

When clouds obscure the sun's direct rays, some of the sunshine will come through and we know that each night melts into the rising dawn. Likewise, even today, this beautiful world, is bedeviled by the evils of a godless set of leaders, there is hope and trust in prayerful minds that Right shall subdue wrong and that requires good people to be BETTER!

# The Birmingham Eccentric

BIRMINGHAM, MICHIGAN

Thursday, November 30, 1961

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## Miss Wood Marries D. Sheehy

A papal blessing was bestowed on Norma Louise Wood and Dennis Franklin Sheehy by the Rev. Robert B. Koenig at midday mass Saturday in the Shrine of the Little Flower. The ceremony was performed at 11 o'clock.

Norma is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wood of Hillcrest Drive, Birmingham. Dennis is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Sheehy of St. Clair Shores.

THE BRIDE appeared in a princess style gown of white silk tissue tulle with a chapel length train. The bodice and brief sleeves were fashioned in alonon lace. A pearl crown secured her full length hair down veil. Her bouquet was a cascade of white mums.

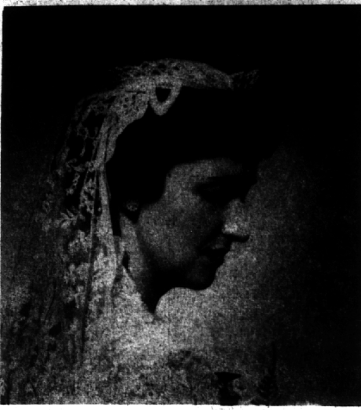
Winifred Glasby of Royal Oak served as her sister's matron of honor in an emerald green dress. Sheath fashioned with a paneled overskirt. White pom pom mums headed by pittosporum accented her matching headband and the white mitt which she carried.

BRIDESMAIDS Maureen Sheehy, sister of the bridegroom, and Betty DeLozier were attired in identical outfits.

Best man was William Sheehy and ushers were Richard Sheehy and John Bidigare.

Following a breakfast reception at Red Run Golf Club, Norma changed to a shawl jacket dress of emerald green silk accented by a small feathered hat and champagne accessories.

FOLLOWING their two week honeymoon in Florida, the newlyweds will make their home in Royal Oak.



MRS. DENNIS SHEEHY

## Carolyn Peterson Weds Roger King

Gowned in ivory brocade, Carolyn Marie Peterson became the bride of Roger William King Saturday afternoon at Evangelical Church in Iona. The Rev. R. R. Fasset performed the 2 o'clock ceremony in the presence of 200 guests.

Immediately following the double ring ceremony a reception was held at the Hunting and Fishing Club in Iona.

THE BRIDE is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew M. Peterson of Iona. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence S. King, Endicott Road, Bloomfield Hills.

Carolyn's gown was designed with camelot sleeves, chapel train and sabinia neckline with pearl beaded edging. A pearl crown secured her imported French silk illusion fingertip veiling. She carried a cascade bouquet of stephanotis, white sweetheart roses and ivy.

THE BRIDE'S sister, Mrs. Ronald J. Doran, served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Alice Lehnen and Gail Galieti.

The matron of honor wore a

peacock blue delustered satin street length dress with a dome-shaped skirt and three quarter length sleeves. A short veil was secured by a matching feathered bandeau headpiece. She carried a cascade bouquet of blue and white chrysanthemums and ivy.

Attendants wore identical gowns in sapphire blue delustered satin. They also carried white and blue chrysanthemums with ivy.

LAWRENCE A. King served as his brother's best man. Ushers were Jeffrey Ballard and Howard Sullivan.

For her daughters wedding, Mrs. Peterson chose a pale gold brocade jacket-dress with matching accessories and a corsage of bronze chrysanthemums.

Mrs. King selected a mist green illusion fingertip veiling. Her corsage consisted of white sweetheart roses.

THE BRIDE'S traveling costume was a gold knit suit-dress with black accessories. The newlyweds are flying to New Orleans for their honeymoon. They will make their home in Clawson.



MRS. CHARLES W. DARE

## Miss Noller Says Vows At St. James

St. James Episcopal Church was the scene Friday evening for the marriage of Glensiedette Erika Karolin Noller to Charles W. Dare. The Rev. David Van Dusen performed the 7:30 ceremony.

The bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Noller, who live in Backmann, Germany, were unable to attend the wedding. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Dare of Warren Court, Birmingham.

THE BRIDE was gowned in white silk organza designed with an empire style bodice and organza flowers with seed pearls were applied on the full skirt which swept into a chapel train.

Her headpiece was an heirloom veil of Brussels lace and she carried a bouquet of white roses and ivy.

Maid of honor was Irene Noller and bridesmaids were Mrs. Susan Wolter, Mrs. Jane Fell, Dore Paige and Dorothy Jankway. Flower girl was Molly Johnson.

ATTENDANTS were attired in emerald green satin tunic dresses and carried yellow sweetheart roses with ivy.

