

## Parties Precede Tomorrow's Rites

Bride-elect Miss Ann Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Snyder of Colonial court, has been honored at many final pre-wedding parties, before her marriage tomorrow to Robert Alkens of Pierce street.

Among the recent affairs was a dessert luncheon and shower on August 22, given by Mrs. W. J. Dauscher and her daughter Catherine in their home on Berwyn drive.

On August 23, Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. Rowland were co-hostesses at a party shower and dessert luncheon for the bride-elect in the Rowland home on north Adams road.

MRS. ERNEST W. SEAHOLM and her daughter Gretta, entertained for Miss Snyder last Thursday at an evening dessert and shower in their Kennewick road home, and on Friday, a dinner and round-the-clock shower was given by Mrs. Breitweyer and Mrs. Coons in the Breitweyer home on Madison avenue.

Among the her bridesmaids, Miss Mary Powers, entertained in honor of Miss Snyder at a spinster dinner in her Chestnut street home last night.

THIS EVENING, the bride's

## Separates Are Quick Change Artists



This trimly tailored shirt has convertible neckline and French cuffs with pearl cufflinks. Pearl buttons march down the front to match the cufflinks.

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Snyder will entertain at cocktails in their home on Colonial court, to be followed by the rehearsal dinner given by the B. Allen Alkens, Jr., family, in their Pierce street home.

## Accessories Change Their Character

NEW YORK—Since separates are an important part of fall fashions, the choice of a blouse counts. A blouse should be able to team nicely with more than one suit or skirt in any wardrobe. It should undergo a subtle change in appearance with each switch in jewelry, scarves, or ribbon.

One blouse which meets all requirements is a faultlessly-tailored shirt with convertible neckline which acts as a foil for scarves or jewelry. The pearl cufflinks set into the French cuffs match the buttons which march down the front.

Another blouse which fills the bill has a Peter Pan collar. Tailored in sanforized broadcloth, with ocean pearl buttons, it's a classic style which will outlast extreme trends. The neckline will take a pearl choker, a pendant, or a bit of velvet ribbon and a jewel.

With each new piece of jewelry, this shirt will change character.

## "Millenium Sunday", Jones Dance-Drama Opens Sept. 7

An unusual type of entertainment will be presented next week at the Cranbrook Greek Theater in Bloomfield Hills, when "Millenium Sunday" opens.

The production, a dance-drama conceived by Austin Jones, University of Illinois student and local resident, is a story presented in modern dance with chorus and orchestra accompaniment, and will bring to the Cranbrook outdoor stage, some of the non-professional modern dancers of the Detroit area.

DIRECTING THE dancers is Miss Marion Neville Kirk of Birmingham, who also composed the original choreography for the work.

Art Chatfield of Berkeley, has trained a group of singers which, together with the orchestra, under the direction of Jerome Neff of Birmingham, creates the intense mood of the drama.

Music especially for the production was composed by William Maim, a faculty member at the University of Illinois.

PRECEDING THE performance of "Millenium Sunday", will be a series of modern dance demonstrations, in which Miss Kirk will present some of the more typical forms and styles of modern dance. Meanwhile, David Lyle of Berkeley will comment to the audience, explaining the various movements and rhythms.

Also included in this section before the drama are several dances done to different accompaniments. Among these are dances in which Miss Kirk will interpret T. S. Eliot's poem "The Hollow Men", read by David Klute, and a piece for the percussion.

## Past Presidents To Give Musical, Tea

The Past Presidents Assembly of the Birmingham Musicales will give a musical and pink-envelopes tea on Sunday, September 10, at 3:00 p.m. in the Yarmouth road home of Mrs. Earl Bartholomew.

The program will be given by Carol Rosenberg, who will present two piano groups and Phyllis Gardner, soprano soloist, accompanied by Esther Melly.

The affair, sponsored by the Past Presidents Assembly of the Birmingham Musicales, which includes Mrs. Norman Lyle, Mrs. Frederick Byington of Ardmore, Penn., formerly of Birmingham, Mrs. W. Whiting Raymond, Mrs. D. L. Tate, Mrs. Earl G. Potter, Mrs. Barth, Mrs. L. H. Thomas, Mrs. Herbert H. Gardner, Mrs. Essie McMechan, Mrs. L. B. Sapington, Mrs. William Lloyd Kemp and Miss Dorothea York of Royal Oak.

All Past Presidents Assemblies of the National Federation of Music Clubs, are the financiers of the awards given the Young Artist Contest Winners at the federation's biennial convention.

Deadline for society club news is noon each Monday.

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## Symphony Group Holds Auditions

Under a new stream-lined system of management and with many of the Detroit area's distinguished women musicians holding important positions in the Women's Symphony Orchestra announces auditions for its fourth season.

Auditions for all instruments will be held by Victor Kolar, conductor, on Tuesday evening, September 5, in the First Congregational church at 4724 Woodward avenue. To complete arrangements for addition, musicians should contact orchestra chairman Mrs. John H. Ostreike of Field avenue in Detroit.

