

WHO'S WHO and doing what

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YOU HAVE a special date in the offing--a most momentous date--Here you are, going to be married AND here we are, the VOICE'S Wedding Consultant, offering you free advice.

One experienced in planning weddings can be an invaluable consultant for the family of the bride for every marriage ceremony, small or large, formal or informal, should be conducted according to rules of correct wedding etiquette.

The Consultant can advise on every facet of this most important social event in any girl's life--the ceremony itself, the reception, the ordering and addressing of invitations, the reservation and preparation of the church (or the planning of a home ceremony); even the selection of the bridal attire.



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FOR THE small wedding, the professional planner can offer suggestions to shave expenses. Invitations do not have to be engraved. One can be ever so practical about converting a once-used formal such as a debutante's gown into a bridal gown and it doesn't take a miracle--only imagination and a good dressmaker.

Weddings can cost from \$50 up to \$5,000, but even the most inexpensive one can be a miracle of beauty, if planned correctly. Remember, it is the father of the bride who pays the bills.

THE WEDDING AT HOME

There's no place like home for a wedding, if this is what you want. Any type of ceremony is suitable for a home wedding, but there are points to be considered. The size of the home determines the number of guests unless the ceremony is planned for a garden, and it may have limitations. The bride may come down a stairway or enter with the bridal party from any convenient entrance. There is no recessional unless the receiving line (and there should always be one) is in another room. If this is not the case, after the vows are recited and the groom has claimed his bride with the traditional kiss, the bridal party simply turns around to receive congratulations from the guests...Refreshments may be served at once, if desired.

FOR THE CHURCH OR MORE FORMAL WEDDING

The confident bride can smile all the way down the aisle on the arm of her father because she has wrapped up every detail from announcement to the ceremonial cake cutting.

She gave herself ample time to choose the church and reception locale. She compiled the guest list after consulting with her fiance's mother on division of invitations. She had addressed invitations by hand and, three weeks before THE DAY, mailed them allowing two weeks for guests' R.S.V.P.

She had wisely checked final gown fittings of her attendants as well as herself and made sure that Father had the proper clothes (dependent on the hour of the ceremony). She has given the caterer a tentative number of guests expected and selected hostesses to serve at the reception. She has also provided for displaying and keeping a record of each gift received. She is aware that each gift must be acknowledged with a hand written note at the earliest possible date.

LOVE IN BLOOM

Your bridal bouquet should be selected with great care so that it is designed for matching the personality of the bride and suitability for her chosen attire.

KEEP IT CANDID

Select an excellent photographer (and a dependable one) so that you may always have proof that you were never more gorgeous and your

COSBY RECEIVES AWARD



TV star and comedian Bill Cosby, left, and Dr. Millard E. Gladfelter, president of Temple University, right, hold plaque signifying the "Order of the Owl" award presented to Cosby by Temple University's General Alumni Association at Temple's annual Founder's Dinner on Saturday, April 8, 1967, at the Bellevue Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia.

Center is Nathan C. Barr, president of the Alumni Association, who presented the award to Cosby at the dinner. The "Order of the Owl" honors Temple alumni who "have attained a respected position in their community, professional or business life and have in this manner brought honor to the University."

Cosby, a former track and football star at Temple University, left the University in his junior year to enter show business.



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bridegroom more handsome than on the day you became one...Photographs in "living color" are more beautiful, but it is advisable to take one or two in practical black and white for purposes of reproduction in the social columns.

WHEN FEWER FRILLS ARE ADVISABLE

There's no age limit on love, and an older bride, even if it is not her first marriage, may have a church ceremony if she chooses. It is perfectly proper for her to wed in a Chapel without processional or recessional and, in contemporary etiquette, it is acceptable and correct for her children to be her attendants. Soft colors in a suit or a dressy afternoon ensemble is de rigueur and the bride may wear a corsage or even carry a small bouquet, but never, never does she toss the bouquet. A reception is proper in a locale of her choice--hotel or home.

AND AWAY YOU GO

The honeymoon, by car, air, train, or water to any destination of the couple's choice, should be selected in a locale that will provide cherished memories for both husband and wife for all the years ahead.

A NOTE FOR GUESTS

Make her a present of a memory by giving her something useful--for every time she uses your gift, it will bring back memories of her most glorious day...But remember to send your gift to the bride's home before the wedding (one just does not take gifts to the church) and bear in mind that whether it is the most costly crystal or a kitchen colander, it will be adored and appreciated by a grateful bride because it was a wedding present.

KIT CARSON COUNCIL MEETING TONIGHT

Mrs. Johnnie Mae Armstrong, Chairman, and Mrs. Addie Reid Blake, Service Worker of the Kit Carson Neighborhood Council, urge all residents of the Kit Carson School area and other interested persons to attend the Council's monthly meeting tonight (Thursday).

Guest speaker at tonight's meeting will be Arthur J. Grant, Minority Group Service Officer of the Nevada State Employment Service.

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