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'Ingathering Time' Starts For Guild

Mrs. Edward Moesman, local director of the Needlework Guild of America, reminded Farmington residents this week that this is "ingathering time" for the Guild.

The Guild, organized in 1885 to provide clothing for the needy, desires contributions of new garments, preferably two identical items. The idea of the duplication of garments is to allow the recipient to wear one while the other is being laundered.

Several Farmington residents have been supporting and contributing to the Needlework Guild for many years. Mrs. Moesman says individuals or organizations who desire more information, may call her at 6271, or send their contributions to her home at 24150 Farmington Road by October 24.

The annual meeting and exhibition of garments of the Detroit branch will be held Thursday, October 27, at the Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Jefferson at Huron, at 10:30 a.m.

Money contributions to the League are also acceptable. In lieu of garments, Mrs. Moesman says, money is used to purchase material with which to make garments. Last year the Detroit branch of the Needlework Guild, of which Farmington is a part, collected 27,973 garments and \$2,778.

Such agencies as the Boys Republic, the Children's Salvation Army, and all city hospitals and orphanages are the recipients of these garments. The administrative expense of this worthy service last year was only \$462.56.

John Peter Zenger, early New York editor, was jailed in 1734 for his criticisms of the royal governor.

Bake Sale at the Orchard Methodist Bazaar, October 21, Town Hall.



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Wool Casuals Take on Festive Air



Light and dark gray are combined to make this two-tone casual in Juillard sheer wool.

Imaginative Color Combinations, Slim Silhouettes Are Highlights

THE wool casual, often the backbone of a wardrobe, is not necessarily simple this fall. It may have a catchy yoke treatment, a peplum, capelet, side-drape or surplice front. The silhouette is always slim and imagination is often evidenced in the combination of two colors, or in two shades of one color.

A hug-me-tight casual in wool boucle, designed by Margaret Newman, comes in purple with a yoke of winter white. Interesting detail is seen in the large hip pockets which almost surround the slim-in-front and cuffed-in-back skirt. The elbow length sleeves end in cavalier cuffs.

Another casual by this same designer is available in Juillard sheer wool. Subtle tones of light and dark gray are combined to make a slim dress with a surplice front caught by antiqued gold buttons. Sleeves are cut slightly dolman but are slim and tight at the wrists.



A yoke of winter white emphasizes the detail of this hug-me-tight, casual in wool boucle.

Smaller Cities Advance With City Manager Municipal Government

By RICHARD S. CHILDS

Chairman of the Council, National Municipal League. Some of the savings and economies in the smaller cities which have the Council-Manager plan of municipal government are so startling, and the plan has proved to work so well over so many years, that in most cities a return to the old political methods is unthinkable.

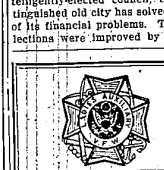
Here are samples: Sumter, S. C. (pop. 15,574) was the first community in the world to adopt the Council-Manager plan. That was in 1912. Sumter's first city manager, a young engineer out of town, saved his salary promptly in economies and tightened up amateur practices by full-time oversight. The city now considers its government a permanent good for 36 years, with efficient departments and the lowest tax levy of any city of its size in the state.

Hackensack, N. J. (24,568) was newly taken over by the banks. In 1920, under city manager auspices, it took over a bank building and made it into a magnificent city hall. The building has cost \$250,000, but the city bought it, furnished it, from the bankrupt title company for \$80,000 in cash.

Prior to 1932, when the city manager form of government took effect, Hackensack bonds had been offered at 88 with no takers. After five years of the new regime the city was on a cash basis without any bond in the rate.

Cleveland, Ohio (43,495) adopted the Council-Manager plan in 1938. Twenty-five years later its debt was down 85% from a high point of \$3,079,000 to \$529,000. Since then it has touched zero. Candidates for reelection to the council recently went in without opposition for two terms in succession and the city manager, already home Saturday. Big sister Leah and brothers Kirt and Glen are very proud to meet the new sister.

Petersburg, Va. (39,531) recently moved its government into the Virginia hall it ever owned. Led by an able city manager and intelligently-elected council, the distinguished old city has solved many of its financial problems. Tax collections were improved by accept-



At the September meeting of the P. T. A. at the Lutheran School on Middlebelt Road, an American Flag was given by the V. F. W. Auxiliary to Post 4033 under the jurisdiction of the Americanism chairman Gladys Jones and was presented by Marge Prisk. Those representing the Auxiliary were Marge Prisk, Ida Prisk and Louise Reimitt. I wish to thank all who helped to make our annual bazaar a success. Special thanks to my committee, who worked hard to serve such a delicious meal. Those who didn't attend missed an enjoyable evening. Come on, members, all out for the Oakland County Council homecoming meeting on October 28 in the Pontiac Clubrooms. Let's see if we can walk away with the prize this year.

