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### GIRL SCOUTS

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Brown, Betty Ann Baker and Marilyn Twomey received Games badges; and Patricia Gasper also earned the Housekeeper badge, Cyclist badge, and Public Safety badge.

After the program, the girls served ice cream and cake to their guests. This year the troop has been under the leadership of Mrs. W. C. Arnold, Captain, Shirley Moses, Lieutenant, and Mary Neal, Assistant.

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### REPORT CONTAINS NEW ANGLE IN SHIP BLAZE

WASHINGTON, May 22—(UP)—A confidential report prepared for the Senate naval affairs committee, it was learned today, asserts that "unreasonable time limitations... dictated in Washington" and placed upon the contractor converting the French liner Normandie into the troopship LaFayette may have been responsible for the fire which gutted the ship in New York on Feb. 9.

"It cannot be denied," the report said, "that the haste imposed upon the contractor by the bureau of ships was an important factor in the loss of the LaFayette."

"What is more important is the undisputed fact that this haste was dictated in Washington by men who evidently had no conception of the work entailed in carrying out their orders and in total disregard of contrary advice from responsible and competent men on the scene."

The report is being studied by committee members and has not been acted upon. It was prepared by committee counsel James F. Dulligan who investigated the fire with the cooperation of the navy and the federal bureau of investigation.

Late yesterday the navy announced that \$60,000,000 vessel, which capsized after thousands of tons of water had been poured into her hold, would be salvaged in operations that will last more than a year and cost several millions of dollars.

### SINK 3 JAP SHIPS

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en place any time within the last few weeks, while the attacking allied craft were in a danger zone and hence keeping their radios silent.

The new action brought to 23 the total of enemy ships sunk or damaged since the battle of the Coral sea started May 4. Included were an aircraft carrier, two heavy cruisers, a light cruiser, two destroyers, four gunboats, a transport and three supply ships sunk and an aircraft carrier, a heavy cruiser, a light cruiser, two seaplane tenders, two submarines, a transport, a tanker and a cargo ship damaged.

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### A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

And it is worse to steal a man's reputation than to steal his purse: Let him that stole steal no more.—Ephesians 4:28.

## Personal And LOCAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Mary Hunter and Mrs. Oscar Haverly spent Thursday in Attica visiting the former's uncle, Richard Bittle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Christy of near Greencastle called on Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Arnold of near Fillmore Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howard, Hillside avenue, Spencer, are the parents of a daughter, born Thursday afternoon at the Putnam county hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ashworth have arrived from Miami, Fla., for a visit with their son, Forest Ashworth and Mrs. Ashworth, south Jackson street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Steeg of Peoria, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Morris G. Steeg of Ottawa, Ill., spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Green and Mrs. Katherine Steeg of Greencastle.

Mrs. James L. Yeager and daughter of Niagara Falls are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Caywood of Bainbridge. Mr. Yeager will join them the first of the month for a two weeks vacation.

James Robert Glidewell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Glidewell, Greencastle Route 2, reported this morning at Sullivan, Ind. to be inducted into the army. Robert has been employed at the Mid State Frozen Egg Corp. in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Ezra Arnold and daughter Imogene of near Fillmore and Mrs. Claude Scobee of Bainbridge arrived home Wednesday from a visit with Private Herschel O. Scobee of Keesler Field, Biloxi, Miss. Points of interest visited were Gulfport, Miss.; New Orleans, La.; Memphis, Tenn.; across Mississippi River bridge into Arkansas.

Miss Charlotte Etter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Etter, Anderson street, recently accepted a new position as home demonstration agent in Vanderburg county with an office in Evansville. Miss Etter has been home demonstration agent at Rockville for the past five years. She will begin work in her new location about June 1st.

Red Cross Nutrition Course Class invites anyone interested to see a motion picture entitled "The Men" at 7:00 o'clock tonight at the High School auditorium. This motion picture reviews the nutritional significance of vitamins. Following the picture the class will meet at the Vocational building to discuss menu planning. Anyone interested is invited.

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### ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays  
Marcia Sue Monnett, R. 2, 8 years today, May 22.

Miss Phyllis Storm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Storm, Coatesville R. 2, 14 years today, May 23.

Regular services will be held Sunday, May 24th at the Long Branch church. The Rev. Miller will be in charge.

Paul Gibson, former Greencastle boy now residing in Macon, Ga., is here visiting relatives and friends for a few days.

Woodrow Broadstreet, who recently enlisted in the United States Navy and who is now stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, is home on a few days furlough. He is visiting with his father, Homer Broadstreet of Cloverdale and his sister, Mrs. Virgil Deem of Greencastle.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Koessler are spending two weeks at Virginia Beach, Va. on the seashore, where Johnny is convalescing following an operation in a New York hospital. Mr. Koessler will soon leave for foreign service for the duration of the war. Mrs. Koessler will make her home in Washington, D. C.

