

# IN SOCIETY

## LITERATURE SECTION

### PRESENTS MISS PITTENGER

Miss Martha Pittenger, instructor of the English department of South Decatur high school, Fort Wayne, spoke to the members of the Woman's club in the court room Monday evening. The subject of her lecture was "The Art of Living Together," which was being instructive, witty and added greatly to the enjoyment and the program was enjoyed by all members present.

Next Monday evening the Music section will present the Scottish song choir of Fort Wayne, at the Zion Reformed church at seven o'clock.

All members are asked to be present at the church basement at seven o'clock to vote on changes made in the constitution. This is the final meeting of the club and every member is urged to attend.

### MRS. DOYLE LYTLE HONORED WITH PARTY

Mrs. William Lytle was hostess to a group of friends Saturday evening at her home at 928 Nuttman avenue, honoring Mrs. Doyle Lytle, who was formerly Mrs. Marie Biehn. The party was in the form of a linen shower and the honored guest was presented with many lovely gifts.

Games were enjoyed and a delicious luncheon was served at small tables at the close of the evening. A color scheme of green and yellow was used.

The guests included the honored guest, Mrs. Lytle, the Misses Esther DeHolt, Mary Jane Schafer, Rose Elzey, Helen Bowers, June Miller, Ann West, Dolly Chronister, Allen Porter, Mary Hurst, Ruth Fleming, Lorena Reppert, and the Misses Hilda Gaunt, Jess Edgell, David Neil, Albert Miller and Homer Templin.

There will be a regular stated meeting of the order of Eastern Star at the Masonic hall Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Standard Bearers class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will meet with Mrs. Delton Passwater Thursday evening at seven o'clock.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Walter Gladfelter Friday evening at seven-thirty o'clock. The place of meeting was changed from the Legion home because of repairs being made there. This will be a social meeting and the hostesses are Mrs. Gladfelter,

## CLUB CALENDAR

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

### Tuesday

C. L. of C. pot luck supper and card party, K. of C. hall, 6:30 p. m.  
Central P.T.A. school 2:45 p. m.  
W. C. T. U., Mrs. Delton Passwater.  
Tri Kappa Inspection, Elks Home 6:30 p. m.  
Psi Iota Xi, Mrs. Floyd Grandstaff, 6:30 p. m.  
Zion Junior Walther League 7:30 p. m.  
Delta Theta Tau business meeting, Miss Marceline Gage, 7:30.

### Wednesday

Frivolity club, Mrs. Adrian Baker 7:30 p. m.  
Mt. Pleasant Bible class, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Susdorf, 8 p. m.

### Thursday

Commonwealth study club, K. of C. hall, 7:45 p. m.  
M. E. Standard Bearers, Mrs. Delton Passwater, 7 p. m.  
Eastern Star, regular stated meeting, Masonic hall, 7:30 p. m.  
M. E. Ladies' Aid, church, 2:30 p. m.  
C. L. W. class, Miss Johanna Dailey, 7:30 p. m.  
So Cha Rea club, Mrs. Dan Zeser, 7:30 p. m.

### Friday

Pocahontas Lodge, Red Men's hall, 7:30 p. m.  
American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Walter Gladfelter, 7:30 p. m.

### Saturday

Cafeteria supper and parcel post sale, M. E. church, 5 to 7 p. m.  
Rummage sale, Zion Reformed church basement, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m.

Mrs. Tillman Gehrig, Mrs. Harry Miller and Mrs. Fred Uhr.

The E. L. C. E. of the Evangelical Sunday school will have a rummage sale in the Hensley building 8:30 a. m.

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The Frivolity club will meet with Mrs. Adrian Baker Wednesday evening at seven-thirty o'clock.

The Pocahontas lodge will meet Friday at seven-thirty o'clock in the Red Men's hall.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Zion Reformed church will

meet in the church parlors this evening at seven-thirty o'clock instead of with Mrs. Henry Graber as formerly announced. Every member is urged to attend and bring a guest.

## RESEARCH CLUB CLOSING WITH GUEST DAY LUNCHEON

The closing meeting of the Research club for the present season was observed at a guest day meeting at the Masonic Hall on North Third street on Monday afternoon, April twentieth.

Sixty members and guests attended the one o'clock luncheon which was served in two delicious courses by the ladies of the Eastern Star. The dining room was decorated with a profusion of spring flowers, while on each table was a single rosebud, the club flower.

