

Married Recently in Royal Oak at Formal Rites

At a recent wedding ceremony at the First Presbyterian Church of Royal Oak, Jean Marie Winter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Victor Winter of Big Beaver spoke her marriage vows to Arnold Glen Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Adams of Ford avenue.

The bride was attended by Mrs. Arthur Adams as matron of honor, and Virginia Feldman, Betty Losenstein, Lorraine Johnston and Mrs. Robert Raven.

Arthur Adams was his brother's best man, and Robert Lyon, Robert Raven, Howard Cook and Gordon Hacker were ushers.

David Thomas, son of Mrs. Mary Thomas of Detroit, and Barbara Benis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Benis were ring bearer and flower girl.

The newlyweds are now at home at 1770 Holland, following a wedding trip to Sturgeon Lake at Commerce, Mich.

SOCIETY NEWS must be in the Eccentric editorial office by five o'clock every Tuesday afternoon.

Former Resident Starring in New York Play

Bill Talman, a graduate of Cranbrook School, is currently appearing in the leading role of "A Young Man's Fancy" at the Plymouth Theatre in New York. During the time he was a student at Cranbrook, he was cast in Egan productions, under the direction of Carl G. Wonnberger.

He graduated from Dartmouth and spent four and a half years in service, entering as a private and cutting out as a Major. Being a semi-professional baseball player and tennis pro prepared him for his present role of an athletic camp director.

During the New York run of "Dear Ruth" he played the part of a returned lieutenant. Some of his other stage appearances have been in "Spring Again" and "Beverly Hills," and in the road companies of "Yoked Boy" and "Of Mice and Men." He is the husband in real life of Lynne Carter, who plays his sweetheart in "A Young Man's Fancy."

When Bill was attending Cranbrook, his parents resided in Birmingham.

St. Dunstan's "Our Town" Thrills Four Audiences

By Mary Anne Foster

With splendid cooperation from ole man weather, the St. Dunstan's Guild presented four tremendously successful performances of Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" in Cranbrook's lovely Greek Theatre last week.

Beneath the dark sky and a multitude of stars the drama of life and death in a typical small town was portrayed in a surprisingly realistic manner, without the use of decorations or properties.

The well-cast play, led by the simple, folksy narration of Harry D. Hoey, included in the main roles: Dr. and Mrs. Gibbs, Edward A. Schirmer and Gladys Duffy; Peter, their son, George, Lewis C. Keenan, Jr.; his childhood sweetheart who later became his wife; Emily Webb, who was portrayed by Suzanne Anderson; and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Webb, played by Marshall Fredericks and Nerissa F. Hoey.

Miss Anderson turned in a touching performance as the little girl who grew up, married, died in childbirth, and then returned to earth to see the happenings of a day of her life.

Breaking away from conventional drama, Hoey, as narrator, acted the part of several different characters during the play, interrupted the plot to call on the town's professor for statistics, and occasionally asked if anyone in the audience had any questions. Responding to his query were members of the cast planted out

front. Helen Kenzie, John W. Blanchard and Beverly Whiting. Excellent characterization was evident throughout the three acts of "Our Town," especially in the performances turned in by W. Brooke Stabler, the dignified, absent-minded Prof. Willard; Jervis McMechan, the drunken chairman; Simon Simonson; and Nelly Beveridge as the town gossip, Mrs. Somers.

Much credit is deserved by Elana B. Cochran, director, and her assistants, Florence G. Keenan, Nancy Porter and Maxine Appoll. Praise also to Teddy Davis and Bill Saunders, whose sound effects made the pantomime of all the actors and actresses doubly effective.

All in all "Our Town" was a moving performance, filled with compassionate humor, which seemed to extend itself to all who witnessed it.

Scouts Hold 2nd Annual Mix-Fix

The scout leaders and their friends met at the Charles Howell Camp last week end for the second annual mix-fix.

District one of this area won the famous pie, of apple variety with cream topping, which measured 36" in diameter and was four inches thick.

The pie was awarded to Frank V. Powell for district one, by Robert Kilmer, but he shared it with his 95 co-workers who were present for Sunday dinner. Powell has organized the mix-fix for the past two years.

The camp coordinators this year were Bob Emsy, Robert Kilmer and Frank Speck. In charge of the different projects this year were James Buchanan, painters; Howard Dennis and John Layton, carpenters; Robert Sharrard, trucking and labor; Roy Dearborn and Bert Nichols, waterfitters; Ben Jones, electrical; E. D. W. McRoberts, plumbing; Harold Boneman, signs; Henry Jessop, roofing; William McChes, registration; Frank V. Powell, camp chief; and Joe Bair, secretary.

No Criticism



Around Donna Quigley there's absolutely nothing wrong with this glamorous bathing ensemble—satin black rayon latex shorts, side-tipped, and polka dot rayon jersey bra with mid-die drawstring.

Bloomfield Hills Troth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ewald of Barbours Terrace in Bloomfield Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Robin Ewald Eilers, to Robert Kingsbury Victor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frederick Victor of Amesbury, Mass.

She is a graduate of Kingswood School Cranbrook and attended Wesleyley College and the University of Missouri. Journalism.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Harvard.

September 3 has been set for the date of the wedding, and the ceremony will take place at Christ Church Cranbrook.

There will be two attendants, Mrs. William Bathrick Graham of Birmingham, and Miss Patricia Neill of Toledo, Ohio.

WITH THE COLLEGIANS

George Allen Austin graduated from the California Institute of Technology at Pasadena, Calif., June 13.

At the 44th annual commencement exercises of the University of Detroit, held Wednesday, June 11, Edgar Webb of 423 Bryn Mawr road, was presented with a bachelor of science degree. He was the treasurer of his class, chairman of the Frosh Roller Skating Party, and was a member of the Varsity News staff.

Miss Marie McDonald of 23660 11 Mile road, Southfield, also received the bachelor of science degree.

Watts Wacker, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wacker of Suffield road, received a bachelor of science of the College of Liberal Arts at Northwestern University, yesterday.

He also received a commission as ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

Graduates of Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware, O., this year are Janice Elizabeth Dalee, 187 Filigree road, and Robert Smith Kendall, 1213 Dorchester road.

John S. Holmes, son of J. Q. Holmes of Riverbank avenue was one of 168 candidates for degrees who was graduated from Berea College Polytechnic Institute Monday.

Holmes received the degree of bachelor of electrical engineering. Among the 159 students who were graduated with honors from Michigan State College during the school year were Beverly S. J. Johnstone, Betty R. Middleton, Nora A. Peters and Jacqueline B. Potter, all of Birmingham.

Graduating with great distinction from Stanford University in California is Carolyn Kane, who received the degree of Bachelor of Art in the School of Humanities. She graduated with a scholastic average in the first 5 per cent of her class.

Henry M. Dahlquist, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Dahlquist, 692 Henrietta street, was graduated last Monday from Denison University at Granville, O., with the degree of bachelor of arts, and a major in government.

Jane Abbott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Abbott, former residents of Birmingham, and now of Hartford, Conn., was graduated from laude from the high school there and plans to enter Vassar College next fall.

She is keeping on with her ballet dancing and studies every summer in New York City.

B. S. Crim, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Crim of Beverly road, has completed his freshman year at Montana State College. "Shep" left directly from Montana for Alaska where he will remain through the summer.

Bill Crim will arrive tomorrow for the summer from Cornell College in New York.

Graduating with first class honors Monday from Olivet College was Karl James Grimm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl H. Grimm of 27627 Southfield road.

Also in the graduation class from Birmingham was Maevie Rutledge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Rutledge of Pierce street.

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