

# SOCIETY

## MRS. MILLER HOSTESS FOR DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Oscar Miller served as hostess and Mrs. Leonard Schwallier as co-hostess for the Wednesday meeting of the Profit and Pleasure Home demonstration club. A pot luck dinner was served at the noon hour.

The meeting opened with the club collect, followed by the song of the month. Devotions were given by Mrs. Alton Corson. Mrs. Marvey Smith presided during the business meeting. Mrs. Henry Helman gave the lesson on family goals. Thirteen members and six children were present. Mrs. Leonard Schwallier was winner of the door prize.

## MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS RECENT MEETING

The Women's Missionary Society of the Nuttman Avenue United Brethren church met recently with Mrs. Clara Dague.

Mrs. Sam Diehl, program leader, opened the meeting with a song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," which was followed by scripture and meditation taken from Psalms 24. Prayers were offered by Mrs. William Huston and Mrs. Howard Raver.

Mrs. Herman Harkless read the poem, "True Happiness" and the leader gave the call to worship. The lesson study on Honduras was taken from a manuscript written by a missionary, the Rev. Vernon Macy, on the country and mission work.

During the business session, the president, Mrs. Howard Raver, read letters from Rev. Irving Yonkers in Mississippi and Rev. R. E. Gant in Kentucky, in recognition of clothing contributions sent from the Decatur society. Mrs. Herman Harkless gave the dismissal prayer.

Mrs. Iona Hickernell and Mrs. Robert Egley assisted the hostess in serving light refreshments.

## CLUB MEETS AT SOIL CONSERVATION BUILDING

The Friendship Village home demonstration club met Thursday at the St. Mary's and Blue Creek soil conservation building.

After the meeting had opened with the club collect, Mrs. Fred Fruwalt read the devotion, taken from the 13th chapter of Matthew and a prayer and poem taken from "The Upper Room." The lesson on health and safety was presented by Miss Donelda Marchel who discussed what kinds of accidents occur, how common they are, how serious are the injured, and what ages are most often involved.

Mrs. Norris Riley, directed the group in singing the song of the month and gave a history of the song. The lesson topic was Indiana's school corporation reorganization act of 1959, which was in charge of Mrs. Richard Ward and Mrs. Herman Hamrick.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Fred Fruwalt, Mrs. Harry Workinger, and Mrs. Fred A. My-

ers. Plans were made to have a family night at a later date.

## REV. LUDWIG IS SPEAKER AT EMMAUS GUILD MEETING

The recent January meeting of the Emmaus Guild of the Zion Lutheran church was opened with devotions by Mrs. Albert Selking. Mrs. James Bleke, president, conducted the business meeting.

Reports were given by the various chairmen and several letters were read. The motion was made to send a contribution to Bethesda Lutheran home at Watertown, Wis., where over 520 mentally retarded and physically handicapped people are given care. It was announced that Mrs. Norman Witte will serve as library assistant in place of Mrs. Martin Bultemeier.

The ladies were reminded of the need for an additional Brownie Scout leader for their troop. Any church member who would care to help with these girls may contact Mrs. Bleke. Announcement was made of a telephone which has been installed in the church office. The secretary, Mrs. Glen Dickerson, is in the office from eight to twelve in the mornings.

Rev. Ludwig led the topic discussion on "Personal Evangelism." The main points covered in the discussion were: 1) What is meant by personal evangelism? 2) Examples of personal evangelism in scripture. 3) Incentives and motives. 4) Qualifications for the personal evangelist. Various passages of scripture were studied and discussed by the group.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. William Kenney, Mrs. C. William Freeby, and Mrs. Henry Biberich. Mrs. William Porter was recipient of the door prize. Twenty-nine members and one guest, Mrs. Florence Engle, were present.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, February 17.

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE HELD BY GEODEC CLUB

The General Electric Co.'s Geodec club, conducted its 23rd annual conference at the Decatur American Legion home, installing the 1960 officers and announcing the various committees.

Combined day and night shift parties were planned in May for honoring mothers and November set aside for special events. The Hawaiian vacation will be conducted during the usual plant shutdown and tentative plans were laid for another vacation trip to the Ozarks.

Mabel Eyanson received reappointment to the travel chairman, while Neva Liby and Jane Currie head membership; Judy Jones, publicity; Maggie White and Harriet Fuelling, scrap book.

The various party chairmen for the months are: February, Maggie White, Norma Poorman, and Glen White; March, Mary Miller, Rosie Conrad, and Minnie Egly; April, Eloise Noll, Dorothy Schnepf, and Helen Fairchild; May, Rosemary Miller, Lucile Foor, and Harriet Fuelling; June, Neva Liby, Nyla Willson, and Phyllis Pettibone; July, Mina Stevens, Ada Owens, and Ireta Miller; September, Mabel Eyanson, Margaret Smitley, and Josephine Weldy; October, Edna Callow, Viola Melch, and Ahita Sovine; November, Harriet Pollack, Tye August, and Jane Currie, and December, Norma Bower, Mary Fennig, and Virginia Diehl.

