

# SOCIETY

## PUP TENT 23 OF M. O. C. HAS SCRATCH

The Military Order of Cooties, pup tent 23, held a scratch recently. All those who turned in old eyeglasses are thanked by the Cooties and Jack McDonald. Eyeglasses, regardless of condition, are still being collected; they can be turned in at the V. F. W. post. The district scratch, grand convention and local, annual dance were all discussed. The next scratch will be April 20, at the V. F. W., promptly at 8 p.m.

## PYTHIAN SISTERS HAVE MEETING

The Pythian Sisters Temple met at the Moose home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Cecil Gause, most excellent chief, presided at the Temple meeting.

The Needle club met after Temple, and Mrs. Wilfred Plasterer presided. Twenty members answered roll call. Games were played and prizes awarded to the winners. The door prize was won by Mrs. Wilfred Plasterer.

A delicious luncheon was served at beautifully decorated tables by Mrs. Joe Hunter and Mrs. Frank Butler. The next meeting will be April 22; hostesses will be Mrs. C. L. August and Miss Grace Lichtenstiger.

## SHOWER HONORS MRS. CHAPMAN

A baby shower was held Sunday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Kerwin Chapman (the former Sally McCullough) at the home of Mrs. Ed McCullough. Assisting Mrs. McCullough, were Mrs. Richard McCullough and Mrs. Ben McCullough.

When Mrs. Chapman arrived, she was presented with a corsage made of baby items. Games were played and prizes won by Mrs. Ralph Tieman, Mrs. John King and Mrs. Ben McCullough, who presented the honor guest.

The many lovely gifts were placed on a nylon net dressing table, which was included in the gifts. The table was decorated with large pink and blue bows, and streamers fell from the ceiling, depicting the theme, "showers of gifts for baby." After all the gifts were opened, refreshments, in the pink and blue theme, were served and each guest received a pink and blue miniature baby rattle.

Guests present were the Mesdames Nimrod McCullough, Gerald McCullough and Eddie, John King, Ralph Tieman, Sara and Kathy, and Denny, Timmy, Jimmy, and Kenny McCullough. Unable to attend, but sending gifts were Mrs. Charles McCullough, Mrs. Paul McCullough and Ruth Ann, Mrs. Bob McCullough and Karen and Mrs. Pat Huston.

## WOMEN OF THE MOOSE MET THURSDAY EVE

The Women of the Moose met Thursday evening at the Moose home, for enrollment ceremonies. Mrs. Herbert Fravel, senior regent, presided. Mrs. Lester Sheets, homemaking chairman, was in charge of the chapter night program. The co-workers were entertained by Mrs. Leo Sheets, who sang two selections.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served by the chairman and her committee. The next regular meeting will be April 18, 8 p.m.



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## MEETING FOR CHARITY CIRCLE UNION CHAPEL

The Charity circle of the Union Chapel, E. U. B. church, met recently with Mrs. Doyle Egly as hostess. Mrs. Veda Williamson was leader for the evening, and opened the lesson with a skit.

A Bible study of Ephesians 4:1-16, was discussed by the group. A prayer was conducted by Mrs. Homer Miller. As the offering was being taken, the record, "Beautiful Garden of Prayer," was played.

Mrs. Don Smith, circle chairman, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Don Hirschey, Mrs. Arnold Roughia, Mrs. Lucy Walters, Mrs. Ferris Fox, and Mrs. Doyle Egly were appointed to serve on committees for the mother and daughter banquet. Mrs. Ferris Fox was welcomed as a new member.

Refreshments were served to the eleven members and one guest present.

The Salem Methodist W. S. C. S. will meet Thursday afternoon, 1:30 o'clock, in the church basement. Elisha Merriman will be the hostess.

The Northwest P.T.A. has cancelled its April 11 meeting and will meet April 18. A band concert, under the direction of Richard Collins, will be given at the meeting.

The W. M. S. of the Pleasant Mills Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Treva Mihm, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

## MRS. SIMERMAN HOSTESS TO RUTH CIRCLE

The Ruth Circle of Decatur E. U. B. church met recently at the home of Mrs. Dan Simerman, with nine members and one visitor present. The opening devotions were presented by Mrs. Fuhrman Miller, after which the business meeting was conducted.

Mrs. Howard Eley was in charge of the lesson for the evening entitled, "This Is Your Life" — The Church on the Rim of East Asia." The honored guest on the "This Is Your Life" program was Mrs. Church-on-the-Rim-of-East-Asia and she was visited by representatives of the Okinawa church, the church on Formosa and the Korean church. The offering was received and the meeting was closed with prayers by members of the circle.

Mrs. Eley then distributed "South East Asia Puzzlement" and pointed out the many products which the U. S. depends upon from these countries.

Delicious refreshments, in keeping with the Easter season, were served by the hostess. The May meeting of the Ruth circle will be held at the home of Mrs. Francis Howard with the program leader being Mrs. Carl Sheets.

## BRIDAL SHOWER FOR MISS PAULINE SCHWARTZ

The country home of Mrs. Vernon Geisel was the scene, Friday evening, for a bridal shower, given for Miss Pauline Schwartz, who will become the bride of Steven Riley, April 14.

