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'Bride's Broadcast' Gives Hints for 1940 Wedding Plans

Mrs. Alexandra Potts Advises on Arrangements For June Ceremonies

WHITE PLAINS.—The most exciting emergency she has faced in managing more than 5,000 weddings was caused by a fire that burned up the dresses of 14 bridesmaids three days before the wedding. Mrs. Alexandra Potts of Rye said yesterday afternoon in the course of a "Bride's Broadcast" over Station WFAS.

Mrs. Potts, of the "Bride's Magazine," was the speaker on the Westchester hostess Monday afternoon program arranged by Betty Patterson. The most unusual wedding party she arranged was held outdoors one summer in Westchester, a Grecian wedding, with the bride in white chiffon and the bridesmaids in green chiffon carrying water lilies.

Outside of these highlights on specific brides, Mrs. Potts, who has managed weddings for the aristocracy of England and France and for socialites in South America, Canada, India and Australia, as well as for three Rockefeller and hundreds of other outstanding American families, confined herself to specific instructions on what the bride of 1940 should plan and how she should plan it.

At the close of the broadcast Mrs. Patterson announced that the Westchester Hostess series will close for this season on next Monday afternoon. The artist will be Prince Alexis Oblenski, who will present a group of Russian songs in his first public appearance, as he has confined his musical activities, up to this time, to private recitals. Mrs. Julian Olney of White Plains will be guest of honor. Those wishing to join the visual audience, may obtain tickets, Mrs. Patterson said, either from her, at Station WFAS or from the office of this newspaper.

Present Wedding Gift to Pastor

Irrington Congregation Holds Annual Dinner

The annual congregation dinner and meeting of the Irrington Presbyterian Church was held last night in the church.

Dinner was served to approximately 100 persons prior to the session. Annual reports of all church organizations were given. Those elected trustees were H. MacIntyre, Grover, Dr. Charles McClure, Edwin Fluke and Arthur V. Lewis. Burnham Bowden and James Hall were re-elected as trustees. Kelly Coburn was elected a seconder.

The congregation presented a wedding gift of \$526 to the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Adam W. Craig. Dr. Craig will be married Saturday to Miss Betty Faure in Dr. Craig's father's church, Gaston Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia. His father is the Rev. Dr. William Craig.

O. F. Koch to Speak At P.T.A. Meeting

Announcement of O. F. Koch, Washington Irving High School principal, as speaker for the Parent-Teacher Association on May 13 was made at a board meeting yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Martin presided over yesterday's gathering, at which plans for the next session were discussed. Mr. Koch's topic will be "Guidance and Citizenship."

Officers will be installed by Mrs. William Lefferts, district director. Those meeting with Mrs. Martin in the F. R. Pierson School yesterday were Mrs. Charles Braun, Mrs. Benjamin Cartoon, Mrs. George McGarry, Mrs. Horace Hunt and Mrs. J. Leroy Thompson.

FURTHER BRIDGE PLAN

Further plans for the card party to be held next Tuesday were discussed by the Christ Church Choir Guild yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Wallace Brown served tea during the program. Those attending were the Rev. and Mrs. C. Kenneth Ackerman, Mrs. Fred Book, Mrs. Wallace Brown, Mrs. Arthur Deverill, Mrs. Walter Longacre, Mrs. Francis McDowell, Mrs. Edward Nichols, Miss Iona See, Mrs. Charles Wood, Mrs. Warren Gray.

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ADVICE TO FUTURE BRIDES was given yesterday over radio station WFAS, White Plains, by Mrs. Alexandra Potts (right), of Rye, who is on the staff of "The Bride's Magazine." Mrs. Potts' talk was given as a part of the "Westchester Hostess" program. Left to right are Miss Mildred Schloer of Mount Vernon, who is to marry August Little of Mount Vernon next Sunday; Miss Jean Gerster of White Plains, the future bride of Ralph Erickson of White Plains; Miss Josephine Randall of Scarsdale, who will wed Eugene Fluke, Mount Vernon postmaster, Friday, and Mrs. Potts.

State Troopers Talk To Young People

Christ Church Fellowship Meets at Hall

Rules, regulations and adventures of State Troopers were rehearsed for Christ Church Young People's Fellowship on Sunday evening when two members of the Hawthorne headquarters were guest speakers.

