

Work Smarter . . . Not Harder

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IS HOME MAKING JUST A MATTER OF PUSHING BUTTONS?

Or is it a science for which women should prepare themselves with technical study?

One mother said her 13-year-old daughter who is taking high school home economics learned things she herself didn't know after 15 years of homemaking.

Home economics has moved forward both technically and intellectually. Many people, unfortunately, don't know this.

If you took home economics 20 years ago, you would find times have changed. It isn't just cooking and sewing. The study includes the whole role of homemaking, consumer education, money management, how to make a house or apartment attractive.

Girls study new textile fibers, wardrobe organization, selection and care of appliances, nutrition, child care and family health.

TOOLS WERE INVENTED

by man down through the age to release body energy and avoid mental fatigue. Mind plus body plus tools equals work done. It's obviously easier to change the tool than the other parts of this formula.

Why not take a second look at your tools? A long-handled dust pan will save stooping. Do you cut out your sewing on the floor? Work on a table and save your back.

EVER GET A STAIN

on a light vinyl covered chair just by contact with red or other bright colored fabric?

The fault isn't in the dye, some vinyl can snatch color out of materials left in contact with it. This wasn't true of the other leather-like materials used before the days of vinyl.

There is no way to remove the stain, so use care. However, some high quality vinyl plastics are less inclined to pick up color.

Mrs. Bill Schoen Hosts Wednesday Pinochle Club

Mrs. Bill Schoen entertained last week for members of the Wednesday afternoon pinochle club. Guest players were Mrs. Bill Toomb and Mrs. Carl Seburn. Mrs. Jim Malloy was high score winner. Low awards went to Mrs. Harry Kingrey and Mrs. Orma Cleaver, while Mrs. Seburn was recipient of the traveling prize.



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WHAT CAUSES MY STEAM IRON TO SPIT?

This usually comes from setting the control above the point marked "steam." Don't use more than the recommended amount of water or the iron will drip. Too low a temperature will also cause dripping.

Always empty the steam iron after each use and store it on its heel rest, never in carton.

We're asked, too, about using tap water. One or two manufacturers do say this can be used in their particular iron. However, if you are in a hard water area, it's best to stick to distilled water. You will always be safe with distilled or de-ionized water.

WHITE WOOL OR WOOL BLEND SWEATERS

... turn yellow or streak if put in the sun to dry. This was the sad experience of a young lady who wrote to us recently. We were sorry to tell her the process can't be reversed and chlorine bleach should not be used. It damages wool and doesn't help. Before you wash a wool sweater, lay it flat on a bath towel and outline the shape with a basting thread or pins.

Wool sweaters should be soaked in lukewarm water and mild soap. Don't rub but gently squeeze suds through the sweater. Rinse in lukewarm water. Gently squeeze; don't wring. Lay sweater on the towel and shape to original outline. Dry on a flat surface away from sun and heat.

FRUSTRATION

... is the word young mothers often use to describe how they feel. There may be some comfort in the way one psychologist explains it.

"Few things are more frustrating than trying to do a job for which you are not trained. When most workers find themselves in this dilemma, they quit. But a woman with babies must stick to her post. She feels she's doing a poor job and is consumed with guilt."

"The ability to do a job well results in personal pride in accomplishment. Education would serve as a basis for confidence and happiness for these young women. We can no longer expect our young girls to become homemakers by osmosis."

It's never too late to get this training. OSU Extension offers this help free of charge to all Oregon residents.

Call your county extension office for dates and places of programs on money management, consumer education, child development, wardrobe planning, home furnishings, nutrition and even how to work smarter, not harder.

DARK COTTON DRESSES

... for fall launder beautifully if dried only to the damp stage, ready to iron. If you dry them outdoors, turn inside out. Use spray starch on the wrong side of parts that need body.

Always shake the can vigorously, then hold at a 45-degree angle, at least 12 inches from the fabric. This gives a fine spray.

Patricia Faye Collins, James Ennor United in Presbyterian Church Rites



MR. and MRS. JAMES L. ENNOR

Miss Patricia Faye Collins became the bride of James Lynn Ennor in a ceremony performed at 8 o'clock in the evening Saturday, Sept. 28, 1963, at Sterry Memorial Presbyterian church in Roswell.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Fay H. Collins of the Apple Valley community, route 2, Parma. The bridegroom is a son of Mrs. Iola Ennor of Ontario and the late Thomas T. Ennor.

