

Society

CLUB CALENDAR

Tuesday

Dorcas Class of E. V. church—Mrs. Esta Liddy, 7:30 p.m.
C. L. of C.—K. of C. Hall, 8 p.m.
Philo Class of Baptist church—Miss Helen Beard, 7:30 p.m.
Philo class of Baptist Sunday school—Miss Helen Beard, 7:30 p.m.
W. M. S. of Zion Reformed church—2:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Ever Ready Class of M. E. Sunday School—Pete Pearson home, 7:30 p.m.
Faithful Followers Class of the Bible Church, Ice Cream Social—Schoolhouse.
Psi Iota Xi Benefit Show "Grounds for Divorce", Admits Theatre.

Thursday

Concord Aid and Missionary Society—Mrs. Calvin Kunkle, 2 p.m.
Delta Theta Tau breakfast hike—meet at the home of Naomi Durkin at 5 a.m.
Baptist Woman's Society—Mrs. Bina Buhler, 2 p.m.
Ladies Aid Society of Calvary church—Jennie Smith, 2 p.m.
Work and Win Class of U. B. church—Mrs. Frank Baker, postponed.
Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of Presbyterian church—Mrs. M. A. Frisinger, 2:30 p.m.
Work and Win Class of U. B. church—Frank Baker, 8 p.m.

Friday

Woman's Missionary Society of U. B. church—Church 7:30 p.m.
Minnehaha Club—Club rooms after lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickman and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ford and family, of Decatur, and Mr. William Lehman, of Berne, attended the eighth annual reunion of the Lehman family, held at the fair grounds in Celina, Ohio, last Sunday. More than one hundred relatives were present. The 1926 reunion will be held at the same place.

KINSEY—REUNION

The annual reunion of the Kinsey family was held in Haynes Park, Portland, last Sunday. A total of 157 relatives were present. S. M. Kinsey was the oldest member of the family and Russell Kinsey was the youngest. Reports showed that there had been four births and only one death in the family during the last year. At noon a bounteous dinner was served. During the day a social and business session was enjoyed. The following officers were elected: C. Holly, of Portland, president; Samuel Kinsey, of Buffton vice-president; Mrs. Erma Benhour, of Fort Wayne, secretary-treasurer. The next reunion will be held in Ft. Wayne on the first Sunday in August, 1926. Relatives were present Sunday from Adams county, Portland, Churubusco, Albion, Columbia City, Craigville, Magley, Curryville, Montpelier, Bluffton, Fort Wayne, Muncie, Ridgeville, and Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Abr, and Mrs. Fred Abr, and sons, Bobbie and Edwin Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gehrig, Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Gehrig, and son, Howard, Dr. and Mrs. Eichhorn and children, Junior, Mary, Bobbie and Richard, Miss Jaunita Baumgartner, Miss Lola Swartz, Russell Baumgartner, Lloyd Abr and Albert Gehrig, of this city, Mrs. Tridell, of Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moenaw, of Waterloo, motored to Gordon State Park, at Lake St. Mary's, Ohio, Sunday and enjoyed a picnic dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ashbaucher entertained at dinner Monday in honor of the Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Stolte and daughter, Naomi, of Dayton, Ohio, who are visiting friends here this week. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knapp, of this city, were guests also.

The Tri Kappa Sorority will hold a pastry sale at the Central Grocery Saturday morning at nine o'clock. The liberal patronage of the public is solicited.

The Mt. Pleasant Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Francis Fuhrman, Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Adella Laughlin, of Fort Wayne, announces the forth coming marriage of her daughter, Miss Grace, to Mr. Joseph Coyle, of Pennsylvania, which will take place at the St. Peter's church at Fort Wayne, Tuesday morning, August 11. Mrs. Laughlin and family were former residents of this city and have a host of friends here.

Miss Mildred Butler delightfully entertained the intimate friends at a dinner party of lovely appointments

last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Vail, on North Second street. The house was decorated with garden flowers. The table was laid with yellow linen and a low bowl of blue garden flowers formed the centerpiece. Covers were laid for the Misses Harriet Myers, Ruth Castle, Jeane Hocker, Lucile Engle, Josephine Suttles and Margaret Zwick.