T. J. Reiger and Clyde Miller told the group the qualifications necessary to belong to the State Troopers, 700 of whom are now active in New York. They especially emphasized the need for safety in driving. Sidney Waters presided at the meeting. The Rev. C. F. Odell and Mrs. Frank Chiacchee were guests. Miss Estelle Kelly will be the guest speaker on next Sunday evening.

Present were Albert Hennings, Walter Longacre, Marjorie Broome, Shirley Broome, Barbara Broome, Francis Forstner, Shirley Hathaway, Olive Hathaway, Dorothy Petrie, Grover Petry, Samuel Miller, John Ward, Roger Major, Peggy Todd, Warren Major, Robert Miller, Drew Mullan, Marjorie Dickinson, Mary Lib Todd, Betty Waters, Carol Briggs, Evelyn Allen, Gordon Waters, Roscoe Hatch, Sidney Waters, Nancy Dennis, Grant Small, James Miller, Ian Waters, Gerald Dudley, Elizabeth Davenport.

Social Notes

Joseph Kalkbrenner, son of Mrs. Genevieve Kalkbrenner, 20 Francis Street, is now stationed with Company 1281, Camp P 115, of the Civilian Conservation Camps, in Canyon City, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Chamberlain and their daughter, Barbara, of Palmer Avenue, and Mrs. Charles Kenney, have returned home from a week's vacation spent touring through Williamsburg, Va., Gettysburg, Pa., Annapolis, Md., and Atlantic City.

Mrs. Howard P. Cassell and her daughter, Miss Laura Cassell, of North Tarrytown, have just returned from a trip to Williamsburg, Va., stopping on the way at McDonogh and Westminster, Md., to see friends who are students at the McDonogh School and Westminster Maryland College, and in Washington to see the cherry blossoms. They returned by way of Carlisle, Pa., and attended Guest Day at Dickinson College.

Albert Merritt, Sr., of Glenville, is ill at the Tarrytown Hospital.

Attending the circus at Madison Square Garden last night were the Misses Dorothy Fraleigh, Louise D'Alessandro, Rita Cerce and Gloria D'Alessandro.

Mrs. M. Hill of "Hardacres," Tarrytown, is reported staying at the Ambassador Hotel in New York City.

Mrs. Lenox Lohr of South Broadway is entertaining a group of local women sewing for the Red Cross relief work for war sufferers.

Mrs. Alfred Blake of 120 Valley Street is convalescing at her home from a severe illness.

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Trooping With Local Girl Scouts

Vacation week brought a lull in the regular meetings of local Girl Scouts, who took advantage of free time for various informal activities in spite of rain and cold. Hikes, picnics, and even a dance were on the program. Appearance of sun and blue sky gave impetus to more plans for out-of-door festivities for the coming months.

The girls took part in several short plays. After this an imitation fire was built and the girls sat around it, singing songs and pretending to roast marshmallows.

The investiture was put on by the girls with the assistance of Mrs. William Halstein, Mrs. Daniel Murphy, troop leader and Miss Regina Quinn.

We didn't have a meeting on Wednesday, as we went on a hike to Hackley Woods on Tuesday. We started at 10:30. When we got there, before eating, we played tag and some other games. We found some insects' nests and studied about them. Mrs. Denniston found a leaf and looked it up in her book to find out what kind it was. We built a fire. Zelma and Hannah Aaron and Florence Abraham were in charge of it. The rest got the wood. After dinner some children who had brought refreshments served them and then we toasted marshmallows over the fire.

There was a spring near where we were camping, and while she was getting water, Blossom Merl slipped and got her foot all wet. She had to take off her shoe and sock, and let them dry. So we told some stories. After that we played "Hide Sheep, Hide," a very amusing game. We went home about three o'clock. Present were Mrs. Robert Denniston, Florence Abraham, Judith Ratner, Ruth Kester, Blossom Merl, Isabel Lifshutz, Betty Poritzky, Hannah Aaron, Judith Cohen, Helen Cohen.

Last week was a very busy one for the Junior Girl Scouts. On Wednesday they had their dance, which met with great success. Seventy-eight people attended and danced to the music of records.

Mrs. Frank Millard, Mrs. Frank Luedke, Mrs. Theodora Faas, Mrs. Salvatore Chillemi and Mrs. Julia Chase were Girl Scout cookies and punch. Everyone had a grand time.

Saturday the junior girls went on a treasure hunt to Hackley Woods. They brought their lunch, which they ate out-of-doors. The trail for the treasure hunt was laid by Jean Longacre and Joan Chillemi. Julia Friere found the treasure.

