

A DAY IN GARY LAND

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

There was no court in the Lake superior court this morning on account of the fact that several of the cases were settled much sooner than was expected. Of course, there will be no court Thanksgiving day, but on next Friday motions will be heard and the issues in the Calumet township remonstrance case will be settled.

Saturday there will be no court and on Monday the case of Selig vs. Malo will be tried by a jury. This is expected to consume most of the morning. In the case of Jackson vs. Kroer the jury rendered a judgment in favor of the defendant and the plaintiff will have to pay the court costs.

Dr. Jackson brought suit to recover the sum of \$19 from the defendant.

WILL PUT UP AN EIGHTEEN THOUSAND DOLLAR STRUCTURE.

E. T. Davis Latest Gary Man To Build Two-Story Brick Flat.

A building permit for an \$18,000 structure was granted yesterday to E. T. Davis, who contemplates erecting a two-story brick store and flat building on the southeast corner of Washington street and Fifth avenue. Work on the building will begin at once. J. J. Verplank is the architect for the building and has the plans almost completed.

W. H. Kilver, building inspector, said this morning that the prospects for a good supply of houses this winter is of the best. Residences is just what Gary has been needing most and it is encouraging to the Gary people to see capital becoming more interested in this phase of Gary problems.

NEW STEEL DIRECTOR.

Alfred Clifford of St. Louis was elected a director of the United States Steel corporation yesterday to succeed James

ayley, whose resignation as director and vice president was accepted. Mr. Gayley's successor as vice president was not chosen. Mr. Clifford was formerly with the American Steel and Wire company.

ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF MALICIOUS TRESPASS.

Theodore Berkich Gathered in by the Police Yesterday.

Theodore Berkich, 33 years old, was arrested last night by Officer Marquardt on the charge of malicious trespass, the specific charge being that he hurled a stone through the plate glass in the saloon belonging to Tony Grahovir, near Seventeenth avenue and Massachusetts street.

This is the second time that a window was broken in the same place within two months, and the fact that Berkich was seen running away from the place just after breaking the window, and the fact that the man under arrest had a quarrel with the saloon-keeper leads the police to believe that he is the offender.

GARY POLICE STILL HOLD THE MAN.

Fred Smith of Chicago Has Not Explained Circumstances.

The Gary police are still holding the man whom they arrested last Monday as a suspicious character. He gave his name as Fred Smith of South Chicago, and Sergeant Conk of the South Chicago station was in Gary yesterday to confer with the Gary officials regarding their prisoner. The South Chicago official has taken the number of the watch which was found on the person of Smith and will attempt to learn whether it was stolen or whether the man under arrest came to it rightfully.

GARY WILL HAVE A MODEL DAIRY ROOM.

E. F. Bender Will Establish One of the Best Plants in the State—Latest Machinery Will Be Installed.

Gary is to have one of the finest dairies in the state of Indiana.

Edward F. Bender, owner of the Bender block, at the corner of Eighth avenue and Massachusetts street, will occupy the basement of the building and establish one of the most up-to-date as well as sanitary dairies in the state. Mr. Bender was formerly located at Sixteenth and Massachusetts streets, but as the quarters grew too small and as Mr. Bender's business increased, he decided to move into his new place of business.

Mr. Bender will install all the latest machinery, much of which is now being put in position. The latest addition will be a pasteurizing plant, in which the milk and cream is put through a process which makes it absolutely pure and free from all foreign substances.

When the state inspectors made their inspection of the Gary dairies they complimented Mr. Bender as having one of the finest dairies in the state, and with the new machinery and the late methods used, he expects to keep up the reputation and give his patrons the benefit. The new dairy will be named the "Willow Creek Dairy."

SPECIAL THANKSGIVING SERVICES TO BE HELD.

The Christ's Episcopal church will hold special Thanksgiving services at the chapel, at the corner of Fifth avenue and Adams street, on Thursday to which all citizens of Gary are invited. Donations of fruits, vegetables or other provisions are solicited with which to decorate the church, after which they will be given to the worthy poor and at the hospital.

If anyone knows of needy families please phone Mrs. F. S. Bouby (2303), or Rev. L. W. Applegate (2144). The collection taken at the service on Thursday will be donated to charity.

HEARD BY RUBE.

There are some men in Gary who boast they can let drink alone, but don't you know they never do.

Turkeys that are on sale in the Gary markets are not as fat as usual, but they cost just as much.

The windows in several of Gary's windows looked very inviting yesterday with all the turkeys and other fowls lined up.

Even though it did rain last night and this morning the members of the Gary Commercial club junket did not leave with dampened spirits.

No other store like the R. & S. if the last football games of the season will take place tomorrow and after that people will have to turn their attention to bowling, billiards and basketball.

All the Gary business houses will close at 12 o'clock tomorrow, and will spend the rest of the day in recovering from their Thanksgiving dinner.