A Preparatory Recital of piano solos and piano ensembles will be presented at Recital Hall of Music School Sunday afternoon, May 24, at 3:30 o'clock with the following children participating: Susan Bennett, Hilda Fay Boatright, Dooyne McKeehan, Virgil Churchill, Betty M. Lemore, Donald Key, Gerald Thomas, Gene McKeehan, Betty Rose Hardy, Albert Crandall, Margie Smith, Barbara Deem, Dotty Williams, Patsy Ross, Billy Giddings, Betty Baker, Jo MacDonald, Billy Voltmer, Peggy Sue Tennant, Mary Ann Bills, Carol Shuey, Joan Foley, Marcia Fay.

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### PREDICTS AIR OFFENSIVE AGAINST JAPS THIS YEAR

KUMMING, China, May 22—(UP)—Brig. Gen. Claire L. Chenail, leader of the American volunteer group, said today that the United States could "wipe out" the Japanese air fleet if it would send 2,000 planes to the Far East.

He predicted in an interview, the United States probably would begin an air offensive against the Japanese within the next six months. He had no doubt that it would be successful.

"If the United States will direct even a small percentage of its present airplane output to the Far East, the Japanese will suffer a shortage of planes within six months, if they keep on losing as many planes as they have during the last six months," he said.

He thought the Japanese were wasting their time bombing and trying to capture Chinese bases from which American long range bombers can rain explosives and incendiaries on Japanese cities. There were too many Chinese bases within striking distance of Japan for the Japanese to capture them all he explained.

### SOVIETS CONTINUE PUSH

stretch of the front, 70 miles south of Kharkov, the German counter-offensive had been repulsed at all points, it was asserted officially.

In one sector of the Kharkov front, the midnight communique said, Russians captured seven field guns, 12 machine guns, eight mortars, four supply-laden trucks and a radio transmitter.



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## Society Committees Named By B. and P. Women

The May meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club was held May 20th at the Nurses Home. Hostesses were Miss Maude Woodward, Mrs. Margaret Potter, Miss Miriam Peck, Mrs. Helen Reynolds, Mrs. Essie Benefiel, Mrs. Marjorie Morgan and Miss Margaret Nelson.

As this was the last meeting of the club year reports were read by all of the retiring officers. Miss Grace Browning acted as the installing officer for the incoming officers, who are as follows:

President, Mrs. Frances Rector; vice president, Mrs. Essie Benefiel; recording secretary, Miss Mable Burton; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frances Hoover; treasurer, Mrs. Joseph Sharp; director, Mrs. Katherine Mills. Mrs. Rector then took the chair and appointed the following committees to act for the coming year:

Personnel Research: Essie Benefiel, Ch.; Miriam Peck, Norma Hill, Irene Huestis, Dorothy Elkins.

Health: Rhea Dixon, Ch.; Gloe Craver, Margaret Nelson, Effie Stigleman.

Flower: Ina Cox, Ch.; Elizabeth Shannon, Grace Hurst.

Publicity: Edith Browning, Ch.; Mary Riley.

Emblem: Virginia Young, Ch.; Bernice Mason, Frances Hoover, Miriam Peck.

Civic: Margaret Nelson, Margaret Potter, Katherine Mills, Eva Milburn. Public Relations: Ethel Daniels, Ch.; Pauline Jones, Christine Williams, Mrs. J. O. Cammack, Helen Reynolds.

Defense: Ruth Stewart, Ch.; Elizabeth Ward, Kathryn Bauer, Gloe Craver, Pearl McCabe.

International Relations: Kathryn Davenport, Martha Hurst, Maud Woodard, Helen Salzer.

Budget: Mary Lou Sharp, Ch.; Elizabeth Ensign, Mary E. Peck.

Scrap Book: Mary E. Peck. Social: Helen Black, Ch.; Elizabeth Shannon, Margaret Potter, Rhea Dixon, Elizabeth Rariden.

Membership: Elizabeth Ward, Ch.; Grace Hurst, Esther Jones, Gloe Craver.

Program: Grace Browning, Ch.; Virginia Oliver, Ethel Daniels, Mabel Burton, Esther Jones, Grace Hurst.

Education: Susie Talbott, Ch.; Mary Lou Sharp, Elizabeth Ensign.

Finance: Josephine Stoner, Elizabeth Shannon, Martha Hurst, Pauline Jones, Bernice Mason, Kathryn Bauer.

Legislation: Norma Hill, Pauline Smith, Margaret Potter, Margaret Gilmore.

Transportation: Elizabeth Rariden, Marjorie Morgan.

