

# SOCIETY

## PYTHIAN NEEDLE CLUB HAS FALL LUNCHEON

The Pythian Sisters Needle club met after temple at the Moose home recently, with 14 members answering roll call.

A delicious luncheon was served from tables attractively decorated with cornucopia horns filled with fruit, and crystal double candleholders with lighted tapers. Serving was by candlelight. Colored corn pumpkin nut cups filled with grapes, bitter sweet and apples also decorated the tables.

Games were enjoyed by the members attending and prizes were awarded to the winners. Mrs. Frances Howard and Mrs. Byron Smith were hostesses for the event. The door prize was awarded to Mrs. Delton Passwater.

## RESEARCH CLUB HAS OPENING MEETING

The opening meeting of the Research club was held at the home of Mrs. Paul Edwards Monday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Linn presented a very interesting and timely report on "A Great Voyage." This was taken from the book "Admiral of the Ocean Sea" by Samuel Morrison, and described the first voyage of Columbus and the discovery of the West Indies.

Mrs. J. M. Doan presided at the tea table following the business meeting. Mrs. O. L. Vance was assisting hostess and the social committee consisted of Mrs. Virgil Krick, Mrs. Lewis Smith, Mrs. A. R. Holthouse and Mrs. Glen Dickerson.

## EVERREADY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS MET RECENTLY

The Everready Sunday school class of the First Methodist church met recently in the church lounge, with nineteen members answering to the roll call.

Devotions were presented by Mrs. O. L. Vance. After reading of the scripture from St. Luke and Isaiah, she gave an interesting talk on "harvest time" and closed her devotions with prayer.

Mrs. W. P. Robinson, class president, conducted the business session and the secretary's and treasurer's reports were read at this time.

Mrs. Dovie Bedwell, program chairman, conducted contests, and awarded prizes to Mrs. N. A. Bixler and Mrs. W. P. Robinson.

A social time followed with refreshments served by the hostesses, Mrs. Fred Hancher, Mrs. E. W. Johnson and Mrs. N. A. Bixler.

## MONROE METHODIST WSCS HEARS THE REV. L. G. SAPP

The Monroe Methodist woman's society of Christian service held their regular monthly meeting in the social room of the church, Thursday. The piano prelude was played and then singing by a trio consisting of Bertha Poorman, Joyce Nussbaum and Clisty Fruchte. The devotions were given by Neva Workinger and another number by the trio.

Mrs. Willis Gierhart, in charge of the program for the evening, introduced the Rev. L. G. Sapp of the Bluffton Methodist church, who gave a talk and showed slides of his recent trip to Germany and other parts of Europe, which were very interesting. The business meeting was conducted by Gladys Crownover, president. The week of prayer and self-denial will be observed Thursday, October 26, at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Irene Winteregger. Refreshments were served by the executive board of the society and a time of fellowship was enjoyed by all those attending.

## WOMEN'S GUILD OF E & R HEAR MRS. ROBERT MILLER

Mrs. Robert B. Miller, Gary, has been chosen the principal speaker of the fall educational meeting and workshop of the Fort Wayne regional women's guild of the Evangelical and Reformed (United Church of Christ) church. Mrs. Otto Gumpfer, regional president, announced that the meeting will be held Tuesday, October 17, at Cross church, Berne.



Miss Bonnie Jean Fulton

Mrs. Miller is the Christian social action chairman of the women's guild of the Evangelical and Reformed church. She is serving as chairman of finance for the Indiana council of united church women and is racial and cultural relations chairman with the Indiana council of churches. Mrs. Miller is on the women's planning committee of the Japan international Christian university.

Mrs. Gumpfer announced that the meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. Omar Reusser is the president of the Berne guild.

## FAMILY REUNION AT SUNSET PARK SUNDAY

The family of Mrs. Alice Christen met at Sunset park, Sunday, for a family reunion. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Keith Field of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ralston, Linda and Michael; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones and Mrs. James Jones, all of Van Wert, O.; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bauserman, John and Gregg of Monroeville; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Faurote, Patricia, Cathy, Bill, Martin and Mary; Mr. and Mrs. William Christen, Steven and Sally; Mr. and Mrs. Lynford Bracey, David, Gary, Bobby, Larry and Carol; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Christen, Scott, Brad, and Jody all of Decatur.

Those unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Christen, Dan, Tom, Jim and Dave of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Foster Northrup, Steven and Jeffrey of West Lafayette and James Jones of Van Wert, O.

## WESLEY COUPLES CLASS HAS FIRST FALL MEETING

The Wesley couples' class of the First Methodist church held their first fall meeting of the season recently in the recreation room of the church. Twenty-two members and two guests, attended. The bride-elect is a graduate of Decatur high school and is employed at Standard Packaging Co., Royal Lace division, Baer Field.

Her fiance graduated from Adams Central high school and is employed at the General Electric Co. in Fort Wayne. He is also attending the G. E. apprentice school.

The couple will exchange vows at the First Baptist church of Decatur, Thanksgiving evening.

ess to the Pleasant Mills Baptist WMS, Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m.

The Merry Makers home demonstration club will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Thieme Monday at 8 p.m. for a masquerade party.

The meeting was opened by the members singing several hymns, "In the service of the King" and "Standing on the Promises."

Russell Owens presented devotions reading from the 121st Psalm and also read an item entitled, "Faith is your Security." He concluded the devotions with prayer.

Mrs. Kathryn Nelson, president, conducted the business meeting, during which the secretary and treasurer's reports were read and approved. At the close of the meeting, the members enjoyed various games conducted by the social committee.

The members were then invited into the dining room where cheese cake and coffee were served from tables beautifully decorated in keeping with the autumn season.

Those serving on the committee were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ahr, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Owens, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elzey, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Lawson and Mrs. Raymond Walters.

