

SOCIETY

PLEASANT MILLS

WBSN IN MEETING

The Pleasant Mills Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Morrison. The meeting was opened with Ethel Ray playing the piano prelude, after which the president, Mrs. Clyde Jones, read the devotion. The lesson and candlelight pledge service, "Jesus, the Light of the World," was presented by Mrs. Lee Custer, assisted by Mrs. Charles Arnold, Mrs. Glenn Mann, Mrs. Murray Holloway, Mrs. Lee Custer, Mrs. Wayne Clouse, Mrs. Lawrence Ehrsam, Mrs. Leland Ray, Mrs. Elmer Golliff and Mrs. Bill Workinger.

During the business meeting, plans were made for the Father's day dinner at the church on June 19. Following the Lord's prayer, refreshments were served by Mrs. Charles Morrison, Mrs. Wayne Clouse and Mrs. Leland Ray to the sixteen members attending.

EMMAUS GUILD HAS

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

At the recent meeting of the Emmaus guild of the Zion Lutheran church, the following officers were elected: president, Mrs. Enos Osterman; vice president, Mrs. Paul Hammond; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. William Porter; membership, Mrs. Eugene Hill; missions, Mrs. Wilbur Steele and Mrs. Walter Buettner.

The opening devotion was given by Mrs. Paul Wolf. During the business meeting, conducted by the president, Mrs. James Biele, donations were made to the Wheatridge foundation, and also to the Zion school library fund. Twenty-five members answered roll call. An auditing committee was also appointed by the president. The final meeting of the year will be held June 8 at 6 o'clock in the form of a picnic at Hanna-Nuttman park. The meeting was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. Roland Miller presented a commentary on three favorite hymns, after which they were sung, accompanied by Mrs. Dan Freeby. Later, Mrs. Miller and her small daughter, Diane, sang several songs to illustrate just what music means in their home. Games were later played and prizes awarded to Mrs. Richard Ludwig and Mrs. Freeby. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Paul Wolf, Mrs. Harry Bowers and Mrs. Albert Selking.

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

MEETING HELD WEDNESDAY

"Every Christian's Privilege" was the topic of the First Presbyterian Women's Association meeting held Wednesday in the church parlors. Mrs. Robert Gay, president, opened the meeting with the yearbook of prayer reading. The program was in charge of Mrs. E. E. Rydell and Mrs. W. W. Cravens. Mrs. Rydell introduced the topic with readings from "He Is Lord of All" by Eugene Carson Blake, on the meaning of witnessing for Christ, which is every Christian's privilege. Mrs. Cravens and Mrs. Edward Cook then presented a short scene portraying the "distractions of daily living which tend to prevent us from Christian duties."

This was followed by a question and answer period led by Mrs.

Rydell. She closed the program with prayer.

During the business meeting which followed, an announcement of the rummage sale profit, and a report of the committee concerning wedding receptions held at the church was made by the chairman, Mrs. J. F. Sanmann. Other members of her committee were Mrs. Ross Brian and Mrs. W. L. Harper.

Mrs. Jack Knudsen and Mrs. David Langston conducted an impressive ceremony of dedication for church fair pledges paid at this meeting, reviewing past improvements at the church made possible by fair pledge money and closing with scripture and prayer.

Details of the annual June tea to be held June 29, were presented. Mrs. Benjamin Thomas is to give a book review as the program. Mrs. Harper told of arrangements for the joint circle coffee to be held July 13 at the church.

It was decided to have a clean-up day at the church June 24, and to help with the Sunday School teachers' recognition night, June 22.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction. Members of the Naomi circle served refreshments. Mrs. Donald Norquest was chairman.

The Ruth and Naomi circle of the Zion Evangelical and Reformed church will meet at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the church.

The Pythian Sister Needle club will meet after Temple Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. at the Moose home.

The St. Paul Ladies Aid society will hold an all day meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Daniel Neireiter.

