

IN SOCIETY

CLUB CALENDAR

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

Wednesday
Historical Club, Mrs. Earl Butler, 2:30 p. m.
Shakespeare Club, Mrs. George Walton, 2:30 p. m.

Thursday
Woman's Home Missionary, M. E. Church, 2:30 p. m.
Ever Ready Class, Mrs. Frank Crist, 7:30 p. m.

Friday
Woman's Missionary Society, Evangelical Church, 2 p. m.
U. B. Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Earl Crider, 2 p. m.

Saturday
Calvary Ladies' Aid, Mrs. E. W. Jackson, all day meeting.
Union Chapel Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Marion Stults, 1:30 p. m.

Sunday
Presbyterian Missionary Society, Mrs. Ed Engeler, 2:30 p. m.
Women of Moose, Moose Home, 7:30 p. m.

Monday
Women of Moose, Executive Committee, Moose Home 7 p. m.
Monroe M. E. Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Everett Rice.

Tuesday
Work and Win Class, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hower, 7:30 p. m.
Pinochle Club, Mrs. Jess Edgell, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday
St. Rita Study Club, K. of C. Hall after church.
Pocahontas Initiation, Red Men's Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday
Supper, U. B. Church, 5 to 7 p. m.
Zion Reformed G. M. G., Church 2 p. m.

Friday
Rebekah Lodge, Odd Fellows Hall 7:30 p. m.

Saturday
The St. Rita study club will meet at the K. of C. hall Friday evening after church.

Sunday
The ladies' aid of the Methodist Episcopal church of Monroe will meet with Mrs. Everett Rice Thursday afternoon. The annual election of officers will be held at this time. All members are urged to be present.

Monday
Mrs. Fuhrman has birthday anniversary. A number of relatives gathered at the home of Mrs. John Fuhrman Sunday and pleasantly surprised her on the occasion of her birthday anniversary. At noon a delicious pot luck dinner was enjoyed. A social afternoon was spent.

Tuesday
The guests included Mrs. Mat Fritzinger, Mrs. Drusilla Fuhrman and son Norval, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fuhrman and daughters Elizabeth and Mary, Mr. Francis Fuhrman and daughter Jeanette and son Bobby.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fuhrman and daughter Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Foreman and daughters Jean and Esther and Mr. and Mrs. George But-

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cher. Mrs. Fuhrman was the recipient of many pretty gifts. The occasion was Mrs. Fritzinger's birthday anniversary.

SOCIETY PLANS FOR MEETING

An interesting program has been planned for the meeting of the woman's missionary society, to be held at the Evangelical church at two o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Amos Graber will be the leader, with Mrs. Chester Reynolds in charge of the devotionals.

The lesson on "Congo Crosses" will be given by Mrs. Joe Linn. Special music will be furnished by Mrs. Ivan Stucky of Decatur and Miss Gretchen Stucky of Geneva. Mrs. George Lozier will give an account of her trip to Redbird Mission, Beverly, Ky., last summer.

Members are to bring their Lincoln pennies for the mission at this time. A good attendance is desired.

PYTHIAN NEEDLE CLUBS ANNIVERSARY PARTY

Twenty-eight members and two guests attended the meeting of the Pythian Needle club at the K. of P. home Tuesday afternoon. During the business meeting announcement was made that the local chapter, Eureka Temple Number 39, has been instituted 46 years ago Saturday, March 6.

Four of the charter members were present at the meeting yesterday and gave interesting talks. They were Mrs. Belle France, Mrs. Kannie Fristoe, Mrs. James Bain and Mrs. Jesse Burdge.

The ladies were then invited to the dining room, where lovely refreshments in keeping with St. Patrick's day were served by the committee, the Mesdames Giles Porter, Harry Butler and Sam Butler.

Victor Porter closed the afternoon's entertainment with a short program of readings and songs.

SHORT WAVE DIATHERMY IS EXPLAINED AT MEETING

C. L. Eddy of Chicago was present at the business meeting of the Tri Kappa sorority, held at the Elks home Tuesday evening, and explained the theory and process of the diathermy machine which the sorority is purchasing as a gift to the Adams county memorial hospital.

Previous to his talk the routine business was looked after. The next meeting will be a social one March 16. Hostesses will be Miss Eileen Burk and the Mesdames Carl Gerber and Lawrence Linn.

