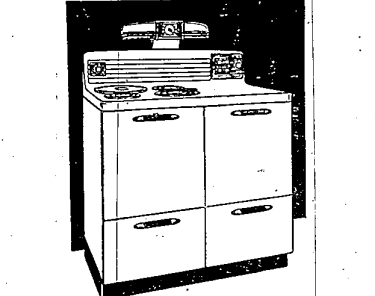


A baby girl arrived Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Morrell. Mrs. Norman Morrell is very proud of the new niece. The baby girl was named Cynthia Dawn. Mrs. R. B. Alexander of Floral Avenue was in Detroit last week taking care of her friend, Mrs. Frank, who is recuperating from a major operation. Mrs. Frank is getting along fine now and Mrs. Alexander is home again.



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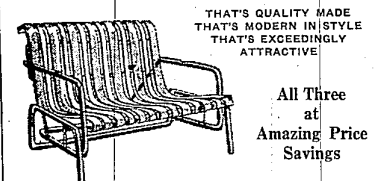
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FLORAL PARK NEWS
By MRS. EVA BARBER 22735 FLORAL AVENUE

Say, folks, if you have time just meander past the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erich Stocker of Floral Ave. They have the most beautiful lawn I have ever seen. It takes a lot of work and backaches but to get such beautiful results, it is certainly worth it.

Floral Park area is a busy little place. New people keep moving in and more babies keep arriving, and it seems that I just can't keep track of them all. Before long, I will have to get a book and catalogue all the events. We extend a welcome to Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Burke and son, Barry, who have just moved to Floral Park from Detroit. Another new family who have just moved into their new home is that of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Esplet. They are all busy getting settled and like their new homes so much.

We also want to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Thorne Hensley and daughters, Gail and Gloria. They have just moved from Detroit to Floral Park to be close to Mr. Hensley's work. He owns the Detroit Grooving Tool Company on Nine Mile Road. Perhaps you have seen that yellow airplane on Nine Mile Road near Tuck Road. It belongs to Mr. Hensley and he plans to inaugurate a new express delivery service, delivering tools by air as fast as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barber and daughters of Floral Avenue attended a banquet and dance Friday evening. It was held in Detroit at a private hall on Grand River, and was a farewell dinner, as Mr. Barber has left his place of business after fifteen years, to work here in Farmington. Everyone had a lovely time, though there were quite a few sorrowful moments as many pleasant associations were formed in the past fifteen years.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Young dropped in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harley McIntosh on Saturday evening. They spent the evening visiting together.

We were sorry to hear that Mr. Leon Gardner was ill. He had strept throat and was really under the weather, but is recuperating nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hoeglund of Hawthorne Street entertained guests Thursday evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Moldenbauer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hoeglund, Mr. Stan Jaroski and Mrs. Ed Hupert. They spent the evening visiting together and Mrs. Hoeglund served a lovely lunch. Everyone enjoyed themselves very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sill of Floral Avenue visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Upton of Detroit Sunday evening. It was their monthly dinner party. They played games and everyone had a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDonough of Floral Avenue entertained guests Sunday from Detroit. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDonough and friend, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britton. When the company arrived, Mr. McDonough was putting in his garden. Everybody admired it very much but Mr. McDonough says that no one left with any callouses on their hands. They spent the evening visiting together and everyone enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Barber and daughters spent Saturday evening in Detroit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Parry. They had dinner there and then looked at movies taken last winter at Rouge Park on a picnic. Most of the laughs occurred when they ran the slides backwards and saw each other sliding on toboggans up hill, instead of down.

Miss Dorothy Stocker got quite a surprise Sunday. She had parked her car at the corner of Shawnee and Floral Avenue, as the road was laid in front of her home. When she went out to get it, the car was gone. After a frantic search and several calls to the police, she finally discovered that someone had complained about it being parked by their home, and had called the police to tow it away.

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pleasant day together and a grand time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hoeglund of Hawthorne Street entertained guests for dinner Sunday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Berman. Everyone had a wonderful time.

Mr. and Mrs. Erich Stocker had a birthday dinner for Dorothy Stocker Sunday. Dorothy is now 22 years old. Mrs. Stocker had a wonderful birthday cake decorated with green icing and pale pink candles. I know for a fact that the cake was delicious as Mrs. Stocker brought some down for us. Dorothy received a beautiful Bulova wrist watch from her parents for a birthday present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Alexander of Floral Avenue held a birthday dinner for their daughter, Beverly, Sunday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Garside (Beverly), and Mrs. C. B. Titus. Beverly is 22 years old now. Mrs. Alexander served a lovely dinner and baked a very nice birthday cake. She also brought us down some birthday cake, so the Barber family helped both Dorothy Stocker and Beverly Garside celebrate their birthdays. Later in the day Mr. and Mrs. Ahern and their grand-mother Barry dropped in to help the Alexanders celebrate the birthday. Everyone enjoyed themselves very much.

Last week was also the birthday of Mrs. Norman Morrell. Mr. Morrell gave Mrs. Morrell a lovely birthday surprise when he presented her with an electric dishwasher. The day before her birthday Mrs. Morrell got a birthday card from friends in her old neighborhood. Written on the card was "We of Westacres miss you very much," so Mrs. Morrell was really "down in the dumps". Then the day of her birthday she was given a surprise birthday party by her card club. It was held at the home of Mrs. Glenn Young and the ladies present were Mrs. Young, Mrs. Robert Everett and Mrs. Harley McIntosh. They presented her with a lovely gift and a birthday card that said "We of Floral Park Love You, too." The ladies served a lovely lunch and they had a beautiful birthday cake for Mrs. Morrell. The party was a huge success and Mrs. Morrell was so happy she couldn't talk for quite a while.

Clarenceville News
By MRS. ALBERT KELLY

The Oxbridge Woman's Club held their annual dinner party on Wednesday, May 19, at Hofstad Inn. One guest was present besides the members, and the ladies enjoyed playing games after the dinner. This ended the current season, and the group will not meet again until September 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Barnes of Mishawaka, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Keller and Mr. and Mrs. McPherson of Detroit were week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Deubo spent a few days last week at Lebanon, Ohio.

Miss Jackie Grenville was the week end guest of Miss Beverly Deiser, at Mt. Pleasant, Michigan.

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Harry W. Moore, City Clerk
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