

# SOCIETY.

## CLUB CALENDAR

**Union Chapel Young People's Club**  
The Young Peoples Class of the Union Chapel Sunday School met at the home of Elizabeth Cramer for the regular meeting.

Following the program and business, games were played and refreshments were served by the hostesses. The next meeting will be held December 27 at the home of Keith and Janet Brown.

Those present were Violet Brown, Margaret Lautenschlager, Ruth Fleming, Gladys Friend, Lavern Kall, Rev. Miss Hollingsworth, Evelyn Connor, Janet Brown, Mrs. George Cramer, Keith Brown and Elizabeth Cramer.

## ECONOMICS CLUBS

**OLD ANNUAL CLOSING**  
The County Home Economics clubs met recently in the Decatur high school. The meeting was called to order by the vice-president, Mrs. Henry Bauman, the club song was sung and prayer offered by Mrs. E. M. Ray. All clubs of the county answered to the roll call.

A committee for the election of officers was appointed as follows: Mrs. Blum, Mrs. Elzey and Mrs. Grotte. Those nominated and elected were: Mrs. E. W. Busche, president; Mrs. E. M. Ray, vice-president; Mrs. R. W. Rice, secretary; Mrs. Wm. Appelmann, treasurer.

The leaders of the year handed in their final reports to Miss Kent. The reports were very complimentary to the work of the clubs. There were one hundred sixty-six families reported to have made more than three improvements this year. An estimate of the number of pounds of soap reported was 4,255 pounds.

In the twelve clubs of Adams county there is a total membership of 436. Total attendance of the year reached the high mark of 12,096.

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**Society Deadline, 11 A. M.**  
Mrs. Fanny Macy  
Phones 1000 — 1001

**Wednesday**  
Thanksgiving Eve Dance, Elks home, 9 p. m.  
Union Chapel Thanksgiving Market, Chas. Brock store, 9:30 a. m.  
Pleasant Mills M. E. Aid, Thanksgiving dinner and three cent supper, Zion Junior Walthers League, school house, 7 p. m.

**Thursday**  
Eastern Star, regular meeting, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p. m.  
Christian Ladies' Aid, Mrs. James Kitchen, 1:30 p. m.  
Delta Theta Tau business meeting, Miss Flohilda Harris, 7:30 p. m.

**Friday**  
M. E. Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Ed Wicks, 2:30 p. m.  
St. Mary's Twp. Home Economics Club, Mrs. Murray Holloway, 1:30 p. m.

**Monday**  
Saint Rita's Unit, Mrs. Frank Schmitz, 7:30 p. m.  
Woman's Club, Reformed Church, 7:45 p. m.  
Firemen's auxiliary, Mrs. Herman Dierkes, 7:30 p. m.

**Tuesday**  
Ben Hur Lodge, Ben Hur Hall 8 p. m.  
Research Club, Mrs. Kannie Fristoe, 2:30 p. m.

with an increase of 109 in club membership.  
Miss Kent gave an interesting lesson on "In Which Kitchen Do You Live?" Each member was given a chart on which to plan her kitchen and then to count the number of steps she walked while preparing a given menu.

A delicious potluck dinner was served to fifty guests at noon.  
The next meeting is scheduled for the last of March when Miss Kent will return with the second year of the Home Management project.

## GRAYDON DIXON WEDS THURSDAY

Mrs. George Dixon and daughter, Mrs. Nathan Nelson, will leave tomorrow for Corydon, Ind., to attend the wedding of the former's son, Graydon. The wedding of Mr. Dixon and Miss Martha Lee Frederick will occur Thursday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Miss Frederick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick. The couple will reside in

Indianapolis where Mr. Dixon has been associated with the State Highway Commission for the past two years.

The Auxiliary of the Decatur volunteer fire department will meet at the home of Mrs. Herman Dierkes, Nuttman avenue, Monday evening at seven thirty o'clock. All members are asked to attend as new officers will be elected.

The Woman's Club will meet at the Reformed church Monday evening at seven-forty-five o'clock. The Music Department will have charge of the program. A pageant entitled "Women of the Bible" will be presented. The committee is Miss Della Sellemeyer, chairman, Mrs. L. A. Holthouse, Mrs. H. W. Thompson, Mrs. Ralph E. Roop, Miss Arline Becker and Miss Lulu Gerber.

## MRS. ROBERT KRICK HOSTESS TO CARPE DIEM CLUB

Mrs. Robert Krick was hostess to the members of the Carpe Diem club and three guests, Mrs. Albert Beery, Mrs. Sol Lord and Mrs. Merlin Doan Tuesday evening. Mrs. Russell Owens opened the meeting. The club collect was repeated followed by a business meeting. Several new members were received. Plans were made for a Christmas party to be held at the home of Mrs. Charlie Fletcher December 10 at six-thirty o'clock. Tables were arranged for bridge and three games were enjoyed. Club prizes were won by Mrs. Roy Johnson and Mrs. Chester McIntosh; guest prizes, Mrs. Sol Lord and Mrs. Albert Beery. A luncheon in keeping with Thanksgiving was served at the close of the games.

