

# Women on the Go

## Garden City Senior Gets 'Stunning' Honor

By MARGARET MILLER  
Women's Editor

Mrs. Agnes Dziedzic was "really stunned" when the Garden City Jaycee Auxiliary recently named her its "outstanding citizen" for 1970 a few weeks ago.

"I couldn't believe it when they called my name," the white-haired senior citizen said. "There were five other ladies there, and I never thought of being the one chosen."

one of us worked on that," she said.

She has been active, "but not so much any more," in two altar societies—in St. Dunstan and St. Raphael Catholic churches.

AND NOW that Mrs. Dziedzic is "retired" from all those activities, she keeps busy as president of the Garden City Senior Club.

She took over the top job there last May, and since then membership rolls have nearly doubled, to 117.

"That's all we can handle," she said. "We have about 10 on the waiting list and my husband, Ignatius, a retiree, go to the log cabin in the city park for a meeting each Wednesday morning."

The club members, about two-thirds women and all of retirement age, mostly enjoy playing cards.

"We serve rolls and tea at luncheon," their president said. "The recreation department furnished them and I go and pick them up each week. We used to have a luncheon department, but now that we don't, we have the rolls furnished."

"We don't really need a leader—it's better to have the refreshments free."

BUT THE MEETINGS and card-playing sociability are only part of the activities for these busy seniors.

"We take bus trips all around," says Madame President. "Last year we went to Lansing, and to the Dow Chemical Co. plant in Midland, and to the State Fair and the Detroit Zoo and to see a baseball game."

"We charter a bus if we can't borrow one. Our next trip is going to be to the Ice-Capades, and I've reserved 70 seats, but I don't think that will be enough. Some of the ladies weren't at the last meeting—they can't all get out on the telephone and find out who's going."

AGNES DZIEDZIC makes sure that all members can participate in these activities, though there is a wide spread in senior incomes.

"We raised about \$150 for this with a rummage sale in our garage," she said. "We're going to have another sale, but not in our garage."

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MRS. AGNES DZIEDZIC  
(Observer photo)

The senior club also auctions off small items at meeting to add to the travel fund. And the group has a birthday fund, with each member contributing \$1 when he celebrates a natal day.

"Then we have a birthday party cookout," Mrs. Dziedzic said. "Last June we had it at Garden City West High School, and the orchestra and chorus provided our entertainment. We also had a Christmas party."

MRS. DZIEDZIC is a native of Detroit and lived most of her married life in Dearborn until she and her husband moved to John Hawk Avenue in Garden City 16 years ago. She has four children by an earlier marriage, and the Dziedzic home is full of mementos sent from all over the world by the oldest son, The Rev. Joseph Jakubiec, a retired Army chaplain.

This busy senior sees nothing remarkable about her life.

"What I do, I want to do," she insists. "It keeps me active."

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## Divorce Adjustment Series Begins At Y

An Adjustment to Divorce lecture series will begin Thursday, March 5, in the South Oakland YMCA, 1016 W. 11 Mile Road, Royal Oak.

Conducted by Dr. A. Thomas Capps of the Grosse Pointe Psychological Clinic, the series will meet at 7:30 p.m., each Thursday through March 26.

SPONSORED by the Michigan Inter-Professional Association on Marriage, Divorce and the Family, the course is open to divorced persons or those in the process of obtaining a divorce.

Tuition is \$15 per person with scholarships available when needed upon request.

Capps did his doctoral work at the Iliff School of Theology in Denver, Colo., with the major work being in the area of psychology. His primary interests are marriage and the family and child rearing.

THE ADJUSTMENT to Divorce course was established to present essential in-

formation to persons about to be divorced or who have been divorced regarding child rearing, remarriage, child support, the working parent, step-parents, and visitations.

For additional information or pre-registration write: Adjustment to Divorce, 1729 Ford Building, Detroit 48226 or call 863-8840 between 9 a.m. and 3:30 p.m.

## 'Educaid' Demo Is On Program

The Western Wayne County Chapter of the Michigan Association for Children with Learning Disabilities will meet at 8 p.m., Friday, Feb. 27 in Whittier Junior High School, 28550 Ann Arbor Trail

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Topics that will be covered include reading, language development, nursery curriculum, nursery curriculum.

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