

SOCIETY

Clubs

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TUESDAY

grands, supreme and district officers. The basket was furnished by Lee's Hardware.

After registration from 12:00 p.m. to 1 p.m., the informal call to order was given by the mistress of ceremonies, Harriett Pollock. A formal introduction by the Decatur Council followed.

In the first formation, the girls wore sun rays on their heads and formed a triangle, introducing all the past grand officers. Next, they formed a heart and brought the present grand officers in and placed them between the Decatur girls in the heart formation, after which they brought their grand royal princess Beverly Clevenger, into the center of the heart, where she was given honors. After several other formations, the grand royal advisor, grand councillor, and supreme royal princess were presented corsages by the Flo-Kan girls.

During the program which followed, a welcome address was given by Donna Corey, royal princess of Decatur. The response, opening, balloting, installation of district officers and initiation of officers followed. Prizes were awarded by Vera Barber, grand royal advisor. Talks were given by supreme, grand officers, and guests. It was decided that the 1961 convention will be held in Peru.

The meeting then moved into the dining room, where tables were laid with white cloths, yellow nut cups and yellow napkins.

Girls initiated were Kathleen Call, Esther Feasel, and Julia Rich. District officers attending the meeting included: Shirley Mays, Decatur; Sue Coshern, Peru; Charleen Feasel, Decatur; Beth Bohn, Marion; Sharon Highley, Converse; Sicora McKinley, Peru; Jayne Hand, Peru; Lois Monneyhan, Converse; Barbara Shuey, Peru; Brenda Pulliam, Marion; Linda Lyon, Marion; Arlene Ancil, Converse; Faye Ahr, Decatur.

LADIES FELLOWSHIP MEETS IN PARSONAGE BASEMENT

The Ladies Fellowship of the Missionary church met Thursday evening in the parsonage basement. Eleven members were present.

Prayer delivered by Mrs. Mervin Rupp opened the meeting and devotions were given by Mrs. Mary Millington, using as her source, Acts 5:1-4. The ladies spent the evening working on a comforter. Mrs. Millington delivered the closing prayer.

CAROL DEVINE PRESIDES AT JUNIOR AUXILIARY MEETING

The American Legion Junior Auxiliary met Monday at the Legion Home. The meeting was opened by the president, Carol DeVine. A survey was then taken to determine the favorite television program of the group.

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sion program of the group. "Father Knows Best" was selected the favorite of the group. It was announced that the Legion Junior Auxiliary conference will be held in New Haven April 30. Reservations must be in to Mrs. Ed Bauer or Carol DeVine by April 16.

The next meeting will be a mother and daughter dinner the first Monday in May. Forty-nine members were present at the April meeting. Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Robert Smith, Mrs. Wayne Carpenter, Mrs. Richard Gehrig, Mrs. Laure Meyer, and Mrs. W. F. Schnepf.

MRS. POORMAN HOSTESS FOR MONROE W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Lynn Poorman was hostess recently to the Monroe W.C.T.U. Mrs. William Butcher was in charge of devotions and prayer was offered by Mrs. Lynn Poorman. During the business meeting conducted by the president, Mrs. Orval Lenhart, the treasurer's re-

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port was read by Mrs. John Gage. Immediately following the business session, a vocal solo was presented by Miss Sonya Poorman.

Plans were completed for the spring county convention, which was held Friday at the Antioch church. A skit entitled "Let Go" was then given by Mrs. Homer Winterberg and Mrs. Jack McBride. Mrs. Otto Longenberger presented the lesson on "Moderation." Group singing and a dismissal prayer closed the meeting.

The Monroe Rural Firemen will meet Thursday at 7:30 p. m. at the town hall.

Union Chapel Ladies Aid will conduct an all-day meeting Thursday in the church basement. A potluck dinner will be served at noon.

Mrs. Robert Laurent will be hostess for the Holy Family study club Thursday at 8:30 p.m.

W. M. A. of the Nuttman Avenue United Brethren church will meet at the home of Mrs. Pearl Laisure tonight at 7:30 o'clock.

The Adams County Cancer society will conduct a meeting at 8:15 p. m. Wednesday at the Med-Dent building. This will be an organizational meeting for the crusade April 19.

Hospital

ADMITTED
William Christner, Monroe; Mrs. Walter Kesler, Willshire, O.; Miss Anna Louise Sherrick, Decatur; Mrs. Elmer Uhrick, Decatur; Miss Karen Jeffries, Decatur; Chris Liechty, Linn Grove.

DISMISSED
Miss Yvonne Ginter, Decatur; Mrs. Cecil Macias, Jr. and baby boy, Decatur.

Locals

Dick Boch, former county surveyor who has been a patient in the Adams county memorial hospital for the past year and a half after suffering a stroke two years ago, has been transferred to the Berne nursing home.

