

SOCIETY

SUNBEAM GARDEN CLUB HAS MEETING

The Sunbeam Garden club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Forrest Diehl in Preble with twenty members and seven guests present.

Mrs. Clifford Mann opened the meeting with devotions by reading from the 24th Psalm and a poem entitled "Whoever Makes a Garden." Roll call was answered by telling "Why I plant a Garden." Mrs. Walter Kruetzman and Mrs. Ralph Freels gave reports of flowers to be entered this fall in the Bluffton and Berne flower shows. Mrs. John Barger, Mrs. Dorpus Schlickman and Mrs. William Kruetzman thanked the club for gifts received by them recently.

Mrs. Lois Hebble was the speaker of the evening. She gave a very interesting and informative talk on "Compost and Mulches." Mrs. Milton Scherry and Mrs. Walter Peck brought arrangements for discussion.

A delicious lunch of strawberry pie with whipped cream and coffee was served by the hostess.

The meeting ended by having a large plant, bulb, and seed auction with Mrs. Walter Egley and Mrs. Robert Beery as auctioneers.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Kruetzman, May 19. Everyone is to arrange a little May basket and bring it to the meeting.

The Camera Club meeting has been postponed until May 18 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Miss Dorothy Schnepp.

STATE CONVENTION OF TOPS

The State convention of TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) will be held in Muncie at Ball State Teachers College, May 9. Representatives from this area will attend this annual meeting of women from all over Indiana, whose goal is to become more shapely and healthy through weight reduction. Mrs. John Girard, Mrs. Adrian Girard, and the Misses Bonnie and Barbara Girard will attend the convention from the Decatur Count Down Tops club.

Over 1,000 women are expected to attend the event. A series of meetings and calorie-conscious banquets will feature the presentation of a "Queen" who has lost the greatest number of pounds during the year.

Total weight loss to be represented at this meeting should run between eight and twelve tons. Names of clubs attending the meeting include such unique names as Tub Scouts, Lo-Cal Gals, Bulge Battlers, Finis Obese, Skinnies Minnies, Thinderella, Scale Spinners, Slimettes, Need-a-Lap, Slimmerellas, Trim-

madonnas, Snack Nots, Fat Fighters and many others.

The president of the National TOPS organizations is Mrs. Esther Manz of Milwaukee, Wis. Area supervisors include Ruth Reid of Milwaukee, Wis., Virginia Dunn of Mishawaka, and Lena Zinnel of Fort Wayne.

The Builders class of the Trinity EUB church will meet at the church Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Victory discussion club will meet with Mrs. Lawrence Gase Thursday at 8 p.m.

BIRTHDAY PARTY IS HELD SATURDAY

A birthday dinner was held Saturday to celebrate little Kirk Eric Hart's first birthday. After Kraig opened his many gifts, dinner was served to those present by the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hart.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Grimm and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Hart, Kraig's grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Kuhn, Mrs. Tom Grimm and Todd, Tom and Joe Drake and Kent Hart.

Unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hart and Tom Grimm.

PIANO PUPILS TO PRESENT RECITAL

The piano pupils of Mrs. Earl Chase will present a recital May 3 at 2:30 p.m. at Union Chapel EUB church. The public is invited to attend.

Students taking part are: Jesse Sheets, Frank Parrish, Nyla, Nadine and Sandra Nyffler, Sam Munson, Janet Gray, Julie and Susan Gehrig, Vicki Lu Sheets, Joan and Anne Langston, Tim, Vicki and Susan Feasel, Diane Lengerich, Darlene Bittner, Dianne Franz, Ellen Abbott, Jacqueline Hakes, Deborah Munson, Connie Ellis, Becky Ogg, Pamela Gaunt, Mary Lou Lengerich, Linda Mc Intosh, Dennis Light, Peggy Smith, Ruth, Kenneth and Margaret Witte, Teresa Andrews, Karen Noll and Carol Smith.

PYTHIAN SISTERS TEMPLE MEETS

The Pythian Sisters Temple met at the Moose home. Mrs. Byron Smith presided at both Temple and Needie club. Sixteen members answered roll call. Club gifts were given to Mrs. Lawrence Roop, Mrs. Byron Smith, Mrs. Frank Crist and Mrs. Lloyd Ahr.

A delicious luncheon was served at tables decorated with bowls of spring flowers.

The hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Fred Ashbaucher and Mrs. Clyde Harris.

The American Legion auxiliary, juniors will have a carry-in dinner with their mothers, Monday at 6 p.m. at the Legion home.

Locals Club Schedule

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

MONDAY

Delta Theta Tau sorority, Mrs. Bill Sweere, 1045 Park View drive, 8 p.m.

Kirkland Ladies home demonstration club, Adams Central school, 7:30 p.m.

Jolly Housewives home demonstration club, Lutheran Parish hall, 7:30 p.m.

