

SOCIETY

WOMEN OF THE MOOSE HOLD REGULAR MEETING

Women of the Moose held a regular meeting Thursday evening at the Moose home. Plans were made for star recorder's day with star recorder, Mrs. Evelyn Kingley, in charge, October 29 is the day set. Plans were also made for a Halloween masquerade party to be held October 15. Chairman of the affair are Mrs. Jack Morence, Mrs. Edward Voglewede, and Mrs. Robert Morris.

It was announced that the local women has been invited to star recorder's day in Fort Wayne, Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the Moose home. Anyone wishing to attend is asked to call 3-4141 or 3-3332.

A social hour followed the recent meeting with publicity chairman Mrs. Gerhard Marbach in charge. The door prize was won by Mrs. Edward Voglewede. Next meeting will be chapter night to be held October 8 with officers meeting at 7:30 and lodge at 8 o'clock.

The Monroe W.C.T.U. members met Friday at the home of Mrs. John Gage. Mrs. Charles Hopper and Mrs. Orvil Lenhart offered prayers and it was decided to send a five dollar gift to Paul Riley, a medical student, and Katsu Fukuda, a Japanese missionary. Members were reminded of the convention to be held at Martinsville October 27 to 30. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

REFORMED CHURCH CIRCLE HAS CARRY-IN DINNER

The Ruth and Naomi Circle of the Zion Evangelical and Reformed church met recently at the church for a carry-in dinner and regular meeting. Twenty three members and two guests were served the noon meal from a table decorated with cut flowers.

Mrs. Ernel Johnson was leader for the afternoon, using as her topic, "Courtship, Love and the Family." She opened the meeting with group singing to the accompaniment of Mrs. William Feller. Mrs. Ferd Litterer read scripture followed with a prayer by Mrs. Tony Eyer. Readings were given by Mrs. Albert Harlow, Mrs. James Baker, Mrs. Elmer Lautenschlager, Mrs. Clara Meyers, and the Rev. W. C. Feller. Miss Lydia Kirsch presented a piano selection and Mrs. Harry Frauhiger conducted a musical contest.

Mrs. Tony Meyer, chairman, conducted the business meeting. There were 26 sick calls and 49 social calls reported for the month. The meeting closed with a prayer by the Rev. Feller.

Hostesses for the day were Mrs. Rufus Kirschhofer, Mrs. Carl Adler, Mrs. Carl Price, Mrs. Albert Harlow, and Mrs. Floyd Shoaff.

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MRS. LOUIS JACOBS TO BE TOASTMISTRESS

Mrs. Louis A. Jacobs will serve as toastmistress at the Valparaiso University Guild's centennial banquet in Great Hall of the student union building this evening. Mrs. Jacobs serves as field secretary for the Guild of Northern Indiana.

The banquet will be served to over five hundred Guild ladies from all over the United States. Mrs. Wilbur Brucher, Guild member from Detroit and wife of the U.S. secretary of the army, and Mrs. Clarence Nelson of Washington, D.C., an internationally famous speaker, will address the group. Miss Indiana, a Valparaiso University student, will tell of her recent experiences at the Miss America pageant at Atlantic City.

The Guild chapel, located under the great chancel of the new University memorial chapel, will be dedicated Sunday morning and that afternoon, the new chapel itself will be dedicated. This new structure is the largest campus chapel in the United States and is 300 feet long, ten stories high, and will seat 3,300 people. A dedicatory organ concert with E. Power Biggs of Boston, international organ virtuoso, will complete the day's program beginning at 8:15 p.m.

Mrs. Herman Kruckeberg and Mrs. Jacobs have been attending business sessions of the convention Friday and today.

A short but important called meeting for members of the Literature department of the Women's club, will be held Monday at 4 o'clock in the reference room of the library. All members are urged to be present.

The Monmouth F.H.A. will hold a meeting Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the school.

Locals

Jim Reidenbach, a Decatur high school senior, is celebrating his 18th birthday today. Tomorrow, his sister Jacquie will observe her birthday anniversary.

Hospital

ADMITTED

Miss Sharon Bebout, Decatur; Elias Cacianno, Jr., city.

DISMISSED

Miss Caron Horn, Geneva; Mrs. Amos N. Eicher and baby boy, Geneva.

Births

At the Adams county memorial hospital:
Hubert K. and Fern Liechtenberger Walker of Van Wert, Ohio, are parents of an eight pound, eight ounce boy, born at 1:51 p.m. Friday.

An eight pound, 14 1/2 ounce boy was born at 3:29 a.m. today to Carl and Gladys Lee Pennington of Geneva.

A girl weighing six pounds, 11 ounces, was born at 8:35 a.m. today to Marvin C. and Barbara Merkle Debolt of 340 South Fifth street.

A girl was born this morning at 1:44 o'clock to Adam J. and Marcia Sprunger Liechty of Berne. The infant weighed five pounds, six ounces.



Miss Sara Ellen Brunnegraff

—Photo by Anspaugh

Sommer-Brunnegraff Engagement Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brunnegraff of Decatur, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sara Ellen, to Harold M. Sommer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sommer, also of Decatur.