Following the luncheon, Mrs. J. R. Parrish, the retiring president spoke words of greeting to the guests and told of the type of work done by the club and listed a few outstanding accomplishments of the year. Ten of the charter members of the club are still members after twenty-two years and were recognized at the meeting. Mrs. C. D. Lewton was commended for perfect attendance for nineteen of the twenty-two years.

Mrs. C. O. Porter, acting program chairman for the afternoon then introduced the guest speaker for the day, Mrs. Ralph Noyer, wife of the Dean of Ball State University. Mrs. Noyer had as her subject, Motion Pictures and their effect upon youth. She discussed the following problems, How do the movies effect youth, how much of what they see do they retain, how do the movies effect their attitudes, how much do they effect their interest, and how does attendance effect the sleep, habits and health of children.

Mrs. Noyer was accompanied from Muncie by Mrs. Donald Rinehart.

Mrs. Fred Smith and Mrs. C. O. Porter were co-chairman of the entertainment committee for the day and Mrs. L. A. Graham was chairman of the refreshment committee.

The fall and winter season of the club will open on September twenty-eight with a social meeting. The officers for next season will be Mrs. Leo Saylor, president, Mrs. C. M. Prugh secretary and Mrs. C. R. Saylor treasurer.

## Adams County Memorial Hospital

Mrs. James S. McCoy, route 1, Monroeville, admitted last night. Mrs. Robert DeVor, Cleveland st., Decatur, admitted yesterday.

Glenn Manlier, 331 North Third street, dismissed Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Geisel and son Robert Lee, route 4, Decatur, dismissed Sunday afternoon.

## ARRIVALS

Franklin Niel is the name of the seven pound, six and one half ounce son born to Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Charles Keller at the Adams county memorial hospital Monday morning at 8:40 o'clock.

## PERSONALS

Remodeling is going forward rapidly at the recently purchased office building of Dr. Palmer Eicher on North Third street. The office which will be modern in every respect, will be occupied in a few weeks.

Mrs. Avon Burk returned Monday evening from Chicago where she visited over the week-end. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. Don Quinn, who will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Merryman for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. France returned this morning from Bradenton, Florida, where they enjoyed the winter. They were accompanied by Dale Hunt.

Mrs. Robert Brennen of Kendallville arrived in Decatur this afternoon.

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## King Infant Dies Of Scarlet Fever

Donald King, 21 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo H. King, died this morning at 4:20 o'clock, at the home of his parents on route 1, Decatur. He was ill one week with scarlet fever.

He was born July 14, 1934, and is survived by the parents and two brothers, Junior and Vaughn.

Private funeral services will be held at the home Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. Jennings of the Hoagland M. E. church officiating. Burial will be in Spring Hill cemetery near Berne. Funeral arrangements are in charge of the Black funeral home.

## Consolidate Suits To Collect Money

Special Judge John Kenner of Huntington, Monday in the Adams circuit court consolidated three suits to collect money for material used in the paving of Second street from O. W. P. Macklin and the board of county commissioners.

The suits were brought by the

## \$3,500 Damage Suit Filed Here

A suit to collect \$3,500 damages has been filed in the Adams circuit court by Raymond L. Jones of Wabash county against William Franklin and Clara Burns.

The suit is the result of an automobile accident in Wabash county, in which Edna Lou Jones was killed. The accident occurred on September 8, 1935. Edna Lou Jones, 19, died December 4, 1935, allegedly from injuries sustained in the accident. A total of \$2,500 is asked for the loss of the services of the girl and \$1,000 for hospital, medical and burial expenses.

Summons was ordered issued to the sheriff of Adams county for the defendants, returnable May 4.

## Postpone Thursday Evening Meeting

The meeting which was to have been held by the South Ward P. T. A. and the Homesteaders at the South Ward school house Thursday evening, as the second in a series of garden classes has been indefinitely postponed because of the number of contagious disease cases in the southern part of the city.

Dr. C. T. Gregory, plant pathologist of the extension department of Purdue University was to have made a talk on plant diseases and their control in the vegetable and flower gardens.

## Markets At A Glance

Stocks: irregularly lower in active trading.

Bonds: domestic issues irregular; U. S. government lower.

Curb stocks: active and lower.

