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## DOINGS IN SOCIETY

## WEEK'S SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Thursday.

United Brethren Aid—Mrs. Delma Elzey.

Helping Hand—Church Parlors. Orient—Mrs. W. R. Dorwin. C. W. B. M.—Mrs. Arthur Fisher. Penny Social—Eureka Club. Evangelical Aid—Mrs. E. M. Schnitz. Presbyterian Aid—Mrs. Mrs. Stonerook.

Friday.

Zion's Lutheran Aid—School House.

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and Mrs. F. H. Hubbard enjoyed a delightful automobile trip to Columbia City, taking their lunch with them and enjoying a picnic dinner.

A number of Fort Wayne friends of the C. A. Dugan family who accompanied the Babbie Trio company to this city last evening were entertained at the Dugan home prior to the concert. Mrs. Eliza Hanna Elliott, the soprano, was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Samuel Hanna, and with them also were Mrs. Gaston Babbie and Mrs. Nicholas Zedeler, wives of two of the musicians.

Miss Anola Frank has issued invitations for a party to be given this evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Frank, on West Monroe street.

The high school seniors are entering upon a period of social activity. Miss Reba Quinn will entertain the class this evening. Professor Rice has invited the class to be his guests Friday evening, and many other social affairs are planned for next week.

The Helping Hand society will meet at the church parlors tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Fred Heuer will serve as hostess.

The United Brethren Ladies' Aid society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Delma Elzey.

House cleaning and the other necessary spring "evils" or inconveniences did not keep a large number of the Presbyterian Home and Foreign Missionary society meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. M. Anker. After the devotionals conducted by the Rev. Gleiser, and the business period, the study of "China's Break With The Past" was taken up. Mrs. Ed Moses had a good paper and others discussed the subject. Mrs. E. D. Engel gave a pleasing vocal solo and Mrs. W. H. Lee conducted an interesting round table discussion on Cuba and the Philippines. Mrs. S. D. Beavers gave a good report of the recent Presbyterian convention at Kendallville. During the social time, the hostess provided delicious refreshments.

Mrs. W. R. Dorwin will entertain the members of the Orient club and their husbands Thursday evening. It is requested that they meet promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

Attention is again called to the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society meeting with Mrs. Stonerook on West Monroe street tomorrow afternoon. She will be assisted in entertaining by her mother, Mrs. George Burkett.

The Afternoon club ladies had a delightful time playing "500" at the home of Mrs. D. D. Clark yesterday afternoon. The hostess was assisted by her daughters, the Misses Margaret and Alice, at luncheon time.

Another one of the good times of the Question club was had last evening with Miss Bertha Kinney, when the girls sewed, sang, chatted and then had luncheon.

Mrs. Marquis Marquart and Mrs. Etta Heller of Bluffton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Steele, spending a delightful day with them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dugan and Mr.

The program as announced was carried out Tuesday afternoon by the Women's Christian Temperance Union at the home of Mrs. C. E. Bell on Adams street, much to the interest of the thirty-eight ladies present. Mrs. James Fristoe was leader and the study of child labor laws was fully discussed. Plans for the Fourth of July program, to be held in conjunction with the Sunday school picnic, were considered. Mrs. Bell was assisted by Mrs. J. Q. Neptune in serving punch and wafers.

Professor Shepherd gave a fine demonstration of hypnotism at the opera house last night to a well-pleased audience. His class was quite large and enthusiastic.

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## NOTICE.

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After the bids were discussed the contract was awarded to W. O. Newlin, whose bid was nearly \$800 lower than any other bid. The waterworks committee was then ordered to enter into contract with Mr. Newlin.

The awarding of the contract on the Madison street sewer was then continued until the next meeting night.

A motion was then made ordering the city superintendent of light and water to remove all the electric light poles and hydrants along Fifth street, five feet on the inside of the curb. This motion was seconded and carried.

The purchasing committee was ordered to buy a car load of screenings for the alley running from Second street to Third street.

The electric light and waterworks committee did not have anything of importance to act upon and the finance committee was called upon. They found the mayor's quarterly report all o. k. and the allowing of bills was then in order. The council then adjourned.

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