

EDITOR'S INSIDE STORY!

by Sharon Lee



YES, IT'S TRUE. David's dad and Shirley Jones are separated. Read the story in our May issue!

Hi Friends! Have we got an exciting issue for you this month! First of all, if you haven't entered our "Fly to Hollywood and Kiss David" contest—hurry and enter now!

The contest closes April 30 and I think it's just about the greatest contest we've ever offered! What do you think? Check out page 3 and you might be the lucky girl to win David's kiss!

If you want to know all the true secrets about David, turn to page 22! David's mom knows all the answers and here in Partridge Magazine, in Part 4 of our exclusive story, she answers all your questions in her own handwriting!

Speaking of David (and aren't we always?), he got back from Europe with all kinds of exciting stories. We've got one of them for you right here in this issue on page 14! Find out what really happened to David in Europe!

David said two of the most exciting countries he visited were Spain and Italy and except for one incident he had a wonderful time! What was that one incident? When he was in Italy, someone broke into the van he rented and stole \$950 worth of traveler's checks and all his camera equipment!

David was really sad about the camera because he had wanted to take hundreds of pictures he could keep forever to remind him of his first trip to Europe.

Isn't it awful what people sometimes do? Especially to someone as thoughtful and loving as our David! Don't forget, too, that Partridge is the only magazine that brings you an up to the minute report on David's concert activities! You can get a tentative schedule for future concerts coming up soon in your town by turning to Kim and Dave's "Let's Tour with David" column on page 26!

Susan Dey's been spending the Par-

tridge hiatus working! She didn't get a chance to catch up on her rest after all, but she doesn't really mind because she's working on something very exciting—her first movie role!

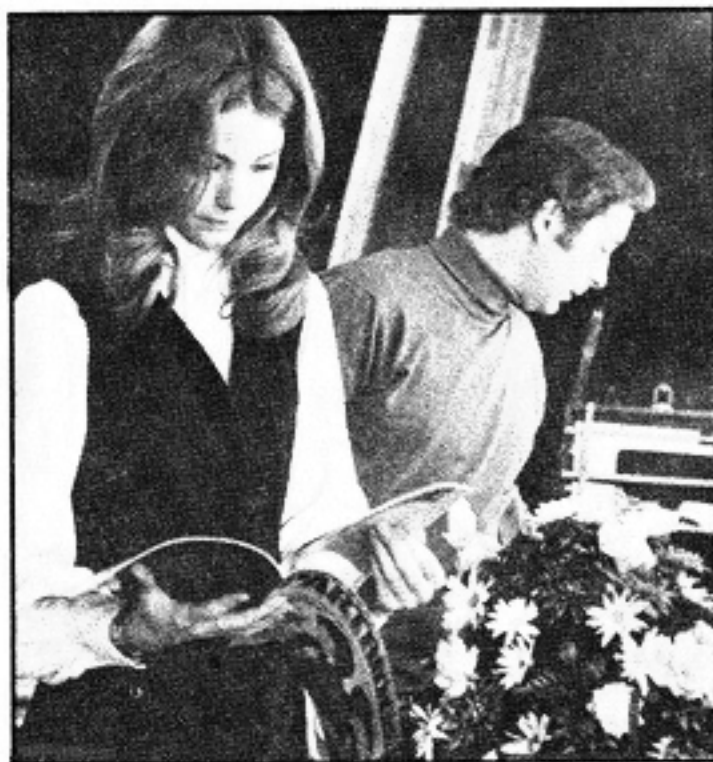
That's right! She's starring in "Airborne" with James Brolin, and Charlton Heston! It's a great movie—all about an airplane hijacking! We'll try to get you some pictures from the movie as soon as they're released! I know you're probably just as excited as I am to see Susan playing another role!

Susan's such a beautiful girl—inside as well as out—that some day she's going to sweep some young man right off his feet and take that walk down the aisle! What will that day be like? Will David be there? Why don't you see for yourself right now. Turn to page 10 and share Susan's Wedding Day!

