

Nearby Country Clubs Plan Special Activities for Labor Day Weekend

Mrs. A. W. Collins Entertains Her Niece at Linen Shower

Mrs. A. W. Collins of Glenview was hostess Saturday afternoon at a linen and lace shower in honor of her niece, Miss Sara Margaret Scates of Pontiac, who became the bride Saturday of Ward O. Warren, also of Pontiac.

Lunch was served buffet style from a table attractively cased with a ruffled bowl holding white gladioli and red dahlias. White tapers were placed on either side of the table.

Invited guests included the bride and groom, Mrs. G. Scates, Mrs. Charles W. Warren, mother of the bride-elect, Mrs. Frank B. Read, Mrs. Isabel Smith, Mrs. F. E. Nelson, Miss Edna Nelson, Miss Virginia Lester, Miss Virginia Becker, Miss Ethel Stokes, Mrs. Charles Swayer and Miss Terrioh of Pontiac; Mrs. J. D. Collins of Buffalo, N. Y.; Mr. William A. Mathers, Mrs. J. D. Reagan, Mrs. W. S. Simpson, Mrs. Charles Danneberg, Mrs. J. G. Garber of Detroit; Mrs. George R. Fryman and Miss Jane M. Fryman of Flint and Mrs. Howard Silverman of Ferndale.

At the bride-elect's home, Mrs. A. W. Collins, seven year old daughter of the bride-elect, was the flower girl at the wedding ceremony which will be performed at the home of the bride's parents, Henry Clay avenue, Pontiac.

Guests from Flint Are Feted at Tea

Miss Phyllis Allen entertained at Sunday afternoon tea this week at her home on Ridgeway avenue in honor of her houseguests, Miss Elizabeth and Miss Eleanor Heystack of Flint. The guests, who spent the weekend in Birmingham, returned to their home on Sunday.

Garden flowers served as a centerpiece and bore out the color motif of lavender and pink. Miss Gloria Gruber presided at the tea table and assisted Miss Allen about the house was her sister, Miss Patricia Allen.

Guests invited to the Sunday afternoon affair in addition to the guests of honor and Miss Gruber were Dorothy Barrett, Jane Ellen Ford, Barbara Houghton, Elizabeth Gruber, Carol Clark, Marjorie Stutte, Betty Wagoner, Nelson Bricker, Frank Beazick and her houseguest Miss Alice Hochuli of Beaver Falls, Pa.

The Misses Heystack were also honored at a small affair on Saturday evening at which time Miss Gloria Gruber was hostess.

Hills Hostesses Honor Visitors

Miss Katherine Ford of Pittsburgh, who is leaving today for Atlantic City, after a six week visit with her sister, Mrs. Joseph H. Hunter of Bloomfield Hills, has furnished the inspiration for a round of informal parties the past few days. Mrs. Robert C. Traub entertained on Tuesday, at a small luncheon at her home on West Long Lake road, and the Misses Sly complimented the visitor on Wednesday with a luncheon of 14 covers at Rotunda Inn. Last week, Mrs. Frank L. Bromley was hostess at a luncheon for Miss Ford at Fox and Hounds Inn.

Sunday evening, Miss Ford shared honors with Mrs. Edward H. Higbee, Jr., of St. Louis, who is visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Morley, of Cranbrook road, at a small dinner given by Mrs. John T. Shaw at "Whysall."

Include Golf and Tennis Tournaments Among Special Events of Holiday

Special activities to celebrate the last summer holiday have been planned by the various country clubs in this section of the country and will include, in addition to the regular golfing activities, dinner and tea dances, special games for children and in one instance an outdoor barbecue.

The barbecue, which is an annual event at the Plum Hollow Golf Club, is scheduled for Monday at the club and will begin at noon and last until about 4:30. A buffet dinner, to be served from 5:30 to 8:30, will follow this barbecue. Races for the children and games for the grown-ups, such as egg throwing, are being planned also for Monday afternoon. The Plum Hollow club is arranging for a dinner and dance to be held on Saturday evening and on Sunday the main event of the day will be a two-ball foursome followed by a buffet dinner in the evening. W. A. Paxton is in charge of all plans for this Labor Day weekend and is being assisted by a committee consisting of Roy L. Pointer, Walker Davis and Fred W. Lines.

Hal A. White is in charge of the three day golf match which will be played for the president's trophy. The trophy, which is presented by Stewart L. Ferguson, president of the Plum Hollow Golf Club, is awarded for the best scores for the three day play. Between 300 and 400 persons are expected to attend this club during their special Labor Day weekend festivities.

Holiday weekend plans at Oakland Hills Country Club include a dinner and dance Saturday evening. Dinner will be served at 6:30 and dancing will continue from 9 o'clock. A buffet dinner on Sunday is being planned and on Monday a mixed two-ball foursome will be played during the afternoon. Dinner will be served at 6 o'clock on Monday.

Included among the special golfing activities which have been planned are a Pine Valley Country Club is the 36 hole medal play which will be held on Saturday Sunday and Monday. There will also be a pitch and putt contest as well as match play against par.

