

# Terse Tales of the Town

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**PETER-GARDNER DATE ANNOUNCED**  
Miss Christine Peter of Grosse Pointe, Mich., niece of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Peter of Lake Forest, has chosen June 22 as the date of her marriage to Jack Gardner of Highland Park. It will be a garden wedding at the home of Miss Peter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius C. Peter.

**JAMES-WYLES ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED**  
The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Myrl James, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Frank James, and Eben Richards Wyles was announced Saturday evening at a cocktail party given by Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Robinson Pirrung at their new home, 8 Radnor road, Huntleigh Village, St. Louis.

The news was a surprise to the group of Miss James' contemporaries invited for 6 o'clock, presumably to meet friends of Mr. Pirrung. As a matter of fact, the out-of-town guests were Mr. Wyles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom R. Wyles, of Highland Park, who arrived last week for the announcement. The wedding will take place in April.

Miss James, who is called Peggy by her family and close friends, is a graduate of Mary Institute and for a year attended Les Fourgeres in Lausanne, Switzerland. Last year she was the guest of Miss Frances Lasker of Lake Forest, and her family on a world cruise. Miss Lasker arrived in St. Louis Friday for the announcement party, and is Miss James' guest.

Mr. Wyles is a graduate of the New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell, N. M., and the Wharton School of Finance at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia. For the last three years he has lived in St. Louis with his brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Anthony B. Day, 107 Aberdeen place. His other sister, Mrs. Willis Prague Coleman, lives in Madison, Wis., and his older brother, Tom R. Wyles, Jr. lives in Birmingham, Mich. Dr. and Mrs. Day gave a dinner

Friday night, at which both families were guests.

**MAY-LOESCH WEDDING**  
Mr. and Mrs. George May of Antioch announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to William P. Loesch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Loesch of Bloom street. The young couple were married in Dubuque, Ia., Monday, November 27.

A reception was given in their honor at Spearing Castle, near Antioch, Wednesday evening, November 29. The newlyweds are making their home in Antioch.

**MOYER-BURROWS WEDDING DEC. 28**

The wedding of Miss Laura Moyer and Arthur Burrows, Jr., will be solemnized Thursday, December 28, at the St. James church in Lake Forest. The family reception will be held at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Col. and Mrs. Robert G. Peck. Miss Moyer is the granddaughter of the late Mrs. B. A. Fessenden, a former resident of this city.

Mrs. Robert Peck Jr. of Hinsdale will be the matron of honor and Marion Johnson of Chicago will be the maid of honor. The groom's cousin, Peggy Burrows of Lake Forest, will be one of the bridesmaids along with Mrs. William C. Galt, Eileen Lindley and Elaine Oberwager, all of New York.

George Burrows will be best man for his brother and ushering will be William Grannis and Edward Prince of Lake Forest. Mr. Galt, James Ford Johnson of New York and Robert Caldwell of Boston, classmates at Yale university.

Dr. Duncan Browne will officiate at the 4 o'clock service. Mr. Burrows and his bride will make their home in New Haven, Conn., for six months until he completes his senior year at Yale.

**WIEDER-MERILAHTI ENGAGEMENT**

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle R. Wieder of Hiawatha Trail announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Rose, to Donald Merilahti, son of Mrs. Ellen Merilahti, also of this city. Both were graduated from Ridge school and Highland Park High school.

**HARRISON-LESTER MARRIAGE**

Victoria Harrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Harrison of Aurora, formerly of Highland Park, and Nathan E. Lester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lester of Galesburg, were united in marriage on Nov. 30 at the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Knight of Wheaton.

Wilbur Hinn, son of Dr. and Mrs. George J. Hinn, 919 Ridgewood drive, is a candidate for the Luther College basketball squad. Hinn, a sophomore, is a transfer student at

the Decorah, Iowa, institution. Wilbur plans to major in biology while at Luther.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Menke of Sheridan place are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son born Tuesday at St. Francis hospital, Evanston. The Menkes also have a four and a half year old daughter, Carol Ann.

Mrs. John O'Connell of Ridgewood drive is entertaining at a dessert bridge party this afternoon.

Miss Katherine Baird was hostess at luncheon Monday to Mrs. Richard Greening, Mrs. Harry Perts and Mrs. Hoyt Roush at the Red Lacer room in the Palmer house. While there they attended the French-American talks of which Miss Elissa Landi was one of the speakers.

Miss Phyllis Durbahn will spend the week end in Gary, Ind., where she will be in the receiving line at the marriage of Miss Dorothy Grote and Sidney William Wipke Saturday at 4 o'clock.

Miss Ruth Walbridge, secretary of the Y.W.C.A., is leaving Friday for Jacksonville, Ill., where she will be maid of honor for Miss Elizabeth Capps at her marriage to Maxwell Thompson on December 21st. Miss Walbridge expects to be back on the 22nd.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. S. Helen Hoover and Mr. Charles H. Caustin of St. Charles, Ill., which took place Sept. 3, 1939, at Gilmore City, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ewell of Bob O' Link road left for their winter home in Coconut Grove, Miami, Fla., on Tuesday, to be gone until May 1.

