

Berkshires Barbara Keaton, MI 44413

Mrs. Fortune, Mrs. Traa to Host Garden Club at Greens Workshop

Berkshires branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden association held a meeting Tuesday, at the Birmingham Community House. Many members shared in the program devoted to the subject of bringing an old-fashioned Christmas into the home.

Mrs. Frank Smith read "Christmas Thoughts" by Peter Marshall and Mrs. A. E. McCall demonstrated how to use different evergreens for home Christmas decorations. Mrs. P. E. Brunk was in charge of the refreshment table which was beautifully decorated by Mrs. John Calhoun and Mrs. William Duh. Co-hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Dearborn Pratt, Mrs. Hope C.

Buck Sullivan, Mrs. A. B. Newman and Mrs. A. G. Furman. Assisting them will be Mrs. Frank Webb, vice president of the Michigan division.

At the Jackson Park Lane home of Mrs. James Traa, the committee who will demonstrate and assist in making the decorations will be Mrs. J. C. Calhoun, Mrs. John P. Hobart, Mrs. Laurence Kortkamp and Mrs. A. E. McCall. Registration fee of \$1.00 will cover evergreens which will be available at each home. After a morning session of working with Christmas decorations, coffee will be served.

It has been a week of entertaining at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dewar of Middlebury Lane, Westchester. Mrs. Dewar's bridge club met at her home Nov. 28. After an evening of bridge and chat-chit Mrs. Dewar served dessert and coffee. Guests were Mrs. Robert Henderson, Mrs. Jerry Harneiss, Mrs. James Martin, Mrs. Robert Kalb-

South Berkshires Anne Young MI 62047

Imported French Lace Christening Dress Is Worn by Baby Simonetta

Wearing an imported French lace christening dress worn by her mother 28 years ago and made by her maternal grandmother, little Simonetta, two-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Abate of Murray Crescent drive, was recently baptized at St. Bede's church. Godparents were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Russo.

Present at the christening dinner at the Abate home were both sets of grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Abate, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Finazzo, four aunts and uncle, sister Sharon, brothers Tommy and Keith and the godparents.

A luncheon was given by Mrs. John Mathews in her home on Oakland drive Nov. 27. White and yellow mums formed the centerpiece for the luncheon table. Mrs. Mathews and her friends discussed plans for their annual Christmas party.

Guests were Mrs. Ted Lindsay, Mrs. Art Houtteeman, Mrs. Billy Pires, Mrs. Leon Hart, Mrs. Joe Ginsberg and Mrs. Ted Gray. Westchester newcomers are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davie of Middlebury Lane. Formerly from Detroit, they moved into their new home in August. In the Davie family, 11 children, 10 are attending Franklin school and Cynthia, 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Davie's outside interests are oil painting, bird and photography. Mrs. Davie attended Michigan State University and Davie attended the University of Michigan where he was affiliated with Beta Phi. He is sales engineer for the Colley and Schie Inc. They attend the Christ Church Cranbrook.

St. Cabrini Guild Meets Wednesday For Yule Party

BERKSHIRES — St. Cabrini Guild will meet Wednesday, noon at the home of Mrs. John Malpeli on Westlady road. Co-hostesses will be Mrs. R. J. O'Brien, Mrs. Louise Desmond, Mrs. Walter Phelps and Mrs. Robert Wink. This meeting will be the Guild's Christmas party. After a luncheon they will exchange gifts and play games.

Greeting guests that day will be a cherry snowman on the front door, made of green with a top hat and red oil-cloth boots and belt. Inside, Mrs. Malpeli will have a small Christmas tree to add to the festive affair and the table centerpiece will be made of greens sprayed with snow, surrounding gold reindeer with ornament beads wrapped around them.

VFW Auxiliary Fills Christmas Stockings for Party

SOUTHFIELD — VFW post 9952 auxiliary filled over 100 Christmas stockings with gifts and candy for the annual Christmas party December 16. The auxiliary will contribute food and canned goods Christmas baskets to be distributed to needy veterans, along with turkeys and trimmings. Members are also asked to donate wrapped gifts to be given elderly people in Oakland county infirmary.

Attorney Requested To Check Check

SOUTHFIELD — Harry N. Dell, township attorney was to be instructed this week to try and cash a check written in his name to cover a \$125 legal fee incurred by the township at the request of Bingham Farms residents who promised to reimburse Southfield. The check, made out by Bingham Farms Village, was to cover a suit which Southfield fought for the residents before the area became a village in an effort to stop home construction on small sized lots.

Southfield has already paid Dell and finds that it cannot cash the check, which has "\$125" in numerals but has "\$100" written in letters.

S'fld Kiwaniqueens To Exchange Gifts At Meeting Dec. 13

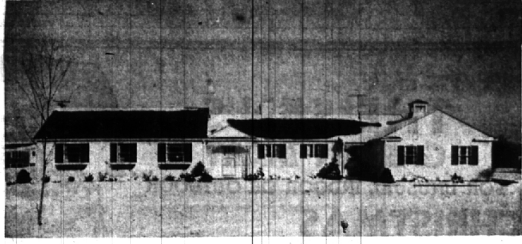
SOUTHFIELD — Kiwaniqueens will meet Thursday evening, Dec. 13, for their annual Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs. Andrew Broad of Edgemont road. Mrs. John E. Hipple is chairman of the affair assisted by Mrs. E. Paul Bowman, Mrs. Emil Boudreau, Mrs. Clifford Thompson, Mrs. J. Wesley Muir and Mrs. Will J. Oliver. Members will exchange gifts and be entertained by a program planned by Mrs. Farnham W. Haeger. Mrs. James A. Burrows Jr., Mrs. R. V. Snyder and Mrs. J. Leo Walton.

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from the 7th grade through high school. Mrs. Marvin Cline is in charge of tickets. The youngsters are reminded that tickets must be obtained not later than Dec. 10.

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