



Mrs. Barlow Speaks to Garden Club on Growing of Roses

The A&M Garden Club held its regular meeting Friday afternoon at the YMCA on the Campus.

President Mrs. Fred Hale presided over the business session during which reports were heard from Mrs. R. E. Snuggs, secretary, and Mrs. Dell Bauer, treasurer. The Garden Calendar, which Mrs. John Miliff had prepared, was distributed by her to the members.

Program chairman Mrs. C. E. Campbell presented Mrs. W. F. Farrar who spoke on roses: varieties, planting, fertilizing, and spraying of the plants.

Mrs. Howard Barlow told of the mechanics of flower arrangement. She advised the members to carry a bucket of water to the garden when they intend to cut flowers so that the flowers may take nourishment from the water immediately. She also advised them to put plant food in the water for further preservation of the flowers. Mrs. Barlow then discussed the various aids to flower arrangement, such as holders.

Mrs. J. A. Orr helped the members to identify different plants. She used branches of holly, huckleberry, hickory, locust, mesquite, and dogwood to illustrate the lesson.

Mrs. Campbell then introduced Mrs. D. W. Williams, Mrs. P. W. Burns, Mrs. M. T. Harrington, and Mrs. Ralph Lee who gave a demonstration of making inexpensive Christmas decorations out of simple materials such as tin cans, chicken wire, gilt paint, and evergreens. Results were distinctive.

Door prize was won by Mrs. B. Rideout. It consisted of a needle point flower holder and iris roots which were donated by Mrs. J. E. Roberts.

Serving as hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. R. D. Lewis, Mrs. D. W. Fleming, Mrs. Carl Files, and Mrs. John Pruitt.

Newcomers Treat Husbands to Party

Members of the College Newcomers' Club said "Merry Christmas" to their husbands with a Noel party Wednesday night in the parlors of the YMCA on the Campus.

Greeting guests at the door were Mrs. R. E. Leighton and Mrs. R. H. Fletcher. Others on the entertainment committee were Mrs. R. M. Stevenson, Mrs. R. F. White, Mrs. J. B. Johnson, Mrs. Roy Wingren, and Mrs. D. L. Belcher who was general chairman in charge of the party. Also helping to entertain were Mrs. Richard Downward and Mrs. Ferris Baker.

Decorations were in Yuletide colors of red and green. The refreshment table was centered with an evergreen wreath filled with gay-colored Christmas tree baubles. Red candles glowed on each side of the wreath.

Cake and coffee were served to the guests by Mrs. Wingren.

During the evening, entertainment consisted of bridge, dominoes, pinocle, and conversation. Many prizes were won. Mrs. G. L. Farrar captured the door prize. Other lucky winners were Mr. Richard A. Downward, Mrs. R. H. Fletcher, Mr. Walter Matzen, Mr. Newt Williamson, Mrs. Stanley Clark, and Mrs. C. F. Richardson.

Mrs. Johnson, club president, made the awards.

Program Set For December 18

On Saturday night, December 18, a Christmas program will be held at the A&M Presbyterian Church. The program, to begin at 7 p. m., will include songs and recitations by the children and a Christmas pantomime under the direction of Mrs. Robert Paine. Everyone is invited to attend.

Coffee was poured by Mrs. R. L. Brown, and Mrs. R. E. Snuggs served chicken salad in lettuce cups. Also served were red and green sugared doughnuts. Children had fruit juice.

At the conclusion of the evening the class members presented their teacher, Mrs. R. O. Berry, with an after-dinner coffee cup in a golden holder.

Guenzels Hold Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Guenzel entertained with an open house at their home, 2006 Cavitt Dr., Sunday evening from 5 to 9 p. m.

Receiving with them were Mrs. Guenzel's mother, Mrs. John H. Wilson of Fort Worth. In the house party were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coulter, Miss Eleanor Brock of Dallas, Miss Betty Ballerstedt, and Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Lytle. The hostess, her mother, and ladies of the house party wore bright, seasonal corsages.

Colorful decorations were used throughout the house. A red stocking, filled with Christmas-gift boxes, hung on the door. A gaily decorated tree stood in one corner of the living room. Under it were stacks of brightly-wrapped Christmas boxes. Evergreen, tinsel, and Christmas-tree balls were arranged effectively around the windows and over the doors of the living room.

In the dining room one wall was covered with Christmas cards forming an unusual background for the serving table which was lace laid.

At one end of the table was the egg nog bowl and at the other

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To All Our Readers



Merry Christmas

Today's issue of the Women's Corner is the last one before the Christmas holidays. Therefore the editor wishes to extend Christmas greetings from the newly-organized Women's Corner to all of its readers.

