

# Suburban Scene

by Mary Ellen Mead, Society Editor

## Wedding in Arkansas

A wedding scheduled for Jan. 4 will take Mr. and Mrs. Dean Coffin of Puritan Road to Stuttgart, Ark., where their son, Tristram DeForest, will make Mary Townsend his bride. Mary, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Mark LaHue Townsend of Stuttgart, attended Randolph Macon Woman's College and obtained her degree from the University of North Carolina. She is a member of the Valkyries, honorary society, and Chi Omega Sorority. Currently she's working as a librarian at the Harvard Weidner Library.



MISS TOWNSEND

Tristram, who is the grandson of the late Congressman Howard A. Coffin of Detroit, was graduated from Western Reserve Academy and Brown University, where he was a proctor for the Dean of Men and a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity. He is working for Proctor and Gamble in Boston.

Additional romance in the news revolves around Han-nelore Ruth Schwartz and Carl Reid Rundell, who will speak their marriage vows Dec. 20.

The bride-elect's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwartz of Greenwich Drive, Birmingham, and Carl's parents are the Elmer W. Rundella of Webster Groves, Mo. Miss Schwartz attended Western Michigan University and her

fiance is a graduate of the University of Colorado, presently attending Wayne State.

## Yule Shoppe Set To Go

On Nov. 19, the Child Research Center League will ring open the doors of Rosedale Park Community House, from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., to display its "thousand or one things" of interest to the Christmas shopper. And a thousand and one Birmingham-Bloomfield women are planning to be on tap, for



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membership in the group from out here is active and large. According to Mrs. John W. Butler and Mrs. Don R. Borgeson, the Yule Shoppe will be stocked with "way out" things, like delicately decorated soap ensembles, to things "way in", like warm handknit sweaters. Mrs. James Carr, chairman, and her assistant Mrs. John Chapin solemnly guarantee that no shopper will go away empty handed, for the homemade items range from something to use while serving soup to nutty resort fashions.

Child Research will derive all profits from the sale, money to be used for basic research in children's diseases—prime purpose of the League.

## Clubs Keep It Gay

Don't fall on your sword if you missed getting reservations for the Hank Ball at BOH Saturday night. (They're at a premium!) because, from where we sit, looks as though every country club in the area will be equally gay and dazzling.

Seems to be the time of year when presidents are honored, for such will be the case at Bloomfield, Pine Lake, Forest Lake and the BAC. Detroit Golf and Oakland Hills had their "dos" last week, and Red Run's is scheduled for the twenty-third.

Serving as hosts for the black tie ball at Bloomfield will be Club President John B. Poole and his board of directors, including James A. Beresford, Fred J. Colombo, Hanley Dawson, Jr., James E. Goodman, Ben D. Mills, George Russell, Robert C. VanderKloot and Charles H. Whitelaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Solover are chairmen of festivities at Pine Lake, where new president and Mrs. E. W. Bogan will be the honor guests. There'll be a champagne cocktail party preceding dinner and dancing.

Incidentally, there's to be just one more major social event, at Pine Lake before the club closes down for two months. This will be a pre-Christmas cocktail fashion show for husbands and wives on Dec. 4.

New officers at Birmingham Athletic Club include William H. Leckie, president; Sidney W. Smith, Jr., vice president;

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Billy R. Finlay, treasurer and Sidney F. McKenna secretary. They and board members Dr. Robert M. Bookmyer, F. E. Dierdorff, Frank G. Murphy, Harry S. Stark, Jr., and Robert C. Wenzel II will be honor guests Saturday at a lively cocktail party and dinner at the club.

## Cotillion Opener

Festivity will rain again at Bloomfield Open Hunt Nov. 27, that being the night the Fenby Five will blast out for the opening of Cotillion.

Tenth, eleventh and twelfth graders from all high schools in the area comprise membership in this series of five dances throughout the season.

Mrs. Ernest Kern, who has coordinated the parties for the past eight years, has asked the Dean Drapers and Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Mills to chaperone the opening dance.

## BEVERLY HILLS

# Dinner's All Ready At the M. R. Baileys

By ELLI BLAUMAN  
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Attend a Thanksgiving party and win a turkey!

At least that's what Dr. and Mrs. Maynard R. Bailey of Arlington Drive did last Saturday evening, when the Detroit Graduate Chapter of Delta Sigma Delta dental fraternity held its annual "Ladies Nite" dinner dance.

This traditional affair featured steak dinners with all the trimmings and gave everyone an opportunity to try old and new dance steps to live orchestra music.

Other Beverly couples seen enjoying themselves were Dr. and Mrs. Henry Hergel, Dr. and Mrs. William Barone and Dr. and Mrs. James Barone.

For the first time in six years Mrs. Bailey was able to visit with her college friend, Mrs. Clarence Wenzley of Long Beach, Calif. Mrs. Wenzley stopped in Detroit to visit with relatives and close friends en route home from a six-week stay in France and Italy.

A pleasant afternoon was spent chatting over lunch at the Women's City Club.

MR. AND MRS. KEVIN WHITING of Buckingham Road took son Stephen to Chicago on a recent weekend to celebrate his first birthday. His maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Frack, as well as uncles, aunts and cousins also were able to see Stephen after his first haircut, which constitutes quite an eventful birthday.

Members of the Beverly Hills Garden Club learned how to prepare their shrubs and flowers for winter last week at the home of Mrs. Adam Nowicki. Three knowledgeable members, Mrs. LeRoy Heinke, Mrs. Everett Hunt-Phillips and Mrs. Robert McKee were in charge of an informative question and answer program, explaining the intricacies of mulching and pruning as well as many other things homeowners should know about their plantings. Apple squares and coffee were prepared by Mrs. Volney Landry, Mrs. James Lawson and Mrs. William Basse.

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