

## LOCAL AND PERSONAL HAPPENINGS

## What Greencastle People and Their Friends Are Doing

Mrs. J. R. Weaver arrived today.

Mrs. Mary Mathias is a sufferer from grippe.

Mrs. W. W. Jones is spending the day in Indianapolis.

Mrs. A. B. Phillips is convalescent, after a week's illness.

Miss Lucile Marshall arrived from Terre Haute last night.

E. H. Welch was transacting business in Bainbridge, today.

John DeMotte has gone to Ohio Wesleyan to attend college.

Mrs. Stephenson led the work at the Art Class this afternoon.

Dr. John is expected home tomorrow from a western lecture trip.

Harry Hoagland and Joe Ratcliff visited friends in Fillmore Sunday.

Fred Rogers, of Bainbridge, transacted business in the city this morning.

Miss Agnes Sturm has returned from her vacation in Silverwood, Ind.

Harvey Monett, of Bainbridge, spent last night with friends in the city.

Dr. Stephenson is in Indianapolis to attend the Morse Stephens lectures.

Mrs. S. A. Hayes is still confined to the house with a severe attack of grippe.

The Penelope Club will meet with Miss Nellie Leutke on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. Hopwood, of Clayton, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Beckwith.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goldberg went to Cincinnati yesterday, near which place occurred the death of Mr. Goldberg's father, who has been ill for some time.

Miss Ethel Carr, of Terre Haute, is the guest of Miss Edith Harlan. Lorena Lovett has returned to Indianapolis after visiting her mother, Mrs. Katherine Lovett, during the holidays.

Misses Ethel and Laura Phelps have returned to their home in Whitesville, after visiting relatives near Bedford.

Rudolph Strenns, of Indianapolis, was here yesterday the guest of Miss Grace Hoagland.

J. O. Powell, who spent a part of his vacation in Terre Haute, has returned to the city.

Wm. Glidewell returned to Middletown last night to oversee the completion of roads.

This entire week is to be observed as a week of Prayer among the churches of the city.

After spending two weeks in Greencastle, Miss Lenni Burner returned to Brazil today.

Charles Brown has returned to his home in Wallace, Ind., after visiting William Gulley, near the city.

A. P. Burnside went to Fountain Co., near Covington, this morning to look after the interest of his farm.

Miss Corinne Pulliam, who has been spending vacation with her aunt at Danville, Ills., returned today.

Miss Daisy Strother, who has been visiting relatives in Carbon, was in the city today en route to her home in Spencer.

Rev. G. C. Thompson, pastor of the Baptist church at Clinton Falls, was in the city this morning en route to Chicago.

Word was received here of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robbins, of Bolivia, South American. Mrs. Robbins was Miss Bertha Wood, a member of the Class of 1904.

Attorney Hughes attended court in Brazil today.

Dr. and Mrs. O. F. Overstreet entertain at dinner tonight.

Audrey Keffer is here from Kansas for a two weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Keffer. The Veronica Club will meet with Mrs. Lee Reeves next Wednesday afternoon. There will be an election of officers.

Mrs. Susie E. Burnside has returned to her home in Abingdon, Ills., after a visit with her nephew, A. P. Burnside.

The First Baptist church revival meetings will continue throughout the week with the Rev. Landis in charge. Any one wishing to assist in the choir will be welcomed.

Harry Shakesford, a Sigma Chi reached town yesterday very sick. He is now at the Sigma Chi house under the care of Dr. Hutcheson.

Enoch Proctor will leave next Saturday for Los Angeles, California where he will spend the remainder of the winter. Mr. Proctor is a resident of Monroe township.

Over the Tea Cups will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. H. Hughes on east Seminary street. The book to be discussed is "Nancy Star" by Elinor Macartney Lane. The discussion will be led by Mrs. Mary Mathias.

At the County Institute meeting held in Madison township last Saturday Township Trustee Charles W. King was presented with a hand-some gold watch and chain by the teachers of the township. Cleve Thomas made the presentation. Mr. King made a very happy response.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the County Superintendents office on the first floor of the court house. The paper will be by Mrs. U. V. O'Daniels on "How to Give." Miss Leona Webb will read a report of the recent Temperance convention held in Indianapolis.

Harry Hayes was in Ladoga last night.

Mrs. L. F. Hurt and daughter have returned to their home in Indianapolis after visiting Mrs. E. B. Lynch.

Miss Grace Dye, of Columbus, was in the city today en route to Terre Haute, where she will enter the State Normal.

Mrs. Ella Myers and William Peal were among those from the city, who attended the Reed-Sears wedding yesterday afternoon.

Today was a great rush of the students returning from their vacation, and preparing to resume their work in the university.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Coffman entertained a number of their friends at their home Wednesday evening, January 1, 7:30 o'clock. In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Coffman. The home was tastefully decorated with room was decorated with pink and palms and furs. The dining room was decorated with pink and white carnations with white crepe paper attached to the four corners of the table and from there to the upper corners of the room.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffman led the way to the dining room where a two course Supper was served after Supper Congratulations were offered and a general good time was had by all. After a late hour the guests departed wishing the bride and groom a long and happy life.

## OUR WANT COLUMN

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lar.

Lost—Knight Templars Charm, Thursday night—Between home and lodge hall. Finder kindly return to Dr. E. G. Fry, and receive reward.

