

It is quite unfortunate that there exists among educators a vast difference in the pattern of a correct educational program. It is any wonder, then, why so much of the general public is confused, exhibiting a tendency to criticize its cost? Upon the nation's educational system depends, to a large extent, the kind of adults who are to grapple with the various social, economic and political problems of our time.

# The Birmingham Eccentric

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## Among Couples United in Weekend Ceremonies



MRS. WILLIAM P. HAMPTON  
(Elizabeth T. Bradley)

The First Presbyterian Church in Pontiac was the scene Saturday afternoon for the marriage of Elizabeth Taff Bradley and William Peck Hampton. The Rev. Galen E. Hershey performed the 2 o'clock ceremony in the presence of 350 guests.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Howard Bradley of Spokane Drive, Pontiac. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Churchill Hampton of Brookside Drive, Bloomfield Hills.

ESCORTED by her father, the bride wore a gown designed and made by her mother of Italian silk bombazine. It featured a scoop neckline, sleeve points and front panel of the dress was enhanced by appliques of alencon lace with the back panel ending in a full cathedral length train.

Her finger ring butterfly veil of silk illusion was held by a small cap of alencon lace. On her white lace covered Bible she carried a bouquet of orchids surrounded by white rosebuds and streamers of ivy and white satin ribbons.

MRS. JAMES W. Huttenlocher served as matron of honor. Mary Hampton, bridegroom's sister, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. James E. Jones, sister of the bride; Barbara A. Montelish, Elaine Mustard and Carla J. Warman.

All the attendants were gowned identically in blush pink silk organza dresses featuring scoop necklines, short sleeves and bell-shaped skirts. They were matching veiled hoes in their hair and carried crescent bouquets of garnet roses with trailing ivy.

VERNE C. Hampton Jr. served as his brother's best man. Ushers included James Edward Bradley. (See HAMPTON, 2-C)



MRS. THEODORE SCHWARZ II  
(Nancy D. McKenzie)

Nancy Diane McKenzie became the bride of Theodore Schwarz II Saturday afternoon at the First Presbyterian Church in Birmingham. Dr. W. Glen Harris performed the double ring ceremony in the presence of 300 guests.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Henry McKenzie of Bates Street, Birmingham. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Schwarz of Parkstone Lane, Birmingham.

FOR HER wedding, the bride appeared in a Bianchi gown of silk taffeta featuring an alencon re-embroidered lace bodice with a bateau neckline. Taffeta bows cascaded down the chapel train. A matching lace crown secured her bouffant veil of silk illusion. She carried two white orchids centered by white roses.

Mrs. Gordon Mutch served as matron of honor and maid of honor was Mable Harabedian. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Joseph Walker, Jennifer Schwarz and Arlene York.

THEY WORE aqua sheaths with bubble overskirts and bateau necklines. Headdresses were small crowns of matching material and nose veils. They carried yellow carnations.

Richard Schwarz stood as best man and seating the guests were Carroll McKenzie, Fred Atkins, James Wheeler and David Gilchrist.

FOR her daughter's wedding, Mrs. McKenzie chose a pure silk organza sheath with matching lace overskirt of ice blue. Mrs. Schwarz selected a pure silk organza of Venetian rose. Both mothers had orchids.

FOLLOWING the 1:30 ceremony, guests were (See SCHWARTZ, 2-C)



MRS. ROBERT C. BENEDICT  
(Barbara Ann McGinnis)

A double ring ceremony at St. James Church on Saturday united Barbara Ann McGinnis and Robert C. Benedict in marriage. Dr. Kenneth H. Gasa performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. McGinnis of Lakeview Road. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Benedict of Grand Rapids.

THE BRIDE wore a white silk organza gown with neckline and bodice of Alencon lace. The skirt was inset with lace and swept into a modified chapel train. A waist length illusion veil was secured by a small Alencon lace crown. She carried a loose colonial bouquet of Amazon lilies and stephanotis.

Honor attendant was Mrs. James M. Crosby and bridesmaids were Susan Muir and Patricia Livingston, all of Grand Rapids. They wore identical dresses of blue silk organza and carried loose colonial bouquets of white daisies and trailing ivy with accents of blue. They had matching flower headpieces.

TAD LANE of Grand Rapids stood as best man. Ushers were J. Franklin Trucks of St. Clair Shores, Ralph Lock of Grand Rapids and John K. McGinnis of Mt. Prospect, Illinois.

FOR her daughter's wedding Mrs. McGinnis chose a pale blue silk organza sheath with Dior blue accessories. The bridegroom's mother wore a beige lace sheath with matching accessories. Both mothers wore cybiumid orchids.

