

### Dance around the Maypole

Tots who are members of Art Start, the preschool nursery in University Hills Christian Reform Church, danced around a Maypole to welcome newcomers who will be coming to the school next fall. The Maypole dance was part of an American music program the nursery staged for its open house this spring on the church grounds on Farmington Road, south of 12 Mile. (Evert photo)

## Doctors offer advice on traveling with baby

By SANDY TESSLER  
Babies from birth to age three get absolutely nothing out of a vacation, according to Dr. John Dorsey, Birmingham pediatrician.

But many parents either cannot or do not want to go away without their babies.

"Many mothers have separation feelings of their own," Dr. Dorsey observed.

"Babies are real conservatives," he said. "We take a vacation because we like a change, but babies don't like changes."

However, Dr. Dorsey said, "Often babies are better off in unfamiliar surroundings with their parents than at home with a stranger (babysitter)."

"ONE OF THE biggest problems in traveling with Toddlers," said Dr. Dorsey, "is restlessness. So be prepared to make a lot of pit stops for exercise. Infants, however, are great travelers and will sleep anywhere."

If you require medical advice while on a trip, "Invest a dollar and call your pediatrician back home. He can call an emergency room, if necessary, in your vicinity and thus insure better care."

Sun exposure should be considered with little ones. Dr. Dorsey recommends 15 minutes in the morning and 15 minutes in the afternoon the first day, to be increased by 15 minutes each day thereafter.

"Stay out of the sun between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. and use a good sunscreen"

DR. SHELDON BRENNER, a Farmington pediatrician offered specific guidelines and tips on traveling with babies.

"Two basic rules are: 'If you can avoid it, don't travel with a sick child or a child who's been exposed to a communicable disease unless the incubation period has passed.'"

"Infants and toddlers should always ride in the back seat; infants in approved car seats or in a wedged-in stable car bed, playpen or crib, and toddlers strapped in," he said.

Also, he advised, "Keep the back window ledge clear of all objects and never leave a child alone in a car even for a minute."

DR. BRENNER noted that these rules apply even on short trips, since most accidents occur within 25 miles of home.

For first aid, take along a thermometer, baby aspirin, petroleum jelly, bandaids, antiseptic and nasal aspirator.

Children under nine months of age seldom experience ear sickness, but if the child tends toward nausea in a car, consult a doctor for medication," Dr. Brenner suggests.

Further tips submitted by Dr. Brenner include: travel in short spurts, with everyone getting enough sleep; take along an infant seat, a collapsible stroller and a combination porta-crib/play pen.

PREPARED, READY-TO-USE formula is suggested along with jarred baby food, disposable diapers and wash-and-wear clothing.

For water, if you are concerned, you may either bring along a jug of sterile water, or as Dr. Dorsey suggested, you may use cooled water from the hot water tap since this water is basically germ-free.

Never serve leftover food without refrigeration and don't overfeed a traveling child, Dr. Brenner continued.

Finally, never deal with a crying child while you are driving, pull over.

Air travel with babies requires a different set of rules.

DR. BRENNER'S most basic rule here is "never travel by air with a child who has a cold or ear or upper respiratory infection."

Notify the airlines that you are bringing a baby and they will try to provide baby food, warm bottles and reserved leg-room seating for you.

Carry on only in-flight essentials in a shoulder strap bag so your arms are free for baby. Include a toy, book, a dry snack and pop-up wet towels.

## Club Circuit

THE CATHOLIC STUDY CLUB OF DETROIT installed Mrs. Wilson J. Cottrell, of Royal Oak, as its new president when the group met for its annual luncheon and card party in the Detroit Yacht Club. The outgoing president is Mrs. Peter J. Montagne, of Farmington.

THE MOUNT CARMEL HOSPITAL GUILD president, Mrs. Arthur Z. Ostrowski, presented Hospital Administrator Dr. Thomas R. O'Donovan with a check for \$40,000 when the guild held its annual awards luncheon this month.

The check was in partial payment of the guild's commitment of \$100,000 to the Surgical Intensive Care Unit of Mt. Carmel Mercy Hospital.

The luncheon, sponsored by the Sisters of Mercy, was held to honor all volunteers who contributed their time in hospital service. Guild members contributed a total of 16,860 hours in 1973-74. Mrs. Harold Ross, of Farmington, was installed as financial secretary during the luncheon event.

PHA OMEGA will hold its first board meeting of the 1974-75 season in Northwood Inn in Berkley, on Tuesday, June 4, beginning at 12 noon.

The group's new president, installed during a luncheon in the Raleigh House this month is Mrs. Sylvan Faller, of Southfield. Her officers are Mrs. Joseph Dobrusin, Mrs. Harold Firestone, Mrs. Robert Share, Mrs. Charles Goodman, Mrs. Allan Warnick, Mrs. Warren Tessler, and Mrs. Arnold Golnick.