At a meeting of the Delta Theta Tau Sorority at the home of Miss Margaret Mylott last night, it was decided to hold a breakfast hike Thursday morning at 5:30 o'clock. The members of the sorority are asked to meet at the home of Miss Naomi Durkin, on Mercer Avenue, at 5 o'clock.

The Concord Aid and Missionary society will meet Thursday afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Calvin Kunkle, on the Fort Wayne road.

The Minnehaha Club will meet at the club rooms after lodge Friday evening. Mrs. Emeson Bennett and Mrs. Alva Buffenbarger will be the hostesses.

Mrs. J. R. Smitley, of North Seventh street, entertained a number of friends and relatives Monday evening in honor of the thirty-ninth birthday anniversary of Mr. Smitley. A pot luck supper was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cochran and family, Mrs. Leonard Merryman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foreman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gause and family, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Melch and family, Mrs. C. Musser and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Shaffer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Green, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keller and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fisher and family, Mr. and Mrs. Saphus Melch and son, Mr. and Mrs. Clennie Smitley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smitley and daughter, Mrs. William Darwacher, Mrs. Cecil Melch, Mrs. John Smitley, Miss Florine Bunner, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Buffenbarger, Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Smitley and family.

The Work and Win Class of the United Brethren church will meet at the home of Frank Baker Thursday evening at eight o'clock. Election of officers will be held and a good attendance is desired.

Women's Missionary Society of the United Brethren church will meet at the church Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A good attendance is desired.

Buy Coal For Hospital

The trustees of the Adams County Memorial hospital met Monday and awarded a contract to Carroll and Son, of this city, to furnish one car load of Pocahontas coal, No. 2 to the hospital for \$5.52 per ton. The coal is to be delivered as soon as the shipment arrives.

REVIEW BOARD MAKES INCREASE

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the state board, mandatory proceedings would more than likely have taken against the board and, in the end the county would have been forced to place the increase on the farm property.

County Assessor William Zimmerman stated that he believed the local assessments were as nearly correct as they could be, but that since the state board ordered the increase there was nothing for the board to do except to place the increase on farm lands and improvements. It will be necessary to change every individual farm assessment on the books in order to put the change in effect.

FARM LEGISLATION

President Coolidge Will Rely Upon Farm Commission To Draft Agricultural Program To Lay Before P

Swampscott, Mass., Aug. 4.—(United Press.)—President Coolidge will rely upon the farm commission which he appointed last year to draft the administration farm legislation program which will be brought before congress next winter.

The commission, of which Secretary of Agriculture Jardine is a member, will meet this fall to determine a program, it was declared today.

Consolidation of railroads, it carried out will solve most of the transportation problems of the nations in the opinion of President Coolidge.

Mr. Coolidge regards the Van Swearingen Nickel Plate merger, which is now before the Interstate Commerce Commission, as a test case and if it is consummated, he expects many other railroads to follow suit, it was said at the summer White House.

Anderson. — African M. E. church has purchased the Grace M. E. church from the white congregation.

TO BROADCAST HEAT TO NORTH POLE BY WIRELESS

London, Aug. 3.—(United Press)—Wireless broadcasting, of heat to the North Pole regions will make more habitable space for the inhabitants of this earth, in the opinion of A. M. Low, scientist. Low also predicts that electrical rays will eventually divert rain clouds to desert regions to make them bloom like the moist regions.

Locals

In the list of Boy Scouts who went to the summer camp at Hamilton Lake yesterday was the name of Kenneth Tricker. It should have been Richard Tricker. Kenneth is too young to be a scout, but he will be old enough to go to camp next summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gladen, of Dayton, Ohio, returned to their home today after a week's visit with Mrs. Laura Crill and other friends here.

Miss Elizabeth Mehlis has gone to Fort Wayne to spend a week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Ladig.

Misses Blanche and Marie Ritter left this morning for Detroit and Cleveland where they will spend two weeks with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gass and daughter Beatrice, Mrs. M. Fullenkamp and Mrs. Clara Meyers and son, Cletus, motored to Indianapolis today to attend the C. M. T. C. dress parade at Fort Benjamin Harrison and visit Bob Gass, who is in camp there. Mrs. Fullenkamp and Mrs. Meyers and son, will remain in Indianapolis for a several days visit with the D. M. Reid family.

