

**Barrington Hills
Girl to Be Wed in
Garden Saturday**

BARRINGTON HILLS.—Miss Kean Hughes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hughes, will become the bride of Frederick Williams of Detroit, Mich., at a service to be conducted in the garden of her parents' estate Saturday.

Bishop Woodcock of Louisville, Ky., the bride's grandfather, will officiate. The natural setting of the floral garden will form the background of the important occasion which will be witnessed by a number of friends and relatives from here and away.

Mrs. Whitehead, sister of Mrs. Hughes, will be present and is to be the guest of Mrs. Samuel Rowe during her stay.

Miss Rose Voyago Party

William Reichmann entertained a large party of his friends at the Sunday evening at the Barrington Hills Country club. The occasion was to say "goodbye" before sailing on the 17th of this month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Reichmann, for Europe. The party expects to spend the summer in Germany and Austria, devoting considerable time to Berlin, Vienna and Prague. They will be in England at the end of their trip.

Addresses Garden Clubs

Norman McClintock of New Brunswick, N. J., addressed a joint session of the Garden Club of Barrington and the Evanston Garden club at Barrington Hills Country club Monday afternoon. He spoke on "Unfamiliar Views of Familiar Forms of Life" and showed beautiful colored pictures of insects and birds. His talk and pictures were so well received that he was prevailed upon to remain for the evening in order that husbands of the garden club members might be entertained.

Personals

Misses Ruth and Vivian Read had a picnic party last Saturday for about 50 school friends from Lake Forest. Outdoor games occupied the day and a delicious luncheon was served on the lawn of the Read home.

Mrs. Andrew Dahlstrom was entertaining her father, Frank Ricketts, from Charleston, Ill. over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Buckley II entertained the Polo club with a buffet supper Wednesday evening.

Mrs. M. C. Boymer gave a luncheon Wednesday for her daughter, Mrs. William Winslow, who is visiting here from St. Louis.

Tuesday was Ladies' Day at the Barrington Hills Country club and a large number of women enjoyed golf in the morning and stayed for luncheon. Bridge was the order of the afternoon.

The Sunday school picnic at the Reichmann home Tuesday was a most enjoyable affair for the youngsters of the Dundee and Barrington Episcopal church. The inclement weather in the morning was a bit disconcerting, but did not interfere in any way with the spirits of the youthful picnickers or the success of the party later in the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickrel, father and mother of Mrs. Lester Higgins, left Monday for a western trip.

On Friday, the Forest and Garden class of the Chicago Woman's club is to have luncheon at Barrington Hills Country club and afterward visit some of the country places. Mrs. Robert Work is chairman of the committee and in charge of arrangements.

The girls' scores are to be the guests of Miss Bonnie Jean Clark at Rainbow Farms next Saturday. On June 25th, Renault Smith goes to Oak Openings, a camp for girls at Saugatuck, Mich., and

Howard Hotter goes to Three Bears camp at Green Lake, Wis. Miss Kitty Lawrence leaves Friday for a 10 day visit in Gross Point, Mich., with her friend, Miss Ann MacKinney.

**Old Mill Landmark
at Palatine Burns**

Fire fanned by a high wind Sunday night destroyed the old mill landmark at Wilson and Smith streets in Palatine and caused damage estimated at \$50,000. The place was occupied by the Feed and Paint company of Crete, Ill. E. Koelling, proprietor, and had been filled with 100 tons of baled hay and 50 tons of baled straw in addition to a large amount of small feed.

The alarm was turned in to Wesley Comfort, chief of the Palatine fire department, about 12:30 and in an hour the structure was practically razed. Cause of the fire could not be determined but it is believed spontaneous combustion was responsible.

The Palatine volunteer fire department used its three trucks in a strenuous effort to prevent the spread of flames into the Comfort Lumber yard nearby. One of the buildings in the lumber yard caught fire several times but was extinguished before gaining headway.

Burning embers from the structure were carried for several blocks in the air and kept one truck busy patrolling the streets watching for roof blazes.

The hay, straw, and feed had been stored in a building in large quantities in preparation for the opening of the Arlington Park race track.

A mill was first erected at the site 75 years ago by the late Charles Galt who operated a grist and saw mill. The first structure was burned and replaced by the second building which was destroyed Sunday night.

