

SOCIETY

MR. AND MRS. NOAH EGLY MARK ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Egly of west of Monroe celebrated their wedding anniversary Sunday with a family dinner served at the Kozy Korner restaurant in Geneva.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. William Joray and children Marvin and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. Earl L. Harmon and children Dean and Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Moeschberger and children, Olin, Maris, Donald, and Karen.

MRS. THOMAS GIVES REVIEW AT RESEARCH CLUB MEETING

Fourteen members of the Research club gathered at the home of Mrs. W. G. Brown Monday afternoon for their regular meeting.

Mrs. W. L. Linn presided over the meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. W. L. Harper. Following a brief business meeting, Mrs. B. G. Thomas, program chairman, reviewed the book, "Doctor Ida," by Dorothy Clark Wilson. The story concerns Ida, a young lady who is the daughter of missionary parents in India, Ida, determined not to be a missionary, remains in the United States to obtain her education. When she is suddenly called to India to care for her sick mother, she becomes aware of the need for doctors. After returning to

America to finish her education, she goes back to India to care for the sick and to establish clinics. The hostess served candies during the social hour. The club will meet at the home of Mrs. Carrie Haubold February 8.

UNITED CHURCH WOMEN MEET AT BETHANY E.U.B.

Nine Decatur churches were represented Monday evening at the meeting of the United Church Women, held at 7:30 at the Bethany Evangelical United Brethren church.

Mrs. B. J. Thomas, president, presided over the meeting. Plans were made for the World Day of Prayer, to be held March 4, Mrs. Harold Bond is chairman for this event. The group took action to send the president, Mrs. Thomas, and the vice president, Mrs. Paul Daniels, to a state meeting to be held in February. The theme of the meeting will be leadership training.

PTITHIAN SISTERS HOLD MONDAY MEETING

The Pythian Sisters Needle club met Monday evening after temple at the Moose home. Mrs. Cecil Gause, president, was in charge of the meeting.

Games were played and prizes awarded the winners. Mrs. Francis Howard won the guest prize. A luncheon was served by Mrs. Emma Beavers, Mrs. W. P. Robinson, and Mrs. Frank Crist. Sixteen members were present.

LADY BUGS MAKE FUTURE PLANS AT RECENT MEETING

The Lady Bugs held their regular hunt recently at the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post home, with eight members present.

Members discussed a record hop to be given some time in the near future. A skating party will be held Tuesday, February 2, at the Happy

Hours roller rink. Tickets may be obtained from any Lady Bug member.

Mrs. Harry Martz received the door prize. At the end of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Delbert Augsburg.

Pleasant Mills Methodist W.S.-C.E., originally scheduled to meet Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Ehrsam, has cancelled its meeting for this week.

K. of C. auxiliary will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the K. of C. hall. Installation of officers will be held.

Thursday at 7:30 p.m., the Order of Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic hall. The men will provide the program and refreshments for this meeting.

The Firemen's auxiliary will hold a Tupperware party at the fire station Monday evening at 7:30. The public is invited to attend.

Epsilon Sigma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will hold a meeting at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Elks home.

The ministers of the Decatur ministerial association and their wives will hold a dinner meeting at the Youth and Community Center tonight from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The Rev. and Mrs. George Yarian and the Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Bond are on the committee in charge of the program.

Mrs. Lloyd Reef will be hostess for the Friendship circle of the Missionary church Friday, at 7:30 p.m.

The Junior Women's department of the Decatur Woman's club will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Commager, Monday at 7:45 p.m. The program topic will be antiques. Members are requested to bring paper back books for adults.

Births

A third son, fourth child, was born at 6:15 a.m. Thursday at the Lutheran hospital in Fort Wayne to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Garner, 1305 North Lawn Drive, Fort Wayne, formerly of this city. The child weighed eight pounds, 11 ounces and has been named Brad Lee.

At the Adams county memorial hospital: Lawrence and Carolee Loudin Rupp, route 10, South Crest Trailer Court, Fort Wayne, are parents of a boy weighing three pounds, 13 1/2 ounces, born Monday at 3:45 p.m. At 5:48 p.m. Monday, a son weighing five pounds, 11 ounces was born to Richard and Mary Ann Roth Sullivan, 424 Closs street. A boy was born at 8:49 this morning to Reinhard and Marianne Brite Selking, route 2, Decatur. The child weighed seven pounds, nine and one-half ounces.

If you have something to sell or rooms for rent, try a Democrat Want Ad — They bring results.

