



MRS. WARDOWSKI

Pair Takes Trip South After Rites

Joan Carol Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Webster Ave., Birmingham, walked up the aisle of the First Presbyterian Church Saturday afternoon to become the bride of Wilfred Francis Wardowski II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wardowski of Leslie, Mich.

The bride was gowned in imported bridal tulle, the bodice and dome skirt applied in Chantilly lace. Her matching silk pill box secured a butterfly veil of silk illusion and she carried white roses accented by ivy.

CHERYL L. SMITH was her sister's maid of honor and bridesmaids included Grace Siefert, Arlene Batten and Linda J. Spence, all of Birmingham. They were dressed in gold tulle, wore matching bows in their hair and carried yellow roses with variegated holly.

Jay Wardowski was best man, ushers including Douglas Nielsen of E. Lansing; Douglas Sanders of Okemos and John Coy of Anselmus.

Following a reception in the church, the couple left on a trip South. They will make their home in E. Lansing.

Miss Bales Is Bride Of George K. Pethel

A 2 p.m. wedding at the First United Presbyterian Church in Royal Oak Saturday united Miss Jean Bales and George Kelly Pethel in matrimony.

The new Mrs. Pethel is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Allen Bales of Warren. Pethel is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph D. Pethel, of 6730 E. Dartmouth Drive, Birmingham.

For her wedding, Mrs. Pethel appeared in a gown of candlelight brocade fashioned with a controlled skirt. A band of brocade circled the fitted waist and created an Empire effect. The delicate satin detachable train of chapel length was accented in the back by an oil sash.

A tiny open pillbox in matching brocade trimmed with a Dior hued held a bouffant veil of imported French silk illusion.

THE BRIDESMAIDS, wearing gowns of scarlet satin in mourning-like honor attendant Mrs. Robert D. Doyle, Jr., Mrs. Alan Alexander, Royal Oak; Mrs. James Cudejko, Madison Heights; Mrs. Seymour Auerbach, Washington, D. C., and Miss Sherry Lee Kerr, Royal Oak.

Robert D. Doyle, Jr., as best man, was flanked by Ronald Beck, Donald Beaver, Madison Heights; Alan Alexander, Royal Oak; and Robert Coleman, Birmingham.

The bride was escorted by the Rotunda Inn, the couple left for Florida. Upon their return, they will live in Detroit.

Past Matrons Club Has Busy Agenda

Mrs. O. R. Peters, formerly of Birmingham, recently entertained the Past Matrons Club at her home in St. Clemens. This was the group's Christmas luncheon, followed by a regular meeting and gift exchange.

The annual meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Melvin E. Uppleger, 847 Emmons Ave., Birmingham, at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27. Dessert will be served.

Have You Met ...

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leneten of 3135 Middlebury Lane, who moved here from Arlington, Va. one month ago? The Lenetens have two daughters. Truly is now Mrs. Michael Hall and is still residing in Virginia. Sandra is in college. Both will be home for Christmas. Mr. Leneten is an analyst with Ford Finance. He is a graduate of the University of Maryland and received his master's at Syracuse. He has also served in Germany as a retired colonel. His favorite hobby is woodworking but also enjoys gardening. Mrs. Leneten's favorite pastime is sewing.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brown of 6596 Woodbank, who moved from Cincinnati, O? Mr. Brown is with Chevrolet as a business manager. There are three Brown children, Dick, Laura and Denise. The Browns are from the University of Indiana where Mr. Brown was a member of the Acaemia and Mrs. Brown a Psi Beta. Mr. Brown is with a Brownie Troop. Bowling is a favorite pastime.



MRS. GEORGE KELLY PETHEL

BLOOMFIELD SOUTH

Unusual Presents Mark 'Crazy Christmas Party'

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Noted for hosting unusual and amusing parties is Mrs. Raymond Reid of Springdale Drive. The latest of these was held on Dec. 16 when a group known as the "Purple Flames" (former members of the Birmingham News-comers) met in her home to have a "Crazy Christmas Party."

The eight women guests were asked to bring either a white elephant or 50-cent gift. This doesn't sound like too much but the ladies outdid themselves in the way they wrapped their packages. One wrapped gift was an elegantly wrapped hat box in which was found an equally lovely decorated waste basket.

The most amusing part of the party was when Mrs. Reid announced towards the end of the festivities that the entire proceedings had been taped unknown to them and the playback proved to be quite hilarious. On Dec. 19 another group known as the "Cornwalls" met at Mrs. Reid's home for a luncheon.

Their usual Christmas project has been the construction of some sort of Christmas decoration but this year to change the pattern Mrs. Reid decided to entertain her guests with a time trying to cut a cake with candles which just wouldn't stay "put out."

Mr. and Mrs. David T. Manley of 260 S. Williamsburg Lane will be spending Christmas day at home with their children, David Jr., Marty, and Douglas, and celebrating the day there. Mrs. Manley's sister's family, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Nance and their children.

THE MOST wonderful Christmas gift in the world arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Honke on Bassett Place. The Honke's proudly announce the adoption of Elizabeth, now three weeks old, to be a baby sister to their other daughter, Karen.

Grandparents—being what they are—and anxious to see their new granddaughter—will be house guests for the holidays. Mr. Honke's parents will be flying here from Omaha, Neb., arriving Christmas Eve.

One of the most effective Christmas outdoor decorations appears on the front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Clume, 820 S. Williamsburg. The entire front of their home is outlined as a gigantic Christmas wreath.