Although no agreement was reached at the meeting of the Lake County Bar association the other night in regard to the establishing of a superior court at Gary, the local attorneys promises to keep their ever watchful eye open.

There undoubtedly will be some blistered hands tomorrow evening when the men of the Congregational church get through with their task of laying the concrete floor in the new church.

The R. & S. for specials on shoes and rubbers.

Give some people their picks and they will pick flaws every time.

And now Gary people will confine their attention to buying Christmas presents.

GARY BRIEFS.

City Clerk C. O. Holmes was in Chicago today on business.

A quiet wedding took place in Miller yesterday, when two of the best-known residents of the place were united in marriage by the pastor of the Lutheran church. Miss Esther Johnson and Mr. William Gustavson were married at their home on Lake Shore drive. The wedding was attended by their immediate friends and relatives. Both are well known in Gary.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Miller Realty company was held in the offices of Harris & Bretsch yesterday for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to the booming town on the lake front. Among those in attendance were: Dr. T. Edwin Bell and Burge of Hammond.

All millinery reduced to half by the R. & S. only.

HIGH WIND AND DEFECTIVE SEWER CAUSE DAMAGE.

Gary Is Visited by an Electrical Storm Last Night Which Causes Sewers to Back Up—Department Store Hard Hit.

A defect in the sewer which drains Fifth avenue, coupled with a high wind and an electrical storm, last night caused considerable damage in the R. & S. department store on Fifth avenue, off Broadway.

The high wind yesterday noon pressed in two plate glass windows, each 7 by 9 feet. \$30 window sign was ruined and other goods in the store spoiled owing to the broken window.

This morning when W. H. Payne, one of the proprietors of the store, opened the place he found one and one-half feet of water in the basement which had destroyed about \$500 worth of his clothing and shoe stock.

This store is not the only one to suffer by the backing up of the sewers. Nearly all the stores drained by that sewer in the district suffered from the high water, the damage being especially large where the merchants had goods stored in the basements.

Delightful Social Event

One of the most pleasant social events for this season in Gary was that given last night under the auspices of the Gary Social club. The entertainment for the evening consisted of cards, dancing and a light luncheon, the object of the entertainment being to promote good fellowship and bring about a better acquaintance among the members and their friends.

The guests had their choice of entertainment, card games having been arranged in the Gary hotel, while across the street in the Assembly hall, under the management of Clyde Hunter as chairman, music was furnished for those who preferred the dance to the cards. Bigelow's orchestra furnished the music for the evening. Stephen Creutz presided in the Gary hotel at the card games.

Enjoy a Light Luncheon. At 10:30 adjourned to the dining room of the Gary hotel where George O'Donnell had prepared a dainty light luncheon for the guests. When the guests were all assembled they sang the opening verse of Gary's anthem, "Garyland My Garyland," in which all joined. The last verse of the song was sung at

the close of the evening's entertainment.

H. S. Hays, Jr., president of the club, acted as toastmaster and after having himself made a few introductory remarks called on other members present for short talks. Rev. A. J. Sullens, chaplain of the club responded in the most pleasing manner and was heartily applauded. Homer J. Carr, vice president of the club also made a short address.

Eastern Star Will Organize.

Among the guests were many members of the Order of Eastern Star and their organization in the near future was discussed. All members of the Eastern Star in Gary will hold a meeting in the first week of December for the purpose of organizing. Before the close of the evening's function Mrs. J. F. Vodermark entertained the guests with a reading.

Four prizes were awarded for the card playing, the first lady's prize going to Mrs. Stephen Creutz and the second to Mrs. D. S. Roberts. To H. S. Slick was awarded the first gentlemen's prize, while the second was awarded to A. S. Hess.

LEAVE CITY WITH SONGS AND CHEERS

Gary Commercial Club Un-awed by Rain, Starts on Its Junket.

With the song, "Garyland, My Garyland" on their lips the members of the Gary Commercial club left the steel city at 8 this morning for the second annual celebration. All of the members looked forward to the best time that they have had ever enjoyed, and expect before they have returned to have accomplished much good in the way of boosting this city and advertising it among the largest municipalities of northern Indiana.

Many of the members made a special effort yesterday to pay in the dues which are owing to the club yesterday so that they might be in good standing, which is the only requirement for those wishing to take the trip. About 100 of the 125 members have expressed their desire to go yesterday, and a fine delegation is assured.

The club are making the trip today in three special cars and will go straight to South Bend, instead of switching off at Michigan City, and going to Laporte, as it was thought might be done at each city where the club stops the mayor and the council will be invited to accompany them so that the party will be swelled to a much larger number when the final stop is made at South Bend, where a splendid banquet has been arranged for at the Oliver hotel.

