

**Society**

A quiet wedding of this morning was that of Miss Pearl Strother, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Strother, and H. J. Joe Frankman of Cleveland, which was solemnized in the home of the bride's parents, 2236 Kenwood avenue, the Rev. Mr. Frankman officiating. Baskets of poinsettias and red roses combined with ferns, holly and festoons of laurel, were tastefully used through the rooms. Mrs. Joe Deutschle, sister of the bride, was the only attendant. Mrs. Deutschle wore a frock of dark blue charmuse, heavily embroidered and her corsage was of Mrs. Aaron Ward roses. The bride was gowned in midnight blue satin, having a wide border in various colors, and she wore a corsage of valley lilies, orchids and bride roses. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Frankman left this afternoon for a short trip East and later will be at home in Cleveland.

Max Farb, who has been attending Chicago University, has come to pass the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Farb, 144 North Highland avenue.

Miss Mary Crossland, 3171 Kenwood avenue, was hostess for the annual Christmas dance of the Gamma Delta Epsilon Sorority last night. Ropes of laurel, clusters of holly and myriads of bright bells were effectively set throughout the house. A Christmas tree, glistening with dimmed tiny lights, stood in the living room and the favors, Santa Claus dolls, were hung on the branches. Among the guests was Miss Frances Connally of North Vernon. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. I. M. Graham and Mrs. D. L. Crossland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Jameson, 203 Dovray avenue, will receive informally Sunday afternoon for Miss Lydia Jameson and Miss Charlotte Brandon Howe, who have come from Radcliffe College to pass the holidays with their parents.

Miss Dorothy Burr, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGibney for a few days, departed today for her home in Bloomington, Ill.

Miss Lucille Bailey will entertain with a dancing party in honor of a group of young college folk who are home for the holidays, in her home, 3460 Meridian street, on the night of Dec. 30.

Young people of the Capitol Avenue Elworth League entertained with a Christmas party last night in the banquet room of the church. The "stunts" were given and gifts were distributed, accompanied with humorous speeches. Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson were in charge of the general arrangements.

Members of the Omega Nu Sigma Sorority and their friends were entertained yesterday with a Christmas party, given by Miss Ethel Hankins and Miss Frieda Smith at the home of Miss Hankins, 1550 Hoyt avenue. A Christmas tree, brilliantly illuminated and laden with gifts, the guests, including the children of the afternoons. A centerpiece formed of two kewpies in skating tugs was used on the serving table, and kewpies in silver and white frocks were given as favors. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. Elmer Bailey of Detroit, Mich., and Miss Florence Wiedman of Spokane, Wash. The hostesses were assisted by Mrs. A. L. Hankins.

Paul G. Moffet has come from Illinois University to pass the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Moffet, 3715 North Meridian street.

Mrs. Ray Robertson of Parkway boulevard, was the hostess for a delightful Christmas party given for members of the Sigma Delta Phi Sorority, last night. The house was artistically decorated in Yuletide colors, holly, poinsettias and laurel were used through the rooms. During the evening, a grab bag was featured. The guests included Miss Bernice Reid, Miss Vicki Head, Miss Edna McQuillen, Miss Leona Griffin, Miss Hazel Shatto, Miss Hazel Cottrell, Miss Mabel Marchal and Mrs. Clarence Atkins.

Mrs. Betty Arshopsky, 17 North Highland avenue, will entertain members of the Gamma Sigma Sorority with a dinner dance at her home, Christmas night. Covers will be laid for twenty-nine. The hostess of the Cleveland, Sam Palloch and M. L. Litz of Chicago, and David Cohen of Philadelphia.

Mrs. S. M. Wilder will come from Grand Rapids, Mich., to pass the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Flits and Henry Wilder, of Beverley court.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Beatty of Detroit will pass the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. V. Butterfield, 619 North Dearborn street. Mrs. Beatty, before her marriage, was Miss Theresa Butterfield of this city.

**Princeton Men Give Clever Play at Murat**

Motion pictures of the campus of Princeton College, class yell by the students and an enthusiastic audience added "pp" to the list of the most popular attractions at "They Never Come Back" at the Murat last night, by the Triangle Club of Princeton. The entire production was from the hands of undergraduates of the college and the "tuneful melodies and snappy action had no flavor of amateur theatricals. The cast, made up of the Triangle men, which included a number of feminine roles, and a breezy chorus, did a creditable work.

The formation of a band of scientists to bring to life mummies of Peru formed the nucleus of the plot. A series of complications caused by the entanglement of a young American in love with a charming young woman, with the band of "revivers" and the tying of members of the party with each other to prove that each had discovered the marvelous life-giving, all went up in a spicely, laugh-producing comedy.