MRS. LITTERER PROGRAM LEADER

Mrs. Ferd Litterer was the program leader at the meeting of the W. M. F. of the Zion Reformed church when it met in the church parlors Tuesday afternoon. "Stewardship" was the subject of the program.

Election of officers was held with the following results: Mrs. C. M. Prugh, president; Mrs. Fred Fruchter, first vice-president; Mrs. Ferd Litterer, second vice-president; Mrs. Forrest Owens, corresponding secretary; Mrs. George Thomas, recording secretary; Mrs. Martin Worthman, treasurer.

Rev. Prugh's mother was a guest at the meeting. Lovely refreshments were served by the committee at the close of the afternoon.

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Swim Star Inspects "Chorines"



When candidates for the marine chorus which will take part in the huge Aquascope featuring the Great Lakes Exposition in Cleveland this summer tried out, Billy Rose, well-known showman, was assisted by Eleanor Holm Jarrett, world champion swimmer, in reviewing the candidates. Rose is in charge of the water pageant and Eleanor will be one of the stars.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher and daughter Nancy of Huntington visited with Frank Schmitz and family here yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry C. Mulder of East Chicago was the overnight guest of Mrs. Ben Duke of Madison street.

Bob Helm and Fred Schulte returned yesterday morning from Indianapolis, where they attended the Indiana Retail Clothiers convention Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Heller, who has been seriously ill at her home on Winchester street, is some better today.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Kalber and Mrs. Gladys Chamberlain spent Tuesday in Indianapolis.

Judge David E. Smith of Fort Wayne visited in Decatur today.

Miss Bernice DeVoss has gone to Vincennes where she is employed in the WPA district office.

The regular meeting of the city council was held last evening.

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LOCAL GROUPS

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schools, clubs and libraries and citizens are requested to present them as gifts, which has been done here.

High School Girl Is Chloroform Victim

Charlottesville, Va., March 3 — (U.P.)—Police of this quiet college town, convinced that pretty Cleo Sprouse was slain by a chloroform killer, today revealed they had two suspects under investigation.

The 18-year-old high school girl's body was found beside the wall of the University of Virginia's ancient cemetery late yesterday. Nearby was a chloroform can and in her mouth was stuffed a rag which chloroform apparently had been poured.

Rapidly developing their case from meagre clues, police said evidence indicated the youthful high school girl may have been slain while on an automobile ride and her body tossed into the cemetery by the killer.

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the former Virginia Held. Her meeting with Crabbe was most unusual. On a steamer coming into Honolulu harbor, she threw a quarter to native divers. Crabbe, who was swimming with them retrieved the coin, liked the looks of the girl who threw it and later secured an introduction at the Royal Hawaiian hotel.

Anita Louise's mother, Mrs. Ann Beresford, is writing a Hollywood play based on some of Anita's early experiences in the movies. Blonde and pretty like her daughter, Mrs. Beresford speaks French and German fluently and also intends to make some translations.

The blood in David Niven's veins couldn't be bluer. On the final settlement of his mother's estate (she was Lady Comyn-Plett) he has received a brooch presented by the Duke of Wellington to his great-great-grandfather, General Weber Smith, just before the battle of Waterloo. The general was killed in the engagement, but the brooch, a gold eagle pendant in a circle of diamonds, has been preserved as a family heirloom.

Along the gossip front: The Assistance league should cash in plenty selling celebrity autographs for charity. Dorothy Peterson, Gale Sondegard, Marjorie Gatonson and Jane Withers sold dozens of their signatures at 25 cents apiece.

The death of Sir Guy Standing profoundly shocks Hollywood. He was a careful dieter, kept himself in condition with a trainer and seemed in the pink of health. Elizabeth Allan sails for England unless a picture deal spoils her plans. She wants to see Husband William O'Brien.

Errol Flynn was afraid of playing in "The Green Light", and it took all the studio's persuasion to get him to do the picture which is a box office smash everywhere. . . . And Akim Tamiroff, who was a comedian for 18 years, is too sick of playing only heavies on the screen.