## JOLLY WORKERS CLASS HAS THANKSGIVING SUPPER

The Jolly Workers class of the United Brethren Sunday school met with the Misses Helen and Hilda Williams for a Thanksgiving supper Tuesday evening. After the supper the class attended the glee club program at the high school auditorium. Those present were Mrs. Clarence Drake, Eloise Millisor, Bernita Lytle, Eldora Baker, Dorcas Hoagland, Helen and Hilda Williams, Mrs. Franklin and daughters Estella and Naomi Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Deitch and son, and Mrs. Jesse Williams and son Donald.

## OYSTER SUPPER ENJOYED BY YOUNG PEOPLE

The young people of Beulah Chapel church enjoyed an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dorothea Shady Tuesday evening. Thanksgiving appointments were carried out. Thanksgiving baskets centered the tables with tall orange tapers on either side. A small turkey marked the place of each guest.

Covers were laid for twenty-nine. After supper games were enjoyed. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Fuhrman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arnold, Catherine Ehrman, Gladys McBride, Vearl and Vereia Heller, Fern Passwater, Georgia Yaney, Irene Girod, Mary and Elizabeth Fuhrman, Dorothy, Miriam and Birenetta Hoffman, Glaravina Sullivan, Robert Henchen, Ralph Spade, Donald and Leo Hoffman, Arnold, Donald and Billy Shady, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Arnold, Vivian Paul Arnold and Mr. and Mrs. Dorothea Shady.

## MRS. DAN SPRANG HOSTESS AT TURKEY DINNER

Mrs. Dan Sprang of North Second street entertained Tuesday with a turkey dinner for a number of her friends. Covers were laid for Mrs. W. F. Beery, Mrs. Dee Lewton, Mrs. John Nelson, Mrs. Giles Porter, Mrs. Ross Maloney, Mrs. Ed Wicks, Mrs. Arthur Suttles, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sprang.

## AFTERNOON CLUB ENJOYS LUNCHEON

The Tuesday Afternoon club enjoyed a luncheon at the Rice Hotel Tuesday noon as the guests of Mrs. Albert Mutschler. A handkerchief shower was held honoring Mrs. Charles Champlin who will leave Monday for her new home in Mason City, Iowa. Two tables of bridge were formed after luncheon at the Mutschler residence. Prizes were given to Mrs. Harry King and Mrs. Brice Butler. The entertaining rooms were made attractive with fall flowers.

Saint Rita's Unit of Catholic Action will meet with Mrs. Frank Schmitz Monday evening at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. James Kitchen Friday afternoon at one-thirty o'clock. The ladies are asked to bring needles for knitting comforts.

## PERSONALS

A. L. Colchin, who has charge of the carpenter work in the constructing of ECW Camp No. 10 at Mitchell Indiana arrived home yesterday to spend Thanksgiving with his mother.

Mrs. H. A. Thomas has returned from Princeton, Ill., where she visited her sister, Mrs. F. J. Swanson and family for the past ten days.

Mrs. John Habegger, daughter of Rufine and son Milton and Mrs. Jacob Habegger of route 1, Monroe, were visitors in Decatur Tuesday.

Miss Mary Grace Zimmerman, student at Earlham College, Richmond, will arrive in Decatur today to spend Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Zimmerman. She will be accompanied by Miss Marie Meek of Los Angeles, Cal., who also attends the college.

Miss Idora Lough of Sturgis, Michigan will arrive home this evening to spend Thanksgiving and the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lough.

Miss Anne Winnes, teacher at Helmsburg, Ind., will arrive in Decatur this evening to spend Thanksgiving vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Shroll and granddaughter, Jane Ann, will leave this evening for Richmond, Ind., to spend Thanksgiving with their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Zwick.

Miss Vera Porter, who is attending Ball State Teachers' college, will arrive this afternoon to spend Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Porter.

Miss Naomi Butler of Cincinnati will be the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Harry Butler, over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Zwick and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Freeby and family will spend Thanksgiving with Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Zwick at Richmond, Ind.

Rev. C. M. Prugh will leave Thursday morning for Dayton where he will join Mrs. Prugh and daughter who have been visiting there since Sunday. On Saturday Rev. Prugh will officiate at the wedding of his brother Harold H. and Miss Janice Fry, both of Dayton. The ceremony will be performed in the Grace Methodist Episcopal church at seven-forty five o'clock.

Mrs. Walter Gladfelter was awarded the turkey given away by the Delta Theta Tau sorority Tuesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller will leave this evening for Cleveland where they will be the guests of their niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stauffer. They will re-

turn Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. Guy Brown and son William will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Brown's daughter, Mrs. J. C. Mills of Pittsburgh.

Clark William Smith of Cincinnati University will arrive home today to spend Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith.

David Kunkel of Cincinnati University will spend Thanksgiving vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Kunkel of Monmouth. Mrs. John Peterson went to Fort Wayne this morning to spend Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Keller.

