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BETTY JANE KENNER MARRIED AT NOVI FRIDAY NIGHT

Miss Betty Jane Kenner, 26430 Novi Road, became the bride of William James Sutton March 10 at a candlelight service performed by Rev. McLucas at the Novi Methodist Church.

Miss Kenner is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Kenner of 26430 Novi Road. She has been employed by the Michigan Bell Telephone Company at Northville. She attended Northville High School.

Mr. Sutton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sutton of 4533 West Seven Mile Road. A veteran of three years service with the Marine Corps in the Pacific, he attended Northville High School. He is employed at the Genesee County Training School at Northville.

Miss Doris Wendland was maid of honor at the 7 p. m. ceremony, and Jack Sutton, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man. The bride's gown, a street-length lace dress of blue silk, was highlighted by two strands of pearls, a gift of the bridegroom. Lace mitts with matching hat completed the bride's ensemble. She carried a bouquet of calla lilies with a white satin streamer.

Lace was the material chosen for the maid of honor's dress, also. Her hat and mitts were of matching toast lace. Tallismen roses comprised her bouquet.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Kenner, chose dark blue crepe with white trim for her dress. White and navy accessories completed her costume, topped with a corsage of red rose buds and red ribbon.

The same corsage was worn by Mrs. Sutton, who chose dark blue flowered crepe with pink accessories for her son's wedding.

Following the wedding reception was held at the V.F.W. Hall, on Plymouth Avenue in Northville. Flowers and ferns decorated the hall for the event, at which ice cream and coffee were served with the wedding cake.

The couple will be at home to their friends at 615 West Main Street, Northville, on March 20.

Common grass and brush fires too often turn into forest fires.

Novi News

MRS. GEORGE WAITE

Mrs. J. W. Ward and Mrs. Dick Welsh entertained at a Stanley party on Monday evening for the benefit of the community building. Mrs. Aggie Perry entertained the Sunshine Group at her home on Wednesday.

Mrs. Mae Atkinson and Mrs. Rowena Salow entertained several ladies at a games party on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Atkinson for the benefit of the community building fund.

Mrs. Myra Ward entertained the Blue Star Mothers at her home Monday evening after the business meeting. Lunch was served.

The W.S.C.S. held its regular meeting in the church parlors on Wednesday with Mrs. Myra Ward and Mrs. Siam Lee as hostesses.

Jack O'Connor of Detroit spent the week end at the George Hines residence.

The Lother Pounders entertained guests from Detroit at dinner on Sunday.

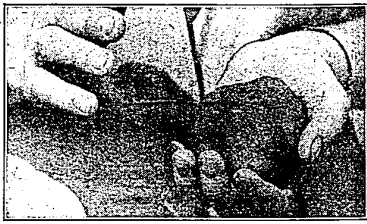
The Boss Kenners entertained their family at dinner on Sunday, honoring their daughter, Mrs. William Sutton (Betty Kenner) on her birthday.

Members of the Board of Commerce and their wives were entertained at a dinner at the I.O.O.F. hall Saturday evening.

Maccabees Liberty Tent Five No. 1027, of Farmington, will hold a social meeting at the home of Mrs. Owen Mitchell, 22408 Floral Avenue, Monday evening at 7:45 p. m.

Games will be played and refreshments will follow. Mrs. Mitchell, telephone 1593, is in charge of the meeting.

Spading Still Best Way To Prepare Garden Soil



When You Can Make a Muddle From Your Garden Soil, It is too Wet to Spade.

Plowing on the farm and spading in the garden are ancient practices which have been much under attack in recent years but are still regarded by most tillers of the soil as the best way to prepare for planting.

Most amateur gardeners had plenty of experience in sowing without spading. In the flower borders for example, where perennial plants are established, seeds for annual flowers must be sown with the aid of a trowel rather than a spade, to avoid disturbing neighboring roots. But the practice is one of necessity rather than choice.

There is rare pleasure in turning over garden soil. If you take it easy, and wait until the ground is in the right condition to be turned. Never work soil which is too wet; and if the soil is heavy, don't wait until it has become too dry. There is a point between extremes when even heavy clay can easily be lifted, and will crumble under a blow from the spade.

To till this point, mold a ball of earth in your hand, and pat it to make a mud pie. If the pie holds together, the soil is too wet to spade. If it crumbles go ahead.

Set a definite task for your first day's work, say a strip six feet wide, running the shortest dimension of the garden. At one end dig a ditch, say one foot wide and the depth of the spade, removing all soil from it. Fill this soil near the opposite end of the strip.

Now begin to spade with the blade not parallel to the trench, but at right angles to it. This enables you to lift the soil more

easily, and deposit it in the trench. Drive the spade down, not on slant, but perpendicularly to its full depth. Take a small slice of the soil so your back is not strained. Lift it up, turn the spade over, so



When Soil Crumbles Easily in Your Hand, It's Time to Spade.

the top soil falls underneath and bottom soil on top. In filling the first trench you have opened a second.