Clubs

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

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TUESDAY

K. of C. Auxiliary, K. of C. hall, 8 p.m.
Decatur Ministerial Association dinner meeting, Youth Center, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

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.
Eagles Auxiliary, Eagles hall, 8 p.m.

Olive Rebekah Lodge, at Zaner-ville 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.

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

WEDNESDAY

Epsilon Sigma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, Elks home, 8 p.m.
Xi Alpha Iota chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, Mrs. John Holthouse, 8 p.m.

Live and Learn home demonstration club, Mrs. Jack Gray, 1:30 p.m.
Ave Maria study club, Mrs. Raymond Kohne, 8 p.m.

Bethany Circle of E. and R. church, church parlors, 7:30 p.m.
Women's Association of First Presbyterian church, at the church, 8 p.m.

Friendship circle of E&R church, Margaret Kliekman, 7:30 p.m.
Ruth and Naomi circle of E. and R. church, church social room, 2 p.m.

St. Vincent De Paul society, C.L. of C. hall, 2 p.m.

THURSDAY

Order of Eastern Star, Masonic hall, 7:30 p.m.
Monroe W.C.T.U., Mrs. Jack McBride, 1:30 p.m.

Women of Moose, Moose Home, officers at 7:30 p.m., lodge at 8 p.m.
Ladies Fellowship of Missionary church, parsonage basement, 7 p.m.

St. Ann's study club, Mrs. Leona Coffey, 1:30 p.m.
Our Lady of Victory study club, Mrs. Nick Braun, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Friendship circle of Missionary church, Mrs. Lloyd Reef, 7:30 p.m.
MONDAY
Firemen's Auxiliary Tupperware party, fire station, 7:30 p.m.

Junior Women's Department of Decatur Woman's club, Mrs. Henry Commager, 7:45 p.m.

Locals

Don Bohnke, a former resident of Decatur now residing in Indianapolis, underwent surgery Monday. His address is: Community Hospital, 1500 North Ritter Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Cheri Jacobs, who has been seriously ill at her home with the flu, will return to school the latter part of this week.

Hospital

ADMITTED
Mrs. Harold C. Long, Geneva; R. Clinton Hersh, Decatur; Richard Bebout, Berne; Mrs. Albert Swenson, Willshire, O.; Daniel Cook, Geneva; Mrs. Alvin Hilty, Berne.

DISMISSED
Mrs. J. I. Hall, Geneva; Alvin D. Hawes, Geneva; Mrs. Gene J. Morrison and baby boy, Decatur; Mrs. Richard J. Macklin, Decatur; Master Michael K. Morton, Hoagland.

Hardware Dealers Of Indiana Meet

Adams county dealers are included among some 3,000 hardware dealers and allied distributors and manufacturers at the Indiana retail hardware association's 61st annual convention and trade show today and Wednesday at Indianapolis.

WEDNESDAY IS TOT'S DAY!

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Diana Barrymore Is Found Dead In Home

NEW YORK (UPI) — Actress Diana Barrymore, 38, firebrand daughter of the late actor John Barrymore, was found dead Monday in the Manhattan apartment.

Miss Barrymore was found by her maid, lying on her bed, face down and nude.

Police said there were no notes and the cause of death was listed as unknown pending an autopsy later today.

Three empty liquor bottles—one scotch, one gin and one vermouth—were found in the apartment. Police also found several tablets and other sedatives in a cabinet near her bed.

"There is no outward evidence of anything wrong, but the autopsy will show for sure," Deputy Inspector Joseph McLaughlin said.

"As far as we know now, she went to sleep and didn't wake up," said Aaron Frosh, Miss Barrymore's attorney.

Police said the actress, a former alcoholic, apparently began drinking again around Christmas time. They did not indicate that her drinking had become excessive, however.

Miss Barrymore was known to have entertained several friends the night before she died. They included Glen Stencil, an actor currently appearing in "Sweet Bird of Youth," Mrs. Essee Kuppel, wife of Chicago columnist and TV personality Irving Kuppel; Edward Thomajam and John Cook.

McLaughlin quoted Stencil as saying Miss Barrymore appeared sober to him. The other guests were expected to be questioned by police later.

Diana Barrymore at birth was considered a child of fortune. She was heiress presumptive to the throne held by America's first family of the theater.

Mother A Poetess
Her father was the reigning monarch of the stage — the great profile, John Barrymore, one of the world's most celebrated Shakespearean actors. Her mother was a successful poetess, Michael Strange.

Her relatives included Broadway's reigning queen, Ethel Barrymore, and Lionel Barrymore was her uncle. Hers will be the fourth generation of Barrymores to carry on the family tradition—theater.

