

SOCIETY

LUNCHEON TO BE AT MASONIC HALL

Members of the Ladies Shakespeare club will close their year's work with a luncheon in the Masonic hall at 1 o'clock Wednesday. Mrs. Milo Black, chairman of the social committee, will present her brother, Laurence F. Meyers of Fort Wayne, who will talk on and demonstrate his favorite hobby, papier-mache work. Meyers became interested in this hobby while serving in the U. S. Army in Italy. The musical program will be given on the vibraphone by Mrs. James Kocher, Jr. Other members of the social committee are: Mrs. Fred Smith, Mrs. D. E. Erwin, Mrs. Franklin Frantz, Mrs. Stuart Brightwell, Mrs. Phillip Macklin and Mrs. Dan Tynall.

MRS. AMOS KETCHUM IS RECENT HOSTESS

Mrs. Amos Ketchum was hostess to the Decatur Garden club members and guests, Mrs. William Affolder and Mrs. Vernon Custer, at the Ketchum home Tuesday afternoon. After Mrs. Don MacLean, president, called the meeting to order, the club collected and the verse of the month were read in unison. Mrs. Delton Passwater, assisted by Mrs. Fred McConnell, gave a memorial for Mrs. Amos Yoder. Twenty members answered roll call by naming the first flower she had found blooming in her garden. An invitation was then extended to the members to attend the convention at Muncie, April 24 and 25. Mrs. Don Lutes, leader, concluded this period of the evening by giving a demonstration on flower arrangements.

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Coming—Danny Kaye, as a Circus Clown, "Merry Andrew."

During the social hour, Mrs. Ketchum, assisted by Mrs. Lutes, served refreshments.

FESTIVAL TO BE HELD APRIL 25 AT SCHOOL

April 25, a fine arts festival will be held at the Decatur high school auditorium. As in the past there will be an adult art display. Anyone from Decatur or the vicinity is invited to enter any piece of art work that they might have. The festival isn't limited, however, to art alone. On that particular evening, the band and choir will also perform for the public. Miss Kathryn Kauffman, art teacher at the Decatur high school, has asked that if anyone has an art creation, perhaps in oil, water color, or ceramics, although any art work will be accepted, he should contact her before Monday. She can be reached at number 3-3450 after school hours.

ORGANIZATION PLANS A CARRY IN SUPPER

It was discussed at the Bobo community organization's business meeting to have a carry-in supper in honor of the children May 2. This, along with choosing a committee to serve the meals to the election board, was the major item of business discussed at the group's Monday session.

"America the Beautiful" and "Faith of Our Father," were songs the members sang in opening the meeting. The Rev. Hubert Baker then took the floor and gave devotions.

A trio, including Dickie Sprunger, played several numbers on the accordion prior to the talk presented by the guest speaker of the evening, Ken Eliasson, Swedish exchange student. Ken's speech was based on his home country, Sweden.

A brief business period ended the meeting.

DO YOUR BEST CLASS MEETS THURSDAY NIGHT

The Do Your Best class of the Trinity Evangelical United Brethren church met in the church Thursday evening. Mrs. John Gage at the piano and Mrs. Nina Light leading the group in singing the hymns "This is My Father's World," and "Did You Think to Pray," opened the meeting for the group. Mrs. Georgia Foughty then had the devotions and Mrs. Fannie Hitchcock led the members in prayer.

A portion of her trip from Rome, Italy, to Egypt was presented by Mrs. John Gage during the special portion of the meeting. Reports were also given concerning the 41 cards sent out and 28 calls.

An election of officers was held and the results are as follows: president, Mrs. Ralph E. Roop; vice president, Mrs. Frank Fisher; secretary, Mrs. Frank Bohne; assisting, Mrs. Bertha Hakey, treasurer, Mrs. Mable Reed; flower committee, Mrs. Roy Taylor and Mrs. Earl Cider; pianist, Mrs. Gage; assisting, Mrs. Homer Bittner, choirster, Mrs. Light, and assisting Mrs. Day Weldy. Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. Light, Mrs. Ira Bodle and Mrs. Blanche Mumma.

Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the executive board of the Decatur Woman's club will meet at the Youth and Community Center.

A mother and daughters banquet will be held at the Salem Evangelical and Reformed church at Magley May 8 promptly at 6:30 o'clock. The dinner will be followed by a program. Tickets for the affair must be purchased on or before April 27 from one of the following committee members: Mrs. Arthur Adams, Mrs. LeRoy Koltner, Mrs. Richard Conrod, Mrs. Darrell Arnold, Mrs. Ed Blumh, Mrs. Gierhart Witte, Mrs. Russell Moser, and Mrs. Lester Cowens.