SUNSHINE LADY NOTES APPROACH OF NEW SEASON

With the falling of the leaves, we start a new season full of faith that it will be a good one. It can be if we don't let trifles ruffle our temper, nor disappointments unnerve us. Let not exacting duties make us selfish; give us rather a sunny face, a forthright hand, and the joy of a word fitly spoken to some timid, discouraged soul.

I think Saturday, October 21, "The Sweetest Day" of the year, would be just the day to make friends with an undesirable neighbor. Be understanding and unshamed to be his friend, he will be frank and true. Perhaps it's the lack of a true friend that makes him that way.

The sick have faith that some of you will remember them. Don't let them down. Cheer is so badly needed by Miss Verne Collins, Room 226, Highland Park General Hospital. And 11-year-old Flora Seely, at Lewisville, Michigan, may never see another Christmas if she lives to see this one.

Mrs. Virginia Williams of Farmington, myself, and three other ladies kept up eight rooms for the past seven years. But I can't find the good table cloth. Eddie can't understand why, when we have been here a full week, we still haven't got that much-needed puppy and two kittens. He has the riding pants, but where is the horse? Children are fun! I truly believe that if more parents would live with their children and not for them, 14 year old boys wouldn't be held for murder, and 18 year old boys wouldn't want to do something bad. How long have you been open your home and gave a real old time party? One where parents can come and bring the children? Let the children pop the corn. With them by your side, do some real singing and have fun together.

The Sunshine Lady, 1405 S. Hospital Road, Route 9, Pontiac, Mich. P.S. For callers, that's at Union Lake, on the north side near the TB Hospital.

Fendi Road and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Banks and son were dinner guests at their daughter and sister, Mrs. William Robinson and family in Livonia, so they could help Mr. Banks celebrate his birthday.

Gay McConchle and little daughter visited relatives in Gary, Indiana, over the week end. The Frank Skinner of Orionville were the dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Max Bensch on Grand River.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tripp in Pontiac last week. Mrs. Esther Castille and son returned from a visit with friends in Muskegon. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rable and son spent Sunday in Howell and enjoyed a day of hunting with friends.

Mrs. Raymond Grewing and Donald McIntyre called on their mother, Mrs. Hugh McIntyre, last Thursday for lunch.

Clarenceville News

By MRS. FRED GROSE
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Mrs. Lilly South and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford S. Arno visited with relatives in Grand Rapids over the week end.

Mrs. Arthur Hocking visited Mrs. Harry Judson in Detroit on Thursday.

Mrs. D. S. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson drove to Reed City over the week end to take home her young granddaughter, Dorothy, who has been staying with her grandparents the past two weeks. She will meet her baby sister, Deborah, who arrived September 30.

The senior class of Clarenceville High School gave a farewell party for their class sponsor, Mrs. Helen Sturm on Thursday night. The seniors presented her with a beautiful wrist watch and best wishes for her new job. Mrs. Sturm has taught in the school for several years and she will be missed by every pupil in the school.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Riggs spent last Sunday with their son Bob in Mt. Pleasant, Michigan, where he is a student at the teacher's college.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sukowski and daughter, Dorothy, spent the week end in Hudson visiting relatives. Orl. Henry Street from Fort Brann, North Carolina, spent several days with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sukowski on Wednesday.

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The WOMEN'S PAGE

Items of Interest to
Feminine Farmington

Farm Bureau Discusses City-Farm Attitude

"The Farmer and The Rest of Us" was the topic under discussion at the October meeting of the West Farmington Farm Bureau, held at the Haggerty Road home of Mrs. and Mrs. Lyman Bush. Floyd Howard led the discussion.

Also at the meeting, Mrs. Lyman Bush was appointed Farm Bureau delegate to the school board's advisory committee on a new building program.

Next meeting of the Bureau will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Howard.

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Church Women Sponsor Cooking School Friday

"What's New in Cooking" will be the main attraction at the Cooking School to be held this Friday, October 20, at the Farmington Methodist Church.

The public is invited to attend the Cooking School which is under the sponsorship of the Salem Evangelical and Methodist Church Women's organizations. The school will be conducted from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Miss Belle Hannigan, Home Service Advisor for the Detroit Edison Company, will have charge of the school.

Miss Hannigan will stress new methods of cooking as well as maximum use of foods in new and appealing dishes. Tickets may be secured from women of either the Methodist or Salem Evangelical churches.

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