

## Radio Music Contest Will Be Held Here

The annual radio music memory contest of the Indiana Federation of Music Clubs under direction of Mrs. C. A. Maxwell, State chairman of public school music for the federation, will take place Friday from 1:30 to 2:30 p. m. Thirty schools have entered the contest. Three radio sets are offered as prizes and will be presented to a representative of each of the winning schools at the Saturday morning session of the State convention, April 14.

**New Group Entered**  
The woman's chorus of the music section of the Woman's Department Club, a newly federated chorus, has registered for the choral contest to be conducted Thursday afternoon, April 12, during the convention. The contest is in charge of Mrs. Mary C. Hammer, Newcastle, State chairman of home and group singing.

Another newly federated Indianapolis chorus is that of the Mothers Club of School 58 under direction of Mrs. Maude Moudy, which is the first chorus of mothers to be federated in the State.

**National Body Offers Aid**  
The National Federation of Music Clubs is interested in forwarding work in church music and through its department of music in religious education assistance given both to senior and junior choirs in anthem repertoire, programs of songs for special occasions and methods in organizing. States are asked to federate as many church choirs as possible. A prize of \$100 is offered by Caroline E. Parker of the Century Company in New York to the State federating the greatest number of choirs before the biennial in 1929.

## 'Y' Triangle Hall Will Celebrate Birthday Sunday

"Rich girls, poor girls, merchant women, chiefs,"—all branches of business women find a home at the Blue Triangle Hall of the Y. W. C. A., which will celebrate its fourth anniversary in the new building Sunday. Since its opening, April 1, 1924, 25,000 girls from towns in and about Indiana have come to its doors.

A girl may arrive jobless, friendless, and perhaps almost penniless, although such cases are unusual, but she will find a welcome. Mrs. Dora Masten, who has been executive secretary of the Y. W. C. A. residence for fifteen years of its existence, arranges in such cases for the girls to get positions, and if board money can not be paid, she has a plan whereby a nominal sum is paid back on debts as soon as a girl finds employment.

Terre Haute and Bloomington have sent more girls to the hall than any other Indiana cities and Illinois leads the other States in contributors because of the number that have come from Chicago.

Dances, bridge parties, hobbies and "spreads" are given. There are dining rooms, but at all suggestive of the old-fashioned "boarding house," cozy, "chintzy" living rooms where girls can group about a piano for a "sing fest," and during the summer months, the roof garden for special entertainments. During the year, Miss Marie Orr, House Club president, brings special speakers to meetings.

The first residence hall located at 122 E. Michigan St., accommodated only thirty-two girls; this new hall will house 118. Mrs. Masten stated "that she don't know of a single occupation open to women that isn't represented." She also emphasized that Blue Triangle Hall is really the center for every department of the Y. W. C. A.

A special dinner will be given the girls Sunday, at which the anniversary will be celebrated. Mrs. Masten will review briefly the history of the hall.

## Girl Scout News

New candidates for the week are: Troop 12, Helen Baker; 37, Myrtle Speece, Fredonna Widner, Laura Lynch and Janette Baldwin; 38, Margaret Cook, and 15, Lenora Myers. Those invested are: Troop 37, Margaret Purdy, Evelyn Williams, Mary Elizabeth Brooks, Mildred Water, Alice Vock and Ruby Lou Lillard.

Scouts of Troop 30 will hike to Hammond Grove Wednesday. Mrs. R. L. McNair is troop captain.

The next meeting of the Leaders' Association will be held Tuesday at the Board of Trade Library. This will be just a good get-together, round table talk.

Scouts of Troop 47 will hike to Dellwood next Wednesday. Mrs. J. K. Langitt is troop leader.

Troop 10 had a hike last week to Warleigh in place of the regular meeting. Sixteen girls were present and were joined by Mrs. Langitt of Troop 47. Eighteen varieties of birds were seen. Mrs. Henry Hayward is captain.

Troop 12 will have a hike to Camp Dellwood Friday. Mrs. Hiles and Mrs. Fouly are troop leaders.

Dates for the millinery class to be held at headquarters have been set for the second, third and fourth Saturdays in April. First class will be held at 8 to 10:30 a. m. and the second class from 10:30 a. m. to 12. All girls who have signed for the class will receive a letter stating the class they have been assigned to. Any other Scouts wishing to join should call the office.

**Tasty Pudding**  
Left-over cooked breakfast food makes a delicious pudding when mixed with one egg, covered with milk and seasoned with sugar, vanilla and raisins.

