

SOCIETY

RUTH CIRCLE MEETS

THURSDAY EVENING
The Ruth Circle of the Decatur E. U. B. church met Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Chalmer Bollenbacher. Twelve members and one guest, Mrs. Flossie Hower, were present.

The devotions were given by Mrs. Fuhrman Miller, chairman, and were facts about Americans published by the American Bible Society. Minutes of the previous meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Paul Johnson, and approved. A report was given by the secretary of missionary education regarding the reading course and book distribution. The secretary of Christian social relations collected the aprons made by the members for the Haven Hubbard home. The treasurer presented her monthly report regarding the giving for the previous month. Daily Bible Readings pamphlets were distributed to the members.

The lesson entitled "With Eyes Wide Open — Take the Offensive" was presented by Mrs. Eley. Mrs. Francis Howard, and Mrs. Vernon Custer. The hymn, "The Church's One Foundation," was sung by the group. Three views of the church were presented: 1. The individual — you — wherein lies the responsibility for the church; 2. Rites and participation — the community of faith; 3. The building — love in action.

Following the singing of, "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord," the offering was received and prayer was offered by Mrs. Eley. A question and answer discussion was led by Mrs. Custer on "Questions to Provoke Thinking." The meaning of baptism in the E. U. B. denomination was discussed by Mrs. Miller. The meeting was closed with prayer.

Mrs. Bollenbacher served delicious refreshments to those present.

The April meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Vernon Custer, with Mrs. Francis Howard as leader.

WELCOME WAGON CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

The Welcome Wagon club met at the I & M building, Wednesday evening for their monthly meeting. During the business meeting, Mrs. John Bruno was elected

SUNDAY MENU at Country Charm Restaurant. Swiss Steak, Country Fried Chicken, Fresh Strawberry Pie with Whipped Cream. A complete meal.

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New Laundry Trends Topic For Meeting



Miss Betty Bergman

Miss Betty Bergman of the Maytag company will be the featured speaker at 10 a.m. Tuesday at the Decatur Youth and Community Center. "New Trends in Laundry" is the topic of the day. Mrs. Chalmer Barkley, county home demonstration president, will begin the meeting and introduce Miss Bergman.

The afternoon style show, which will be narrated by Miss Peg Buchan of I.M., will begin at 1 p.m. During this time the women who completed the laundry series, which was conducted during January and February by Mrs. Patsy Lee Leaders, county extension agent, home economics, will receive their diplomas. These women are: Mrs. Glen Strahm, Mrs. Robert Kiess, Mrs. Ermal Johnson, Mrs. Stanley Shelley, Mrs. Alice Ulman, Mrs. Herman Kelsey, Mrs. William Almandinger, Mrs. Ronald Bryan, Mrs. Ivan Fox, Mrs. Ronald Roe, Mrs. Wayne Derrickson, Mrs. Norman J. Young.

The style show is to consist of garments which people in the extension program have made themselves from washable fabrics. The models are: Mrs. Ronald Pierce and daughter, Mrs. Stanley Shelley, Miss Debbie Bultemeier, Mrs. Richard Marbach, Mrs. Richard E. Braun, Miss Judy Mosser, Miss Donna Hodgin, Mrs. John Bluhm, Mrs. Leonard Schwartz, Mrs. Don Kleykamp, Mrs. Carl Thieme, Mrs. Wilbert Thieme, Mrs. Kermit Yoder and her granddaughter, Miss Trina Bluhm, Mrs. Irvin Wortham and daughter Linda, Nancy Habegger, Helen Schwartz, Mrs. Bob Hildebrand and Mrs. Dale Fruchte.

People who will be modeling for Miss Bergman in the morning are Mrs. Glen Strahm, Mrs. Royal Center, Alice Ulman, Mrs. Jan Elzey, Kathy Strahm, (daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Strahm), Master Martin Fuelling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuelling, and Tammy Mowery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mowery.

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GIRL SCOUTS

Troop 170

Troop 170 met at the Northwest school Wednesday. We elected officers. They are: president Colette Bausman; treasurer, Maria Jauregui; and scribe, Dawn McBride. We are making trays and book marks for the hospital. The treat was brought by Colette Morence.

NAME DELEGATES TO ATTEND CONVENTION

A delicious potluck supper was enjoyed by the C. L. of C. Tuesday evening with Rev. Fekete as guest. The tables were beautifully decorated with Easter baskets and flowers. The door prize was awarded to Mrs. George Schultz.

A business meeting followed the dinner. Delegates were elected to attend the 26th convention of the Catholic Ladies of Columbia, to be held at Cincinnati, Ohio, June 21 to 24. Those elected are: Mrs. Andrew Miller, president of this council; Miss Edith Ervin, financial secretary; Mrs. William Lose, Jr.; and Miss Margaret Eiting.

Games were played following the business meeting.