The itinerary of the trip, which has been scheduled and was announced in the program issued yesterday, is as follows: Trains leave Interurban station at Gary..... 8:00 a. m. Arrive Michigan City..... 8:40 a. m. Leave Michigan City..... 10:00 a. m. Arrive South Bend..... 11:00 a. m. Leave South Bend..... 1:00 p. m.

BENEFIT BALL TONIGHT

Binzenhof Hall in Gary Will Be the Scene of Much Pleasure.

This evening the big benefit ball for the rebuilding of Father Jansen's new residence will be given in the Binzenhof hall. The Daughters of Charity, who have had this matter in charge, report splendid progress with the work of selling the tickets and making the

SPEND DAY IN A NOVEL WAY

Gary Young Men Will Put Concrete Floor in House of Worship.

The young men of the Gary Congregational church have decided upon a novel way for spending their Thanksgiving. Under the leadership of their pastor, the Rev. A. J. Sullens, the young men will don overalls and jumpers and go to the First Congregational church, which is now under construction and there lay a concrete floor in the basement of the church. It will undoubtedly be much fun for the young men, especially those who have never handled a shovel in their life. Many of the young men are employed in offices and naturally their hands are very tender, and by the time they finish handling the heavy concrete their friends promise that they will have a good appetite for their Thanksgiving turkey.

The invitation to work for the benefit of the church is not confined to the young men, the Rev. Sullens having also extended it to allow the skilled laborers who care to lend their aid to the church.

necessary preparations. They will attempt to make this event the big social affair of the year.

The tickets will be sold at 50 cents apiece and at this price they expect to be able to clear up a substantial sum of money. The rebuilding of the residence which burned down has been started and it will be pushed at once to completion.

Bigelow's orchestra has been secured and the hall will be put into the best shape that the willing workers can make it. The loss of the rectory was felt by the congregation almost as deeply as by the pastor himself, as Father Jansen is not only popular among them, but the residence was a beautiful structure. The members of the woman's organization are being commended on every hand for their splendid work in this city as evidenced by the money which they collected on tag day for the benefit of the Mercy hospital, and their work in the benefit performance.

WHITING WOODMEN GIVE NICE SOCIAL EVENT.

[Special to THE TIMES] Whiting, Ind., Nov. 25.—The Modern Woodmen of Whiting gave their annual reception in the I. O. O. F. hall last night and enjoyed both a good attendance and a good program. Miss Beth White, a Chicago elocu-

tionist, gave a number of readings, which were greatly enjoyed by all. Home talent, too, participated in the entertainment, and served materially in making the evening a most pleasant one.

John Kamradt sang a song which was greatly appreciated. Miss Mary Morrison gave a recitation and in it showed her talents as a reader.

The violin duet by Myrtle and Roy Ingraham was one of the most pleasing parts of the program. The piano solos by the Misses Anna Mae Dineen and Linda Baumgartner were also greatly enjoyed.

At the close of the program the Royal Neighbors served an excellent turkey supper, which was perhaps enjoyed as much as any of the literary treats earlier in the evening.

TUESDAY CLUB HAS GUEST DAY YESTERDAY.

[Special to THE TIMES]

East Chicago, Ind., Nov. 25.—The guest day meeting of the Tuesday Reading club was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. W. Johnson, on Magoun avenue. The entertainment was musical in nature and opened with a piano solo, "Arabesque," by Miss Florence Lewis. The speaker of the evening was Professor Holloway, of Indiana Harbor, who gave a splendid address "Some Ideals in Literature." He exemplified the rapid ad-

CORPORATIONS PAY COURT PRICE FOR RAILWAY YARDS.

LaPorte, Ind., Nov. 25.—Litigation pending for years and involving the big railroad yards of the Lake Shore Railroad company at Miller's Station, Lake county, Indiana, and lands of the Gary Land company, was settled yesterday in the LaPorte circuit court, when the companies paid into court \$33,850 and costs of the condemnation suit against the Lake Shore Sand company for forty-eight acres at Miller's. The appraisers fixed a price of \$27,000, the railroad company claimed it was worth \$9,000, while the sand company declared its value was \$316,000. A jury awarded the sand company \$73,000, but Judge Hatcher cut the amount to \$35,850. An appeal to the Indiana supreme court followed, but yesterday's settlement disposes of the entire case.

Pre-Holiday Sale

A sale that will go down in Gary's history as the most genuine aggregation of Real Bargains ever offered. Never before has there been a sale at the beginning of the season as stupendous as this. Having too large a stock on hand, we have decided to ruthlessly slaughter every article in our Clean Cut, Up-to-Date Stock, and we defy anyone to even attempt to undersell us. Everything as represented. Anything not suiting can be returned. Your money back for the asking. And one price and that the lowest. We ask you to attend this sale and not only profit by the money-saving values we offer, but so you can see for yourself that everything is just as advertised. Don't fail to come, if only to look. We want you to give us a chance to demonstrate to you what Real Values really are.

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