

The Farmington Enterprise

The WOMEN'S PAGE

Items of Interest to
Feminine Farmington

ANNOUNCE BIBLE SCHOOL SCHEDULE AT CLARENCEVILLE

Clarenceville Methodist Church announced plans for its Daily Vacation Bible School June 16 to 27. Sessions will be held Monday through Friday from 9 a. m. to 12 noon.

Director of the school is Miss Lois J. Martindale. Assistant director is Mrs. Paul Arensman. Department superintendents are: beginners, Mrs. Emory West; primary, Mrs. Robert Goudie; junior primary, Mrs. George Wilson; intermediate, Miss Doris Diddams; hand work, Mrs. James McClelland; music, Mrs. Paul Arensman and recreation, Miss Barbara Laughlin.

Ann Redner Sings In Concert Program

Miss Ann Redner of Farmington sang "Thora" by Stephen Adams in a concert program presented by teen-age students of Miss Esther Wilber of the Detroit Conservatory of Music at the Conservatory Sunday afternoon, June 8.

Miss Redner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Redner of 29545 West Thirteen Mile Road.

Fourteen Brownies Attend Garden Party

Fourteen Brownies of Troop 203 of Farmington, leaders Miss Beverly Kaufman and Mrs. Eva Ross, thirteen mothers and five visitors enjoyed a garden party at Miss Kaufman's home on Nine Mile Road Monday afternoon, June 8.

Barbara Lord, Pamela Santo, Peggy Turner, Diana Taylor and Barbara Hart received their year pins.

The girls played games, participated in a Brownie tunnel with their mothers and ate lunch to conclude their last meeting of the season.

WCTU Meeting Attended By Two Guest Unions

The Ella Irish W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. A. G. Leoni and Thursday, June 5. Mrs. Ruth Edley gave the devotion. Mrs. Eva Mae Rowley, first vice-president of the W. C. T. U., gave an interesting talk.

New and Walled Lake Unions were guests. Tea was served by the hostess to conclude the meeting.

Brides-to-be Make June Silver Choosing Month

BY EDNA MILES

TABLE settings gain more prominence in June than in any other month of the year with the possible exception of December. June is the month of brides which, in turn, means entertaining of all types, from the small and informal gatherings to the large, elaborate and lavish parties and dinners.

For this reason, June is also the month in which attention is focused on silver. Brides-to-be pick their patterns; doting parents make sterling silver flatware their gift, almost by tradition. To this initial set, friends and relatives contribute the additional serving pieces.

Traditional patterns, many of them spartan in their handsomeness, still lead the field. But changes in the mode of entertaining have meant corresponding changes in silver patterns. Cotton cloths, for instance, are seen in most American homes from breakfast through dinner, often in company with fine bone china and sterling.

In place mats, it's the round shape that's now seen more frequently than the oblong.

Flower fashions wrought in silver have gained acceptance once more and are being shown both with plain and flowered china. Typified by such patterns as "dancing flowers" and "Florentine lace," this floral silver combines a feeling of the traditional with the modern. Florentine lace is a pierced pattern with flowers traced in the piercing.

Such floral patterns, the bride will be happy to allow, are the easiest of all to clean since the pattern itself adds a patina while in use and generally requires less care because of the design.



"Dancing Flowers," above, goes well with fine decorated patterns. Below, "Florentine Lace" provides contrast to simple modern.



WOMAN'S CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL LUNCHEON

The Farmington Woman's Club held its annual president's day luncheon at Rotunda Inn, Pine Lake Road, June 3.

The president, Mrs. Ralph Noble, welcomed all past presidents and the response was given by Mrs. Agnes Cheek. Mrs. Frank Steele read of humorous sketch of each of the 29 past presidents. Mrs. Paul Calkins presented the past presidents with corsages.

Mrs. Noble and Mrs. Cheek also received corsages of red carnations, the club flower. Mrs. Ralph Noble introduced the new president, Mrs. George Cheek, and presented her with the club gavel and introduced the new officers.

Program chairman Mrs. Isaac Bond introduced Mrs. Fred Cook, who read a history of the club reviewing events since the year 1897 when the club was organized. Mrs. George Purford discussed her recent trip to New Orleans. Mrs. W. McCullough, who had just returned from Florida, West Virginia and Washington, D. C., described historic buildings and places they had visited on their trip.

