

Club Schedule

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

TUESDAY
Delta Theta Tau, cancelled.
District I-I. S. N. A. joint section meeting, School of Nursing, Joseph hospital, Fort Wayne, 7:45 p.m.
Olive Rebekah lodge, Red Men's hall, 7:30 p.m.
Nu-U club, 1140 W. Madison Street, 7:30 p.m.
Emmaus Guild, Parish Hall, 8:00 p.m.
Xi Alpha Xi Sorority, Valentine party, Mrs. George Bair, Sr. 8 p.m.
Eagles Auxiliary, Eagles Hall, 8 p.m.
Decatur Circuit chapter Valparaiso University Guild, Bethlehem, Ossian, 8 p.m.
Sarah Circle of Decatur E. U. B. church, Mrs. Charles Kent, 1 p.m.
Tri Kappa Associate Chapter, Mrs. Forrest Murray, Postponed to February 18.
Monroe Better Home demonstration club, 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Albert Tinkham.
Our Lady of Lourdes study club,

NORTH CAROLINA TOPIC OF HISTORICAL CLUB

Seventeen members of the Historical club met in the home of Mrs. James Shackley, with Mrs. Ray Shackley as hostess.

Mrs. Lloyd Ahr read the paper on North Carolina prepared by Mrs. Agnes Campbell, of Vivian, Louisiana. The state motto is "To be rather than to seem." The state bird is the cardinal, and North Carolinians are called the "Tar Heels." The state claims to be the world's largest tobacco grower. Bath is the oldest town and the first capital. The colonial history of North Carolina is preserved in its churches, fine homes, and public buildings. Blackbeard is the famous pirate legend in the coastal North Carolina. Daniel Boone symbolized the spirit of pioneers. North Carolina has given three presidents to the United States. The capital building in Raleigh is of Greek revival architecture. Rock hounding is a fascinating pastime. The famed Sandhills section is a unique little "Heaven on earth."

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Charles Kent, 311 N. Ninth street, February 19, with Mrs. Artie Crider as hostess.

PYTHIAN SISTERS HOLD MEETING HERE

The Pythian Sisters Temple met at the Moose home. Mrs. Frances Howard, most excellent chief, presided at the Temple meeting. The Needle club met after Temple. Mrs. Byron Smith, president, presided at the meeting. Twenty members answered roll call.

A delicious luncheon was served from a lace covered table decorated with African violet plants. These were given to Mrs. Martin Weiland, Mrs. Dor Carey, and Mrs. Byron Smith.

Games were played and gifts were given each member. Hostesses were Mrs. Joe Hunter and Mrs. Charley Belneke.

8 p.m. Mrs. John Kintz, Sr. St. Dominic Study Club, Mrs. Bernard Loshe, 7:30 p.m. Monmouth PTA, 7:30 p.m., school.
Decatur Chapter Valparaiso Guild, Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Ossian, 8:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Zion Lutheran Women's Missionary League, special prayer service, 1:30 p.m., church.
Naomi Circle, First Presbyterian church, 9 a.m.
Ruth Circle, First Presbyterian church, 8 p.m.
Shakespeare Club, Mrs. Milo Black, 2 p.m.
Beta Sigma Phi sorority, Elks Hall 8 p.m.

Zion Lutheran Missionary society, Parish Hall, 1:30 p.m.
Calvary Ladies Aid, Mrs. Harry McDermott, 7:30 p.m.
Evangeline Circle of United Church of Christ, Mrs. Lavern Roth, 8:30 p.m.
Pleasant Mills Baptist W. M. S., Mrs. Treva Hihm, 7 p.m.

THURSDAY
Queen of Holy Rosary society, 8 p.m., Mrs. Leo Schultz.
Mary-Martha Circle, First Presbyterian church, 2 p.m.
Mt. Pleasant W. S. C. S., church, 7:30 p.m.

Psi Iota Xi Trading Post, 1-4, Janey Allison and Dee Macke; 6-9, Kae Grimm and Carolyn Brown.

W. S. C. S., First Methodist Church 1:30 p.m., chapel. Executive meeting at 10:30 a.m. Circle meeting 11 a.m.

Order of Eastern Star, chapter 127, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m.
Gals and Pals Square dance, Community Center, 8 p.m. Caller Harold Pierstorff, beginner classes, 7 p.m.

