

# Round of Entertainments Honoring Popular Couple Continues in the Hills

## LOCAL MATRONS TELL COMPLETE CONCERT PLANS

It is natural that the appearance of Percy Grainger, world-famous pianist, should be the inspiration of Birmingham matrons' most ambitious plans. The plans made by the Birmingham Musicale, which will present Mr. Grainger at 8:15 tomorrow evening, indicate that they are worthy of even such an occasion as the concert. To climax the whole affair, Friday is State Federation Day for the State Federation of Music Clubs, and will be marked by a luncheon at the Community House and a program by Musicale members in the afternoon.

Mrs. Norman Lyle, is chairman of the luncheon, which Mr. Grainger will give an informal talk, and which is open to the public. This week comes an announcement from Mrs. W. C. Byers, who is chairman of the concert, which selected artists for the evening event. These will be the popular members of the younger set, many of whom are music lovers as their parents'. They will include Doris Richards, Sue Wood, Margaret Gardner, Joan Seligman, Jane Ellerby, Carolyn Wright, Jean Alice Potter and Susan Averill.

Among the many past recent functions planned is the one to be given by Mrs. and Mrs. Arnold W. Berndt of South Bies street. Honor guests at the Berndt gathering will be Mrs. Marie Maddy, who will journey to Birmingham from her home in Ann Arbor, to attend the concert.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson will also entertain guests at supper afterwards, in their home on Lake Park Drive. From their guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nancarrow, Mr. and Mrs. William Troutman, Mr. and Mrs. George Buffington and Mr. and Mrs. George Gilley. From Birmingham, their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Lettice Bright and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Gardner.

## MARJORIE GILBERT ENGAGED TO WED

Mr. and Mrs. William Gilbert, of 928 South Woodward avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marjorie Grace, to Donald S. Chase of Birmingham, son of Mrs. William G. Livingston, of Saratoga, N. Y. No date has been set for the wedding. Miss Gilbert is a graduate of Baldwin High school, class of 1937.

## Notice, Ladies!

Due to increased costs of labor and materials, The Eccentric finds it necessary to make this announcement: Beginning April 1, 1938, the annual subscription in Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, or any other section within Oakland County, will be increased from \$1 to \$1.50; outside of Oakland County from \$1.70 to \$2. Several years ago, in the depth of the depression, The Eccentric reduced its rates from \$2.50 outside of Oakland County, and from \$2 within Oakland County. Subscribers in Oakland County who may desire to save 50 cents for the coming year may, even though their subscription does not expire for several months, renew same at the dollar rate by remitting the dollar before April 1. (This extension is for a period of one year only.) 45-10\*

## SOROPTOMISTS PLAN SKIT BY MEMBERS

An educational program will be witnessed by members of the Birmingham Soroptomist Club tonight at their regular meeting. The group will convene for dinner at 6:30 at the Community House, and afterwards will adjourn to the Ruth Shain room for the entertainment.

Miss Irene Hanley will be the chief speaker. She will explain before the audience, the dog ordinance, the proposed new traffic ordinance and the secret primary ballot. Mrs. Frank H. Packard will represent a Birmingham citizen asking questions in the skit.

## WEDDING VEIL IS TRIMMED IN HEIRLOOM LACE

The stately beauty of ivory satin and heirloom lace formed the wedding attire of Winifred Pike, daughter of Mr. Truman W. Pike of Detroit, to Ralph L. Polk, Jr. of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Polk, Jr. of the Birmingham Hills. The wedding ceremony was performed at the ceremony at 11:30 Saturday morning, in St. Hugo of the Hills church.

Miss Pike's ivory satin gown was fashioned picturesquely with a high neckline and long sleeves, extending over her hands in points. The skirt terminated in a wide train. Over her long tulle veil, held in place by a matching halo, she wore a hip length veil which inclosed a portion of the heirloom lace worn by her grandmother at her wedding. Her flowers were phalaenopsis orchids.

Gowns were colorful. Francis Pike, sister of the bride and her only sister, wore a coral pink crepe gown with a matching bolero and a high crowned off-the-face hat. Matching bolero and high crowned hat. She carried an arm bouquet of African daisies.

