

Strangely paradoxical is the inclination of every adult generation to find fault with its youth... when the youth, of every generation, largely becomes what the examples and teachings (or lack of both) of its parents are. Anything animate or inanimate, that is regarded as destined to remain something less lovely and desired than that which is carefully watched over.

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SECTION C

Lydia Rothman Repeats Vows At St. Hugo of the Hills

St. Hugo of the Hills was the setting for the marriage of Lydia Mary Rothman and William R. Brashear. The Rev. Francis T. Stack officiated at the noon ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Robman of Lakeside Drive, Birmingham. Her husband is the son of Mrs. Theresa E. Brashear of Royal Oak and The Hon. William W. Brashear of Livonia.

THE BRIDE was gown in imported Italian silk satin in antique ivory featuring a scooped neckline, long sleeves and fitted bodice. The bell-shaped skirt featured a panel Watteau back which formed a chapel train. A crown of heirloom Duchesse lace secured her fingertip veil of silk tulle. She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses.

THE BRIDE'S sister, Mrs. William Hooper Truettner, of Richmond, Va., served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. James G. Aldrich of Pontiac, Margaret Brashear of Royal Oak and Mrs. William R. Brashear.

were matching veils and they carried bouquets of calla lilies.

GEORGE DECLAIRE of Grass Pointe stood as best man. Ushers were Russell N. Chappell Jr. of Royal Oak, Francis Drinan of Sylvania, Gerald Fix of Madison, Wis., W. Giles Mellon of Brooklyn, N.Y., and John Vergear of Detroit.

Following the ceremony, the new Mr. and Mrs. Brashear greeted guests at Bloomfield Open Yacht Club.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Rothman chose a Countess Alexander original costume in ming blue peau de soie with a matching tulle hat. Mrs. Brashear selected an imported French chintilly lace dress in cream champagne with a jewelry neckline and matching accessories. Both pinned cybiumid orchids to their purses.

THE BRIDE wore a navy blue wool suit for her wedding trip to St. Croix, Virgin Islands. Upon return, the newlyweds will make their home in Birmingham.

MRS. WILLIAM R. BRASHEAR

Bride-Elect in Whirl Of Pre-Nuptial Events

On Feb. 4, Linda Arleen Rakas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Rakas of N. Glenavary Road, Bloomfield Township, will become the bride of Harry Burr Cummins, son of the Charles Fitch Cummins of Lansing. They will be married in Christ Church Cranbrook at 8 p.m.

Jeanne Hargreaves will serve as maid of honor and Mrs. Neil Dyke Purdy, sister of the prospective bridegroom, will come from Oakland, Calif., to be the matron of honor. Other attendants are Nancy Clark, Nancy McCortney, Anne Warner and Mrs. Jerry Helmeke.

LINDA HAS been honored at many social gatherings in the past few months and has many more scheduled for the weeks ahead. First to entertain for her was Mrs. Waver J. Simons at a luncheon and personal shower.

This was followed by a luncheon and breakfast-room shower co-hosted by Mrs. A. R. Stevenson and Mrs. John H. Palmer. During the holidays, Mrs. Frank Armstrong gave a luncheon and shower at the Women's City Club for Linda's Alpha Phi Sorority sisters.

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM B. HARGREAVES and daughter Jeanne honored the bride-elect and her bridesmaids at a dinner at the Bloomfield Hills Country Club. Nancy McCortney and her bridesmaids, Mrs. J. Mack Arvey, invited former Kingswood classmates for a luncheon and shower. Mrs. Jeanne Arvey, Mr. and Mrs. Neil K. Barber gave a luncheon and linen shower in the Glenavary Road home of Mrs. Judd.

STILL upcoming are: A dinner party Feb. 11 hosted by Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Hogan and son Ken. Dinner will be at the home of the H. Dean Clarks and their daughter Nancy.

Parents of the bridegroom will arrive from Lansing and be hosts for the rehearsal dinner at Kingsley Inn on Feb. 3. On the day of the wedding, Mrs. Stephen Goodale will entertain the wedding party at a luncheon.

THE BRIDE-ELECTS parents will give the wedding reception at Oakland Hills Country Club.

Chairmen Named for Club Events

Mrs. Daniel A. Packard of Bloomfield Court, Birmingham, opened her home last week to members of Forest Lake Country Club to discuss ladies social activities for the 1961 season. Following the meeting, a luncheon was served.

At the meeting, Mrs. Packard, social chairman, announced the appointment of Mrs. Kenneth Vandenberg of Drayton Plains as secretary-treasurer to assist her during the year.

