



## New Eagle Scouts

Scout Troop 161, which meets in First Presbyterian Church of Farmington, had four of its members reach the rank of Eagle Scout in the end of the year Court of Honor this month. The new Eagle Scouts are (from left) Mark Green-

bury, William Salisbury, Brian Corey and Gerald Smith. The troop has existed for more than 18 years. Only five scouts reached the Eagle rank in that period of time. Now the four have nearly doubled that number in one year.

## Club Circuit

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**WOMEN OF NORTH FARMINGTON** elected Mary Bertach as president when the club held its 18th installation luncheon at the Danish Club this month. She will work with vice president Elaine Rousseau in the group's 1976-77 year.

Others who took office are Wilma Fater, Marianne Ormond, Ann Carter and Mary Boles. Outgoing president Pat Muzzarelli announced the past season was the most profitable the club has had in 18 years of service to the local community.

Fund raising monies were disbursed to New Horizons of Farmington, the Farmington Advisory Council, Farmington Community Center, Farmington Chapter of Michigan Association for Children with Learning Disabilities and the Farmington Library.

Persons wishing membership information are asked to contact Mrs. Boles, 628-2978.

**PIONEER WOMEN**, Greater Detroit Council, installed Ruth Miller of Farmington as its president for the coming year. The ceremony marked the beginning of the 51st year of the organization in the metropolitan area, and was led by Bessie Berns of Farmington.

Farmington residents who took office were Betty Rath, who will serve as executive vice president, and Billie Kramer, who will serve as vice president of education. The chapter is headquartered at 2855 Middle Bell, Farmington.

**LALACHE LEAGUE** of Farmington invite all women in the area who are interested in breastfeeding their infants to learn about the local chapter by contacting Joy Parker, 477-7847.

**AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION**, (ABWA), Twelve Oaks Chapter

Chapter has named Elizabeth A. Brown Woman of the Year. She is a supervisor for Blue Cross Blue Shield. She will represent the local chapter in competition for the 1976 national "Top 10" Women of the Year and the American Business Women of the Year awards. Membership inquiries will be taken by Mary Ellen McQuade, 751-7830.

**HILL AND DALE GARDEN CLUB** will hold its final meeting for the year at 8 p.m. June 18 in Farmington Community Center. Hostesses for the evening will be the club's board members. The program for the evening will be a series of slides, shown by the club photographer, Mrs. Richard Angelo.

**SENIOR CITIZENS SOCIAL CLUB** of Farmington meets June 11 at noon in First United Methodist Church social hall on Grand River and Warner. Guests are asked to bring a sandwich for lunch. Card games will be available for afternoon recreation.

**FARMINGTON NEIGHBORS' CLUB** winds up its season with an indoor potluck and white elephant auction June 16. Luncheon is served at noon in the Farmington Community Center. The event is open to the public, but reservations are required through Helen Brunner, 478-0025.

**NARDINEERS**, senior citizens group sponsored by Nardin Park Methodist Church, meet for lunch at noon June 16 in the church on Eleven Mile and Middle Bell.

**CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB** of Detroit invites single persons to dance in Penna's Restaurant, June 18, beginning at 8:30 p.m., to music by Sorrento's Band. Information about the club is available through Eileen McGuire, 679-8318.

## Activity ideas for deaf children

A pamphlet titled "Home Guide for Arts and Activities for Preschool Hearing-Impaired Children and Others" is now available from the National Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

The six-page special article by Ed Shea, who draws on experiences of working with his seriously hearing-impaired son, is a reprint from the December, 1975 issue of the Society's professional publication, *Rehabilitation Literature* and its contents are of special interest to parents and those working with hearing-impaired children.

Shea is a New York state certified industrial arts and art teacher, who did undergraduate work at State Teachers College, Plattsburgh, Mass. and graduate studies at State Teachers College, North Adams, Mass. During a year's leave of absence from the Scarsdale, N.Y., school district, in which he taught in the related arts department for 18 years, he studied methods and materials being used to educate hear-

ing-impaired children.

In pursuing his goal to upgrade the services being offered and to facilitate improved communications in this area, Shea

describes many activities that can be selected by parents to encourage the mental, physical and creative growth of their hearing-impaired children.

## Sewing tricks

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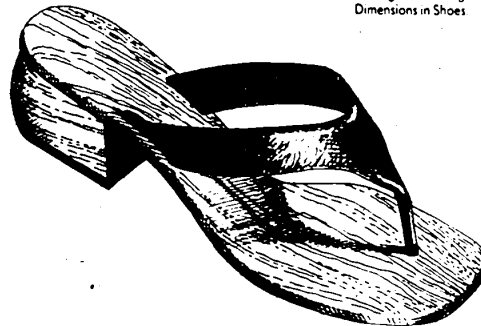
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**THE AFTERNOON** wound up with Mrs. McKinnon telling her guests to "wear what looks best on you and what you feel comfortable in, find the right sleeve length and hem length that is best for you." Then about a dozen guests walked away

with door prizes of original scarfs, designed by Mrs. McKinnon, after learning as many different ways to wear and use them.

Three original scarf patterns designed by her can be purchased in the center, for 25 cents, and are sold as a benefit to the center.

Mrs. McKinnon is a former model, a dress designer, a lecturer on sewing as well as a sewing instructor. She lives at 2508 Ridgewood Drive in Farmington.



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