**Double-Breasted**  
A white Canton crepe sports dress that has all its edges bound with English-red, is fashioned double-breasted with red buttons to accent it.

A nipped-in-at-the-waistline tailored jacket of exquisite gold lame makes a cute novelty dinner jacket for a banana colored satin evening

## STUDENT HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Among Indianapolis young people home from school for the spring holidays is Miss Nancy Ballenger, daughter of W. S. Ballenger, 5217 N. Meridian St., who attends the University of Wisconsin.



## MARYE and 'MOM' THEIR LETTERS

By RUTH DEWEY GROVES

**Mom darling:**  
It must be quiet along the Potomac since Florence left. She hadn't been here a day before the lid blew off. Talk about a trouble-maker. In the first place I forgot to warn her not to mention Billy's driving me to the station to meet her, and the first thing she did at dinner was to start warbling a song about his eyes and his nose and his wide lapels.

Alan looked more knives and forks at me than there were at the table. I kicked Florence under the table while she smiled across at him.

It was simply marvelous the way she and Billy had taken to each other, I remarked. Then I asked her where they were going on the date they had next day. She looked perfectly wet for a minute, but Alan was watching me and fortunately missed her expression when finally she registered comprehension. She knew enough about Billy to make a sensible answer. "Oh, just out to deliver a new car to a customer," she came through.

I then told her I had intended taking her to Shirley Wells' bridge luncheon. I wanted Alan to know that I wasn't planning to help Billy deliver any cars to customers.

"We'll be back in time, maybe," she said.

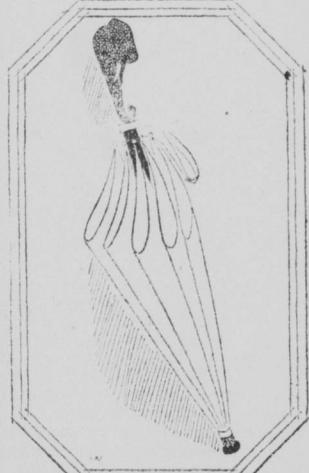
Then Alan began. He didn't want anyone in his family to be running around with Billy Bartlett. But I interrupted by asking Florence something about Kenneth Gates. That shut him up. I guess Alan would rather have Billy in the family circle than Ken if it ever comes to that.

Florence is going to ask Billy to the party I'm throwing for her tomorrow night, so Alan can't blame me. She's had Alan wild, taving about Billy, but I told him she'd forget him when she goes home and perhaps she'd be cured of Kenneth, too.

I think it's all going to work out very well, providing Billy does his part. I have to arrange a chance for Florence to ask him to the party. So we've about decided to take her car around to the agency and have the oil inspected.

Dearest love,  
MARYE.

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## Offering for Hospital at Guild's Tea

The twentieth silver anniversary offering tea of St. Margaret's Hospital Guild was given Friday at the home of Mrs. William E. Van Landingham, 3456 Central Ave. Several hundred guests were entertained.

During the afternoon Mrs. Franc Wilhite Weber, harpist, played, and Mrs. Frederick Van Nuys sang. Mrs. Van Nuys, president of the guild, received with the ex-presidents, Mesdames Frank J. Haught, William Muller, Gustav H. Mueller, Reinhold Muller and Arch V. Grossman.

Mrs. M. A. Ryan and Mrs. J. H. Trimble poured tea at a table arranged with spring flowers with a centerpiece of sweet peas. Other spring flowers in vases were used throughout the home.

Assistants in the dining room were Mesdames Frank Severin, A. F. Head, Wilbur Morgan, Clara Stute, Frank Woche, William M. Herschell and Hazel Hassler.

## State Poetry Body Keeps Present Head

Mrs. Carl Taylor was re-elected president of the Poetry Society of Indiana at the meeting Thursday afternoon at the Lunley team room for which Mrs. Alice F. Emerson, Mrs. Charles Stubbs and Miss Jean Snyder were hostesses. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Edna Raymond, first vice president; Miss Lucille Ballard, second vice president; Mrs. Olive Toph, third vice president; Miss Margaret Boys, recording secretary; Miss Jean Snyder, corresponding secretary, and Miss Lola Echard, treasurer.

Mrs. Margaret Ball Dickson, a special guest, read from her latest book, "Tumble Weeds," and members recited original poems. Piano selections were given by Mrs. Emerson, who also accompanied William Chitwood for violin numbers. The tables were decorated with pink roses and ferns.

