

## **The Giddings News**

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### **Miscellaneous Shower.**

Mrs. Ted Osthoff and Miss Minnie Dunk gave a miscellaneous shower Tuesday evening in compliment to Miss Ruth Kilian, bride-elect of Milton Namken. Attractive spring flowers were used in house decoration, bridal wreath, white stocks and dogwood predominated. Upon the arrival of the honoree, Mrs. Milton Schroeder and Miss Ruby Liberty sang "I Love You Truly." While Margaret Nerger said an appropriate verse, a shower of rose pedals fell on the bride-elect, after which she was presented with many beautiful gifts brought from beneath a large white umbrella. After the guests had written their advice to the bride-to-be, refreshments consisting of tuna fish sandwiches, olives, potato chips, angel food cake and punch were served. Favors were miniature white umbrellas.

The guest list included Mesdames Martha Kilian, Paul Pratho, Emil Hilsberg, Herm. Moerbe, John Kilian, John Pratho, Ernst Kasper, Erwin Wagner, M. C. and Hm. Gruetzner, Hy. Stroebel, Herm. Luecke, Louise Schneider, Rudy and August Namken, Henry Nerger, Bill Pratho, Milton Schroeder, Theo. Preusser, Paul Nerger, Eddie Hoffman, Fred Moerbe, Ted Osthoff; Misses Ruby Liberty, Beatrice Knippa, Magdaline Tschatschula, Minnie Neitsch, Ellie Osthoff, Katherine Holtkamp, Marie and Emily Schroeder. — Moebus: Margaret Nerger, Mignonette Pratho, Ruth Kilian and Minnie Dunk.