Gay Round Occupies Society As Several Mid-Season Weddings Approach

FULL SCHEDULE IS IN STORE FOR SUMMER BRIDE

Miss Jane Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Fowler of Harmon avenue, will wed Lieutenant Arthur J. Smith Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith of Detroit, at three o'clock on the afternoon of Saturday, July 30, after a whirl of entertainments. Friends of the young couple are keeping the calendar crowded with parties and showers of every description.

First hostess to entertain in honor of the pair was Miss Annette Harding of Detroit, who feted them at dinner at the Detroit Boat Club.

On Monday evening, Miss Betty Peabody entertained at a bridge and bathroom shower honoring Miss Fowler, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Peabody of Quarton road. Besides the bride-elect, Mrs. Fowler and her other daughter, Miss Marian and Mrs. Peabody and her two other daughters, Miss Janet and Miss Patricia, were present. Others included Miss Harriet Brelsford, Miss Mary Q. Johnson, Miss Marjorie Kidder, Miss Sally Baker, Miss Carol Dwelley, Miss Dorothy Schwarze, and Miss Barbara P. Horton, all of Birmingham; Miss Jane Freese, Miss Yvonne Wood, Miss Louise Solomon, Miss Linda Evans and Mrs. Wendell Smith, of Detroit; Miss Kathleen Woodlock and Miss Mary Jane McKickan, of Lansing and Mrs. John Seaman of Ann Arbor.

Parties Continue

Miss Kidder complimented Miss Fowler at a kitchen shower Wednesday evening, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Kidder of Brown street. Guests at the affair included friends of the hostess and honoree who were their sorority sisters at Michigan State College.

On Friday evening Miss Fowler and Lieutenant Smith will be jointly honored at a personal shower, given for their pleasure by Miss Johnson, in her home on West Maple avenue. Others who will attend include Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Miss Alice Smith and Dr. Edward Fine, Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Forest K. Fowler and Mr. and Mrs. William Rieman.

Mrs. Clarence G. Gail of Detroit, formerly of Birmingham, has issued invitations to a dessert-bridge and shower, to be held on the afternoon of Monday, July 25, at her home, in honor of the bride-elect.

Mrs. Arthur Keuchenmeister and Mrs. John Lindsay, both of Detroit, will entertain jointly for Miss Fowler's pleasure on Wednesday, July 27. The guests will include her sorority sisters while she was a member of Zeta Chi at Wayne University.

The concluding festivity will be the spinster dinner, at which Miss Marian Fowler will honor her sister. The guest list includes the names of Miss Brelsford, Miss Baker, Miss Kidder, Miss Johnson, Miss Schwarze, Miss Dwelley, Mrs. Forest K. Fowler, Miss Janet and Miss Betty Peabody, Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Keuchenmeister, Mrs. William Glass, Miss Ruth Kimball, Miss Mary Ellen McMahon, Mrs. Rieman, Miss Alice and Miss Betty Smith.

A reception will follow the ceremony, which will be performed by the Rev. William Schulte in the chapel of Our Lady of Roses church, in Detroit. Following an extended sojourn in northern Michigan, the young couple will leave for the army post at San Antonio, Texas.

COLLECTION OF ANTIQUES BEING EXHIBITED HERE

From one of the oldest hostelries in the State of Michigan, the Schuch Hotel, in Saginaw, which has now become a mecca for collectors as well as historically-minded tourists, were sent over the week-end a varied collection of items, which were placed on exhibition in the Baldwin Public Library here.

During the past year John P. Schuch, owner of one of the most talked of collections in this part of the country, has sent a number of smaller loan exhibits to the local library. The new exhibition arrived Sunday, and it is reported to be of a larger and grander nature.

It will remain at the library for several weeks, the length of time to be determined by the amount of interest shown in the collection.

70 Years Old

Established in 1868, three years after the conclusion of the Civil War, Mr. Schuch's hotel has been open continuously and has never closed its doors, making a record of the oldest hotel in the State of Michigan that is still doing business. In its early years it was a favorite haunt of the pioneer lumberman, and has since become a place of pilgrimage in Michigan for tourists.

Included in his marvelous collection are articles numbering over 50,000, from every part of the world. From China and India Mr. Schuch has obtained such things as an old Chinese wishing bowl, a large brass gong from an Oriental temple, brass gadgets that Buddha priests at one time used in religious ceremonies, and a hand-carved mesmerically-inclined light from Benares.

Collected 300 Elephants

A symbol of good luck and a trademark of the hotel, throughout the diningroom Mr. Schuch has scattered 300 elephants, ranging in height from one-fourth of an inch to three feet.

