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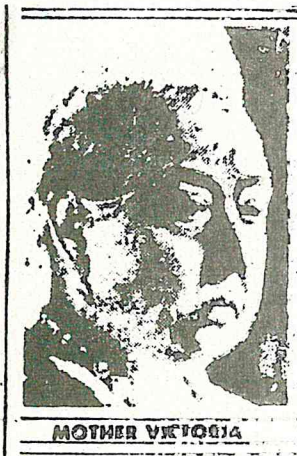
A PRAYER FOR MOTHERS EVERYWHERE



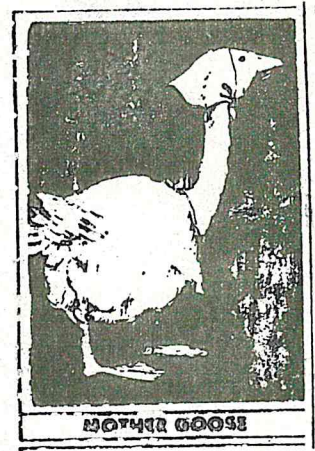
OUR FATHER, AT THIS TIME OF YEAR
WE HONOR OUR MOTHERS AND WE REMIND
THEM OF OUR LOVE.

WE RECALL WITH GRATITUDE THE YEARS
OF CARE AND DEVOTION THEY HAVE
GIVEN TO US.

WE REMEMBER THEM WITH FLOWERS AND
GIFTS. LORD, LET US BE REMINDED,
TOO, THAT THEIR LOVE FOR US WAS
NEVER CONFINED TO A SINGLE DAY OF
THE YEAR, BUT WAS WITH US ON ALL
DAYS THROUGH GOOD TIMES AND BAD.



BLESS EVERY MOTHER EVERYWHERE
AND GIVE EACH ONE YOUR FULLEST
MEASURE OF GRACE AND HELP HER
IN HER TASK.



UP AND DOWN THE HALLWAYS

On the hospital list this past month were, Leola Wenner, Nina Kime, Charles Lieurance, Joe Slaminka, Leonard Shoemaker, John Nagy, Anna Cro, and Hilda Griffin.

We are delighted to report that they are all home again and slowly beginning to get back into the swing of things.

Have you seen what beauty Joe Tarro and Lou Vargo are creating on our patio these days. Looks as though we will once again have the most beautiful grounds that Mother Nature and these two fine gents can create any where.

They seem to have many side-walk superintendants and advisors around them, but they tell me, they just love to have them around.

Thanks so much to Mr. Tarro and Mr. Vargo and all their superintendants.

Incidentally, in behalf of our regular kitchen staff, we would like to express our thanks to the many dinner participants who help to clear the tables after dinners on Friday nights. You have no idea how much this is appreciated by all.

Our very sincere sympathy to the family of GUS SULZER who passed away recently - to Clinton Kroh on the loss of his sister, Mary Roso whose brother-in-law passed away and Anna Tieleman whose sister-in-law passed away

On the brighter side, think of all the joy in Emma Kling's family. She has welcomed her very first great grandson - what a joy!!!!

Sorry that we missed Leonard Eisenberg's birthday in last month's issue of the Villa Voice. We wish him a Belated Birthday thought in this issue. Hope you had a lovely birthday, Mr. Eisenberg!!!

Thanks, Mildred Johnson for the nice books you donated to our library.

The Men's Club is trying to organize a Bowling League for the Villa Serena and we understand that our ladies will be welcomed to participate. If you are interested, please see Bill Pace, who is Chairman of this particular activity for the Men's Club.

Wouldn't it be nice to have our own "Villa Serena Bowling Team"

If you see someone without a smile, give him one of yours.

