

Society

CLUB CALENDAR

Monday
Literature Section of Woman's club, business meeting—Library, 7:15.
Woman's Club—Library, 7:45 p. m.
Research Club—Mrs. O. L. Vance, 2:30 p. m.

Tuesday
W. M. A. of U. B. church—Church, 7:30 p. m.
Queen Esther's — Charlotte Elzey, 6:30 p. m.
Tuesday Afternoon Bridge Club—Mrs. O. L. Vance.
Psi Iota Xi—Mrs. J. H. Burroughs, 7:30 p. m.
Adams County Medical Society—Adams County Hospital, 8 p. m.
E. L. of C. E. of Evangelical church—Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Schnitz, Rebekah Lodge—7:30 p. m.
W. C. T. U.—Library, 2:30 p. m.
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Young Matrons' Club—Mrs. Ferd O'Brien, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday
Ladies' Aid society of U. B. church—Church parlors, 2:30 p. m.
Catholic Ladies' of Columbia Shower—K. of C. Hall, 8 p. m.
Red Men Important Business Meeting—Red Men hall, 7 p. m.
Luncheon Bridge Club — Mrs. Ed Coffee, 7:30 p. m.
Historical Club—Mrs. C. C. Noble.
Shakespeare Club—Mrs. W. A. Low-er.

Thursday
Loyal Workers' Class of E. V. church—Mrs. Fred Linn, 6:30 p. m.
Eastern Star Election of officers—Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.
Baptist Woman's Society—Bazaar and Rummage Sale at Winnes Shoe Store.
U. B. Ladies' Aid Society Pancake Supper—Church, 5 to 7 p. m.
Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society—Mrs. J. C. Sutton.

Friday
D. Y. B. Class of U. B. church—Mrs. Carl Noble.
Ben Hurr election of officers—7:30 p. m.
Christian Ladies' Aid society Rummage sale—Niblick building.

Saturday
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Christian Ladies' Aid society Pancake supper—Church, 5 to 7 p. m.
Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society, Bake Sale—Central Grocery.

The Mt. Pleasant Ladies' Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. S. P. Sheets, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members are requested to be present for the organization.

The Psi Iota Xi Sorority will meet with Mrs. J. H. Burroughs Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend. Christmas charity plans will be made at this meeting. Plans will also be made for the annual Christmas party and exchange.

The Queen Esther Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Miss Charlotte Elzey, 829 North Second street, at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening.

The children and families of Mrs. M. Fullenkamp, of West Adams street, pleasantly surprised her seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. A basket dinner was served at noon. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gass and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Mylott and family, Mrs.

Clara Meyers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fullenkamp, Mrs. Vera Butler, John Teeple, W. A. Hester, all of this city, and Guy Kehler, of Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank France delightedly entertained at noon dinner yesterday at their home on Mercer avenue. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keubler, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dugan, Mr. Clark Lutz, Mrs. Ruby Durkin and Miss Rose Christen.

Mrs. O. L. Vance will entertain the members of the Afternoon Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren church will be held Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Carl Noble, Mrs. Will Barkley, Mrs. Mary Elzey, will be hostesses. Plans will be made for a pancake supper to be served at the church from five to seven o'clock Thursday evening. Apple sauce, home made sausage, coffee, will be served with the pancakes that can be eaten for twenty-five cents. The public is invited.

Nomination and election of officers will be held by the Ben Hurr lodge at the regular meeting, Friday evening. All members are urged to attend.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will conduct a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, in the Niblick building, formerly occupied by the Old Adams County bank. They also announce a pan cake supper to be served at the church from five to seven o'clock Saturday evening. The menu will be pan cakes, syrup, coffee, cream, sugar, home made sausage, fruit pie and baked apples. The public is invited.

The Eastern Star will meet Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock at the Masonic Hall. Election of officers will be held and the attendance of all members is urged.

The Loyal Workers' Class of the Evangelical church will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Linn. A pot-luck supper will be served promptly at 6:30 o'clock and all members are urged to be present. The annual election of officers will be held and the Christmas exchange will be held at this meeting.

The D. Y. B. Class of the United Brethren church will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Carl Noble. Mrs. Clarence Stofhill and Mrs. John Rice will be the assisting hostesses. The meeting has been changed from December 17 to December 19.

The W. M. A. of the United Brethren church will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church.

