Gadabouting in Baltimore

Enolia Pettigen Is Wed to Betha McMillan, Hampton

with LULA JONES GARRETT

Santa Claus has been hastily hooled back up the chimney and plans for the reception of the infant 37 are jockeying into shape in the manner of the lush-plush post-war days. Not, that the saint didn't get a rollicking welcome, but not of the variety that this Friday will see.

Zeta Phi Beta will hold what of the fraters that haven't forsaken the threshold for other conclaves, to the heath, when on Thursday evening their annual formal will flare. There will be a flock of small, but in no way quiet flings, including Dr. and Mrs. George Allen's formal, to usher the infant in.

But before swinging into the future, how about a few jots of the past week.

A line here some months back that Enolia Pettigen, president of the Maryland Teachers' Association, was wearing a ring on that finger, sequestered Saturday, when she became the bride of Betha U McMillan of Hampton, Va. They were married at the home of her mother Mrs. Elizabeth Pettigen, and were off this week-end for parts untold. Mrs. McMillan is a member of the Booker T. Washington Junior High School faculty and he, a native of Alabama and a grad of the School of Agriculture of Hampton Institute, is engaged in the poultry and fruit business at Hampton.

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A swing to the nation's capital that evening brought into evidence thus vuhry gay party that marked the eighth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Reeder, and entertained their house guests, her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Turner, and Neil Thompson of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burford of High Point, N.C., Dr. and Mrs. Edward Williams, Mrs. Louise Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Salvertera, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Howard, Jr., Miss Dorothy Shaed, Lawrence Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hurt, Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Hill (the latter thru couples of Baltimore) Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rouse, and J. G. Adams were about.

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On the local heath, Coach and Mrs. Talmadge Hill flung a gay one for their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burford of High Point, N.C., Tuesday evening, with dancing in order and a buffet spread that rivaled all the tables of the holiday, in evidence. Nell Thompson from Boston, the B. F. Turners, also from Bean Town, the Sylvester Reeders and Earline Steward from Washington, the Daniel Clarks, the Everett Knoxes, Coach and Mrs. Edward Hurt and the Mark Pattersons were there—there 'til 'twas four and the day was plainly not a wasting. The following evening Mr. Clarke Rodgers, who is practically the same bunch, augmented by Chauncey Adams of Washington and the John Rodgers hereabouts, and on Thursday the Thompson (who had jockeyed back to Boston) and Mrs. Steward. The party really was fun, for the hosts had assembled practically all the games in existence, the girls went informally paraded, and early in the morning there was the most delicious food.

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Mrs. Elmira Tibbs Collins was showered by the L.L.L. Bridge Club of which she is president, last Monday night. Instead of the darkened room and shouting of "surprise" Elmira came to what Dorothy thought was club meeting with Miss Sadie Bryant, of the Virginia Hall, as hostess to play 'Around the World Bridge."

She, as America, opened her envelope in which was a card which read "A shower from the L.L.L.'s to Ellie."

Lois Carr, Ethel Henry, Mercial Gordon, Mae Taylor, Sadie Bryant, Mildred Jones, Ivy Boone and Mae Mathews, club members, represented countries of the world to which they took the bride to visit and find her gifts. Color scheme was yellow and green with a bride's cake as the table centerpiece.

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Another of the holiday visitors who came in for a bit of swank entertaining were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Moore of Philadelphia, brother and sister-in-law of Mrs. Albert Hall, who were at home Sunday afternoon to some fifty guests.

The parents of the visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Moore, were in line with the holiday spirit, Mrs. Flossie White assisted in entertaining.

Among those who called were: Mr. Annie Pearl Avery, Hampton, Mrs. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Amos, Mrs. Cornelia Briggs, Mrs. Hattie Tyler, Mrs. Eva Brown, Mrs. House of New York, Mrs. Alberta Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Ella Rideout, Dr. and Mrs. Carson Johnson.

Mrs. Mary Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Salem Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Wilkes, Miss Odelia Smith, Richard Pratt, Mrs. Bessie Anderson, Mrs. Victoria Drew, Miss Alma Thomas, Mrs. Laura Collier, Mr. and Mrs. B Brewer, Mrs. Ethel Harris, John Jones, Mr. Edward Jones.

