

Millions of people drive autos daily. Most of them obey the rules of the road. Only a few of them meet with accident or fatality. Millions of us are out upon "life's highways" every day, trying to meet the day's demands . . . trying to overcome wrong temptations, trying to repair damages of other days. Just as one can drive without accident, so can one live happily.

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MRS. LEO BRENNAN, JR.

Barbara Couzens Wears Heirloom Rosepointe Veil

Gowned in chantilly lace, Barbara Ann Couzens became the bride of Leo Joseph Brennan, Jr., Thursday noon in St. Hugo of the Hills church. The Rev. Gerard W. Bowman, S.J., performed the doubling ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Gerard Slattery of West Long Lake road, Bloomfield Hills, and the late Frank Couzens, former mayor of Detroit. The groom's parents are Judge and Mrs. Leo Brennan of L'Anse.

A RECEPTION in Wabek, the Slattery country home, followed the wedding ceremony. The bride's floor length gown featured a round neckline, long sleeves and fitted bodice. Her veil, a family heirloom, was of rosepointe. A bouquet of stephanotis completed the bridal picture.

Mrs. Elizabeth Couzens was her sister's maid of honor. The bridesmaids, dressed in white sheaths with blue velvet waistbands and headbands, were Mrs. Bernard Frisk, Kathleen Feely, Mrs. William McQueen, Mrs. James Byrne and Patricia Slattery.

Sets Altar Date
Marion Travis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Travis of Detroit, will become the bride of Craig Philip Meserole of Bloomfield Hills, on July 26 at St. Augustine church in Detroit.

JOHN KENT MOORE stood as best man. Seating the guests were Fern Urnes, William Kelly, James Donnelly, Donald Hicks, Bruce Hilton and George Couzens.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Slattery wore a street-length dress

To Resume Flight Training

Home for the summer with her parents, the Van Corvalls in St. Louis Clunbury road, Jo Ann Gelzer will resume her flight training at Stephens college in Columbia, Mo., in the fall. She is working toward her private pilot's license.

Stephens has a complete aviation department. The sequence in airline traffic training for work in reservations or background for further training as stewardesses. A fleet of light aircraft is maintained by the college at the Municipal airport to train flight students.

MISS GELZER was on the 12 member flight team which recently competed in the Intercollegiate Air meet at St. Paul. This is the only intercollegiate competition in the United States in which women compete on an equal basis with men.

Stephens has the only all-women's flight team and is the only college which competes on a national collegiate basis. The team tied with Paris college in St. Louis for the University Aviation award for activities.

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Entertains Guests
Mrs. Wesslau Wright of North Glenhurst, Birmingham, entertained 25 guests at a dinner party Friday evening. The party was to have been in the honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Philip Conway from Bronxville, N. Y. Due to engine trouble, Mrs. Conway was unable to attend.

JO ANN is also a member of Alpha Epsilon Rho, honorary radio and television fraternity and Alpha Alpha Alpha, social sorority at Stephens.

Suburban Scene

by
Fran Maier
Society Editor

French Setting for Invitational

In demand tomorrow afternoon will be cafe au lait, cafe, chocolates and patisserie . . . from the French menu prepared for the 14th annual invitational banquet at Birmingham Country club (July 17 thru 20).

Instead of the conventional form, a French atmosphere will be set by the sidewalk cafe where the ladies will order their lunches.

AS THEY ARRIVE, Gladys Colby, social chairman, will be among the girls handling those rare old fans . . . Pete Baitruzz will be the strolling musician . . . and, at your desire will be a caricaturist with his easel and painting materials.

That same evening Phil Cole will be the strolling accordionist at the cocktail hour preceding the cabaret dance.

Centerpieces for that evening's buffet will be miniature greens accented by flags from hole 1 to hole 19 . . . There will be mixers for the dancing to a four-piece band led by Phil Cole.

MAMZEL WANDA will be a sensation at Saturday's Riviera splash party . . . her palm reading will be no secret . . . that is, if that "mike" is properly installed. This is to be a swimming, sunning, refreshments and relaxation party for the wives of all contestants, members and their guests.

The invitational dinner dance following the cocktail hour Saturday evening will be a "sit down" supper. A combination of green and white balloons, streamers and flowers will provide a gay setting and dancing will be to Eddy Schick's eight-piece orchestra.