It is our hope that during the New Year all of the women of College Station will make use of the Women's Corner to chronicle the events of their lives—weddings, births, parties, club activities, church activities, and personals such as visitors and trips. No item is too small to be overlooked.

College Station is made up of many women's groups: veterans' wives, professors and staff members' wives, A&M employees, residents of College Station. Through the Women's Corner these groups may become integrated and may learn of each other's activities.

The Women's Corner will be glad to further any worthy project through its pages. It is the voice of the women of this community and is willing to serve them in all of their publicity needs.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all of you! Let us look forward to the coming year with the hope of spending busy days of worthwhile activity.

Special Christmas Service Scheduled By Presbyterians

A special Christmas service has been scheduled for the A&M Presbyterian Church at 7:30 p. m. Sunday, December 19, Mrs. R. M. Sherwood who is in charge of the program, has announced.

Special music will be presented by the junior and senior choir, and Bill Guthrie of College Station and L. D. Thompson of Bryan, will sing solos.

A joy gift offering will be taken to aid in the care of aged ministers' families, Mrs. Sherwood said.



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Aggie Squares Hold Dinner and Dance

The Aggie Squares entertained Thursday evening with a round-up dinner and square dance held in the Parish House of St. Thomas Episcopal Chapel, College Station.

Serving as hosts were Calvin and Helen Hodge, presidents; Jack and Noema Page, vice presidents; Harold and Patti Jones, social chairmen; Curtis and Vivian Castleberry, reporters, and the club sponsors: Dr. and Mrs. Carl Lyman and Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lytle.

After dinner the tables were cleared and the group assembled for dancing. Dr. Lyman, Mrs. Jones, and W. A. Whitehill called sets for the Texas Star; Sally Gooden; You Swing Your Partner, I'll Swing Mine; Arkansas Traveler; Take a Little Peek, the Texas Schottische, and the Virginia Reel.

Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bush, Mr. and Mrs. John Chenault, Miss Frances Holbeck and A. J. Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Mills Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Richard S. Mosley, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Skeen, Mr. and Mrs. Troy White, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McGarrahan, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Letton, Lonnie Cress and Miss Carroll Lee Page.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Dismukes, Miss Frances Arnold, Corbett Davis, Robert Leubetter, W. H. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Silpering, Louie Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ziller, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rutledge, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burch, the sponsors and the hosts.

The next meeting of the Aggie Squares will be January 13.

Tempting Holiday Deserts

If there are children in your family, or if youngsters are coming to visit for the holidays, it's a good idea to plan desserts that are not only festive but also are suitable for young appetites. Delicious sweets made with gelatin will do nutritious duty.

You may have noticed that more recipes call for one envelope, rather than one tablespoon, of unflavored gelatin. Variations in the strength of the raw material itself have been taken into consideration. The number of grains of gelatin put into the envelope in the package is calculated to jell one pint of liquid.

Instead of sprinkling the envelope of gelatin over a quarter cup of cold liquid and allowing the grains to stand for a few minutes until they swell and absorb the liquid, it is now suggested in many recipes that the gelatin be softened in a half-cup of liquid so that when the hot liquid is added it will get to the jellifying point more quickly.

Children like light and foamy whips. These clear gelatin mixtures are chilled until slightly thicker than egg white consistency, then beaten with a rotary beater until delicate and foamy.

A delectable gelatin dessert can be made from a clear gelatin mixture and icy cold evaporated milk that has been beaten stiff. Grow-ups who do not like the heavier pies or steam puddings after a holiday meal will appreciate this dessert just as much as young fry.

Pineapple Cream Dessert
Ingredients: 1 No. 2 can crushed pineapple, 1 envelope unflavored gelatin, ¼ cup sugar, ¼ teaspoon salt, 3 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind, 1½ cups icy cold evaporated milk.

Method: Drain crushed pineapple. Soften gelatin in pineapple syrup; place over low heat and stir until gelatin is dissolved. Mix in crushed pineapple, lemon juice and rind; chill until the mixture is the consistency of unbeaten egg white. Whip chilled evaporated milk until stiff; beat in gelatin mixture. Turn into 1½ quart mold. Chill until firm. To serve, unmold and garnish with citron slices cut in holly pattern and cinnamon candies. Makes 8 servings.

Mix 1½ cups graham cracker crumbs with a few tablespoons of sugar and about ½ cup melted butter or margarine; spread the crumb mixture over the bottom of a pie plate, pressing down evenly with the palm of the hand. Chill about an hour before adding a custard filling or one made of fruit and whipped cream.

SANTA CLAUS HAS HELPERS IN AGGIELAND—Pictured above are six youngsters of College Station contributing to the Bryan Jaycee toy drive for underprivileged children in Brazos county. Toys were donated from their own toy shelves and others were made in nursery school with the assistance of Mrs. N. A. Presswood nursery teacher.



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