

OVER THE TEA CUPS

PLEASANT CLUB MEETING.

The Domestic Science committee of the Hammond Women's club will have charge of the program for the next public day at the club, Saturday, Nov. 28th, and have arranged for a very interesting program. An admission of 25 cents will be charged for all persons not members of the club. The following program will be given:

Piano Duets.....
Misses Dollie and Eugenia Knotts
Report of the Federation of Women's Clubs.....
Mrs. Minnie Kline
Paper—"Food Values and Classification of Foods".....
Mrs. V. S. Reiter
Three demonstrations by Mesdames Maria Hower, J. W. Herington and A. S. Hunt. The guests will be served with refreshments, consisting of the dishes demonstrated during the afternoon. The ladies of the committee are: Mesdames Marion Hower, chairman; Mary Knotts, vice chairman; Eleanor Deming, Mamie Hammond, Katherine Henry, Esther Herington, Anna Hunt, Bertha Hutton, Minnie Ibach, Ethel McAlister, Hettie McConnell, Josephine Reiter, Helen Twiss, Margaret Wall, Stella Wilcox and Emma Wilson.

RETURN FOR VACATION.

Many of the Hammond young people who are away attending the colleges, are coming home for the Thanksgiving vacation. They began to arrive in Hammond last evening and will continue to come until tomorrow. Many will remain over Sunday and among them are: Miss Anna Ibach who is attending Depauw university at Greencastle, who will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ibach of South Hohman street; Miss Edna Switzer, a student at Depauw, who will spend the holiday with her father, the Rev. W. F. Stritz, at the M. E. parsonage; Miss Marion Deming of the Wisconsin State university, who will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Deming of Carroll street; Miss Florence Shea, who is attending St. Mary's at Notre Dame, will spend the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Shea of Webb street; Miss Muriel Wilcox, who is studying at the Northwestern university at Evanston, Ill., came home today to spend the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wilcox of Conkey avenue; the Misses Ruth Sohl and Norma Locklin, students at the Chicago university, will also visit their relatives in Hammond; Mat Kolb, who is attending Purdue, came home last evening and will remain until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Kolb of Condit street.

ENTERTAINS AT DINNER.

Miss Anna Hess will entertain a number of friends and relatives at a 6 o'clock dinner to-morrow evening at her home in Indiana avenue.

ATTENDS DANCING PARTY.

Miss Margaret Carroll will be entertained by friends in Michigan City tomorrow for a dancing party.

ATTENDS DINNER PARTY.

Misses Ella Moxey and Blanche Moxey will attend a dinner party given by Miss Moxey at the Holland House in Chicago Friday evening.

HERE FOR VISIT.

George Wolf of Delaware, O., is here for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

ENTERTAINS AT DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Redley will entertain a number of relatives and friends at a 6 o'clock Thanksgiving dinner tomorrow at their residence in South Hohman street. In the evening the guests will compose a theater party to Chicago. Among the guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrison of Chicago, Miss Dittman and Mr. Crawford and Harry K. White of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kidney of Hammond.

MISS GARDNER ENTERTAINS.

The most elaborate social event occurring in Valparaiso thus far this season was the affair yesterday and last evening given by Miss Ethelyn Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gardner, to the Illinois Alumni Association of the National Park Seminary, Washington, D. C., and a few special guests. The fact that Miss Gardner is an alumnus of the institution named, and an exceedingly popular one, led the Illinois Association to adopt her and she has always been considered a member in every sense. The first feature of the affair was a matinee dance at Armore hall, where the guests spent a pleasant few hours. Music for the dance was rendered by M. A. Bell and Harry T. Polk.

HOME FROM WASHINGTON.

Congressman Crumpacker returned home this evening from Washington, D. C., where he has been the past two days attending the meeting of the ways and means committee of which he is a member. On his way home he paid a visit to President-elect Taft.

HERE FOR THE HOLIDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merowther of Shelby, Ind., came to Hammond yesterday to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. A. E. Merryweather at her home in South Hohman street.

RETURNS TO COLLEGE.

Miss Hedwig Thum will return to Monticello, Ill., today to resume her studies at the seminary there after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thum of Rimbach avenue. Miss Marie Hansen of Crown Point will come to Hammond this evening to spend Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hansen of Rimbach avenue.

RETURNS HOME.

Mrs. Leland will return to her home in Minneapolis this evening after a few weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. John W. Dyer of Indiana avenue. Mrs. Leland came to attend the Rockwell-Dyer wedding.