Miss Brunnegraff is attending Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, where she is in her junior year. He will sail October 4 for Europe and will attend the University of Heidelberg, Heidelberg, Germany. Both of the couple graduated from Decatur high school.

A wedding is being planned for late next summer.

CLUBS

Calendar items for today's publication must be phoned in by 1 a.m. (Saturday 9:30)

Phone 3-2121

Marion Reop

SATURDAY

Rummage Sale sponsored by St. Paul's Lutheran Ladies Aid, Cole building, 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

SUNDAY

Chicken supper, Bethlehem Lutheran church near Ossian, serving begins at 4 p.m.

MONDAY

Lady Bug Hunt, V.F.W. home, 8 p.m.

Literature Department of Woman's club, reference room at library, 4 p.m.

Monmouth F.H.A., school, 7:30 p.m.

Pythian Sisters, Moose home, 7:30 p.m., Needle club to follow.

Pythian Sisters Degree Staff, Moose home, 7:30 p.m.

Pleasant Mills P. T. A., school, 7:30 p.m.

St. Ambrose study club, Mrs. Oscar Miller, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

Eagles Auxiliary, Eagles hall, 8 p.m.

Kirkland Ladies club, Mrs. Floyd Ehrman, 7:30 p.m.

Jolly Housewives Home Demonstration club, Bobo school, 7:30 p.m.

Church Mothers study club guest night, Bethany E.U.B. church, 6 p.m.

Sunny Circle Home Demonstration club, Preble community building, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Women's Association of First Presbyterian church, church, 8 p.m.

Bethany Circle of Zion E. and R. church, Mrs. Gottlieb Stauffer, 7:45 p.m.

Friendship Circle of Zion E. and R. church, Mrs. Harry Houk, meet at church at 7 p.m.

Ave Maria study club, Mrs. William Bower, 8 p.m.

Live and Learn Home Demonstration club, Mrs. Don Smith, 1:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

W.S.W.S. of Bethany E. U. B. church, Mrs. Ralph Gentis, 7:30 p.m.

Driver's License Is Ordered Suspended

Leland W. Sprunger, of route 2, Geneva, has had his driver's license suspended from Aug. 17 until Feb. 17, 1960 for speeding violations, according to bulletin 209 of the driver's license suspension list issued by the bureau of motor vehicles.

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Shorter Work Week Is Sought By UE

CHICAGO, Ill. —Residents from the Decatur area have been playing an active role in the 24th international convention of the United Electrical, Radio and Machine Workers of America (UE) being held here at the Pick-Congress Hotel in this Mid-West city during this past week.

Representing workers at the General Electric Co. plant, the following have been serving as delegates from UE Local 924:

Vernon B. Hebble, route 5; and Junior Lake, Winchester street, Decatur, Ind.

More than 300 delegates from 28 states and Canada have been meeting here to hammer out the UE's collective bargaining, organizational and legislative program for the coming year.

Foremost among the goals of the United Electrical Workers' union is the negotiation of a shorter work week with no reduction in present take-home pay in all plants where the union is the bargaining agent. UE is seeking to reduce the regular work week to 35 hours at 40 hours pay.

Albert J. Fitzgerald, general president of the independent union, reported that UE has stepped up its organizational activities over the past year. "We won more than 70% of the elections we were in this year," he claimed, "and have won or won back 36 additional plants." The union bargains for some 150,000 workers.

In pointing out the union's drive for a shorter work week, Fitzgerald said: "If American industry were to adopt a shorter work week, the more than 4 million people now walking the streets vainly trying to get jobs could be put back to useful, remunerative employment."

"We have yet to feel the real impact of automation which threatens to put many additional millions out of work," he said. "Each year more than a million youngsters enter the labor market. What's being done for them?"

"Let us face the hard fact that industry simply has no program to meet these challenges," Fitzgerald said. "UE is determined to win the shorter work week during the coming year's negotiations. It is a sound, practical step capable of resolving in good part the issues of grinding chronic unemployment, automation and the displacement of men by machines at a crucial point in our country's development. We simply must solve the problems of jobs or we are in for a lot of trouble. The shorter work week with no cut in pay can help solve this problem."

All former members of this outfit are invited to attend as Company A was comprised of Decatur soldiers along with Company B from Rushville. Twenty of the members are from Decatur and Adams county.

Interested persons should contact Charles Morgan or Ed Jaberg on or before September 30.

Those in this area who are eligible are: Albert Beery, 639 Mercer avenue; Dallas Brown, of route 3; Chester Bryant, of Monroe; May M. Knael, 334 S. 11th street; Burl Johnson, route 6; Bernard Keller, 403 W. Jefferson; Ed Jaberg, 315 N. Fourth street; Melvin F. Gallagher; Adolph Kolter, 804 N. Second street; Joe Laurent, 304 N. 12th street; Lohans McIntosh, Homestead 12; Fred McConnell, 221 N. Third street; Joe McConnell, 828 N. Third street; Charles W. Maloney, route 4; Merle McCroskey, Geneva; Lester Robinson, Geneva; Ormer F. Nevil, Geneva; Howard A. Mowery, route 4; Bluffton; Charles Morgan, 622 N. Seventh street; Lloyd Shackley, 309 S. 11th street; James K. Staley, 235 N. Sixth street; Clarence Stevens, 403 S. Fifth street; Bernard J. Ulman, 227 N. Fourth street; and Clarence Weber, 225 W. Adams street.

