

Farm Women Societies

Society 12

"The Diamond and The Diplomat" by Letitia Baldrige was reviewed by Mrs Wallace Fisher at a meeting of Society of Farm Women 12 in the Farm and Home Center. Society 19 members were guests.

Hostesses were Mrs John Sangrey, Mrs Bernice Eshleman, Mrs Kathryn Presch and Mrs. Clarence Witmer. Mr Paul Hainish was in charge of devotions.

Miss Ethel Kindig, Society 12 president conducted a brief business session in which \$10 was donated to the Cancer Crusade. She also informed the

group that a total of 945 cancer dressings have been completed by group workshops and individuals this year.

The next meeting of Society 12 will be held May 16 in the home of Mrs LeMai Henry, 33 Manor Ave., Millersville.

Society 5

Society of Farm Women 5 met recently at the home of Mrs Raymond Hess, Landisville. A trio sang selections.

Donations were given to Mental Health, American Cancer Society and the Arthritis Foundation.

Speaker was Mrs Hess whose

topic was "Pottery." She had a display of the art. An auction was held.

The next meeting will be held May 22 at home of Mrs Walter Holbein, Landisville.

Society 29

Society of Farm Women 29 completed 150 litter bags for hospital use and 40 johnny jackets which are simple hospital gowns made from worn men's shirts during a project meeting held in the home of Mrs Ronald Ober, president Mount Joy.

Neffsville Floral Shop will present a flower arranging demonstration during the mother daughter tea to be held May 18 at 7:30 p.m. at Musser's.

Society 30

Members of the Society of Farm Women 30 held their monthly business meeting at (Continued on Page 22)

Ladies, Have You Heard? . . .

By Doris Thomas, Extension Home Economist



Prevent Mildew Damage!

This is the time of year when we must take precautions to prevent mildew damage in our homes. Mildew can cause a lot of damage if allowed to gain a foothold.

Mildew is a mold that feeds on warmth and food for growth. It can rot and deteriorate fabrics, cause wool to decay and discolor leather and paper.

To prevent mildew do away with the conditions that cause it to develop. Keep some air circulating in your house. You may use a chemical or mechanical dehumidifier to remove moisture if it's a problem.

Because mildew thrives in dark places, keep rooms as light as possible. Sunlight discourages the growth of mildew.

Cleanliness is important. Always clean clothing and household fabrics before you store them. Man-made fibers seem to resist mildew,

but they may even develop mildew spots if soiled.

Aerosol fungicide spray helps prevent mildew growth. Read the label to see that it states the fungicide contains mildew inhibiting chemicals before buying such a spray. Spray fungicide into small areas, such as closets, bathrooms, and store rooms. You may need to spray often during muggy summer months.

Do not allow mildew to get started in your house and damage fabrics, leather, and wood. Preventing mildew is less costly and time consuming than trying to get rid of it and repair the damage it has done.

Defrost Your Freezer For Efficient Storage

Have you checked the amount of frost that has collected in your freezer recently? A freezer with excess frost on its surface is less efficient than one free from frost.

Frost collected on freezer surfaces not only limits the space, but causes the temperature to rise. And higher temperatures than recommended can cause loss of quality in stored food.

You can eliminate frequent, thorough defrosting by scraping the frost periodically. But when the frost reaches a depth of one-half inch it's time to defrost completely.

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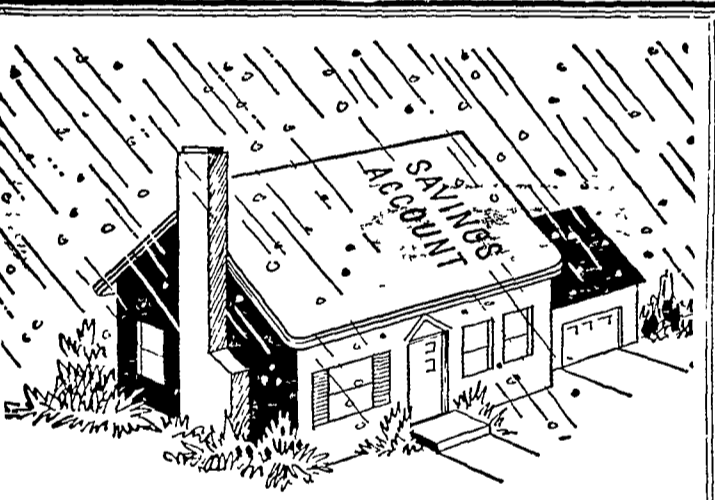
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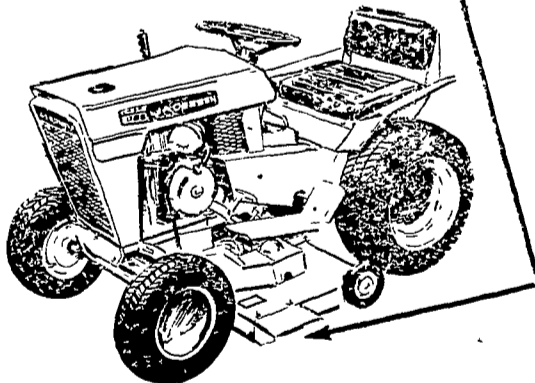
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