Mrs. Loretta Nottingham, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Nixon, Mrs. Ida Conley, Mrs. Dora Atkins, Nebemiah Haughton, Mrs. Callie Alexander, Mrs. Laura Bailey, Miss Hattie Tilghman, Miss Elizabeth Brent, Mrs. Carrie Conley, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Eva Shorts and James Neal.

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As for the peregrinators: It was the end of a week that the A.K.A. sorors sweptod to Louisville in, chartering private cars, the gathering began in New York, where Mrs. Lulu Jackson, supreme basileus, Mrs. Ruth Handy, grammatheus, Mrs. Lucy Hale, board-member, joined the train.

To be joined in Philadelphia by Mrs. Ethel H. Lyle, founder and supreme basileus, Mrs. Ethel Irene Baxter, supreme epistoleus; Mrs. Verona Beckett, parliamentarian, Mrs. Lola Garrett, basileus of the chapter; and Miss Mamie Davis, and a jot of Baltimoreans, including Mrs. Edna Over Gray, North Atlantic regional director; Miss Mabel Locks, basileus of Epsilon Omega chapter and Mrs. Hattie Carter;

they picked up in Washington: Dr. Dorothy Boulding Ferebee, basileus of Xi Omega chapter; Miss Marjor Hollomon, basileus of Beta Lambda chapter and Miss Carolyn Welch; and to the Kentucky town.

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Delta Sigma Thetas to New York included Beatrice Hayes, Virginia Murphy, representing a Philadelphia chapter and Beatrice Smith from here. Mrs. Vivian Cook was hurriedly called to Memphis when a brother was seriously injured by an automobile. Marion Saunders of Upper Hill is seeing the town's jolly wreaths from the hearth of the Moncure Browns. Dr. Maybelle Worthy and Edna Brown, R.N., were here from Nashville, Tenn., where they are analyzing medicine at Meharry. Mildred Grinage Harris, in New York, declared that there's nothing like being there for a holiday.

A private car of collegians made a merry thing of getting from Oberlin College home. They picked up at Cleveland the miles with Sylvia Oden, Esther Cooper, Helen Wells, Reginald Matthews and Kermit Mehlinger and Booker Booker of Washington. William Murphy of Iowa and twenty-five white boys and girls.

Roderick Traylor of Los Angeles, and Calvin Brent of Philly, recently of Meharry Medical College, made the home brighter for a few moments, this week. Mrs. Frances Turner White, with Mr. and Mrs. Lester S. Norris and their son, Lester, Jr., and cousin, Charles Parker, did the week-end in Virginia. Mrs. White visited relatives in Richmond ere going on to Portsmouth for a bit of society. The Joseph Henrys were home with her parents, the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Waters in Trappe.

Friday

The sub-deb set tell that Dr. and Mrs. George Allen's party for their niece, Emily Price, was the tops. The party Tuesday evening, set a gay pace for the youngsters to keep. The honoree wore a lovely frock of aqua crepe in the tunic manner and with silver accessories. Ursula Brown selected pink moire taffeta with silver accessories. Margaret Brown, pink and blue taffeta; Gwendolyn Thomas and Helena Sawyer, green swing frocks; Lenetta Gilbert and Audrey Smith, red taffeta; and the Murphy twins, Vashti and Carlita, white and green taffeta frocks; Misses Ruth Watts, Bernice Young, Blanche Hubbard, Laurence Hardy, Olive Jones and Ethel Jackson were also of the misses, and Lincoln Gordon and

Ridgeway Fortune, of Washington; James Gilliam, Harry Cole, Arthur Craigler, Jesse Clark, Richard Hill, George Gilbert, Vernon Branche, Kenneth Robinson, Charles Harden, Otho Ringgold, Robert Smith, Wilbert Mercer and Jerome Thomas.

At eleven-thirty the gay group gathered about the Christmas tree for refreshments and at twelve-thirty they were gently, but firmly sent home.

East Baltimore

By CHARLIE

Christmas candle light services were held at Dunbar High School No. 13, Tuesday.

Friends of Florence Butler gave her a party at her home, 231 Anna St. Friday night.

Around and about were: Walter Booth saying sweet things to Erma Hill while Leonard Gray was trying to her for a dance. Odell Atkins, who

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. Lark, Mr. Anna Wesley, Milton Weaver.

MISS CHANEY HOSTESS TO DINNER

Miss Lillian Chaney of 400 Gold Street entertained at dinner Sunday even ... the following guests: Mr. Mr. Mr. Charles Mr. Mr. Mr.