

# SOCIETY

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## Naturalistic Flowers Return to Smart Coat Collars

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.—(U.P.)—The importance of costume accessories hardly be overestimated this winter and this is by no means a local condition. Here is a report from Paris which has many interesting aspects:

"Accessories are important this winter in Paris, and foremost among them are naturalistic flowers. Pink roses, white or pink or turquoise gardenias, carnations, orchids, clusters of white violets, have been seen nestled into the collar of coat collars. At any smart gathering, four out of 10 women wear these flowers and one is apt to see three roses in a collar on one single modest dress. Some of the white pink roses persist with black suits, and they are far outnumbered by the others which imitate the actual flowers as closely as possible.

They face veils are much worn, and of them flaring and just covering the eyes; but a few newer aspects, are of simple mesh meshed across the forehead in a slight slant, so that they do not cover the eyes but do veil the face. They are worn mostly with black beret shawls that are tilted to the head to show the hair.

We note the increasing importance of pull-on gloves that are really looking. By this is meant gloves of antique whose seams are either hand-stitched or at least the cuffs are much wider than they used to be, so that their whole aspect gets away from the time, thin gloves fashionable a year ago. In length, the longer these gloves are the smarter, up to 12-button, although the majority are six or eight. Worth's 12 button ones, of dark brown antelope hand-stitched, are seen, but white is the favorite at present, and after white, the nude tones and black.

The primary department of the Evangelical Sunday School will meet in the church to practice for the Christmas program, Tuesday evening after school. All children of that department are urged to be present.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Monroe Methodist Episcopal church will meet Wednesday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock at the home of Mrs. Alice Meyers.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Salem M. E. Church will sponsor a chicken supper in the Kimbly school house, Friday evening, beginning at six-thirty o'clock. A bazaar will also be held in connection with the supper.

Mrs. Harold Smith will entertain the Delta Theta Tau Sorority with a social meeting at her home Thursday evening at six-thirty o'clock.

**GUESTS ENJOY AFTERNOON AFFAIR**  
Mrs. James Elbertson was hostess to several of her friends, Saturday afternoon at her home on Jefferson street. During the afternoon several games of bridge were played, at which prizes were won by Mrs. Charles Keller of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. John S. Peterson of this city.

At the conclusion of the games the guests found their places at the large dining table, which was arranged with crystal and gold. The table was centered with a beautiful bouquet of bright colored flowers, yellow predominating. A delicious two course luncheon was served at six o'clock by the hostess.

**ENTERTAINS GUESTS WITH EVENING DINNER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul V. Edwards entertained with a six o'clock dinner, Sunday evening, at their home on Adams street. The guests for the pretty evening affair included Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson and Mrs. James Elbertson of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keller of Fort Wayne.

**ENTERTAINS AT SUNDAY DINNER**  
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Annen entertained with a dinner at their home on West Monroe street Sunday noon. Covers were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Macy, daughter Mary, and son C. D. Macy, Dick Graber, and Mr. and Mrs. Annen.

**ANNOUNCEMENT MADE OF SECRET MARRIAGE**  
Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Ruby Sipe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Sipe of Blue Creek Township, and Gerald Brodbeck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brodbeck.

**CLUB CALENDAR**  
**Monday**  
Pythian Sisters Lodge, K. of P. Home 7 p. m.  
Woman's Club, Library Hall, 7:45 p. m.  
Bona Tens Club, Mrs. Charles Omor, 7:30 p. m.  
Research Club, Mrs. A. R. Fiedler, 2:30 p. m.

**Tuesday**  
Zion Reformed G. M. G., church parlors, 7 p. m.  
South Ward P-T meeting, South Ward School 3:15 p. m.  
Evangelical Primary Department practice, church parlors 3:30 p. m.  
C. L. of C. K. of C. Hall 7:30 p. m.  
Zion Reformed W. M. S. church parlors, 2:30 p. m.  
Pythian Needle Club, K. of P. Home 2:30 p. m.  
Young Matron's Club, Mrs. Dave Campbell 7:30 p. m.  
Tri Kappa sorority, postponed.  
Tuesday Night Club, Mrs. William Huffman, 7:30 p. m.  
North End Bunco Club, Mrs. Dwight Kimble, 8 p. m.

