

FOR THE
**FARM
WIFE
AND
FAMILY**

**Covered Bridges And Deer Are
Favorite Knick-Knack Subjects
For Mrs. Glenn Morrison**

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"Let me live in a house by the side of the road and be a friend to man" as penned by Sam Walter Foss might well be applied to Mrs. Glenn (Florence) Morrison of Martic Forge. As one enters the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morrison you at once are aware of some of her hobbies. She says, "I'm a lover of covered bridges and deer." In every room are covered bridges such as calendar towels, pictures and knick-knacks. Even their son David is making them for her with his wood burning set. She also has quite a collection of deer. They are displayed on tables among her houseplants on the window sills etc. Her friends keep adding to her collection. She also keeps scrap books of interest to herself and her family.

Mrs. Morrison has done a lot of embroidery work such as

pillow cases and tablecloths. It takes a lot of stitches to do a tablecloth but she is working on her fifth or sixth one. She is a very interesting person with her many hobbies and in a few minutes you are made to feel as though you've known her all your life.

Her musical talents are put to good use in the Colemanville United Methodist Church of which she is a member. She sings in the choir and has recently organized and is directing a Junior Choir with Brad Fink as the pianist. This young man is also pianist for their Church School Primary Department. Florence also teaches a Sunday School class of girls 7-13 years of age. She is a member of the Women's Society of Christian Service and is serving

on the Sunshine committee sending cards to the sick and remembering the service men with gifts. She is also a member of the Administrative Board of the church.

She has just recently retired as President of Farm Women Society #9 and is now serving as news reporter. She has served as Corresponding Secretary and Recording Secretary in the past. She has belonged to the Society 18 years. They have 34 members from the Martic Forge area originally but it now reaches to Mount Nebo, Willow Street, Lancaster and Millersville. For social functions they have family picnics in the summer, entertain other Societies at the Boys Club which meets at Camp Snyder, Maittville, and take bus trips in the spring and fall. These trips also bring in some money for their treasury.

Their service activities include sewing cancer dressings, folding seals for Heart Haven and Christmas seals, taking fruit juices to Heart Haven in February and making articles of clothing for the Lancaster Needlework Guild ingathering in November. In the past they have made several quilts for it. They have a unique way to earn money — members are given a calendar with certain days covered with a seal. When you open it you must pay a certain fine for a particular thing as designated. They must also pay a fine for their birthdays and for not attending meetings. They also have white elephant sales, auction off plants at their meetings and have refreshment stands at sales.

Florence helps in the kitchen for the Parent-Teacher Organi-



EMBROIDERING a beautiful table cloth. Mrs. Glenn Morrison of Martic Forge embroiders to relax and provide a favorite pass time. L. F. Photo

zation school fair each spring.

Mrs. Morrison was born and raised on a farm near New Holland, being the daughter of Mrs. Henry and the late Mr. Reinhart. During World War II when Mr. Reinhart's youngest son went in U.S. military service and became a produce-dealer, which was a long time ambition, at Martic Forge. This was in 1942. He bought chickens all

over the southern end of the county. Because of his integrity he quickly built up his business. Florence attended grade-school at Leola, Upper Leacock High School and Manor Township High School in Millersville, graduating there and attended Lancaster Business College one year. Before marriage she kept books for her father and helped with his business until Mr. Rein-

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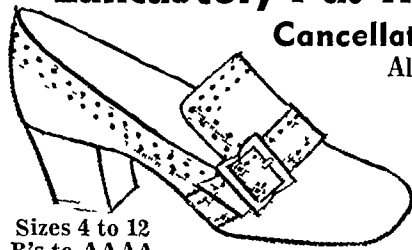
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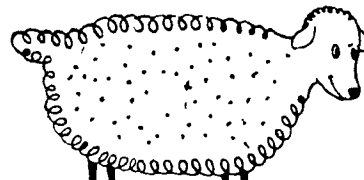
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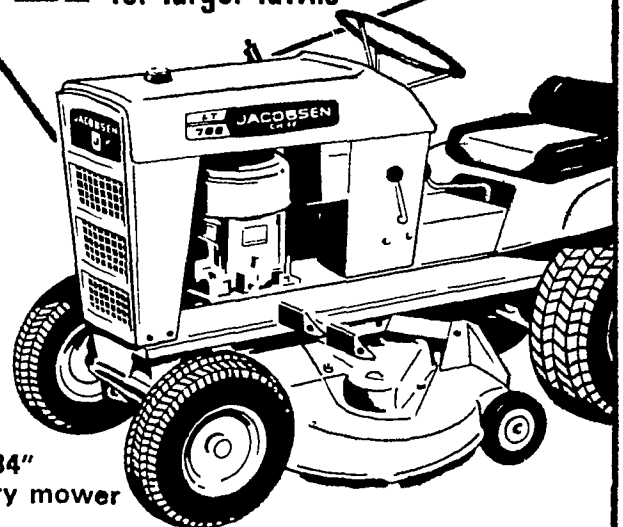
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