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**Garden Club Unit Operates Program Of Hortotherapy**

Deep in their new program are members of the horticultural therapy committee of the Birmingham branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association. These Garden Club members have organized a motor corps to deliver baskets of flowers to local hospitals. Their aid supplements a new phase of "hortotherapy", which assists patients mentally and physically ill by working with plant materials.  
 Baskets, often donated by bereaved families after funerals, are delivered to the hospitals where they are dismantled for patients to work on in a central therapy room. Patients make their own arrangements for their rooms and at Pontiac State hospital, definite therapeutic results were reported.  
 The program requires small flower containers which will fit a hospital table. Those interested in contributing their surplus vases are asked to bring them to the home of Mrs. Henry Beam, 331 Larchdale drive, for delivery to the hospitals.

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**Michigan Taxes To Be Discussed By LWV Groups**  
 "Michigan taxes—too little for the state—too much for the men! What can be done about it?"  
 Four League of Women Voters units meeting next week will seek answers to this vital problem. Mrs. Richard Van Dusen and her committee on Michigan taxation have gathered basic material on the use of Michigan tax money, local assessments and property taxes.  
 Following the urgent request of Governor Williams for a review of Michigan's serious financial situation, the league's unit program will evaluate state needs in an effort of aid understanding of the problem.

**JANET MILLS**  
**Janet Mills**  
**Bride Elect**

Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Mills of Sufield road announce the engagement of their daughter, Janet Adrienne, to Donald Erwin Haack, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Haack of Milwaukee, Wis.  
 Janet was graduated from Baldwin high school, and is a junior at the University of Wisconsin where she is affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma.

"AT THIS TIME of year most of us are writing checks for taxes. More and more people are interested in how our tax money is used. And they want to know how the assessors decide to charge you and me for the privilege of owning property," said Mrs. Van Dusen.

Mrs. Vernon Mickelson, unit organization chairman, has arranged these four group meetings:  
 Monday, Jan. 26 — 1:15-3:00—Baldwin Library  
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 Tuesday, Jan. 27 — 8:00—home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Loomis, 1048 Dorchester. Husbands invited.  
 Wednesday, Jan. 28—1:15-3:00—home of Mrs. Henry Arlt, 27065 Crestwood Drive, Franklin.  
 "Any woman of the greater Birmingham area may belong to the Birmingham League of Women Voters and join unit groups. A real interest in good government is the first step to League membership," Mrs. Mickelson said.



**MR. AND MRS. Roy M. Laning**, of Chesterfield road, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nancy Jane, to Captain Marvin W. Lovett, U.S.A.F., son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley D. Lovett of Portland, Ore. The bride-elect attended Ohio Wesleyan University where she affiliated with Gamma Phi Beta sorority, and Jamesine Franklin School of Professional Arts of New York. Captain Lovett is a graduate of the University of Oregon and is presently stationed at Wilmington, Dela. A June wedding is planned.

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**Have You Met . . .**  
 Delmer and Hene Goswing of 1106 Wakefield drive? Former residents of Royal Oak, they and their two children, Delmer III, 9, and Lynn, 5, moved here in December. Goswing, a general insurance salesman with Goswing Agency, is a member of the North End Lions, Highland Park Masonic Lodge No. 468, Highland Park Junior Chamber of Commerce, and the U. S. Air Force Reserve. He is secretary of the Highland Park Exchange Club, and is national director of the Michigan Junior Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. Goswing, a member of the Royal Oak Women's Club, enjoys bridge.

The John Kales and their children, Arthur, 3, and Mary Ann, 1 1/2 years-old? Former Detroiters, they have been making their home at 1315 Cheltenham road since October. Kale is a precision inspector for the Vickers, Inc. He is a member of Ashlar Lodge, No. 91, F & A.M. He is fond of sports and wood carving.

**NEWS FROM Southeast of Birmingham**  
 By **JANE STAGG**  
 Lincoln 4-0790

Mr. and Mrs. William Yanke and their four children returned last Monday to their recently remodeled home on Massoit after three weeks in Florida. They stayed in Palmetto at the home of Mrs. Yanke's mother, Mrs. G. B. Heston. The visit gave them an opportunity to supervise the building of their own winter place in nearby Bradenton, Fla.

The Richard Campbells, who recently moved to Robinwood avenue from Detroit with their four children, entertained Detroiters Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Donaldson and children at dinner Saturday evening. Marilee Gordon, Lorraine Bacon and Carol Sessions came from Detroit to spend Saturday evening with the Campbells' daughter, Barbara, who was ten years old Jan. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. Vandiermeer of Olivia avenue announce the adoption of their three-month-old daughter, Barbara Jane, Jan. 9. Mrs. Vandiermeer was surprised with a shower at the home of her neighbor, Mrs. Jack Clark that evening. Bringing gifts for the baby were Mrs. David Ash, Mrs. Earl Potter, Mrs. Oliver Benson, Mrs. Ted Jacques and Mrs. Lois Pedicini of Olivia avenue. Mrs. Harry Vallow, Mrs. William Crosby and Mrs. Grant Mauldin of Normandy road. Last Tuesday evening Mrs. Paul Sicloff entertained 19 of Mrs. Vandiermeer's former schoolmates at a shower in her home in Oak Park. Tuesday evening Mrs. Robert Mason feted the new mother by inviting about 20 friends and relatives to a shower at her home on Samsel road.

Mrs. Wilbur Schreiber, Trafford road, Mrs. George Sved, Essex road and Mrs. Milton Guy of Verona circle were among the 25 women from District Six who attended the annual luncheon meeting of Southern Oakland Girl Scouts, Inc., at the International Institute, Detroit, last Tuesday. Mrs. Thomas Gleason of Cooper avenue has been asked to serve on the girl scout bylaws committee for North Royal Oak.

Jack Price of Robinwood avenue invited Harry Fairchild, Stan Vida, Emmet Mills, Cam Morawski and Selig Stagg to meet Sunday morning at the Sylvan Lake boat club. The group planned to fox hunt at Meadowbrook farms before returning to the club for dinner.

Mrs. Kathryn Hopkins of Olivia avenue is a member of the committee arranging a Lincoln Day tea to be held from two until four in the afternoon, Feb. 12 at the Waldron hotel, Pontiac. The tea, sponsored by the Republican Women's Federation of South Oakland county, will precede the Lincoln Dinner. Mrs. Harman F. Laska of Southfield township, is also a member of the committee.

Last night, Jan. 21, Harry Guest, Program chairman, announced that Alan Antly will speak Monday, Jan. 26, at 8 p.m. before the regular meeting of the Jane Addams PTA at the school on Webster road. Antly is the executive director of the Psychopathic Clinic of Recorder's Court, Detroit. He is also chairman of the Mayor's Sex Deviate committee and the Narcotics committee. He is also a member of Gov. William's Sex Deviate commission. He will speak on "The Sex Deviate Problem."

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