Eagles auxiliary, Eagles hall, 8 p.m.

Eta Tau Sigma, Mrs. Bob Shraluka, Sr., 8 p.m.

Decatur Bellmunt home demonstration club, Zion Lutheran Parish hall.

Adams county historical society, Decatur Public library, 8 p.m.

Olive Rebekah lodge, Red Men hall, team inspection.

TUESDAY

Bethany circle of the Zion United Church of Christ.

Live and Learn home demonstration, Mrs. Archie Smitley, 1:30 p.m.

St. Vincent DePaul society, C. L. of C. hall, 2 p.m.

THURSDAY

Builders class, Trinity EUB church, 7:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Victory discussion club, Mrs. Lawrence Gase, 8 p.m.

Psi Iota Xi Trading Post, 1-4, Kay Boch and Marlene Buick; 6-9, Cloe Parrish and Ann Thorn, Past Matrons of Eastern Star, Mrs. Clarence Snyder, 8 p.m.

So Cha Rea, dessert bridge, Mrs. Tony Metzler, 7:30 p.m.

Ladies Fellowship of Decatur Missionary church, Mrs. Myron Hart, 7 p.m.

FRIDAY

Psi Iota Xi Trading Post, 1-4, Barbara Fuelling and Mary Ann Meyer; 6-9, Jane Heller and Gwen Doan.

SATURDAY

Assembly of God church rummage sale, Dugan building, formerly Goodin's Market, 9 a.m.

Psi Iota Xi Trading Post, 1-4, Nola Isch and Henrietta Snively. Story hour, Decatur public library, Ages 5 to 7, 1:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

Wesley class of Methodist church, potluck dinner, church dining room, noon.

MONDAY

Junior Women, Decatur Women's club, Mrs. D. O. Cassilini, 7:45 p.m.

Adams county home demonstration chorus, Farm Bureau building, Monroe, 7:30 p.m.

V. F. W. auxiliary, Post home, business, 8 p.m.

American Legion auxiliary juniors, carry-in dinner, Legion home, 6 p.m.



Miss Malvrey Hill

Miss Hill Plans

June Wedding

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Hill announce the engagement of their daughter, Malvrey, to Robert J. Hanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hanson of 601 Alderson avenue, Billings, Montana.

Miss Hill graduated from Decatur high school in 1962 and has been attending Eastern Montana College the past two years. Hanson is a graduate of Central high school in Billings. Both are students of Eastern Montana College of Education.

A June wedding is being planned.

Members of the Wesley class of service. Meat, rolls and coffee will be furnished.

The Ladies Fellowship of the Decatur Missionary church will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Myron Hart.

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Dismissed

Mrs. Anthony Faurote, transferred to St. Joseph hospital, Fort Wayne; Master David Moser, Berne; Mrs. Jacqueline Aurand and baby girl, Monroeville; Master Michael Weger, Decatur.

GIRL SCOUTS

Troop 173

Girl Scout Troop 173 met Monday after school at the Community Center. Plans were made for the overnight campout at Hanna Nuttman park, May 1. The program for the Songster badge will be held May 8 at 3:30 p.m. Kelly Burnett is the newly elected scribe. The meeting closed with the Friendship circle.

Scribe, Kelly Burnett.

Articles Stolen Off Parked Auto

Kenneth Selking, route 2, Decatur, reported a theft to the city police a short time after midnight last night.

Selking said that while his auto was parked in the G. E. parking lot Monday evening, two spinnaker hub caps and two chrome fender skirts were stolen from the vehicle. He estimated them at a value of approximately \$60.

Bonnie Marie Lehman, 20, of route 2, Berne, was arrested and charged with failure to yield the right of way, after a two-vehicle accident at the intersection of county roads 20 and 33, a mile south of Berne, at 6:10 p.m. Monday.

Keith B. Parr, 31, route 2, Berne, was southbound on county road 33, operating a pick-up, and as he attempted to turn onto county road 20, his truck was struck by the Lehman car, which was westbound on 20.

The car was not damaged, but the truck received an estimated \$75 damage. Deputy sheriff Harold August investigated.

A truck and the house trailer it was pulling were damaged in a one-vehicle mishap at 11 a.m. Monday, on state road 124, six and one half miles west of Monroe.

Glen H. Collier, 73-year-old resident of Eaton Rapids, Mich., was traveling east on 124, pulling the house trailer. He lost control of the vehicle on slippery pavement, and both the truck and the house trailer jackknifed.

Both vehicles landed in the yard at the residence of Obed Gerber, route 4, Decatur, damaging the lawn and a bush. Damage to the house trailer was estimated at \$100 and \$175 to the truck. Deputy sheriff Warren Kneuss was the investigating officer.

Bower's Suggestion For Mother's Day, May 10

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