GUILD MEETING.

The Ladies Guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church are meeting this afternoon in the parish room of the church.

It is the regular meeting of the society and business of importance will be discussed.

PYTHIAN SISTERS MEET.

The regular meeting of Hammond Temple No. 73 Pythian Sisters will be held Friday evening in the K. of P. hall. All members are urged to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

SILVER LIGHT HIVE MEETS.

All members of Silver Light Hive L. O. T. M. are asked to be present at the regular meeting this evening in Long's hall on State street. Business of importance will be transacted at this meeting.

VISIT IN THE EAST.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Lyons and daughter, Kathleen and Marjory, of State Line street expect to go to Middleburg, Pa., to be the guests of Mrs. Lyons's mother, Mrs. Potter, for a week.

RETURN HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Weiland and family returned to their home in Irving Park, Ill., last evening after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. Elster at their home, 444 East Sibley street.

ATTEND FAMILY REUNION.

Mrs. J. C. Pannenberg and son, Jesse, and daughter, Miss Mabel, will go to Chicago Heights to be the guests at a dinner given by Dr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Pannenberg at their home for a number of relatives.

PRIZE MASK BALL.

Don't forget the first prize mask ball tomorrow evening, Thanksgiving Day, November 26th, at Mike's Grand Hall, 101 West Ogden street. Eight good prizes will be given. Music by Stanley S. Gralak's orchestra. This is the first dance of its kind on the south west side. Bills have been distributed in all adjoining towns and a big crowd is expected. Remember this is the last dance at Mike's hall until next January.

MONTHLY SUNDAY SCHOOL.

The monthly meeting of the Sunday School board of the First M. E. church will be held Thursday evening at the church at 7:30 o'clock. Many important matters are to be considered.

EASTERN STAR MEETING.

The regular meeting of the order of Eastern Stars was held last evening in the Masonic temple, and there was a good attendance of members. The usual routine of business was transacted.

HOLD INFORMAL RECEPTION.

The members of the Hammond University club held an informal reception to the newlyweds last evening. There were a large number of the newlyweds present, there being, in fact, but one absence.

The party was a very congenial one, and was entertained during the evening vocal solos rendered by Mrs. L. L. Bomberger, Mr. R. E. Garber and others.

Light refreshments were served during the evening and every one present enjoyed themselves. The effort to have the husbands and wives who were newlywed given an appreciation of each other was a failure.

The young bachelors in the University club, having had no matrimonial experience, thought that there would be nothing young married people would rather do than write appreciations of each other. They were mistaken, however, and neither threats nor persuasion brought out a single appreciation.

The developments of the evening were somewhat of a surprise to all the members of the club, but a good time was enjoyed by all who attended.

After the party in the club-rooms broke up a number of the members of club went to Long's hall, where they danced several dances and then lunched at the restaurant of the local Celestial.

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CARMEN TONIGHT.

The celebrated play "Carmen," which has not been seen in this city in a long time, will be the Imperial Stock company's offering at the Towle Opera House tonight, with Miss Henderson in the title role. She has many friends and admirers here, who will be glad of the opportunity to see her in this favorite old play, and it is probable that it will attract the largest audience of the week. The company carries all its own scenery for the production, and a play and performance above the average is promised. The two Thanksgiving Day performances tomorrow promise to pack the house afternoon and night, the advance sale being already large.

AFTERNOON PARTY.

Mesdames A. Weatherwax and R. B. McAlister gave a very pleasant party yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McAlister in Clinton street for the members of the Erithstane club and a few friends. The hostesses issued their invitations in a very unique style early last week. An appropriate verse enclosed in a nut shell invited the guests to come in school-girl attire to a nutting party at the home of Mrs. McAlister. The guests arrived early in the afternoon and enjoyed a very novel program of games. Cobweb game was first indulged in and the ladies were each given one end of a long string which led them to various parts of the home before they reached the other end, to which was fastened a peanut which inclosed a conundrum. The one first reaching the end of the string and guessing the conundrum correctly was awarded a prize. Mrs. Charles Wilson was awarded the first prize and Mrs. W. H. Davis the booby. The next contest which helped to pass a pleasant

hour was the composing of a story. The author having the highest number of words containing "nut" was awarded a prize. Mrs. Miller received the honors in this and Mrs. J. M. Turner was awarded the consolation prize. At the close of the games the guests were served with a delicious luncheon, including many nut dishes. The party was one of the most pleasant given among the club members and was thoroughly enjoyed by the members and their guests, who were Mrs. McAlister of Canada, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Davis.

