



JANE DAY
Wearing 'of the Green'

Designers' Field Day at Hat Show

By ALICE E. MORGAN

Had someone started to sing the old song, "Where Did You Get that Hat?" at the Birmingham country club last Wednesday, he would have been deflected by a chorus, "I did!"

Members and guests paraded an astonishing array of "original" hats as the club reopened after a brief vacation with a "Mad Hatters Show."

Against a background of "Orton Plantation Gardens," reproduced in the paper of the newly decorated dining hall, the ladies showed their fashions in an amazing collection of creative designs.

PICTURE HATS literally became picture hats, with rows of photos on crown and brim. "Wearn' of the Green" not only honored St. Patrick, but signified the "wear and tear" on the golf course green.

Housewives turned to kitchen and sewing equipment and might colorfully be termed "sewivists."

Spring and Easter, of course, were prominent themes for the hat decorations but in spite of the popularity of the two, there were no duplicated designs.

HATS SHARED the admiration of the audience with the new decorations which included draperies of gold fibreglass boules, a chair rail depth wall of Madagascarian cloth in coral yellow and a colonial-type lights for the main dining hall.

The private dining room has Paris scenes in its wallpaper, draperies of Shell Gou fibreglass and sand color woodwork for the chair rail.



MRS. ROBERT T. GRAY
Knows where bunny is



MRS. TED CHICK
Tea for Two



MRS. W. F. SAEFKOW
A Stitch in Time

When one's efforts are seen to be along without too much trouble, one is inclined to slow down in his inner desire to reach the higher levels of life; so often it is only when we are troubled that we focus thought on God.

Bloomfield Garden Club Schedules Floral Expert

A floral designer that takes exhibits like those for Detroit's 250th anniversary celebration in his stride, will be talking at the next meeting of the Bloomfield Hills branch of the National Farm and Garden association.

The news that George Tolbert will soon speak to the group was to be revealed to the board of directors who met today at Mrs. Louis Savage's home on 14 Mile road, Franklin.

Hostessing the board members, with her daughter, Mrs. William Kahn, assisting, Mrs. Savage was serving luncheon after a 10:30 a.m. business meeting conducted by Mrs. J. Hawley Osis, president.

TOLBERT's talk at the April 16 meeting will probably include references to one of his annual activities, that of heading up arrangements for the garden-club section of the Michigan Flower and Garden Exhibition at the State Fair.

Tolbert, recognized as one of the outstanding floral designers of the country, has also made special exhibits for the Detroit Art Institute.

The 1:30 p.m. meeting will feature, as well, a May basket contest. Members are asked to bring miniature May baskets, for judging after Tolbert's talk. Ribbons will be awarded and the baskets will be donated to the patients at the Pontiac State hospital.

THE COMMITTEE ASSISTING Mrs. Robert C. Vanderkloot, exhibitions chairman, with plans for

the April meeting include: Mrs. Donald D. James, Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mrs. J. Edwin Watson, Mrs. H. E. Steegal, Mrs. Edward P. Turner, Mrs. Felix Burnett, Josephine Collins and Mrs. Louis Savage.

Miss Bennett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bennett who reside at 1234 Willow Lane in Birmingham.

Will Price Wins Beverly PTA's Vote; Unit Hears Talk

William Price was elected to the presidency of Beverly Parent-Teacher association in a meeting that featured a talk on parents' influence on children's attitude in schools.

He and other officers, including King Kibby, father vice-president, were elected at the last Wednesday's meeting at the school.

The travel will be headed him by John Tomes, who was first president of the unit for the new school.

Price's staff includes Mrs. V. S. Madison, mother vice-president, Abe Swart and Mary North, teacher vice-president, Mrs. E. A. Zawdini, recording secretary, Mrs. Robert Groves, corresponding secretary, Mrs. Dalton Lamb, his-

torian, and Stanley Andersen, treasurer.

THE TALK AT THE meeting was by a University of Michigan instructor in education, William H. Mills, who is connected with the university's high school.

"More education could and should go on at home," Mills told the parents and teachers, referring to the statistic that a child spends only 17 percent of his year's time in school.

The parents' attitude towards new modes of teaching, if critical, often gives the child a lack of respect for his teacher, he said.

SUCH REMARKS AS "things weren't done that way when I was in school" or making jest of the way teachers do things, should seldom be uttered in front of children, he suggested.

A child's readiness to learn reflects the parents' interest," Mills told the group.

The all-day session was held in the studio of the group's instructor, Miss Vera Kline.

Part of the program, arranged by Mrs. Robert Hamilton Brown, consisted of sound movies, "Beauty in Stone" and "Sculpture in Old Mexico." Mrs. Brown's son, Keith assisted in operating the movie projector.

Supper Meeting Set for March 27

Area members of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom will have a 6 p.m. supper meeting at the Big Beaver road home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Chalk on March 27. Mrs. Chalk is taking reservations.

William Price of the Detroit Urban League will speak on "Segregation in the Suburbs."

B'ham PTA Meets

Typical interviews between students and grade counselors will highlight the March 26 meeting of Birmingham high school PTA. Interviews will show how students are aided in the selection of a college during the 8 p.m. program in the Little theater.

Birthdays, anniversaries, guests, births, parties are all new—call the society editor about them.

Suburban Scene

Weather in 70's Gives Pangs At Returning from Bermuda



GEORGE POGGENS IN BERMUDA CLIME
Travel on company-awarded trip to island.