**Jewel Tea Sales
Gain 22 Per Cent**

Jewel Tea Co., Inc. reports that its sales for the four weeks ending May 22, 1937, were \$1,844,297.17 as compared with \$1,511,253.24 for parallel weeks in 1936, an increase of 22.04 per cent.

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The Birthday Surprise
By HILDA RICHMOND

Mrs. Hart ran into her neighbor's house to get the length of her new kitchen curtains, but was amazed to be politely asked by Josephine Darcy if she would like to see the living-room door, as something very important was going on in the kitchen. That was surprising for Mrs. Darcy was known as a good housewife, and with supper preparations evidently going on, it was most unusual to be informed that "Mama is sewing in the living room."

Sure enough the mistress of the little house was placidly darning stockings in spite of the clutter in the kitchen. She explained the situation in a low tone. "It's my birthday, and I think the children are making a picnic supper in honor of the event. At any rate I'm strictly forbidden to enter the kitchen or dining room."

"Bang! Crash! Then a series of wild exclamations from the kitchen but the door was not opened. "Maybe they have broken something valuable," said Mrs. Hart, nervously. She knew her own Billy and Lucy were in there with the Darcy children. "My two are never allowed to touch things in the kitchen, so of course they are awkward. It must be something pretty bad as they are all so quiet now."

Mrs. Hart rapped on the door to remind her children that they were staying too long, but at once a wall of protests came from behind the closed door. "Please, Mrs. Hart, just a few minutes more!" "Oh Mama, they need us so much, just now." "We don't want to go home. We are having lots of fun."

Bill Darcy "inched" the door open and whispered through the crack, "Sit through, Mrs. Hart, and see how much we have to do, but don't you tell Mother a single thing. It is a big surprise."

Mrs. Hart accepted the invitation as she wanted to see what damage had been done and who had done it. Her Billy was on his knees mopping up some water, and the only damage was a tracked door, for two saucepans had in

some way "jumped off the range" as Billy explained it. "Mom, we're having a lot of fun," he said, squeezing some water into the scrub pail. "We want to see how the table looks when it's all done."

At this moment Mr. Darcy entered with his arms full of bundles—his contribution to the picnic—and seeing Mrs. Hart at once invited her and her family to join in the big surprise. "John walked home with me, and the children are here, so we can assemble in a few minutes. But be very careful not to tell Mrs. Darcy," he said solemnly, "for it is a profound secret."

Mrs. Hart enjoyed the bologna, the lollipops, the bananas, the store cookies and the peanuts that were the children's idea of a party for their mother, but she could not help seeing that her children regarded the Darcy three as the most favored children in the world.

"Mamma, they planned it all, and saved the money for it, and got it ready without their mother knowing a thing about it," whispered Lucy Hart to her mother. "Isn't it grand?"

"Have a pickle, Mrs. Hart," urged Richard Darcy, presenting a pie pan with an assortment of copulent cucumber pickles. "You see we bought some grown-up food as well as other things. It was my

idea about the pickles." As Mr. and Mrs. Hart walked home leaving the happy Darcy family to clear up a most discouraging looking kitchen, Mrs. Hart said in a low tone, "I've prided myself on being a good mother, John, but I think there may be many advantages in Mrs. Darcy's way. The Darcy children have resourcefulness and courage and ability to carry out projects; ours would have, too, if they ever had a chance."

"I'm sure of that," said Mr. Hart. "I think I'll let Billy use

the tool shop; he has been begging to work there for a long time." They exchanged meaning smiles, and then talked of other matters.

**Library Will Extend
Vacation Courtesies**

The Barrington public library will continue a custom of former years by issuing books for an extended period of time to patrons who are going on vacations, and who would like to take books with them. Miss Olive Dobson, librarian, announced Monday.

The plan has been followed in the past and has proved popular with many patrons who enjoyed reading as well as recreational activities on their holidays, she reported.

The report for the month of May, compiled by Miss Dobson, showed that 42 adult and 13 juvenile books were added to the shelves, and eight adult and five children registrations raised the total to 1648.

Circulation during May was as follows: adult, 1006; children, 563; total 1569.



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