WOMEN WILL BE SPECTATORS in great mass Sunday at which some tournament awards will be presented. Among some of those taken at one or another of the events will be the Robert E. Hoovers, T. A. Chicks, William Evans, William Brewster, Jack Geiss, Drew C. Haneline, Harold Conner and Elting Dubois.

Looking Back

Nostalgically looking back to the roaring 20's and the depression 30's are Lansing Central high grads of the class of 1931. Music of "those years" will come from record players as the grads gather Saturday night at the Franklin home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Compton on 14 Mile road.

The turkey barbecue will also celebrate the completion of the Compton's new summer home . . . which incidentally will accommodate 150 in case of rain.

Classmates will come from Grosse Pointe, Huntington Woods, Dearborn, Lansing and Birmingham and among them will be Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eddy (Jane Postler), Mr. and Mrs. Robert Killen, Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Poxon (Helen Snow), Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Simon and Mr. and Mrs. William Curtis (Helen Ricks).

B'ham Woman Elected Second VP

Miss Gertrude Hindelang, a resident of the Birmingham area and a manager with the accounting firm of Arthur Young and Company, has been elected second vice-president of the American Society of Certified Public Accountants for the year 1938-39.

Miss Hindelang is a member of the American Institute of CPA's; National Association of Accountants; American Society of Accountants and the Zonta club of Detroit.

She will be installed in office at the annual meeting of the CPA's at the Stalter-Hilton hotel, Detroit from Oct. 8-11.

Ladies' Fun Day
A Day at the Races (Ladies' Fun Day) at the Red Run Golf club Aug. 1 at 2 p.m. Golfers and hosts leave the post at 9 a.m. Prizes for the most unusual, funny and beautiful jockey vests. Mrs. Peter Ripmester is chairman.

Individual students and small ensembles are encouraged to appear on student recitals several times each week at the camp. Campers who demonstrate superior performing ability at student recitals are chosen by faculty jurys to appear on the weekly Honor Student Recital.

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A September wedding in St. Hugo of the Hills is planned.

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Donald graduated from Hillsdale in June and was a member of Delta Tau Delta.

Patio Luncheon Setting

Guests from Denmark, Guatemala and Arizona and birthday parties, are reason enough for a luncheon party . . . and so it was Mrs. Robert Vanderkloot's pleasure.

Friends and relatives gathered on the patio of their Lone Pine road home overlooking their own private lake, plus a swimming pool, where they sipped ice tea and chatted long after luncheon was served.

Mrs. Granholm, Mrs. V's aunt, came from Denmark last month and will remain the rest of the month. She is presently staying in Ann Arbor with her sister, Mrs. Henry Peterson.

MRS. John Fisher, who has made her home in Guatemala for the past three years, was at the gathering with her mother, Mrs. William Stout, of Arizona . . . they're daughter and wife of William Stout, designer of the Stout automobile. The twosome came from Arizona for the wedding of Sarah Jane Tryball and Norman Knauis in Christ Church Cranbrook.

Fisher remarks that "Guatemala is very different—but very pleasant." The most noticeable difference, of course, is the change of pace.

Birthday celebrants were Mrs. John Stevenson, Mrs. V's sister, and Mrs. Earle MacPherson of Bloomfield Hills.

Other guests sitting at the pink and white umbrella tables included Mrs. Gunnar Karlstrom, Mrs. M. Rosenberg, Mrs. Paul M. Kenney, Mrs. E. S. Wellock and Mrs. Semon Knudsen.

Bride-Elect Entertained At Showers

Sharon Lynn Lewis, whose marriage to Ross Couzza will take place Saturday, was honored recently at several bridal showers.

To begin the sequence of premarital activities, Mrs. Joseph Shaffer feted Sharon with a miscellaneous shower and those in attendance were the close friends of Dr. and the late Mrs. Wallace Couzza, parents of the bridegroom.