In his Stein Room are over 600 German beer steins and mugs decorating the walls and ceiling. In this number are included 25 Toby Jugs from the home of the pioneer Saginaw lumberman, Arthur Hill, who brought them from England. Also in this room is a collection of pipes from Chinese and French to the German meerschaum. On the wall, besides these pipes, are a few of the smaller firearms that form a part of Schuch's artillery collection, a collection that contains almost every type of weapon man knows of today.

In another part of the hotel is Mr. Schuch's library of 7,000 rare and interesting books. Among them are a Bible published in 1521, making it the second oldest Bible in the United States. He has a French Bible printed in 1568, a copy of Omar Khayyam's "Rubaiyat" in Persian, a Confucian manuscript, and a diary of one Sperone, published in the year 1542.

Local Exhibit

The local exhibit includes a door knob from the Drury Lane Theatre, London, obtained from the David Belasco collection; a huge piece of Chinese jade in the form of a frog, with two smaller ones on its back; a Revolutionary War pension signed April 17, 1819, by John C. Calhoun, Secretary of War; and several bills issued by the Confederate States for various denominations.

A few other items are a letter from General Robert E. Lee to I. A. Seddon, dated from Fredericksburg, Virginia, Dec. 11, 1862, at 12:30; a delicate lace fan and a handsomely decorated one with peacock feather tips.

In the case containing a number of old books are a program of one of Jenny Lind's concerts, printed in Ben Franklin's Printing House; and a History of the Expedition to Russia by the Emperor Napoleon, published in 1825 by Count Philip De Segur.

One interesting volume of an English Grammar contains the inscription, "intended for the use of schools and of young persons in general; but more especially for the use of soldiers, sailors, apprentices, and ploughboys," "to which are added six lessons, intended to prevent statesmen from using false grammar, and from writing in an awkward manner."

PRAISES PLANS FOR NEW BIBLE

Ann Arbor, July 22—The Bible is not a book but a library. The great range of human experience covered by the literature of the Bible, together with its dynamics in influencing various civilizations through the ages, account for the great interest aroused by the launching of studies which will bring forth a new translation of the English Bible in contemporary language, according to Dr. Edward W. Blakeman, University of Michigan Counselor in Religious Education.

These comments were made by Dr. Blakeman in an interview relating to a Conference of leading Biblical translators which was held at the University last week. Scholars from various parts of the United States had come to Ann Arbor to review early phases of a new translation of the Old Testament.

"Any literature vital enough to survive the changes of centuries, any book dynamic enough to influence various civilizations, any series of situations compelling enough to be translated again and again," said Dr. Blakeman, "may well create wonder and occasion excitement on the part of persons either devoted to culture or concerned about religion." Interest in the new version, he continued, lies not in the immediate present day appreciation of the scripture by people generally, but in the by-products of Bible reading for the 400 years following the Reformation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stephens of "Coventry Crest," in Bloomfield Hills, are entertaining their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ree M. Berry of Des Moines, Ia., at present. The visitors expect to remain here for a fortnight.

FESTIVE WEEK IS FORE-RUNNER OF ELABORATE RITES

Miss Virena Marjorie Beaudette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Beaudette of Pontiac, will become the bride of Thomas Hunter Wilson II, son of Mrs. Rockwood N. Bullard of Manor road, at four-thirty on the afternoon of Saturday, July 30, climaxing a month studded with entertainments in honor of the popular pair. The ceremony will be performed at All Saints church in Pontiac by the Rev. B. G. Burt.

The week immediately preceding the nuptials will be a crowded one for society in Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills and Pontiac, as friends of Miss Beaudette and Mr. Wilson fill the days and evenings with parties.

On Saturday, July 23, Miss Phyllis Anne Beaudette of Beverly Hills, Cal., a cousin of the bride and one of her bridesmaids, will entertain. She will be hostess at a luncheon and miscellaneous shower.

The Detroit Golf Club will be the scene of an informal supper and splash party honoring the bridal couple on Sunday evening, July 24. Mrs. William L. Rose of Bloomfield Hills and Miss Sylvia Callendar of Detroit, two more of the bridesmaids, will be the hostesses for this event.

On Monday, July 26, Miss Beaudette will be honored at another luncheon, to be given at Bloomfield Hills Country Club. The hostesses will be Mrs. Harry Fitzgerald and Mrs. Harold Fitzgerald. In the evening of the same day Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Lynch of Fairfax road and their son, Leigh Jr., of Providence, R. I., who is assisting Mr. Wilson as one of the ushers, will entertain the young couple at a steak roast, to be given at their home.

On Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Bullard and her daughter, Miss Catherine TenEyck Wilson, will entertain for Miss Beaudette's pleasure at a toiletries shower and tea, at their home on Manor road.

