

dleville was maid of honor, being gowned in white point d'esprit over pink messaline, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Morgan Biggs of Grand Rapids, as best man. Miss Madeline Martin, niece of the bride, was ring bearer and Masters Robert and Laurence Martin were the ribbon bearers.

After the ceremony refreshments were served to about forty guests, Mr. W. M. Kemp having charge of the catering.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Biggs and Mrs. Harting, parents and aunt of the groom, also Mrs. Leroy W. Snell, all of Grand Rapids; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Martin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wallace, of Battle Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hawkins and Mrs. Muri H. DeFoe of Charlotte; and Dr. and Mrs. Garfield Inwood, of Chicago.

The groom is a graduate of the engineering department of the U. of M. and has been located in Jackson for the past two years. The bride is known to all residents of the village.

They left on the evening train for an eastern trip and will be absent about

#### Entertained Her S. S. Class.

Thursday evening Mrs. Nina Hill entertained her Sunday school class at the home of F. F. Ambrose from seven to ten o'clock, where a most enjoyable time was spent by the young ladies. During the evening numerous games were indulged in and a trip through Europe was enjoyed by the class. Light refreshments were served.

#### Tendered Farewell Reception.

Last week Tuesday evening at the Methodist church a very pretty reception was tendered by the church people to Prof. W. M. Covert and family, Mrs. D. H. Eveland and Miss Mott, all of whom leave here soon to make their homes in other places. Prof. Covert has been at the head of the local school for the past two years and Miss Mott has been one of the primary teachers the past year while Mrs. Eveland has kept house for her sister and a couple of the other teachers. All have made many friends here during their residence and everyone wishes them abundant success in their new homes, wherever they may chance to be.

During the evening music both vocal and instrumental was enjoyed as well as short talks and a social session. Ice cream and cake was served to those present and was thoroughly enjoyed.

#### JUNE 26, 1912.

A message from Clare Sprague of New York announces the birth of a little daughter at their home June 19th. Weight 7½ pounds. She will answer to the name of Elizabeth Frances.

Mark Hammond is at home from Mt. Vernon, Ohio, for a few days' visit. He goes from here to Hudson, N. Y., for a visit with his parents and brother.

John Faust of Detroit is named as one of the assistant sargent of arms at the Democratic national convention now in session at Baltimore, Md.

Miss Catherine Griswold of Charlotte, and a former Vermontville girl, is enjoying a month's outing at the St. Clair Flats.

#### JULY 3, 1912.

Mrs. Mae Scarville of Greenville came Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Benedict and left for Philadelphia Tuesday for a few weeks' stay with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Fuller left Monday night for Detroit and from there they go to Lake Orion to attend a family reunion and 60th anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Rowley, which will be held July 4th.

Mrs. L. W. Snell and daughter returned to Grand Rapids Tuesday. They are moving into their new home, just purchased on Madison ave., in the south part of the city.

Mrs. John McCarty and daughter, Miss Marguerite McCarty, are visiting their numerous friends in and about Vermontville for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Town and children were over Sunday guests of H. H. Church and family.

Mesdames F. F. Ambrose and Nina Hill went to Battle Creek Tuesday morning for a few days' visit.

#### Married in Chicago.

Announcements have been received here by his many friends of the marriage of Homer G. Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown, to Miss Wilhelmina Hofkamp of Chicago at the home of the bride's parents in that city. Rev. N. W. Henderson performed the ceremony in the presence of about twenty friends of the happy couple on Wednesday, June 26th.

Dwight Davis of Vermontville acted as Homer's chief supporter in this important event. The happy couple at once took the train for Vermontville where they are now enjoying a few days' visit, returning to Chicago this week. After September first they will be at home at 2754 Polk street.

THE ECHO, as well as hosts of other friends of the happy couple, wish them unbounded happiness.

Last evening about seventy-five friends of the family dropped in at the spacious Brown home north of town and extended greetings to the bride and groom and spent a most delightful evening. During the evening light refreshments were served and a number of fine presents were left as a token of esteem and friendship.

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