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### European Students Will Benefit from This American Fair

CRANBROOK — Complete with games, a dance, an auction and refreshments, Cranbrook school's annual "Foreign-A-Fair" will be Saturday, Feb. 20, from 7 to 10:30 p.m. in the little gymnasium.

Under the direction of Student Chairman Tim Coughlin, the school clubs and classes are planning a full evening of fun for the public.

ALTHOUGH admission to the fair is free, there will be a charge at the various game and sales booths. The purpose of the fair is to raise funds for foreign scholarship students at Cranbrook.

The senior class booth will feature roulette, and the freshmen have planned a game of "crass hockey." Boxed candy will be sold by the prefects. The Camera club will be taking photographs, and other classes will have a variety of entertainment.

In addition to the fair, a dance is planned in Cranbrook's auditorium, featuring music by the "House of Rockers," The Crescendos, Rick Rattner, Dave Kessel, Tom Brown and Dave Koether. Admission to the dance is \$2.00. The Assistant Chairman Coughlin are Bill Angel and Harvey Crose Jr.

### People's Column

## Dimes March A Success, Says Chairman

To the Editor:

The 1960 New March of Dimes in Oakland county was very successful. Early reports indicate that the total raised exceeded the 1959 total. However, another thing that is most important was that we were completed during our campaign.

We were enabled, through the outstanding cooperation of your newspaper, to inform the people of this community as to the objectives and services of the National Foundation for the Crippled Children.

I REFER particularly to the expanded program in the areas of crippling birth defects and arthritis and the continuing assistance to paraplegic and polio victims.

The March of Dimes depends on communication and your newspaper has helped us to obtain additional publicity for your outstanding contribution.

WALTER G. BURTON HODGSON, Chapter Chairman

### LEGAL NOTICES

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STATE OF MICHIGAN — The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 11th day of February, A. D. 1960.

Present, Honorable Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate, and the Estate of Emma Jane Kees also known as Jennie Kees, deceased.

Re: The Matter of the Estate of Emma Jane Kees, having filed a petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to Harold J. Gibson, executor named in the Will, or to some other suitable person.

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## DOWN TO EARTH

# New Books Help With Garden Hints

By ALICE WESELS BURLINGAME  
Special Writer for The Birmingham Eccentric

This is the time of year to sharpen up on plant knowledge and the time to venture into new experiences in the field of horticulture. May 1 suggests the following two books which are free to you from your County Agent, 1260 West Boulevard, Pontiac. It is just beyond Elizabeth Lake Road out Telegraph Road, near Dixie Highway.

"Cultural and Agricultural Importance of Earthworms" by Ball and Curry is a booklet which will give the gardener step by step information on using worms for the benefit of his property. After visiting Jay Lindsey's largest worm farm in the world at Burlington, N. C., last Spring I feel very sophisticated.

Michigan State University has a superior garden bulletin of 96 pages entitled "The Home Vegetable Garden" and I would suggest it as the best publication I have ever seen on the subject. It is filled with pictures and profitable reading.

THIS IS a good time to be cutting down trees which no longer have value on your property and it is easy to secure men for this purpose when nursery work is not so busy. Often after a stump is left you want to treat the stump to assure you that it will not sprout again.

Mix 2 1/2 or 2 3/4 T in fuel oil and the mixture will be carried to the base of the tree by sap flow.

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