

## Takes Keen Eye To Buy Hosiery

Hosiery is one of the most unpredictable items in many women's clothing budget. Like other accessories, there seems to be no telling what fashions and styles will appear.

A woman can eliminate many stocking disasters by intelligent hosiery shopping and care of the stockings after they are bought. It is agreed by home economists and specialists of Michigan State College. Longer wear and greater comfort are assured from a pair of stockings if a woman checks important points of hosiery selection before she buys.

These important points include: First—of what fiber are the stockings made? Available on the market now are attractive, well-fitting stockings in cotton, silk, wool, rayon and other synthetics and mixtures of fibers.

Suitable stockings for general wear are of cotton, silk and synthetics in heavy and medium weights. For sports, there are cotton, wool, and service-weight silk. For evening, there are light-weight silk, rayon, and other synthetics and cotton in novelty knits.

What weight? One reason hose wear out too quickly is that weight is not suited to use. Usually, it's because the stockings are too sheer for the heavy wear they get. Three-thread yarns are stronger than two-thread. Fineness of knitting is indicated by the gauge number. The higher the gauge number, the finer the knitting.

Texture—"Courses" or loops of thread that show up best on the wrong side should be close together so the stockings will be strong and have plenty of up-and-down stretch.

Elasticity—necessary to stocking comfort is a certain amount of stretch in a stocking. Otherwise, the stocking soon develops baggy knees and lumpy ankles.

Reinforcements—look for sturdy reinforcements where the hardest wear comes—on the heel, the high splice that comes up, above the shoe line, the sole of the stocking, and the toe.

Size—stockings the right size wear better, feel better. Usually a stocking foot length should be 1/2 inch longer than the foot. Stocking size is the length of the stocking foot in inches. Size 9 would be 9 inches long. Wool hose usually should be about a half size larger to allow for shrinkage.

Finishing—wash hose in mild, lukewarm suds. Rinse twice in clear, lukewarm water. Stretch feet and legs to shape and hang to dry, away from radiators or other heating devices.

## WORK BEGUN ON EVANGELICAL CHURCH BAZAAR

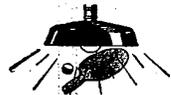
On Thursday morning ladies of the congregation met in the community room of the church to work on the different articles which will be offered for sale at the church bazaar. These include quilts, aprons, towels, and other pieces of handwork. These Thursday meetings will continue until the opening of the bazaar on October the fourth.

The Scavenger Party for the members of the Sunday school and their friends will be given this Friday night, beginning at 8 p.m. Mrs. Emma Wright was chairman of the committee in charge of the Kiwanian dinner this week.

Helping her in the kitchen were Mrs. Eva Fendt, Mrs. Elizabeth Wyde, and Mrs. Mabel Kahrl, and in the dining room Mrs. Louise Manzel, Mrs. Alice Foster, Mrs. Hilda Foster, and Mrs. Emma Way.

Banks in which donations for the relief of war refugees may be placed have been distributed to members of the congregation. The donations will be collected on October the fifth and again on October the fourteenth, and forwarded to the synodical headquarters in St. Louis. Other churches also contribute to this charity, which is non-sectarian in purpose. Anyone wishing to obtain one of the banks may do so from Mrs. Schultz.

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## Items of Interest to WOMEN

### Coffee Kept Freshest In Icebox



Freshest coffee is obtained easily by keeping your glass coffee jar in the refrigerator. Nationally recognized laboratories recently tested packages for coffee and found that coffee, vacuum-packed in durable containers, remained freshest when kept in the ice box and resealed after each using by simply screwing on the airtight, rubber-lined cap.

### It's Time To Give Your Rooms a Color Tonic

At the same you're giving the children a tonic for the approaching winter flu, why not give your living room a color tonic to combat winter darkness? Without touching the most expensive items—rugs and walls—you can change a dull room into a gay and cozy one.

In the first place, try moving the furniture around into new positions. Sometimes we get so used to seeing things in the same place that we forget what they really look like, and many a handsome piece of furniture languishes in a dark corner because it happened to be put there on moving day.