J. E. Forgan led the cast and made a hit with his cocky American freshness. Among the other players were W. H. Smith, an awkward bellboy; E. H. Wever, the English savant, and L. P. Yandell, F. T. Corbett and P. Lloyd Smith, in feminine roles, all of whom interpreted their parts in pleasing fashion.

**Officers Chosen by Legion Posts**

The Howard C. Root Post, No. 84, and the Irvington post of the American Legion have elected officers for the coming year. The officers elected by the Root post were: M. Armstrong, commander; W. B. Boden, first vice commander; Gerald Zeller, junior vice commander; W. A. Nicolai, treasurer; Harry Von Weller, adjutant; Donald Hammer, war risk insurance secretary.

Those elected by the Irvington post are as follows: Charles B. Davis, commander; Lieutenant Colonel Schultz, finance officer of the 5th Army corps, senior vice commander; Robert Hill, junior vice commander; Robert Brewer, adjutant; and W. J. R. Moore, finance commander.

The Root post has increased 25 per cent in membership during the last year. A committee was appointed by the Irvington post to secure permanent headquarters for the post, which is now holding its meetings at the Delta Tau Delta house.



**MEASURE ASKS  
STATE ENGINEER**

Department of Conservation to  
Present Bill.

A new and sixth division to be known as the engineering division would be added to the department of conservation by the provisions of a bill already prepared and which will be presented to the State Legislature which convenes Jan. 6. The bill has been drafted under the direction of officials of the department.

The chief of the engineering department, by the terms of the bill, would be known as the State engineer.

Divisions other than those of geology, entomology, forestry, lands and waters, fish and game and engineering, could be created from time to time by the conservation commission, with the approval of the Governor, as the work of the commission develops and as it becomes necessary to differentiate the work of the department, by the provisions of the bill.

Section 1 of the bill would have for its object the amendment of Section 12 of the present conservation commission act and would create a new and additional section to be designated and numbered as Section 19 1/2.

Section 1 of the bill would provide for the addition of the engineering department. Section 2 would define the duty, rights of power and functions of the engineering division.

To a large extent, the engineering division would have for its duty the preparation of the State for the proposed Great Lakes to the sea waterway, which would most logically come through this State.

Duties of the division, as outlined in the bill which will be presented to the Assembly, would be "to investigate, compile and disseminate information and make recommendations relative to the drainage and reclamation of lands."

"To make surveys and reconnaissance and prepare such maps as would enable land owners, public officials or other persons interested in or charged by law with the duty of promoting and securing the drainage and reclamation of lands to proceed more intelligently with their work."

"To recommend and secure the enforce-

ment of laws for the drainage and reclamation of the lands so-called and non-arable lands of the State."

"To ascertain, determine, designate and define natural drainage and reclamation areas, and place their information at the disposal of authorized officials, so that they may proceed with the reclamation or drainage work, that the component systems may form a scientifically integrated system whereby the entire natural drainage or reclamation areas may be most economically and scientifically drained or reclaimed."

The State engineer would also act in an advisory capacity to the drainage commissioners. Courts or county commissioners in any county of the State in drainage projects, and would lend his assistance in carrying out drainage work in any part of the State.

Section 2 of the bill mentioned in the bill to establish the State engineer's office, but it is understood the work would be carried on in cooperation with the engineering course of Purdue University, in the same manner in which the work of the division of geology is now carried on in connection with Indiana University.

Strong efforts will be made by the conservation commission to have the bill passed, and it is understood the bill has been heartily approved by both Governor James P. Goodrich and Governor-elect Warren T. McCray.

**Mrs. Housewife,  
Do You Know?**

(Note. Each of these household problems has been worked out by the author, who has not only taken a course in scientific housewifery and dietetics at Columbia University, and written and edited women's news-magazine features for years, but is a practical housekeeper as well.)

1. Is it true that there is less waste on turkey than in chicken?

2. How much time should be allowed in roasting turkey?

3. Is it possible to remove "indelible" ink marks from fabric?

(These questions will be answered tomorrow by the Housewife.)

**ANSWERS TO YESTERDAY'S QUESTIONS.**

1. If a turkey's feet are black, it is probably under a year old. If pink or red, it is over a year old and more. Older than this it is dull gray feet.

2. A tender turkey is plump, has a pliable breast bone and has smooth legs, preferably black.

3. Fresh coffee stains may be removed by placing fabric over a bowl and pouring boiling water from a kettle held two or three feet above—Copyright, 1920.

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