The Rev. Wayne Douglas performed the double-ring rites in the presence of 150 guests. Soloist was Clint Bellows, accompanied by Mrs. Norman Obendorf at the organ.

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride was attired in a floor-length gown of taffeta. Diamond-shaped inserts of chantilly lace were repeated across the skirt front. The back of the skirt also contained lace inserts along the sides and at the center back was a petal bow. Her bodice was a wide band of sequin-rimmed chantilly lace, fashioned with long tapered sleeves and square neckline finished in scallop design.

Her elbow-length veil was held by a crown of seed pearls and she carried a cascading bouquet of talisman roses, centered with a corsage containing two cymbidium orchids.

Mrs. Myla D. Gilmore attended as matron of honor, while bridesmaids were Mrs. Ed Cahill and Miss Shirley Seward. They wore gold-colored sheath dresses and carried cascading bouquets of bronze and gold pom-pom chrysanthemums.

Kari Lee Gilmore was flower girl, while candlelighters were Barbara and Susan Ennor, nieces of the bridegroom.

Dewey Rowland served as best man. Ushers were Mike Jones, Lonnie Holloway and the bridegroom's cousins, Bob Dye, Glenn Cooley and Dan Hern. Randy Skelton was ring-bearer.

In charge of the gift table at a reception honoring the newlyweds were Lavena and Ila Collins, the bride's cousins; Mrs. Roger Corn, Mrs. Norman Cornwell,

Mrs. Willis Howell, Miss Sandy Carlson and Nancy Weyand.

The bride's aunts, Mrs. Donald Bash, Mrs. Macum Smith, Mrs. Kenneth Hunter and Mrs. Tom Ennor served refreshments. Mrs. Michael Stam was in charge of guest registration.

Among out-of-state guests attending the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. George Ilch of Albany, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ennor, Jr., of Salt Lake City; Mr. and Mrs. Doyn Price of Moro, Ore.

The new Mrs. Ennor was graduated from Parma high school and Link's Business school in Boise. The bridegroom attended College of Idaho in Caldwell and the University of Colorado at Denver. He is presently employed at Alexander's Men's store in Ontario.

Following a wedding trip to McCall, the newlyweds are now at home at 797 North Oregon in Ontario.

Entertains Bridge Club

Members of the Tuesday evening bridge club met last week at the home of Mrs. Duane Holcomb with two tables in play. Mrs. Walt Luhr attended as a guest. Prizes were won by Mrs. Luhr and Mrs. Vern Atwood.

A Halloween theme was used in refreshments and decorations by the hostess.

Mrs. Beck Hosts Party For Amity Club Ladies

Mrs. Mel Beck was hostess to Amity club members at a Halloween party last Thursday evening in her home. Halloween decorations were used and lighted jack-o-lanterns centered each refreshment table.

Guests were in costume and included Senorita Carmelita, a witch, a ghost, Backwoods Sal, Madam Felice from Paris, Barnacle Bill and others.

"Whoopie" was played with prizes being won by Mrs. Tom Mitchell and Mrs. Edison Child.

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OES Group Presents Halloween Addenda

Golden Rule Chapter 131, Order of Eastern Star, held a regular meeting Monday evening, Oct. 21, in the Masonic hall with Worthy Matron Thelma Huffman presiding.

Before the session was in order, a Halloween addendum entitled "The Ghost Convention" was performed under direction of Mae Schireman. Those participating were Bill Schireman, Josephine Rigney, Clarence Wernick, Roy Holmes, Paul Penrod, Eva Chadwick, Marie Holmes, Helen Wilson, Glenn Brown and Otillia Boydell.

All are past matrons and patrons of Golden Rule Chapter 131. Each presented a comical gift to the worthy matron and patron.

Mrs. Mae Snedden, aunt of Roy and Bob Holmes, was a guest at the meeting. She is a past matron of the Johnstown, Colo., OES chapter.

Refreshments of doughnuts and cider were served at the close of the meeting by Claudine Garrison, Bill and Mae Schireman. Halloween favors were given to each one in attendance.

Reception Will Honor Langley's on Anniversary

An open house reception will be held Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Jim Langley home to honor the couple on their 25th wedding anniversary. Hosts for the event will be their sons, Rex, Keith and Jimmy.

OREGON TRAIL CARD GROUP INVITES PUBLIC TO ATTEND

High prize winners during the Saturday evening card session at Oregon Trail hall were E. M. Bingham and Mrs. George Stockfleth.