SPECIAL EVENTS:

Every Saturday-8:00 P.M. - GAME NIGHT
 FRIDAY, MAY 9th - 5:00 DINNER AND SPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT
 BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

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FRIDAY, MAY 2nd

Choice of Baked Fish
or Short Ribs of Beef
Potatoes
Vegetable
Dessert

FRIDAY, MAY 9th

"Liquid" Appetizer
Chicken
with Gravy & Stuffing
Vegetable
Special Dessert (calories eliminated)

FRIDAY, MAY 16th

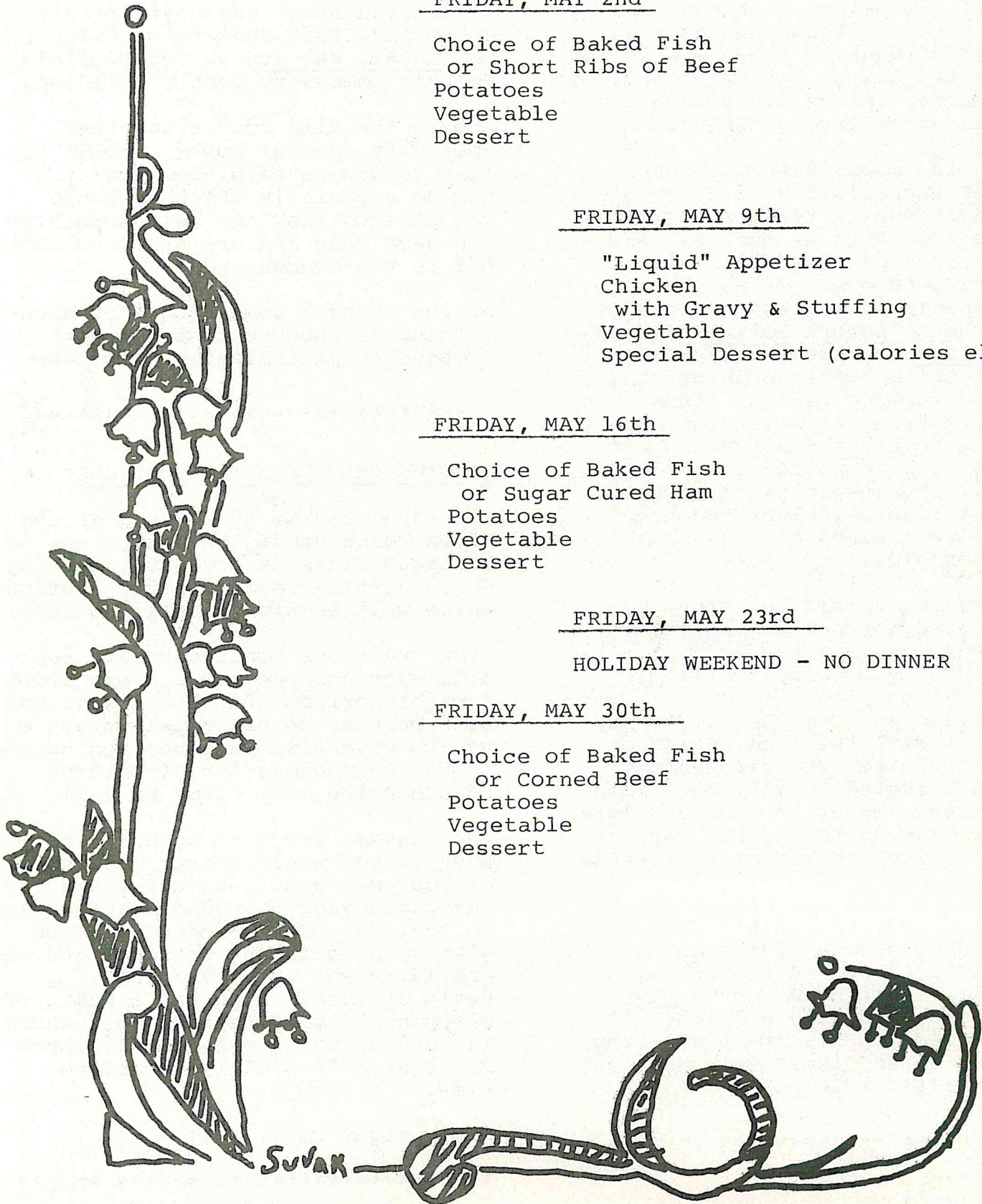
Choice of Baked Fish
or Sugar Cured Ham
Potatoes
Vegetable
Dessert