Lathrup Villagers Are Home After Sales Award Trip East

By FRAN MAIER

"Now is the time when the weather's best in Bermuda," said George Poggens as he and his wife stood Monday morning, looking at their suitcases.

They had just reached their home at 27877 Rainbow circle, Lathrup village, and were contrasting the chill Michigan morning with the 60 to 70 degree weather they had left in Bermuda.

A few flowers are blooming and the trees are just opening their buds. Poggens said as he opined that the coming week would bring temperatures up to the 70 to 80 degree bracket.

The two were guests at the Castle Harbour hotel in Bermuda for two days, on two-day cruises on the Queen Bermuda liner to and from the island, and several days in the Waldorf-Astoria in New York City, all sales awards from Frigidaire corporation.

POGGEN, WHOSE WORK as sales manager for the Michigan district takes the length of the state at least once a month, was one of six distributors across the nation whose sales during October-January months topped the firm's 42 distributors.

Dealers working through Poggens at the Detroit branch office who won and spent much time with them on ship-board and at the barbecue and tours they took at Bermuda, were the W. H. DeMattias of Farmington and a Grand Rapids couple. Nearly 200 were in the entire group.

Sail on Luxury Liner

The Charles E. Carr, Jr., family, including sons, Douglas and Christopher, Kirkshire road, Southfield township, left this month for a cruise to the Southern ports of Bermuda and Nassau. They sailed from New York harbor aboard the luxury liner "S.S. Ocean Monarch."

Collegians Travel Afar

A sophomore at Randolph-Macon Women's college in Lynchburg, Va., is vacationing with her college chums in Bermuda and they are headquartered at the Elbow Beach Surf club. She is Linda Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan M. Ball of Shirley field. Linda is on spring vacation and plans to stay in Bermuda for 10 days. She was also recently elected treasurer of the Tri Delta chapter.

Home from Winter Vacation

The Lloyd A. Southards returned to their Maple lane home this week after a ten-week winter vacation in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

'Cinemas Holiday' guests

Mr. and Mrs. Roland A. Neworth of Chesterfield road entertained at a dinner party at the Detroit Athletic club last Thursday evening, then taking their guests over to Music Hall to see "Cinemas Holiday." In the party were the Denton Emmerts, the Robert Taubs, the Donald Qualifes, the Edward Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marsh.

Chi Omega Pledge

Carol Hogshead became a pledge of Chi Omega at the organization's meeting this month at the Alpha Epsilon Phi sorority house at the University of Missouri.

Carol was among the eight pledges who heard Dr. W. V. Scholes, professor in the University history department, discuss "American Foreign Policy Since 1945" for Theta Sigma Phi, honorary professional fraternity for women in journalism.

Miss Elizabeth Toomey, feature writer for United Press, was a special guest and told of some of her experiences.

Miss Hogshead was graduated from Birmingham high school in 1952, where she was a member of the Quill and Scroll and associate editor of yearbook. A junior, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brent K. Hogshead of Henrietta.

A Birthday Celebration

About a hundred have been invited to attend the birthday party which the Frederick L. Robinsons will give March 26 for Mrs. Robinson's mother, Mrs. Richard English, at her home in Bloomfield Hills. Mrs. English has just returned from spending the winter in Santa Barbara, Calif.

Out-of-town guests expected are Mrs. English's aunt, Mrs. E. A. Walton of Meadville, Pa., and cousin, Mrs. Frank Stevens of Cleveland.

DAC's Fortieth Year

Detroit Athletic club is going to have a 40th birthday anniversary next month and members of the Birmingham-Bloomfield area, as well as those in Detroit and Grosse Pointe, have their sights set on the glamorous celebrations which will mark the occasion.

DAC's big clubhouse at 241 Madison Ave., Detroit, was formally opened on April 17, 1915.

The festivities arranged for the observance of the club's "fortieth" will start April 9 and cover a nine-day period, culminating on April 11 with the actual birthday party.

On this day, there'll be an open house and a tea dance (Continued on Page 6, Sec. 2)

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COMMUNITY HOUSE CALENDAR

Thursday, March 24	6:30-8 p.m.—Buffet Dinner (by reservations)	6:30 p.m.—Hi-12 Dinner
8:45 p.m.—Public Health Nurses Dinner	7 p.m.—Birmingham Highlands Property Owners Assoc.	8 p.m.—Duchate Bridge
9 p.m.—Free Lark Writing Class	8 p.m.—Stamp Club	
9 a.m.—Painting Class		
Friday, March 25	9:30 a.m.—Painting Class	10 a.m.—International Relations Class
10:30 a.m.—Senior Workshop	1 p.m.—PEO Meeting	1 p.m.—Enameling Class
7 p.m.—Bridge Class	7:30 p.m.—Oakland Hills Women's Club Meeting	7:30 p.m.—Youth Activities Group
8 p.m.—Musical Concert		
Saturday, March 26	10 a.m.—Painting Class	11:30 a.m.—Oakland County Dept. of Health Nurses Meeting
7:30 p.m.—Youth Activities Group	9 p.m.—Coterie Dinner Club	9 p.m.—Duchate Bridge
Sunday, March 27	9 a.m.—Sewing Class	10 a.m.—10 p.m.—Adult Education Exhibit
9:30 a.m.—League of Women Voters Board Meeting	1 p.m.—Drawing Class	