ONO home demonstration club, Mrs. James Merriman, 7:30 p.m.

Salem Methodist, W. S. C. S. church, 1:30 p.m.
Fourth District Past Presidents Parley, Post 148 home, Fort Wayne, 11:30 a.m.

FRIDAY
Children's service, World Day of Prayer, 3 p.m., First Missionary church.

World Day of Prayer service, First Christian church, 7:30 p.m.
American Legion Auxiliary, Legion home, 8 p.m. Business meeting.

Psi Iota Xi Trading Post, 1-4, Helen Rydell and Colleen Linn; 6-9, Kay Burke and Barbara Arnold.

SATURDAY
Psi Iota Xi Trading Post, 1-4, Marcia Stevens and Jane Booth.

MONDAY
Pythian Sister Needle Club, Moose Home, after Temple, 7:30 p.m.

Adams Co. Home demonstration club chorus, 7:30 p.m. Monroe Farm Bureau building.

TUESDAY
Our Lady of Good Counsel study club, 8 p.m., Mrs. Victor Kable.

Births

Jerry and Pauline Gerber Parr, of Berne, are the parents of a 6 lb., 5 oz., baby boy born Monday at 8:41 a.m. at the Jay county hospital, Portland.

At the Adams county memorial hospital:
Melvin and Josephine Schwartz, R. R. 1, Berne, are the parents of a 6 lb., 15 oz., baby girl born today at 7:20.

Plan Band Concert At Adams Central

The Adams Central band department will present a band concert Thursday evening, director Darrell L. Gerig said today. The band concert will begin at 7:30 at the school, and tickets will be on sale at the doors that evening or from any member of the band. Tickets are priced at 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students.

Participating in the concert will be over 200 instrumentalists comprising the four bands of the department. The beginner band comprises the fifth grade students, the intermediate band the sixth grade students, the junior band the seventh and eighth graders, and the high school band.

Included in the program will be: "Largo," "Columbiana Overture," "Tango Serenade," "Little English Suite," "Italian Masters Suite," "I'm Always Chasing Rainbows," "Kentucky Babe," "Rienzi," "West Side Story," "Noche de Ronda," and "Black Four March." The public is invited to attend this musical presentation.

Freeman Studying Bean Price Support

CHICAGO (UPI)—Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman said Monday he hopes to announce the 1964 price support level for soybeans "within a couple weeks."

But Freeman told a news conference that he had not yet made up his mind whether to maintain the current level of \$2.25 per bushel or increase the price support to a higher plateau.

Freeman said a decision would not be made until he completes consultations with soybean growers and processors.

In a speech later at Decatur, before the annual convention of Soybeans Growers of America, Inc., Freeman expanded on this theme.

"Let me make clear that the responsibility to set the support level," he said, "is a judgment I alone can make."

"However, the decision must reflect the interests of all persons involved—those who grow soybeans and those who use them. It must also involve the interests of the consumer and the producer."

Freeman said a temporary office set up in Decatur would handle the consultations needed for his decision to set the 1964 price level.

At his Chicago news conference, Freeman denied rumors that he would resign. There is no truth to such reports, the secretary said.

"I have every reason to believe that I will remain through President Johnson's term," he said.

BUILDER

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therefore he felt that he could not cooperate with Ohio on this project.

Allocations from the ditch improvement fund, a rotating fund, were made for three projects: the James K. Martz drain, in St. Mary's, Blue Creek, Monroe and Washington, \$6,254; the William F. Schug drain, Monroe township, \$1,000; the Amstutz-Long and Lewis Long branch, Wabash, \$1,000.

Deny Second Ruby Visit To Red Cuba

DALLAS (UPI)—Jack Ruby's defense lawyers, searching to day for evidence that the killer of Lee Harvey Oswald may not get a fair trial in Dallas, denied a report that Ruby visited Communist Cuba last year.

The lawyers said Monday night the FBI had fully checked Ruby's travels but found he had not left the country since 1959, when he admittedly visited Havana. A Cuban exile in New Orleans said he had received word from an anti-Fidel Castro agent about the alleged second trip.

