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LAST FRIDAY'S MEETING WAS A VERY INTERESTING AND INFORMATIVE ONE, with I. Fred Anderson, Executive Vice President of the Community Bank and Trust Company and Co-Chairman for the 1967 United Fund of Marion County campaign drive, introducing a film-strip showing our United Fund in action. When we stop to think of all the benefits which come from our United Fund, it makes our giving seem worthwhile, doesn't it?

BEST WISHES TO OUR OWN LION BOB POWELL and his committee for a very successful campaign on behalf of the United Fund. Bob is heading-up this year's drive, which gets underway tomorrow, and several Lions -- including Jack W. Bunner, are playing major roles in this year's fund drive.

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 * At next Friday's meeting ----- We will honor one of our fellow- *
 * Lions who recently took the big step. Lion Bill Hagy and his re- *
 * cent bride will be honored with a real old-fashioned Lions shower. *
 * Every Lion is asked to bring an appropriately-wrapped wedding gift *
 * (From one dollar to two dollars in value, or up, depending on what *
 * you wish to give.) In case you're in a quandary concerning what to *
 * bring, we hear that linens and such items are always welcome gifts.) *
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 * This is to be a surprise, so the first Lion who informs Major Hagy *
 * will be subject to a Lion-hunt, with full arms against him. (He'll *
 * probably fine me for not sending him a copy of this bulletin.) *
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 * The date again -- Friday, October 6th, 6:30 P.M. at our regular *
 * meeting at the Fairmont Hotel.. *
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Lion Charles Hault and his program committee seem to be trying to top the excellent job they did last year. We have some outstanding programs on tap for the remainder of 1967. On October 13, Dr. John Trotter of Morgantown will give us a report on Sight Conservation, and on October 20, Dr. Carl Frasure of the College of Arts and Sciences at West Virginia University, will give us a presentation of "The Academic Future of West Virginia University. On October 27, Dr. Ed Jaynes of Fairmont State College will present a program on "The Economic Posture of the Upper Monongahela Valley," while November 3rd is tentatively set as a Business Meeting, with the possibilities of appearances by members of the Fairmont State College coaching staff. On November 10, Woody Williams, a native of the Fairmont area and winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor, will give a report on the Veterans Administration. Mr. Williams is stationed at the VA Hospital in Huntington. On November 17, Rev. Otis Linger will be our special guest. Due to the Thanksgiv-

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ing holiday, there will be no meeting on November 24th.

SOUNDS LIKE AN EXCELLENT LINE-UP OF PROGRAMS, so we hope you will join us each of these Friday evenings in the Fairmont Hotel.

A RECENT PROGRAM OF INTEREST was the visit of two young men who represented the Mountaineer Area Council at the World Jamboree held by the Boy Scouts in Idaho this summer. Bruce Bierbower, a Senior at Kingwood High School, and Donley Kent Shultz, son of Lion Donley, Sr., told of their experiences among the some 14,000 Scouts from throughout the world who attended the World Jamboree on August 1-9 at Farragut State Park, Idaho. Both boys reported that they learned a great deal of customs of other boys throughout the world, and had an opportunity to do some trading, too. With boys such as this, here is one person that is really not too worried about the future of this world of ours.

OUR SYMPATHIES to Lion Tom Robinson and his family on the death of Mrs. Robinson's father.

BEST WISHES FOR A SPEEDY RECOVERY to Lion Bus Frum, who recently underwent surgery, and to May Thornton, wife of Lion Jim, who is a patient at Fairmont General Hospital.

LIONS BILL BEALL AND BILL WOODRUM report that the recent Bulb Sale was a real success. Nearly every bulb was sold, and thanks to those Lions who turned out on two wet evenings to sell this year's stock of bulbs. Lion Major Bill Hagy was an able assistant to the Fund-Raising Chairmen, even to the point of selling most of the remaining bulbs at the September 22nd meeting.

REMEMBER, we are now on schedule with your club bulletin, and we will be sending a copy your way every two weeks. If you have any news to include in the next issue, call your weary Editor at either 366-3000 (Office) or 363-0373 (Home).

SEE YOU IN A COUPLE OF WEEKS WITH ANOTHER BULLETIN.....

Lion Gerald Warren