

# DOINGS IN SOCIETY

## CLUB CALENDAR

### Tuesday.

Faithful Followers Class of Mt. Taber S. S., with E. W. Valley.

Called Meeting Third Section St. Vincent De Paul—Mrs. Alphonse Kohne.

C. L. of C.—K. of C. hall.

The Faithful Followers Class of the Mr. Taber Sunday School will meet at the home of E. W. Valley on next Tuesday evening, September, 5.

A called meeting of the third section of the St. Vincent de Paul society will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Alphonse Kohne. This includes those of the letters of K. L. and M. Important business. All members please be present.

Miss Genevieve Bremerkamp has issued invitations for a six o'clock dinner party to be given at her home on Seventh street on Wednesday, September 6th.

The C. L. of C. will meet Tuesday evening at the K. of C. hall. All members please be present.

A picnic supper was enjoyed on the lawn at the J. S. Bowers home by a number of girls friends of Mrs. Phares Hiatt who will return soon to her home at Jacksonville, Florida. The girls each brought a basket and a large table was set up on the lawn in front of the Bowers home. Those who attended were Mrs. Chalmers Porter, Mrs. H. F. Ehinger, Mrs. Dwight Peterson and Mrs. Robert Peterson of Indianapolis, Mrs. Will Bowers, Mrs. Gladys Brown of Kendallville and Mrs. A. Hoffhouse. Mrs. Hiatt has spent the summer here with her parents and intended to return to Jacksonville last Tuesday but was unable to do so on account of the sickness of her babe, William Hiatt.

## THIRTEEN 1922 GRADUATES TO ENTER COLLEGE

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Bend, Indiana  
Alfred Beavers, Muncie Normal, Muncie, Indiana

The following graduates of the class of 1922 have taken a summer course and expect to teach this winter: Frances Borne, Herbert Foreman, Nellie McGath, Gladys Goldner, Mable Bess.

The following graduates of Decatur high school will return to school: Charles Downs, Wabash, Crawfordville, Ind., 2nd year.

Helen Meyer, Madam Blaker's School, Indianapolis, Ind., 2nd year.  
Victoria Mills, Indiana University, Bloomington, 2nd year.

Francis Costello, Indiana University, Bloomington, 2nd year.

Thelus Hocker, Indiana University, Bloomington 3rd year

Herman Myers, Indiana University, 3rd year

Josephine Myers, Indiana, 4th year

Harry Fisher, Indiana, 4th year

Victor Baltzell, Indiana, 2nd year

Dick Heller, Indiana, 3rd year

Ferd Christen, Purdue University, LaFayette, 1st year

Helen Dugan, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 3rd year

George Schug, Ohio State University, Columbus, O., 4th year

John Clark, Dental School, Indianapolis, 4th year

Geraldine Brandyberry, DePauw, Greencastle, 4th year

Gertrude Yager, DePauw, 3rd year

Mildred Yager, DePauw, 4th year

Velma Ervin, St. Marys, South Bend, 2nd year

Elmo Ehinger, Notre Dame, South Bend, 3rd year

Arthur Hyland, Notre Dame 2nd

Dorothy Walters, Ohio Wesleyan, Delaware, Ohio, 1st year

Helen Walters, Ohio Wesleyan, 4th

Florine Michaud, Western College, Oxford, O., 2nd year

Kathryn Kocher, Western college, 2nd year

Murray Sutton, Wabash, Crawfordville, 4th year

Ralph Tyndall, Purdue, LaFayette, 4th year

Dick Archbold, Uni. of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich., 4th year

Howard Beery, Purdue, LaFayette, 3rd year.

### NOTICE

Our store will close at noon, Monday, September 4th, Labor Day.

FISHER & HARRIS.

### POSTOFFICE PATRONS

The postoffice will be closed on Monday, September 4th, Labor Day, National holiday, same as Sundays. No windows will be open and no deliveries in city or rural routes. Lobby will be open for those who have Sunday boxes.

## EDISON OFFERS CONGRESS PLAN OF BILL MAKING

By Kenneth W. Clark  
(United Press Service.)  
Washington, Aug. 30.—Thomas A. Edison, inventive genius of the century, has offered a "scientific bill-making plan" to Congress.

This was learned by the publication of Edison's testimony on the Muscle Shoals, Ala., power and nitrate projects, before the senate agricultural committee.

"I worked in Washington during the war," the aged inventor told the committee. "I found out after a while that a lot of those fellows that were running the details of the government were false; they were not the real thing; they were counterfeits."

"I am surprised that you don't draw your bills differently," he continued. "Draw up a skeleton of your bill and specify the initial thing you have to do, and when that is done you will find out what the first step costs."

"Now, go ahead and continue it on by supplement, so you will know the progress of all your legislation and make them show up between each supplement. You would have saved five or six billion dollars here and you would not have a lot of these inefficient people."

"It comes in sections and each time they come for more money you make an amendment to the act. Let them have it, but they have to show up."

"Under the war administration nobody had to show up. You will have it showed up by and by."

"You should always pass a bill that contains just the rudiments of the entire bill," Edison urged, "then you have the first start, the instrumentalities you start with to make the thing function, and spend several million dollars."

"When you have got through the first stage let them come to Congress and get the additional legislation to go ahead a little further, and when you have got through an examination of what has been done you will know if there is anything rotten in that, because you will see how all the money has been spent."

"But the way you do it now you make the bill and quit and never hear anything, and you try to get some information and you don't get any at all."

They double-cross you all the time."