The St. Vincent De Paul Society will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the C.L. of C. hall.

Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the Bethany Evangelical United Brethren church there will be a meeting of the representatives of churches' wives and presidents of the women's societies are also asked to be present. The United Church Women has been reorganized and Mrs. B. G. Thomas was elected president.

Ruth and Naomi circle of the Evangelical and Reformed church will meet at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the church social room.

# Clubs

Calendar items for each day's publication must be phoned in by 11 a.m. (Saturday 9:30). Phone 3-2121

## See Still

**SATURDAY**  
Eagles Auxiliary supper, Eagles hall, 5 to 7 p.m.

**SUNDAY**  
4-H horse and pony club committee, Dr. Elizabeth Peck, 2:30 p.m.  
St. Mary's chorus rehearsal, K. of C. hall, 1:30 p.m.

**MONDAY**  
Evening circle of Methodist W.S.C.S., church lounge, 8 p.m.  
Pythian Sisters Needle club, Moose Home, 7:30 p.m.  
St. Ambrose study club, Mrs. Oscar Miller, 7:30 p.m.  
Kirkland Ladies club, home ec room at Adams Central school, 7:30 p.m.

Research club, Mrs. W. Guy Brown, 2:30 p.m.  
Pleasant Mills P.T.A., music room of Pleasant Mills school, 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Township Farm Bureau, St. Mary's-Blue Creek Conservation club house, 6:30 p.m.  
Home, 8 p.m.

Lady Bug Hunt, V.F.W. Post Home, 8 p.m.

Valparaiso University Chapel Choir concert, Zion Parish hall, 8 p.m.

Representatives to United Church Women, Bethany E.U.B., 7:30 p.m.

**TUESDAY**  
Xi Alpha Xi and Delta Lambda chapters of Beta Sigma Phi, Zion E & R church, 8 p.m.

Eagles Auxiliary skating party, 7:30 p.m.

Olive Rebekah Lodge, at Zanesville lodge, no meeting here.  
Sunny Circle Home Demonstration club, Preble township recreation center, 7:30 p.m.

Delta Theta Tau, Mrs. Leo Teeple, 8 p.m.

Root Township Home Demonstration club, Monmouth school, 7 p.m.

St. Mary's Township Jolly Housewives Home Demonstration club, Pleasant Mills school, 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Bethany Circle of E. and R. church, church parlors, 7:30 p.m.

Pleasant Mills Methodist W.S.C.S., Mrs. Lawrence Ehrsam, 7:30 p.m.

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

Friendship circle of E&R church, Margaret Klinkman, 7:30 p.m.

St. Vincent De Paul society, C.L. of C. Hall, 8 p.m.

Ruth and Naomi circle of E. and R. church, church social room, 2 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Laurent and children, Chris, Ronnie and Sammie, of Bloomington, are visiting friends and relatives in Decatur for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch W. Heckman, of Fort Wayne, formerly of Preble township, visited in Decatur Friday while they looked for information on a "migration" of German Lutherans from Adams and Wells counties in 1908 to the Texas panhandle, where they bought 15 sections of land. The

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**SHADES OF VERONICA LAKE** — Three-year-old Donna Stanzola might be practicing a come-hither look to go with her seductive hairdo. She might be but she's not. Donna's waiting for her mom to finish a home permanent in Brooklyn.

group will hold a reunion this year in Texas on the land, some of which is now valued at between \$300 and \$400 an acre.

Judge G. Remy Bierly, of the Indiana appellate court, and Mrs. Bierly, are spending the weekend in Decatur.

V. R. Edwards and Deane T. Dorwin went ice fishing this morning in northern Indiana.

## Hospital

**ADMITTED**  
Edward J. Schmitz, Decatur; Mrs. Sadie Greulich, Wren, O.; Donald Bailey, Fort Wayne; Mrs. John Mazelin, Berne.

**DISMISSED**  
Lloyd Lichtenberger, Berne.

## Girl Scouts

Brownie troop 222 met after school in their classroom at Northwest school with 10 members present. The meeting opened with Bohnie Beery leading the girls in the Brownie promise. Theresa Girod gave the roll call and the minutes of the last meeting. Janice Kelly collected dues. The flag ceremony was demonstrated and practiced. After the girls received their treat from Carol Shady, Kathi Helm led them in grace. Kathy Bedwell led the troop in closing with the friendship circle.

Scribe, Theresa Girod

Brownie troop 256 met at the Lincoln school Thursday at 3 p.m. The meeting opened with the Brownie promise. Dues were collected and the following officers elected for the coming year: Brenda Roughia, president; Cynthia Shannon, vice president; Susan Shraluka, treasurer; Lorraine Smitley, secretary; Kendra Fraser, scribe. The group then participated in a few games, followed by a treat which was furnished by Cathy Schnepf. The meeting closed with the Brownie motto.