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JUDGE PARRISH IS RE-ELECTED PRESIDENT

Judge Myles Parrish, who has just completed one year as president of the Lincoln school P.T.A., was unanimously re-elected to that position at the monthly meeting Thursday evening. Other officers elected for the coming year were Mrs. David Heller, vice president; Mrs. Hollis Bonifas, secretary, and David Kaye, treasurer.

President Parrish opened the meeting, and the benediction was given by Chalmers Bollenbacher. After the reading and accepting of the minutes and committee reports, the meeting was turned over to W. Guy Brown, superintendent of Decatur schools for the election. The report of the nominating committee was given by Bryce Thomas. There being no further nominations from the floor, the nominees were unanimously elected.

Judge Parrish thanked the large crowd present for the vote of confidence, and pledged to continue to make the Lincoln P.T.A. a vital part of the school program. The program was then turned over to Clint Reed, director of instrumental music in the Decatur schools, for the evening entertaining.

Reed directed the junior band in a varied and enjoyable program. The first number was the "Watching Song" by Edward Greig. Following that was a ballad number, featuring Sherry Winters as ballarina, accompanied by Kay Wynn at the piano, and the band.

Versatility and range of the saxophone was the next feature of the program, as three different saxophone solos were given by Karen Grice, Polly Bonifas and John Heimann. They were accompanied by Joe McNeerney on guitar and Roger Conrad on drums.

The percussion section took over next with "The Big Drum Boogie," and the program was concluded with the march, "Our Director." Refreshments were served by Mrs. Robert Shraluka and Mrs. Chalmers DeBoit assisted by Mrs. David Myers, Mrs. Homer Tschannen and Mrs. A. B. Harvey.

In the halls and on the walls of the auditorium were several pictures from the various classes in the Lincoln school, featuring the best in Lincoln art.

Members of the Psi Iota Xi sorority are reminded of the square dance that is to be held at the Youth and Community center Tuesday at 7:45 o'clock.

Members of the Monroe Women's Christian Temperance Union are to visit the Adams county home Thursday afternoon. Each is to bring cookies and meet at the Monroe Methodist church, at 2 o'clock on the set day.

A special meeting has been called by the Adams county coon hunters club for Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. The group is to meet at the Reichert school in Monroe township. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Frank Lybarger is to be the acting hostess for the Delta Theta Tau sorority meeting Tuesday evening. The set time is 8 o'clock.

V. F. W. Ladies auxiliary members will hold a meeting at the post home Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

A pot luck supper is on the agenda for the gathering of the K. of C. auxiliary members Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The committee will furnish the meat and rolls for the supper, which is to be held at the K. of C. hall. Members are asked to bring their husbands or another guest to the affair.

The Ruth and Naomi circle of the Zion Evangelical and Reformed church is to hold a regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the church. Mrs. Clara Meyer is to be the leader.

BIRTHS

At 12:34 o'clock this morning, Bobby and Shirley Ann Owen Frank, Monroeville, became the parents of an eight pound, two ounce son.

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Coming Events

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FRIDAY
Methodist W.S.C.S., church, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. rummage sale.
Mt. Tabor W.S.C.S., Mrs. Glen Chronister, 7:30 p.m.
Faithful Workers Sunday school class of Union Chapel E. U. B. church, church basement, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY
Adams county coon hunters club, Reichert school in Monroe Twp. 8 p.m.
Methodist W.S.C.S., church, 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m., rummage sale.

SUNDAY
Piano Recital, Community Center, 2 p.m.
Greenbrier church, 2 p.m., sing bee.

MONDAY
Rosary society, K. of C. hall, 8 p.m.
Welcome Wagon club, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Jr., 127 S. 14th St., 8 p.m.

Northwest P.T.A., rag drive.
Monmouth Parents and Family Life Education study club, school, 7 p.m.

Executive board of the Decatur Woman's club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
V. F. W. Ladies auxiliary, post home, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY
Delta Theta Tau, Mrs. Frank Lybarger, 8 p.m.
K. of C. auxiliary, K. of C. hall, 6:30 p.m. pot luck supper.

Olive Rebekah lodge, I.O.O.F. hall, 7:30 p.m., 3 link follows.
Root Township HDC, Mrs. Lee Flennin, 1 p.m.

Beta Sigma Phi founders day, Zion Lutheran church, 6:30 p.m.
Church Mothers Study club of Methodist church, church lounge, 8 p.m.

Psi Iota Xi sorority, Community center, 7:45 p.m. square dance.

WEDNESDAY
Fellowship night of Women's Association of the First Presbyterian church, 8 p.m.
Closing meeting of Shakespeare club, Masonic hall, 1 p.m. luncheon.

