

Joyous Christmas
It's the season for all to love, share and show they care. We care about you our loyal customers. Heartfelt thanks.



DEE-LITE BAKERY



APPLE DOLLS BECOME characters of olden times, as created and dressed by Mrs. Mona Belle Fahrney of Springfield, Mo. She favors old-fashioned prints for dresses, and bonnets with open crowns, to show a bun of yarn "hair." Apple men wear dark suspender pants, bright shirts and scarves. Musical instruments were made by Ben Fahrney.



CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



To our wonderful customers, our sincerest thanks, and our wishes for a wonderful Christmas . . . brimming with laughter and good cheer.

Flying Realty, Inc.



MERRY CHRISTMAS
May your Christmas be filled with the warmth of good cheer, good fellowship!

A and W DRIVE-IN
"The Burningshams"

How to Make 'Apple People,' for Family Fun

Fun for the family on Christmas afternoon can start with peeling an apple - and making a doll.

So says Mrs. Mona Belle Fahrney of Springfield, Mo., who ought to know. From the same start, peeling an apple, Mrs. Fahrney has won renown as a designer and creator of apple dolls. Making the dolls is a family project, in which she enlists the aid and enthusiasm of her husband, Ben, and her daughter, Dorothy.

Apple dolls are in the tradition of making dolls from materials at hand, and they reflect the home craftsmanship of early America. Though craft specialists have revived the custom of making these dolls, they are still quite a novelty. And, says Mrs. Fahrney, apple dolls will always be unique, because no two heads turn out the same.

Even though the features are identically carved in fresh apples, the final result cannot

be known until the apple heads have completely dried.

In the Fahrney family, wire bodies for the dolls are constructed by Mr. Fahrney, while the apple heads are carved by Dorothy Fahrney Murphy, a portrait artist who is, in private life, Mrs. K. L. Murphy. Mrs. Fahrney completes the dolls, with unusual costumes made according to patterns which she creates.

Whatever the division of craftsmanship, and family group can easily make apple dolls, for holiday fun or year-round enjoyment, maintains Mrs. Fahrney.

She offers the following instructions:

Select firm apples--they make the best dolls. Peel apples and carve "faces" for doll heads.

Put carved apples on sticks and insert sticks into holes punched in a coffee can or other container. Set this in a graniteware kettle.

Place a lighted sulphur candle in a small dish and set it on a mound of damp sand, inside the kettle and alongside the apples.

Cover kettle and leave apples inside until sulphur is burned up. This helps preserve color of the apples, and kills any insects which might be present.

Remove apples and set to dry, indoors. This usually takes two weeks or longer. To further preserve the apple color, add clear nail polish to the faces, immediately after apples are dry.

Apple doll bodies can be constructed from wire and bits of wood. The wire should be sturdy, but flexible enough for arms and legs that can be bent at

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A very Merry Christmas and our sincere gratitude for your patronage.

We're looking forward to serving you in the future.

SEASON'S BEST

EDER BUILDING SUPPLY



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WILSON BUICK COMPANY
Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Wilson and Employees

Season's Greetings



'Tis the season to thank you for your loyal patronage and wish you all the pleasures of a good old-fashioned holiday!

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Greetings
At this beautiful and joyous time of the year, we would like to take the opportunity to say "Thank You" for your patronage. Have a Merry Christmas.

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