**Brown and White**  
New sports shoes favor the brown and white combination. One pair of white baby doe-skin have tips, saddles and heels of fancily stitched brown kid.

## Garlic Touch

If cooking a cheap piece of meat, rub the dish with garlic and you will find the meat much more tasty and delectable.

## Carrot Souffle

Carrots have been put through the meat grinder may be used instead of cheese in a souffle recipe to make a fine luncheon dish.

Many new frocks are featuring one-sided fullness, some of them having a side panel of deep pleats. One has a left pocket with pleats below it.

## GOING ABROAD FOR STUDY

Miss Sadie Honr, Evansville, will leave for Europe in July to continue her study of voice. She will be with Lillian Ellerbusch, wife of Prof. Herbert L. Heidecker, Evansville College, who with Miss Alice Roberts, Rockport, will live in a Bavarian lake home in Germany.



## Life's Niceties Hints on Etiquet

1. Is a wrong pronunciation of one's name cause for tremendous annoyance?
  2. Should you correct the pronunciation?
  3. How should the correction be made?
- The Answers**  
1. It is annoying but the well-bred person conceals it.  
2. If it leads to confusion, yes. But if just mentioned casually, among a number of names, no.  
3. Casually, smilingly and graciously.

## Family Menus

BY SISTER MARY

**BREAKFAST**—Macedoine of fruit, cereal, cream, poached eggs on spinach on toast, milk, coffee.

**LUNCHEON**—Cauliflower baked with cheese, brown bread, tapioca prune pudding, milk, tea.

**DINNER**—Lamb stew with dumplings, grape fruit and cabbage salad, apple poly-poly, milk, coffee.

**Tapioca Prune Pudding**  
One and one-half cups milk, two tablespoons quick cooking tapioca, one-eighth teaspoon salt, one tablespoon butter, three tablespoons sugar, two eggs, one cup stewed and stoned prunes.

Heat milk in double boiler and slowly add tapioca, stirring constantly. Add salt and cool fifteen minutes, stirring frequently. Remove from fire and add sugar, butter and well-beaten yolks of eggs. Beat well and turn into a well-buttered baking dish. Bake thirty minutes in a moderate oven. Beat whites of eggs until stiff, beating in three tablespoons powdered sugar and one-half teaspoon vanilla. Cover top of tapioca with an even layer of prunes. Pile beaten egg whites over prunes and return to a slow oven for ten minutes. Serve warm or cold.

**Bib Collar**  
Lanvin uses a large expanse of white mouseline, that resembles nothing so much as a bib, as a striking feature of a black dress. It has button trimming.

## GOLDE CLOTHES SHOP OPENED HERE TODAY

Chain Store Party Nation-Wide Factory-to-Consumer System.

Goldie Clothes Shop, specialists in men's suits and overcoats, opened today at Illinois and Washington St., across from the Claypool. The shop is part of a nation-wide chain retailing clothes from their own factories on the one-price plan.

Tom Durning, local manager, reports that many visitors inspected the store since it opened this morning. Announcements of the opening invited everyone to come in and inspect the store and the merchandise on sale.

Souvenirs were distributed to all visitors.

## Camp Fire Girls

The April issue of *Fagots* will be ready at the Camp Fire office by April 6. This number was edited and published by Aokiya Group of University Heights.

Camp Fire Girls of School 47 will hike along Eagle Creek Thursday. One of the dinners required for fireman rank will be cooked by the girls over an open fire.

Guardian's Association will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the Camp Fire office. Important matters in regard to camp and a camp rally to be held in May will be discussed.

Wapacemo group of School 51 had a regular business meeting this week. Members worked on headbands.

Camp Fire Girls of School 75 made booklets for Camp Fire notes at their weekly meeting and decorated the covers with their personal symbols.

Vendat group of Zionville met Tuesday evening for a skating party. Mrs. Percy McChes was chaperon. Taperation group met and planned meetings ahead for the Blue Birds and practiced songs.

A group of School 7 made small paper honor books at the weekly meeting. This included instruction in bookbinding and decoration. The group is also tie-dyeing scarfs for Easter gifts.

Members of Bowhane group hiked Saturday with their leader, Miss Emma Lemm. Each girl earned a camp credit honor by "making bread on a stick."

Camp Fire Girls of School 49 met Thursday. A list of honors to be won was made, work done on health charts and a hike planned for next week.