Mrs. Edna Dohoney, who is a member of the National General Association, recently returned from Washington, D. C. where the Association was entertained for tea by Mrs. Harry Truman. Mrs. Dohoney reported Mrs. Truman was wearing a wine colored, length lace gown, and was most charming and gracious hostess. The guests were shown the newly decorated White House.

Garlic Gives Flavor, Zest To Cooking

The expression "a little bit goes a long way" seems to apply particularly to that strong, pungent member of the onion family, garlic. But like other strong flavorings, garlic adds a zest to everyday cooking if it's used in correct amounts, Michigan State College home economists believe.

Prepared garlic comes in two forms generally — ground garlic and garlic salt. The former is pure garlic just ground up while garlic salt is a mixture of garlic, table salt and cereal. The garlic salt is milder, of course. Next time you make potato salad try crushing a clove of garlic in the dish before putting in the salad ingredients — but remove the garlic first. It will give an unusual twist to potato salad.

FARMINGTON WSCS TO MEET

The Women's Society for Christian Service of the Farmington Methodist Church will meet on June 19 at the home of Mrs. William Harris, 40560 West Ten Mile Road. The potluck luncheon at 12:30 will be followed by the regular business meeting.

TO HEAR MISSIONARIES

The Farmington Assembly of God will have a special missionary meeting with Rev. and Mrs. Ferrand, missionaries to India, at 8:00 p. m. Friday, June 13, in the church edifice. The public is invited to attend the service.

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Clarenceville



News

Girl Scout Troop 2 of Clarenceville finished the activities of the year by enjoying a banquet at the Sea Food Grotto June 10 as guests of co-leader Mrs. Nye's mother, Mrs. Pauline Bradford.

The leaders, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Nye and the committee ladies attended the dinner. The girls were presented gifts for their charts and badge cards.

The Troop enjoyed a cook-out at the VanCamp home Wednesday, June 4. Members of the Troop missed Loraine Hawley, who underwent an emergency operation. The Troop presented her with flowers and cards.

Members of the Troop are looking forward to an enjoyable six days at the Farmington Girl Scout camp. They are also waiting on the Good Will Pick-up to relieve them of clothing collected by the Troop for needy persons out west.

BRIGHT PAINT CAN CHEER UP DULL BASEMENT

Use of water resisting cement paint, along with a good concrete floor enamel, can give your basement the dry and colorful walls and floors you need for health and comfort.

Herbert W. Joho, assistant professor of architecture at the University of Michigan, offers a number of practical suggestions on how to insure well insulated, waterproof walls and floors.

"Dampness," he points out, "is often a problem to be confronted in remodeling the basement into comfortable supplementary living quarters."

"Why not paint the walls with water-resisting cement paint? This will seal up troublesome pores of concrete block. The paint comes in attractive shades of green, grey and tan. Walls which leak badly should be given a one-inch coating of water repellent cement."

"If your basement has a dry concrete floor, you may employ a concrete floor enamel in such colors as green, red or grey."

"Or you may prefer asphalt tile, which is easily applied to concrete. It should not, however, be used near laundry areas, as it will absorb moisture and be spotted."

"Or, if children are going to be playing in the basement, asphalt tile, because of its fine insulating quality, will probably be your choice. It is available in a variety of colors, and the tiles may be combined to form attractive patterns."

"If it is desirable to cover the asphalt tile for further insulation from dampness, a hemp type floor covering is recommended. There are inexpensive runners of woven hemp which may be sewed together to make any size you require."

Garments placed in paper or zipper bags are effectively protected from moths only if every opening is completely sealed.

SUMMER SHOULD INCREASE DESIRE FOR COTTONS

Man-made fibers shouldn't dim the homemaker's eyes to some of nature's wonderful fibers, advises Marjorie Eastman, extension specialist in textiles, clothing and related arts for Michigan State College's school of home economics. The advent of the summer season should increase our appreciation of such a fiber as cotton, Mrs. Eastman believes. "Think of the impressive qualities we should attribute to cotton," she says. "It stands heat and washing; doesn't melt or stretch when ironed; resists moisture; and resists alkalies."

Cotton's toughness and durability make it the logical choice year-around for work clothes, house dresses and many children's garments. Cotton dresses appear in all forms from casual sportswear to festive and expensive evening gowns.