THE "TOWN" group of Westchester, women of the area interested in visiting interesting locations, had quite a day planned for Dec. 20 but had to postpone it for various reasons, including illness and traveling.

They were to lunch at the Pontchartrain Wine Cellar, touch on the Christmas displays at Cobo Hall and then dash over to the Ford Auditorium to see a glass exhibit. Their next planned excursion is to be held on Friday, Jan. 17, unless otherwise noted.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smith of Peble Lane will entertain their neighbors and friends at a buffet

and cocktail party in their home on Saturday, Dec. 28. Expected to be present for the evening will be 14 couples.

WHEN HILA Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Clark of S. Giengarry came home for Christmas from her studies at Michigan State University, she brought with her a house guest, her roommate, Sharon Smith from DeKalb, Ill.

Sharon enjoyed the hospitality of the Clark home for several days. Arriving on Dec. 20 from Ft. Belvoir, Va., for a two-week furlough and to spend Christmas at home was the Clark's son, Howard, who is a second lieutenant in the Army Engineering Corps.

On Saturday, Dec. 28, Hyla and a girl friend from Birmingham, Sally Hodgson, will fly to New York to spend a week in the eastern city sight-seeing. In the meantime, Mr. Clark's mother, Mrs. Inez Clark of Brookston, Ind., will have arrived on Dec. 23 to spend several days with her son and daughter-in-law and their family.

As though all this coming and going wouldn't be enough to keep one busy, Mrs. Clark planned a dinner party for 30 on Dec. 21, and also hosted a Christmas morning brunch.

Another cocktail party held on Peble Lane was the one Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pletz had on Friday, Dec. 27. Friends and neighbors began arriving about 8:30 p.m.

Happy Yuletide to you all!



MRS. MCGREGOR

Local Women Lend a Hand For Opening

The Women's Committee in charge of arrangements for the muscular dystrophy benefit opening of the Playboy Club held an organizational luncheon meeting recently in Detroit.

Heading up the Women's Committee as general chairman is the Comtesse Pierre de Rostang, of Grosse Pointe. Muscular dystrophy volunteer in charge of coordinating for the muscular dystrophy office is Gertrude Engle.

Assisting in the capacity of hostesses, arrangements and sale of tickets are Mrs. William Robert McGregor, Birmingham; Mrs. Joseph Schoenitz, Grosse Pointe; Mrs. James Quello, Grosse Pointe; Miss Florence Sisman, Detroit; Mrs. Erving Marashke, Birmingham; Mrs. John Cooley of Grosse Pointe Shores; Mrs. William E. Johnston, Detroit; Miss Jean A. Stefani, St. Clair Shores; and Mrs. Carl Grimmel, Detroit.

The black tie premiere is scheduled for Friday, Dec. 27, from 6:30 p.m. 'til 2 a.m. at the Playboy Club, 1014 East Jefferson. A limited number of tickets per person are still available through the Muscular Dystrophy office, Fine Arts Building, Detroit.

LATHRUP-CRANBROOK VILLAGE

Red Wings Invited To Private Party

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The invitations have been sent to all the Red Wings asking them to "Fall Off" (instead of on) the ice after they beat the "bad guys" on New Year's Eve and come to a party in the private Olympia Club.

Attending the private party will be all of the Red Wings, their wives, guests, managers and some 50 members of the Olympia Club. The party will begin following the Red Wing-Toronto game. Party goes will dance to a combo and enjoy a late buffet supper.

MR. AND MRS. GORDON Rauschenberger and young son, Mark, returned to their Westbrook Parkway home in time for Christmas. They spent the past five days in Youngstown, O., visiting with Mr. Rauschenberger's parents.

The Rauschenbergers are new to Cranbrook Village. They are former residents of East Lansing. Their son Mark is eight months old. In their leisure time the Rauschenbergers enjoy bowling and playing bridge.

Mrs. Rauschenberger is a native of Detroit and she attended the University of Michigan. Mr. Rauschenberger attended Miami of Ohio and he is area sales manager for the Mobil Oil Co.

Last Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Mark Huston invited their neighbors and business associates into their Westbrook Parkway home for an eggnog party.

ANOTHER WESTBROOK Parkway couple, the Richard Harvies are expecting about 50 friends to join them for a little Christmas "cheer" at their open house on Dec. 28.

Eight couples will join forces for a "progressive" New Year's celebration. First stop will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harvie for cocktails.

From Cranbrook Village the group will travel to the Birmingham home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schaffer on Washington for dinner. After dinner travels will take the group to the Roger

Sperry's home on Bales for the remainder of the evening.

IT WILL be a gathering of old friends when Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krueger give a dinner party on Saturday evening. The 16 guests are former high school classmates of Mrs. Krueger and their husbands.

The George Cummings chose

last Saturday for their annual Christmas cocktail party. They greeted about 40 in their Hickory Leaf Lane home.

STEVEN ALBERT Erick is a little too young to hang up his own stocking this year for Santa but I am sure his proud parents will do it for him. Steven is the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Erick of Hickory Leaf Lane. He was born just two months ago and weighed seven pounds and 14 ounces.

"Come to a Christmas cocktail party," said the John O'Learys of Westbrook Parkway. They greeted their friends last Sunday afternoon.

RECENT HOUSEGUEST of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Raich of Bungalow, Lathrup Village, has been Mr. Billie Joe Palmer. He is a pilot in the U.S. Marine Corp. stationed at Grosses Ile.

On New Year's Day Mr. and Mrs. Raich will host a brunch for about 25 in honor of Mr. Palmer and his fiancé, Kay McCoolley, of Newbern, N.C. Happy New Year!

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