Pink and white was the color scheme used for the decorations. Pink and white streamers were used throughout the entertaining rooms and a pink and white umbrella was suspended from the ceiling, above the chair of the honor guest. The gift table, covered with a white lace tablecloth, was centered with a bride doll.

After Miss Schwartz opened her many lovely gifts, dainty refreshments were served. Attending were, the Mesdames Amos M. Schwartz, Merle Riley, John Habegger, Delmar Neuenschwander, Howard Pharr and Diana, Roger Moser, Mary Habegger, Paul Augsburger, Simon Schwartz, Eli Schwartz, Kenneth Schwartz, Lester Schwartz, Jack Schwartz, Howard Schwartz, William Gilpin and Kaye Ann, Paul Schladdenhaufer, Oscar Sprunger, Vernon Riley, Wilmer Riley, Norris Riley, William Brown, Jacob Amstutz and the Misses Ella and Sharon Schwartz, Lydia Nussbaum, Donna Habegger. The Mesdames Kenneth Augsburger, Lorris Phillips, Marcus Sprunger, Glen Rupert and Reed Riley sent gifts although unable to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. William A. Klepper have returned from a winter in Florida, and will spend the month in Decatur, before leaving in early May for Las Vegas and Hawaii.

Forrest Hamrick, of route one, Willshire, O., Dennis Wallick, of Wren, O., and James Vining of Willshire, O., have been admitted to the Van Wert county hospital.

Forrest Ivan Erubaker, of Geneva, has been admitted to the Jay county hospital.

Glen W. Yager, 20, of route 2, Berne, was arrested at 3:55 p.m. Sunday one mile north of Bluffton for reckless driving. He will appear in Bluffton May 7; a number of arrests were also made for violating the muffler ordinance.

Mrs. Dwight Dailey, of Linn Grove, has been dismissed from the Clinic hospital in Bluffton.

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## Couple Married In California

Miss Minnie Serna became the bride of Pfc. Joseph Montalvo Saturday, March 23, at 10 a.m. in Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Serna, 946 North Twelfth St., are the parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcario Montalvo, Fort Wayne.

The bride wore a gown of silk organza over taffeta for her wedding. The long, basque bodice was fashioned with a scalloped bateau neckline, trimmed with embroidery, seed pearls and colored sequins; a large bow of self-material accented the back. The bell skirt, designed with controlled fullness, had a panel which was trimmed with embroidery, seed pearls and colored sequins, and fell into a chapel train. Her

bouffant veil of pure silk, imported English illusion, fell from a Swedish crown made of pearls and aurora crystal beads; enhanced with small, hand-made organza rosebuds. She carried a white orchid.

The maid of honor was Mrs. Andrea Mirras, Los Angeles, and she carried a bouquet of begonia orchids. John Mirras served as best man.

For her son's wedding, the bridegroom's mother chose a brown dress with a corsage of brown begonia orchids. The bride's parents were unable to attend the wedding.

The couple spent their honeymoon in California.

## Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Laun Miller and sons, route 3, and Mrs. Phoebe Miller, route 5, spent the weekend in Villa Park, Ill., with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Miller and family.

Sunday morning, they attended the confirmation service at Calvary E. U. B. church, Villa Park, Ill., for the confirmation of Arsey Lynn Miller.

Kerry Uhrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emer Uhrick, broke his clavicle Monday, during his gym class in Lincoln school. He returned to school today.

Lafe Swigart underwent surgery today at the Bluffton Clinic. His room number is 464.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Miller returned Sunday evening from a trip to Delevon, N. Y. where they visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Miller, and family.

Adams circuit court Judge Myles F. Parrish is confined to his home again today with illness. In the judge's illness, Chris H. Musselman has been appointed judge pro tem.

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## Club Schedule

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Society Editor

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

TUESDAY

St. Catherine study club, Mrs. Don Roeder, 8:30 p.m.

Active Tri Kappa, Mrs. William Brown, 7:45 p.m.

St. Dominic study club, Mrs. Charles Keller, 7:30 p.m.

Delta Theta Tau, Mrs. Donald Middendorf, 8 p.m.

Associate Tri Kappas, Mrs. Fred Smith, 7:30 p.m.

Rebekah Lodge, Red Men's hall, 7:30 p.m.

Church of God Missionary society, Fellowship hall, 7:30 p.m.

Welcome Wagon club, Mrs. Fred Corah, 8 p.m.

Xi Alpha Xi of Beta Sigma Phi Mrs. William Affolder, 8 p.m.

Profit and Pleasure Club, Mrs. Richard Maloney, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Pleasant Mills Baptist W.M.S., Mrs. Treva Mihm, 7:30 p.m.

Calvary Ladies aid, Mrs. Varrell McIntosh, 7:30 p.m.

Naomi circle, Presbyterian church, 9 a.m.

Ruth circle, Presbyterian church, Mrs. Dick Heller, Jr., 8 p.m.

Mt. Pleasant WSCS, Mrs. Lawrence Sustorf, 7:30 p.m.

Zion Lutheran Missionary society, parish hall, 1:30 p.m.

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

Rachel circle, Decatur E. U. B., Mrs. Norman Koons, 8:15 p.m.

Mary-Martha circle, Presbyterian church, Mrs. Lowell Harper, 2 p.m.

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