LARGE CHURCH WEDDING.

The wedding of Miss Mary Stefanski and M. Tomkutsis was solemnized this morning at 10 o'clock in St. Andrew's Catholic church in West Hammond, before an unusually large assembly of relatives and friends of the bridal party. The solemn high mass of the church was said by the Rev. Father Myzyskowski. At 10 o'clock the bride entered the church and came down the aisle to the altar, where the mass was read. The altar was beautifully banked for the service with palms and ferns and cut flowers. The members of the Young Ladies' Society of which the bride was a member, came first, followed by the bridesmaids and their attendants. The bride had ten bridesmaids, all of whom wore beautiful white lingerie gowns elaborately trimmed with lace and insertion. They all carried immense arm bouquets of flowers. The bride and groom entered together. The bride was exquisitely attired in a white tulle silk gown, trimmed with embroidered chiffon and silk lace. She wore a long tulle veil, caught to her hair with a wreath of lilies of the valley. She carried an arm bouquet of white chrysanthemums and carnations.

The attendants at the wedding were the Misses S. Szczepinski, M. Wachowicz, N. Nowicki, F. Kilinski, S. Wilczewski, R. Radziejewski, A. Rulzak, T. Bolade, K. Bednarska, A. Matko and M. Pietrzak. The groom was attended by the Messrs. J. Tomkutsis, J. Laczak, T. Kowalski, I. Zadovick, A. Kozlowski, A. Sokolowski, A. Jundzanski, R. Ruzewicz, A. Stefanski, T. Laurakoz, N. Niedopyski and A. Powisnaga.

Following the service, which was one of the most beautiful of the season, the members of the bridal party and a large number of invited guests went to the home of the bride's parents in West Hammond, where an elaborate wedding breakfast was served. At the bride's table the decorations were bridally flowers and ferns, the color scheme being prettily carried out in green and white. Among the Hammond guests at the bride's table were Mrs. M. Bahstadi, Mrs. J. C. Cameron, Miss Adeline Miller and Miss Mary Sparks. The day was passed very pleasantly at the Stefanski residence and this evening the guests will go to the West Hammond hall, where dancing will be enjoyed until a late hour.

The bride is very prominent in West Hammond society circles and until recently has been employed as saleslady in Ruhstadt's department store. She has a large circle of friends in both Hammond and West Hammond who will wish her all happiness in her married life. Mr. Tomkutsis is engaged in business in Chicago, where he has a pretty flat in readiness for his bride. Mr. and Mrs. Tomkutsis received many valuable gifts from their relatives and friends.

ATTEND WEDDING.

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Oberlin attended the wedding of friends in Chicago last evening.

RETURNS HOME AFTER MISSION.

Rev. Walter S. Howard, rector of St. Thomas church, Plymouth, Ind., who has been conducting the mission at St. Paul's Episcopal church of this city, left for Chicago this morning to spend several days with friends and will return to Plymouth the latter part of this week.

VISITS IN MILWAUKEE.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Groman and little daughter have gone to Milwaukee to spend Thanksgiving with relatives and friends.

LEAVES HAMMOND.

Miss Erma Schmitt of Warren street left Hammond at noon today for Chicago, where she will make her home with friends on the south side.

VISITS IN VALPARAISO.

Mrs. Viola Smiley and son, Carl of Conkey avenue, will be the guests of friends in Valparaiso over Thanksgiving.

Briefs.

Miss Amy McGregor will go to Beloit, Wis., to spend the school vacation with friends and relatives.

Miss Annie Cullinane will spend the Thanksgiving vacation with relatives and friends in Benton Harbor, Mich.

Miss DeEtta Curry will be the guest of relatives in Benton Harbor, Mich., during the Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Marie Keper will be the guest of friends in Chicago tomorrow to see Richard Carle in "Mary's Lamb" at the Auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Morrison of Chicago will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. P. Redley of South Hohman street.

Mrs. N. J. Bick has gone to Kankakee, Ill., for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Marie Eastman of Chicago will spend Thanksgiving with her cousin Miss Adeline Miller at her home in Indiana avenue.

Mrs. Fred Kemp went to Chicago today to remain over Thanksgiving with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Eddy has returned from a short visit with friends in Michigan City.

Mrs. Russ and Mrs. Louis Loucks of East Chicago were the guests of Mrs. F. C. Ryan yesterday at her home in Condit street.

Mrs. Roy Travers of Indiana Harbor is spending the day with Hammond friends.