For years Diana's career vacillated between near success and dismal failure. At the same time her personal life alternated between sobriety and alcoholism.

Recently she achieved her greatest success in a 10-weeks run in Chicago of Tennessee Williams' play "Garden District."

She was in the midst of plans to continue her successful launched comeback just a few hours before her body was found in her East Side Manhattan apartment Monday.

Over 2,500 Daily Democrat are sold and delivered in Decatur each day.

Annual Retreat For Catholic Students

The Rev. Joseph Lima, C.P.P.S. will conduct the annual retreat for Decatur Catholic high school students Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Rev. Lima is a member of the American province of the missionary society — of the Precious Blood. He was ordained in December, 1944, and in 1954 joined the home mission band of the Precious Blood Fathers with headquarters at Brunnerdale Seminary, Canton, Ohio. Five years ago Rev. Lima conducted a similar retreat for DCHS students.

The retreat is an opportunity offered the students annually to take inventory of their spiritual status under the direction of a priest trained for the direction of souls. The day will begin at 8:05 a.m. as usual and end with benediction about 3:20 p.m. Instead of following the regular class schedule, however, the students will follow a schedule of spiritual exercises consisting of conferences by Rev. Lima, the rosary, the way of the cross, and private spiritual reading and meditation. Holy mass will be offered at 11 a.m.

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Boy Slightly Hurt When Hit By Auto

A six-year-old Decatur youth suffered a bruised forehead when he ran in front of a car driven by a local motorist at 10th and Washington street Monday at 4:52 p.m.

Charles F. Walters, 6, of 1310 Mix Avenue, received the minor injury when struck by the car driven by Oral E. Fulton, 42, of 1021 Master Drive.

The police report stated that Fulton attempted to stop and skidded 38 feet before striking the lad, who ran out from behind another car.

William Small At Labor Conference

MADISON, Wis.—Taking part in a recent labor relations management conference at the University of Wisconsin here was William Small, personnel director, Central Soya Company, Decatur, Ind.

More than 70 representatives of industries throughout Wisconsin and from four other states—Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, and a Colorado—participated in the conference at which Prof. Nathan P. Feinsinger, of the UW Law School faculty, and Allen K. Miller, regional manager of the American Arbitration Association in Chicago, led discussions and conducted a practice arbitration case.

Unexpected Warm Trend In Indiana

United Press International
An unexpected warm-up pierced a week-long cold spell in Indiana today, and set the stage for snow and rain.

Forecasts of zero to 15 above tonight after sub-freezing temperatures all day were sharply revised to call for warmer readings, including temperatures no lower than the lower 20s and as high as the mid 30s tonight.

Meanwhile, a new flurry of precipitation built up in the warmer air, and snow and rain were on the weather menu for the next three days, if not longer.

Forecasts called for light snow beginning this afternoon or evening in the north and spreading to the central portion late tonight. More snow was due Wednesday all around the state, possibly becoming mixed with rain or drizzle as temperatures climb from overnight lows generally below freezing.

Rain and snow north and rain south was expected Thursday as the mild weather continues, and it will begin to turn colder in the northwest portion Thursday.

High temperatures Monday ranged from 32 freezing at South Bend to 48 at Evansville, highest marks reached in more than a week. Overnight lows ranged from 16 at South Bend to 25 at Evansville.

Today's highs will range from the lower 20s north to the mid 30s south, and there will be little if any drop during the night. Then the Wednesday highs will range from the lower 30s to near 40.

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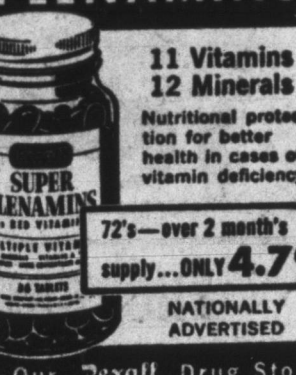


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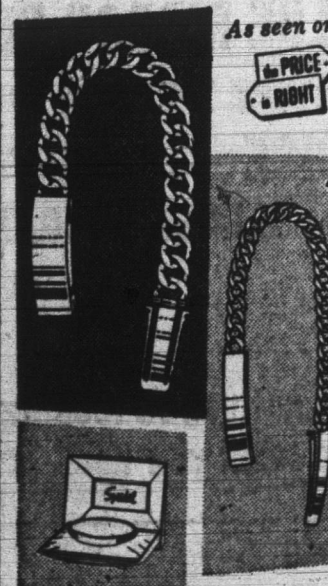
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