Mrs. Florence Baumann celebrated her 80th birthday Monday with a trip to Columbia City to visit her grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Drew. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Drew, Mrs. Roland Gilman and children Jon and Barbara.

Edward F. Jaberg left this morning for Bucyrus, O., to visit his sister, Mrs. Wilford McPeak, who is ill in the hospital there.

Col. J. F. Sanman has returned to Decatur from New York where he underwent surgery.

L. M. Busche of West Lafayette transacted business in Decatur today.

James Rutherford, William Bush, and K. C. Lenard attended funeral services in Niles, Mich., Monday for a fellow worker who died Friday in Fort Wayne of a heart attack.

College Band To Perform At Berne

The 65-piece all-student Wheaton College Concert band (Illinois) is making its annual spring concert tour April 1 through 18. It appears in Berne H. S. gym Easter, April 17, 2:30 p.m. No admission charge. A free will offering will be taken.

Directed by Russell H. Platz, professor of music at the college, the band is presenting concerts in Indiana, New England, New York, and Pennsylvania. The Berne concert is one of 20 scheduled for their extended tour in commemoration of the college's centennial year (1860-1960).

During the past 10 years the band has made concert tours in nearly 30 states, largely in the mid-central, southern, and eastern states.

Music critics and newspapers have been most enthusiastic in their reviews of the college band concerts. Following one of their appearances in Kleinhans Music hall, Buffalo, New York, a newspaper columnist said: "The band is excellent. Its playing is smooth and precise... the program presented at Kleinhans Music hall was a judicious combination of arrangements for symphonic band and of music written especially for band."

Band members are not all music majors but represent the entire college with their variety of majors. Love of musicianship and the fellowship offered in practice and on tours, prompts these young men and women to enroll in one or another of the college's major music organizations.

Wheaton college is a liberal arts college with high academic ratings. Its conservatory of music holds membership in the National Association of Schools of Music.

Births

A daughter was born at 11:58 p.m. Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rodenberg of Connersville. The child weighed four pounds, 14 ounces at birth. Mrs. Rodenberg is the former Juanita Hoffman of Decatur. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hoffman, formerly of Decatur.

At the Adams county memorial hospital: Wendell and Carol Archer Beer, 1022 S. 13th St., Decatur are parents of a seven pound, four and one-half ounce daughter, born at 10:49 p.m. Monday.

A daughter weighing six pounds, seven and one-half ounces was born at 6:58 a.m. today to Philip H. and Carolyn E. Mitchell Barger, route 1, Monroe.

Retailers Attend A.M. Sales Clinic

Retailers in Van Wert, O., did not open their stores until 10 a.m. this morning so that they could attend an hour and a half sales clinic, sponsored by the education division of Kent State University. It is similar to the school held here two years ago on sales advertising by Indiana university.

Bethany E.U.B. Church Has Special Banquet

About twenty-five older members and friends of Bethany Evangelical United Brethren church will be present at the annual golden years banquet, Wednesday at 11:30 a.m.

The W.S.W.S. is serving the meal to all those who have reached seventy years or more. The Pleasant Mills Red Birds, a girls' trio from Pleasant Mills high school are singing several numbers. The trio is composed of Miss Carolyn Luginbill, Miss Cathy Shoaf and Miss Sharon Bebout.

The program is in charge of Rev. and Mrs. Benjamin G. Thomas. Invitations have been sent to forty persons but a few are ill or incapacitated. Transportation is provided. Guests are urged to call the home of Rev. Thomas, if they can come and have not yet notified Mrs. Gerald Cole.

Decatur Barracks Meeting Wednesday

A regular meeting of the Stephen A. Decatur barracks, No. 1369, World War I vets will be conducted at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the V. F. W. hall in Decatur. All members are urged to attend.

4H CLUB

Kirkland Kut-Ups conducted a meeting Thursday at 7:15 p. m. at the Pleasant Dale parish hall.

Miss Joan Brown, president, was in charge of the meeting. Pledges were led by Arleen Borne and Diane Steffen was in charge of group singing. Installation of officers was then conducted by Karen Cauble. Fourteen members, four visitors, and one adult leader answered roll call.

A demonstration on making chocolate brownies was given by Joan Brown and Linda Conrad. Mrs. Dale Ploughe, adult leader, aided members in planning future meetings. Devotions were given by Linda Conrad and Iris Cauble.

The next meeting will be conducted April 14 at 7:15 at the Pleasant Dale parish hall.

Karen Bieberich, news reporter

RUMMAGE SALE—Sponsored by Monroe W. S. C. S., April 8th and 9th in Lose Building, (next to Sutton's Jewelry), Friday 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., Saturday 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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