

Parties Original

By VIRGINIA COLE

Are you planning to give a bridal shower this summer? Why not make it a little different and have a brush shower? Telephone your area representative of a nationally famous brush company and he will call at your home. You may then select any and all kinds of brushes the bride will need in her new home. Divide the cost of the total purchase between the guests.

The selection might include dust mop, floor mop, waxer, bowl brush, bottle brush, bath brush, broom, dust pan, silicone dust cloth, wall brush and clothes brush. Such a group would set the bride up with practically all the brush items she will need in her home.

THE REPRESENTATIVE will be glad to give you a vegetable brush with a round head and short handle for each guest. These you dress as a bridal party and they serve as favors.

To dress them, cut a set of prominent eyelashes from black felt and a pair of lips from red felt. Attach these to the round, center section of the brush giving an abstract version of a face. The remainder of the brush serves as the hair.

Use white pipe cleaners, bent to form arms and attach to neck of brush. Curve them so they will appear to be holding flowers. Attach a few tiny artificial flowers to the hands or use small bouquets in color, cut from magazines. Attach baby ribbon streamers to the bouquet.

FOR THE SKIRT, cut a circle out of wide satin ribbon. Cut a tiny circle in the middle for the waist. Fit this around the top of the brush handle and it makes a flared skirt. Now your bridal party will be complete unless you prefer to add extra trimmings of some kind.

One brush should be dressed as the bride, of course, and the rest as bridesmaids. Make a bride veil of white tulle for the bride and her dress should be white. Present the gifts to the honored guest by way of a balloon bridal

bouquet. Use about five pastel colored balloons. Before inflating, place inside each balloon two or three slips of paper bearing a short verse as to where she may look to find the gifts.

INFLATE the balloons and tie each one to a stick that has been wrapped in green crepe paper for a stem effect. Tie them together with a large tulle bow.

Hand the bride her balloon bouquet and a corsage pin. To find her gifts, she must puncture one balloon at a time and locate her gifts from the directions in the verses.

Sample verses might be: There is an abstract version of a face. The remainder of the brush serves as the hair.

To Play Concerto In Piano Recital

Miss Sonia Jane Frank, 14-year-old daughter of the Anthony W. Franks, 540 S. Cranbrook, will be one of the students in a piano recital Friday night at MacGregor library in Highland Park.

Sonia will play Beethoven's "Elegie" and Greig's "Concerto in A Minor," with orchestral arrangement by her teacher, Dorothy Layman, and a clarinet solo, Romberg's "Desert Song."

Society deadline is 3 p.m. each Tuesday.



RELAXING AFTER a day on the course are Mrs. Samuel E. Gawne (left) of Franklin, who participated in the Wolverine amateur tournament, and Louise Suggs, of Lithia Springs, Ga., who finished among the top seven in the LPGA contest at Forest Lake country club. The two were snapped at a dinner party given by the club in honor of the contestants.

Graefield-Derby

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Two Troyton Manor Families Welcome Little Newcomers

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Population is increasing in Troyton Manor, with additions to two already-established families. The earliest newcomer was Nancy McElhinney, born last month to Mr. and Mrs. Warren McElhinney, 1517 Whiteherb road. Nancy weighed 6 lbs., 11 ounces. She has a brother, Mark, 15 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miner, 1054 Norwich, Troyton Manor, welcomed Richard Williams, Jr. on June 8 at St. Joseph hospital. He weighed an even six pounds. He joined sister, Pam, 4, and brother Randy, 15 months.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carey and two children, July 2½, and Lee, 14 months old, are moving today from their Graefield Terraces apartment to their newly purchased home at 10937 Hummel, Birmingham. They have been residents of the terraces for over two years.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shaffner of Graefield Terraces spent a weekend recently at their summer home located on the Manistee river, above Cadillac. Their guests included their nephew, David Brandon who is spending a few weeks vacation from his home in Tankhannock, Pa. with the Shaffners. They also had as weekend guests, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Frank and Michael Moore, all of the terraces.

ST. JANE'S GUILD

St. Jane Guild members all from Troyton Manor, had their get-together for members and husbands June 23 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nanny, 925 Norwich. A Dutch treat supper was served, and dancing in the Nanny's recreation room. This affair closed this season's activities for the guild. Sixteen couples were present.

Mrs. H. J. Begrow, 1772 Graefield road, had a farewell party at her home recently for Mrs. Robert Carey, who is moving from the terraces today. Dessert and coffee were served on a table with centerpiece of pink flowers and with black and white accessories.

Afterwards, guests made a list of things Mrs. Carey would miss most about the life at Graefield and presented it to her as a memento.

Guests attending were Marge Shannon, Joyce Draughty, Susan Wilhelm, Wilma Busby, Leola Stevenson, Kitty Stahl and Mary Overman.

Household goods of every description are offered for sale in the Classified Columns of The Birmingham Eccentric.

WILL-O-WAY

Playhouse PRESENTS "The 7-Year Itch" "A Bit Tickler" Coming July 3rd for 2 Weeks NIGHTLY EXCEPT MONDAY Curtain 8:40 Air Conditioned Midwest 6-2222 For Reservations Lower Lake Rd., Near Telegraph

Beatrice Snyder Wed In Double-Ring Rites

The marriage of Beatrice Katherine Snyder and Kenneth Owen Schoelen, Jr., was solemnized at Lutheran Church of the Redeemer Saturday at 1 p.m., with the Rev. Theodore Wugazzar performing the double ring ceremony.

Beatrice is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Snyder of 715 Falmouth drive, Walnut lake, and short veil was attached to a rhinestone-studded shell cap. She carried white daisies.

The bride's ballerina length gown was nylon net over taffeta. Her Matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Everett Swanson, of South-

field township, who wore pale pink dotted swiss with matching lace shell cap.

JOY ANN SNYDER, another sister, gowned in pale yellow dotted swiss, and Carol Lynn Alexander of Lincoln Park, a cousin, in pale blue, were honor maids.

The three attendants carried pink daisies. The best man was Charles Grundland, and ushers were Albert Hanson and Everett Swanson, Jr. The reception following the ceremony was held at the Snyder home, where Mrs. Snyder received the wedding guests in a pink princess style dress to which were pinned white carnations. Among

the out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Grogdin of Flint, godparents of the bride.

Following a honeymoon in northern Michigan, the couple will make their home in this area.

Attends Playhouse

Shirley Jo Nikodem who is active in Will-O-Way playhouse activities, is attending a six-week course at Pasadena Playhouse in California. She is the daughter of the Joseph Nikodem of Northville, formerly of Lathrup Village.

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