To spade under manure, spread it evenly over the area, except for the top of your initial trench. When this first trench has been dug, the manure from the top of the next trench and throw it into the bottom of the first; then proceed with your spading, piling the soil on top of the manure.

When you have finished your day's quota you will have an empty trench, which should be filled with the soil you removed from the initial trench.

Speaker Cancels Bond

Dr. J. Clark Moloney, Birmingham psychiatrist and professor at Wayne University, has informed the Bond Parent Teachers Association he will be unable to attend their meeting Monday, March 20.

The speaker for the evening will be Farmington Superintendent of Schools, O. E. Dunkel, who will pinch-hit for Dr. Moloney. The program, open to the public, will begin at 8:00 p. m. Moloney has stated he will appear before the group at a later date if possible.

Clarenceville News

By MRS. FRED GROSE, PHONE 2546-R

Miss Ruth Ann Compeau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Compeau of 2205 1/2 Mile Road, Farmington, was born the past week with a strep infection.

The John Bongeros of 20345 High Street received a blue ribbon and silver spoon for their entry of a chow puppy at the Detroit Kennel show on March 5.

We extend our sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wagner on the death of their infant daughter, 19 days old. She was taken to Johnstown, Ohio, for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Newcomb of 25624 Morlock had as their guests for the past two weeks, Mrs. Newcomb's sister, Dorothy Williams, who returned to her home in South Bend on Tuesday.

The potluck luncheon was held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Peace on High Street in honor of Mrs. Helen Newcomb, who soon leaves with her family to live in Indianapolis.

When Mrs. Mary E. Floy, 19 days old, was taken to Johnstown, Ohio, for burial.

The Oxford Sew and Sews Club met at the home of Mrs. Ralph Fletcher on Tuesday for lunch. Mrs. Fletcher entertained the group with several piano selections.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Johnson entertained Miss Marian Leyden on Sunday at dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Colburn were Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grose. The Colburns left for Florida on Tuesday.

Mrs. Barbara St. Arna of Averhill was hostess at a Stanley demonstration on Thursday.

Mrs. Hugh Leitch of Highland Park was visiting at the home of the Henry Souths on Tuesday.

A surprise birthday party was held at the home of Jane Rutledge on her birthday last week. Present were Clyde Hobbins, Shirley Cober, Don Grose, Sharon Anderson, Bob Garbin, Sally Alberts, Bill Acton, Audrey Kenard, Bob Gotlette, Elmer Cook, Harold Davis, Edward Chappell, Mary Lou Marions, Bill Kytola, and Beverly Shaw.

The High School group of the Youth Fellowship of Clarenceville's Methodist Church will hold a lay ride and St. Patrick's party on Saturday night at Newman's on Oxford.

Girl Scout Troop 8 under the direction of Mrs. Moore, has continued their swimming lessons at the Y.W.C.A. in Highland Park. They were cancelled because of the shortage.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haas, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johns, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grose were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKenney of Cheryland.

The Intermediate Youth Fellowship of Clarenceville Methodist Church goes on a progressive dinner on Friday night at the home of Mrs. Fredrick Allen of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, visited his parents, the Norman Allens, over the week end.

WEST FARMINGTON

By MRS. SARAH KNAPP

The West Farmington Extension group meeting for March 15, 1950, was cancelled. The leaders and chairmen were unable to get through the bad roads until too late to hold the meeting.

Fred Skinner is sick with a bad cold. Mrs. Peter Kobman is recovering her health.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Gilbert are home from Florida, where they have been spending the last few weeks. Evelyn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Knapp, is sick with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Giegler of Hartland called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Knapp Saturday.

SIMPLE RULES, NOT "KNACK", SECRET OF GOOD CAKES

How is your reputation as a cake baker? If it could be improved don't wait around for the "knack" to come to you — instead check yourself on a few simple rules that can make a big difference with that cake.

First, suggests Lois Jackson, foods department, Michigan State College, start heating the oven in advance so that it will be the right temperature by the time the cake is ready to bake. Arrange the racks in the oven so that the cake will be near the center of the oven for even heating.

Prepare the pans before mixing the batter and it's very important that you use the size of pan mentioned in the recipe. Do not grease pans for angel food or sponge cakes.

For butter cakes, use a pastry brush or piece of waxed paper to spread a thin amount of fat on the bottom of the pan and just part way up the sides.

Cakes are usually baked in a moderate oven and should be tested before removing. Butter cakes begin to shrink away from the sides of the pan when done. If the top of the cake is pressed lightly with the fingers, it should spring back without leaving a mark.