**Wednesday**  
M. E. Standard Bearers, Miss Mary McIntosh, 7:15 p. m.  
U. B. Women's Missionary Association, Mrs. Earl Cridler, 2 p. m.  
Historical Club Mrs. W. F. Beery 2:30 p. m.  
Frivoly Club, Mrs. Dick Burd, 7:30 p. m.  
Ladies Shakespeare Club, Mrs. Dan Sprang, 2:30 p. m.  
Salem M. E. Ladies Aid Society, Mrs. Alice Meyers, 12:30 p. m.  
Psi Iota Xi business meeting Mrs. Charles Knapp, 8 p. m.  
Zion Lutheran Missionary Society Card Party, school house, 8 p. m.  
Delta Theta Tau Alumni, Mrs. Herb Kern, 7:30 p. m.

**Thursday**  
Monroe M. E. Ladies Aid Society Mrs. Elma Essex, 1:30 p. m.  
Christian Ladies Aid, Mrs. Dora Akey 2:30 p. m.  
M. E. Ever Ready Class Mrs. C. L. Walters, 7:30 p. m.  
Mt. Pleasant Ladies Aid Society Mrs. Francis Fuhrman 2 p. m.  
Methodist Women's Home Missionary Society, Mrs. Fred Mills, 2:30 p. m.

**Friday**  
Delta Theta Tau social meeting, Mrs. Harold Smith, 6:30 p. m.  
Bridge Club Miss Isabel Hower, 8 p. m.  
Presbyterian Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, Mrs. J. L. Ricker, 2:30 P. M.

**Saturday**  
Pocahontas Lodge, Red Men Hall 7:30 P. M.  
Salem M. E. Ladies Aid chicken supper and bazaar, Kimbly school-house, 6:30 p. m.  
Mrs. Harvey Brodbeck of Dierks street in this city.

The marriage took place in Covington, Kentucky, November 12. Mr. Brodbeck has been employed at the foundry in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Brodbeck will make their home in this city.

**CELEBRATES WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**  
Mr. and Mrs. William Noll, living east of Decatur celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary at their home Sunday with a chicken and roast ham dinner. Guests included the children of the honored couple, and following the dinner a social afternoon was enjoyed. Many beautiful gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Noll, and during the afternoon a picture of the celebrating group was taken at the Edwards studio.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Manley and son Donald Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Noll and son Jerry and Miss Ruth Noll of Fort Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Noll and son David of Bluffton, and Mr. and Mrs. William Noll and family.

The Ladies Shakespeare Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Dan Sprang Wednesday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock with Mrs. J. C. Sutton having the afternoon's paper.

The Frivoly Club will meet with Mrs. Dick Burd, Wednesday evening at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Standard Bearers of the Methodist Episcopal Church will meet at the home of Miss Mary McIntosh, Wednesday evening at seven fifteen o'clock.

The Historical Club will meet Wednesday afternoon, December 3

at two-thirty o'clock with Mrs. W. P. Beery on Third street.

**ENTERTAINS AT SUNDAY NOON DINNER**  
Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Coverdale entertained at a one o'clock dinner Sunday afternoon at their home on North Second street, honoring Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hughes of Elgin Illinois and Mrs. Scott Hughes of Fort Wayne. Dr. Hughes is a former member of the Presbyterian church of this city, and sang two vocal solos at the evening services Sunday.

Covers at the dinner were laid for Dr. and Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Scott Hughes, Miss Ruth Macklin, Dr. and Mrs. Coverdale and daughter Mary Madeleine.

After the dinner a social afternoon was enjoyed and Dr. Hughes presented many vocal selections accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Hughes who is an accomplished pianist.

**ENTERTAINS GUESTS AT MILLER'S BEND INN.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bokrecht entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Champlin, Sunday night at six-thirty o'clock with a special three course chicken dinner at Miller's Bend Inn.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. Fred Mills, Thursday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock.

**DECATUR PEOPLE ENJOY DINNER AT BERNE**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Schroek and Dr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Habegger in Berne, Saturday evening, at a dinner given for Mr. and Mrs. Martin Baumgartner of Chicago, Illinois; and R. Festyn Davies, director of the Welsh Imperial Singers.

