

Weddings and Pre-Nuptial Parties Top Birmingham-Bloomfield Social News

Out of Doors Ceremony to Unite Isabel Matthews, Otis C. Thompson

Providing the weather man is willing, Otis C. Thompson and Isabel Matthews will be married at an outdoor ceremony next Saturday evening, July 25 at 7:30 o'clock. The marriage is to take place at the state of Mrs. W. D. Thompson, in the wooded lot beyond the rustic bridge behind the house.

Mrs. Pearl Hoffman Honored During Visit

A much-feted guest this week is MISS PEARL HOFFMAN of Lafayette, Ind., who is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. J. Linton. On Wednesday noon Mrs. Latta W. Porter is honoring Miss Hoffman at a small luncheon out at Rotunda Inn. That evening Mrs. Francis C. Bagby will entertain at dinner out at Pine Lake Country Club. Then on Thursday Mrs. Hampton Rich is giving a luncheon in her home at Green Lake to compliment the Indiana visitor. Mr. Joseph Hinshaw is to be hostess at an informal luncheon at Bloomfield Hills Country Club on Friday afternoon, and then on Saturday evening a group of friends will gather for a cocktail dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Brehm. Miss Hoffman will leave for her home on Sunday.

Have You Met . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Paul T. Smith and their two children, Paul, Jr., and Joanne? They are living at 489 Argyle road and moved here from Grand Rapids, when Mr. Smith was transferred to the Detroit office of the Bell Telephone Company. Mr. Smith has been with the Bell Telephone for 22 years, starting out in the Detroit office immediately after he graduated from the University of Michigan. Since then he has worked in Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids. He is now general commercial employment supervisor. They decided to live in Birmingham because they like the "homey" atmosphere here and think it will be a fine community in which to live. Paul, Jr., is 16 years old and will be a junior at Baldwin High next fall, while Joanne, who is 13, will be in the ninth grade.

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Miss Schwab
Mr. and Mrs. George L. Schwab, of Farmington, formerly of Birmingham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lillian Diederich, to Ronald Clement, son of Mrs. Ethel Clement, of Birmingham. Ronald is a graduate of Baldwin High School and June was graduated from Baldwin High School this June. No date has been set for the wedding as Ronald expects to enter the Merchant Marine very soon.

Engagement of Doris Otter to Lt. R. L. Graham Told

The announcement of Doris Otter's engagement to Lieut. Robert L. Graham, Jr., was made on Sunday evening at a party given ostensibly to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Doris' father, Clarence E. Otter. Mrs. Otter gave the party in their home, Apple Tower, on North Woodward avenue. Greeting her guests, the bride-elect was most attractive in a brilliant gown of white organdy with painted water lilies on the skirt. Mrs. Otter chose a gown of small red print on a white background. Her flowers were green orchids and her daughter wore white orchids. Doris is a graduate of Kingswood School and is a member of the Junior League. For some time she has been chairman of the Thrift Shop, operated by the League at the Community House. Lieut. Graham, son of Mrs. Robert Leo Graham, of Charlotte, N. C., and the late Mr. Graham, is stationed in Washington, D. C., with the Army Air Force. He was graduated from Chapel Hill, the University of North Carolina, and Harvard Law School. With the army using what it is no date has been set for the wedding, however, they expect that the marriage will take place in October.



Miss Otter
Eva Carmen Truax and Milton C. Jones Married on July 14

Lucille George To Wed A. J. Lapointe Saturday, July 25

Surprise announcement of this week concerns a wedding ceremony to take place at Christ Church Cranbrook on Saturday morning, July 25, at 11 o'clock, when Lucille George will become the bride of Alexander James Lapointe, of Bloomfield Hills and Chicago. Miss George, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. George, of Port Huron, has been a member of the Baldwin Public Library staff for the past six years. The Rev. Charles H. Cadigan will preside over the ceremony. Mrs. Bernice Bell, of Birmingham, will be Miss George's only attendant. Robert J. Dawson, of Birmingham, is to be the best man. Following the ceremony there will be a wedding breakfast at Pine Lake Country Club.