FRIDAY, MAY 23rd

HOLIDAY WEEKEND - NO DINNER

FRIDAY, MAY 30th

Choice of Baked Fish
or Corned Beef
Potatoes
Vegetable
Dessert



FLEA MARKET KUDOS

A very special "BIG THANKS" to all who helped with our Flea Market, to those who donated the "fleas" to those who worked on the day of the sale, and, of course, to the lucky buyers of all those fascinating "fleas".

It is impossible to express our appreciation to every one individually because so many participated as much as they could. We would be less than fair, however, if we did not especially express our gratitude to Aurora Polinek and Jean Tatone who spent many weeks prior to the sale in pricing and sorting all the items which were brought in for the sale and to Helen Smatt who spent so much in putting together all the lovely jewelry which was donated. They had many helpful hands and we thank them also.

And so, to all our very dedicated workers who helped in every and any way --
A VERY BIG THANK YOU!!!!!!

We are so very pleased to say that with the fine spirit of cooperation and team effort contributed by all, the Villa Serena Center has a grand total of \$700.00 to further enhance our fine program of activities.

A nice time was had by all on Saturday, friendship and comradery permeated the entire first floor, what a lovely sight to behold - even Dave Milroy provided a "sight to behold" in his "female" getup, but those "legs" will have to go!!!!!!!!!!!!

HOBBY SHOW REMINDER

In the past two issues we have reminded you about the Mayfield Hts. Hobby and Craft Show to be held on SUNDAY, MAY 4th at the Mayfield Heights Community Center Building.

Now is the time to get together your very special hobby. Would you like to demonstrate something you can do especially well, or would you like to show and sell something you have made and are proud to show off to the community?

If you do have something, how about letting us know so that you can arrange to participate in the show.

GETTING READY FOR THE BOUTIQUE

You have read in this issue of the Villa Voice about the many items our Boutique Class is presently working on in getting ready for the Boutique which will be upon us all too soon.

Every year our boutiques have been a "bigger and better" success story. A major portion of this success has been because we can count on all of you to give your wholehearted support to the tremendous job of putting together the many items we sell.

Our classes are working hard, however if you would rather make some of your own creations and items in the privacy of your own apartment, go to it!!! Our teachers will be glad to help in any way they can in providing you with materials. Begin at once. Time has a habit of slipping by very rapidly when there is lots of work to be done. There is never a "too early" starting time.

Begin right now!!!!!!

How to stay well

Continuing from last month's recommendations on exercise, I want to add this note. The skin is an organ of excretion and should be treated as such. So a great deal of skin care starts in the bathroom. When taking a shower, do not use soap but rub the skin with a bath mit, purchased in a health food store, which has an Oriental rough fiber on one side to rub your skin for improving circulation. When using soap on your body, you wash away the protective oil which is necessary to absorb the sun's ultra-violet rays that create the needed Vitamin D by synthesizing Vitamin D from dehydro-cholesterol in the skin. Use soap only on hands and face and the private parts where dirt collects. By following with a good rubbing with a bath towel you should get a lot more zip and energy to start the day. By continually washing the body with water too often, destroys the secreted oil film which makes the skin very dry thus encouraging wrinkles. One method of supplying the skin with oil is to orally take a tablespoonful of minted cod liver oil daily. This oil contains Vitamin D and also enough oil to keep the skin from becoming too dry.