LaLECHE LEAGUE, of Farmington, will meet on Wednesday, June 5, at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. D. D. Parker, 3007 Pipers Lane, Farmington.

The group continues its every Wednesday series on breast feeding with a program entitled "Childbirth, the Family and the New Baby." The series will conclude June 12.

The individual sessions are open to all women who are interested in breastfeeding their infants. Membership information may be obtained by contacting Janet Scheer, 23841 Longacre, Farmington, 476-4006.

THE FARMINGTON WOMAN'S CLUB will hold its 77th annual "President's Day Luncheon" on Wednesday, June 5, beginning at 12 noon in the Birmingham Community House. Music will be furnished by the "Blenders."

THE 50 AND UP CLUB will meet Thursday, June 6, in Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic Church, Fowler and Shawwassee Rds., Farmington. Guests are asked to bring a sandwich for lunch, which is followed by an 11:30 a.m. mass.

THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS, West Bloomfield-Farmington Area, continue to collect clothes and household items for a rummage sale scheduled to be held on Friday and Saturday, June 7-8.

Persons wishing to donate items for the sale are asked to contact Mabel Fake, 25376 Harcourt, Farmington Hills, 474-5036, or Pat Coe, 6078 Nicholas Dr., West Bloomfield, 626-6857.

All club news and announcements for this column are to be addressed to: Club Circuit, Box 69, Southfield, 48075, and must arrive on the Monday prior to Thursday publication.

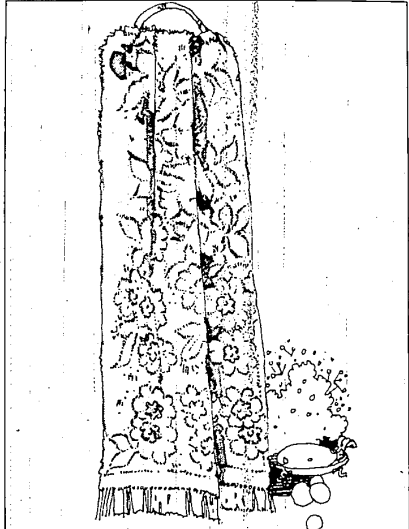
### DETROIT WOMEN OF AL-



Girls getting in the swim of things at our Slim-Her Shop. Polyester/cotton swimdresses for pool or beach-side fun. Shown from the grouping: One piece navy print suit with side-split skirt, edged in white eyelet lace, Chubby sizes 8-16 \$12

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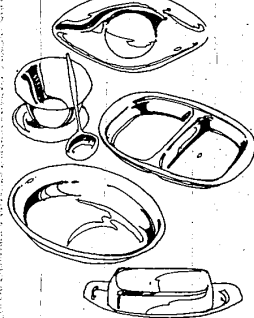
"Caprice"... a soft, lush, classic beauty for the bath by Fieldcrest, now priced for savings. Of unsharred terry with white fringed hem and floral design on pink, blue, canary or spearmint.  
24"x44" bath towel, \$3  
16"x25" hand towel, \$2  
12"x12" washcloth, .90  
Sale ends June 15th.

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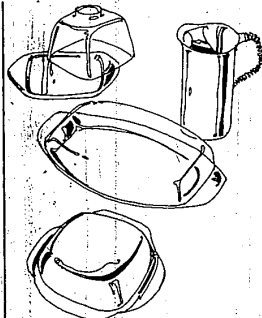
### LAST WEEK JACOBSON'S ANNUAL SALE OF STAINLESS STEEL HOLLOWWARE BY WMF FRASER

Satin-finish Hollowware appropriate for every serving need... at savings now through June 8



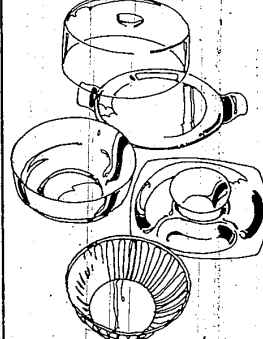
7.50 each

Oval 1 1/4-qt. vegetable dish, 20-oz. gravy boat/ladle, 16-oz. divided vegetable dish, 7"x12" bowl of many uses, butter dish/cover.



9.50 each

Covered cheese server, 1 1/2-qt. water pitcher, 12 1/2" covered meat platter, covered vegetable dish with 1 1/2-pts. capacity in each side.



\$12 each

Covered 12" diameter cake plate, 9 1/2"x3 1/2" salad bowl, 10" chip 'n' dip, 8" diameter wire basket to hold everything from fruit to flowers.

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