

## SOCIETY DOINGS

### Club Calendar

**Tuesday**  
Tri Kappas—Cecile Andrews.  
Live Wire—Cal Peterson, Jr.  
Otterbein Guild—Ethel Mumma.  
Dutiful Daughters of Evangelical Church—Home of Frances and Winifred Merryman at 7:30 P. M.

**Wednesday**  
Reformed Ladies' Aid Society—Mrs. Henry Knapp, in afternoon.

**Thursday**  
Loyal Daughters' Class—Mrs. Mabel Burgen.  
Zion Lutheran Aid Society—Home of Mrs. Ferdinand Bleeke.  
Helping Hand of the Reformed Church—Sunday School Room in Afternoon, Mrs. Reuben Lord Hostess.

**Friday**  
Ladies Aid of Presbyterian Church—At home of Mrs. F. E. France in afternoon.  
D. Y. B.—Mrs. Del Lake.

Helen Fonner is still reporting for society news and will be glad to get your news. If you have any call for her at the office, phone 51.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowen and little son, Glen, of Shepherd, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sproul and family of Van Wert spent Sunday with the Oliver Johnson family, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hill entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jess Laughrey of Allegheny, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Am-

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rine and son, Curt, at Sunday dinner.

Sunday evening, after attending Epworth League and preaching services at Beulah Chapel, a machine load of Mt. Pleasant folks followed Rev. Rogers to his home. They had heard him say he had a number of watermelons in his cellar. Rev. and Mrs. Rogers had recently returned from their vacation which they spent at St. Louis Crossing, Ind., with his father, William Rogers and brought with them several melons. Upon arriving home Sunday eve they were very much surprised to see a large machine load drive in and stop just behind them and cry "watermelon." Of course they were invited in, and five melons were brought up from the cellar. They were the best that could be had anywhere. Mrs. S. P. Sheets took first prize for eating the most—while Miss Gladys Suman came in for close second. Miss Letitia Singleton took the booby as she could not eat as much as the rest, all working faithfully. Those who enjoyed the watermelon feast were Mrs. S. P. Sheets, Merle Knave, Verna Mann, Gladys Suman, Letitia Singleton, Iva Spangler, Chauncey and Merle Sheets, Burman Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Rogers and daughters, Marion and Marjery.

The many Decatur friends of Miss Kate Flox, of Plymouth, who has often visited here with her sister, Mrs. Bernstein, will be interested in hearing of her engagement to Mr. Harry Robbins, of Detroit, Mich., the announcement being made by her father, M. Flox, of Plymouth.

Miss Doris Erwin has returned from a week-end visit with Miss Leonore Dull at Willshire, Ohio. Miss Dull, who attended school here last winter, left yesterday for Oxford, Ohio, to attend Miami college.

About thirty members of the Reickah lodge motored to the home of Mrs. Noah Frye in the country and enjoyed a very pleasant social time. The division of which Miss Inez Black was captain, entertained the division led by Mrs. Amos Yoder. Bunco was played and they were entertained with music, ice cream and cake were served as refreshments.

At the meeting of the 500 club at the home of Mrs. James Arnold last

evening they made plans for the coming season and discussed business matters. Four new members were taken into the club, Mrs. Will Keller, Mrs. Dan Falk, Mrs. Will Cowan and Mrs. George Brown. Mrs. Fred Ashbacher has invited the club to her home one week from Thursday.

The Dutiful Daughters class will meet at the home of Misses Frances and Winifred Merryman this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. D. D. Clark and daughter, Vera, have gone to Oden and Petoskey, Mich., for a two weeks' visit with friends.

## Relief to Storm Stricken Towns.

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expected to be sent from Laredo, San Antonio and other points. Early reports from refugees from the Arkansas pass-Rockport district indicate property damage there was heavy. The loss of life is not believed great. It was said the town of Port Arkansas, on the northeastern end of Mustand island, was wrecked. The tidal wave at Corpus Christi was driven in by a gale of 65 miles an hour. Water was ten feet deep in the city's streets. North Shore, the city's pleasure resort, practically was swept clean.

A good program has been arranged for the Adams County Woman's Christian Temperance Union convention to be held at the Decatur Evangelical church Thursday, September 18. Everybody welcome.

## OBITUARY

Frederick F. Frech was born in Rhine, Bavaria, Germany, December 14, 1836. Died in Union township, Adams county, Ind., September 10, 1919. Aged 82 years, 8 months and 26 days.