Miss Myrtle Merryweather was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Merryweather at their home in Chicago last evening.

Mrs. Martin Finerman and baby went to Chicago today to spend the remainder of the week with relatives and friends.

Miss Etta Sheffield of Chicago will spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sheffield of May street.

Roscoe Hemstock will spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Valparaiso.

Mrs. Joe Wilcoxson has gone to Milwaukee to be the guest of her sister, Miss Sadie McIntyre for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Weaver have gone to Kankakee, Ill., to remain over the holiday with relatives.

Miss Dittman of Chicago is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kidney at their home in Mason street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gillis left this morning for Angola, Ind., where they will spend the remainder of the week with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. David Emery of Williams street went to Cedar Rapids, Ia., today to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Miss Ada Vansteenberg of Roseland, Ill., a graduate of the American Conservatory of Music is prepared to give music lessons to pupils in this vicinity. Inquire at A. Vansteenberg, Lansing, Ill., phone 9823—adv-3t.

Miss Kaske of Munster was the guest of the Misses Knotts at their home in Muenleh court yesterday.

Henry Sartorius will spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Chicago.

Earl Kingsland of Elgin, Ill., will spend Thanksgiving with friends in Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ray Hatch and children of Carroll street will spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Goshen, Ind.

Mrs. Craig of Rimbach avenue went to Hinsdale, Ill., today to remain over Thanksgiving with relatives.

Mrs. E. C. Deming is spending the day visiting in Chicago.

Miss Mae Swanton was in Chicago today on business.

Don't delay! Have your shoes repaired now. Quick Shoe Repair Works, Phone 267.

Mrs. Mattie Bonney will go to Chicago tomorrow to spend the day with relatives.

Miss Veda Hemstock will go to Valparaiso this evening to remain over Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hemstock.

Miss Kate Emery will go to Detroit, Mich., today to spend Thanksgiving with relatives and friends.

Miss Mayme Reiser will spend Thanksgiving day with relatives in Crown Point.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney C. Hobbs, Miss Grace Gero and Claude Palmer will see "The Stubbhorn Cinderella" at the Princess theater in Chicago tomorrow.

Miss Anna Emery and Miss Edith Carter will see Mr. Mantell in "King Lear" at the Grand Opera House in Chicago tomorrow.

Leo Wolf was in Chicago today on business.

Elwin Gavitt, who is attending the Valparaiso university, will spend the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gavitt of Hammond.

Mrs. Peter Crumpacker went to Chicago today to visit Mr. Crumpacker at the Augustana hospital.

Tonight is the regular meeting night for Hammond Tent, No. 42, K. O. T. M., and the first degree will be conferred. Those who attended the meeting last Wednesday, say that the absent members missed a treat, and that the indications are that the future meetings will be equally as good and spirited. The attendance is growing, and much interest is taken in the reviews. All members are urged to be present this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ruff and children of Carroll street went to Ottawa, Ill., this morning to spend the remainder of the week with relatives and friends.

Miss Marie Landon, who is attending the Valparaiso university, will spend the remainder of the week with relatives and friends in Hammond.

Miss Eva Wilson, who is attending Valparaiso university, will spend the school vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, at their home in Doty street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Elster of Sibley street will spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Crown Point.

Miss Faye Smiley will spend Thanksgiving with friends in Douglas Park, Illinois.

Miss Emma Kunert will spend Thanksgiving with friends in Chicago.

Mrs. Thomas Brennan and daughter, Julia are spending the afternoon with relatives in Englewood.

Robert Fendig will be the guest of relatives in Benssaler over Thanksgiving.

Miss Swanton of Sibley street will spend Thanksgiving with friends in St. Charles, Ill.

Mr. Borman of Tolleston was in Hammond today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. C. Payne will spend Thanksgiving with relatives in Waukegan, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carr and son, Thomas, of Chicago will be the guests of Mrs. Carr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Haase of Sibley street tomorrow.

George Aurenz will return to his home in Lafayette tomorrow after a short visit with friends in Hammond.

Mrs. Ross of East Chicago is spending the day with Hammond friends.

George Aurenz and Miss Mae Prange attended the theater in Chicago last evening.

Mrs. George Schurr of Lansing is shopping in Hammond today.

Mrs. Becker of East Chicago is spending the day visiting in Hammond.

Mrs. Loomis of Oak Glen was in Hammond today on business.

Mrs. William Schultz of Lansing was a visitor in Hammond today.