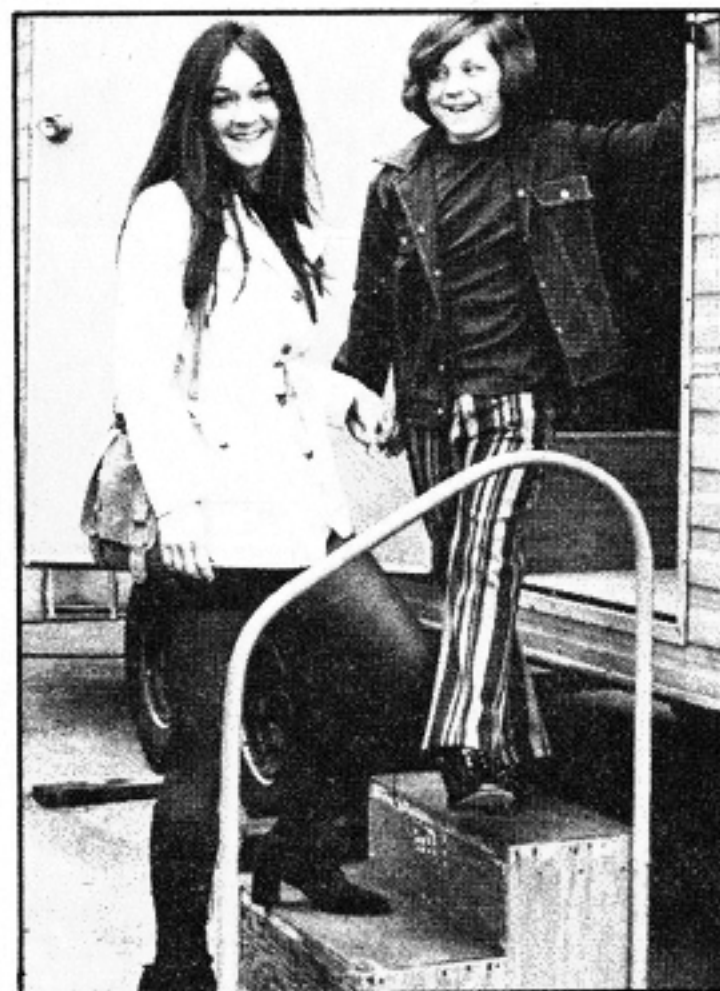
The other Partridge stars have been having a nice hiatus too! The younger stars have been going to school and really like being able to mix with children their own age!

Brian was delighted when he was asked to judge a cat show! His mom raises beautiful looking Himalayan cats, and so Brian got to be one of the judges at a local contest! He loved it and says he hopes he can do it again sometime!

Suzanne Crough had a wedding in her family! One of her older sisters, Gail Crough, was married just last month in Suzanne's hometown, Anaheim, California. Suzanne said her sister looked so beautiful and she hopes someday that's the way her wedding will be when she grows up and falls in love!



SUSAN AND PARTRIDGE make up artist Mel Berns, Jr., read the latest issue of "their" magazine!



VISITING THE Partridges is fun because you never know what to expect! Danny's taking me to lunch!

You know, Suzanne and Brian have really learned a lot during the past two years working on the Partridge set. But one of the most important things they learned was from David. Read their own story about what David taught them on page 32!

And don't forget! We've got a continuing fiction feature "The Mystery of Echo Lake" running monthly now, so let me know how you like it!

We've been having so many contests and games in Partridge it's about time to announce some winners! Find out if you won our "Win a call from the Partridges" contest! There were hundreds of correct entries, and they were all put into a big barrel, mixed up, and then Tiger Beat's editor Ann Moses, blindfolded me and I drew a name! See if it was yours on page 59!

Were you one of the first 20 correct entries in our "Find a Partridge Game" from our March issue? You could be—so quick, turn to page 63 and see if you've won \$5.00 and an autographed picture from the Partridge Star of your choice!

Speaking of contests—we've got another great one for you next month in our May issue which goes on sale April 4! I know you're going to love it!

Want some groovy David Cassidy poster pin-ups? You can get some fabulous pictures that measure 17 by 22 inches and are in glorious color by turning to page 29 now. Tiger Beat Love Posters are a once in a lifetime super chance to fill your walls with beautiful pin-ups!

Well, see you next month with more news about your favorite stars and mine!

Love, Sharon Lee