## Prize Recipes by Readers

**NOTE**—The Times will give \$1 for each recipe submitted by a reader, provided of sufficient merit to be printed in this column. One recipe is printed each Friday. Prize money will be given. Address Recipe Editor of The Times, 244 E. St. Clair Street, Indianapolis, Ind. Write on one side of sheet only. Only one recipe per week will be accepted from one person.

**Coffee Cake**  
One and one-half cups flour, one-half cup sugar, one pinch salt, two heaping teaspoons baking powder. Mix, beat one egg and two tablespoons shortening (heat in pan) add enough milk to make stiff (about one-half cup). Sprinkle top with cinnamon and nuts and sugar. Bake thirty-five or forty minutes in a slow oven.

**Egg Filler**  
If you have almost enough left-over meat for patties, creamed meat on toast or a baked supper dish, dice a couple of hard-boiled eggs for filler.

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## Platonic Friendship Discussion

BY MARTHA LEE

The other evening I listened to an interesting discussion of the old question, "Is there really such a thing as platonic friendship?" The participants in the discussion finally were deadlocked because there were two opinions as to whether a man and woman can have a friendship similar to that between two women or two men. One side of course said "no" and the other "yes," the same old answers that have been given to this question for the last century.

When readers write me of a "friendship with a young man," I wonder if they mean a real platonic friendship, granting that there is such a thing, or whether some of these correspondents are making their feelings of love.

If it is merely friendship, I can not understand how my girl correspondents were content to give up having dates with other young men for this one person. It seems to me that no girl would be foolish enough to do so because her intelligence would enable her to foresee that since she and this young man are enjoying only a friendship, the young man probably will fall in love with some other girl and then the first girl will lose her little playmate.

However, if a girl has been so shortsighted as to have managed her affairs in such a poor way as to find herself forgotten by her friend, she must put it down as experience and prove by her mistake. The next time, she may have her friendship, but she will not be so foolish as to give up seeing other young men while this friendship is in existence.

Dear Miss Lee: A year ago I met a young man through a friend of mine. At first I did not like him, but later I learned to like him. We dated now and then, he seemed to think a great deal of me. Sometime later I met another boy and had a few dates with him. I became very jealous of the second.

This, I see, was it wrong for me to go with both at the same time? I was only 17 and thought it best to divide my attention. I never saw one all the time. This went on for a year.

I made a date with a former friend of mine and again this made me feel that I was doing wrong. He stayed away for a week and then came back. He told me, because I could not stay away any longer from him, that I received only one letter from him. I never saw him again. I do not know why he does not write or come down to see me. I have never seen him since. I think his friendship because it means everything to me. He is 22.

Dear Dorothy D.: Of course, if you only regarded this young man as a friend you would have been very unwise to have not had dates with these other young men. I can not understand how you had all your dates with him, with these two exceptions, for so long if you just enjoyed a friendship with him.

The probable cause of his absence is that he has found out that you do not love him, or else he has found someone he loves if he thought of you just as a friend.

There is nothing for you to do except forget your feeling of depression. Your only mistake was to see this young man far too often than you ought since he was just a "friend."

Dear Martha Lee: I have been going to the same shop for months. Through various ways my girl friends and others, I became acquainted with a group of boys who attend this shop. A while back I made a date with one of them and it was impossible for me to keep the date. I tried to explain and the said was all right. Ever since then I have been in the shop and I do not know who belongs to this little group of boys and who does not.

I do not want to stay at home all the time, but I do not want to go to the shop. Are you not going to be kind? There is one special boy in the group whom I like. Can you tell me how to break the ice? It is not the one with whom I broke the ice. I broke the ice with another boy.

Dear Brown Eyes: Boys are such ridiculous creatures when they are at that age of organizations, clubs and secret societies, all of which is called the "gang instinct" by psychologists. The group evidently feels that you have insulted one of the honorable members by failing to keep the engagement with him. The best thing for you is to "cut" all these boys because they have proved that their order in defending this member has made them mean little cads.

Forget you ever met any of them. Make your friends elsewhere and laugh at the silly antics of these ill-bred young men. Since this young man you seem to like goes with this same crowd, he probably has the same misguided ideas as his friends. Do nothing to gain his friendship. I hope that you do not break dates without a good reason. In this case this group feels that you were just breaking one without good cause.

## Hair Brushes

Never use soap on hair brushes. Dip the bristles up and down in hot ammonia water. Rinse and dry with bristles down.

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