Miss Cecelia McGarry and Mr. Walter of Whiting will visit Miss Anna Burdow of Hammond tomorrow.

Mrs. Helde of Lansing was in Hammond today on business.

Attorney John M. Stinson was in Crown Point today on business.

F. O. Hodson of Highland was in Hammond today on business.

Miss Mae Brown of Chicago will spend Sunday with Mrs. Burgundy of Hammond.

ST. PAUL'S MISSION CLOSED LAST NIGHT

Father Howard Exhorts The Congregation To Continue In Religious Spirit.

COMPLIMENTS THE RECTOR

Two Thanksgiving Services Will Be Held Tomorrow—Annual Election of Officers Tonight.

St. Paul's Episcopal church was well filled last evening at the final mission service conducted by Rev. Father Howard, who offered some special words of advice in parish affairs before beginning his sermon. He paid a deserved compliment to the rector of the parish, of whom he spoke in glowing terms, and called upon all the parishioners to support and work with the rector in all his efforts to widen and extend in this community the influence of St. Paul's church. "Do not let him do all the pulling. Take hold yourself and work unitedly, rector and people together, great things will be accomplished for God and His church, and for the betterment of the people with whom he come in contact daily."

Replies to Question.

The missionary replied to the following queries which had been submitted: "Can I rightfully take communion with a spirit of unforgiveness in my heart?"

"Do I need to belong to the church?"

"How is one received in to the Episcopal church who had a letter from another church?"

"How often should one take holy communion?"

"Is the Episcopal church growing rapidly?"

"Does Darwin's theory of evolution strengthen or weaken the position of the church?"

The subject of the sermon was "Heaven and Hell," based on the text found in St. Matthew's gospel, twenty-fifth chapter, forty-sixth verse. "The character of hell as a place of punishment," said Father Howard, "is entirely in accord with our highest conception of a just and merciful God. Monstrous injustices and wrongs are perpetrated in this world both by individuals and nations, and often are never righted, but God will recompense the victims of such injustices and punish the guilty, who refuse in this world to repent of their wickedness and seek God's mercy and pardon."

A conception of Heaven.

Heaven presents to us the realization of the highest ideals of holiness to which we can aspire, as exemplified in the life of Jesus Christ our Lord and Master, who dwelt amongst us as an example of holy living and showed to man the possibilities of attainment of God-like character."

There will be two services at St. Paul's church Thanksgiving day.

A celebration of the holy communion at 7:30 and another celebration with sermon at 9 o'clock.

The annual parish meeting for the election of two wardens and seven vestrymen for the ensuing year and to hear annual reports of parish officers will be held this evening in the parish room at 7:30.

All members of the parish, communicants or regular attendants at the services, over 21 years of age, are entitled to take part in the proceedings of the meeting and to vote on all questions which may be considered.

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LODGE WORK

One hundred members of the Royal League are expected to go to Chicago next Saturday evening for the big initiation of the largest Royal League class in the history of Chicago. The drill team of the Pioneer council will go to Chicago in a body, and will be accompanied by many other members of the council. Pioneer council will have quite a number of candidates in the class. A special meeting is called for this evening, to be held in the office of J. Floyd Irish in the First National Bank building.

Hammond Chapter, R. A. M., No. 117, meets this evening for the purpose of conferring the Royal Arch degree. The Blue lodge meets on Friday evening at which time the Master Mason degree will be conferred upon a number of candidates. The commandary holds a meeting next Monday evening, there being special work for the drill team in preparation of the visit if St. Bernard's commandary of Chicago, which is expected to be in Hammond in about three weeks to confer the degrees upon a class.

Nominations for officers for the ensuing year and a smoker are in order in the Hammond Eagle Aerie tonight. This is one of the most important meetings of the year, and a good attendance is expected.

A week from next Monday evening will be held the annual election of officers in Unity Council, Royal League. There will be no meeting next Monday evening. The lecturer has added some new paraphernalia for amusement in the club rooms and in the next few days a pool table that has been secured, will be erected.

Moltke Lodge, I. O. O. F., will hold its annual election of officers next Friday evening. The nominations have all been made and the election is expected to bring out a good attendance.

Owing to Thanksgiving day tomorrow, the regular meeting of the Owls, which is scheduled for tomorrow evening, will be postponed for a week.

Memorial services on Sunday, Dec. 6, is the next event of importance in Elk circles. The lodge has secured the services of a good speaker for the day, who will address the members and their friends in the First Methodist church in the afternoon at 2:30.

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