Summer cottons are interesting for their textures, the clothing specialist points out. A variety of weaves and finishes permits any number of pleasing materials. Smooth, glaze surfaces, as in unfabricated cotton prints or chambrays are among the best sellers. They are shiny and crisp and shed dust and dirt. Make sure the fabric is guaranteed to be permanent, however.

Embossed fabrics resist crushing and soiling. They make fine play clothes, sun dresses and street wear. Again, make sure the embossed pattern is permanent.

Any one of a number of cotton materials has a place in the summer wardrobe — calico, gingham, plaid, denim and others. Each has its own particular advantage.

A final suggestion offered by Miss Eastman for summer coolness and comfort is the variety of cotton sheers which can be fitted into any warm weather wardrobe.

Gelatin Bath Will Take Sag Out Of Cottons

You can revive sagging cottons with a gelatin solution bath — and avoid white starch spots at the same time.

Michigan State College textiles and clothing specialists recommend dissolving a tablespoon of plain gelatin in a little cold water and then adding a gallon of hot water to make the solution. A stiffer finish for heavier materials can be achieved by adding less water, of course.

The gelatin finish will make fabric — especially light weight voiles, batistes and organdies — more wrinkle resistant and you will have a new-looking garment.

The MSO specialists advise using a gelatin bath for washable rayons, too.

Susan Lange, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lange of 23015 Maple, was honored at an open house Sunday. Susan graduates from Farmington High School this year. Guests were from Ann Arbor, Howell, Mt. Clemens, Grosse Pointe, Detroit, Royal Oak and Windsor, Canada.

Take special care in handling a pressure canner. Be sure to protect your hand with a pot holder or heavy dry cloth when opening petcock. Never remove the lid until you have released the steam.

OLS Strawberry Festival To Be Held Sunday

Ladies of the fancy work booth of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish will hold a strawberry festival on Sunday, June 15, from 10:30 a. m. to 4:00 p. m.

The festival will be held on the grounds between the school and rectory on Power Road just north of Shawansee Street. Ice cream, cake and strawberries will be served. Residents of the entire community are invited to attend the festival.

A public utility company in New York City has spent more than 16 million dollars over the past 15 years for smoke control.

Town Club Begins Drive For Attic Sale Goods

The Farmington Town Club members are starting their drive for articles of clothing, furniture and dishes . . . items that have outlived their usefulness around the home . . . to be used in their Town Club annual Attic Sale to be held in October.

Starting the drive early, club members hope to aid spring house cleaning by disposing of unwanted articles for homemakers. Plans for the drive and sale were started at the June 5 meeting of the club when Mrs. J. T. Cook was appointed chairman of the drive. For collection, homemakers are asked to call the chairman at Farmington 0261-J or Mrs. Wesley McLean at 9600-W.

BPW CLUB TO MEET JUNE 16

Members of the Farmington Business and Professional Women's Club will meet for a potluck dinner followed by a regular business meeting Monday, June 16, at 6:30 p. m. in the Salem Church. It will be the final meeting until September, a club spokesman announced.

Mrs. Lester Morrison of West Nine Mile Road entertained the Grosse Pointe Colony, Virginia, May 11 through 14.

Orchard Methodist W. S. C. S. Holds Meeting

The business meeting of the Orchard Methodist W. S. C. S. was held in the church Thursday evening, June 5. Mrs. James Penhale, president, called the meeting to order.

Mrs. Roy Cusack led in devotions. Miss Edna of devotions was "Prayer and How Prayer Changes Things".

The social meeting of the month will be held in the home of Mrs. C. M. Carlson of Middlebelt Road Thursday, June 19, at 8 p. m.

New England Women To Meet June 18

The Bedford Farmington Colony, National Society of New England Women, will meet Wednesday, June 18, for a picnic luncheon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Pritchard, West Six Mile Road, Farmington.

Mrs. Arthur Batton, president of the Grosse Pointe Colony, will give a report of the National Conference of New England Women held at Virginia Beach, Virginia, May 11 through 14.

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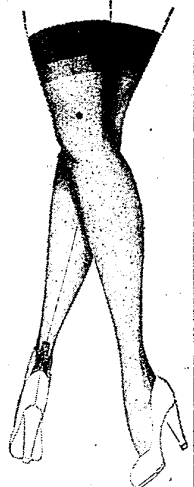
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