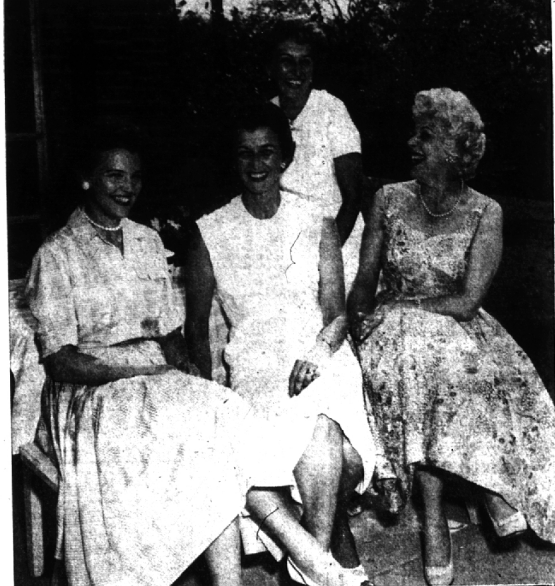
GUESTS ATTENDING were Mrs. H. Gaston, Jean Gaston, Mrs. R. Feiler, Mrs. W. Levring, Mrs. S. Denovan, Mrs. R. Garlick, Mrs. W. Stecker, Mrs. H. Lewis, Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. O. Macchelt and Mrs. J. Schaffer.

The highlight of the shower was the very clever work of Mrs. Stewart Denovan. Three tiers of rated with flowers and bells to represent a wedding cake. The boxes contained the presents for the bride-elect.

MRS. CHARLES Eddy of Henly drove honored Sharon with another luncheon miscellaneous shower. The bride-elect was presented her gifts in a easily decorated laundry cart.

Among the guests were Mrs. R. Sturmer, Mrs. O. Firth, Mrs. R. Weth, Mrs. R. Oldani, Mrs. H. Hanson, Mrs. G. Peirce, Mrs. D. Senastaken, Mrs. C. Walker, Mrs. R. Netter, Mrs. E. Spindler, Mrs. W. Cassel, Mrs. C. Eddy and Mrs. H. Lewis.

THE MAID OF HONOR, Marne Welch, planned her shower as a



ABOVE: It's common knowledge that relatives visit less often than friends. Getting "caught up" on past events are (from left) cousins, Mrs. Darrell Campbell and Mrs. John Stevenson chatting with their hostess, Mrs. Robert Vanderkloot and Mrs. Earl MacPherson (right), birthday celebrant, at a patio luncheon in Bloomfield Hills.

AT RIGHT: Guests from far and near include (from left) Mrs. John Fisher of Guatemala, Mrs. Fred L. Black of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Eric Granholm of Denmark, Mrs. Henry Peterson of Ann Arbor and Mrs. Will Stout of Arizona . . . wife of the designer of the Stout car.

Forest Laker's Outdoor Party

THERE WILL be nautical decorations such as fish draping, sails behind the swimming pool and pennants. The children's spray pool will be filled with floating flowers, with a bright spot to show them up.

Leonard Stanley and his orchestra will provide the music for dancing under the stars. Dress will be casual.

Serving on the committee are the Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dittick, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bodine and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Day, all from the Birmingham area.



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Entertainment will be provided by John Hussey's water ballet group. The performance by these 18 very able girls promises to be a very colorful event. The committee has spent a lot of time with decorations.

Cupid Captures Five Couples



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SUSAN COLE

Mr. and Mrs. William R. Cole of Worlington road, Wing Lake, Birmingham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Paula, to Dennis James Slater, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Slater of Lansing.

The bride-elect will graduate from Hillsdale college next year. She is affiliated with Chi Omega sorority. Her fiancé will graduate from Michigan State university next year.

A June wedding is planned following graduation.



JUDITH STRINGFELLOW

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Lowery of Royal Oak announce the engagement of her daughter, Judith Lee Stringfellow, to John Theodore Hartigan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Hartigan of MacKintosh lane, Bloomfield Hills. The bride-elect is also the daughter of Mr. Edward T. Stringfellow of Toledo, Ohio.

The prospective bride was graduated from Michigan State university. Her fiancé was graduated from the University of Michigan, where he was a member of Beta Theta Pi.

An August wedding is planned.



MELISSA ANN MCBRIAN

The engagement of Melissa Ann McBrian to Charles Hobbie Slater, Jr., has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. McBrian of Morningview Terrace, Birmingham. Charles is the son of the senior Slaters of Easton, Pa.

Melissa is a graduate of Cornell university and a member of Delta Gamma sorority. Her fiancé, who is also a Cornell graduate, is now working on his master's degree at Harvard. He is affiliated with Chi Psi fraternity.

The wedding will take place in December.