Peter Ruppe was best man for Mr. Polk and escorted the guests were Sherod Scott and McKean Carmichael of Pittsburgh. The altar was banked with calla lilies and white tapers in tall standards. Mrs. Pike was attired in an exquisite crepe gown, with a short jacket. Her hat was of the same material, and she wore a corsage of brown orchids. Mrs. Polk chose a crepe gown also, of royal blue, with a matching hat. Her flowers were deep purple violets.

Following the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Pike were hosts at breakfast in their home on Virginia Park. The bride's table was laid with a lace cloth. White magnolias, stock, tulips and freesia in a silver bowl centered the table, which also held white tapers, burning in silver candelabra.

Out-of-town guests in attendance at the affair included Mrs. Philomene Chandler of New York; Mrs. S. C. Stannard of Reading; Mr. and Mrs. White to Havana; Mr. and Mrs. George Ruppe of Calumet and Mrs. Linda Merelle Bucklester of Evanston.

## To Travel Extensively

Mr. and Mrs. Polk left, following the breakfast for an interesting wedding trip, which will take them first to Miami. From there they will journey to Havana by clipper plane for a short stay. Returning to Florida, they will travel across the Everglades to Naples, where they will be the houseguests of Mr. Polk's parents in their winter home.

For traveling, Mrs. Polk chose a three-piece suit of beige wool. With it she wore brown accessories of felt and gabardine and a corsage of brown orchids.

## REPORT REVEALS SUCCESS FOR SATURDAY CLUB

Mrs. Francis F. McKinney, chairman of the committee on records for the Birmingham branch of the American Association of University Women, reveals this week's figures compiled on the Saturday Club, the last meeting of which was held Saturday at the Community House. The Club is a special project of the A. A. U. W., which furnishes both the administration and the financial support. Mrs. McKinney's statistics show that this year's total registration was 114 girls and 140 boys. The Club was divided into two sections, number one consisting of the same age girls from Adams, Holy Name and Pierce schools, and number two of children in the same age from Bartram and Quanton schools.

Guests at Saturday's Club meeting included about 50 parents, who were guided through the various activity groups by a committee composed of Mrs. Truman W. Eustis, Mrs. William H. Jackson, Mrs. E. D. Merriam, Mrs. R. H. School and Mrs. Robert F. Watt.

Further aid for the final meeting was given by a committee which assisted in the costuming of the play, "Snow White," given by the "Hansel and Gretel" group for the auditions program. This group was composed of Mrs. Richard L. Campbell, chairman; Mrs. H. S. Gruber, Mrs. H. T. Keyes, Mrs. M. C. Nolan, Mrs. G. W. Platt and Mrs. S. Shelton Wright.

## LATIN AMERICA WILL BE THEME OF TRAVELOGUE

"A visit to the West Coast of South America" will be the theme of the general public on Tuesday night, March 1, under auspices of the Birmingham Branch of the American Association of University Women. The travelogue lecture will be given at 8 p. m. at the Community House.

Mrs. Arletta Ahrens of Washington, D. C., will give the lecture, which will include 30 minutes of movies. She will base her remarks on long acquaintance with Latin America, and especially on a three-months visit which she made last spring.

She covered about 15,000 miles on the trip, 7,000 of them by air. Her route led from Buenos Aires to Santiago and across the "hump" of the Andes; into the lake region and ending at an isolated Indian town. From there she explored Inca ruins.

A colorful feature of the evening will be native costumes worn by local girls. They will include the "huipil" from Mexico; Eleanor Wasey, Miss Louise Cobb and Mary Elizabeth Robinson. Introducing the speaker will be Mrs. M. R. Mead of Puritan.

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## The W. Hamilton Aulenbachs Are Feted Preceding Departure for Germantown

A calendar crowded with entertainments will lighten the unpleasant business of parting when the Rev. and Mrs. W. Hamilton Aulenbach and their family move to their new home in Germantown, Pa. They have named the date of their departure as Tuesday, March 1, and their friends are planning to entertain them before the date arrives.