A dance on Saturday evening will officially open the weekend festivities at the Orchard Lake Country Club. A tea dance has been arranged for Monday afternoon. Special entertainment has been devised for the children. Men's golfing events for the holiday will include a 36 hole sweepstakes for all classes, approaching and putting contests and 18 holes low medal tournament each day. Women golfers will find their time occupied by a two day ringer, a driving contest and a putting contest scheduled to be held on Monday.

To those interested in tennis the Orchard Lake Club offers the finals of the mixed doubles and the men's doubles which will be played on Saturday. The finals of the club championship are scheduled to be played on Monday.

In addition to the dance being planned at Bloomfield Hills Country Club Saturday evening, a hole medal play is scheduled for Saturday and Sunday at which time special prizes will be awarded to the winners in Class A and Class B.

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Bustle Back



You've heard about the bustle's return to style—and here it is. Not as large as the "back porch" of 1890, you see. Modern bustles are adaptations of old time type. On this fall and lace gown, effect is achieved by huge bow.

Birmingham Man To Wed in Detroit On Saturday Night

Miss Marian Liebold, one of the popular young Detroit brides-elect, will become the bride of Dr. Dean Nickerson in a ceremony to be performed Saturday evening in the Methodist Episcopal Church, Detroit. Dr. Nickerson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nickerson of Oakland avenue, Birmingham. The reception, which will follow the wedding, will be held at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club.

The bride-elect's sister, Miss Kathleen Liebold, will act as maid of honor while the bridesmaids will be Ruth Liebold, Mrs. Ernest Liebold, Miss Mildred Simms, Mrs. Harry Skillman, II, Miss Adele Skillman and Miss Lorraine Liebold.

Dr. Nickerson's best man will be Dr. M. R. Veiss of Detroit, and ushers will be Ernest Liebold, Jr., Harry Skillman, H. Russell Liebold, Philip Morgan, Dr. George Olmstead, Nelson Liebold and Richard Taylor.

Tuesday evening Dr. Veiss was host at the bachelor dinner which was given at the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Liebold of East Boston boulevard, Detroit. Out of town guests for the wedding who are staying with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nickerson at their home here on Oakland avenue are Mrs. B. A. Nickerson of Boston, Mrs. H. E. Smith of Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gulliver of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Gulliver, Buffalo, N. Y. and Mrs. Philip Morgan of Flint.

Local Garden Club Invited to Plymouth

Members of the Birmingham branch of the National Farm and Garden association have been invited by the Plymouth branch to attend their annual flower show on Sept. 5 and 6 to be held in the Central Grade School auditorium. Members of the local club have also been invited to attend the annual all ornamental horticultural field day at Michigan State College on Wednesday from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 in the afternoon.

This special day is designed to bring to Michigan home gardeners the latest information on diseases and insect control, cultural details and garden planning, and to give them an opportunity to see all of the new varieties of plants in the trial grounds including annuals, perennials, dahlias and gladioli.

It will also provide an opportunity to see the great collection of trees, shrubs and plants of all kinds used throughout the campus of Michigan State College and especially in the Beal-Carrfield garden. A tour will be conducted through the forestry department's nursery. Provision have been made for the use of the college picnic grounds on that day.

An invitation has also been extended by the Detroit branch of the association to attend the flower show which will be held in Section 7 and 8 at the J. L. Hudson company.

STAHLL AND SAWYER WIN

Due to a mistake it was erroneously reported in last week's issue of The Eccentric that Byron Nelson and Ade Van Lierie had won the Forest Lake Country Club. In actuality Nelson and Van Lierie were defeated in this match.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Dickenson of Pligwin avenue and Mr. and Mrs. John L. De Gurse of Yorkshere road spent last week-end visiting at the Gurse's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas De Gurse in Marine City.

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MANY things go into the making of an artistic, appealing picture—and not the least important is the point of view.

In fact, the viewpoint determines the type of picture you get. Consider a picture of a person out of doors. Stand back thirty feet to take the picture, and you get a landscape view with a figure in the foreground. Stand only a few feet from the subject, and you get an informal portrait with the minimum of background. In other words, if you want to feature the person get close to your subject. If it's the landscape you want—stand back.

Angle shots are unusual and attract attention. Shoot from an elevation, and you get a "bird's-eye" view of your subject. Shoot from below and you get a "worm's-eye" view. The resulting pictures of the same subject from the low and high viewpoints will be quite different and they will lend variety to your snapshot collection.

For example, the picture above was snapped from the beach below the diving board. If the snapshot had been perched aloft in the diving tower, with his camera pointed downward toward the pair on the springboard, his picture would have been quite different—entirely because of the difference in viewpoint.

In this picture, a K-3 filter was used on the camera lens to darken the sky and emphasize the clouds. The water has been selected to be a dark, almost black, to make the light that is 1/50 second at f.8 was correct. Had the picture been taken from a high viewpoint, with camera pointed down toward the water, no filter would have been used, because the water photographs dark without it.

Next time you're taking pictures—and today is as good a time as any—try snapping the same subject from several viewpoints, high, low, close-up, and distant. Then compare the pictures. You'll readily see how viewpoint helps you to control the arrangement of your pictures. You can simplify backgrounds, eliminate undesirable parts of a scene, make all sorts of changes—all by moving left or right, forward or backward.

This is one sure road to better pictures—study different viewpoints; choose the best one to tell your story—then shoot.

John van Gulder