Adams Co. Farmers Union, Monmouth school, 8 p.m.
Ruth and Naomi circle of the Zion E. and R. church, church, 2 p.m.

THURSDAY
Monroe W. C. T. U., Monroe Methodist church, 2 p.m.

Local Topics

Linda Smalley, of Berne, has been dismissed from the Celina, O. Gibbons hospital, after medical treatment.

Herman Cook and Herman Kiefer have been reappointed to the Lehman park board in Berne.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Stauffer, of Berne, have purchased the home of the late Mrs. Agnes Kattman in that city.

Mrs. Veda Orff and Mrs. Leona Hensley, of Bronson, Mich., visited in Decatur Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Jane Ritter, 935 Harrison, was admitted to the Parkview memorial hospital, Fort Wayne, for minor surgery. She is to remain there for five days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Ashbaucher returned Thursday from a winter in Florida.

Gail Grabill, county superintendent of schools, celebrated his birthday Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burrell, of 728 High street, celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary this week.

HOSPITAL Notes

Admitted
Dwight Hirschy, Monroe; Billy Ross, Decatur; John Colchin, Decatur.

Dismissed
Howard Beiler, Berne, to the Parkview memorial hospital, Fort Wayne; Mrs. Charles E. Butler and son, Decatur; Mrs. Hugh Handley and son, Berne.

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COURT NEWS

Estate Cases

In the estate of Curney O. Shoemaker, the inventory number one was filed. A schedule to determine the inheritance tax was filed with reference to the county assessor. The inheritance tax appraiser's report was filed with notice ordered issued, returnable May 12. The personal estate was valued at \$6,278.57. Chattel property was valued at \$33,990.90. Joint tenancies were valued at \$14,174. Bonds totaled \$7,792. Real estate was valued at \$54,600. Indebtedness amounted to \$7,553.43, leaving a net estate of \$57,316.05 and \$7,792 outside the estate.

In the estate of William H. Ehrman, the schedule to determine the inheritance tax was filed with reference to the county assessor. Real estate was valued at \$34,090. Crops were valued at \$1,965.39. Stocks totaled \$409.84. Cash found in the home amounted to \$1,309.96. All other personal property was valued at \$1,070, leaving a net estate of \$38,845.19.

Complaints
In the complaint for damages of Hattie N. Suttles and Robert Plumley vs Richard J. Moser and Maxine Moser, on a motion of the plaintiff the cause was set for trial May 27.

In the complaint on account of the Chev Craft company vs Glen Bauman, on a motion of the plaintiff the cause was set for issues April 29.

In the complaint for damages of Ivan Fox vs Marian Murphy and Harry Murphy, on a motion of the plaintiff the cause was set for issues April 28.

In the complaint for damages of Mel Liechty, doing business as Mel's Realty Auction company, vs William H. Stavenik and Frieda Stavenik, on a motion of the plaintiff, the cause was set for issues April 28.

In the complaint for damages of the Associates Investment Co. vs Harry O. Irwin, an amended complaint was filed by the plaintiff.

In the complaint of Arthur Rains and Anna Rains vs Robert Witham and Evangeline May Witham, on a motion of the plaintiffs, the cause was set for issues April 28.

In the complaint on account of John C. Carroll vs Paul Davis, the plaintiff filed a motion to dismiss the cause with prejudice. The motion was submitted to the court for hearing and determination, and the court, having seen and inspected said motion, and being

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20 Years Ago Today

Twenty Years Ago, April 18, 1938 C. H. Stanley, 49, farmer of near Geneva, ends own life this morning. Meeting is scheduled tonight to start recreation program. WPA opens first aid class here. Morris store starts work on new front.

Four members of robbery gang are given suspended sentences in circuit court here. Two WPA projects here, totalling more than \$33,000, are approved in Decatur.

Homer Biggs, 65, dies at Williams. Was former Decatur resident. T. A. Gottschalk, state welfare head, will speak in Decatur at joint meeting.

Ike Plans Weekend At Camp David

WASHINGTON (UP)—President Eisenhower left the White House by automobile today for a weekend at nearby Camp David in the Catoclin Mountains near Thurmont, Md.

Mrs. Eisenhower will join the President later today. They plan to return late Sunday.

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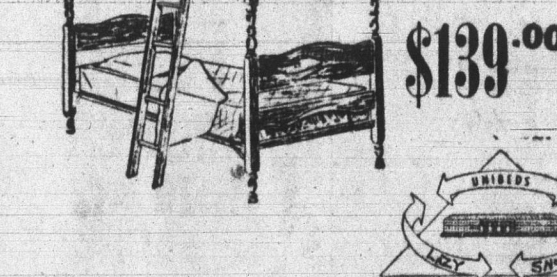
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