Mrs. Glenn Hill will be hostess to the Lydia circle of the Trinity EUB church, Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Blanche Mumma will be the leader.

The Mariner's club of the First Presbyterian church will have a family Halloween party, Sunday at 7 p.m. in the church basement.

The WSCS of the First Methodist church will have a service of prayer and self-denial, Thursday, beginning at 10:30 a.m. This service takes the place of the scheduled 11 o'clock circle meetings. The executive meeting will be at 10 a.m., luncheon at 12 noon, and the general meeting at 1 o'clock.

The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Irene Winteregger. Refreshments were served by the executive board of the society and a time of fellowship was enjoyed by all those attending.

## LOCALS

Jay DeVoss, son of Mr. and Mrs. John DeVoss of Decatur, has been pledged to Phi Delta Theta fraternity at Franklin College.

Stewart Knodel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Knodel of Homestead, was pledged to Sigma Alpha Epsilon at Franklin College following a week of rush activities.

Ruth circle of First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Clarence Ziner, 8 p.m.

Kirkland WCTU, Mrs. Ervin Lockner, 1:30 p.m.

Shakespeare club, Mrs. Roy Kalver, 2:30 p.m.

BPW, American Legion home, 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

WSCS of First Methodist church, 10:30 a.m.

Salem Methodist WSCS, at the church, 1:30 p.m.

Catholic Young Adults, meet at school, bowling, 8 p.m.

Martha circle of First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Charles Hite, 2:30 p.m.

Order of Eastern Star, Masonic hall, 7:30 p.m.

Civic Music Concert, Youth and Community Center, 8 p.m.

Mary circle of First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Robert Gay, 2:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Our Lady of Lourdes study club, Mrs. John Lengerich, after church.

American Legion auxiliary, Legion home, 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

Rummage sale, associate chapter of Tri Kappa, Habegger building, 8:30 a.m. until sold out.

SUNDAY

Mariners' club of First Presbyterian church, family Halloween party, church basement, 7 p.m.

MONDAY

Merry Makers club, Mrs. Walter Thieme, 8 p.m.

Woman's club dinner meeting, Community Center, 6:30 p.m.

## Hospital

### Admitted

Mrs. Harold H. Mattox, Geneva; Mrs. Mary Jane Saylor, Decatur; Arthur Braun, Decatur; Mrs. Sam Counterman, Hoagland; Mrs. Andrew Habegger, Berne.

### Dismissed

Miss Shirley Cummings, Decatur; Arthur Scheumann, Hoagland; Mrs. Martin Weitfeld and baby girl, Monroeville.

### Mrs. Mary Melching

Mrs. Mary Melching will be host-

## Boy Scouts Attend Camp-O-Retreat

Boy Scout troop 64 will attend the Camp-O-Retreat for Catholic Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts at the Bluffton game preserve Friday, Saturday and Sunday, scoutmaster Jim Roop explained today. The local troop, with about 32 active members, will send approximately 25 scouts. Roop, former scoutmaster Medford Smith, and George Foos. The boys will be pitching their tents Friday evening and will take part in the program.

Camp-O-Retreat, sponsored by the Fort Wayne Catholic lay committee on scouting, will combine regular camping activities, a science program on outer space, and contests, with spiritual exercises. Awards will be given to the patrols best displaying scouting attitudes and ability in camp life. Life in the camp will be organized on the patrol method. Each scout attending the camp, will receive a camp patch.

The Our Lady of Lourdes study club will meet at the home of Mrs. John Lengerich, Friday after church.

Mrs. Fred Isch has announced that any active Psi Ote who might want to use any of the four concert season tickets available, may do so by contacting her.

Mrs. Mary Melching will be host-

## Clubs

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

### TUESDAY

Nu-U club, Mrs. Miriam Miller, 1:30 p.m.

Martha circle of Trinity EUB church, Mrs. Evelyn Affolder, 7:30 p.m.

St. Dominic club, Mrs. William Berling, 8 p.m.

Calvary EUB ladies aid, Hanna Nuttman park, 7:30 p.m.

Tri Kappa, Mrs. Robert Worthman, 7:30 p.m.

Olive Rebekah lodge, 7:30 p.m., lodge hall.

Dorcas class of Bethany EUB church, Mrs. Henry Adler, 7:30 p.m.

American Cancer society, Medent building, 8 p.m.

Mt. Pleasant WSCS, Mrs. Norval Fuhrman, 7:30 p.m.

Associate Tri Kappa, Mrs. Robert Holthouse, 7:45 p.m.

Priscilla circle of Trinity EUB church, Mrs. Max Andrews, 1 p.m.

St. Catherine study club, Mrs. Bob Myers, 8 p.m.

Eta Tau Sigma sorority, Preble Gardens, 8 p.m.

Delta Lambda chapter, Mrs. Edward Buckner, 8 p.m.

Mommouth PTA, school, 7:30 p.m.

Profit and Pleasure club, Mrs. Roy Stucky, 7:30 p.m.

Xi Alpha Xi chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, Mrs. Clarence Ziner, 8 p.m.

Rose Garden club, Mrs. Paul Daniels, 2 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Pleasant Mills Baptist WMS, Mrs. Mary Melching, 7:30 p.m.

Lyria circle of Trinity EUB, Mrs. Glenn Hill, 1:30 p.m.

Historical club, Mrs. Ed Miller, 2 p.m.

Corinthian class of First Christian church, Mrs. Homer Ruhl, 7:30 p.m.

Evangeline circle of Zion E and R church, Mrs. Jean Bedwell, 7:30 p.m.

K. of C. card party, after church, K. of C. hall.

Naomi circle of First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Talmadge Campbell, 8 p.m.

Ruth circle of First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Clarence Ziner, 8 p.m.

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