



Connie's Column

for women

The home of Mrs. LeRoy Henderson, 423 Kent Street, was the setting for the Annual Silver Tea of the Trustees Aid Club of the Allen M. E. Church on Sunday afternoon, September 25. Pouring tea and coffee for the guests were Mrs. Robert Brown Sr., Mrs. Floyd Robinson, Mrs. Roland Smith, Mrs. Alex Lewis, Mrs. Walter Benton and Mrs. William Pickett. Mrs. William Cummings, President of the group, and her co-workers made the Tea another affair to look forward to next year by their graciousness and beautiful table.

The Rockford Mental Health Society was host to 200 representatives from Mental Health Societies throughout Illinois at an all day conference on Thursday, September 30. This fifth annual convalesce was held in Forest Hills Country Club with Dr. Paul V. Lenku of John Hopkins University giving the main address. Registration began at 9:00 A.M. with panel discussions running throughout the day. Among the discussion leaders for the panels was Mrs. Marcella Harris of the Family Consultation Service. The subject covered were "Intensifying and Spreading the 'Itch' Through Participation" and "How I Got The Mental Health Bug."

Jed Allen, Director of Beloit College Field House Attractions, announces the outstanding programs for this year to be held at the Field House. Bob Hope makes his debut at Beloit College this year when he brings a star studded revue to Beloit. The date for this show is to be

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announced later. Music idol of millions is Duke Ellington who will bring his show to the Field House on Wednesday, October 27. For those who enjoy dramatic entertainment, Jessica Tandy and Hume Cronyn will appear on Monday, November 29. All who heard Arthur Fiedler and the Boston Pops last year will surely enjoy the Chicago Symphony scheduled for February 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Robinson welcomed a surprise visit from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waters and son of Chicago on Sunday, September 26. Mrs. Waters is the daughter of Mrs. Robinson and sister of Mrs. Harley Harris. The Waters and the Harrises, along with Oda and Bill Cummings, who also drove out from Chicago, were dinner guests of the Carmichael clan on Sunday.

A presentation of "What the Chamber of Commerce does and Why it does it" will be offered at a dinner meeting on Monday, October 4, at 6:30 P.M. at the Faust Hotel as the Chamber of Commerce welcome new members of City and County schools. Mrs. Ruth Bryant, Mrs. Betty Lee and I will be attending this meeting.

A farewell dinner party honoring the Rev. W. D. Campbell who has resigned as pastor of Second Christian Church, was given last Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Connie Blake in their lovely home on No. Second Street.

Twenty-one guests present for the delightful afternoon affair which featured a turkey dinner, paid honor to Second Christian's outstanding minister who served so faithfully for the past 3 1/2 years. Surprise of the afternoon was the appearance of Mrs. Grace Moore who now heads the Brotherhood in Action Committee founded by Rev. Campbell.

Among the other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell Jr. of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Penn, Mrs. Mary Wilson, Misses Annetta and Harriet Tucker, Mrs. Georgia Whitney and Mr. Ellis Gee.

Among the agency representatives appearing on TV last Thursday in behalf of the coming Community Chest Fund Drive was James Horn, executive director of the Booker Washington Center. The drive officially begins today and all readers are urged to make a worthwhile contribution in support of the excellent job our social welfare agencies are doing.

Returning to Rockford last Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. William D. Moseley, 1016 Lincoln Avenue, who drove their son David to Williamstown, Mass., where he is now entered as a freshman at Williams College.

The Mosleys took advantage of the trip to combine a brief vacation and made stops with relatives and friends in Cleveland, New York City and Washington, D. C. They also visited traditional Niagra Falls.

Leaving Rockford last Monday after several week's visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Benton, 1604 So. Central Avenue, was Miss Anne Jordan of Los Angeles, California. While here, Miss Jordan a former Rockford resident, was entertained by many of her Rockford friends and reported a pleasant time renewing old acquaintances.

In case we missed you this week, the fault is all your own. Just a brief telephone call is all it takes to have your social items included in "Connie's Column." Call 3-5249 or 4-5248. I'll be waiting to hear from you.

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American In India



Shown above is J. Saunders Redding whose new book, "An American in India" is attracting wide attention. Redding, a well known author and a teacher at Hampton Institute, spent a year of leave working with the United States Foreign Service in India. The book is published by Bobbs-Merrill of Indianapolis.

Sales Convention Attracts Negroes

Chicago (ANP)—Phillip M. Jenkins of New York last week was one of three Negroes who attended the sixth National Mutual Fund Sales Convention which met at the Palmer House here.

The two others were Warren H. Bacon, personnel manager of Supreme Liberty Life Insurance Co., Chicago, and Norman McGhee, Cleveland broker.

Jenkins, manager, Mutual Fund Department of Baruch Brothers and Company, New York, commented on changing attitudes which has come over business in the last 10 years relative to Negroes.



HAVE you ever served egg salad hot, or at least warm? It's a real treat on toast or toasted English muffins. Use chopped hard-cooked eggs, a bit of onion juice, snipped parsley, chili sauce, mustard, mayonnaise and seasoning to taste for the salad.

Mashed potatoes will stay hot more easily if you heat the milk which is added to the potatoes after mashing. It's always easier to beat the mixture to fluffiness when everything's hot.

RECIPE OF THE WEEK

Spanish Noodles

(Serves 6)

- 2 slices bacon, diced
- 1/2 pound ground beef
- 1 onion, coarsely chopped
- 1 green pepper, shredded
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon parsley flakes
- 1/2 cup water
- 2 cups broad noodles
- 1 (no. 2 1/2 size) can tomatoes
- 1/2 cup chili sauce

Heat diced bacon, ground beef and chopped onion in skillet and cook until lightly browned. Add remaining ingredients in order given. Cover. When mixture starts to steam, turn heat very low and cook 35 minutes.

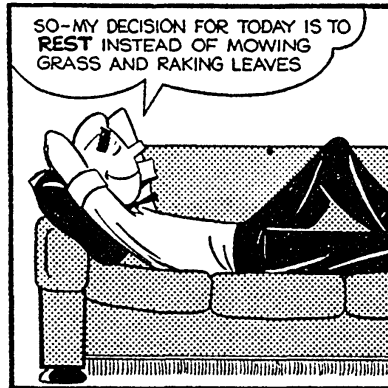
Ground nuts or chopped nuts may always be added to ground meat as a good extender to sandwich fillings.

Deviled eggs can be used as a main dish if you prepare them in this fashion. Place the deviled eggs over cooked broccoli and cover all with cream sauce to which sharp processed cheese has been added. Keep this casserole in a warm oven until serving time.

Quick-cooking rice may be cooked in orange juice with a pat of butter to make a delicious dessert. Blend chopped candied fruit into the mixture, if desired and serve warm or cold with cream.

THE BAFFLES

By Mahoney



PROFITABLE NEGRO MARKET

"Sales experts recognize the fact that the Negro market can tip the scales in the profitable distribution of goods, just as the Negro voter is believed by many political analysts to hold the balance of power in a national election . . .

"What has happened in the last 10 years that has brought about this 'economic emancipation' of the Negro America? What makes him a live prospect for mutual funds now, when he was not so considered a few years ago?"

In answer Jenkins said, "There are now much better educational and employment opportunities open to him, even in technical and professional fields, than ever before. Better housing and recreational facilities are also available. These are the foundation of economic freedom."

Wash plastic handbags and shoes in dry soapsuds. Whip up a lot of soap with very little water until the suds stand up stiff. Then put some on a clean cloth or sponge and go over the soiled surface. Wipe with a damp rinse cloth, then a dry cloth.

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