Hospital

Admitted
Mrs. Godfrey Nelson; Homer Bittner; Miss Sophia Ehlerding; Gregory Hess, South Bend; Miss Janet Reed, Craigville; Miss Jane Wolpert.

Dismissed
Miss Fayelle Byerly, transferred to Parkview hospital, Fort Wayne; Mrs. Frederick Clark; Mrs. Ralph Loshe and baby boy; Mrs. Eugene Mailand; Mrs. Curtis Jones; Mrs. Fred Bashara; Mrs. David Roop; Mrs. Kenneth Hawkins and baby boy; Miss Sharon Garton, transferred to Eluffton; Miss Phyllis Cotton, transferred to Parkview hospital, Fort Wayne.

Mrs. Ruth Cadou Is

Given First Award

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — Mrs. Ruth Cadou, wife of veteran newspaperman Eugene J. Cadou Sr. of United Press International, was honored with the first annual Ladies Gridiron Dinner Award of the Indianapolis Press Club Thursday night.

The award will be given annually to the wife of an Indiana newspaperman who made an outstanding contribution to journalism. Cadou, dean of Indiana Statehouse reporters, received the Press Club's Front Page Award last month.



Miss Ruth Ellen Wheat

Ruth Ellen Wheat To Be July Bride

Saturday, July 9, is the date selected by Miss Ruth Ellen Wheat and Donald G. Shifferly for their wedding in the Methodist church at Hoagland. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheat of near Hoagland, and Shifferly is the son of Mrs. Ruth Shifferly, route 2, Monroeville, and the late Ivan Dale Shifferly.

Both Miss Wheat and her fiancé are members of the 1960 graduating class of Hoagland high school. Shifferly is employed by Peter Eckrich and sons of Fort Wayne.

Locals

Miss Virginia Foor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur W. Foor, 906 High street, is celebrating her 16th birthday today.

Miss Ruth Ann Soliday, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Soliday, 323 South Fifth street, observed her 16th birthday Wednesday.

BIRTH

At the Adams county memorial hospital:

Benjamin and Constance Howlett Jones are parents of a baby girl, born at 1:25 p.m. Thursday. She weighed 6 pounds, 8 ounces.

GIRL SCOUTS

The last official meeting of the year for Brownie troop 563, was held Thursday afternoon at the Lincoln school. After the collection of the dues, the troop played games and sang songs. Kathy Roughia brought a treat of candy bars.

Sandra Duff, scribe

Shocking Tales Of Espionage May Unfold

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (UPI) — U.N. diplomats said today some shocking tales of big league espionage may unfold in the impending Security Council debate on the American-Soviet spy plane hassle. Russia, which several times has felt the sting of a formal U.N. condemnation for its actions in Hungary, was asking that the United States similarly be condemned for a program of U-2 reconnaissance flights "threatening the universal peace."

U.S. Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge promised he would meet the Soviet accusations "head-on" in the debate — possibly the stormiest of its kind in post-war history — that is due to begin in the Security Council on Monday.

There was increasing pressure from the U.S. Congress for Lodge to make public the full extent of Soviet espionage activities — including one incident which, according to Vice President Nixon, involved Russian officials in the U.N. itself.

Lodge, arriving in Washington Thursday night for weekend talks with President Eisenhower and Secretary of State Christian A. Herter, said the United States would "prove the Soviet item is falacious."

He left no doubt the United States would hit hard at the need for intelligence measures because of the danger of surprise attack by Russia.