A RECEPTION at Rotunda Inn on Pine Lake followed the ceremony. The young couple left immediately on a wedding trip to Sacramento, Calif., where they will make their home.



MRS. THEODORE M. WERNER  
(Sally Kay Sharp)

Gowned in silk organza, Sally Kay Sharp became the bride of Theodore Melville Werner Saturday evening at St. James Episcopal Church in Birmingham. The Rev. Kenneth H. Gasa officiated at the 7:30 ceremony.

Parents of the newlyweds are Mr. and Mrs. Claude E. Sharp of Fairfax Road, Birmingham, and Mr. and Mrs. Melville T. Werner of Haynes Street, Birmingham.

THE BRIDE'S gown featured a scalloped sabrina neckline and three quarter length sleeves. The bodice and front panel was alencon lace. A Juliet cap of organza outlined in tiny pearls secured her fingertip veil of French illusion. The bridal bouquet was baby white roses.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Allen Wilson and bridesmaids were Marcia Wittner, Winifred Wagner, Betsy Strickling and Mrs. Henry Bishop.

ATTENDANTS were gowned identical in powder blue organza sheaths with overskirts and matching powder blue headdresses and shoes. They carried yellow daisies and delphiniums.

Grant Gruel stood as best man and seating the guests were Alexander Wilson, Beverly Benson, Robert N. Andrews and Albert L. Welsh.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at Forest Lake Country Club.

THE NEW MR. and Mrs. Werner are honeymooning in northern Michigan. The bride chose for her traveling costume a black and white print jacket dress with matching accessories. Upon return they will live at 6910 Dartmouth, Birmingham. (See WERNER, 2-C)

### Suburban Scene

By Shirley Adams  
Society Editor

#### Busy Days Ahead For Bride-Elect

Parties galore are on the agenda for bride-elect Carol Riley. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Riley of Detroit, formerly of Glenngarry Road, Birmingham. Carol and Robert J. O'Hara will be united in marriage Aug. 12 at 11 o'clock in Gesu Church. Her fiancé is the son of Mrs. Edward M. O'Hara of Detroit.

Mrs. George Carlson of N. Cranbrook Road and her co-hostess Mrs. Clifford Nelson of Brookdale Road, Bloomfield Township, gave a luncheon and shower at the Detroit Athletic Club for 40 guests on July 17. On July 5, Mrs. Robert Harts of Briarcliffe Road gave a personal shower in her home for 30 young ladies.

MRS. LEO SCHOWALTER of Fairway Drive and Mrs. Harry Wills gave a cocktail and supper party in Mrs. Schowalter's garden on July 9. Mrs. John B. Hammond of Bloomfield Hills entertained Saturday at a miscellaneous shower and luncheon in her home on Hillwood Drive. Mrs. Howard Snyder of Cranbrook Cross Road will give a mixed couple supper and cocktail party in her home.

Mrs. Stanley Blaznek will also entertain for Carol at an afternoon shower in her home on Muirland Avenue. Carol's bridesmaids Yvonne Evans, Anne Wideman and Linda Saintgion will entertain her at a luncheon at Devon Gables on Aug. 5.

ON AUG. 10, Mrs. O'Hara will give the rehearsal dinner in her home on Santa Barbara Drive for the wedding party. Mrs. Marvin Mitchell of the Alden Park Manor entertained Carol and her fiancé at a breakfast in her summer home on Harsens Island.

#### A Week of Fun and Frolic

"Mediterranean Festival Week" is taking place at the Kingsley Inn through Saturday. The decor, entertainment and cuisine will reflect all the romance and character of the colorful nationalities of the Mediterranean Countries. This event is in conjunction of the Kingsley Inn's third anniversary at its new location.

Preparing special dishes of Israel, Spain, Italy, Greece, Turkey-Arabia and France will be Nino, who was recently added to the staff. A graduate of the hotel school of "Bocconegna," Genoa, Italy, Nino has served the society, the royalty and the gourmet travelers of all countries on the world's most famous luxury liners.

WHEN KING Umberto II, of Italy was a Prince and commissioned to an Italian Navy Cruiser, it was Nino who was assigned to serve him. Rachelle Mussolini, Benito's wife, when on the SS Rex, requested Nino to be in charge of her private dining room.

When Cecil B. DeMille, the master of extravaganzas, (Continued on Page 2-C)

### They'll Go 'On Safari' At Party

The exotically decorated pool and grounds of the J. D. Richardson, Jr. residence on N. Glenngarry Road, Birmingham, will be the scene Aug. 6 of the 1961 Orient-South Seas Safari.