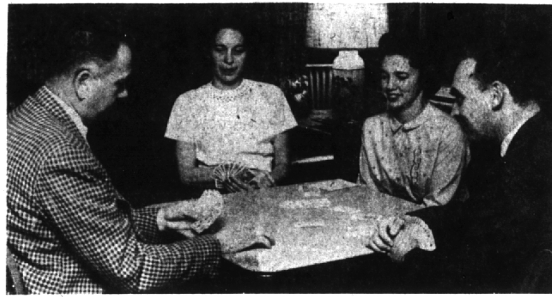
THE FOLLOWING parties were planned and the chairman for each has been selected. For the month of March a spring fashion show luncheon is slated with Mrs. Albert E. Connor heading the event.

April 12 will be marked on many calendars for a Mad Hatters luncheon in charge of the afternoon party is Mrs. Alan R. Pfaff of Hickory Creek, Bloomfield Hills.

A POOL PARTY luncheon is scheduled for July 12 with Mrs. George L. Aharbald Jr., of Bloomfield Hills heading the committee. Guests will gather at the club Sept. 13 for a fall fashion show luncheon headed by Mrs. Elise Nurme of Cedar Bend Drive, Bloomfield Hills.

"New Trends in Decorating," will be the theme for the Oct. 11 activity at the club. Mrs. J. M. Tenney of Wellington Drive is in charge. A Country Store party is scheduled for Nov. 8. And on Dec. 15, guests will gather for a Christmas party headed by Mrs. Robert Bunyan of Larchlea Drive.

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Boning Up

Practicing for the Scholarship Telephone Bridge are (from left) Dr. F. M. Adams, Mrs. Philip Laux, Mrs. Adams and Dr. Laux. Mrs. Adams is hostess to five tables of bridge and Mrs. Laux is chairman of the

Telephone Bridge. Dr. Adams is working particularly hard to continue his winning record. He has won the grand slam prize for the past two years.



Club Activities Underway

Discussions plans for the ladies' social activities at Forest Lake Country Club for the 1961 season are (from left) Mrs. Albert

E. Connor, 4444 Derry road, Mrs. Kenneth Vandenberg of Lakewood Drive and Mrs. Daniel A. Packard of Bloomfield Court.

Ambassador, Countess to Visit Here

His Excellency the Ambassador of Denmark and Countess K. Knuth-Winterfeldt will be guests of honor at a dinner, Jan. 26 at the Kingsley Inn. The black-tie occasion is sponsored by Cranbrook Institute of Science where the Ambassador will unveil the exhibit "Two Centuries of Danish Deep Sea Research" at 4 p.m. that day.

The Kingsley management and the dinner committee plan a festive, colorful evening. The Inn will be decorated in Danish colors—red and white—with banks of carnations, the official flower of Denmark. To add to the Danish motif, waitresses will be wearing authentic national costumes.

A COCKTAIL hour in the Cotillion Room will precede the 7:30 p.m. dinner. Patrons for the special exhibit, which continues at the Institute of Science through Feb. 25 are the James A. Beresfords, the Marshall Fredericks, the Alfred E. Granns, the Harvey Hansens, the Semon E.

Knudsens, the Samuel Langs, the C. B. Larsens, the William A. McHatties, the Robert Nielsens, the Richard Rasmussens, the Fotis N. Takis, the Robert VanderKloots and Mr. Stephen Stackpole.

Several other parties are planned for the Ambassador and Countess Knuth-Winterfeldt. They will arrive from their Washington, D. C. home on Wednesday, Jan. 25 and will stay at the Bloomfield Hills Country Club as guests of the Semon E. Knudsens until their Friday departure.

ON WEDNESDAY evening, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Fredericks will honor Count and Countess Knuth-Winterfeldt at a dinner party at their Lake Park home. Thursday morning the Ambassador will tour the Ford Motor Company, hosted by Charles F. Moore, Jr., and John S. Bugas. While he is entertained at a lunch in Detroit, the Countess will be honored at a luncheon given by Mrs. James A. Beresford at the Beresfords' Lone Pine Road home.

Suburban Scene

By Shirley Adams
Society Editor

Plan 'Uncreating' Party To Preview Paintings

Included in the guest list for an "uncreating" and champagne party Jan. 27 at the Park Gallery are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford West, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Q. Jones, Mrs. Frank Winton, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kaslo, Dr. and Mrs. James Lafram and Mr. and Mrs. Max Pincus.

Others who will attend a preview of the collection of four young French artists are Mr. and Mrs. Keith Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Winkelman, Mr. and Mrs. George Golenty, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sawyer, Dr. and Mrs. William Sattner as well as Mr. and Mrs. Stephen M. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fleischman.

HOSTS for the evening affair are Mr. and Mrs. James A. Beresford.

