

Miss Laughter' Will Speak At Birmingham Country Club

By FRAN MAIER

A novel and stimulating program is being planned by the social and monthly committee of Birmingham Country club for the April 18th luncheon at which time women will participate in a seminar on the roll of women in this age.

Meeting for luncheon last week with the committee consisting of Mrs. C. V. Larch, Mrs. J. Andrews, Mrs. A. Kachinko, Mrs. Ted Chick, Mrs. Samuel Bailock, Mrs. George J. Connelly and Mrs. Robert T. Edy. She has developed the ability to pass along dynamic ideas of other human beings which free them of fear, worry, feelings of self-consciousness, inferiority and inadequacy.

"LACHAR" (in German) means to laugh and remark the guest who can stir, surprise and delight you. She has a highly pleasing way of passing along solutions everyday living which she expresses in a clear and exhilarating manner.

RHODA LACHAR is director.

Miss Larchar will simply be the speaker and discussion leader... will have use visual aids... to look at and work with... for the participants to better understand the discussion. Miss Larchar will include a step by step plan for sound and unlimited living.

Twelve years of teaching and 23 years of research, with 17 years of business experience has given the author an exceptional background. "You Are Unlimited" is the product of Rhoda Lachar's experience as an educator, writer, research worker, business executive and director of education and health centers.

Every page of the book passes along sound, sensible suggestions which you can apply to your hourly and daily activity.

AN APPROACH to "You Are Unlimited" is explained by the author as such: "You can make your life a victory no matter who you are or what you are doing! It isn't your area or position in life or bank account that is involved. If you are to live a victorious and dynamic life, your first and most urgent need is to know and understand yourself. Find yourself first, your next step will be to learn to know the other human beings who make up your world. Once you know the real you and know how to get along with others easily, you will be on the broad highway which leads to a radiant, victorious living."

Newcomers' Club To Hear Speaker Discuss New Books

Gail Jordan Tousey, book reviewer, will be the speaker at a meeting to be sponsored by the Birmingham Newcomers Club on Thursday, April 19 at 12:30 p.m. at the Community House.

NEED SOMETHING FOR YOUR HOUSE? Then locate it by reading or using the Classified Ads in The Eccentric each week.



EDUCATOR, WRITER, and research worker, Rhoda Lachar (center) passes along dynamic ideas for living to (left) Mrs. A. Kachinko and Mrs. C. V. Larch.

LET'S GET THE PICTURE STRAIGHT!

What makes it crooked? Modern research findings, promotional efforts on Glorion, Fiesta, Gro-Stuff and Zozya; uniformed people who talk a lot; RX-15, TV comedians who must think gardening is funny, people who want the best for the least (work & money) and that occasional person who says, "Why my father never fertilized the lawn. He just let the sheep keep it short and... well, sheep are not allowed in Birmingham."

In the midst of this confusion of what to do and what not to do we are trying to steer a sound course. When the new is questionable we will adhere to the tried and when the new is proven we will use it. Our general policy is based on the quotation:—

BE NOT THE FIRST BY WHOM THE NEW IS TRIED NOR YET THE LAST BY WHOM THE OLD IS CAST ASIDE (By some English gardener named Oliver Goldsmith)

IN ORDER OF TIME AND IMPORTANCE . . .

1. The number of days left in which to apply DORMANT SPRAYS to fruit trees, trees, ornamentals and shrubs are few: In fact one must be careful even now on liacs because the buds are swelling and itty bits of green are showing. Oil spray might burn them.
2. Lawn fertilizers should be applied as soon as possible. Since some grasses are growing it is wise to avoid scorching by swishing or swashing the material off the grass blades with a hose stream.
- Recommend:
Woodruff's Gro-Sod (10-6-1)
Stadler's Triple X (10-6-4)
Agrico's Turf (10-6-1)
- Experimental:
Uramite (38-0-0) plus
Commercial (3-12-12)
Glorion (4-8-8)
3. Lawn seed should be applied as soon as possible to give it the longest possible growing time before the hot dry weather sets in. It will be wise to roll this seed in lightly BUT NOT UNTIL THE GROUND IS DRIER.
4. While these items are given in order of time and importance sometimes you will find you have more than one to be done at the same time. Ha, ha! That's why we suggested getting the fertilizer and seed on earlier.

A Bloomin' Nice DAFFODIL EXHIBIT AT THE STORE . . . THURS., FRI. AND SAT.

5. Get ROSES, shrubs, trees, etc. into the ground as quickly as you can work it. Our ROSES are disappearing rapidly.
6. Some things are boring. The ones that are boring the peach trees can be discouraged by using PARASCALECIDIE in accordance with the instructions on the can.
7. To mitigate your disgust at the handsome but loathsome BOX ELDER BUG chop down the box elder tree. (Watch out for the dog if the tree is in your neighbor's yard.) Anyway, spray CHLORDANE on the South wall of the building, on the foundations and on the ground close to the foundation. If it is your tree and you like it, spray the ground around it. If you don't like stepping on bugs in the house with your bare feet either wear shoes or use the vacuum cleaner.
8. Start applying a COMPLETE FRUIT TREE SPRAY such as ORTHO'S DuPONT'S OR BONIDES.
 - a. Start as soon as growth begins.
 - b. Spray once a week EVERY WEEK whether the weather is sunny or rainy.
 - c. Do not spray when tree is in full bloom.
 - d. Do not skip a week here and there.
 - e. Stop spraying 7 to 15 days before harvesting.

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Ugh!

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