

# SOCIETY

**CLUB COOK**  
**CLUB HOSTESS**  
 The Happy Home Makers club Friday evening at the home of Gale Cook, with 21 members and two guests, Mrs. William Isch and Mrs. Esther Ehrsam, present. After the opening song, "Home Sweet Home," the president, Mrs. Herman Walters presided over a business meeting. The club decided to meet in the evenings instead of the afternoons. During the social hour, games and refreshments were enjoyed and delicious refreshments served. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. A. Reber.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schultz entertained with dinner at their home Sunday noon honoring the birthday anniversaries of John Schultz and his wife. Present were Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. George Wicker, Paul and Joseph Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Knowlton, Belfountain, Ohio.

**PIFFET SUPPER GIVEN**  
**DGE AND MRS. FRUCHTE**  
 Relatives of Judge and Mrs. Fred Schulte gathered at their home Fourth street Sunday night for surprise party and six o'clock supper. Lovely gifts were presented to the recently married couple. Mrs. Fruchte was formerly as Lulu Gerber of this city. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Reber, son John, daughters Dorothy and Harriett, Mr. and Mrs.

**MIDDLE-AGE WOMEN (38-52)**  
**NEED THIS ADVICE!!**  
 If you're cross, restless, nervous—after hot flashes, dizziness—caused by this period in a woman's life—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound (with added iron). Made especially for women. Thousands upon thousands remarkably helped. Follow label directions. Worth trying!

Carl Gerber and daughters Sarah and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole and children Allen and Nancy, Mrs. Tillman Gerber, David Gerber, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McGriff and daughter Janet of Portland.

Mrs. Ed Ahr will be both hostess and leader when the Historical club meets at her home Wednesday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock.

The women's foreign missionary society of the Nazarene church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ralph Deam Thursday evening at seven-thirty o'clock. A good attendance is desired.

## FAREWELL DINNER FOR JOSEPH J. STEVENS

A farewell dinner was given Sunday at the home of Mrs. Mattie Stevens honoring Joseph J. Stevens, who will leave soon for training camp. A delicious dinner was served and the guest of honor was presented with a number of attractive gifts.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roth and children Alice and Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roth of Paulding, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roth and children Roger, Bobby, Delores of Scott, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Webster and sons Bernon and Bob, Mrs. Wayne Marquart and children Sally and Stanley of Monroeville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Handley and son Ernest of Waveland, Mr. and Mrs. George Mann and sons Junior and Bobby of Tocsin, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smitley and children Dale and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ward and children Helen, Junior and Kathryn, Mr. and Mrs. Bob DeVor and children Jimmy and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Stevens and daughter Kathryn, and the hostess Mrs. Mattie Stevens and children Joseph, Chester, Myrtle, Veda and Donald.

The Pleasant Dale ladies' aid society will have an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Rev. and

## CLUB CALENDAR

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

Research Club, Mrs. C. M. Prugh, 2:30 p. m.

**Pythian Sisters Temple Meeting,** K. of P. Home, 7 p. m.  
 Red Cross Production Center, Legion Home, 12:30 to 4:30 p. m.

**Tuesday**  
 C. L. of C. Business Meeting and Installation of Officers, K. of C. Hall, 7:30 p. m.

Pal Iota XI Business Meeting, Mrs. Richard Macklin, 7:30 p. m.  
 Evangelical Dutiful Daughters, Mrs. Fred McConnell, 7:30 p. m.  
 Tri Kappa Business Meeting, Elks Home, 8 p. m.

**Wednesday**  
 Historical Club, Mrs. Ed Ahr, 2:30 p. m.

Ladies' Shakespeare Club, Mrs. Jesse Rice, 2:30 p. m.

**Thursday**  
 Women's Guild, Zion Evangelical and Reformed Church Social Room, 2 p. m.

Christian Ladies Aid Society, Mrs. Gerald Strickler, 2 p. m.  
 Presbyterian Missionary Society, Mrs. Jesse W. Rice, 2:30 p. m.

Our Lady of Good Council Discussion Group, Miss Helen Heimann, 8 p. m.