Mrs. O. J. Beaudette will further honor the bride-elect on Wednesday, July 27. She will be hostess at a luncheon and swimming party, to be held at Orchard Lake Country Club.

The traditional spinster dinner will be an event of Thursday evening. Hostess for the occasion will be Miss Marion Donaldson of Pontiac, who will be maid of honor at the wedding. On Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Beaudette will entertain members of the bridal party at the rehearsal dinner, to be held at Bloomfield Hills Country Club.

A large number of out-of-town guests will attend the wedding and the subsequent reception, at which Mr. and Mrs. Beaudette will be hosts in their home on Huron street in Pontiac. Scheduled to arrive on Sunday is Mrs. Bullard's sister, Miss Helen Sutphen of Cleveland. Others will arrive later in the week.

Ghosts Of The Past And Future Keep Baldwin High Alive Through Summer

By Janet Stanley

Deserted rooms . . . echoing halls. And a feeling of cool spaciousness — the Stranger, drawn back by memories, stood in the door of Baldwin High. He squinted his eyes, after the dazzling sun outside. Then, attracted by the trophy case in the main hall, he started reading inscriptions on the cups. The explorer's instinct arose in him. He wandered from one hall to another, poking here and there.

Through long-familiar rooms he passed, and came finally to the Science room. The old, frayed, skeleton caught his attention, and he began to wonder idly what had been its life. And thinking of that, his thoughts turned to what the building was like when filled with scrambling students, hurrying teachers . . . And he heard a soft voice from beside him, saying, "I am the Ghost of Classes Departed—it is I who have made this building what it is today. I have built up traditions, made laws, established precedents, and brought glory to Baldwin."

"But why do you appear to me?" asked the Stranger. "I no longer have any part in the school. I come here merely to satisfy my curiosity."

The Ghost laughed. "You are here, are you not? You have thought of me, so I appear." "Tell me more," said the Stronger.

"I stood behind you at the trophy case. That case is a symbol of vanished classes and the honors they brought the school that will be there when the last has died and been forgotten. In such a way have I set an example to those that will come after me."

"I" said a new voice, to the thoroughly confused Stranger, from the Ghost of Classes Yet to Come. My ideals are high—I will break the records already set, and make new ones. I will bring to Baldwin better young men and women, to be molded into patterns of citizenship. I have the courage, and the hope, and the aspirations. My pattern is of the future. That trophy case my fellow Ghost spoke so highly of—I will fill with shinier medals. I will . . ."

"Your work is all of the future" broke in the Ghost of Classes Past; rather rudely, it seemed to the Stranger. "You can only say, 'I hope to,' not 'I have.' You have no record of achievement. That roster of names at the end of the hall—of those who fought for their country in the War . . . those are the symbol of my meaning to Baldwin . . ."

"In my time, there will be no wars," said the Ghost of Classes Yet to Come. "One of my sons will have much to do with preventing them . . ."

Gradually, as the Stranger listened, the voices grew dim, and he watched the Ghosts fade from sight. Once more he stood in a deserted room, but now the Stranger did not feel alone—the spirit of the school was with him for the Stranger in this little allegory represents the adult, with fuller confidence in the ability of the coming generation to cope with the problems of life.

For Midsummer

Flower prints are favored by movie actress Louise Campbell in this charmingly simple midsummer dress of black crepe with blue and white lilacs in an all-over printed motif. Clusters of pleats add fullness to the skirt and below the high bodice line a sash of the same materials ties softly. The hat is of black straw trimmed with pale and bright blue velvet ribbons.

MARTHA STOLL IS HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWERS

Miss Martha Stoll will join the ranks of the midsummer brides on Friday, July 29, when she exchanges vows with John Joseph Murphy. The bride-elect at first planned to be married in early autumn, and her change in plans brings a crowded and eventful calendar of activities for her and her friends. Miss Stoll is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stoll Jr. of Bloomfield Court and Mr. Murphy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Murphy of Cranston, R. I.

The rectory of St. Hugo of the Hills church will be the scene of the ceremony, at which the Rev. Daniel T. Wholihan will officiate. Miss Stoll will be attended by Miss Patricia Ead, as maid of honor, Paul Murphy of Providence, R. I., will act as best man.

Only the families of the bridal pair will attend the wedding. Afterwards, the young couple will leave for a boat trip. On their return, they will be at home to their friends on Hazelhurst avenue, in Ferndale.

First to entertain for the bride-elect were Mrs. Lee A White and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth, of Brookside drive. Also honored was Miss Dorothy Steffee, whose engagement to Homer Roberts has also been announced. The shower came as a surprise to the honoree, who had imagined that it was a reunion of the Girl Scout troop of which they and the other guests had been members.