Mr. and Mrs. William Guyot spent Monday with their daughter's family, the Robert Umbachs, in Chicago. Little David Umbach celebrated his third birthday anniversary on that day.

Mrs. Edward D. Brigham of Yorktown, Va., former resident of Highland Park, is the guest of Mrs. L. L. Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert P. Snite spent the latter part of last week in New York. They visited for a few hours with Mrs. Albert O. Snite's father, Mr. Wallace E. Pierce of Plattsburg, N. Y., who expects to spend the Christmas holidays with his daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Leeming are entertaining at a picnic luncheon Saturday at their home on N. Sheridan road.

A number of Highland Parkers attended the Principia Mothers Club luncheon at Mandel's tea room on Monday. This is a monthly affair given by the Principia Mothers club of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thomas of Glenview avenue had as their week end guests Mrs. Thomas' brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Broom of Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. William Guyot had as their guests last week their son, Charles of Maywood, and Mrs. Guyot's sister, Mrs. C. H. Doyle of Olney, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Mather-Smith left last Thursday for their winter home at Orlando, Fla.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bahr had as their week end guests Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Pfeiffer and Mrs. Karl Kickhafer of Oshkosh, Wis.

Mrs. William F. Vetter has as her guest until next spring her cousin, Miss Clara Myhre of Norway.

Mrs. John Putnam of Prospect avenue entertained her embroidery club at "dessert" Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brush have as their guest for two weeks, Mr. Brush's sister, Mrs. Lorne English of Robinson, Ill. Mr. English, who is in New York on business for the two weeks, was here for the week end and will stop here on his return trip.

The Lake County Council of the American Legion will hold their regular meeting at Waukegan Legion Home, Friday, Dec. 15, at 8 o'clock.

Miss Edith Fyffe, 159 Laurel avenue, was one of the fourteen volunteer workers of the Chicago Chapter, American Red Cross, to be awarded their Red Cross service pins for having completed 144 hours of service in production units of the Chapter.

Mrs. Harry Cannmann of 1845 Kincaid avenue is among the patronesses for the exhibit of water colors by Edith Montlack of New York City which is being held at Mandel Brothers in Chicago during the Christmas holidays. Miss Montlack is one of the leading water color artists of New York City.

Announcement of a freshman numeral award to Tom Simpson, of Highland Park, was made Saturday at the annual Northwestern university football banquet held at the Stevens hotel, Chicago. Simpson, only five feet six inches tall, played guard, tackle, and a little at full-back on the yearling squad.

Robert H. Herbst II, 160 Ravine drive, will be among the 613 Culver Military Academy cadets who will report their departure on Christmas furlough on Friday, December 15, for a three week's holiday at home. Furlough expires on January 8.

**Oak Terrace P.T.A. Will Meet Tuesday**

The Oak Terrace P.T.A. will hold their December meeting Tuesday evening, December 19, at 7:30 o'clock. A program appropriate to the Christmas season will be presented by the school children. Refreshments will be served by seventh grade mothers of which Mrs. Nick Fiori and Mrs. Amedeo Santi are the chairmen.

**Benefit Basket Party at Alcyon**

At 2 p.m. on Wednesday, December 27, the Alcyon theatre will present a special matinee to secure food to make up baskets for the needy families of this community.

The feature picture will be "The Spirit of Culver," with Jackie Cooper and Freddie Bartholomew. Any one donating any amount of non-perishable food will be admitted.

**Young Republicans Meet**  
A meeting of the Deerfield Young Republican club will be held Friday evening, December 15 (tomorrow) at 8 o'clock in the club room in the Sher-Park building on N. Sheridan road.

**Mary Ann Zahnle Long Time Resident Passes Away Dec. 8**

Miss Mary Ann Zahnle, 62, of 909 Grandview avenue, a lifelong resident of this city, died Friday in the Highland Park hospital after a three-day illness.

The daughter of the late Jacob and Ann Zahnle, she is survived by two brothers, Martin and John, and four sisters, Mrs. Catherine Dewey, Mrs. Rose Berube, Mrs. Margaret Mowers, and Mrs. Gertrude Morton. All save Mrs. Morton, a resident of California, are Highland Parkers.


Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9:15 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Berube, to Holy Cross church, Deerfield. Interment was in St. Patrick's church, West Lake Forest.

**Iowa Parolee Turned Over to U. S. Marshal**

Wendal A. Roseborough, an Iowa parolee, who was picked up in Highland Park last week, and charged with vagrancy, was turned over to the United States marshal to stand trial before a Federal judge on a charge of transporting a stolen car from one state to another.

Roseborough admitted stealing a car in Newton, Iowa, and driving into Illinois. He was held in the Highland Park jail on \$200 bond until a report could be made on the stolen machine.

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