

Suburban Scene

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Society Editor

Milestones Acknowledged

Suburban Scene bows to the Dept. of Vital Statistics this week, with accent on a christening and an approaching marriage.

Star of the former is diminutive Sandra Walker Bambas, four-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Bambas of Chapin St., Birmingham, who was christened Saturday



GREAT-GRANDPA THOMPSON AND SANDRA
From tintype to today

afternoon at home with the Rev. Herbert B. Hudnut of Detroit officiating.

Cherished tradition played a part in the ceremony, for the baby's christening robes were fourth generation, having first been worn 86 years ago by her great-grandfather, the late Walter Thompson of Bloomfield Hills and Clarkston.

Gowned in Beauty

Fashioned of that wonderful heavy linen which is no longer easily comely, the full-length dress was made with a long, long skirt (flared at the bottom), long sleeves, a tight little bodice and high ruffled necklines.

Sandra's godparents are Emily Leech Walker, her namesake; Karen Elizabeth Bambas and Fredrec T. Henkel of Cleveland, her aunt and uncle.

Also attending Saturday's christening were great-grandmother Thompson, Mrs. Louis L. Bambas of Grosse Pointe, paternal grandmother, and the baby's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fredrec Y. Henkel of Baldwin Ct., Birmingham.

Transportation Unlimited

Trains, planes and turmpikes will be utilized by Birmingham-Bloomfield people this weekend, all intent on arriving in Waban, Mass., in time for the wedding ceremony there on Sunday afternoon uniting David Walker Lee, Jr. and Mary Louise Marvey.

Dave is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David W. Lee of Bloomfield Hills, and his fiancée's parents are Mr. and Mrs. G. Herbert Marvey of Boston and Fortune Rocks, Me.

The candlelight service will be solemnized at 5 o'clock, followed by a reception at BraeBurn Country Club in West Newton.

Thomas Lindsay Lee, a junior at Denison University, will be his brother's best man, and ushers from Birmingham will include Ronald Swanson, Fritz Kern, John MacManus, Roy Flemming, and Dennis Dinan.

Add Local Representation

Among those going down from here for the wedding are Mr. and Mrs. J. Denton Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert F. Swanson.

They will be among guests at a dinner party being given Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Marcy at the Algonquin Hotel in Boston, and will also attend the rehearsal dinner Saturday at the Ritz Carlton at which the Lees will be hosts.

Preceding his graduation from Brown in June, Dave was graduated from Cranbrook. He is now in officers' training in the U.S. Air Force at Lackland, San Antonio, Tex. By this weekend he will have been commissioned a second lieutenant. He and his bride expect to be stationed in San Antonio for the next two years.

Mary Louise is a graduate of Dana Hall and Garland.

For Their Memory Book

"We swam and sailed by day, attended the Mozart Music Festival by night and left our hearts in the most beautiful city in the world."

So goes Mrs. Hilda Ruhl's casual report on her recent stay in Salzburg, Austria, with daughter Gretchen.

The two spent the summer together in Europe, Gretchen studying piano under Dame Myra Hess in Hampshire, England, during the first six weeks. Afterwards she joined her mother for vacationing in Holland, Heidelberg, the Black Forest, Lucerne, Innsbruck and finally on to Paris for a last fling before flying home.

Gretchen is now back in Wellesley for her senior year, and sister, Kathy, who had been in camp all summer, is at the University of Michigan.

The Beauties of Home

Dr. and Mrs. Carleton Fox of Lake Park didn't go so far afield on their holiday, but they've every bit as enthusiastic over the autumn beauty of northern Canada and the Upper Peninsula.

The woody peacefulness echoed nostalgia for the doctor who was born in Ironwood, but he and Mrs. F. were also equally interested in the more civilized beauty of Torch Lake where, en route home last week, they stopped to see the new Shanty Creek Club—fabulous ski and summer resort now being run by Pete Martin.

They also stopped at Susan Fisher's Chimney Corner, "did" Petoskey and Harbor Springs, then wended their leisurely way home.

Junior Women To View Fashions

Birmingham Junior Women's Club meets at 8 p.m., Tuesday for a showing of fall fashions in the Mary Griffith room at Birmingham Community House.

The Peddler Shop will provide the fashions. Hostesses are Mrs. Jack White, chairman, who will be assisted by Mrs. William Beck, Mrs. Donald Hite, Mrs. John Bell and Mrs. Jay Winslow.