The chairman for the evening was Mrs. Christina Hackman. She was assisted by Mrs. John Holhouse and Miss Winifred Kitson, co-chairmen.

The Women of the Moose met at the Moose home Thursday evening with senior regent, Mrs. Charles Haney, presiding. The Mooseheart chairman was in charge of refreshments and the social hour following the meeting. The next meeting will be held March 19.

Ice Wipes Out Two Bridges In Vermont

WHITE RIVER JUNCTION, Vt. (UPI)—Thousands of tons of ice hurling down rivers wiped out two big bridges in Vermont today and flooded wide areas. Scores of families were forced to flee.

The rampaging rivers dumped piles of ice on streets of riverbank communities. Vermont Gov. Philip H. Hoff declared the White River Junction section a disaster area.

A 250-foot bridge spanning the White River collapsed with a roar as four-foot thick blocks of ice pounded at the underpinnings. A 50-foot bridge over the LaMoille River toppled.

The flooding was mostly in central and northern Vermont and western New Hampshire. No deaths were reported.

One of the hardest hit communities was the village of Hardwick, about 80 miles north of White River Junction. Water four feet deep covered roads in the community of 2,500 population.

"This is a catastrophe," said Hardwick President Harold Wiley. He estimated damage to the town alone at \$250,000.

Club Schedule

Telephone 2-2121

Mrs. Connie Mitchell

Society Editor

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

FRIDAY

Decatur Camera club, Palmer House, Berne, 6:30 p.m.

Psi Iota Xi Trading Post, 14, Barbara August and Sara Lu Collier, 6:30, Jane McKenzie and Kay Burke.

SATURDAY

Zion Lutherian P. T. L., Parish hall, 7 p.m.

MONDAY

W. S. C. S. First Methodist Church chapel, 8 p.m.

Research club, Mrs. Harry Daley 2 p.m.

D. A. V. auxiliary, D. A. V. hall, business, 7:30 p.m.

Pithyan Sister Needle club, Moose home, after Temple, 7:30 p.m.

Junior Women, Decatur Woman's club, 7:45 p.m., Mrs. Roger Mond Shell.

Flo Kari Sunshine girls, Moose home, 5 p.m.

Gals and Pals home demonstration club, Pleasant Mills school, 7:30 p.m.

Merrier Monday's home demonstration club, Mrs. Roger Longberger, 7:30 p.m.

Monmouth Merry Maids and Roving Rangers 4-H clubs, Monmouth high school, 7:30 p.m.

I. H. C. A., Bessie Teeple, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

St. Dominic study club, Mrs. Joe Laurent, 7:30 p.m.

St. Paul Missionary Society, Mrs. Lyle Franz, 7 p.m.

Kirkland W. C. T. U., Mrs. Estelle Ginter, 1:30 p.m.

Xi Alpha Xi sorority, business Mrs. Robert Blaney, 8 p.m.

Emmaus Guild, Zion Lutheran parish hall, Mission night.

Rose Garden club, Mrs. Bert Haley 2 p.m.

Delta Theta Tau, Mrs. John Baumann, 9:15 Mercer, 8 p.m.

Eagles auxiliary, Eagles hall, 8 p.m.

St. Catherine study club, Mrs. James Kortenber, 8 p.m.

Sarah Circle of Decatur E. U. B. church, Mrs. Homer Arnold, 1 p.m.

Monmouth PTA all awards banquet, Monmouth school, 6:30 p.m.

Active Tri Kappas, Mrs. Robert Boch, 7:45 p.m.

Evangeline Circle of the United Church of Christ, Mrs. Kent Koons, 8:30 p.m.

Eagles area district meeting, Eagles Home, 8 p.m.

Emmanuel Lutheran P.T.L., school, 8 p.m.

ONO home demonstration club, Mrs. Willard Fawbush, 7:30 p.m.

Associate chapter of Tri Kappa, Mrs. Tom Alwin, 7:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Good Counsel study club, Mrs. Bob Andrews, 8 p.m.

Profit and Pleasure home demonstration club, Mrs. Henry Heimann, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday

Beta Sigma Phi sorority, Community Center, 8 p.m.

Shakespeare club, Mrs. Milton Swearingen, 2 p.m.

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

Naomi Circle, First Presbyterian church, 9 a.m.

Ruth Circle, First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Eugene Rash, 8 p.m.

Calvary Ladies aid, Mrs. Phoebe Miller, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday

Order of Eastern Star, chapter 127, Masonic hall, 7:30 p.m.

Gals & Pals square dance club, Community Center, Sonny Minard, caller, 8 p.m., beginners class, 7 p.m.

Mary-Martha circle, First Presbyterian church, Mrs. Huber DeVoss, 2 p.m.

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Locals

Timmy Zeser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Zeser, was transferred from the Adams county memorial hospital to the St. Joseph hospital in Fort Wayne Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shroyer have returned home after spending several weeks touring the southern states, and visiting friends and relatives.

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