PARTRIDGE & NEWS

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EXCLUSIVE

Each month read all the fan club news about the Partridge Family right here in Cecelia Bonaduce's column!

Danny's mom's annual Partridge parts was really a huge success, but it didn't start out that way!

"I had a cold that day, and coming taste anything," Mrs. Bonaduce said after the party. "I made a stroganoff sauce, and asked Danny to try it." Danny tried it all right! "Mom, this tastes pretty sour." he said.

Luckily, Mrs. B. didn't panie. She just threw out the whole thing, and started over! The new sauce was perfect, and was finished just in time for the first guest's arrival!

The first guest, by the way, was Shirley Jones, wearing a lipstick-red pantsuit and matching vest! "Oh, am I too early?" she asked.

"No, everybody else is late!" Dames answered, taking her coat. "Aren't Shame. Patrick and Ryan coming?"

"No, they had other plans for the evening, and couldn't get out of them. They all said hello though!"

RANG THE BELL

Shirley wasn't alone more than two minutes before Susan Dey rang the door-bell! She wore a black and white long skirt and a short sleeved white wool blouse.

Susan and Shirley sat in the living room, talking about the show for a few minutes, then Susan found Mrs. B. in the kitchen, and asked if she could help.

"No, everything is ready, just help yourself to the punch, and relax until the rest of the guests arrive."

There was no time to relax! By the time Susan had made her way back to the living room, about twenty guests had stepped in! Susanne Crough was somewhere in the crowd by this time! ben ben Dave Madden walked in, when Dave Madden walked in, wery windblown. Dave looked at Dans and said, "I couldn't get the top my convertible. Lead me to the so I can comb my hair!"

straight up! Dave finally reappeared, with every hair in its proper

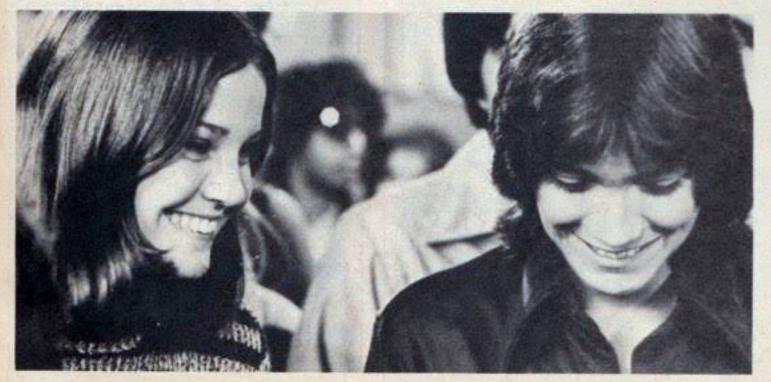
DAVID CAME TOO!

Dave joined one of the groups, and disappeared into the party. David Cassidy had said earlier that he might not have her able to make it. Another press conference!

Everyone at the party stopped talking when David came in, with his pretty date. When David arrives with a girl, everyone wants to know if he's finally planning on settling down.

Somebody finally asked him if there was anything serious going on this time, and David laughed.

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DAVID'S A big hit at parties because he loves good conversation so much! And he usually has a girl next to him—that's the old Cassidy charm you know so well!



SHIRLEY was glad that David came!

Well, girls, it looks like you can hang on to David Cassidy for a long time... he hasn't found that girl of his dreams yet!

PARTRIDGE MAILBOX

Dear Cecelia,

I just saw a picture of your wedding in another magazine, and Danny was in it. Was Danny the best man?

> Thank you, Pam Cheuvront

Dear Pam,

Well, he was, and he wasn't. Danny was the "Honorary Best Man," a title we made up for him. You see, Danny was too old to be a ringbearer, but too young to be the best man, so he became the honorary best man!

Dear Cecelia,

Does everybody in your family have red hair?

Peace, Howard Hyatt

Dear Howard,

No, nobody in the family has red hair but Danny. We are a grand assortment of colors in our house. My mother has blonde hair, my father and older brother have black hair, Anthony, 16, has brown hair, and I have auburn hair. We all know what color Danny's is.

Dear Cecelia,

I was in California just last summer, and I was able to get on the Partridge set. Unfortunately, nobody was there. I left a package of presents for David with somebody on the set, who said that he would give it to David. I never heard if he got it or not. Could you possibly find out for me?

Thanks, Connie Campbell

Dear Connie,

I sure could!

David did receive your package, and sends a big thank-you! The reason he couldn't send you a note earlier is that you didn't leave your address!

Dear Cecelia,

What color are Susan Dey's eyes? Sometimes they look blue, and sometimes they look green.

> Peace to the Partridges, Bob Werkmiester

Dear Bob,

Susan has big beautiful blue eyes!