Childhood Education Group to Meet

The Southern Oakland County Association for Childhood Education will convene at 6:15 tonight at the Kimball High School, Royal Oak.

Dr. R. C. S. Young, a consultant to both business and education institutions, will speak on "The American Way of Life in World Leadership."

Local Girl Wins Silver Wings

Sally Ann Forster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Forster, 4831 Old Orchard Trail, Orchard Lake, recently won her silver wings after completing a course of training at American Airlines' stewardess college at Ft. Worth, Tex.

After graduating from Bloomfield Hills High School, Sally attended the University of Michigan where she majored in liberal arts. Her hobbies include riding and skiing.

Sally formerly lived in Birmingham and in Brighton Road and worked for Mrs. J. O. Esslinger and G. H. Carpenter.



Working on Inspiration Ball

Busy working on plans for the "Inspiration Ball," which is scheduled for April 27 at Hillcrest Country Club, are (from left) Mrs. William Nern of Hillcrest Drive, Mrs. W. N. Kerbyway of Joanne Court, Mrs. Ed-

Research League Slates Meeting

Members of the Child Research League will meet at the home of Mrs. John M. Pickell Jr., 202 Suffield, Birmingham. Business on the agenda will include the League's speakers bureau, whose chairman is Mrs. James F. Carr, president of the league.

The Child Research, less than a year old, now consists of 20 active members and 104 associate members. A volunteer unit has been formed which has two women at the Center Monday through Friday to assist doctors in the clinic with the children.

Capt. M. L. Howell Speaks to PTA

Capt. Morgan L. Howell, a Birmingham resident and captain of the U. S. S. Aquarama will be the guest speaker tonight at the Stone School PTA meeting in Auburn Heights.

Capt. Howell will speak at 8 on "The St. Lawrence Seaway—The Eight Seas of the World." He will also show a film, "Long Ships Passing."

The 'Bells Will be Ringing' At Many B'ham Homes For U of M Bridge

The doorbells will be buzzing at many homes in the Birmingham and Bloomfield areas on Wednesday as guests arrive at bridge parties being given for the "Scholarship Bridge" which is sponsored by the Birmingham U of M alumnae.

There will be about 50 tables of bridge starting at either 2 p.m. or 8:30 p.m. There will be special prizes for the first ones to bid and make a grand slam, a little slam, to hold 150 honors or four aces and booby prizes for those less fortunate ones with all cards of 10 or under.

A NEW ADDITION to this year's event is the mystery prize which will be awarded during the middle of the afternoon and evening to one of the players at the party which is the lucky one drawn from the prize.

To receive special prizes, the winners must phone a designated number and be the first to call the winner. During the evening, the busy phone will be that at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Adams on Overhill Drive.

—ALSO, AT THE Adams home there will be five tables of bridge competing. Included in the guests are Dr. and Mrs. Philip Laux, Dr. and Mrs. Robin Adair, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Bannow, Dr. and Mrs. Theodore Ling, Dr. and Mrs. Sidney Miller, Dr. and Mrs. Eugene Koefoed, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Lahti, Mrs. James Morton and the G.T. Christensen Board of Directors.

Also during the evening Jan. Ward and Muriel Brusie will be co-hosts a party at the home of Miss Ward on Kirtshire. This has become an annual affair for many of the teachers and administrators at Barrum School.

MRS. RUSSELL Strickland and Mrs. S. F. Leahy will entertain their regular bridge group and also increase the scholarship fund. Others giving bridge parties include Mesdames Hobart C. Anderson and Mrs. J. M. N. Allison.

'Spring Prelude' Theme of Show

"Spring Prelude" will again be the theme for Holy Name's fashion show, to be held at Oakland Hills Country Club, Mrs. Francis M. Anderson, chairman for the affair, has announced that there will be an evening showing on Feb. 13, interspersed with entertainment followed by dinner and dancing. On Feb. 14 there will be the fashion show and luncheon.

Mrs. John Annas, Mrs. J. N. Allison and Mrs. Bard Zimmerman will handle tickets. Working on decorations are Mrs. Edmund T. Nolan and Mrs. Jas. Schmitt.

Named President

Mrs. Warren S. Booth of Martlet Drive, Bloomfield Hills, was elected president for the second year of the Thompson Home for older women. Jan. 10 marked the group's 86th annual meeting.

Celebrate 50th Year

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fowler of Buckingham Road, Birmingham, were honored Saturday at the home of their granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McVettie of Haynes Street, Birmingham. Forty guests were invited to help celebrate the couple's 50th wedding anniversary. Guests included the immediate families and close friends.



Fun in the Sun

Vacationing in Naples, Fla., are Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hedgcock of Redding Road, Birmingham. They are relaxing on the championship 18-hole golf course at the Naples Beach Club.