While we are on the subject of water, a great deal of sickness is caused by drinking tap water which, by all standards is a poisonous liquid. In Cleveland we are very unfortunate in having sodium fluoride dumped in our water. The chlorine used in water processing is released as a gas in the digestive system and combines with many organic chemicals to form chloraform which causes cancer of the gastrointestinal tract. Tap water is contaminated with viruses, bacteria, fertilizer residues, pesticides and other unknown cancer producing chemicals. Besides these industrial wastes dumped into the local rivers find their way into the lake. So the caution is don't drink tap water. There is not a single source of tap water in the U.S. that is notable

UNCLE RUDY'S TRAVEL NEWS

HI FRIENDS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Mark, TUESDAY, MAY 27th on your calendar.

We will have a nice day in the country together with a good dinner.

Bus leaves Villa Serena at 8:30 A.M. Total cost for the trip and dinner is \$16.50.

Call 461-2457 for reservations.

Yours in friendship...

---Uncle Rudy---
Rudolf Freed

LIQUID EMBROIDERY CLASS NEWS

We've only had one class, but every one was so happy to be back in Liquid Embroidery again. I am really looking forward to teaching this creative and fun craft. This is also very relaxing and a fun way to spend time. There are so many marvelous projects that we'll be able to develop together. Once you start to paint, you'll have a hard time putting it down - it really is fun.

Come join us.

--- Sally Kinney---
Instructor

VETERANS OF WORLD WAR I AND LADIES AUXILIARY

World War I Veterans and Ladies will visit Veterans Hospital on May 4th - The next meeting will be on May 12, 1980 at 1:30 P.M. We will have a memorial service followed by the meeting.

---Mike Perella---
Commander

SEWING CLASS NEWS

The Sewing Class is moving right into Spring with some mighty lovely clothes. We are not only making new things, but fixing up our wardrobes as well - fix ups and make overs.

If your closet depresses you vow to do something about it today. Stop by and see us - you are always welcome. Also we are still having our "apron-mania". It's been a very creative project for all who have started one (or many). These can be made entirely by hand if you are looking for something to do while watching television.

---Sally Kinney---
Instructor

BOUTIQUE NEWS

While you are getting ready for Spring, we are already worrying about how we'll get all our beautiful gifts finished for the Boutique in November.

Do you suppose Santa Claus worries this early also?? We have a great time together on Wednesdays and I must say we are making some very lovely items this year. I just get so excited when I think about all the cute things we can and do make. Do come and join the fun - you are always welcome and perhaps you have some ideas and suggestions for us.

Remember to save any size detergent bottles and clean old nylon stockings for us.

---Sally Kinney---
Instructor

ENERGY SAVING IDEAS

At a recent meeting of the Men's Club many ideas were presented in the hope of saving energy and cutting down our utility costs.

They were very good ones and we thought we'd like to pass them along to you and encourage your cooperation.

Suggestion No. 1 was to stack the breakfast dishes until after lunch and do them all at the same time thus saving water and detergent. Maybe you could add the dinner dishes in that too!!!!!!.

I won't tell your friends that I saw dirty dishes stacked up on your sink!!!!!!!!!!

Suggestion No. 2 was that by using a pin-up lamp in the kitchen on the wall in your working area, you can practically eliminate the use of the overhead light with its two 100 watt bulbs.

Suggestion No. 3 was to use a toaster oven instead of the range for many items you may be baking or broiling. It is much much less expensive than using the oven.

If you have no pin-up lamp or a toaster oven, we certainly don't want you to spend extra money to buy one but the next time, your children or grandchildren say, "What would you like for your Birthday or for some other occasion", just tell them you would like one or the other.

Thanks fellas, those are really great suggestions. May be some of you may have some equally good suggestions, how about sharing them with us!!!!!!!!!!