Pleasant Dale Ladies' Aid Society All Day Meeting, Mrs. Russell Weller, Walnut St., Decatur, 7:30 p. m.

Monroe Better Homes Club, Mrs. Charles Hinton, 7 p. m.

Circle No. 1. WSCS, Mrs. Homer Lower, 2:30 p. m.

Circle No. 2 of WSCS, Mrs. Leigh Bowen, 2:30 p. m.

Circle No. 3 of WSCS, Mrs. Agnes Andrews, 2:30 p. m.

Circle No. 4 of WSCS, Mrs. Amos Yoder, 2:30 p. m.

**Friday**  
 American Legion Auxiliary, Legion Home, 7:30 p. m.

Red Cross Production Center, Legion Home, 12:30 to 4:30 p. m.

Mrs. Russell Weller of Walnut street, this city.

The meeting of the Dorcas class of the Evangelical Sunday school, which was to have been held at the church Tuesday evening, has been postponed indefinitely.

The ladies' aid society of the First Christian church will meet with Mrs. Gerald Strickler Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

## THE EDWARD ARNOLDS GIVE HOLIDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Arnold of east of the city entertained recently with a delicious chicken dinner with beautiful holiday appointments. The afternoon was spent in

## NIGHT COUGHS

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## Marian Martin Pattern



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## FAREWELL PARTY FOR IRA MCBRIDES

Friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride Thursday evening to give them a farewell party before they move to their new home. Popcorn, apples, candy and cookies were served during the evening.

Present were Mrs. Minnie Jones and daughter Martha and children Anita and Gene, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shout, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Auerad, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yager, Mrs. Abe Schnepf, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Schnepf and family, Ralph Martin Charley Cook, Jay Martin, Arnold Martin, Charles McBride and Juanita McBride.

County commissioner and Mrs. Frank Liniger entertained at Sunday dinner for a number of guests, including Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Croyle, Ancon, Panama Canal Zone, Mrs. Miriam McDonald, Tawanda, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jessup and son Thomas, Milan, Tenn., Mrs. Christena Liniger, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brushweller of Decatur.

The Women's Guild of the Zion Evangelical and Reformed church will meet in the social rooms of the church Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m.

Henry Adler, Mrs. Orval Harruff, Miss Anna Adler and Mrs. Dick Stutzman visited in Markle yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Al Stuffer.

William Voglewede has returned to Chicago to resume his studies in the Loyola university medical school after a holiday visit with his mother, Mrs. Charles Voglewede.

John Terveer and Paul Brunton returned to St. Joseph college, Rensselaer yesterday to continue their studies after a Christmas vacation in their respective homes.

Miss Ella Matschler and her nephew Frederick Schroyer left this morning for Los Angeles, Cal., after a holiday visit here. They were accompanied as far as Columbia, Mo., by Miss Kathryn Shroyer, who returned to Stephens college.

Lewis Smith has returned to Indianapolis after a 10 days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith. He will complete his law course in the Indiana school of law this month.

Joe Rapp and daughter Suzanne of Syracuse stopped here for a short visit yesterday en route to Muncie, where the latter is a student in Ball state teachers college.

Mr. and Mrs. David Adams motored to Indianapolis Sunday, accompanied by Misses Marjorie Miller and Catherine Knapp and Dan Holt-house and Robert Mann, who returned to Bloomington where they are students in Indiana University.

Miss Iris Hebble visited friends in Fort Wayne Wednesday evening and New Year's Day.

Miss Alice Yost left this noon for Oxford, Ohio where she is a student at Western College, after a three weeks' vacation visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Yost and son Bob of North Second street.

Mrs. John J. Jones and daughter Martha and grandchildren Gene and Anita Jones spent New Year's Day with Mrs. Etta Jones of route 3 and with Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride of route 6.

Miss Lavena Frankling of Loami, Ill., has returned to her home after a visit with friends here.