Stephen O. Stubbs stood as best man and ushers were Robert T. Fell, C. Reid Russell, John Hemeny and Les Beving.

The bride's traveling costume was a beige outfit with brown accessories, they are honeymooning in Fort Lauderdale.

A reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents. Mrs. Dare wore a peacock green brocade sheath with matching accessories.

## Chbrook Branch To Gather for Yule Luncheon

Members of Cranbrook Branch of WNFCA will gather at the Bloomfield Hills home of Mrs. Earle MacPherson Monday for a Christmas luncheon. Hostesses for the luncheon are Mesdames Percy Harriman, Laurence Herman, Robert Holbrook and Eugene Kelly.

On Dec. 27, Mrs. MacPherson will have their annual dinner dance at Forest Lake Country Club. At that time the lucky number will be drawn for the group's Treasury.

THIS IS the group's money-raising project which enables them to give a full scholarship to a student at Michigan State University. Their student is Kermit Washburn, agriculture major, who is now in his third year through Cranbrook's scholarship and will continue through his fourth year.

Ladies making the treasure tree are Mesdames Henry Sandrock, Ruth Norris, Sidney Harriman and Dale D. Douglas. Another project is Horticultural Therapy at Pontiac State Hospital.

## Christmas Musicals To Be Presented By Garden Club

Mrs. L. L. Colbert of Martell Drive, Bloomfield Hills, will open her home 1:30 p.m. Monday for the Bloomfield Hills Branch's Christmas Musical. Iris Ball, currently on Canadian tour, will be the soloist. She has appeared with the Santa Fe Opera Company and also in Europe.

Sides of the Ola Watson Memorial Rose Garden will be shown by Alice Burlingame. This garden was presented to Pontiac State Hospital by the branch and is an integral part of their horticultural therapy program. Tea will be served to members and guests.

## Orientation Coffee Planned for Today

Volunteers who will staff the new Planned Parenthood pill clinic in Oakland County will be given an orientation coffee hour today at the home of Mrs. Charles Foreman, 6824 Roland Drive, Birmingham.

Although Planned Parenthood has been operating four clinics in Oakland County for many years, this will be the first birth control pill clinic in this area. The clinic will be located at Lakeland Housing Project in Pontiac.

## Coterie Dance Club Opens Special Season

Members of the Modern Coterie Dance Club of Birmingham and their guests will be in the holiday spirit early because their semi-formal Christmas dances will take place Friday at the Birmingham Community House.

Mrs. William Thompson and Mrs. Joseph Braden are in charge of the Christmas decorations that will add to the festive occasion. Punch and cookies will be served in the Ruth Shain's room during intermission.

## Suburban Scene

By Shirley Adams  
Society Editor

### Festivities Get Underway

Birmingham's Mrs. Caesar J. Soma of Kirkshire Road, like most of the other members of the Marygrove College Mothers' Guild, has been occupied during the fall season with sales of Marygrove's three attractive Christmas cards, a guild project for several seasons. But, now her thoughts have turned to the guild's Christmas Buffet which will be held Dec. 10.

With Chairman Mrs. George Kessel and Mrs. Vincent Cole, Mrs. Soma has been helping to work out weighty details of menu and entertainment. Now, just about all that needs to be done is creation of more than half a hundred miniature Christmas trees which will be used as centerpiece for the dining tables that evening.

THEY'LL BE "planted" in golden containers and will blossom with myriads of shiny red baubles to make Madame Cadillac Hall glow with holiday spirit. Christmas greens will enhance the two dining halls and fragrant cedar will festoon the serving tables decorated with larger Christmas trees to provide a background for the buffet's goodies.

Board members led by Mrs. Harry Seltz, this year's president, will be on hand to welcome guests and acting as hostesses for the evening will be Marygrove's freshmen mothers. On the same day, the Marygrove Alumnae Association will sponsor its annual Christmas tea. Holiday decorations will brighten Alumnae Hall, as guests enjoy the festivities from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. The evening entertainment will be provided by the Marygrove College Chorus and the College Dramatic Society. The program will begin in the auditorium at 7:15 p.m. Birmingham students appearing in it are Delfine DiGiovanni and Catherine Benkert.

### Yuletide Season Opens With a Bang

Detroit Athletic Club will stage two holiday-time events for members and their guests, the first being the Dec. 8-16 floor show gala to mark the Yuletide season, and the other to be a theater party closer to Christmas, on Dec. 21. The glamorous theater party, which will start with a 6 p.m. dinner at the DAC, will then have Music Hall as its locale for the midwest premiere of Samuel Bronston's motion picture, "El Cid".

THE CLUB has taken 600 seats for this preview which will be especially gala with King lights and red carpet treatment. The big public opening will be the following evening. Among members in the Birmingham area with reservations for the holiday floor show are the Joseph Risdon, William Markleys, Lester Downies, John Flannerys, William Frews, William Beyersters, Dr. and Mrs. Owen Hendren, The Vance Desmonds and the Elliott Kinneys.