FOR THE GOOD LIFE

Retired? Semi-Retired? or just Too-Tired? No change that, to never too tired. Can't change "cause I'm too old to change", sure you can. We can all begin again, especially now with the most glorious time of the year upon us. Alert yourself, as only you can to the tiresome old thoughts and habits that need a new look. Conditions and circumstances in the world are challenging and we sometimes can't see anything good ahead, but all we have to do is to bring good into each of our own lives. How you ask--love is the answer, love is the way, love is like a magnet that attracts all good. Love is a chain, its golden links are patience, understanding, kindness, thoughtfulness, consideration and tact and just plain caring about ourselves and each other. Don't try to complete your chain in a hurry, take your time, stop over each link, give it time to become a real part of each minute of each day. Share it with every one around you and you can be sure that the good life will be yours. May is really a month of love. The Father in His great love showers so much beauty on us, as the world comes alive once again. Mothers Day recalls the greatest love that any of us has ever known and what unselfish love do we recall on Memorial Day as we bow our heads in remembrance. Life is so good, enjoy it to the fullest.

--- Eileen Bentler---

MEN'S CLUB NEWS

A sure sign of Spring!! Plans are underway for the Men's Club annual dinner to be held Wednesday, June 4th at 5:30 P.M., here at the Villa Serena. Dave Milroy and Joe Bentler are in charge of arrangements and, of course, Charlie Hridel, Al Heckaman and Joe Rak will preside at the refreshment stand.

John Roso became our newest member at the April meeting. He was welcomed by all 31 members present. We're glad to have you with us, John.

Welfare Committee Chairman Ed O'Donnell reported that members Len Shoemaker and John Nagy were recovering from surgery at Hillcrest Hospital. In fact, as this is being written, John is back and Len is expected to be back with us in a day or two.

Frank Thomas got tired of seeing our table being bruised every time I used the gavel, so he designed and made a wood block to pound on. Thanks, Frank, for saving the table.

Lad Cimler mentioned that containers for holding a record of one's intake of medication are available. He is checking into the procedure involved in purchasing the containers which are intended to be kept in refrigerators.

Sports Committee Chairman Bill Pace is still attempting to stir up interest in horsehoes and bowling. We hope to have more information at our next meeting which will be Tuesday, May 13th, 6:30 P.M.

--- Bill Nau ---

DEVOTIONAL HOUR SCHEDULE

Every Thursday-10:00 A.M.

- May 1 - Rev. Ken Barhydt
Highland Rd. Baptist
- May 6 - Rev. Jim Foster
Mayfield United
- May 15 - Rev. Paul Rohrbaugh
Faith United
- May 22 - Rev. Don Huffman
Mayfield United
- May 29 - Rev. George Hickson
United Methodist

Through this column, all of us at the Villa Serena would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank the many wonderful ministers who have been so graciously coming to the Villa Serena every week to share their precious moments with us in prayer and thanksgiving. It helps so many of us so much.

AND THE WINNERS ARE!!!

Recent card party winners are Lillian Freedman, Joe Rak, Anne Stakich, Ralph Keeler, Teresa Bocchicchio, Kate Blumer.

Pinochle winners:

3/25/80

Bill Grimm	666	\$2.50
Charlotte Bohacek	650	\$2.00
Tony Catullo	631	1.50
Flossie Podojil	622	1.00

3/31/80

Joe Kubik	700	2.50
Kate Blumer	670	2.00
Lucille Sherwood	643	1.50
Florence Simpson	642	1.00

4/7/80

Harold Lowe	698	2.50
Betty Pinter	678	2.00
Edna Carr	662	1.50
Anne Stakich	658	1.00

4/14/80

Bill Pace	687	2.75
Harold Lowe	631	2.25
Joe Kubik	629	1.75
Burdette Doll	622	1.25

BIRTHDAY-ANNIVERSARY PARTY A LA
SPRINGTIME

As Springtime made her great entrance the Villa Serena again celebrated the birthdays and anniversaries on Friday, April 11th. Our celebrants reminded me of a beautiful bouquet of Spring flowers! Two of our members, Mr. & Mrs. Norm Maneri were celebrating their anniversary. Congratulations to all!