Chicago stocks: irregularly lower.

Call money: 3/4 of 1%.

Foreign exchange: steady and dull.

Cotton: 4 to 6 points higher.

Grains: wheat closed one-half cent higher to one-half lower; corn unchanged to 1/4 higher; oats 1/4 to 1/2 lower; rye 1/4 to 3/4 lower.

Chicago livestock: hogs weak; cattle strong; sheep steady.

Rubber: lower under May liquidation.

Silver Bar at New York: 45 1/2 off 1/4 cent.

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## BEHIND THE SCENES in HOLLYWOOD

By HARRISON CARROLL

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HOLLYWOOD—A weird business, the movies. A Warner Brothers technician short, "Old Glory," shows Francis Scott Key composing "The Star Spangled Banner," but nobody can sing it in the picture. The city of Detroit has an ordinance forbidding a theater to show a film in which the national anthem is sung. Somebody used it in a comedy sequence once, and the lid was clamped down.

The Warner short will get around this by having Donald Woods, the actor who plays Key, recite the words as he composes them, and by having the Hall-Johnson choir hum the music.

The Carole Lombard-Clark Gable business will be watching. They are each other all the time. Both being whimsical that way, they travel about in the once dilapidated Silver which she gave Clark for a valentine present and which he spent \$300 having fixed up.

Is Errol Flynn's face red? At the party given by Frank Shields, the tennis champ, Errol wandered outdoors to the courts, where he saw a slender gray-haired woman batting a ball around. "Wanda play?" she asked, and, wishing to be polite, he consented.

"I'll hit them easy," said Flynn, who is an expert.

A little later, after she had beat him three love games, he quit. The gray-haired woman happened to be Mrs. Maude Bargar-Wallach, who was very nearly champion in 1906.

You Asked Me and I'm Telling You! Mrs. W. H. Wallace, Santa Monica: A lot of people are writing us about Oscar Homolka, who played Oom Paul Kruger in "Rhodes the Empire Builder." Homolka was born in Vienna and is only 33 years old. At 14, he entered the Vienna Dramatic academy and played comedy roles until the war. When it was over, he turned to serious parts and has played in "The Emperor Jones," "Uno and the Paycock" and various other dramas on the continental stage. He has made over 50 films.

the best known, previous to "Rhodes", being "The Dreyfus Case".

Benita Hume's wandering baggage is here at last. The English actress left London so hurriedly to accompany Lady Ashley and Douglas Fairbanks on their yachting trip at year ago that she had to give instructions for her six trunks to be shipped on to her. They never made connections, however, and arrived in Hollywood only now after traveling over a good part of the world.

It could happen only in this screwy business. George Cukor's car wouldn't start the other morning, so he borrowed his butler's, a machine of ancient vintage. He parked it on the M. G. M. lot, and somehow or other, the old 1920 model found its way to the "San Francisco" stage where walls were tumbled on it until nothing but a wheel and a high fender were showing.

Cukor rode home in a studio car that night and his butler now has a new machine.

Heard around the Hollywood beat: Who should drop in on Hollywood but Francis X. Bushman. He's at the Roosevelt and may do a picture before he goes east. Eleanor Whitney's sprained back still bothers her, but she is going through with her routines in "Three Cheers for Love".

The Ritz boys are the biggest attraction the Clover club ever had. Easter night, during their show, the celebs stood in the doorways and filled the aisles between the tables. Loretta Young sent Eddie Sutherland a box of 12 rabbits for Easter. Thelma Todd's old dressing room at Roscoe is now occupied by Betty Healy. Roscoe Karns, Jr., at 15, shoots a golf game in the seventies and is on the Beverly Hills high school team. Ed Perkins writes us from Paris that the French critics are burned up at Lily Pons for moving to New York. Also that Ferdinand, a dead-pan comedian of the Buster Keaton type, has supplanted Maurice Chevalier as the French film favorite.

## TODAY'S PUZZLE—

What English actor received a letter of complaint from a Hollywood club about his swearing in the locker room and responded that the man-agement was showing "middle western provincialism"?

## McNutt Defends F. D. R. Policies

Bloomington, Ind., April 21 — (UP)—Gov. Paul V. McNutt defended the national administration's unbalanced budget in a 7th district Democratic rally here last night.

## Dance Wednesday SunSet.

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