The senior girls were supposed to go on a bicycle tour to the Hammond House in Valhalla last Thursday, but the weather conditions stopped them.

ADVERTISEMENT RENE FRANKOLINO, Press Correspondent. Troop 3 Pocantico Hills Brownies have been making oil cloth "sit-upons" during the last two meetings. Patsy Upright has been acting as treasurer. New project is a sale of greeting cards to raise funds for a supply cabinet. Among the out-of-door games played were chain tag and Old Witch. The Brownies are learning parlor tricks.

Louise Canro Bride Of John Meehan

Couple to Reside on Beckman Avenue

The wedding of Miss Louise Canro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Canro, 94 Beckman Avenue, and John Meehan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Meehan, Sr., of Mamaroneck, took place Saturday afternoon.

The Rev. William J. Donohue officiated at the ceremony at four o'clock. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a light blue crepe frock with a matching flower hat, trimmed with navy. Her bouquet was of white lilies and blue diphysiphium. Her sister, Mrs. David Hyland, was matron of honor wearing a dusty pink frock and matching flower hat. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas and gladioli.

Best man for Mr. Meehan was Marshall White, Jr., of Pocantico Hills. Dominick Nicholas was soloist and Robert Peters was at the organ during the ceremony.

A reception for the immediate families of the couple was held at the Briar Hills Club after a wedding trip to Connecticut. Mr. and Mrs. Meehan will make their home at 94 Beckman Avenue.

Mrs. Meehan graduated from the North Tarrytown High School and is a member of the Chevrolet Accounting Department. Mr. Meehan also an N. T. graduate, works in the Chevrolet plant.

Miss Blanche Gervais Elected President

Heads Local Business, Professional Women

Newly-elected president of the Business and Professional Women's Club is Miss Blanche Gervais, who takes the place of the retiring officer, Miss Isabelle Matthews.

Others elected at the session in 19 North Broadway last night were Miss Elizabeth Deely, first vice-president; Mrs. William Taxter, Jr., second vice-president; Miss Barbara Cady recording secretary; Miss Lilla Rodda corresponding secretary and Miss Ora Matthews, treasurer. Miss Ruth Davis was chairman of the nominating committee, presenting the slate. Annual reports were presented.

Those attending were Mrs. Vera Watson Schmidt, Miss Lilla Saul, Miss Barbara Cady, Miss Ruth Davis, Mrs. H. J. Vandervoort, Miss Mildred Backlund, Miss Anna Peterson, Mrs. William Taxter, Jr., Miss Ora Matthews, Miss Elizabeth Deely, Miss Isabelle Matthews, Miss Blanche Gervais, Miss Leah Wilbur and Miss Lilla Rodda.

Glenville Firemen. Aides Plan Bridge

Mrs. Martha Wood Is General Chairman

Arrangements for a card party tomorrow evening have been announced by the Glenville Fire Company and its auxiliary.

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Mrs. George McGarry Entertains at Bridge For Court Cherubim

11 Tables in Play at Card Party for C. D. A. Members

Eleven tables of bridge were in play at a card party last night given by Mrs. George McGarry of 25 LeGrand Avenue for Court Cherubim, Catholic Daughters of America.

Special prizes of a glass baking dish and a fancy apron were awarded to Mrs. George Burke and Mrs. Charles DeLade, respectively. Table prizes were colored breakfast cloths.

Those assisting Mrs. McGarry were Miss Margaret Noonan, Mrs. Paul Judson, Mrs. Edward Reilly, Mrs. Daniel Daly. Playing were Mrs. Philip McQuillan, Mrs. Martin Thornton, Mrs. Alex Fiorella, Mrs. Edgar Burke, Mrs. James Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Patrick Finnegan, Mrs. Mary Crowley, Mrs. William Battenfeld, Mrs. Edward Reilly, Mrs. John Sullivan, Mrs. Frank Remling, Mrs. James Burke, Miss Elizabeth Remling, Mrs. Joseph Broderick, Mrs. John Cuff, Jr., Mrs. George T. Burke, Mrs. John Brangan, Mrs. James Martin, Mrs. Ernest Nelson, Mrs. Margaret Meade, Mrs. James McGurk, Mrs. Martin Gregory, Mrs. James Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Joseph Mahoney, Mrs. Sylvester Balassi, Mrs. Michael Melville, Mrs. Daniel Daly, Mrs. William Egan, Miss Margaret Noonan, Mrs. Roger Martin, Mrs. William Lanhan, Mrs. William Livingston, Mrs. Charles DeLade, Mrs. Clifford Dinsmore, Mrs. Martin Flood, Mrs. Paul Judson, Miss Mary Gorman, Mrs. Edward Tully, Mrs. Charles Hofgartner, Mrs. Paul McLaughlin, Mrs. Anna Odell, Mrs. Harry Jones, Mrs. Minnie Waelmdner and Mrs. Blanche Shea, all of Hawthorne.