A wire tester or toothpick can be inserted into the center of the cake and will come out clean and dry when the cake has been properly baked.

Let butter cakes cool in the pan for about 10 minutes after removing from the oven and then loosen the sides with a spatula. Turn the cake on a rack or towel right side up to finish cooling. Then the cake won't get soggy from steaming.

Fruit cakes should be left in the pan until cold because they are heavy and tender when hot. Turn sponge cakes upside down, pan and all, until the cake is cold.

When sponges are taken from the sides and around the tub. Fill the pan and draw the cake out gently.

Manogany trees are cut by the light of the moon because they are then freest of sap and of richer color.

The WOMEN'S PAGE

Items of Interest to Feminine Farmington

Group Adopts Single Neighborhood Shrub

The flowering quince has been adopted by the Sunshine Sisters, a group of women in the West Point Park Neighborhood Church, as the neighborhood shrub. The plant was adopted at its meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. J. J. Wagner, Shady-side Avenue.

Efforts will be made by the group to have as many residents as possible plant the shrubs to lend distinction and beauty to the community. Several area residents already have the bushes.

Mrs. Migner, hostess, was assisted by Mrs. Reddy. Next meeting of the group will be held at the home of Mrs. Russell Ault, Shady-side Avenue, Wednesday afternoon, March 22, at 2 p. m.

Northville Mothers Sponsor Cooking School

The Westinghouse cooking school sponsored by the Northville Mothers Club, will be held at the Northville Theater March 24 from 9 to 11:30 a. m.

Miss Ann Ryan, Detroit Westinghouse demonstrator, will conduct the school. Mrs. Orson Atchinson is general chairman of the event with Mrs. H. H. Handorf in charge of tickets, Mrs. Jack Reynolds, prizes, and Mrs. Elden Bury, publicity.

Prizes to be awarded are a Westinghouse roaster, mixer, toaster, iron, and iron. Corsages will be given to the oldest lady present, the most recent bride, and the mother of the most children.

Tickets may be purchased at the door. Proceeds from the demonstration will go toward the club's projects.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Ports are entertaining the members and families of the Adult Bible Class from the Methodist Church at their home tonight.

Clarenceville P.T.A. Elects Officers March 21

The Clarenceville Parent Teachers Association will elect its new officers March 21 when they meet in regular session at the high school.

The program slated for the evening consists of election of officers and a featured talk by Mrs. Marjorie Clements, a first grade teacher at Central School. Mrs. Clements, who formerly taught in England, has promised a discussion of her teaching experiences abroad.

The meeting, open to the public, begins at 8 p. m. Refreshments will be served by Mrs. Grode and her committee.

ACCEPTS POSITION

Miss Doris Greshkowiak, 28923 Greening, has accepted a position in the offices of the Detroit Air-Conditioning Institute. Miss Greshkowiak was placed in her position by the Joy Road School of The Business Institute, where she has been a student.

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LOCALS

Mrs. Arthur Lamb on Oakland suffered a painful injury from a fall in her home last Tuesday.

Mrs. A. J. Tibbetts of Rosemond Hills fell on the ice last week and broke her shoulder.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Benich on Grand River were Saturday evening guests of the C. M. Bernards in Detroit.

Mrs. Dallas Ports on Farmington Road entertained the twelve members of their sewing group on Saturday.

Mrs. Lucille Schmidt returned to her home on Westmore from the Lincoln Hospital in Lincoln Park following surgery. Her mother, Mrs. Harvey Compeau, is spending as much time as possible with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lamb attended the funeral of the latter's sister, Mrs. Mettie Bachelor, of Walled Lake.

The Hugh McIntyres were Northville callers Saturday noon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Lamb.

The Walter Hofmanns spent Sunday with their brother, Paul Hofmann in Detroit, who received his discharge from the Veteran's Hospital in Dearborn Saturday. Mr. Hofmann had been in the hospital for 5 years, receiving medical treatments for injuries received in

an auto accident while in the Medical Service. Paul is at the home of his parents, the Frank Hofmanns, who were formerly Farmington residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Skinner of Orionville spent Sunday with Clyde, enjoyed a family dinner with the Fred Westfalls and sons of Livonia on Sunday. Mrs. Aldrich, Mrs. AuBuchon, and Mrs. Westfall are the daughters of the Perry Breates.

The Farmington Rug Club met on Monday with Mrs. Myron Carter on Eight Mile Road for luncheon and an afternoon of hooking rugs.

The Trinity Shrine No. 44 will hold its public installation in the Masonic Hall in Farmington on Thursday, March 15, at 8 p. m. Northville, Plymouth, and Redford will meet with Farmington.

The Blue Star Mother will hold their regular business meeting in the Town Hall Thursday, March 16, at 1 p. m.

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