

LOCALS

Ruth Johnson Is Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker Johnston entertained at a supper party Sunday evening at their home to celebrate their daughter's birthday, but before the evening was over, the fifty young guests were informed that the party was really an announcement party to tell of the engagement of Miss Ruth Adams Johnston to Benjamin Morton Hair.

The romantic news was revealed in the most unusual, modern and entertaining manner, via the movies. After the supper the guests were invited to view one or two professional films which were followed by the introduction of two new stars, Miss Johnston and Mr. Hair, whose histrionic ability, as filmed by Mr. Johnston, "spoke louder than words" of the couple's serious intentions.

Miss Johnston is a fifth generation Chicagoan, her great grandfather having been John Adams, cousin of John Quincy Adams, the sixth president of the United States. She was educated at the Roycemore school and at Wellesley college. At present she is a very busy young woman, being engaged in Grey Lady Work, in addition to the work she does for the Chicago Junior League at its Lake Forest book shop. She is also studying music.

Mr. Hair is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ridgeway Hair of Evanston, and is a graduate of Dartmouth college where he was a member and the president of the Phi

Upsilon chapter, as well as a member of Green Key and of Casque and Gauntlet, a senior honorary society. At present he is studying medicine at the University of Chicago. The wedding will take place next September.

Milton Roberts-GeGrude Verpahl Nuptials

Announcement is being made by Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Roberts of 65 Oak street, Highwood, of the marriage of their son Milton to Miss Gertrude Verpahl of Milwaukee, which took place Saturday, May 1, at the Lutheran Memorial church in Milwaukee at 2:30 in the afternoon. A dinner and reception followed the ceremony at the new Hotel Randolph in Milwaukee. The young couple are enjoying a week's honeymoon through Wisconsin after which they will make their home in Highwood.

Neville-Wood Wedding

A wedding of interest to Highland Park residents is that of Robert Whitney Wood, son of General and Mrs. Robert E. Wood of this city, who took as his bride Miss Elizabeth Cushing Neville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Linscott Neville of Houston, Texas, Saturday. The ceremony was solemnized at 7 o'clock at Edward Albert Palmer chapel in Houston, which was a gift of the bride's mother to the city in memory of her brothers. The chapel was decorated in typical southern manner with magnolias and calla lilies. Dr. Peter Gray Sears officiated at the service which was followed by a large garden reception at the Neville home.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was gowned in sheer white lace with heart-shaped neckline and long fitted sleeves. A long tulle veil was fastened to a coronet of lace and she carried white lilies in a lace holder. Her only jewelry was a string of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom.

Mrs. Louis Letzerich was her sister's matron of honor and Mary Wood, the groom's sister, was maid of honor. They and the six bridesmaids, all Houston friends of the bride, wore gowns of chartreuse marquisette in redingote style over matching taffetas and crownless hats, banded in chartreuse velvet ribbon. All carried large bouquets of yellow snapdragons.

Gen. Wood served his son as best man and the ushers included Joseph Rich and the bridegroom's three brothers-in-law, Edwin Tullis, Calvin Fentress and James Addington, all of the North Shore; William Hughes of Denver; John Blaffer, W. S. Farish, Palmer Hutcheson, Louis Letzerich, Morey Monmouth of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood will honeymoon in Bermuda and after June 1 will be at home in Houston, Texas.

Chooses May 22nd For Wedding

Invitations have been issued for the marriage of Miss Theo Winters, daughter of Mrs. Leander Leroy Winters, and Mr. Thales Norman Leninton, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Norman G. Lenington, which will take place Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in Trinity Episcopal church.

Mrs. Virgil Llewellyn Heases of Prairie ave., Highwood, is entertaining her bridge club Friday. Thomas Creigh, Jr., has returned to Kansas, where he is working, after spending the past two months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Creigh of Prospect ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Howes of Maple ave. spent last week-end with their daughter Judy and son Byron, Jr., in St. Louis, Mo., where they are students.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Meyers are enjoying a three weeks motor trip through the east. They will return home by way of Toronto.

The Byron C. Howes of Maple ave. have leased their home to the Harold C. Youngs of Egandale road and will live at 355 Hazel ave. for the next two years. They expect to move during the coming week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis James Stirling of Roger Williams ave. have sailed from Montreal for a short motor trip through Scotland.

Mrs. Alfred K. Stern of S. Sheridan road sailed Saturday for a month's sojourn in England.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walsh and sons Tom and Billy returned last week from a month's visit in Los Angeles, Calif., and Seattle, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Volwiler and family have moved from Yale Lane to their new home, at 2474 N. Deere Park Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lake Jr. who have been living with Mrs. Lake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Crafts Watson for the past six months, will be at home at 717 Rockland ave., Lake Bluff, after the 15th of this month.

Mrs. James C. Austin and son James, Jr., of Detroit, Mich., are visiting Mr. Austin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Austin, of DeTamble ave., this week.

Mr. Francis Brown of Winnetka, formerly of Highland Park, celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday anniversary last Thursday. Many of his Highland Park friends stopped in to congratulate him during the day.

Miss Dorothy Simpson, who has been quite ill with the flu at the Highland Park hospital, is convalescing at her home.

The Haskell Rhetts of N. Lincoln ave. have purchased the house at 1033 S. Linden ave.

Miss Janet Carlton of Chicago was the week end guest of Miss Enid Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Guyot spent last week in Olney, Illinois, visiting Mrs. Guyot's mother, Mrs. C. F. Schrey.

Mrs. A. D. Brush of Dale ave. who has been ill for the past two months, had as her callers Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jor-

jan and daughter Lillian and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Coats and son Laudell, all of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rannie Mitchell of Glencoe have moved to 309 E. Park ave. Mr. Mitchell is manager of McGuire & Orr, Inc., of Evanston and Deerfield.

Mrs. Everett Millard and Mrs. Fred Preston are enjoying a three weeks' motor trip through Virginia and Washington, D. C.

Miss Dulcie Lightner spent the week end at Rockford college, Rockford, Ill.

Mrs. John Bingham of DeTamble ave. is entertaining the Ridgewood Drive bridge club on Thursday (today).

Lt. and Mrs. E. M. Burns of Deerfield will entertain at a cocktail party Saturday evening.

Murray Wright of Northmoor rd. celebrated his seventh birthday anniversary last Saturday.

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