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## The lively needle

# Pillow is perfect Valentine

The nicest part of February is Valentine's Day. And a very personal kind of valentine is this romantic, puffy heart made by you for someone very special.

The heart can be embroidered on evenly woven fabric, or needlepointed on any gauge interlock canvas. In either case it is backed and stuffed, and then trimmed with lace. A small heart is a charming pin cushion; a large one, a delightfully romantic pillow.

Draw your heart shape on a piece of paper. Fold the paper in half down the middle of the heart. Cut through both thicknesses of paper along the line you can see. Your pattern will be symmetrical.

Trace the heart on fabric or interlock needlepoint canvas, using a waterproof pen. Stitch small hearts over the entire surface of the large heart, following the diagram. Use embroidery floss on the cloth, and stranded needlepoint yarn on the canvas.

Experiment to determine the number of strands of wool or floss needed to cover your cloth or canvas. Remember to keep your strands parallel, not twisted.

YOUR SMALL hearts can be stitched in red, pink, or white. Or try alternating any two of the colors. When the needlepoint pattern is finished, fill in the background with the third color in the basketweave stitch. The embroidery won't need any background stitching.

Buy enough white lace to make a ruffled border around the heart. Run a basting thread through the edge of

the lace and gather it. Baste the gathered lace to the edge of the needlepoint heart. Right sides should be together, and the lace should lie facing the heart's center.

The backing of the pillow could be velvet, corduroy, felt or the fabric used for embroidery. Place right sides together. Machine-stitch along the edge of the needlework, beginning on the upper right curve of the heart. Sew down around the center dip, over the left curve and down to the bottom point. Turn the point and stitch up the right side for about one-half inch. Secure your thread.

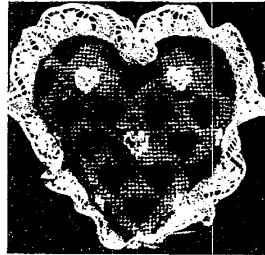
During this stitching, be careful that the lace stays in place. You only want the edge caught in the seam.

TRIM ALL edges one-fourth from the stitching line. Clip all curves, being careful not to cut the sewing thread. Then carefully turn the heart inside out through the opening in the right seam.

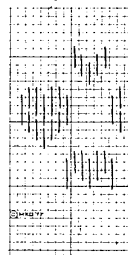
Stuff the pillow with polyester fiber fill until it is as puffy as you wish. Sometimes a crochet hook or knitting needle is helpful for pushing the filling into corners or smoothing down lumps.

When the heart is as fat as you wish, turn under the edge of your backing. Sew it by hand to the needlework top along the opening in the right seam.

Fluff up the lace and you're finished. It's very specially yours. Nothing could be prettier for a Happy Valentine's Day.



Needlepoint and lace fashion a pillow that's perfect for Valentine's Day giving. The pattern for stitching is below.



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## Women too fete Flavio Varani

Flavio Varani, pianist in residence at Oakland University, will be guest of honor at a luncheon scheduled by the Scandinavian-Symphony Women's Organization at noon, Feb. 18, at Kingsley Inn, 475 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. Varani, a native of Brazil who was educated in France, will play Chopin's First Concerto with the Scandinavian Symphony, directed by Valter Poole, in a concert beginning at 8:20 p.m., Feb. 19, at Southfield High School, Lahser and Ten Mile.

Tickets for the luncheon must be reserved by Feb. 16 by calling Mrs. Davis Clark, 478-6396, or Mrs. Jens Feldborg, 337-4635.

## Training course set by CYO

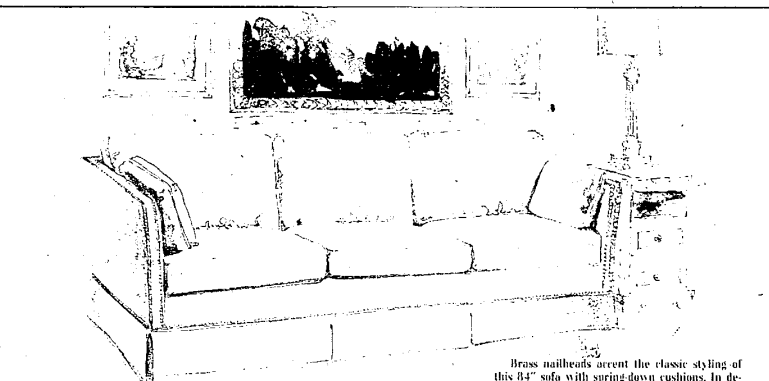
Teens and their adult advisors may enroll for the sixth youth effectiveness training course which the Catholic Youth Organization will hold at the Franklin Wright Settlement Camp at Lake Orion the weekend of Feb. 11-13. This program, an innovative and very encouraging attempt to demonstrate how teen club members and their adult advisors can work together successfully, was initiated by Mary Staperfenne Greenbaum, CYO teen program director, and Dayton Gross, director of the growth center in Allen Park.

Gnaul will be facilitator for the February assembly, as he has been for the previous meetings.

The program is designed for teen and adults who are working with youth groups. The course is an intensive weekend session offering practical skills in leadership and communication. Problem-solving methods, getting along with people in authority, becoming an effective leader—these are subjects which will be heavily stressed.

The assembly will begin Friday evening, continue through Saturday evening and end at noon Sunday. The registration fee of \$25 includes all materials plus board and room.

For further details, contact Ms. Greenbaum at the CYO office, 305 Michigan Ave., Detroit telephone 963-7172, ext. 13.

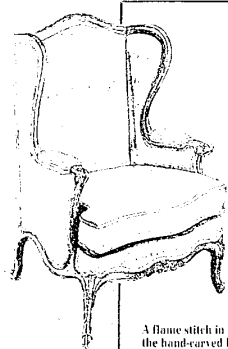


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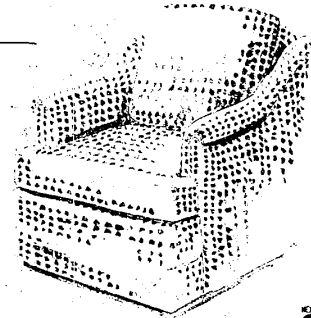
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