Have You Met . . .

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Baenziger of 5523 Crabtree Road, Foxcroft? They are former Detroit residents. Mr. Baenziger is associated with the Canada Life Insurance Co. The Baenzigers have three children, Jack, 18, who attends the University of Detroit; Jill, 14, who attends Bloomfield Hills Junior High and Doug, 6, at Conant. Mr. and Mrs. Baenziger enjoy bridge, bowling and golf.

Mrs. McBride To Entertain At Shower

Honoring bride-elect Ellen Jenks who will speak her marriage vows Nov. 10 to Joseph Archer, Mrs. Russell McBride of Inwood Circle, Bloomfield Hills, will entertain at a bridal shower and luncheon Oct. 6.

The honoree is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Jenks of Lathrup Village, and her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Archer of Birmingham.

Among the guests will be Mrs. Margaret Archer, Mrs. E. H. Vogel, Mrs. Phillip Bisillon and Mrs. R. Reed Jenkins of Birmingham; Mrs. Kathion Beattie of Royal Oak; Mrs. William Decker of Detroit, and Mrs. Ward Jenks and Mrs. Joseph C. Finnell of Lathrup Village.

Others will be Mrs. H. T. Stall of Orchard Lake; Joan O'Brien of Bloomfield Hills; Mrs. Leo Denison, Mrs. William Donaldson, Mrs. William Beattie, Mrs. Raymond Banwell and Mrs. Frank MacVicar, all of Pontiac.

14 Graduated After U of M Summer Session

Fourteen Birmingham area students were among the 1,049 who fulfilled graduate and undergraduate degree requirements at the end of the University of Michigan's summer session.

From Birmingham are Rebecca S. Badger, 329 Henrietta, Master of Arts; Helen F. Harris Baber, 1876 Bates, bachelor of arts; Jonathan Thompson Bowie, 6767 Crestway Dr., master of the arts; Elizabeth G. Briggs, 3019 Chewton, bachelor of arts in education; Joan Gassaway, 3545 Woodlake Court, master of music; Patricia J. Henny, 3218 Bradley Blvd., bachelor of arts; Martha Bennett Kazemeyer, 74216 Washington, bachelor of arts in education; Donald T. Laird, 1220 Bedding, master of arts; Susan H. Office, 1935-5 Woodward Ave., bachelor of arts; Nancy Savage, 955 Shirley Dr., bachelor of arts; Charlotte M. Schwimmer, 451 Bates St., master of arts; George H. Willett, III, 655 Pilgrim, bachelor of science in engineering.

Bloomfield Hills students receiving degrees are Marjorie G. Hay, 3885 Quarten Rd., bachelor of arts; Elsie G. Mortimer, 421 Inkster, bachelor of science in design.

They were delustered satin pea de soie cocktail dresses with short bell skirts, two in peony pink and two in cherry red, and jackets with long sleeves and jewel necklines. They carried bouquets of white carnations, pink and red sweetheart roses.

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MRS. BUTLER

Renaissance Period Reflected by Gown

The Renaissance period was reflected in the pearl-crested Pointe de Leon lace and ivory pea de soie worn by Linda Anne Taggart for her marriage Saturday afternoon to Everett Arnold Butler, Jr.

Linda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hulley D. Taggart of San Jose Boulevard, Lathrup Village. The groom's parents are the senior Butlers of Youngstown, Ohio.

The Rev. Ralph W. Parks officiated at the double ring ceremony at All Saint's Episcopal Church, Detroit.

THE BRIDE'S gown was first worn by her sister, Mrs. Stewart L. Schultz, of Cooley Lake. Her finger tip veil was held in place by a wreath of orange blossoms.

Wren Wheeler of Huntington, Long Island, New York and formerly of Lathrup Village, was maid of honor. Other attendants were Armine Vart of Grosse Pointe, Diane Yavruin of Detroit, and the groom's sister, Ada Beth Butler, of Jacksonville, Florida.

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3 Seaholm Grads Enter Wellesley

Seaholm High School graduates Margaret Lourie, Mary Randall and Nancy Turner, will be among this year's freshmen at Wellesley College in Wellesley, Mass.

Miss Lourie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene J. Lourie, 1548 Dorchester Street; Miss Randall, granddaughter of a Wellesley alumna, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Randall, 555 North Glenngary Street; and Miss Turner, whose mother also attended Wellesley, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Turner, 1721 Winthrop Lane.

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