion, Ind. to visit Mrs. Baker's brother and his family, the C. W. Ayschaugh.

Spending Christmas in Muncie, Ind., with their daughter and family, the John Warrens and children Sarah, Tom and Marv, they were joined by relatives from Indianapolis and Dayton.

Mrs. Ted Shortell of Sheridan and sons Blair and Gary have recently returned from a month in Florida where they spent two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Niles of Winter Haven. Shortell joined the family for a two-week stay at Helliar.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Berens of Sheridan held open house on Dec. 30 originally intended to honor their new neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Seiger. However, it developed into a triple-leave, honoring also the Henry Knowlton of Sheridan, who are leaving Feb. 1 to reside in Los Angeles and the Robert Reeds, also of Sheridan,

dances at the Riverside dance club's Tinsel ball held Dec. 19 at the Birmingham country club.



W. Beverly Group To Meet Jan. 12

BEVERLY HILLS—The West Beverly sewing group will meet Jan. 12 at the home of Mrs. Frances McCracken, 1841 Lockerie.

Other guests were Ms. and Mrs. Clifford White, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Armstrong, the Donald Bouchers, the Edward Hoos, the Nelson Phillips, the James Favett, Mr. and Mrs. Cox and Mrs. Carlos DeSostoa.

Groves High Names First PTA Officials

BEVERLY HILLS—The officers and committee chairman of the newly formed W. E. Groves high school PTA have been announced by President John V. Nabaloujan.

Canon C. Shafer is father vice president; Mrs. Harry Grand, mother vice president; Mrs. Barley Laurimore and Jack R. Parish, teacher vice president; Mrs. Hugh Mellinger, correspondence secretary; Mrs. Edward Downs, recording secretary; and Mrs. Meredith Calkin, treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Adams of Devoreshire have houseguests during New Year's. They were Mrs. Adams' sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Williams of Belvidere, N.J.

Tab of the children who attended the cooking-baking party at the home of Mrs. H. B. Henck on Arlington were Marianne and Celestine Magginez, who came to this country two years ago with their parents under the sponsorship of the Birmingham Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Johnson (Ray Elliott) of Ingleswood, Calif., spent the holidays and their first wedding anniversary with their parents, the Merritt D. Elliotts of Rougech, North Adams and the Ralph L. Johnsons of Kirkshire, Beverly Hills.

Their trip from Los Angeles to Detroit was for four hours by non-stop jet when the plane was unable to make a scheduled landing in Chicago, because of snow. They returned to California Jan. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hengas, Beverly Hills, will be picked up in Beverly Hills this Saturday and next, Jan. 9 and 10, according to village parks, recreation and swimming commission chairman John A. McManahan. The councilman said village residents should place their cars at the curb for the special pick-up service.



... It's Our Song

BEVERLY HILLS—Mr. and Mrs. Don Bowers asked for a special tune at the Riverside dance club's recent holiday party. Shaw, orchestra leader, obliged.

WNFGA to Meet For Jan. 11 Luncheon in Valley Woods

VALLEY WOODS—The Valley Woods WNFGA will meet Jan. 11 at the home of Mrs. Gerald Jurnt, 21200 Smallwood court. It will be a sandwich luncheon and business meeting starting at 12:30 p.m.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Charles Gregory, Mrs. Linda Dempsey and Mrs. Harry Klimushyn. Mrs. J. Reed Alexander will be speaker for the day. Her subject will be "Horticultural Therapy in a Psychiatric Setting," which will be accompanied by a brief film relating to the work of volunteers with emotionally disturbed children.

Beverly-Greenfield Decoration Winners

BEVERLY HILLS—The Beverly-Greenfield improvement association Christmas home decoration contest winners include the Georges Lahnoune of Verona Circle, the Joseph Kellys of Beverly Hills and the Omas Klingers of Beechwood. Each won equal cash prizes. Members of the Beverly-Greenfield board and residents acted as judges.

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Lathrup Lions Greet Official At Luncheon

LATHRUP—A somewhat gala affair was planned Tuesday for the first meeting of the Lathrup Lions in their new luncheon location at Howard Johnson's Northwest 10 Mile. Guest of honor was Wallace M. O'Brien, district governor of district 11A-2 Lions international. Lathrup Lions meet weekly at 12:15 p.m. President is Joseph Finnell.