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Hopkins Deplores Injury To Wayne Coy

Washington, Mar. 3 — (U.P.) — Works progress administrator Harry L. Hopkins has expressed sympathy for Wayne Coy, Indiana state WPA administrator and acting state welfare director, after receiving reports that Coy had been slugged in the state capital. He declined to comment on the alleged attack, however, pointing out that Coy was not acting in his capacity as WPA administrator when the incident occurred.

Lewis Union Steps Into Shoe Industry

Boston, March 3.—(U.P.)—John L. Lewis' committee for industrial organization stepped into the shoe industry today and announced formation of the United Shoe workers of America with a nucleus nationwide membership of 20,000.

Oil Company Heads Plead Not Guilty

Madison, Wis., March 3.—(U.P.)—Thirty three executives of major U. S. oil companies before Judge Patrick T. Stone in U. S. district court today waived reading of federal grand jury indictments and entered pleas of not guilty to charges of violating the Sherman Anti-trust act.

About 30 other indicted oil company executives were expected to enter similar pleas later.

Two federal grand juries here

since May, 1936, have returned indictments against 26 major oil companies and about 70 of their executives. A conspiracy which raised and fixed the price of gasoline was alleged in the first indictment. Another charged existence of a combination controlling jobbers margins and setting uniform jobber policies.

Asks Investigation Of All Auto Dealers

Indianapolis, Ind., March 3.—(U.P.)—Investigation of all automobile dealers in Indiana by the state department of financial institutions to determine whether they should be licensed and regulated was proposed in the house of representatives today by Rep. Michael F. Schaeffer, D., Evansville.

It passed, 72 to 1, and was advanced to the senate.

Hunters Pay More Fine

Bismarck, N. D. —(U.P.)—Violators of North Dakota's game and fish laws paid \$4,017 in fines during 1936, or nearly six times as much as penalties listed in 1935, E. M. Lee, chief game warden, announced.

Students' Health Better

Ravenna, O. —(U.P.)—College students of today are stronger and healthier than they were 10 years ago, believes Dr. A. O. DeWeese, director of the student health service at Kent State university.

Line Adds 10,000 Freight Cars

Philadelphia.—(U.P.)—Construction of 10,000 new freight cars has

been completed for the Pennsylvania Railroad, finishing the most extensive new equipment program in the company's history.

Flood's Effect Lingers

Johnstown, Pa. (U.P.)—This city's loss from the great St. Patrick's Day flood is still mounting, nearly a year after the disaster. A three-story downtown building, weakened by the flood in March of 1936, was razed.

Landon's Nurse 86

West Middlesex, Pa. (U.P.)—"Aunt Molly" Baird, who nursed Governor Alfred M. Landon at birth, has observed her 86th birthday here. The governor visited here last fall while he was campaigning.

IS EPILEPSY INHERITED? CAN IT BE CURED?

A booklet containing the opinions of famous doctors on this interesting subject will be sent FREE, while they last, to any reader writing to the Educational Division, 551 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y., Dept. M-435

Make your Easter appointments early!

Miss Jessie Bienz

Graduate of Warner's Beauty College, is now engaged at the

Gloria Helen Beauty Salon

Cor. 1st & Monroe st. Phone 846 Also at your service. Mrs. Leo Teeple and Mrs. Helen Teeple Foss

Veteran Skipper Wins Race to Open Season



Steamer South Park entering port. To the whaleback steamer, South Park, captained by the veteran skipper, Clyde M. Tobin, went the honor of opening the 1937 navigation season on the Great Lakes. The South Park completed its trip from Detroit to Cleveland with a load of automobiles only minutes ahead of its rival, the William Fitch. The Coralia, under Capt. Elmer A. Massman, who has won the race for many years, was eliminated when the boat was caught in the ice outside Cleveland harbor.

SHOULD BURLESQUE BAR IMPORTED CHORINE?



Herbert Minsky, Strip-tease dancer, Ann Corio, Gypsy Rose Lee. In dressing rooms and backstage of theaters the controversy rages—"Should there be a ban prohibiting European strip-tease artists from displacing the stars of American burlesque?" The issue has even been aired in congress where a legislative committee held a hearing on the ques-

tion. Among the most publicized and highest paid of the strip-tease dancers which burlesque features are Ann Corio and Hinda Wassau. Gypsy Rose Lee is another who amassed a fortune under the tutelage of Herbert Minsky, burlesque impresario, and is now a star of the Ziegfeld Follies.