This week's party list is headed by a dinner Sunday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Draper Allen on Westwood drive. Besides the honorees, the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holmes. On Sunday night, Rev. and Mrs. Aulenbach were guests at a supper, given by Mr. and Mrs. Arch Rogue.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Morley had the Aulenbachs as their guests at a dinner at 7:30 on Tuesday night, in their home on Cranbrook road. On Tuesday, Mrs. Edwin M. Beresford, Mrs. Truman W. Eustis, Mrs. William H. Jackson, Mrs. E. D. Merriam, Mrs. R. H. School and Mrs. Robert F. Watt.

Another tea was given on Wednesday, by Mrs. C. C. Richard of Hillcrest drive. Mrs. Richard was hostess to 50 guests. Seated at the tea table, which was decorated with spring flowers, were Mrs. Frank W. Shuell and Mrs. Harry D. Wise. Wednesday night was the occasion of an informal dinner honoring the Aulenbachs. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Shannon of Wing Lake.

Mrs. Harry R. Cooley of Henrietta street is hostess at a small luncheon at 1:30 on Friday night, in her home on Cranbrook road. Friday, that night a group of Rev. and Mrs. Aulenbachs will be entertained at a pot-luck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scripps Booth. Other guests will include Mrs. Grace Booth Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Alan W. Wentz, Mr. and Mrs. Rosney Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Beresford, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin M. Beresford and George T. Nickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aulenbach will be assisted in the reception by Rev. and Mrs. Robert W. Woodroffe. The table will be decorated with disposals of spring blossoms, and those who will pour include Mrs. William G. Lerchen, Mrs. Morley, Mrs. Shuell and Mrs. W. D. Thompson. The affair, while given by and for members of the Christ Church Cranbrook parish, will be open to particular friends of the Aulenbachs who may wish to utilize the occasion to say goodbye.

## IVORY MOTIF IS CARRIED OUT AT LOVELY NUPTIALS

Easter lilies and eiboutum ferns in silver vases banked the candle-lit altar in the chancel of Christ Church Cranbrook, before which Beverly Holzworth and Williston LaVake Clover spoke their marriage vows Saturday evening. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher E. Holzworth of Westwood drive and Mr. Clover is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burt B. Clover of Glencoe, Ill.

The Rev. Robert W. Woodroffe read the nuptials in the presence of the immediate families. Disposals of the lilies and ferns, interspersed with tall ivory tapers in cathedral candelabra lined the sides of the chancel.

## WEEK-END WILL HOLD VARIETY AT CRANBROOK

The approaching week-end will be enlivened by two events of special interest at Cranbrook school. Friday will be the school's traditional Fathers' Day, and on Saturday some of the musical students will journey to Western Reserve Academy at Hudson, Ohio.

The Rev. Henry Lewis, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal church in Ann Arbor, will address the student body at the regular chapel service on Friday morning. He is expected to be in attendance at the evening activities as well.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of pale ivory satin, fashioned in princess lines, with a V-shaped neckline and short, puffed sleeves. Her long fall skirt ended in a short train. A hair of flaxen held her veil in place and she carried a white prayer book, showered with white orchids and valley lilies.

## LEAGUE PLANS FOR SPRING IN FASHION SHOW

Bloomfield Hills country club was the scene of a reception for 150 guests which was held after the ceremony. Roses, stock, tulips and huddidion, all in shades of white, were used throughout the rooms. A white lace cloth covered the bride's table, which was centered by disposals of white roses, freesia and bubbleeja. White tapers in silver candelabra flanked the flowers, and a wreath of lilies of the valley, freesia and maiden-hair fern surrounded the base of the tiered wedding cake.

For the occasion Mrs. Holzworth was attired in a violet chiffon gown, with which she wore a corsage of yellow orchids. Mrs. Clover chose a black lace gown for her son's wedding. Her flowers were white carnations.

Following the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Clover left for a fortnight of motoring through the south. Upon their return they will be at home on Sherwood avenue in Chicago. Mrs. Clover chose a tailored tweed suit in rayon, with matching accessories, for travel.

Sally Clover, sister of the bridegroom, was her only attendant. Miss Clover's gown, also fashioned princess style, was of

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