

FRIDAY, MAY 6, 1960

SOCIETY

MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET IS HELD

The Monroe Methodist W.S.C.S. held their annual mother and daughter banquet Wednesday evening in the church basement. Mrs. Glen Stucky, president, extended a welcome to the 210 guests and members, and grace was given by Mrs. Glen Workinger. The men of the church were in charge of serving the delicious dinner.

The mother and daughter welcome and response was given by Mrs. Elmer Inniger and daughters, Anne and Jane, and Mrs. Richard Everett and daughters, Connie, Debbie, and Gwen, presented special music. Mrs. Chris Inniger, program chairman, then introduced Mrs. Markley of Bluffton, who gave an interesting talk on her recent trip to the Orient.

Special recognition was given to Mrs. Harvey Haggard, Mrs. Robert Isch, Mrs. Wilson Mann, Mrs. Edgar Kiess, Mrs. George Snyder and Mrs. A. E. Burk. Mrs. Orval Lenhart was presented with a white Bible, and Mrs. Glen Stucky, retiring president, was given a past president's pin. The group was then dismissed with prayer by Mrs. George Snyder.

COME AS YOU ARE PARTY HELD RECENTLY

The Merrier Mondays club enjoyed a "come as you are" party at the home of Mrs. Homer Arnold, Jr., recently. Mrs. Gene Blume was assisting hostess.

The lesson on outdoor cookery was given by Miss Lois Folk, and devotions, by Ellen Fry and Cora Barger. The club prayer was recited, after which the citizenship lesson on voting was presented by Mrs. Jim Arnold. Mrs. Irvin Worthman was awarded the door prize.

During the social hour, games were played and group singing, led by Mrs. John Barger, was enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were then served the 26 members and one guest present. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lamar, with Mrs. Art Adams assisting.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB HOLDS MEETING

A meeting of the Jolly Housewife home demonstration club was held recently at the Pleasant Mills school. The president, Mrs. Richard Mailand, led the group in repeating the collect, and Mrs. Murray Holloway read the scripture and led in prayer. The history of the song of the month was given by Mrs. Paul R. Rich, who

also led the group in singing "All Through the Night."

"Banking points and insurance types" were given by the leader, Mrs. Bertha Bowen, and information on annuities, warranty deeds, partnerships and bills of sale, was presented by Mrs. Edith Baller. The health and safety lesson on "artificial respiration" was reviewed by Mrs. Elmer Goliff.

During the business meeting, the president announced the following dates: Purdue conference, June 13, 14, 15; county picnic, June 20, 6:30, carry-in supper at Berne park. Mrs. Eugene Hitchcock was welcomed as a new member.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. John King, Mrs. Ben McCullough, Mrs. Earl Williamson, and Mrs. Murray Holloway. Mrs. Glenn Mann received the door prize.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER BANQUET HELD RECENTLY

Approximately 175 persons attended the annual mother and daughter carry-in banquet held recently by the Zion Lutheran Missionary society. The tables were beautifully decorated with tulips, potted geraniums and pastel colored candles. The group sang the doxology preceding the meal, and Mrs. Richard Mailand gave the table prayer.

After welcoming all those attending, president Mrs. Norman Kruse, turned the program over to Mrs. Norman Geiger. Walter Zuercher and a group from the Zuercher music store in Berne presented an enjoyable program of accordian and marimba music. He also showed various items of interest, including a Swiss alpine horn, music box, and several hand carved objects from Switzerland. The group was composed of Landa Alman, Jerry Moser, Priscilla Seidner, Roy Mazelin, and Mrs. Robert Whisler.

Little Miss Renee Busse performed a tap dance number, and Mrs. Richard Mailand read "A Mother's Picture Prayer." Prizes were then awarded. Mrs. Otto Bieberich was given a prize for having the most daughters and granddaughters present. Mrs. Frank Aurand was honored for being the eldest mother present, while Mrs. Gail Gerke won a prize for being the youngest mother attending. Mrs. Hugh Engle and Mrs. Lee Fleming were the youngest grandmothers at the affair, and Mrs. Catherine England of Florida received a prize for having come the greatest distance. Lucky table place numbers were drawn from a decorative bird bath by small



Mrs. Gerald F. Laurent

Miss Sharon Klepper Weds Gerald Laurent

Major Bernard F. Schumacker, base chaplain, officiated at the nuptial mass of Miss Sharon Klepper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Klepper, 1900 Wendell avenue, Lima, O., and Lieutenant Gerald F. Laurent, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Laurent, 703 North Fifth street, on April 23 in the chapel at Mather Air Force Base, California.

The chapel's children's choir presented the musicale. The bride was attired in a ballerina length gown of chantilly lace with a fitted bodice, long tapered sleeves and a sabrina neckline. The bouffant skirt was styled in five tiers of scalloped lace. Her Spanish lace mantilla was a gift from her paternal grandmother, and came from Majorca, one of the Balearic islands off the coast of Spain. She carried a colonial bouquet of white carnations with a white orchid.

The matron of honor, Mrs. William Holznrecht, wore a princess style ballerina length dress of pink crystalline, fashioned with a short sleeved lace jacket. A pink lace hat and white gloves, and a colonial bouquet of pink rose buds and carnations completed her outfit.

Acting as best man was Lt. Monste Hall of Mather Air Force Base.

The parents of both the bride and groom were unable to attend. The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Klepper and the late Mr. and Mrs. David F. Teeple, of this city.

After a wedding breakfast at the officers' club, Mrs. Laurent changed to a light blue suit with white accessories. The white orchid corsage from her bridal bouquet was pinned to her ensemble.

The bride is a graduate of St. Gerard's high school, Lima, O.

She received her B.S. degree in occupational therapy at Mount Mary college, Milwaukee, Wis.

Until her marriage, she was employed at Riley Children's hospital, Indiana University - medical center, Indianapolis.

Her husband is a graduate of Decatur Catholic high school. He received his B.S. degree in industrial management at Purdue university and is now a lieutenant in the United States Air Force.

The couple returned to Sacramento Calif., from their wedding trip on April 25, and are now residing at 3349 Eye street, Apt. 4.

Meet Again.

The program committee included Mrs. Norman Geiger, Mrs. Richard Mailand, and Mrs. Walter Stoppenberg. The kitchen committee for the evening included Mrs. Will Schnepp, Sr., Mrs. Herman Krueckeberg, Mrs. Ted Witte, Mrs. Margaret Freby, Mrs. Clarence Dersch, and Mrs. Eleanor Wall.

girls in the audience. Those winning prizes in this category were Mrs. Richard Striker, Mrs. Milton Brown, Mrs. Wilbur Fuelling, and Miss Jan Lehman. Prizes of potted geraniums and petunias were also awarded.

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