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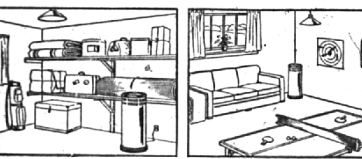
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HORSE SENSE AND NONSENSE

EVERYBODY'S DOING IT

Any standard dictionary will tell you a picnic is "A pleasure party the food for which is usually provided by members of the group and is eaten in the open air."

As far as it goes that is a perfectly wonderful piece of definition—but it doesn't go far enough.

You may be the type of person who plans picnics, or you may be one of that group wherein they just "happen." You suddenly say, "Let's go on a picnic!" and before the proverbial hat can reach the floor you are underway.

Whatever group, there are certain phases of a picnic which are always popping up, and which were not included by the late Mr. Webster in his description/definition.

PICNICS HAVE a way of creating confusion. If you plan on going only a short distance and therefore include a jellied chicken, ice cream or some other delicacy which cannot stand up well under prolonged heat, you can bet your last dollar it will be at least a hundred miles before you strike a spot that pleases everyone and has space available. The day you decide to cool everything at the spot is the day

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Lathrup Village News

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Glee Club Program

The Chevrolet glee club presented a program Thursday evening at Orchard Lake Country Club. David Wood, of Quenton drive is director.

Evaluation Workshop

A workshop to evaluate courses for teacher training is now in progress at the Sarah Fisher home on west 12 Mile road. Six visiting sisters who have education degrees from Washington, Boston, Maryland, and other locations, will be among those attending.

Monday, the Seton Guild held its regular meeting at the home, and planned the summer recreation program. It will include a July picnic and birthday party for children born in June. The latter are monthly events.

Social Committee

Social committee for Lathrup Women's club next season includes Mrs. George Burnham, Mrs. Walter Howard, Mrs. L. A. Briebohn, Mrs. Joseph Widenor, Mrs. Clare Messenger, Mrs. Karl M. Doegen, Mrs. Fred Watson, Mrs. C. Glidewell.

Movers

The Arthur Thornburys of Eldorado place moved Friday, to their new home on Lakeview in Birmingham. The Arthurs also moved Friday. They formerly lived on Santa Barbara.

Social Bits

Mrs. Lantz Mackey of San Jose drive, entertained the Lathrup Duplicate club at a luncheon Thursday. The club meets fortnightly.

Mrs. Lawrence McLaughlin of Vinsetta boulevard, president of St. Sebastian guild, Shrine of the Little Flower, invited several couples, members of the guild, to a supper and canasta party Saturday evening. The McLaughlins sail next month for a six weeks European trip.

Republican Women

Southfield Township Women's Republican club held a rummage sale in Highland Park hotel Monday, with Mrs. Herman F. Luhrs, president, in charge.

A cooperative picnic for members will be held July 6 at the home of Mrs. Hugh C. White, 2730 Scenic drive, Franklin.

Church News

Circle 11 of the Community church is sponsoring a kitchen

modern living is given as the main cause of so many persons having a nervous breakdown.

WE SECRETLY THINK the search for relaxation, in the form of a picnic, may also be a contributing factor.

However, don't get us wrong—we love 'em, and you can find us at some picnic spot every time we have four consecutive free hours.

We battle the bugs, leave things home, get smoke in our eyes and eat food we'd have a fit over if served under a roof. It's a summer mania and we have just about the worst case of it on record!

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party given by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Omer. Following the dinner the Dean Weavers were hosts to the group.

Rose Show

The annual rose show sponsored by Detroit Rose society will be held at Gross Pointe Memorial association and center, 32 Lakeshore Drive, and East Jefferson. It will be June 17 from 3 to 10 p.m. and Sunday, June 18 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Mrs. Maurice J. Murphy of 18798 Rosewood

Lathrup Village is secretary of the association.

Benefit Bridge

Mrs. Jerry T. Flannigan of Rowland, Detroit, is entertaining son for the Sarah Fisher home nursery. Mrs. Maurice J. Murphy of the village is co-chairman. The nursery is being furnished through the endeavors of the Seton guild.

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