Differdoffer-McCollum
Miss Madge McCollum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milo McCollum, of Geneva, and Mr. Ray Differdoffer, of Fort Wayne, were married at the Wayne Street Methodist church in Fort Wayne at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The pastor of the church received the vows of the single ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCollum, of Geneva, were the attendants. A few invited guests attended the ceremony. The bride has been making her home in Fort Wayne for the last two years. Mr. Differdoffer is employed by the gas company in Fort Wayne. Mr. and Mrs. Differdoffer will make their home on Fairfield avenue in that city.

Locals

Lawrence Linn, of Huntington, spent the week-end here with relatives. Mr. Linn has been transferred from the National Five and Ten Cent Store, at Huntington, to Olopeston, Ill.

J. R. Horton spent Sunday with Mrs. Horton at the Methodist Hospital at Fort Wayne. Mrs. Horton underwent a surgical operation several days ago and is getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meyers and daughter, Virginia, of Van Wert, Ohio, spent Sunday with Mrs. Meyers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Nichols. Gall Kern returned to Fort Wayne last evening, after spending the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. Agnes Miller-Courtney and Miss Rita Miller returned to their homes at Akron, Ohio, after a several days visit here with the Alva Nichols family and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hoffman and daughter, Betty, and son, Bobby, of Fort Wayne, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Adams yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Harkless is spending several days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Decker and family at Van Wert, Ohio.

August Scheumann, trustee of Preble township, was a business visitor here this morning.

D. A. Studler, of Hartford township, was here this morning looking after

business interests.

A large crowd attended the cantata at the Presbyterian church last evening.

F. V. Mills and French Quinn attended the Near East meeting in Linn Grove last evening.

LONGWORTH IS NAMED SPEAKER OF NEW HOUSE

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69th congress reconvened for its long session.

In a cast vote, the house decided that there should be no debate on the republican proposal to change the rules of the house which were adopted last session by the insurgents and democrats voting together.

Tax Bill Introduced.
Washington, Dec. 7. — The three hundred twenty-five million dollar tax bill is a "non partisan" measure and will "bring the maximum good to all our people," the house ways and means committee informed the house today in introducing the revenue measure.

Slashes proposed in the bill the committee said are apportioned so state every tax payer will benefit.

Calvary Evangelical Sunday School Elects

In the reorganization of the Calvary Evangelical Sunday school, held Sunday afternoon, the following officers were elected for the year 1926: Superintendent, Chalmers D. Miller; Assistant Superintendent, A. L. Harmon; Secretary, Miss Adline Walters; Assistant Secretary, Wellmar Harmon; Treasurer, Curtis Miller; Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. Bernice Darr; Building Fund Treasurer, Mrs. Fannie Jackson; Chorister, Artie Jackson; Assistant Chorister, Mrs. Bernice Darr; Organist, Miss Doris Shifferly; Assistant Organist, Mrs. Bernice Darr.

During the past year, the Sunday school, under the superintendency of James A. Darr, has been very successful, and the outlook for the new year is most encouraging.

Decatur Woman Named Assistant Governor Of I. O. O. F. State Home

Miss Gusta Cramer, of this city, has been appointed assistant governor of the I. O. O. F. home at Greensburg, Indiana, according to word received from officials of the home, who say Miss Cramer has proven a fine asset to the home, because of her capability to assisting with the children. She has been given a beautiful and well-appointed room on the second floor where she is in charge of the children's department. Mrs. Samuel Shamp received a letter from Miss Cramer this morning, and in it she says she is getting along fine and is very happy. Her Decatur friends will be glad to hear the good news.

Klink And Gentry Plead Not Guilty

Indianapolis, Dec. 7. — (United Press)—Earl Klink and Earl Gentry today entered a plea of not guilty to charges of conspiracy to commit arson following an unsuccessful attempt to have the indictments quashed in criminal court.

The indictments grew out of the fire at the home of D. C. Stephenson, former klan dragon, in a suburb of Indianapolis last spring.

Judge Collins also overruled a motion presented by attorneys for the men, who were cleared of charges of being accomplices in the Oberholzer murder, to dismiss charges of kidnapping in connection with the case.