Miss Mary E. Peck, a member of the Program Committee, then introduced Mrs. Vera Cooper who reviewed three biographies: "Mary Freeman Palmer," a pioneer in the educational field for women and at one time at the age of 26 the president of Wellesley College, written by her husband; "Margaret Ogilvy" the mother of Sir James Barrie, and written by her son; and "Marie Curie" written by her youngest daughter, Eve Curie. Mrs. Cooper's subject was presented in a most interesting manner and was much enjoyed by the club members.

The delegates to the State Convention held at French Lick Springs hotel May 15, 16 and 17, Mrs. Rector, Miss Grace Browning, Miss Ruth Stewart, Miss Mary E. Peck, and Miss Rhea Dixon, gave reports. The convention went on record as opposing the joint income tax return as proposed by Secretary Morgenthau.

Women of the Moose

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heart hospital guild, chairman, held her chapter night program Wednesday, May 20.

Mrs. Quinten gave a very interesting talk on "Mooseheart," where several girls will graduate this June and enter training for the army and marine corps. Greencastle chapter 138 along with many other chapters participates in raising funds for this worthy cause.

Miss Schott To Attend  
Graduation At Ft. Knox

Miss Mary Lou Schott, whose marriage to Frank Knebel will take place Sunday afternoon, will go to Fort Knox, Ky., Saturday to attend the commencement exercises at the Officers Training School at which Mr. Knebel will receive his commission as a second lieutenant. Following the graduation, Mr. Knebel and Miss Schott will return to Terre Haute where a dinner will be held in their honor at the Terre Haute House by the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. R. C. Weber. Other guests at the dinner will be members of the wedding party, relatives, and out of town guests who will come for the wedding on Sunday.

Gobin Memorial Society  
Met Thursday Afternoon

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Gobin Memorial Methodist church held its last meeting of the school year Thursday afternoon in Community Hall. A summary of the activities and achievements of the League accomplished so far this year was given by the president, Mrs. Joe McCord. A report of the meeting held recently at Staunton was also given. It was announced that the sewing day would be continued throughout the summer, the day to be decided upon later. The School of Christian Living, which is held during each summer at Battle Ground, will be July 5-12 for girls and women.

Children of Our Church was the subject of the program for the afternoon. Mrs. Ray Herbert conducted the devotions. Special music was provided by Miss Leah Carnutt who presented pupils of the seventh grade in a group of vocal numbers including: "Summer Is A Comin' In," "Carol of the Birds," "Czech Dance Song" and "Go Down Moses."

Mrs. John Pratt, using the radio broadcasting idea as a method of presentation, was responsible for a most interesting and informative program in regard to work which the church does for the benefit of children. This work may be divided into six classifications, Homes for Children, Rural Projects, Hospitals and Clinics, Schools for Negroes, Schools for Indians, and City Community Center and Settlement Houses. Mrs. Pratt gave a general discussion of the work done in these institutions. Mrs. J. P. Allen, Jr., who has visited both the Susannah home in Honolulu and the Jesse Lee home in Alaska, presented some first hand information about them. Mrs. Milton Kloetzel described the Brewster hospital for Negroes which is located in Jacksonville, Florida.

How missionary work began and how educational opportunities for Indians have improved, was given by Mrs. Fred Ritchie who told of work done among the Navajo Indians.

Mrs. Vernon Van Dyke told about Mercy Center in Chicago. Settlement houses similar to it are to be found in seventy-one cities throughout the United States. More than fifty different rural projects are being carried out, and hospitals and clinics extend from Alaska to Mexico, and from the east coast to the west. Too much emphasis can not be placed upon the care of children

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Tea was served at the close of program by members of Circle 6

## Bulletins

MOSCOW, May 22—(UP)—Red army has broken into a German-held town outside Kharkov, crushing a Nazi counter attack and now is nearing its "immediate goal" on the 11th day of May. Semyon Timoshenko's offensive, official advisors said today.

WASHINGTON, May 22—(UP)—President Roosevelt, declaring that this country still faces the prospect of an awfully long war, warned day against unwarranted and enthusiastic optimism about the progress of the conflict.

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## County Churches

### MANHATTAN CHRISTIAN CHURCH

The Rev. G. I. Hoover of Indianapolis, will preach at this church Sunday evening at 7:45. His subject will be "Cultivating the Fine Art of Living Together." The church school meets regularly at 9:30 a. m. You are cordially invited to the services.

### REELSVILLE METHODIST CHURCH

Fred S. Wintle, pastor. Services for Sunday, May 24, 10:00 a. m. Church School, 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship, 8:30 p. m. Epworth League—L. Hassler, Pres.

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship, Serman, Dr. Claude M. McCune. The fourth quarterly conference for the Clinton Falls, Reel charge will be held immediately following the evening worship service.

### LIMEDALE CHURCH

Regular services of the Limedale Community Church. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting each Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Church. Sermon each Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Pastor, Rev. L. Dodd. Come and bring your friends to you. Everyone welcome.



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