Mrs. D. B. Ford, of Portland, and Miss Anne Gibbons, of Cincinnati, O., who are guests at the James Arnold home are guests at the James Arnold home are guests at the James Arnold home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maley returned to their home at Goshen today, after spending a week with Mrs. Paley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schrank. Miss Katherine Maley is remaining here for a visit with her grandparents until school opens September 8 at Goshen.

Miss Katharine Kocher has returned from Lake Hamilton where she spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Kocher, and family.

The Misses Marjorie and Mary Louise Coffee, of Fort Wayne, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Stalter and Mr. and Mrs. F. Vail this week.

Mrs. Amos Fisher has returned from a ten days trip in Eastern Ohio. She also visited her brother at Warren, Ohio.

Mrs. H. C. Andrews, of Dewitt, Ark., who has been visiting relatives here for the past few days, left today for a visit with her brother, Joseph R. Smith at Potoskey, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Beemer and niece, of Delphi, La., are here for a

visit with the James Gattshall family and other friends. Mr. Beemer reports crop conditions splendid in the south and the outlook for a prosperous time ahead. They came here last evening from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Steele, of Marion, Indiana, visited here for a few hours last evening with the J. S. Peterson family and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martz and children returned yesterday from Hamilton, Ohio, where they were called by the serious illness of Mrs. Martz's father.

Mrs. Edward Wilson and children returned to Fort Wayne today after a several days visit at the John S. Peterson home.

Mrs. William Bowers spent the day in Fort Wayne as the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Leahy.

Harry Meshberger, of Linn Grove, was a business visitor here today.

The August number of the Dairyland, official monthly journal of the Cloverleaf creameries, will be mailed out tomorrow.

Superintendent Arendt, of the Holland-St. Louis Sugar company, St. Louis, Michigan, is here this week for a few days at the local plant.

Herbert Fullenkamp and Art Rausseau, of Chicago, have returned to that city after spending a two week's vacation with Mr. Fullenkamp's mother, Mrs. Mary Fullenkamp.

Mrs. Russell Deboft, of the Dore B. Erwin Law Office, is enjoying a months' vacation.

Mrs. Pierre Goodrich and daughter Nancy, of Winchester, who have been the guests of Mrs. Goodrich's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dugan, for the past several days, left this morning for Potoskey, Michigan, where she will be a guest of Mrs. Winifred Bond at the Ellingham cottage at Waloon Lake.

Jesse D. Robinson, oil operator, Wichita, Kansas, dropped off here today for a few hours visit with relatives enroute home from a business trip to Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hanna and family of Kokomo are visiting friends and relatives of this city during the week.

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The Misses Mayme and Adelaide Deininger left today for Cleveland, Ohio, where they will attend the Catholic Ladies of Clumbia Convention, as delegates from the local chapter.

Mrs. L. O. Clark, of Dallas, Texas was a guest of the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Johnson, of Marshall st., this afternoon.

Miss Margaret Belle Atz, of Goshen, is a guest of Miss Mary Macklin for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bowser and Mrs. Ella Stoner, of Fort Wayne, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Brokaw, over Sunday.

BLUFFTON—Leroy Cobbum is the new deputy clerk here.

Bleeke Reunion To Be Held Sunday, August 9

The annual reunion of the Bleeke family will be held at the home of Otto Bleeke, six miles northeast of this city, on next Sunday, August 9. All relatives of the family are invited and urged to attend.

Three More Students For Auction School

New arrivals at the Reppert school of Auctioneering since Monday noon, include Stafford Wimberly, of Keany, Nebraska; Otto Rowenhorst, of Orange City, Iowa; and William F. Vilhauer, of Tyndall, South Dakota. This makes a total of twenty-eight students enrolled in the school. Seven of the total are from Nebraska. Class work was well-started today.

See "Grounds for Divorce", Benefit Blue side Psi Iota Xi, Adams Theatre Wednesday, 183-28

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WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

"Grounds for Divorce"

Florence Vidor, Matt Moore, Louise Fazenda. (Benefit Wednesday only, Psi Iota Xi Girls)

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TONIGHT AND TOMORROW

"The Lady Who Lied"

A First National Attraction with

Louis Stone, Nita Naldi, Virginia Valli

and wonder cast. Can a lie hold love? Does a man ever forget, learn and be wiser.

"Oh Bridget" a comedy with Walter Heirs.

10c—25c