Lehr, Anne

LOCAL WAVES GIVEN FAREWELL BY FRIENDS

Margaret Maddel and Anna Lehr Are Guests at Parties.

Misses Margaret Madden and Anne Lehr, Bethlehem girls who are leaving next week for four months' training in the WAVES, the Women's Naval Reserve, have been honored at a number of farewell parties this week.

Miss Madden, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Madden, 342 Ninth Avenue, was guest of honor at a surprise shower last night at the home of Mrs. J. Buchanan Ewing, 714 High Street. Mrs. Ewing the former Gretchen Wunder, of Allentown, was co-hostess with Mrs. John J. Fischel and Miss Jean Luppold. Miss Madden is leaving on Tuesday for Naval training at Smith College, Northampton, Mass., where she will graduate in four months as an ensign. She was graduated from Smith College in 1941 and has been employed by her father.

Guests at the affair were Misses Virginia Seiter, Shirley Taft, Mary Bowes and Mrs. Otis Thompson, all of Bethlehem.

Miss Lehr, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ellis Lehr, 1522 West North Street, is leaving next Wednesday for Oklahoma A. and M., where she will undergo, WAVES training as a yeoman.

She was guest of honor on Monday evening at a dinner given in the American Hotel, Bethlehem, by a group of her former co-workers at the Weston-Dodson Company, where she was employed for two years after her graduation from Moravian College for Women. She recently started work at the Bethlehem Steel Company.

Miss Lehr was presented with a box of stationery marked with the Navy crest.

On Wednesday night Miss Otis Thompson, 79 West Market Street, entertained at a surprise bridge-shower for Miss Lehr. Guests were Misses Harriet Seiter, Nan Nivin, Marian McCall, Caroline Beidenbach, Mrs. J. Buchanan Ewing, Misses Nancy Reichard and Mary Elizabeth Birk, all of Bethlehem.

Miss Birk was hostess at a surprise party for Miss Lehr last night at her home, 1028'North New Street. Present were Misses Constance Gomory, Marion Keenly, Mary Luch, June Foering, Grace Malloy, Harriet Seiter and Marian McCall, of Bethlehem, and Marjorie Fulmer, Easton.

Miss Lehr received a leather stationery kit from the group.