Low score awards went to Irvin O. Lawson and Mrs. Walter Fox. Lula Lattig and Mrs. W. O. Unwin received traveling prizes. Hosting the party, with seven tables of pinochle in play, were Frank Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Cheldelin.

Next card session will be at 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9. The public is invited to attend these bi-weekly parties.

REBEKAH SUNSHINE CLUB SLATES NOV. 8 MEETING

Rebekah Sunshine club meeting will be held at 2 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 8, in the IOOF hall, according to Mrs. Louise Wernick, president. Date has been changed due to the World Community Day observance on the scheduled meeting day, Mrs. Wernick said.

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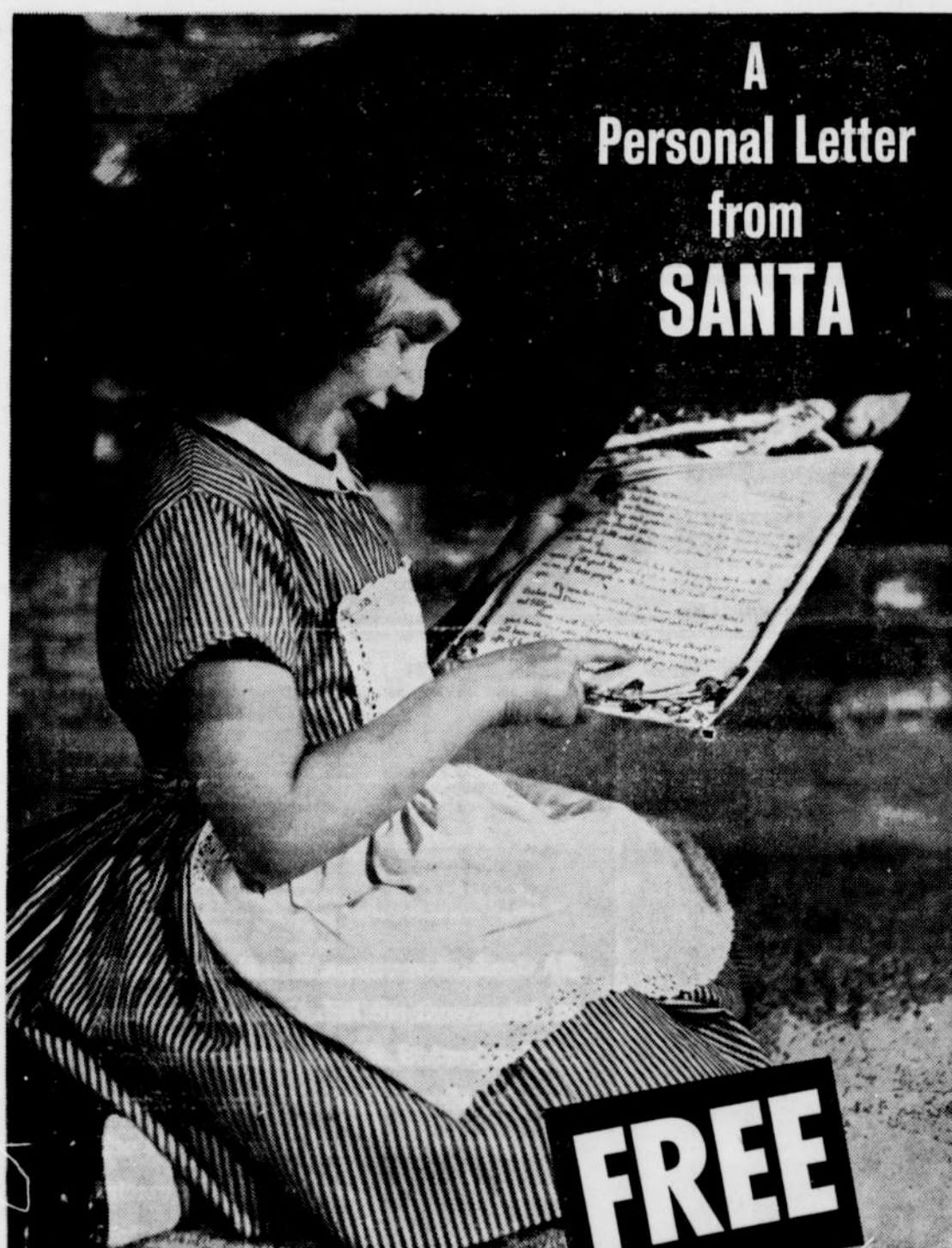
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