## MAKE LODGE THE GOAT FOR ALL TROUBLES

Boston, Aug. 30.—With the state primaries only two weeks away Massachusetts' political cauldron was bubbling merrily for what is expected to be the greatest battle of ballots in years Sept. 12.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge's fight for renomination easily stands out as the big event. His nomination papers were signed by 60,000 voters, a record for the state. Opposing him for the legislature, whose platform includes the League of Nations, prohibition and the Newbury case.

As a result of much criticism of the administration's method of handling rail and coal strikes situation, there is an undercurrent of speculation as to whether some voters will seek to show their displeasure by voting against Lodge.

President Harding's address to congress on the strike situation received much unfavorable comment here, even in the Republican press. During the hot weather the every-day-citizen worried little about his coal supply for next winter, but with warnings from State and Federal officials of a certain shortage, that same citizen is beginning to cast about for someone to blame for the situation.

In the Democratic ranks Sherman L. Whipple, a nationally known lawyer, is waging an aggressive campaign for nomination for the United States senate. Whipple has the full support of Mayor James M. Curley's city machine, a formidable weapon. Colonel William A. Gaston, another prominent Democrat, will contest with Whipple for the senatorial nomination.

Former Governor Samuel W. McCall, who it was feared for time might enter the senatorial race as an independent Republican, failed to file nomination papers.

The fight between Governor Chauncey H. Cox, who seeks renomination, and Attorney General J. Weston Allen takes second place in the interest of the voters. Allen is campaigning on his achievements in driving corrupt state officials from office.

With the exception of the place for secretary of state, there will be Republican and Democratic contests for

every office on the ballot.

## PIKES PEAK GLIDE THE LATEST STEP

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 28.—There's at least one place in the United States where the jazz dancers don't cavort in the new and "peppy" steps.

It isn't because there are any objection. But the dancers can't stand the strain.

Up on the summit of Pikes Peak, the old fashioned waltzes are the most popular among the dancers. When one exercises violently at an altitude of 14,108 feet the thin air soon puts an end on the activity. Mountain sickness results.

The Pikes Peak tiddle is an invention of the "upper regions." It's a slow, graceful dance not calculated to shorten the breath unduly.

At that, however, sitting out is mighty popular—with the moon and stars 14,000 feet closer.

## DISCIPLES OF CHRIST MEET IN INDIANA

Winona Lake, Ind., Aug. 31.—All Protestant denominations may be divided by conservatives and modernists within their organizations, progressive of the Disciples of Christ (Christian Church) said here today.

Representatives of 1,500,000 members are meeting here for their annual international convention which will continue until September.

Conservative and progressive forces within the denomination will be in conflict in this convention on several subjects, it was said. The ultra-conservatives, or fundamentalists have many adherents among the Disciples of Christ.

The fundamentalists are bidding for a "rump" meeting in St. Louis in October, where the United Christian Missionary Society of the denomination, which is composed of many conservative, is located.

"Around the World" is the theme of the convention program, which opens formally tomorrow afternoon with the reading of reports from various international church enterprises.

The Rev. Stephen E. Fisher, of Urbana, Ill., president of the convention, will deliver the convention address.

The convention sermon will be preached Sunday morning by the Rev. Dr. Vernon Stauffer, professor in the divinity department of the Transylvania College of Lexington, Ky.

North Webster, Aug. 31.—The strangest fisherman's story of the year comes from Webster Lake, near here. During a heavy wind storm, which is said to have originated in the gulf states, several tons of timothy hay was carried high in the air and finally was deposited on the surface of Webster Lake. Anglers who saw it falling became alarmed and took to the shore.

A subsequent investigation brought out the fact that the hay did not come from any near-by farm and some of the resorters are even going so far as to advance the theory that it was carried hundreds of miles before being deposited.

## HER AILMENTS ALL GONE NOW

Mrs. Sherman Helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lake, Michigan.—"About one year ago I suffered with irregularities and a weakness and at times was obliged to stay off my feet. I doctor with my family physician and he finally said he could not understand my case, so I decided to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. After I had taken the first bottle I could see that I was getting better. I took several bottles of the Vegetable Compound and I am entirely cured of my ailments. You may publish this letter if you wish."—Mrs. MARY SHERMAN, Route 2, Lake, Mich.

There is one fact women should consider and that is this. Women suffer from irregularities and various forms of weakness. They try this and that doctor, as well as different medicines. Finally they take Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound, and Mrs. Sherman's experience is simply another case showing the merit of this well-known medicine.

If your family physician fails to help you and the same old troubles persist, why isn't it reasonable to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?

Mrs. Jack Toughney and daughters, Eileen and Catharine, of Muncie, are visiting with the P. J. Hyland family.

WANT ADS EARN

## Notice, Auto Owners!

During the month of September we are making a special cut of 10% on all Auto Painting and New Tops and Curtains, so if you are in the market at this time of the year come in and we can save you money.

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### CORT DECATUR

MONDAY Sept. 4 Ethel Clayton in "For The Defense"  
TUESDAY Sept. 5 Dorothy Dalton & Rudolph Valentino "Moran of the Lady Letty"  
Wed. & Thurs. Sept. 6 & 7 Cecil B. DeMille Production "Saturday Night" With An All Star Cast. Gloria Swanson in  
FRIDAY Sept. 8 "Her Husband's Trademark" Betty Compton in  
SATURDAY Sept. 9 "At the End of the World"

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### CRYSTAL DECATUR

MON. & Tues. Sept. 4 & 5 "The Man From Home" with James Kirkwood & Anna Q. Nilsson  
WEDNESDAY Sept. 6 May McAvoy in "Virginia Courtship"  
Thurs. & Fri. Sept. 7 & 8 Wally Reid, Gloria Swanson, Elliott Dexter in "Don't Tell Everything"  
SATURDAY Sept. 9 Mary Miles Minter in "Her Winning Way"

If it's a Paramount Picture it's the best show in town.