Slip covers are the next step. They hide a multitude of sins, and an unusual material can transform old-fashioned, cumbersome furniture into something attractively modern. It is better not to have all the pieces covered with the same material, as they will then form a little matching island, and make the room look smaller. Try flowered material for the sofa, stripes for your chair, and a solid shade for another.

Flowered curtains to match the sofa will keep the room in harmony. Charming little glass or china ornaments can be bought very cheaply, and give the room a bright, lived-in look when placed on the tables or on some of the shelves of the bookcase. If the room has that common complaint, not enough reading light, attach the table lamps can be made from gay pottery jars, or prettily shaded glass bottles.

The predominating color in the room should be a warm one—rose, yellow, or wine. For other shades try repeating the tones of a favorite picture or some piece of old china.

### This Week In Your Garden

Winter Flowers With the out-door garden nearly over, it's time to plant bulbs for indoor flowering. Hyacinths, tulips, snowdrops, and crocuses are not difficult to grow, and may be planted any time between now and the end of October.

In the bottom of a flower pot place a few pieces of charcoal, or some small stones, for drainage and over this a layer of dirt (preferably rich, sandy loam), so that when the bulbs are set on the earth the top of the bulb is level with the rim of the pot. Fill in around it with soil, leaving just the tip of the bulb showing above the earth. A five inch pot is the right size for a large hyacinth bulb, or eight to twelve of the smaller bulbs, such as crocus.

Now put the bulbs in a dark, cool place—a cellar, the shady side of a building, or buried up to the rim in the soil of a shady border. If they are outside, cover them with straw when the weather grows frosty. The bulbs should remain here for six or eight weeks while the roots are formed. Then, after a week in some comparatively cool attic or upstairs room, they may be brought into a warm room with plenty of light. Here they will grow rapidly, and should be kept very moist; after the flowers begin to show, they may stand continuously in a saucer of water. The buds should be placed in direct sunlight part of the time, to bring out the color of the flowers.

## BAPTIST WOMEN ATTEND MISSIONARY UNION

On Friday, September 12th, Mrs. Ellis Dickerson, Mrs. Wilcox, and Mrs. Miles attended a meeting of the presidents of missionary unions in the Detroit association, which was held at the Emmanuel Church in Detroit. Mrs. Miles, who is chairman of the program committee, presented the program for the year to the presidents.

Boxes of cookies baked by the members of the Women's Union have been sent to the five boys of the congregation who are stationed at Camp Livingston in Louisiana.

On Tuesday, September 16th, the first meeting of the Missionary Union was held at the North-western Baptist Church, where a lecture was given by Dr. Oscar Henderson, executive secretary of the Detroit Baptist Union. Conferences were also held for different departments of the church concerning their year's work.

Women of the Farmington district attending were Mrs. E. Dickerson, Mrs. N. Hautamaki, Mrs. G. Way, Mrs. Boswell, Mrs. S. Smith, Mrs. C. Williams, Mrs. E. Frist, Mrs. G. Miles, and Mrs. Wilcox.

Choir practice this year will be held each Wednesday night, immediately following the prayer meeting, which will begin at 7:30 p.m.

## Golden Rule Circle Held Last Thursday

On Thursday, September 11th, a meeting of the Golden Rule Circle was held at the home of Mrs. A. Richardson, which was attended by twelve members. The committee in charge of the luncheon consisted of Mrs. A. Richardson, Mrs. Elizabeth Holcomb, and Mrs. R. K. Hopkins.

## Butterscotch Sticks For Any Occasion

Next time you give something to a Bake Sale, try these butterscotch sticks. They're easy to make, easy to sell, and even easier to eat.

- 1-4 cup butter
  - 1 cup brown sugar
  - 1 cup flour
  - 1-4 teaspoon salt
  - 1-4 cup broken nut meats
  - 1 teaspoon baking powder
  - 1 teaspoon vanilla
  - 2 eggs
- Melt butter in pan, add sugar and blend well. Cool. Add unbeaten eggs. Mix and sift flour, salt, and baking powder, and add to sugar mixture. Add nuts and vanilla. Bake in moderate oven half an hour. Cut into narrow strips while warm.

## CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY NEW HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, FARMINGTON

Branch of The Mother Church of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Massachusetts SUNDAY SERVICES AT 11:00 A. M. And Sunday School for Pupils up to the age of 20 at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday Evening Testimonial at 8 p. m. in Universalist Church, 2308 Warner Ave. Current Christian Science literature on sale Wednesday evenings ALL ARE WELCOME

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## Find 90 Useless Organs In Human Body at Present

The human body has more than 90 organs, muscles and bones which are entirely obsolete and useless, according to some members of the medical profession. A London doctor recently declared that our toes will eventually disappear altogether. These useless organs are physical reminders of the years when man presented an appearance greatly different from that of today, the doctor claims.

The muscles in our ears are undeveloped and have become so weak through centuries of disuse that it survives only as a memento of the time when human beings twined their ears forward like horses or dogs to catch the faintest sound. We all possess an extra eyelid—the corner of the eye behind the ball and the lid—a tiny fold of membrane, which is another heritage from our prehistoric ancestry. It is a relic of the winking membrane present in many mammals and nearly birds.

Another obsolete portion of our body is the appendix, according to some medical authorities. It shows uselessness by causing a great deal of trouble when irritated. This is an obvious heritage of the days when we were more humble mammals, for the appendix is the largest and most vital organ in the rabbit.

All of us have gills, denoting probable descent from some remote water breathing monster. The one remaining with us is in the form of the Eustachian tube, which connects the ear passage with the back of the mouth.

Roosevelt at Harvard When Theodore Roosevelt was a student at Harvard, he gave few signs of becoming the orator that he later did become. One day his professor called upon him to recite a classical poem. Young Roosevelt did fine until he got to a line that read: "When Greece, her knees in supplication bent,"

"Here he became stuck. He managed the words: "When Greece, her knees—" but that was as far as he could go. He struggled with the sentence a few moments, and then commenced again, with still the same results: "When Greece, her knees—"

The teacher waited patiently for the future Rough Rider to continue, and then remarked haltingly: "Roosevelt, suppose you guess her knees again, and then perhaps she'll go."

## Apple Poster Ready For Distribution

The Michigan State Apple Commission has again published its "Big Ten" apple poster and has it ready for distribution all over the state in a revised format including a beautiful four-color photograph of the "Michigan Apple Girl." It is expected that more than 40,000 stores and markets which handle fruits will want the posters for display on walls and in windows and that schools in every town in the state will use it as supplementary material for teaching Michigan's horticultural products.

On the poster done in vivid natural colors, Michigan's outdoor girl smiles a greeting to all interested in apples. The state's ten outstanding varieties known for flavor and juiciness, are displayed in their natural sizes and colors and a brief description under each variety gives the months during which it is at its best for eating, cooking and canning.

Of the five fruits which constitute the main crops of Michigan's commercial fruit growers, apples aggregate an annual average of approximately 8,000,000 bushels, greater in tonnage and in value than all the other fruits put together. The "Big Ten" poster is designed as a sales help to supplement other plans which the Michigan State Apple Commission has been putting into effect since early July to stimulate the apple market and to help put Michigan at the top of all ranking apple producing states in the United States.

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Cookery QUERY CORNER

WHEN COOKING PORK CHOPS SHOULD ONE COVER THE PAN?

Yes, pork chops should be covered after the initial browning. Pork chops and pork steaks are best cooked by broiling, that is, by cooking in moist heat. Therefore after they have been browned, cover the pan closely so that they may cook in the steam which surrounds them. Cook them slowly and thoroughly.

MEASURE YOUR LIGHT with a Light Meter

Measuring your lighting with a Light Meter is no trick at all! It takes about ten minutes. Be sure you have correct light in every room. No charge. Call any Detroit Edison office.

HOW CAN I KEEP BANANAS FROM SLIDING OFF BROILING RACK?

To broil bananas in a lamb chop grill, place them in a pan on the rack. Put the pan on the broiler when you turn the chops after they have been broiled on one side. The bananas require only half as long to cook as do the chops.