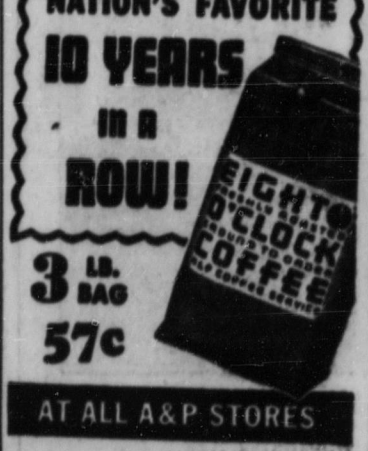
Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Thatcher of Pleasant Mills shopped here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Barkley of Magley were among Saturday's Decatur visitors.

Miss Patsy Garard returned to her home in this city Saturday evening after spending Christmas vacation visiting in Warren, Ohio and Erie, Pa.

Bob Gentis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph O. Gentis of Marshall street, was admitted to the Adams county memorial hospital this morning for the removal of his appendix. He was reported early this afternoon as progressing satisfactorily.

## NATION'S FAVORITE 10 YEARS IN A ROW!



## News From Adams County Youths In Service Of Nation

Private F. C. Junior Drake of Fort Bragg, North Carolina, underwent an emergency appendectomy Sunday night at the Methodist hospital in Fort Wayne. He was on the operating table an hour and 30 minutes. Although gangrene had set in, his appendix had not ruptured and it is thought that he will progress satisfactorily.

Pvt. F. C. Drake is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Drake of North Fifth street and has been home since December 31 on a few days' furlough.

Corp. Curt LaTurner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ross LaTurner of Monroe, left today for Camp Shelby, Miss., after a week's visit. He has been stationed at Camp Shelby since March 10, 1941.

Pvt. First Class Cedric Colchin, of the 39th Engineer Corps at Fort Jackson, South Carolina, will return to camp Saturday after spending a furlough here.

Mrs. Ada Martin stated today that she still had received no word concerning her son, Glen, who was employed as a civilian construction worker at Wake Island when the Jap attack was first made. Various rumors circulating here to the effect that Martin had been reported missing or killed are unfounded.

Lieut. H. V. DeVor, who is stationed in the medical corps at Camp Grant, Illinois, will return to camp Tuesday after a furlough here.

One of the most prized possessions of Lyman L. Hann, Jr., son of the county school superintendent, is a letter which he received recently from Sgt. Maurice Monnier in camp at March Field, Calif. The letter thanks Hann for his part in naming Sgt. Monnier as the winner of a radio given by radio station WOWO. Monnier seems confident of a victory over the Japs.

Pvt. I. A. Kalusa arrived Sunday evening from Camp Shelby, Miss., to spend an eight-day furlough at the home of his brother-in-law and

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## WE-ALL

The Japanese attack on the United States instantly changed our trend of thought in this country.

Before that attack some of us thought in terms of "I", others in terms of "we". Neither of those terms expresses our feelings today.

"I" represents only one person.

"We" may mean only two or a few persons.

Our slogan now is WE-ALL, which means every loyal individual in the United States.

We are facing a long, hard job, but when the United States decides to fight for a cause, it is in terms of WE-ALL, and nothing can or will stop us.

President Roosevelt, our Commander-in-Chief, can be certain that WE-ALL are back of him, determined to protect our country, our form of government, and the freedoms which we cherish.

*John F. Watson*  
 President,  
 International Business Machines Corporation

Here It Is! The Sale Of The Year!

# E. F. GASS

## ANNUAL JANUARY Clearance Sale

Sweeping Reductions on quality merchandise that means tremendous savings to thrifty shoppers. Merchandise will never be lower. Buy while stocks are complete and prices within your reach.

Sale Starts Wed. 8:30a.m.

Over 150 Fall and Winter

# COATS

The greatest Coat savings in years. Our entire stock on sale at big savings. All correctly styled and a good selection of colors and materials.

Coats that sold regularly at \$16.95...	Our regular \$19.95 Coats -- \$12.95 (all 1941 styles)
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All Coats sold regularly at \$59.50, being sold at similar reductions.