**Suffers Broken Arm In Fall On Friday**

Mrs. Lora Ewel, route 2, Decatur, was treated at the Adams county memorial hospital about 4 p.m. Friday for a broken arm suffered in a fall downtown.

## 12-Year-Old Boy Is Found Hanged

**EAST PATERSON, N. J. (UPI)** — The body of a 12-year-old boy was found hanging from a tree in a wooded area today with a woman's stocking drawn over one leg. He apparently had been hanged twice.

Police said there was no indication the boy had taken his own life. He was identified as Dennis Weipfel, who had been reported missing Friday night.

Members of his family said they believed the boy was murdered by a maniac. A doctor at the scene said the boy seemed to have died before he was hanged. An autopsy was scheduled.

He was hanging by a noose of heavy clothesline about 8 feet from a tree limb 15-feet off the ground. A broken lighter rope was tied to a nearby limb. The part of the rope that had broken off had a noose at the end and was found on the ground.

Investigators said the noose found on the ground was not frozen, although the ground was, indicating the lighter rope had been tied to the tree about the time young Weipfel died.

The boy's corduroy trousers were rolled above his knees. A shoe and sock were missing from his right foot and the woman's silk stocking drawn over the bared leg.

A search party of about 100 firemen was called out at about midnight when his mother reported him missing. The party found the body some 20 minutes later.

Dennis was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Weipfel. The father is a maintenance man.

His mother said he was a boy who "loved life" and never ran away from home.

"I think somebody murdered him. Some maniac," she said.

## Order Of Cooties In District Meet

The second district of the Military Order of the Cooties held its quarterly meeting Sunday in Goshen. Attending from Decatur were Robert Butler, Harry Martz, and Ellis Shaw.

Discussion of a possible charity football game with all proceeds going to the V.F.W. National Home in Eaton Rapids, Mich., and the Military Order of the Cooties as sponsors, was the main topic of discussion. Election of officers was also held and those holding office for the next year are: commander, Jim Hall, Fort Wayne; sr. vice commander, Arthur Spicer, Mishawaka; jr. vice commander, Harry Martz, Decatur; quartermaster, Jim Williams, Fort Wayne; surgeon, Harry Hoffstetter, Elkhart; historian, Vaughn Lindenmuth, Fort Wayne; provost marshal, Russ Utley, Goshen; hungry cootie, Don Bunker, Goshen; booster chairman, Robert Butler, Decatur.

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**FOR HUMANITY**—Miss Sam, a 2½-year-old rhesus monkey, made a successful trip into space aboard a Mercury satellite capsule from Wallops Island, Va. She's shown in a special outfit before the launching.

cers were in attendance, including the present grand commander, John Etsinger of Goshen, past grand and supreme commander, Ernie Moore of South Bend, and past grand commander Bowman of Fort Wayne. The ladies circle also held a meeting. Those attending from Decatur included the Mesdames Robert Butler, Harry Martz, Artie Jackson, Ray Venis, and Ellis Shaw.

The next regular meeting will be held March 27 in Decatur. Installation of officers will take place at that time.

## Quarterly Dividend Declared By Soya

The board of directors of Central Soya Co., Inc., has declared a quarterly cash dividend of 27½ cents per share on the capital stock of the company, payable Feb. 15, to stockholders of record at the close of business Jan. 29, according to an announcement by Harold W. McMillen, chairman of the board.

This is the second quarterly dividend of the current fiscal year and a continuation of the company's record of cash dividends which has been uninterrupted since 1942. The 27½-cent dividend is equivalent to the 55 cents per share paid for the first quarter before the 2-for-1 stock split Nov. 4, 1959. It represents a 10 per cent increase over the quarterly dividend paid for the same period last year after reflecting the 2-for-1 stock split.

## Clouses Spending Month In Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell D. Clouse, Sr., of route six, are spending a month in Miami, Fla., visiting their son, Darrell, Jr., and his wife, before the son leaves on business for Caracas, Venezuela; he returned from Quito, Ecuador, and Nassau, Bahamas, just before Christmas.

The Clouses also visited Rockford, O., friends in Homestead, Fla., last week. Clouse has been deep-sea fishing several times, and reported very good luck. The weather has been just beautiful, they write, and it has been 80 degrees every day.

## Infant Is Killed By Fall From High Chair

**LOGANSPORT, Ind. (UPI)** — Eighteen-month-old Cheryl Lynn Bishop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bishop, Logansport, was killed Friday when she fell out of a high chair at home.



Julie Newmar stars with Tommy Noonan and Pete Marshall in "The Rookie," the wacky story about the last draftee in World War II, which plays Sunday and Monday at the Adams theater. Miss Newmar was one of the leads in the stage version of the musical comedy "Lil Abner." Noonan and Marshall have joined to form a new comedy team reminiscent of Abbott & Costello and Martin and Lewis. On the same program is Walt Disney's "Legend of Sleepy Hollow."

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