Reckless Driving Charge Filed Here

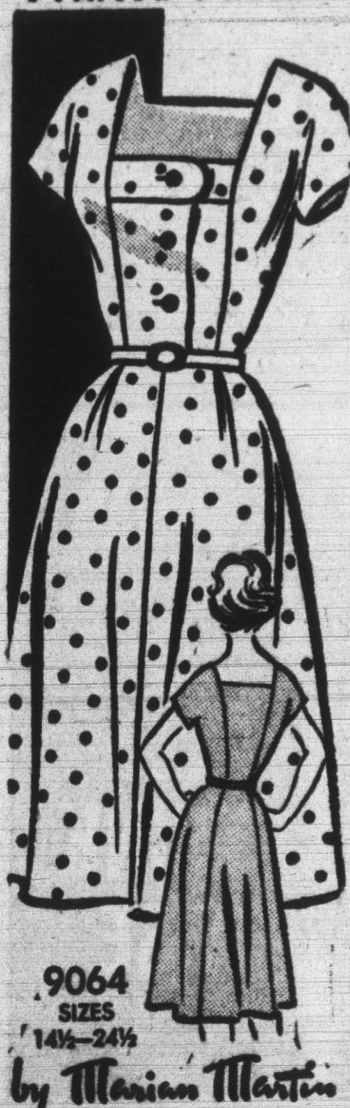
This morning at 2:50 o'clock James K. Schnepf, 20, 720 N. 3rd street, was arrested by city police, after wrecking his car near the Decatur Drive-in theater. City policeman Strickler saw Schnepf driving recklessly around town and gave chase. After a wild chase through city streets, Schnepf headed out U. S. 33, with Strickler still in pursuit, but he failed to negotiate a curve and his car left the road. Schnepf was arrested for reckless driving and failure to obey an officer. Damage was estimated at \$550. He will appear in court on Monday at 9 a.m.

Also approved were: Soldiers' and Sailors' Children's Home—\$345, repairs; Soldiers' Home—\$1,000, renovate elevator; State Sanatorium—\$1,500, repairs; Northern Indiana Children's Hospital—\$1,050, repairs; Indiana Deaf School—\$800, repairs; State Farm—\$450, barn rehabilitation; Indiana Boys' School—\$3,300, kitchen rehabilitation, and \$11,050 to replace wash fountains; Statehouse—\$19,771, remodel entrances.

Adjutant General—\$3,693, repairs to armories; Central State Hospital—\$3,300, linen room shelving; Richmond State Hospital—\$5,866, repairs to dairy farm, and \$9,130, additional personnel; Conservation Department—\$5,025, equipment storage building, and \$35,000, land purchase for public hunting and fishing sites; Department of Corrections—\$14,500, replacement of equipment.

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Clubs

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

FRIDAY

Eastern Star rummage sale, Lose building, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

Order of Rainbow for Girls installation, Masonic hall, 7 p.m. Eastern Star rummage sale, Lose building, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

MONDAY

Pythian Sister Needle club, Moose home, 7:30 p.m. Lady bug hunt, V.F.W., 8 p.m. Methodist W. S. C. S. circle 1, Mrs. Robert Babcock, 7:15 p.m.

TUESDAY

Executive committee of Decatur Woman's club, Mrs. Leo V. Curtin, 8 p.m.

Eta Tau Sigma sorority, Mrs. Louis Smithley, 8 p.m. Shrine club, Preble restaurant, 6:15 p.m. Root Township Home Demonstration club, Mrs. Lloyd Bowman, 1 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

St. Paul Ladies Aid society, Mrs. Daniel Neireiter, all day.

Approve Building For State School

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — The State Budget Committee today made room for 80 more mentally retarded children by approving an expenditure of \$175,000 for five cottages at Muscatatuck State School.

The cottages will house 16 children each. Originally, the plan was to build one large structure costing the same amount, but state mental health officials urged the cottage plan instead because it would permit a more progressive program.

Officials explained that present patients at Muscatatuck with higher-level intelligence probably would be transferred to the new cottages, making room for another 80 children now awaiting entrance to the institution.

The budget committee also approved \$26,870 for repair and replacement work at Muscatatuck, including construction of three buildings destroyed by fire last month.

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Postal Rate Boost Urged By C. Of C.

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The U.S. Chamber of Commerce urged Congress today to streamline the nation's mail handling and raise postal rates to make the Post Office Department self-supporting.

The chamber called for postal rate increases on first, second and third class mail to wipe out the expected \$54 million dollars Post Office Department deficit in the next fiscal year.