FOUNDED FOUR years ago by the Tuesday Musicals, the organizational details of the orchestra have been handled by the Tuesday Musicals executive board, of which a local woman, Mrs. Arthur E. Titon of Franklin road, is a member.

Two concerts are planned and rehearsals will be held weekly beginning September 12 in the First Congregational church. Orchestra members have the privilege of membership in Tuesday Musicals and younger members of the orchestra are admitted to the music club's "student league."

## Social Briefs

Mrs. and Mr. William R. Yaw of Bloomfield Hills with their daughter Betty and sons Bill and Jim returned last week from Europe, where they spent the summer.

Mrs. Walter L. Fry of Pierce street left last week for a visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey J. Letchworth of Buffalo, N. Y., in their summer home at Glenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Shepherd of Barbour terrace have been entertaining as their guests at a spinster dinner on September 6.

Included in the round of bridal showers being given by Mrs. C. G. Edden and her daughter Patty, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bones, partner of the bridegroom-to-be will be hosts at the rehearsal dinner, September 7 in their Adams road home.

OTHERS WHO have recently entertained for Miss Tjandra include Mrs. M. S. Perry Williams who gave a tea Friday at her home, "Strawberry Hill", Mrs. Harrison Thurston who also hosted for a breakfast on Tuesday, Miss Sharon Murphy, and Mrs. L. Shadler.

Miss Caroline Kinn gave an evening party on August 28 and Lee Daly honored the couple at a cocktail party on August 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Thompson of Birmingham avenue announced the birth of a son, Daniel Ralph, on August 25. Mrs. Thompson is the former Leah Torrance.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Meisen of Buflord street announce the birth of a daughter, Nancy Irene, on August 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Dee Conrad of south Bates street, announce the birth of a son, John Christian, on August 23. Mrs. Conrad is the former Bernice Opp.

## Garden Club Tea

The Bloomfield Hills branch of the National Farm and Garden association will hold a white elephant tea on September 17 at the home of Mrs. Horace P. Shaw on Woodward avenue in Bloomfield Hills.

Mrs. Shaw's committee is now gathering material for the Garden club's bazaar which will be held at Turtle Lake Farm, the home of Mrs. Leslie Green, on October 6.

## New Student Week

It has been announced by college officials that all new students leaving for Kalamazoo college will have the campus to themselves for the week of September 13 through 19, when the town students will also be invited to live in the college dormitories. This will enable all the new students to become acquainted with their classmates before the opening of classes on September 20.

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## Barbara Brenkert Wears Traditional Candlelight Satin

Miss Barbara Brenkert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne D. Brenkert of Franklin road with Richard E. Diederich vows Saturday

father, the bride was crowned in candlelight satin fashioned with a madiera lace bertha and illusion neckline. Her finger-ring veil fell from her matron of honor and she carried a bouquet of white roses and staphyleths with ivy streamers.

The bride's sister, Mrs. James R. Fuller of Cincinnati, O., served as her matron of honor and another sister, Miss Phyllis Brenkert was her honor maid. The bridesmaids were Mrs. William S. Gilman of Detroit and Mrs. Thomas M. Elliott, Jr. of Pittsburgh.

ALL THE ATTENDANTS were gowned alike in white organza frocks with matching garden hats and they carried bouquets of red roses.

Acting as best man was a brother-in-law of the bride, James R. Fuller and the ushers were William C. Sellers of Cincinnati, Samuel Fuller of Cleveland and William L. Albaugh of Dayton.

Following the ceremony, a garden reception was held at the Franklin home of the bride's parents after which the young Mr. and Mrs. Diederich left for a motor trip to Canada.

UPON THEIR return, the couple will reside in Oak Park, Mich.

## Orchard Lake Club

The Orchard Lake Country club will have an informal Labor Day dinner on Saturday, September 2, with music provided by Ralph Bowman and his orchestra.

The women's golf championship was won last Friday by Mrs. E. Wright Young, when she played off the final tournament with Mrs. Vern B. Meyers.

## Mrs. Richard Diederich

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Diederich of Richmond, Ind.

The ceremony was solemnized in the First Baptist church with the Rev. Emil Kontz officiating.

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The only available new supply is in Australia, and this supply is being auctioned off this week. It is expected that prices bid will be more than 25% higher than they were in June—three months ago. All the world will try to buy that remaining supply.

If American buyers are successful they will pay a very high price. If they are unsuccessful, then wool will soon become a rare fabric. At no previous time has the wool market been so critical.

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**CATS CAN LAUGH**—Cats in Savannah can laugh at Jiggs 'cause he's not much of a menace anymore. Owned by Shirley Ann Grimes, the pooch wears a pair of sturdy crutches as a result of a fall from a second story fire escape. He gets around surprisingly well, however, and expects to send feline fur flying when his broken front legs mend.