# Dresses

2-50 3-75 4-75 6-75

Large selection of other Dresses values to \$8.95—Now Selling \$5.95

One lot Dresses, regular values to \$7.95, Your choice \$2.00

Our Better Dresses, include Levine, Bloomfield, Mme Renault, Clever Lasse and Smartly Juniors, sold at 10.95 to 19.75, now 6.95 7.95 8.95 10.95 12.95

HATS	Blouses	One lot Glitter Mitts and Caps to match, \$1 value, ideal for skating.
Your choice of entire stock Fall Hats at values to \$6.00.	One lot Blouses, \$1.98 and \$2.98 value, closing out	
89c \$1.39	\$1 \$1.50	59c

MANY OTHER ITEMS IN OUR STORE AT DRASTIC REDUCTIONS.

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the United States has it been so important that you and I and everybody attend strictly to production and do it as safely as possible.

You can help in this endeavor. What are you doing to assist in the prevention of accidents everywhere? It's smart to be careful.

## MARKETS AT A GLANCE

Stocks irregular in moderate trading.  
 Bonds: irregularly higher. U. S. governments irregular.  
 Curb stocks: mixed.  
 Chicago stocks: irregular.  
 Cotton up as much as 80 cents a bale.  
 Grains: wheat off 1/2 cent. Corn steady.  
 Chicago livestock: hogs, cattle and sheep strong.

Trade in a Good Town — Decatur

## PUBLIC SALE

I have sold my farm and will sell at public auction on the farm 1 mile west of Van Wert, Ohio, on Road 224 then 1/2 mile south on

### TUESDAY, January 13, 1942

Commencing 12:00 Noon E.S.T. Promptly  
 12—HEAD OF CATTLE—12  
 Guernsey cow 3 yr. old calf by side; Guernsey heifer will freshen by day of sale; Registered Holstein heifer, due to freshen Feb. 17th; 4 yearling Guernsey heifers: 1 Brown Swiss yearling heifer; 1 Brown yearling heifer; 1 Red yearling heifer; 1 Roan yearling heifer; 1 Steer; These cattle are fat and in the best of condition. 1 Registered Holstein cow, 4 years old.

— HOGS AND SHEEP —  
 1 Chester White sow; 3 Chester White gilts; 2 Hampshire sows, bred; 11 Feeding hogs about 80 lbs. or better; 10 extra good 3 yr. old Shropshire ewes due to lamb in March; 12 yearling Shropshire ewes due to lamb in February. These ewes are all of the very best quality; 1 yearling Shropshire Buck; 1 yearling Shropshire Buck, Registered.

POULTRY—170 Big English White Leghorn pullets, laying good. DOG — Shepherd Stock Dog.

— GRAIN AND HAY —  
 500 bu. of good solid yellow corn; 200 bu. Silver Mine oats, suitable for seed; 500 bu. Dunfield Soya Beans; 8 ton good alfalfa hay; 30 bales Soya Bean straw; 40 Fodder shocks.

TRACTOR AND IMPLEMENTS  
 Massey Harris Model 81 tractor on rubber, bought new last spring, been used very little; Tractor Disc; Papec 13 inch hammer mill with elevator and sacker in the very best of condition; 1 all steel, welded rubber tire wagon with box; 1 heavy lifting jack; drive belt; loading chute for stock truck; First class two wheel trailer with 16" bed and stock rack; Seed sower; land drag; 800 lb platform scales; Good Cider press; post auger; DeLaval No. 15 electric power cream separator; Electric sausage grinder; 2 gal. lard press; Iron kettle; Fence stretcher; McDeering corn sheller, new; 3 large chicken feeders, small feeders, all new; 5 gal. drinking fountain & small fountains; 7 shovel cultivator; Castrating instrument; Pruner; Cider barrels; Grain sacks; small tools and articles too numerous to mention. Also some Household Goods, Cupboard, Wardrobes, etc.

TERMS—Cash.  
 Sale will be held inside if weather is bad.

**CHRIST MERKLE, Owner**  
 Roy S. Johnson & Son, Auctioneers.  
 J. D. Giesler, Clerk.