Miss Eva Dorwin returned this noon to her home in Lafayette after a several weeks visit at the Fred Smith residence.  
Walter J. Bockman of Hines Hospital is reported to be getting along very well.

## COURT HOUSE

**Real Estate Transfers**  
William H. Teeple et ux to Department of Financial Institutions, 40 acres of land in Saint Mary's township for \$300.

Nellie M. Eady et al to Beatrice M. Gilpin, south half of in-lot 900, Decatur, for \$25.

Edgar Mutschler et al to Martin J. Smith, part of section 16 in Washington township for \$12,500.

**Marriage Licenses**  
Miss Laverna Habegger, Berne, to Jack R. Parr, preeseer, Berne R. 2.

Mrs. Luella Schueler Hoffman, Decatur, R. 1, to Harold Tieman, farmer, Decatur, R. R. 2.

Miss Esther Walter, Decatur R. R. 4, to Eldon J. Paul, truck driver, Celina, Ohio.

**Error in Report**  
Through an error the amount allowed the county assessor for appraising the estate of Mary N. Reiff for inheritance tax purposes was recently published as \$86.44. The amount should have been \$8.44.

## BLAME GANG IN

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said the car had contained a man and a woman.

The girl held here talked freely when she first was admitted to the hospital, interspersing her story with epithets against "Tony," but refused to divulge further information today after pain from her wounds had been eased.

The holdup gang stopped at an Indianapolis hotel last Friday night according to the girl's statement to local authorities.

"Tony" and his gang members left on a week-end trip Saturday and did not return until Monday morning, she said.

She asked "Tony" if he had been in Anderson after reading newspaper accounts of the policeman slaying and was beaten and shot, she said.

Leaving Indianapolis yesterday, the group came to Vincennes according to her story.

She said she left "Tony" and his gang in a local restaurant and faintly a few blocks away.

The gang has committed robberies and burglaries in Indiana, Illinois, and Missouri in recent months, disposing of the loot through a "fence" in Chicago, she said.

## WILL OBSERVE

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Children—"Prayer Song"  
Fourth grade — "Thanksgiving Song"

Sermon—Rev. Brunner.  
First and second grades — "Thanksgiving Song"

Third and fourth grades—Closing song, "Thanksgiving Feast."  
Benediction—Rev. Brunner.

**South Ward**  
Children—Entrance march and song "Onward Christian Soldiers" accompanied by Miss Effie Patton.

Children—"America"  
Prayer — The Rev. Charles M. Prugh, pastor of Zion Reformed

church.  
Children—"Prayer Song"  
Sermon—Rev. Prugh.  
Children — Song, "Come Thou Almighty King"

Children — Thanksgiving song, "Thanksgiving Day"  
Children—Doxology.  
Benediction—Rev. Prugh.

**Central**  
Accordion solo—Irene Light.  
Thanksgiving play — "Scotch Grace". Characters:

"Mabel"—Peggy Gaunt  
"Father"—John Stoner  
"Mother"—Jean Zimmerman  
"Scotch Fairy"—Barbara Jeanne Duke

"Moon Beam"—Helen Kelly  
"Stairway Twink"—Margaret Ritter.  
"Pearl Dew"—Maxine Smith

Pianist—Irene Light.  
Talk—The Rev. M. W. Sundermann, pastor of the Evangelical church.

Mixed chorus composed of boys and girls glee clubs of high school — "Now Thank We All Our Gods" and "Pilgrims."

## ROAD LETTING

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James Elbertson, Carl Pumphrey, Jess Rice, J. H. Heller, Fred T. Schurger, and others.

The statement was made by farmers who sold and donated right-of-way for the road that if a concrete road "could not be built they did not want any." They stated that the promise had been made that a cement road would be constructed.

The state highway officials explained their hands were tied, as long as they accepted federal grants for the building of the road.

## Authorities Probe War Veteran's Death

Red Bank, N. J. Nov. 27 — (UP)— Authorities investigating the mysterious slaying of John H. Blanford, 40, war veteran and gardener whose

body was discovered in his cottage on the magnificent estate of Mrs. J. Amory Haskell, widow of a general motors executive, believed today an arrest was imminent.

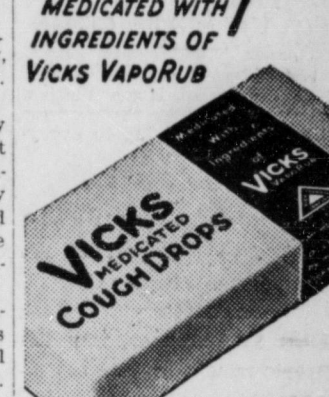
Police sought to establish a jealousy motive. Circumstances indicated Blanford was killed by a woman.

So far four persons have been questioned. Today all sixty employees of the Haskell estate will be questioned.

## Youth Is Fined For Passing Street Car

Fort Wayne, Ind., Nov. 27—Hurrell Parr, 22, was fined \$25 and costs yesterday for passing a street car while it was discharging passengers. Parr was arrested Sunday night after his car had run down Waldemar Frotriede, 15, as the youth stepped from a street car.

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