Spaghetti Dinner For Women's Club

Christ Church Group to Have Speaker

A spaghetti dinner was the program for the Christ Church Women's Club last evening in the church hall.

Mrs. Gladys Capron was in charge of the affair, assisted by Miss Lena Casswell, Miss Emilie Husted and Miss Emilie Petrie.

The meeting on Monday, May 6 will have as guest speaker Dr. Floyd Van Keurza, talking on his trip to the Gaspé Peninsula.

Those attending were Mrs. Louise Eastman, Miss Frances Fair, Miss Virginia Flewelling, Miss Isabelle Wilson, Mrs. William Blaffrey, Miss Helen Kendrick, Miss Alice Pate, Miss Emilie Husted, Miss Emilie Petrie, Mrs. Gladys Capron, Miss Elizabeth Corneli, Mrs. Cecelia Olin, Mrs. Edward Sullivan, Miss Barbara Unsworth, Miss Mildred Babcock, Mrs. Fred Bauerfeld, Miss Alice Billman, Mrs. Lena Casswell, Mrs. Frances Davenport.

Mrs. Helen Fraser, Miss Theodora Kioha, Mrs. William Morrow, Miss Jeanette Mullan, Mrs. Vera Niel, Mrs. Roger Pellaton, Miss Elizabeth Phillips, Mrs. Elliott Stearn, Mrs. Herbert Stremel, Mrs. Frank Chiacchee, Miss Louise Wells, Mrs. William Brome and Miss Edith Reinhardt.

Leroy Cassell Given Party on Birthday

Glenville Boy is Nineteen Years Old

A surprise party celebrated a 19th birthday for Leroy Cassell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cassell, White Plains Road on Saturday evening at his home.

Games, dancing and buffet supper was the program. Those attending were Evelyn Ward, James Thompson, Ally Galassi, Olga Wohlburger, William Macrone, John Carpenter, William Bekker, George McElroy, Doris Benson, Elmsford, Tessie Nesnadny, Charles Schneider of Tarrytown, Robert Nicol of White Plains, Ruth Newman, Esther Beckman, Doris Wood, Ann Coleman, Junior Coleman, Alice Schneider, Ellisworth Murphy, Harriet Noren, Eugene Moore and Beatrice Murphy of Glenville.

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PTA Discussion Group Will Meet Tomorrow

Problems of 8th graders will come before the Parent-Teacher Discussion Group at the F. R. Pierson School tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Morton Charnley will lead the discussion starting at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Frank Luedke is chairman of refreshments.

U. S. Pacific Policy Is Discussion Topic

Local Women Join Informal Forum

SCARSDALE.—What should be the policy of the United States in the Pacific? was the subject of the afternoon's discussion yesterday at a meeting of the International Relations Group of the American Association of University Women which was held at the home of the chairman of the group, Mrs. Burnham Finney, 29 Tunstall Road.

A number of reports on conditions dealing with this subject were presented by members of the group. These included "Singapore and the Netherland East Indies," presented by Mrs. Clinton Ulrich of Dobbs Ferry; "Russo-Japanese Relations in China," by Mrs. Raymond Pletman of Mount Vernon; "Conflict of Policy in the Far East," by Mrs. J. R. Truden of Yonkers; "America's Commercial Stake in the Far East," by Mrs. B. H. McCormack of Tarrytown; "America's record in policy in the Far East," by Mrs. F. S. Cooper of Hastings and "The Arguments Pro and Con for the Extension of the Embargo on War Materials to Japan," by Mrs. Bruce McClain of Tarrytown.

Following the reports there was a general discussion on the Japanese embargo, and as the result of an informal vote, it was decided that the embargo should be extended.

The next meeting will be held on Monday afternoon, May 27, at the home of Mrs. Robert Miller in Tarrytown.