Lathrup's co-councilman and retired postmaster Dave Redwood was watching the Rose Bowl parade New Year's day enjoying the color and remembering last year when he and Mrs. Redwood were a part of the thousands lining the Pasadena streets when he received a phone call from a niece in California.

Dave says talking to his niece and watching the parade were just like being there.

A crack basketball team will represent Lathrup in games to be played at Lederle school starting Monday evening. Sponsored by the Lathrup recreation commission, team members are Mark Lohanoff, Tom Sweet, Terry Odum, Mike Barnwell, Gary Hamann, Dick Harkin and George Kopke. All junior and senior class members from Southfield high school, the Lathrup team will be managed by Al Lohanoff and will play teams lined up by the Southfield recreation commission.

Have You Met...

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Seiger, who moved to their new home on Sheridan road in December from Detroit. Seiger is a field superintendent for General Electric. He is a graduate of Wayne State University and is a member of the Detroit Engineering Society.

Are you thinking of buying a new home? Then read the "For Sale" column in this issue of The Birmingham Eccentric.

Evergreen Road Proposal Draws Kelley Objection

LATHRUP—Early in December when Lathrup council received word from Southfield outlining a proposed boulevard plan for Evergreen road, the council received the letter to engineers Ayres, Lewis, Norris and May for their opinion. The result was that council members found themselves in a sub-mass of opinions, objections and worries.

If the boulevard plans go through, the engineers maintain they will have to anticipate a problem with Lathrup's projected sewage metering station. Developers Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Kelley, who own all the property in Lathrup along Evergreen road, object to any type of double highway as dangerous. Mrs. Kelley favored a 40-foot paved strip.

A SMALL SECTION of property owned by the Kelleys, on which the Lathrup Cooperative Nursery is housed, is still a part of Southfield township. The Evergreen boulevard plan proposed by the Southfield planning commission, has not reached the Southfield council for consideration. However, a reliable source in Southfield Tuesday morning said that residents along Evergreen road do not favor the boulevard and eventual settlement probably would be for a wide single strip road.

VARIATIONS in right-of-way on Evergreen road run from 120 to 140 feet in sections in Southfield. According to the Kelleys, the proposed boulevard plan would require a 27-foot dedication from Lathrup property owners. Kelley told council members that lots along Evergreen road are only 100 feet deep and the dedication would ruin them for future building.

Courtroom Escapee Nabbed in California

SOUTHFIELD—Southfield Police Det. Sgt. Edward Rikour and Sergeant George Taylor will fly to Los Angeles to pick up a prisoner who escaped last August from the Southfield court room. Chris Christensen, 28, charged with breaking and entering, was held by California police on an unlawful flight warrant issued by the FBI.

To Discuss Route Of Interstate X-Way

LATHRUP—Three Lathrup council members will attend a meeting in Berkeley city hall Jan. 26 at 8 p.m. to join a concerted effort to find an equitable route for interstate route 690, the east-west highway.

A letter, read at Monday's council meeting, from Berkeley planning commissioner Charles L. Roehn, expressed concern regarding the location of the expressway connecting road.

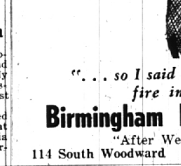
The letter asked members of the planning commissions of Southfield, Oak Park, Madison Heights, Huntington Woods, Lathrup and Royal Oak to help in the planning of a highway that is passing around one small community might aim directly at the heart of an adjoining city.

According to Mayor Richard N. Cogger, it is inevitable that route 696 will pass through the 10 to 12 mile corridor. The meeting in Berkeley will permit each city to express its preference and point out faults in routing. Members of the Lathrup council who will attend the meeting are Mayor Cogger, Councilman David P. Anderson and Councilman H. Earl Hanson.

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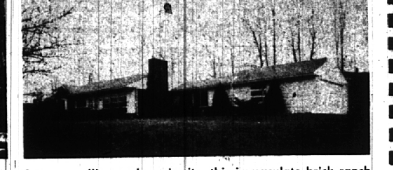
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