Later on the bridal couple will leave for a boat trip on the Great Lakes and also a trip through the East, after which they will be at home in Evanston, Ill.

For her wedding Alice chose a bridal gown fashioned of white lace and marquisette. The close fitting bodice, distinguished by long light sleeves and a square neckline, was of lace. A band of the same lace outlined the hem of her bouffant marquisette skirt and train. A finger-length veil fell from a shirred tiara and she carried a large arm bouquet, made up of gardenias, stephanotis, and white baby's breath, edged with a ruffle of white net and tied with long white ribbon streamers.

June Pointer, who went out from Birmingham to the maid of honor was gowned in pink marquisette, fashioned with a bouffant skirt, a close fitting bodice which had bands of matching lace set in at the waistline, and long sleeves. Mrs. Brown was stationed formerly.

The evening before the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Brown entertained the guests and members of the bride and groom at a wedding dinner at the Bond Hotel. Guests included members of the family and friends living in the East. Centpiece of the dinner table was an arrangement of white scabiosa, white roses, and white delphinium, with maiden hair fern offering a contrast. Surrounding the bouquet was a ring of smilax and baby's breath.

Lathrup Townsite News

by LILLIAN DIEDERICH
Mr. and Mrs. L. H. France, of Lathrup boulevard, were hosts Sunday at a dinner for several neighbors. Mrs. S. Odie Lane, of California News, was hostess to the G. and T. Club which met for a bridge-luncheon today. Thursday, Bill Orth, son of Mrs. William Orth, of Sag Jose drive, spent the past week-end at the Frohman Lodge, Put-In-Bay, and aboard the Frohman yacht on a fishing trip. Mrs. Orth was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Seibold, of Huntington Woods, over the week-end.

Club Notes

VFW Auxiliary to Sponsor Ice Cream Social July 26
The Veterans of Foreign War Auxiliary is sponsoring an old fashioned lawn or ice cream social next Sunday afternoon, July 26, from 2 until 8 p. m., at 1907 West Maple, the home of Mrs. James Wade. There will be plenty of parking space available and the public is welcome. The committee in charge are Mrs. James Wade and Mrs. Al Hoeg, an announcement that there will be ice cream and home-made cake in abundance.

Social Briefs

PHYLIS STARR returned last week from Torch Lake where she has been the guest of Elise Partlan at the latter's cottage.
MRS. LEWIS CLARK DINN, of Golden Gate drive, had a luncheon yesterday. Mrs. Joseph Purman and daughter, Caroline, of South Blvd., Ind., and Mrs. William Bolzer of Garden, Ohio, Mrs. Richard Stone and Mrs. Harry Fremum, of Detroit, joined them for luncheon at Mrs. Clark's home.
MR. AND MRS. RAY GAGG with their two sons, DONALD and DAVID, have just returned from a three-week trip through upper Michigan. While up north they did some fishing on the great lakes—with the boys proving to be the fishermen of the family. David caught the most fish and Donald caught the biggest one.
MRS. CARL SCHWEIZER, of Dorchester road, who is moving soon to York, Pa., was feted last Wednesday at the Birmingham Golf Club by members of the Club. Among those present were Mrs. James Anderson, Mrs. Barton Cole, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. George Hooper, Mrs. Wilbur Johnstone, Mrs. Katherine Vahay, Mrs. Ethel Roy, and Mrs. Elsie Butler, of Indianapolis, Ind.
MR. AND MRS. GEORGE S. WYLIE with their daughter, CHARLOTTE, are returning to Birmingham after having made their home in St. Louis, Mo., for the past several years. They will live on Hawthorne road.
MR. AND MRS. HENRY WHITING of Lake Park drive, entertained at a dinner party on Friday evening.

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