

### Lake-Smith.

A charming home wedding was that which took place at two o'clock this afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Smith, when their daughter, Beulah Edna, was united in marriage to Mr. Glenn A. Lake. The ceremony was a very quiet affair, only the near relatives of the contracting parties being present.

At the appointed hour the wedding party, attended by Miss Laura Church and Vincent Hams, took their places under a green and white wedding bell near the south window in the parlor when Rev. St. Clare Parsons pronounced the impressive ring ceremony which made them husband and wife.

The bride was gowned in cream tulle trimmed in lace and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley while the bridesmaid wore green and carried red carnations. The house was very prettily decorated in white and green, with myrtle, snowballs and carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Lake have always lived in Vermontville and are both graduates of our high school. Since leaving school Mrs. Lake has very successfully taught school, and Mr. Lake was for several years the assistant postmaster. They have a large circle of friends who extend to them best wishes and congratulations.

A dainty luncheon was served to the guests after which the young couple left on the evening train for a two weeks' trip to Kalamazoo, Ferrisville and other points. On their return they will be at home to their friends for the present with the parents north of town.

### Moore-Park.

A very pretty home wedding was solemnized this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Park when their daughter, Ethel Beth, was united in holy wedlock to Mr. Wm. H. Moore. Promptly at 2:30 the bridal couple entered the parlor to the strains of the Lohengrin wedding march played by Miss Beth Rasey of Charlotte. They were preceded by the Rev. Ray W. Merrill and accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barningham. The ceremony was performed in the presence of about thirty relatives and friends.

The bride was attired in white silk and carried white roses. The bridesmaid wore white net over silk. The house was prettily decorated with carnations, smilax, maple and ferns. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received.

The out of town guests were Mrs. Esther Park, grandmother of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Park and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Park, of Sunfield; Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Porter, of Carlyle; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bump, Florence and Dale Bump, of Hastings and Mrs. Alex Rasey and daughter Beth of Charlotte and Mrs. Moriah Mayo of Edmore. After the ceremony a dainty two course luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore leave tomorrow for a visit to Mr. M.'s home in Gotham, Wisconsin. After July 1st they will be at home to their friends at 222 N. Church St., Hastings, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore are both well known and highly esteemed in Vermontville, Mrs. Moore having always

lived here, and Mr. Moore having been for three years connected with the creamery here, serving for some time in capacity of manager. The congratulations and best wishes of a host of friends go with them to their new home.

Mrs. Della and Catherine Griswold underwent an operation at Streeter hospital, Chicago, Tuesday, May 24th, and are both recovering nicely. They expect to be able to come home in about three weeks.

### JUNE 8, 1910

Miss Edith Martin is expected home from Mt. Pleasant Saturday and plans to spend her summer vacation taking a trip through Europe with a party of teachers.

Neil Wilde, who is now in Detroit, came Sunday for a few days visit with his sister, Mrs. Vance Barber, and brother Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Inwood are at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hammond, having returned from Chicago Monday.

### JUNE 15, 1910

Wm. Jordan, who was a resident of this place for a good many years, died at the county house on Thursday last. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock and burial was at the cemetery in Chester. Mrs. Jordan will remain at the county house until other arrangements can be made.

The six young ladies who comprise the senior class, Misses Nina Remalie, Cora Hope, Etna VanVleet, Pearle Thompson, Lucile Pendill and Winifred Wells, accompanied by the faculty and escorted by the juniors to the sweet strains of the music played by Miss Pearl Hawkins marched at the appointed hour through the center aisle and took their places on the stage.

The musical program for the evening was especially fine, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilde, C. M. Rosebrugh of Olivet and H. F. Clarke of Benzonia, rendering numbers that were of a very high order. The senior class are to be congratulated in securing so fine an addition to their program. Miss Nina Remalie gave the salutatory, Miss Pearle Thompson the prophecy, Miss Winifred Wells the valedictory, Miss Hope a recitation, Miss Lucile Pendill and Miss Etna VanVleet had orations. Each part was well given and showed long, painstaking effort on the part of the graduates to endeavor to entertain their friends and families and, as explained by Miss Wells, to justify the years work in school.

At the close of the exercises R. L. Hammond on behalf of the school board and faculty presented the much coveted and looked for diplomas to the class in an earnest and graceful manner, referring to their work both in the school and in the future now they have left school and have to make their way in the world.