Ella Keys Bride Of Hockey Star

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Keys Attend Ceremony

Miss Ella Keys of Saskatoon, Sask., Canada, sister of C. R. Keys of 3 Main Street, was wed to Clinton J. Smith of Vancouver, British Columbia, last Thursday, at the Presbyterian Church, Amsterdam Avenue, New York City.

Miss Evelyn Keys of 3 Main Street was maid of honor. Lynn Patrick served as best man in the absence of his brother, Murray, who is confined at present in the Polyclinic Hospital.

A formal reception was held in a private suite at the Alamac Hotel. Notables among the guests were Col. J. R. Kilpatrick, president of Madison Square Garden, and Mrs. Kilpatrick; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patrick; J. Nimmson; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Havens, Frank Patrick, Mr. Jeanette Mullan, Mrs. Vera Niel, Mrs. Roger Pellaton, Miss Elizabeth Phillips, Mrs. Elliott Stearn, Mrs. Herbert Stremel, Mrs. Frank Chiacchee, Miss Louise Wells, Mrs. William Brome and Miss Edith Reinhardt.

The bridegroom is well known in hockey circles, winning the coveted Lady Byng Trophy last year.

Local guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford R. Keys, John Keys, Orville Keys and Miss Helen E. Davis.

TO AID CHURCH

Mrs. Thomas Vincent of 26 Park Avenue will again open her home this year for a special program aiding Carmelite Church funds on May 2. This will be the second year that she has headed a benefit program committee.

SPECIAL MEETING At a special meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, Washington Irving Council, Daughters of America, will make plans for the district session on Friday night. The meeting will be in the Council rooms, Masonic Hall.

Women's Relief Corps Honors 3 Members

On 46th Anniversary Ward B. Burnett Aides Celebrate at Dinner, Games Program

Three members of the Women's Relief Corps were honored at the 46th anniversary dinner of the group last evening in the Pickwick Post.

The guests of honor were Mrs. Letitia Bassett, member for 47 years; Mrs. Jane Kelley, for 46 years; and Mrs. Elizabeth Hopps, for 45 years.

Mrs. Courtlandt Boyce was chairman of the dinner and Mrs. Harriet Martin, the president, presided. Games followed the dinner.

Those attending were Mrs. Alice Roosa, Mrs. Isabelle Martin, Mrs. Edna Thomas, Mrs. Ella See, Mrs. Libbeth Barrett, Mrs. Augusta Muskat, Mrs. Grace Lawrence, Mrs. Mary Horton, Mrs. Anna LaFurge, Mrs. Carolyn Etmer, Mrs. Sarah Hye, Mrs. Winifred Kelly and Miss Elizabeth Lawlor. Two guests were Miss Sheridan and Mrs. Gaffney.

Philatheas Schedule Events for May 20

Mrs. Lester Fisher Hostess to Class

Plans for the May 20 program were mapped by the Philatheas Class of the First Baptist Church last evening at the home of Mrs. Lester Fisher, 23 Church Street.

Following a covered-dish supper the group will elect new officers and will hold an informal hobby show. Mrs. Nellie Curtis presided at the business discussion last night and Mrs. D. F. Kelly conducted the Bible studies. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. Bradley Padgett and Mrs. Claude Padgett.

Those attending were Miss Nellie Curtis, Mrs. Matthew Fulham, Mrs. Howard Smith, Mrs. Joseph Boons, Mrs. George Graham, Mrs. Peter Soekela, Mrs. D. F. Kelly, Mrs. Bradley Padgett, Mrs. Claude Padgett, Mrs. Ray Coleman, Mrs. H. F. Bauersfeld, Mrs. John Logan, Mrs. Lester Fisher, Mrs. Clayton Hallock, Miss Mabel Beadle, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, Miss Mae Dinger, Mrs. William Dank, Mrs. Thomas Hanson, Mrs. Arthur Hallock, Miss Ruth Hill, Mrs. Cecil L. Cady and Mrs. Horace Hunt.

The family of the late Michael J. Duffy wish to express their sincere thanks to Rev. No. 11, A. O. U. Ladies' Auxiliary, The Chevrolet Motor Co., The Chevrolet Repair Dept., Riverside Hose Co., The Rev. Clergy of the Carmelite Church, the Tarrytown Police Dept. and to all those who sent floral tributes or showed kindness and sympathy in any way during our recent bereavement.

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