Indiana Girl Dies In Louisville Crash

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (UPI) —Doyle Eloise Myer, 18, New Albany, Ind., was killed Friday when her car collided with another in Louisville. She was a 1959 graduate of New Albany high school.

Infant Is Choked Between Crib Slats

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) —Richard Dunn, 10 weeks old twin, was found dead in his home here Friday, apparently choked between slats in his crib.

Slightly Hurt When Hit By Automobile

A 14-year-old Decatur youth was struck by a car and injured slightly Friday evening at the corner of Second and Monroe while walking across the street. Elias Cacianno, Jr., of 716 Meibers street, received a bump on the head, a bruised shoulder and a skinned left ankle and was admitted to the Adams county memorial hospital about 8 o'clock last night following the accident.

The car driven by Thomas M. Taylor, 16, of route 2, Convo, O., while heading west on U.S. 24 in Decatur (Monroe street) knocked the boy down. The accident was reported to the city police. The boy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Cacianno Sr., of the same address. He was attempting to cross from south to north.

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SUNDAY MENU

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Georgia Boy Dies In Miniature Car

DALTON, Ga. (UPI) — A 10-year-old boy, out for sport in his miniature gasoline powered car, was killed Friday night when he drove into the side of an automobile. Police said Richard T. Thurman ran an intersection and drove his two-horsepower vehicle into the larger car.

Says Voters Could Compel Economy

By LYLE C. WILSON
United Press International
WASHINGTON (UPI) — If the voting taxpayers of the United States were not listening to Maurice Stans the other day, it was their fault, not his. Moreover, they deserve no sympathy.

Maurice H. Stans is the U.S. budget director. What he was saying this week was this: That U.S. taxpayers could win a tax cut without any reduction on military spending if they demanded economy in other areas.

Stans knows where the government's money comes from and he knows where it goes. It is not idle talk when Stans says the voters could compel economy in government if they demanded it. The plain meaning of Stans' comment is that a great many of the dollars Congress squeezes from the U.S. taxpayer are spent wastefully to no immediately essential purpose.

Ask 1960 Candidates
Such as that should make the U.S. taxpayer angry and set him to thinking about corrective ways and means. It should wind him up to tight resolve about next year's presidential and congressional elections. That resolve should be to clobber on election day the politician who clearly can be tagged as a spender; to clobber him good, and to elect in his place a politician who clearly can be tagged as a taxpayer's man.

If the taxpayer believes U.S. taxes are outrageously high and should be reduced, then he should ask next year's candidates some questions. Among these questions should be this: Where, when and by how much would you vote to reduce government spending? That is, in what areas of government spending would the candidate be willing to cut?

Such questions would obtain a great deal of evasive double talk in response, and it would be up to the questioning taxpayer to make the candidate answer up. It could not be enough, either, merely to elect economy candidates to Congress or to the White House.

Franklin D. Roosevelt was elected president in 1932 on a platform which promised a 25 per cent cut in government spending. FDR was inaugurated in March, 1933. His economy program collapsed in April. It is close to impossible to prevent politicians from becoming big spenders with other people's money—your money. It is no quite impossible, however, A taxpayer's rebellion would do it.

Massive Pressure Works
The politician who knew he probably would be licked next time up if he voted to loot the treasury would be very likely to vote against same. It could be as simple as that.

The massive pressure by which voters rammed a labor reform bill through the last session of Congress could ram through the next session some tax cutting economy measures. The political mechanics of such an operation would be identical.

Taxpayers must be fired-up considerably before they will put that kind of pressure on Congress. Firing up the taxpayers will be quite a job. They seem to be fireproof, else there would have been a political explosion to blow a lot of free-wheeling, free-spending politicians out of office and back to the bonodocks.

A comforting thought: It could happen here.

Indianapolis Man Drowning Victim

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — Sherman Hampshire, 24, Indianapolis, drowned in Fall Creek here Friday despite the efforts of his uncle to save him.

Hampshire was fishing with his cousin, Lanny Cork, 33, Indianapolis, and his uncle, Lester Majors, 27. As the men were about to return home, Hampshire took off most of his clothes and attempted to swim to the opposite shore.



"WE COULD TAKE THEM" — Adm. Arleigh Burke, Chief of Naval Operations, is shown at a press conference in San Francisco, where he told the AFL-CIO convention that the U. S. Navy has the power to defeat its Russian counterpart. "Right now, we could take them," he said to reporters.

Headon Collision Fatal To One Man

SAN PIERRE, Ind. (UPI) — Morris Williams, 36, Medaryville, died in a hospital here Friday of traffic injuries sustained in a two-car collision 48 hours earlier.

Williams sustained fatal internal injuries when his car collided head-on with another along U. S. 421 about three miles south of here Wednesday. The driver of the second car was not injured.

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