The famous Welsh male ensemble gave a concert, sponsored by the Berne Chamber of Commerce, in the Community Building and was most enthusiastically received by Berne music lovers. Following the concert, the dinner guests returned to the Habegger home where several more hours were spent in the enjoyment of music.

The Women's Missionary Association of the United Brethren church will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Cridler, Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock.

**HONORS MOTHER ON BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY**  
Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Callow entertained with a delicious turkey dinner, Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Callow's mother, Mrs. Phoebe Rice, who celebrated her eighty-second birthday anniversary. Guests at the dinner included Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Schirmeyer and daughter Vera of Middletown, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Schirmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Callow and son Jimmy. Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Rice were callers at the Callow home during the evening.

The Mt. Pleasant Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Francis Fuhrman Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. At this meeting the annual Christmas exchange will be held.

The Ever Ready Class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School will meet at the home of Mrs. C. L. Walters, Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock. At this meeting the annual Christmas exchange of gifts will take place and each member of the class is requested to bring a twenty-five cent gift. The election of officers will also be held. The assisting hostesses for the party will be the Mesdames W. F. Beery, Dan Tyndall, Virgil Krick, Cash Lutz, Frank Crist, B. F. Franklin, R. A. Adams, Ed. Beery, and James Gattshall. All members are urged to be present.

There will be an important meeting of the Pocahontas lodge at the Red Men's Hall Friday evening at seven-thirty o'clock. All members are requested to be present. A potluck supper will be served after the lodge meeting.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Dora Akey, Thursday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock. A good attendance is desired as important business will be transacted. The ladies who took the vegetable and fruit shredders are requested to return the money for shredders sold or return utensils not sold so that a settlement may be made.

The meetings of the Pythian Sister lodge will be held at seven o'clock on Monday evenings in the K. of P. Home, beginning tonight instead of seven-thirty o'clock, as previously held.

**GUESTS ENJOY SUNDAY DINNER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wicks entertained with an after-Thanksgiving dinner, Sunday, for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wicks of Indianapolis; P. E. Vail of Fort Wayne; H. T. Vail of Chicago, Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sprang and Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Bowen.

**FIRE CONSUMES BARN AND GRAIN**  
Large Barn on John Helm Farm is Burned; Less Estimated at \$3,000

Fire of unknown origin damaged a barn on the John H. Helm farm, located 4 miles east of this city in St. Marys township, Friday night at 8 o'clock with a total loss of \$3,000. The loss included the barn, its contents, and a grainery. It was partly covered by insurance.

Artie L. Jackson, tenant on the farm, went to the barn to feed two cows Friday evening, and upon opening the door noticed the flames. An effort was made by Mr. Jackson and more than 75 volunteer neighbors to save the barn, but the fire was well under way, and soon consumed the building. The two cows were rescued, however, as was the farmhouse and all out-buildings except a grainery.

Mr. Helm and Mr. Jackson stated today that they wished to thank the volunteers who assisted in saving the farm property.

**Minie Rifle Ball**  
A minie ball is a conical rifle bullet with a cavity in its base plugged with a metal cap, which, by the explosion of the charge, is driven farther in, expanding the sides to fit closely the rifling. Such balls were much used in the middle of the Nineteenth century, and are named after the inventor, Capt. C. E. Minie of France.

Get the Habit—Trade at Home.

**Town Talk**

Mr. and Mrs. Conter have returned from a visit in Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Heller and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Heller motored to Indianapolis this morning to attend the reception of Frank Mayr, newly elected secretary of state and Floyd Williamson, state auditor.

Phil Macklin and Dick Boech were business visitors in Anderson today.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moses and children and Mrs. W. S. Hughes of Fort Wayne visited here Sunday, accompanying Dr. Lawrence Hughes of Elgin, Illinois. They were guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. G. Coverdale.

Rev. and Mrs. Harry Fernthell and children returned Saturday evening from a visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

John U. Maynard is in Indianapolis on business today.

I. W. and Christian Macy went to Detroit today where they will install a large conveyor at the Mistletoe plant. The machine was taken there by truck by the D. F. Teagle company.

James Foreman of Blue Creek township called on Decatur friends and attended to business.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gaskill spent Thanksgiving week visiting relatives and friends at Elma Green, their former home. While there they attended the Annual Christian Church Bazaar.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Schirmeyer and daughter Vera returned to their home in Middletown, Ohio, after spending the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Callow.