The circumnavigators Club—composed of international veterans of round-the-globe excursions—will be the guest of honor. The party will feature spectacular decor, an afternoon and evening program, Polynesian feast around the swimming pool and, of course, dancing.

#### MRS. WILLIAM D. JOHNS

The First Methodist Church of Birmingham was the setting for the Saturday afternoon marriage of Patricia Ann Hurd and William Dunraith Johns. Dr. Arnold Runkel officiated. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Hurd Jr., of Woodbank Drive, Bloomfield Township, and Mr. John J. Johns, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ransome A. Johns of Detroit.

FOR HER marriage, the bride wore a gown of silk organza with a fitted bodice and scoop neckline of alencon lace appliques. The full skirt was swished in back with an Obi sash.

A crown secured her fingertip veil of silk illusion and she carried a bouquet of white roses and stephanotis.

Judith Smith was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Adrienne Breaux, Mrs. Walter Jorgensen and Judith Gasa. They wore sheath gowns of blue silk organza.

BARRY JOHNS, brother of the bridegroom, stood as best man. Ushers were John Wicks, Walter Jorgensen, David Wilson and Richard Hurd, brother of the bride.

Following a reception at the Dearborn Country Club, the newlyweds left for a three-week trip to the west coast.

### Birmingham Girls Attend Camp Cavell for 2 Weeks

The YWCA's Camp Cavell on Lake Huron is packed to capacity this week with the arrival of 168 girls at the beginning of the third two-weeks camping session.

Twenty-one of the girls are enrolled for specialized programs and will remain at Cavell until the close of camp on Aug. 18.

AMONG THE third session girls at Camp Cavell from Birmingham are Lynn Auer, 1200 E. Square Lake Road; Debbie and Marsha Brown, 632 Ardmore; Nancy Skidmore, 7332 Mohanney; Barbara Towler, 2422 Daleford.

Katherine Trumbull, 2891 Langer; Martha and Mikal Neff, 2884 Amberly Road; Madeline Masher, 612 N. Glenhurst; Laurie Ann Paul, 4837 Kew Court; Joan Rich, 4831 Haddington; Marci Johnson, 1140 Lake Park Drive; Mari-

### Duet Rehearsing at Interlochen

Laurie Jane Helleman, 16, of Bay City (left) and Sharon Sue Snyder, 16, of Bloomfield Hills, rehearse a ballet duet at the northwoods National Music Camp at Interlochen.

The famed summer capital of the arts in northern Michigan is currently in its 34th season with 1,400 talented teenagers enrolled from 41 states and five foreign countries. The camp now has some 300 students enrolled in ballet and modern dance.

ALTHOUGH long famous for its youth symphony concerts, the camp has expanded in recent years to include all fields of the arts and its dance concerts have become one of the major attractions of the Interlochen concert season.

Sharon Sue Snyder, a student at Bloomfield Hills High School, is also a dance major at Interlochen and is a member of the Festival Choir. She also plays flute, harp, piano, organ and tympani.

LAURIE Helleman is a student at Bay City Central High and this is her second summer at Interlochen where she is majoring in dance. Among the students en-

### Engagement Told At Family Dinner

Mrs. and Mr. William J. Bird, 1120 Lyonhurst, Birmingham, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary Louise to Stephen Owen Stubbs of Lakewood, Bloomfield Hills. Stubbs is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Stubbs of Birmingham. The announcement was made Friday evening at a family dinner.

The bride-elect attended Birmingham High School and graduated from Mr. Vernon Junior College, Washington, D. C. in June of this year.

Her fiancé attended Cranbrook School and is a graduate of Michigan State University. He is assisting with Phi Delta Theta.

A December wedding is planned.

Clifford B. West, 225 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills, has his works on display in the ninth annual Michigan Regional Art Exhibition at the University of Michigan. The exhibition will open to the public at Rackham Building galleries through Aug. 3.

### Jane R. Mohler To Wed Next Year

Parents, alums and friends of the Convent of the Sacred Heart, Bloomfield Hills, will present the 8th annual fall fashion show on Sept. 27. The new convent will provide a setting for this fund-raising event. Chairman is Mrs. Joseph Risdon.

Twenty-four Oakland County women are attending the 34th annual Homemakers' conference at MSU through tomorrow. Attending from the Birmingham area are Mrs. Norma Butterfield and Mrs. Muriel E. Jaenichou.

### Works on Display

Mary Louise Bird