

Men Crocheters Eligible for State Fair Contests

O. H. BOYS! Get out that ball of cotton and start those crochet needles clicking!

It's almsy stuff no longer. The Michigan State Fair has made it official—male crocheters may enter the crocheting competition for the first time this year.

It's an open season, men, so ply those needles. Show the ladies they have no monopoly on fine handiwork.

Baby garments, bedspreads, sweaters or blouses, chair sets, dollies or scarfs, fashion accessories; household accessories (curtain pulls, pot holders, hot plates, etc.), luncheon sets, rugs, and tablecloths may be submitted, according to the 1941 State Fair Premium Book.

Entrants must have started the articles since Jan. 1, 1940. The articles must be made of mercerized crochet cotton.

The 92nd annual State Fair opens Aug. 27—30, hurry up, fellows. Write to the Women's Department, Michigan State Fair,

may submit include knitted garments and accessories; miscellaneous items, such as candle-wicking, crewel embroidery, hand-made lace, gloves, mittens, Italian hemstitching, peasant embroidery, tatting and kitchen ensembles; needle point, quilts, rugs, samplers, toys, such as dolls and animals; woven articles, children's or women's clothing, tailored and remodeled garments.

Tonight's Dinner Menu

**Veal Chops, Maltese
Cheese Fritters
Buttered Green Beans
Cabbage Slaw
Plum Sherbet**

Veal Chops, Maltese

Six veal chops, 2 oranges, meat extract, 6 tablespoons butter.

Flatten chops and saute in butter until golden brown on both sides. Place chops on hot platter and keep hot while preparing the dressing.

Peel, slice and seed oranges. Heat through in butter. Arrange on top of chops and sprinkle with a little meat extract. Place butter in skillet in which orange slices were cooked. When it boils up and foams, pour over chops.

Cheese Fritters

Two cups cornmeal mush, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup flour, 1 teaspoon baking powder, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 cup grated cheese, 1 egg.

Add flour, sifted with baking powder and salt, to mush. Add cheese, then slightly beaten egg. Drop by spoonfuls on hot griddle and fry until golden brown or fry until brown in deep fat, 375 degrees or hot enough to brown a cube of bread in 1 minute. Drain and serve hot.

Plum Sherbet

Twelve canned green gage plums, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup powdered sugar, $\frac{1}{4}$ cup plum juice, $\frac{1}{2}$ cup white corn syrup, few grains salt, 1 cup heavy cream, whipped.

Drain plums and reserve $\frac{1}{4}$ cup juice. Rub stoned plums through coarse strainer. Add sugar and stir until dissolved. Combine plum juice, syrup and salt. Blend well, add to plum and sugar mixture, and let stand a few minutes. Fold into whipped cream, pour into refrigerator tray and freeze quickly, stirring occasionally. Makes 1 quart.

Old Favorites in New Styles

Classic sweaters, forever perennial favorites with American women, are styled just a little bit differently this year. The slipover has a loose, almost sloppy, look about the hips, and comes well down.

Cardigans are also long, following the trend toward longer waistlines and hiplines, and a bit looser, too. Necklines are round or V, as in the case with dresses.

You will see novelty sleeves on about half the fur coats worn this season.

Home Institute Calendar

Inside Stuff, 10 a. m. Friday

—Drawing for summer vacation trip to Scout and Y camps in this district. Three boys and three girls to be awarded free camping trips by E. C. Schwimmer, of Acme Camera Co. Schwimmer will show colored motion pictures taken in Mexico, The Rockies and The Caribbean region.

Talk by Clifton E. Johnson, general manager of Michigan Humane Society, on care and feeding of cats and dogs. Act by Pontchartrain Doberman Kennels, of Royal Oak, showing how leader dogs are trained. Harold Ramm, magician, will perform sleight-of-hand tricks. Music is to be furnished by Wurlitzer Swingers.

This program is held in the Auditorium Studio of WWJ—The Detroit News. Tickets are available without charge and may be obtained at The News, at the branch office in the Majestic Building or may be reserved by calling Randolph 2000, extension 297.

Detroit, for premium book explaining rules and prizes.

OF SPECIAL interest to the women is the list of prizes for needlework and other handcraft shown in the State Fair Premium Book. Women may submit crocheted garments and accessories of either wool or mercerized crochet cotton. First, second, and third prizes and ribbons will be awarded for each type of garment or article.

In the crocheting class, women may submit crocheted garments and accessories of wool or mercerized crochet cotton.

All winners of first prizes in the mercerized crochet cotton group (this includes the men) may enter their prize-winning articles in the nation-wide, crochet contest. The national champion will receive \$250, a gold crochet hook, and a free trip to New York.

Other articles which women

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