Miss Martha Moser has returned to Muncie to continue her studies at the Ball Teachers Training College, after spending the Thanksgiving holidays visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moser and friends.

Miss Wilhelmina Schnitz spent the week-end visiting in Fort Wayne, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Baumgartner.

Gerald Somers, and his friend Sherman Schull, students at the University of Chicago, returned to Chicago Sunday after spending the Thanksgiving holidays visiting Mr. Somers' parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Somers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Burk, who spent Thanksgiving Day visiting with their daughter Mrs. Harry Sutton in Akron, Ohio, were accompanied home Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Sutton, who will spend two weeks visiting in this city.

Mrs. M. L. Daniels returned Saturday where she spent several weeks visiting her daughter Mrs. F. C. Mann of Rochester, Minnesota.

Mrs. Jessie Burd, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Burd and son Max were Sunday guests of the John Juday family at Fort Wayne.

The Misses Mary Jane Kunkel and Dorothy Haley, the Messrs. Kenneth Runyon and Sherman Koos spent last evening in Fort

**COURT HOUSE**  
Two Wills Probated  
The Wills of Frederick Augsburger and of Coak Cook were probated this afternoon.

**Flying Doctor of Oklahoma**  
Frederick, Okla. —(U.P.)—Dr. R. L. Fisher, of the Frederick Hospital Clinic, will become the first "flying doctor" in Oklahoma soon. He will solo in a few weeks.

**REDUCTIONS ON FINE APPAREL**  
are much in Evidence

A store crammed with the season's finest merchandise offered to the public at price reductions that make purchasing interesting. You have but to visit our store and see for yourself the wonderful savings we now offer.

**Coats and Dresses**

Hundreds of the season's newest Coats and Dresses; all our regular stock and garments that are worth many times the price we are asking. A world of style and a wealth of materials and colorings backed by the largest assortment in the city. You will never again have the opportunity to purchase garments at savings as attractive as these.

**Save in This Sale**

Gordon Hose, Full line of Millinery, Lingerie, Gloves . . . everything in the store at attractive

**SALE PRICES**

**E. F. Gass & Son**

# SEAL CAMPAIGN OPENED HERE

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The girls of the Commercial department of Decatur high school in preparing the letters mailed today.

The money obtained from the sale of seals will be turned over to Anti-Tuberculosis League over be used in stamping out tuberculosis, and every citizen of this city and Adams county is urged to purchase these seals and health bonds to help the league in its work.

The sale will continue throughout the month of December, terminating on January 1, 1931.

**SPECIAL! Wednesday, Thursday, Friday!**  
Free eye brow arch with every Faradic Current Facial—Tones the muscles—keeps skin radiant and young 75c

**MODERN BEAUTY SHOP**  
PHONE 140  
Peoples Loan & Trust Building—Room 3.

# THE CORT

**Tonight--Tomorrow**  
AN AMAZING MYSTERY ROMANCE  
"RAFFLES"

featuring RONALD COLMAN  
The law fumed, the underworld raged, the public trembled, and Raffles, the arch gentleman thief, laughed—until love brought on a crisis in his career.

"HE TRUMPED HER ACE" Talking Comedy  
Movietone News. 20c-40c  
Wednesday and Thursday—"LAWFUL LARCENY"  
Sunday, Monday, Tuesday—AMOS 'N' ANDY in "CHECK AND DOUBLE CHECK"

# THE ADAMS THEATRE

**TONIGHT and TUESDAY—20c-40c**  
REX BEACH'S Dynamic Story of  
Daredevil Courage..Flaming Love!

**"THE SPOILERS"**  
With GARY COOPER, Betty Compson, Kay Johnson, Wm. Boyd, Harry Green

Single-handed he fights the terrors of the Yukon! Taunted by an infatuated dance-hall beauty—he lets loose his mighty strength against the horde of ruthless despoilers of wild, gold-studded Alaska—against the woman he really loves!

Added—An ALL Talking "OUR GANG" Comedy.  
Wednesday & Thurs.—"THE SILENT ENEMY"—A Picture that the whole family should see!  
COMING—  
BUDDY ROGERS and NANCY CARROLL in "FOLLOW THRU"

SALE NOW ON come in!