

# Garden Clubs, Brides-Elect, Benefits Now In Favor

## Local Garden Clubs Exhibit in Two-Day Show at Lake Forest

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North shore garden clubs participated in the Lake Forest Garden show, held Saturday and Sunday of last week in the service buildings of Mrs. Rockefeller McCormick's estate in Lake Forest. Thousands of people from Chicago and the north shore went to the show, which held some unusually beautiful exhibits.

Mrs. Arthur W. Brintnall of the Glencoe Garden club won first prize, a blue ribbon, for her arrangement in a chopping bowl. She called it "a summer salad," and the decoration consisted of blossoming chives, mints, lettuce, and salad greens. Honorable mention, a white ribbon, was won by Mrs. Devroe Getman for her arrangement of different shades of columbine in a white pitcher. Mrs. Charles Spooner received third prize for her mantel decoration. Her exhibit was noted for its delicacy of treatment. The center piece was a needlepoint painting hung above the mantel. On either side were Waterford bottles filled with single peonies. A Staffordshire figure, brass sconces, two snuff boxes and black silhouettes completed the charming picture. Mrs. Paul L. Battey won a blue ribbon for her twelve named varieties of peonies.

Miss Virginia Miller, a member of the Winnetka Garden club, won the blue ribbon for her shadow box, which simulated a seventeenth century Dutch flower painting. Over a tasteful grouping of flowers she had stretched yellow chiffon, to give it a subdued tone, an effect that received many admiring comments. Mrs. Arthur Sullivan won the third prize for her luncheon table, the appointments of which did not exceed \$14.99. A unique feature of it was that jelly molds were used for vases. The Winnetka Garden club *per se* won honorable mention for its luncheon table, which was arranged by Mrs. Alvin Bastien and Mrs. Allen Withers. The club also won third prize for its border, which was arranged by Mrs. C. Colton Daughaday and Mrs. Langdon Pearse. Mrs. John McEwen won first prize for her six varieties of peonies, and second prize for six varieties of irises.

There was so much enthusiasm for exhibiting among garden clubs and individuals that the nine classes were filled too soon for a number of exhibitors to enter. Some of the classes were closed before neighboring clubs and individuals could get in their applications.

The Home and Garden club of Kenilworth made some entries, as did the Kenilworth Garden club.

The Kenilworth Garden club won four prizes. Mrs. Walter D. Launder won two awards on her display of iris, first on her exhibit of twelve varieties of iris and first on her six varieties. Mrs. Douglas Flood was awarded third prize on flowers arranged in a pitcher, her display being snowballs in a green pitcher. Mrs. Bentley McCloud won honorable mention on her arrangement of purple and blue flowers in a blue pitcher.

## Postpone Club Dance

A dinner dance which had been scheduled for June 23 at the Illinois Golf club has been postponed until the following Saturday, June 30, because of the interest of many of the club members in the national open tournament at Olympia Fields. Many of the members will be following the club's professional around that day as he plays.

## Park Ridge Girls Will Be Guests at Ravinia July 5

The Ravinia Opera committee of Winnetka is planning to entertain the girls from the Park Ridge School for Girls on July 5. Mrs. J. Williams Macy, Mrs. Hamilton Daughaday, Mrs. Edgar Baumann, and Mrs. Ralph M. Jaeger are on the special committee arranging this entertainment.

The girls will be called for at the school in automobiles and brought to the park where a picnic luncheon will be served. It is asked that if any Winnetkan having a Ravinia coupon book finds that he will not have use for it on that particular day, he will donate it for this cause. The committee will also be glad of such donations for any other day so that they may bring to Ravinia such music students from the city who otherwise would not have the opportunity to enjoy the fine opera Ravinia affords.

## Golf Tournaments for Women Popular at Indian Hill

The tournaments held on the woman's golf days at Indian Hill have been very popular this year. Mrs. Charles A. Matz is chairman of the committee in charge. There was a member's and guest's tournament on June 13, which was won by Mrs. Hobart Young and her guest, Mrs. Clinton Merrick, of Glenview. Second place was taken by Mrs. Grant Ridgway of Kenilworth and her guest, Mrs. John Douglas of Barrington Country club. This past week the best net score was tied by Mrs. Austin Pardue (Dorothy Klotz) and Mrs. Charles A. Matz. Next week the tournament is to be for the "most five's."

## Sunset Ridge Has Unusual Events on June Calendar

Sunset Ridge Golf club seems to be one of the most active this year as far as unusual and interesting entertainment is concerned. This evening it is having its regular Saturday night dinner dance.

Next Tuesday evening there is to be a special dinner followed by a musicale for which the Banjo club from the University club of Chicago has been engaged.

Then the most interesting announcement is that of a Treasure Hunt, scheduled for Saturday evening, June 30, at 8:30 o'clock. This will be followed by a midnight supper and dancing.

## Auxiliary Meets June 27

The regular monthly meeting of the Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Congregational church will be held on June 27, at the home of Mrs. Dwight Ingram, 1423 Asbury avenue. Sewing will be supplied in the morning and the members who are planning to come are asked to bring their own box lunches.