He was the eldest child of Rev. Frederick Frech, who became a minister after coming to America and continued in that holy calling until he retired. In this family there were three sons and two daughters. One son died in infancy in Germany. One brother, John, died in Ohio about 14 years ago, and one sister, Mrs. Harriet Powell, died in Hancock county, Ohio, May, 1916. One sister is still living, Mrs. Susanna Hartman in Hancock county, Ohio. His parents were married in Germany, but in a few years after their marriage decided to emigrate to America, which they did in 1839, it taking them 36 days to cross the Atlantic ocean. Arriving in America the family kept moving farther westward until in a short time they came to Hanover county, Ohio. The father being a minister, the family moved from one place to another, until they finally settled in father retired from the ministry they continued to reside upon a farm in that county until called from earth, the father dying in 1885 and the mother in 1907 at the extreme age of 92.

He was educated in the public schools of Hancock county, and on December 3, 1867 he was united in marriage to Mary A. Graham in that same county. They lived there until 1871 at which time they came to Adams county, Indiana, and settled upon the farm that has since been the home of the family. To them were given two sons and three daughters, one son and one daughter died in infancy, one son was accidentally drowned when only about seven years of age, one daughter, Mrs. Alice Funk, died about nine years ago, leaving but one of the family, Mrs. Nellie McIntosh, who resides at the home place. Besides this daughter, there are 7 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren. The wife and mother died April 10, 1916.

He was a volunteer in the Civil war, having enlisted in Co. H 134 Ohio Volunteers and served with this regiment for four months, and on May 4, 1864 re-enlisted in Co. A 47 Ohio Vol., marched with Sherman to the sea and participated in the closing scenes of the war and was mustered out of service at that close.

His father being a minister in the Evangelical association, he united with that church when young in years and continued a member of that church the most of his life. There being no church of that denomination near to the home place, he attended Clark's Chapel, Methodist Episcopal church for years and participated in all of its work as though a member.

On moving to Decatur he united with the Decatur Methodist Episcopal church in 1907, and continued a member of the same until called to his reward. He was a very faithful Christian and always willing to do what ever was needed to be done in the work of the Master.

## LONG AND WIDER

Is the Way Women Will Wear Their Skirts and 6 to 8 in. Above Ground

## MORE CONSERVATIVE

(United Press Service)  
Chicago, Sep. 16.—(Special to Daily Democrat) — Feminine styles this coming winter are to be much different—much different.

Skirts will be longer, much wider—more conservative. And in this connection there is a war just starting—a war by the American women to make the styles more conservative.

This was the news coming from within the Fashion Art League in convention here today.

The doughboy is at the bottom of the whole thing. In France the parisienne beauties wore extreme styles. When the doughboy struck that country he was dazed. Styles became more and more extreme and when he started home he was full of new ideas of styles—but the American girls rebelled—they went on a fashion strike, demanding new styles.

The correct skirt length, according to Madame Alla Ripley, president of the league, should be six to eight inches above the ground. Of course the width would be built around the person, but generosity will be plentiful among the designers, it was pointed out. Forty-seven inches was agreed on as the average width for the slender person.

## Crowds Gather at the Stations.

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train being scheduled to cross the line into that state about 12:30 p. m. (Pacific time).

It was considered unlikely that there would be rear platform speeches, as Wilson is saving his voice for his efforts in the big California cities. His voice seemed to show some evidences of a slight strain at the beginning of his Portland speech last night but as he talked it improved and grew stronger.

The presidential train had no stops scheduled for today. It will reach San Francisco tomorrow, the president remaining two days in San Francisco and Oakland, speaking in both cities.

Wilson took a stroll all the way around his train shortly before it left Portland last night. He paced slowly down the platform in view of several hundred who had congregated to see him off, then crossed the tracks to the dark side of the train away from the station lights and rambled back to his private car. This was only the second walk of more than one hundred years that he had taken since he left Washington.

The body of Ben Fallen, of Cleveland, one of the newspaper correspondents, who was killed in an automobile accident at Portland yesterday, is being sent home in charge of a secret service man.

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## IN MEMORIAM

Robert Donald Tumbleson was born March 28, 1918 in Adams county, Ind., and died Sept. 4, 1919, aged 1 year, 5 months and 6 days. Robert leaves a heart-broken father and mother, 2 sisters, Mildred and Helen, and 1 grandfather, now lying at the point of death, 2 grandmothers, besides a host of more distant relatives who will miss baby Robert for many days.

How brief the stay as beautiful as fleeting  
The time that came with us to dwell  
Just long enough to give a happy greeting  
Just long enough to bid us all farewell  
Death travels down the thickly settled highway  
At shining marks they say he loves to aim  
How did he find far down our lonely highway  
Our little one who died with just a name.

Miss Naomi Baker went to Fort Wayne to spend the afternoon.

## Mecca Theater TONIGHT

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