Over 180 attended the savory dinner and after dinner, danced to the music of Mike Jacobs and his swell "Goodtime" band who are really a great group of musicians whose music is nice to dance to and a real pleasure to listen to. The dance floor was crowded with people that love to dance! Waltzes, polkas, you name it they danced it.

While the band was playing "Candy Man" a lot of luscious chocolate goodies were passed out to the audience by Mary Calogero! What a nice surprise! Yummy, Yummy. Thoughtful Mary!

Did everybody have a good time? Sure thing! Does everybody want more of the same? Absolutely! As, I look into my crystal ball, there's more fun in store for one and all!!

--- Edith Madge ---

MALL TRIPS

Our May shopping trips will be as follows:

- May 7 - Mentor Mall
- May 21 - Richmond Mall

The Board of Trustees and the Villa Serena Staff wish each of you a "specially wonderful Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary.

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Birthstone: Emerald

Flower: Lily of the Valley

May

1 Verda Kelly #805
3 Helen Burns #725
6 Helen Biro #213
Charlotte Sadowsky #309
8 Dorothy Jacobs #601
11 Lad Cimler #506
14 Mario Minichiello #512
16 Joseph Bentler #807
18 Leona Smith #832
19 Mary Rak #730
21 Fay Levitt
26 Mike Volino #221
28 Margaret Rose #731
28 Helen Rotenbor #723

May

1 William Wiltshire
2 Elmer Wenner
4 Sam Gordon
4 Florence Vignos
4 Franklin Zeigler
5 Lottie Finkleman
6 Rosemary Janson
6 Marie Kovatch
6 Vincent Naso
7 Dorothy Frohman
7 Vida Gawenda
7 Adele Young
9 Sophia Klein
9 Mary Taddeo
10 Lillian Sylvester
13 Helen Benes
13 Jule Cahill
13 Jean Gold
15 Eleanor Knotek
15 Josephine Stella
17 Josephine Leanza
20 Valeria Adams
20 Rita Sharp
22 Frank Machurey
23 John Marcisin
24 Rose Cordas
24 Norm Maneri
25 Pauline Douglas
25 Leroy Leighton
25 Edwin McNamara
25 Maryruth Oddy
26 Goldie Karns
27 Fanny Weiss
28 E.R. Douglas
28 Bert Taranto
28 Rollo Lea
28 Dorothy Leanza
28 Alva Mark
28 Hilma Schoebrum
29 Julia Harcher
31 Florence Goodman

ANNIVERSARIES

3 Mr. & Mrs. Sam Gordon
14 Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Bernatt
23 Mr. & Mrs. Vernon Morgan
28 Mr. & Mrs. George Lisy
29 Mr. & Mrs. Carl Lucht

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SING-A-LONG WITH SAMMY BERK

Joining in a sing-a-long with the happy talented Sammy Berk is one of the best heart lifting, morale boosting things that one can do. Try it once and you can bet it will do wonders for your spirit, and you'll come back again and again to join us in song.

On Friday evening, May 16th at 7:00 P.M. SHARP (please note time change) you can see for yourself what many of us have experienced many times. Come one and all and join Sammy Berk in a happy fun time evening.

JOIN US AFTER DINNER!!!!

BIG CELEBRATION BEING PLANNED

Come join us for dinner and a special celebration on FRIDAY, MAY 9, 1980.

We will be celebrating birthdays and anniversaries - we will be honoring our mothers and those who are like mothers to so many of us -

We will be celebrating a surprise change in our first floor decor, to be the beginning of many more changes to come.

For this occasion, we have planned an evening of fine entertainment by inviting Glenn Williams, the fine singer who "made us swoon" at Christmas time, back again with his group of musicians. You will thoroughly enjoy the entire evening.

Nice things are in the planning, we hope you will come and spend the evening with us.

Dinner will be served at 5:00 P.M. Entertainment will start promptly at 7:00 P.M.

Price of this dinner will be \$3.50 per person.

Come join us for another fun evening at the Villa Serena.

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