W. C. T. U. To Meet At Library Tuesday Afternoon

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold a meeting at the public library at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The following program will be given:

Song.
Devotions—Mrs. George Chronister.
Song.
Building the Prohibition Structure—Mrs. C. E. Dell.
Reading—Miss Gertrude Chronister.
Serve the Present Age.
Liquor—Mrs. Schroyer and Mrs. Goldner.
Business period.
Closing prayer.

Soft Drink Parlors Closed

Crown Point, Ind., Dec. 7.—(United Press)—Fourteen soft drink parlors in Gary and four in East Chicago are closed today with legal padlocks on the doors.

Judge Miles Norton has ordered the parlors closed for violations of the liquor law as the result of hearings conducted here.

Seventy abatement cases were heard during the last two weeks, the others being either dismissed or continued.

Contractor Likely To Lose \$4,080 Due To Error By Surveyor

Fort Wayne, Ind., Dec. 7.—Refusal of county officials to pay a claim of \$4,080, which was expended by the contractor, Ray L. Harris, in addition to the contract price for the construction of a section of the Maysville road, brought out the fact yesterday that Harris stands to lose the amount.

Harris submitted a bid of \$10,769.75 for the work on specifications calling for 30 yards of concrete. The job required 300 yards.

A. W. Grosvenor, county surveyor, it is claimed, is responsible for the error in the specifications. Harris claims that he was told to go ahead with the work, and that the error would be corrected so that he could secure payment.

The error was not corrected and the commissioners never were asked to increase the contract price to cover the difference. In addition, the total amount of the claims filed for the work, \$14,769.75, is several hundred dollars higher than the estimate originally made by the viewers. The contract, therefore, could not have been legally let in the first place on such a basis, the commissioners point out.

Harris is the contractor who built the Decatur-Fort Wayne road north of this city to the Allen county line last summer.

BIRTH
Announcement has been received here of the birth of a nine-pound boy baby to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Weissling, of Findlay, Ohio. Mrs. Weissling is a daughter of Mrs. M. Fullenkamp, of this city.



There will be a regular business session of Blue Lodge Masons Tuesday night December 8, at the Masonic hall at 7:30 o'clock. Election of officers for year will be held. All members are urged to attend.

John Dickerson, W. M. 31.

Notre Dame To Have Two Grid Captains Next Year

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 7. — (United Press)—Notre Dame will have two red-haired captains of its football team next year. A tie vote was cast last night with Gene Edwards, quarterback of Green Bay, Wis., and Tom Hearadon of Weston, W. Va., receiving the same number of votes. The two men will rotate the duties of captain.

Professional Grid Player Dies Of A Broken Neck

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 7. — (United Press)—Paul McConville, member of the professional Frankford Yellowjackets football team, died from a broken neck received in a game against the Sumnerdals A. A. He was hurt making a flying tackle and was rushed to the hospital where doctors said his death must have been instantaneous.

Series Of Holdups Net Criminals More Than \$1,000

Indianapolis, Dec. 7. — (United Press)—Police today are seeking to clear up a series of holdups and robberies which, during the last 24 hours, netted criminals more than \$1,000.

Whether your hair is bobbed or long, it will turn your troubles into song. Bobbed Hair—Latin Club Benefit. Adams—Tuesday, Dec. 8. 1t

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By Thousands of
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Loot valued at more than \$600 was taken by yeggs who cut a six-inch hole in the window of a pawnshop in order to reach the jewelry and watches on display.

The remainder of the loot was obtained in a series of small burglaries and holdups.

In the drive against crime in Indianapolis, 47 new policemen tonight will take up their work here.

Youth Killed In Effort To Beat Train To Crossing

Gary, Ind., Dec. 7.—(United Press)

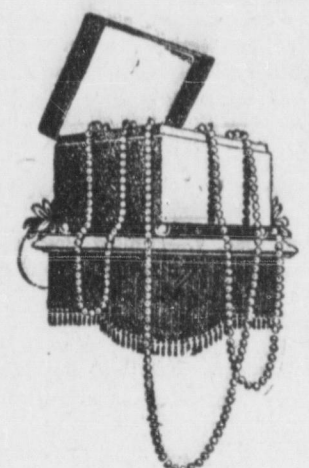
—Virgil Oatout, 18, is dead here today as the result of attempting to beat an electric train to a crossing in a grocery truck.

The truck stalled on the tracks and Oatout was almost instantly killed.

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