

Kettler's Capers

Surprise Guests Surprise Guests

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Doubly surprised last Saturday evening was Thelma Setzer when guests and more guests and still more guests kept arriving at her home at 28002 Walnut St. It seems that Lois DeVriendt and Gladys Kellman had planned a surprise party for Thelma and thinking that Harry might let the cat out of the bag, they purposely did not tell him. Not knowing what they were planning and wishing to surprise Thelma also, he invited a group of friends, so when the fateful evening arrived, both groups of friends came, making a total of about 26 who had gathered to make Thelma's birthday a joyful one. Things turned out all right, though, for the two groups combined and enjoyed an evening of Trippioli. It being a surprise party, the "gang" brought the sandwiches, relishes, etc. that go to make a delicious buffet supper. Mrs. Fred Edgenberger of Long Beach made and decorated the cake—all in pink and white, even to can-dles. Thelma tells me that she was really surprised and the others report it was a grand party with everyone enjoying themselves to the utmost. The lovely gifts received by the honoree will long be cherished.

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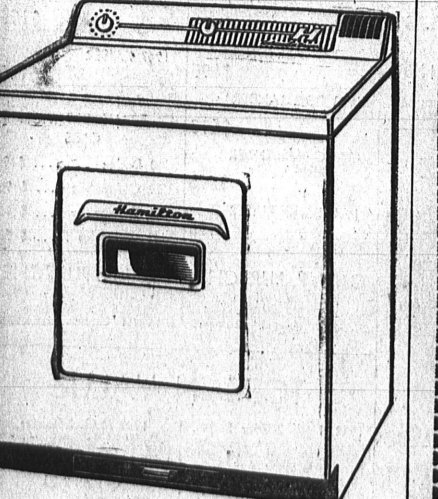


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such as "drop the handkerchiefs" week at brushing up on their skilling and skating recently. In each small guest received a favor and his helping of ice cream and decorated birthday cake.

More Kettlerites visiting in the south recently were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. "Bill" McEwen of Reynolds Dr. Because Bill likes deer hunting so much, he and the "missus" spent two months in Jonesboro, Ark., at their headquarters. While not hunting, side trips were made into Mississippi where Mrs. McEwen was born, and Tennessee visiting with friends and relatives.

Tommy Palumbo celebrated his second birthday recently with a family gathering at the Palumbo home on Calamar St. Those attending the Sunday afternoon group and bringing gifts to the birthday boy were aunts Mrs. Katherine Gibson and daughter Christine, Mrs. Connie Gossett, Frances Palumbo, and great aunt Frances Sincce and son Frankie. Also there were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Haley, for whom small Tommy was named. Decorated cake and ice cream were served after Tommy opened his gifts.

Badger Pass, in upper Yosemite National Park was the place Rod and Inga Clark of Schilling Dr. chose to spend a birthday cake was cleverly de-

corated with a big pocket book and Mary Musso and Ruth and Joe Huggins, he got especially bold and would go from one hole to the next sticking his head way out and looking around as if daring the residents to do something about him. Little did he know that his fate was sealed, for with Inga Clark and Tommy Nichols after him Mr. Gopher dared stick his head up just once too often. It was quite an exciting event for the neighborhood kids and even

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