Others who attended the gathering included Miss Ellen Ford, Miss Mary Jane Kinnison, Miss Betty Brockway, Miss Hester Giles, Miss Harriet Clark, Miss Ead and Miss Vesta Martin.

Miss Ead's home on West Lincoln avenue will be the scene of a miscellaneous shower this evening, at which Miss Stoll will be the honoree. Invitations have been issued to a large coterie, including Mrs. Stoll and two other daughters, Betty and Albertina; Miss Steffee, Miss White, Miss Clark, Mrs. Jack Thatcher, Miss Harriet Brelsford, Miss Virginia Thompson, Miss Elfreda Craven, Miss Grace McVittie, Miss Dorothy DaLee, Miss Victoria Gellatly, Miss Betty Lou Stolberg, Miss Mary Elizabeth Olson, Miss Alice Bull, Miss Charlotte Wooden, Miss Florabelle Erwin, Miss Virginia Akerly, Miss Lucille Bell, Miss Nora Alfs, Miss Mary Lou Trimmer, Miss Ruth Staples, Miss Eleanor Ware, Miss Alice Savage and Miss Janet Peabody.

Fashion Tips

Tiny hats are quite a rage in New York at the present moment. They have a head size of 15 and are very lightweight—usually of felt or horsehair.

A new midsummer color is ink blue. The woman who finds black unflattering may discover this new shade to be the one she has been longing for.

Linen voiles in dark tones are used for town taileurs and bolero suits worn with light lingerie blouses.

Clever little linen frocks have inset knitted corsets of matching or contrasting knitted yarns.

The crocheted gloves which come from China are about 21 inches long and are of cotton. They come in black or white but the white ones can be dyed to match colored frocks.

Social Briefs

Miss Janet Peabody of Quarton road and Miss Barbara P. Horton of Pilgrim road left Wednesday for a motor trip through Wisconsin and the Michigan lake region. On Saturday they will attend the wedding of Miss Dorothy Roberts of Lake Mills, Wis., to Frederick Fentz, at Lake Mills. Miss Roberts, who will have Miss Peabody as her maid of honor, is one of their sorority sisters from Stephens College. Following a boat trip from Milwaukee to Ludington, they will journey to the John F. Horton home at Glenn Lake. Miss Peabody will return to Birmingham after a few days but Miss Horton will remain with her parents until the middle of August.

Miss Mary Emma Haines, who has been the guest for the past week of Dr. and Mrs. Clayton H. Graney of Franklin, will return to her home in Blanchester, O., outside of Cincinnati, on Saturday. She will be accompanied by her cousin, Miss Mayfa Jean Graney, who will make a visit at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. Frank Haines.

Miss Grace M. Pinney of Springfield, Mass., who is making an extended visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Horton of Pilgrim road, has been honor guest at a number of parties since her arrival in Birmingham. Following a luncheon given by Mrs. Horton, Mrs. H. G. Wood complimented the visitor at luncheon and bridge in her home on Wimbleton drive. Mrs. Charles F. Dyer was also hostess at luncheon and bridge honoring Miss Pinney, in her home on Lake Park drive. Mr. and Mrs. Horton and Miss Pinney plan to spend a month at the Horton cottage at Glenn Lake, leaving the latter part of this week.

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YOUNG PAIR TO SPEAK VOWS AT HOME SERVICE

Following the announcement last week that she would wed on Saturday, September 10, Miss Jane Alexander reveals her completed wedding plans this week. The bride-elect, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Dean Alexander of Glengary road, will become the bride of John Alexander McPherson, son of Mrs. Frances Crull Paterson of Detroit.

The ceremony, which will be read by the Rev. Robert W. Woodroofe, will take place in the home of the bride's parents. Miss Dorothy Alexander will serve her sister as maid of honor. Bridesmaids will include Miss Marjorie Kidder, cousin of the bride; Miss Kathleen Belknap, Mrs. James Hirschfield and Miss Yvonne Gay.

Frank McPherson will act as best man. Seating the guests will be Robert Savage, John Smith, Alexander McPherson and John Mackam.

Miss June Botsford will become the first to entertain for the bride-elect when she is hostess to a group of friends at a kitchen shower and luncheon next Wednesday, at her home on Pine road. Red and white, the color chosen by the bride-elect for her kitchen, will be used for decorations.

Mrs. W. Whiting Raymond, of Willits street, left Tuesday morning for the home of her sister, Mrs. D. S. Hudgins, of Indianapolis. Friday, Mrs. Raymond will return with her daughter, Laura Lau, who has been making a two-weeks' visit at the Hudgins home.

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