Dallas Times Herald and Dallas Morning News stories about the assassination of President Kennedy and events that followed were to be presented in evidence today by the defense team.

The change of venue hearing in criminal Dist. Judge Joe Brown's court Monday featured flare-ups between Dist. Atty. Henry Wade and Melvin Belli. The battle is over a defense move to change the location of Ruby's trial for killing Oswald last Nov. 24, just two days after Oswald was charged with murdering President Kennedy.

Ruby's murder trial is scheduled to begin in Brown's courtroom Feb. 17.

Belli of San Francisco, heading a team of four defense attorneys, said he hopes to wind up the pre-trial hearing on a change of venue by Wednesday afternoon. He has subpoenaed 175 persons.

Seven witnesses, including four newsmen, testified in the stuffy courtroom Monday. Defense attorneys questioned them about the general mood of citizens of Dallas. They attempted to show that the Ruby case has been so thoroughly discussed that he should be tried elsewhere.

Revival Services At Willshire Church

Revival services will begin February 16 at the Church of God, Willshire, O., and continue through Friday night, February 28.

Rev. Robert Morgan of Warsaw, will be the evangelist. Special singing will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. T. E. Hogue has invited the public to attend.

WOMEN'S GUILD OF ZION UNITED MEETS

The Women's Guild of the Zion United Church of Christ met recently at the church.

Miss Lucille Beavers was program chairman. She showed slides and gave a very informative talk about the trip she made to Mexico. Devotions were given by Mrs. Agnes Yager.

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Lawrence Rash. The world day of prayer will be held Friday at the First Christian church at 7:30 p.m.

Hostesses for the evening were the Mesdames Harry and Vernon Frauhiger, Arthur, Curt, and William Fritzing, and Albert and Roger Fruchte and Miss Margaret Fruchte.

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY MARKED

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Roughia observed their golden wedding anniversary Sunday. Relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Roughia honored them by attending church services at the Union Chapel church. A dinner and reception were held at the Community Center.

Attending the dinner were the five children of the Roughias and their families: Mr. and Mrs. Claude (Dorothy) Marckel, Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. William L. Roughia, Colleen, Mary Jane, Ginger, Donna Sue, and Billy Joe, of Ossian; Mr. and Mrs. James (Pauline) Moses; Mr. and Mrs. Sharon (Geraldine) Sprunger, Sharon and Alan; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold R. Roughia, Kathy, Brenda, and Jon of Decatur. Other grandchildren attending were Mr. and Mrs. James K. Moses, Chris, Tony, Becky, and Stuart, of Marion; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Moses and David of Monroe; and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Gephart, Roxann and Ron of Decatur. One grandson and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marckel and children of Kennonbais, Ill., were unable to attend.

Other relatives and friends attending the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Mullen of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Roughia, Villa Park, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Lurt E. Kanney, Van Wert, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bunting, Ossian; Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Archer, Willshire, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Currie, Preble; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Eheart and Janice of Gilman, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Gordon, Plymouth; Bill Curry, Ossian; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Currie, David, Sharon, Raymond, and Roger, Harold Debolt, and Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Angle of Decatur.

Those serving at the reception were the Mesdames John Walters, Gladys Koo, Martin Sprunger, and Omer Merriman, and granddaughters, Mrs. Ronnie Gephart, Roxann Gephart, Colleen, Mary Jane, Ginger, Donna, Kathy and Brenda Roughia, and Sharon Sprunger. Mrs. Larry Moses and Mrs. James Moses helped with the gifts. Approximately 250 guests attended the reception.

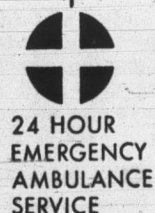
The Past Presidents parley of the American Legion auxiliary will hold a fourth district meeting at Legion Post 148, Fort Wayne, Thursday. The meeting will open with a carry-in luncheon at 11:30 a.m.



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VERA CRUZ PTA MET LAST FRIDAY

The Vera Cruz Opportunity school parent-teachers meeting was held Friday evening at the school. Oren Wolf, Jr., introduced the Rev. Ivan Odor from the Church of Christ in Markle, who had charge of devotions. The group then sang, "America the Beautiful."

James A. Myers, director of volunteer services at the Fort Wayne State School, presented the State School story through pictures. A question and answer period followed.