Boy Wanted—Boy wanted to learn the printers trade. Apply at this office.

## A CASE OF IDENTITY.

(Original)

One day during the reign of Louis XIV., king of France, a young man appeared at court and announced himself as Octave, Count de Terrenne, who had been missing for several years. He had been serving with the army in foreign parts and when the war was over did not return with the rest. He was a handsome fellow, very pleasing in manners and speech and had no difficulty in establishing his identity at court. This was sufficient to cause him to be accepted by every one else. He explained his absence by saying that he had been in the military service of the King of England incognito.

The count was brave, generous and excelled in all manly sports. He cared little for learning, which he had been partial to before his disappearance, but accounted for this on the ground that he had entered the ranks as a common soldier and had campaigned and messaged with soldiers so long that it was a wonder he remembered how to act like a gentleman.

Among the ladies of the court was Mlle. Louison de Pomperon, twenty years of age, who was fond of listening to the adventures of the young count. Indeed, she was so captivated with his personnel, his courage, his audacity, that she fell desperately in love with him. Her affection was returned, and by permission of the king they were betrothed.

The affection of this young girl seemed to have a depressing effect on the count. At any rate, from the time of his betrothal he was never seen to smile. The gallantry he had shown for other women ceased, and, although many of them were so unprincipled as to try to win him away from his Louison, they made no impression on him whatever.

One day there was a review of troops, at which the king, attended by his court, acted as reviewing officer. Octave and Louison were seated on a balcony at the palace, behind the king. As one of the regiments marched past a soldier in the ranks looked up at the count and, grinning, shouted: "Hello, Comrade Devereaux!"

The incident might have passed without any serious results had not Mme. de Volsien, a woman who had received a trinket she had sent the count from Louison, noticed it and saw in it a means of revenge. Instead of letting it pass she talked about it so incessantly, intimating that here was proof that the count was an impostor, that the king was finally constrained to order an investigation.

Louison was thunderstruck when her lover confessed to her that he was the son of a country gentleman who had enlisted in the army and had risen to a commission. He had served in the same army with the real count and had often been mistaken for him. Then they had become friends, and he had once in battle saved the count's life. They were together when the count was mortally wounded, and the dying man had suggested to his comrade to go to France and claim his estates, furnishing him with documentary evidence that he was what he pretended to be. "And now," continued Octave, "I can no longer be your lover, and I no longer care what becomes of me. I shall confess and go to the galleys."

"No," said Louison, "you shall do such thing. You have accepted what was offered you, involving a deception for which I forgive you. You have been true to me, and this has created an enemy but for whom the soldier's words might have passed without inquiry. I love you too well to give you up, and if I did not I would not permit you to fall at the hands of that woman. I will take the evidence the count gave you, go to the king and convince him that you are what you represent yourself to be. If I succeed, my fortune is sufficient for us both, and you shall resign your title on the ground that I would not have you hold it under suspicion."

Mlle. de Pomperon took the proofs of her lover's identity with the Count de St. Lucien to the king, who was so well satisfied that he directed that the matter be dropped, but Mme. de Volsien persisted, and at last the count, or, rather, Emile Devereaux, called for an investigation. The man who had bailed him and a dozen others testified that they had served in the ranks with Devereaux and under him after his promotion. They knew that the count had been killed, and some of them had assisted at the burial, but the count had given Devereaux one proof that could not be gainsaid. He had shown Devereaux a red spot on his neck that had been with him from youth and counseled him to have it duplicate tattooed on his own neck. This, with the documentary evidence the count had given him, proved conclusive.

During all this trouble Louison went about apparently with perfect confidence that her lover was what he pretended to be and that he would prove it. He had no sooner been acquitted than she went to the king and told him of the injury Mme. de Volsien had sought to accomplish and her reason for doing so. The result was that Mme. de Volsien was banished from the court.

As soon as all this was accomplished Devereaux and Mlle. de Pomperon were married and immediately after retired to her estates, he resigning his title and surrendering the estates he had held to the real count's heirs, his wife giving it out as by her request, since she was too proud to enjoy estates under a suspicion that her husband held them wrongfully.

Devereaux outlived his wife, and after his death a confession was found among his papers.

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## DOMESTICS:

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12½c Ginghams, sale price.....	9½c
12½c Muslins " "	9½c
10c Muslin " "	7½c
12½c Percales " "	9½c
75c Table Linen " "	57c
1.00 " " "	75c
1.25 " " "	94c

## DRESS GOODS

\$1.25 .....	94c
1.00 .....	75c
.75 .....	57c
.60 .....	45c

## 60 per cent

## CLOAKS

\$10.00 Cloaks, sale price.....	\$4.00
12.50 " " "	5.00
18.00 " " "	7.20

## 50 per cent

## FURS

\$12.50 Furs, sale price.....	\$6.25
10.00 " " "	5.00
8.50 " " "	4.25
5.00 " " "	2.50

## UNDERWEAR

\$.25 Underwear, sale price.....	19c
.50 " " "	38c
1.00 " " "	75c

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25c corset covers.....	19c
50c corset covers.....	38c
\$1.00 shirts.....	75c
\$1.50 shirts.....	\$1.12½
and all higher priced ones cut in proportion.	</