### Cards to Benefit Charities

"Merry Christmas. Happy New Year. Season's Greetings." The salutations for the festive time of year are pretty much the same. There are a number of cards, however, that contribute more than good wishes. They are the cards that benefit charity groups.

These are a few of the groups—and where you can get their cards: American Cancer Society, Southeastern Michigan Division, 2895 West Grand Boulevard, Detroit 8, TR 2-2277.

CAMP OAKLAND (choice of two cards for underprivileged youngsters), 930 Drahnner Road East, Oxford, OA 8-2561.

Children's Leukemia Foundation, 13106 Grand River, Detroit 27, WE 3-7503.

Christ Child Society (for a temporary shelter for needy children—Christ Child House), Mrs. Arthur S. Moore, 1331 Orchard Ridge Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 6-3561.

Friends and Relatives of South Oakland County Handicapped, Inc., 400 Nine Mile East, Farmdale 20, LI 8-4574 from 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Greater Detroit Council for Epilepsy, Inc., P. O. Box 2295, Detroit 31, DR 1-2698.



MRS. ROGER W. KING



## Puppeteers Give Benefit Performances

Eager to introduce young folks of the area to "Peter and the Wolf" are the Puppeteers group of the American Association of University Women.

Members of the group Mrs. Walker G. Patton, Mrs. Rodkey Craighead and Mrs. Calvin Hennings are planning a musical play for puppet presentation, interspersing the Prokofiev music, taped from a symphonic recording, throughout the play.

THE PUPPETEERS were asked to appear at the Detroit Book Fair being held today in MacGregor Memorial on the Wayne State Campus. In connection with this appearance they have been seen on Channel 7 and heard on radio station WJR.

They also gave a puppet making demonstration recently before the national convention of the American Occupational Therapy Association in the Sheraton Cadillac hotel.

Benefit performances have also been given this past month for a retarded children's group in Fernside Community Center, Oakland County Children's Home, and for the Orthopedic unit at Eagle school in Farmington. Two performances were given Monday, at Wilson school in Pontiac.

TWO CASTS, under the direction of Mrs. Craighead, change about in manipulating the puppets and speaking the lines.

The tiny but spirited actors are given life by Mrs. E. M. Kuehl, Mrs. Donald Howarth, Mrs. Robert von Mann, Mrs. Ralph Livingston, Mrs. Richard Kuning and Mrs. Dennison.

Constructing puppets and props have kept Mrs. Arthur Thornbury, Mrs. Kuehl, Mrs. Howarth, Mrs. von Mann, Mrs. C. McCormick and Mrs. Dennison busy for weeks.

## Margaret Hampson Weds S. W. Keegin

Margaret Hampson became the bride of Stafford Warwick Keegin Nov. 18 at St. Paul's on the Lake Shore. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Hampson of Holland, Mich.

The bride graduated from Kingswood School and attended Denison University. Mr. Keegin is son of the Curtis Keegins of Grosse Pointe, a graduate of Dartmouth College and attended University of Michigan Law School.

THE WEDDING party included Ann Allison of Chicago, Mrs. Thelma Tammill of Hampton and Lisa Fisher, the bridegroom's niece, as flower girl. William Keegin and Robert Hampson were Simon Morand II, son.

After a trip to Delray Beach, Fla., the couple will reside in Chicago. Following the ceremony, a small reception was held at the Detroit Athletic Club.

## Going Out West

Mrs. Vernon L. Venman of N. Eton Road, Birmingham, is leaving for a 3 1/2 month cruise with her daughter, Mrs. B. G. Swift of Santa Barbara, Calif. On Jan. 31, she will embark on the Benaragford for a world cruise, returning April 15.

## Yule Shop to Benefit Child Research Center

An array of handmade items by members and friends of the Child Research Center League will be for sale today and Friday at Showcase, Inc., 136 Brownell, Birmingham.

The hours are from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

All proceeds of the Yule Shoppe will be given to the Child Research Center of Michigan to enable it in carrying out its life-saving work in basic research in children's diseases.

THE CHRISTMAS booth will feature aprons, table cloths, door knob covers, greens holders, Christmas tree skirts, tallies, wall hangings and baskets.

At the boutique booth, guests will view felt eye glass cases, pajama cases, shoe

## Early Arrivers At Yule Shop

Jane O'Boyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Boyle of Puritan Street, Birmingham, models a hand knit sweater, which is one of the many items featured at the "Yule Shoppe" today and tomorrow at Showcase, 136 Brownell, Birmingham.

Admiring the items are (from left) Mrs. Robert A. King of Waddington Road, Mrs. O'Boyle and Mayor Florence Willett of Pilgrim Street. The shop, which will be open tonight until 9 and tomorrow from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., will benefit the Child Research Center.

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## Annual Holiday Fair

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