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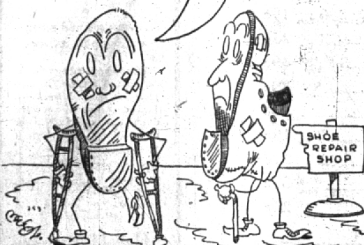
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## Gladean Schlaack Bride In Pretty Church Rites

The Presbyterian church was the scene of a very pretty candle light wedding on Saturday evening when Miss Gladean Schlaack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Schlaack of Bates street, became the bride of John F. Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Nichols of Lahar road.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. Glen Harris against a background of arbor vines, flanked with palms, and baskets of white gladioli and chrysanthemums. The bride's gown was of white satin, made with a sweetheart neckline, long sleeves, a very full skirt and long train. The sleeves were high-lighted with "insertions of lace around the armholes."

Her finger tip veil was caught by a Juliette cap of pearls, which was a gift from her grandfather. She carried a bouquet of white stephanotis and chrysanthemums, with a gardenia center. Her only jewelry was an heirloom string of pearls.

Mrs. Robert Burton was matron of honor. She was gowned in velvet of American Beauty, made with a square neckline, long torso with a small bustle and a long, full skirt. Her velvet mits matched her gown, and she wore a head-dress of ostrich plumes, worn with a velvet band to form a small cap. She carried Fuji chrysanthemums and pompons, dyed light blue.

The bridesmaids, Juanita Pearson and Donna Polczynski of Birmingham, Patricia Nichols of Bay City, a cousin of the groom, and Mrs. Richard Charlton of Ann Arbor, were gowned the same. They also carried bouquets of Fuji chrysanthemums and pompons, only in white.

The ring bearer was Donald Nichols with Marilyn Cook as flower girl. She wore the same type and color gown as the attendants, with American Beauty roses in her hair. She carried a basket of white shattered rose petals.

Leonard Nichols served his brother as best man. The guests

were seated by Edmund Mansfield, III, Robert Harris of Pleasant Ridge, Merrill Schlaack, Jr., and William Curley.

A reception was held after the



Mrs. John F. Nichols

wedding for the wedding party and guests at the Community House.

The bride's mother wore a floor-length gown of royal blue crepe, the fitted bodice trimmed with rhinestones. She wore matching gloves with a tiny feather hat, and a corsage of white gardenias. Mrs. Nichols chose a gown of grey crepe, made with a square neckline, with which she, too, wore a feather head-dress and gloves. Her corsage was also of gardenias.

The couple left to spend three weeks in the Smokey Mountains of Tennessee, after which they will reside in Lansing, where the groom is a student at Michigan State College.

## SOCIAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Ole Olson, of the Olson and Johnson show which was appearing at the Michigan State Fair last week, was the dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wacker at the Oakland Hills Country Club last Friday evening.

MR. and MRS. FRANK COUZENS have returned to their home on West Long Lake road after spending the summer at the country house at Wakeek. MISS PEGGY COUZENS has been entertaining Miss Marjorie B. Houston as her houseguest recently.

MRS. C. W. WACKER and WATTS WACKER of Suffern, N. Y., are spending a few days with Mrs. Judson Turner Pierce in Shaker Heights, Ohio.

Mrs. Donald Farmer has returned to her home in East Orange, N. J., after spending a week with her mother, Mrs. HARRIET PARKYN at her home on Smith street.

MR. and MRS. RALP A. CROOKSTON have returned to their home on Birmingham boulevard after a trip to New York City and vicinity.

MR. and MRS. ALFRED L. BELLE have returned to Birmingham.

## Membership Drive Mapped by League Of Women Voters

If they believe that democracy must be practiced as well as preached, the League of Women Voters invites every Birmingham woman to be present next Monday, Sept. 15, at 1:15 p.m., at the Community House when the first of the season's regular meetings will be the annual membership tea.

"More and more women are finding league work a satisfying endeavor," says Mrs. F. G. Garrison, president. Every woman in Birmingham interested in good government is welcome to the tea.

Mrs. Garrison also announced she had just received a communication from the Recognition Committee of the National Board in response to the local league's annual report, which read: "The Birmingham League is one of Michigan's model children, and sent in a very good report, which does not indicate any really weak spots. Keep up the good work."

Expect Many New Members

The program chairman, Mrs. Allan Lutz, reports that a program of surprises has been planned. This program has been designed to give a bird's eye view of how the league attempts to gather information about government—local, state and federal. This, it is hoped, will enable the newest members to immediately participate through questions, and interest them in working on some of the projects planned for this year.

Many new members are expected, according to Mrs. Brooks Marshall, membership chairman. The officers, committee chairman, and present members will be on hand to greet the guests and answer any question about the League and its objectives.

A pretty tea table is being planned by Mrs. F. C. Smith, chairman of the social committee. Those who have been asked to tour are Mrs. Howard Liverance, Mrs. John Ormond, Mrs. Angus McLaw, Mrs. E. F. Hyde and Mrs. Dorothy Roosevelt.

## Metamora Hunter Trials Will Be Held Saturday

The 19th annual hunter trials will be held Saturday at the Metamora Hunt Club and will draw some of the best horses and riders of this area.

Ben Colman, co-master of the Hunt, in speaking of the trials, said, "Every owner feels he has the best horse, and each year eagerly enters into competition where an impartial judge, from a distant state, watches the horses each take at least ten jumps."

"He judges how the horse gallops, how it behaves, how it faces its jumps and how much the animal seems to enjoy the whole thing. The judge this year will be William Buxton of Franconia, N. H."

### Different Types

"Since there are different types of hunters and different riding conditions, there must be different classes for them. The green hunter class is for the younger, less experienced hunters. They must not be more than six years old, and somewhat new to the game."

The working hunters are the older horses, those which have been in many hunts and shows, and

are almost capable of running the course alone. There is no limit to their age."

Colman went on to talk of the trials, stating that the event which gave the spectators the greatest thrill was the Hunt Team class. Here three horses run the course at the same time, spacing them about 20 feet apart. This requires the greatest riding skill and the most dependable horses of any hunt riding.

### Children's Class

"Over fences, or galloping, the speed and spacing must be maintained. Riders must be dressed just right, and coupled with the excellent horsemanship, the scarlet coats, white breeches and all the pomp that tradition has given, this is a ride worth traveling a long way for to see," Colman said.

"Another class that tests the skill of rider and training of the horse is the pair class," he added.

In spite of the thrills of the skilled riders, Colman believes that the children's class offers as much attraction as any of the entries. This is the picture of the future horsemen of the country putting their steeds through their paces with all the dignity and seriousness of their elders.

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MR. and MRS. LYMAN CRAIG and their daughter, JILL, of Orchard Ridge road, left Friday for Lynchburg, Va. Miss Craig will remain there, continuing her studies at the Randolph Mason college. Mr. and Mrs. Craig will continue on a motor trip through the east before returning home.



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