Chamber official Verne R. Sullivan told the House Post Office Committee in prepared testimony that "as an efficiency and economy move" the organization also recommended revamped mail handling procedures and modernization of the 40,000 post offices throughout the country.

He said second-class mail, which includes newspapers and magazines, pays only part of its cost under present rates and should have "an adequate charge."

President Eisenhower recommended penny hikes in postal rates to five cents for first class and eight cents for air mail.

Other congressional news: House investigators questioned N. W. Freeman, head of Midwestern Gas Transmission Co., about why his firm ordered lawyer Thomas G. (Tommy the Cork) Corcoran to talk privately with three federal power commissioners about a pending FPC decision. Corcoran has testified his chats were proper.

TESTS: Chairman John A. McCone of the Atomic Energy Commission told Congress the U.S. suspension of nuclear weapons tests has hurt this country. He said in testimony released today that it has been a "greater disadvantage to the United States than the Soviet Union."

MEDICAL: Speaker Sam Rayburn (Tex.) faced a problem in getting legislation to set up a medical care for the aged program through the deadlocked House Ways & Means Committee. A series of test votes Thursday showed no compromise version of either the administration plan or Democratic proposals has enough support to gain committee approval.

Reapportionment Of House Planned

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI) — Three members of the four-man Indiana Legislative Apportionment Study Committee today reached a tentative agreement on a constitutional amendment using the federal census for reapportionment of the House.

The committee, headed by Sen. Willis K. Batchelet (R-Angola), discussed the different plans offered previously by its members and others.

At the close of the session, Batchelet said he and Rep. Ralph Waltz (R-Hagerstown) and Rep. Carroll Dennis (D-Indianapolis) had reached a tentative agreement to offer a proposed amendment to the Aug. 2 Legislative Advisory Commission meeting containing these provisions:

—Abolish the present plan which has not been used since the 1920s, calling for the state to take its own census once every six years of males only.



PART OF THE INDIANA MS family of the year is shown here eagerly awaiting the answer to their question... "When will the CAUSE and a cure for multiple sclerosis be found so that mother will be able to take care of three-year-old Bobby again?" They are from left to right, Marcia, Mary Alice, Harvey Showalter, Lloyd, and Fred.

The Harvey Showalter family, 6125 Shelby St., Indianapolis, has been named the "M. S. Family of the Year" by the Indiana chapter of the national multiple sclerosis society at the kick-off coffee held at the governor's mansion. Mrs. Harold W. Handley was the hostess for more than one hundred volunteers and multiple sclerosis patients from over the state of Indiana. The kick-off coffee signifies the start of the campaign for funds to aid in finding the cause and cure of this dread disease. The campaign will get underway Sunday, May 22 with a house to house canvass in many areas of the state. The Indiana chapter, in addition to the aid given in the research program, assists patients by the loan of needed equipment and in conducting clinics for M. S. patients to help those patients by evaluation of disabilities and suggested therapy. The theme of this year's campaign is "Home is where the hurt is when multiple sclerosis hits."

The Showalter family definitely know that—"Home is where the hurt is when multiple sclerosis hits." Because of the inability of Mrs. Showalter, who is an M. S. patient, to care for their three and one-half year old son, Bobby, he is now staying with relatives in St. Louis. They are looking forward to the time when a cure for this crippling disease will be found so that their family will be reunited.

"Please give generously when the messenger of hope comes to your home so that through research, happiness will again be present in all multiple sclerosis homes."

4,000 Pheasants Are Released In County

A total of 4,000 pheasants were released to Adams county 4-H clubs and adult sports clubs at Coppess Corners Tuesday by the state conservation department, Jack Hurst, district conservation officer, said today.

About 1,600 more birds will be released. This is the largest number, by 1,000, ever to be received in the county. The groups raise the birds eight weeks, and then release them: The 4-H club members with pheasant projects raise the birds for a longer period. The birds come from the Wells county game farm.

Jerry Miller Is Reported Improved

The condition of Jerry Miller is reported improved today. Jerry's blood pressure has returned to

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