## Gardens Open Today

Saturday, June 23, Mrs. Clyde M. Carr, Mrs. Alfred T. Carton, Mrs. William H. Mitchell, and Mrs. Edward H. Bennett are opening their Lake Forest gardens to the public under the auspices of the Lake Forest Garden club.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Stanton, Jr., will entertain at a dance next Saturday night at Indian Hill Country club. Mr. Stanton's mother, Mrs. C. Stanton of Cincinnati, is visiting him. Mrs. Arthur Griffes of Boston is also a houseguest at the Stanton home, 698 Blackthorn street.

## June Bride



Photo by Moffett

Helena Crews Bradford, at a ceremony performed in candle-light at the Union League club, Saturday last, became the bride of Garold Clairmont Jenison, a resident of Oak Park. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Bradford of 956 Greenwood avenue, Hubbard Woods.

## Five Girls Hostesses at Dance Monday Night

A party was given Monday evening at the Woman's club by five young Winnetka girls. Caroline Veeder, Doris Benson, Margaret Cobb, Marjorie McNie, and Margaret Gould were hostesses to more than a hundred of their friends.

Mrs. Stanley Rich, 461 Maple street, entertained at dinner in her home for her daughter, Virginia, before the dance. Mrs. George E. Haskins entertained in her home, 428 Cedar street, for her daughter, Jean, with a dinner for six young people. Mrs. Henry T. Stanton, 698 Blackthorn street, entertained sixteen guests for her son, Henry T. Stanton, Jr.

## Picnic at "Binkey Lodge"

Mrs. Carlton Prouty will open her summer home, "Binkey Lodge," McHenry, Ill., to the members of the Cherry Street circle on Wednesday, June 27, for a picnic. All members will meet at the home of Mrs. Richard Webster, 466 Provident avenue, at 9:30 o'clock and from there they will motor to McHenry, where they will have luncheon at 12:30 o'clock.

## Issue Cards for Tea

Mrs. Charles A. Klotz, of Winnetka, with the other officers and directors of the new Dundee Country Club which will be located at Barrington, issued invitations to members and their guests to meet for tea in the gardens of Mrs. Pettitt Watson, 900 Sunset road, Winnetka, on Friday, June 22, at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Watson is vice-president of the organization.

## Entertains Brides-Elect

Mrs. Edward P. Welles of Evanston entertained eighteen guests at a luncheon at Glenview Golf club Saturday, June 9, in honor of two brides-elect, Miss Isabel Scott of Hubbard Woods and Miss Alice Little of Evanston.

## Dancing on Beach Feature of Garden Fete Next Thursday

Stressing the outdoor note, preparations have been made for dancing on the beach at the Garden fete to be given by the Woman's University club of Chicago on June 28, at 2715 Sheridan road, Evanston. Miss Marguerite Stokes, chairman of the dance committee, has secured one of the leading college orchestras for the event and announces as a further feature, that Miss Elsa Brown, interpretive dancer, will present "Sunrise" and a group of gypsy dances for the guests at the fete.

Various water sports for the athletically inclined will add to the outdoor quality of the party, while gypsy singers, men and women, wandering through the crowd, will provide another note of color. The costumes of the various assistants at the fete have been chosen with great care. In addition to the gypsies, girls in Japanese dress will serve afternoon tea, while the dinner in the evening will be served by waitresses in garb ranging from that of the Chinese miss to that of a German peasant girl. Fortune tellers, representing every age of the craft from early Chaldean to modern numerology, appropriately gowned, will add a further note of color.

A number of attractive booths have been planned to house the various wares on sale, ranging from a book shelf, a white elephant booth, a grab bag, to candy and iced drink stands, the latter under the direction of Mrs. Merle B. Snyder of Wilmette, who is recording secretary of the club. Mrs. Clarence E. Frazier is general chairman of the event, and Mrs. A. M. Simons of Evanston is president.

## Old English Program to Open Skokie Musicales

A program of old English melodies sung in costume will mark the opening musicale at Skokie Country club Sunday, July 8, at 4:30 o'clock. The artists of the afternoon are to be Mrs. Dennis Gent, contralto, and Mrs. Gilbert Smith, soprano, who will give both solos and duets, with Hadassah McGinnin accompanying them at the piano. Mrs. Gent is the soloist at the Methodist church of Evanston and Mrs. Smith is a member of the quartet of the Congregational church, also of Evanston.

Jacques Gordon is to give the entire program at the musicale on Sunday, July 22.

## Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Seibold, 522 Forest avenue, Wilmette, announced the engagement of their daughter, Helene, at a dinner Monday night at the Lake Shore Athletic club. Miss Seibold is engaged to Thomas Shepherd, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Shepherd of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Miss Seibold is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority at Northwestern university where she will be a senior next year. Mr. Shepherd is a graduate of the University of Michigan. No date has been set for the wedding as Miss Seibold intends to finish her work at Northwestern.

## Engaged

Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Ruehl of 196 Green Bay road, Glencoe, announce the engagement of their niece, Miss Patricia A. Taylor, to Charles Russell Johnston of St. Louis. Mrs. Ruehl is giving an informal tea in honor of Miss Taylor today.