During the business meeting, Elmer Isch announced that the new building is under roof and more funds are needed before it can be completed. The proceeds from the school benefit dinner, February 29, at the Bluffton American Legion dining room are for the building fund. The ways and means committee received a profit of \$159 from the food stand at a farm sale Friday.

The students, faculty, and drivers enjoyed the circus at Fort Wayne Saturday morning as guests of the Adams county Shrine club. Refreshments were served by the committee in charge; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Wolf, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. John Williams.

A special prayer service entitled "Mission To Private Worlds" will be held Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. in Zion Lutheran church. This service was prepared by the mission education service of the Lutheran church—Missouri synod and is sponsored by the Lutheran Women's Missionary League. All ladies of the church are invited to attend and bring guests.

Mrs. Victor Kable will be hostess to the Our Lady of Good Counsel study club tonight at 8 o'clock.

FAMILY REUNION HELD AT NIBLICK HOME

The Jesse E. Niblick home was the scene of a family reunion Saturday. Relatives came to help Mr. Niblick celebrate his 86th birthday which will occur on February 12.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Clark, Dayton, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Winans, Fort Wayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Large and son Charles, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

PAST PRESIDENTS PARLEY MEETS HERE

The Past Presidents Parley Unit 43 held their February business and social meeting Monday at the post home. The president, Margaret Eiting, presided over the usual opening. The Lord's Prayer was given by the members. The regular order of business followed with the roll call and secretary's and treasurer's reports.

Mrs. Clark Flaugh served as social hostess during the evening. Pinocle was played with prizes awarded to the Mesdames Vincent Bormann, T. C. Smith, and Mable Liniger.

A delicious luncheon was served to eleven members present.

Hospital Locals

Admitted
Alvin Gillon, Sue Kingsley, Berne; Mrs. Edith Boley, Mrs. Christina Bohnke, Decatur.

Dismissed
Mrs. Lynn Stucky and baby girl, Willshire, Ohio; Russell Britson, Wren, Ohio; Vernon Frauhiger, James T. Robison, Mrs. Fred Miller and baby girl, Decatur.

World Prayer Day Service At Salem

The annual World Day of Prayer service will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday at the Salem Methodist church, with the theme "Let Us Pray." Mrs. Walter Kruezman is the leader.

Taking part in the following: Mt. Pleasant church, Pleasant Dale Church of the Brethren, Pleasant Valley Methodist church and the St. Luke United Church of Christ.

FEBRUARY PARTIES HELD BY GE CODE CLUB

Wednesday evening the day shift G. E. Code club held their February party at the American Legion Home. The theme was "Be My Valentine." Supper was served to forty members, after which a short business meeting was held.

The new president welcomed seven new members to the club. They were Lenore Lytle, Anna West, Luella West, Jane Burkhardt, Janet Swales, Esther Mitch and Ruth Debolt. Each one was presented with a single rose corsage. Bingo was played with prizes awarded to several members.

Chairman of the affair was Marge Smiley, who was assisted by Doris Garboden, Agnes Fairchild, Alice Lake, Esther Mitch, Luella West, June Blakey, Geny Owens, and Ethel Schlickman.

The second shift G. E. Code club held their February party Wednesday afternoon in "The Office" at the Fairway restaurant. The tables were decorated in keeping with Valentine's Day. Door prizes were won by Margaret Clark, Velma McDonald, Harriet Fuelling, and Norma Bowers. Velma McDonald was chairman for the party.

All women taking part in the World Day of Prayer service are asked to meet at the First Christian church Thursday at 8 p.m.

Any members of the women of the Moose interested in going to Portland Wednesday evening, please contact Mrs. Charles Hane, Tuesday after 7 p.m.

Trade in a good town — Decatur.

Dr. G. J. Kohne is a patient in Room 379, St. Joseph hospital, Fort Wayne, and not at Parkview as was stated in this paper last week.

County auditor and Mrs. Edward F. Jaberg left this morning for a two-week vacation in Florida.

Dr. and Mrs. James M. Burk left this week for a vacation in Florida.

Fire chief Cedric Fisher is back on the job following several days in the Adams county memorial hospital. He was hospitalized for stomach ulcers treatment.

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