

# EAST CHICAGO AND INDIANA HARBOR

## EAST CHICAGO.

Leaves for Washington.

Representative E. W. Wickey left last evening for Washington, D. C., where he will attend the sessions of the national conservation committee, the national rivers' and harbors congress and the Farmers' National Congress. He will return the latter part of the week, after which he will leave on a brief southern trip to New Orleans, La., and vicinity. Mr. Wickey was accompanied on his Washington trip by Mayor Edward DeBries, who will attend the sessions of the National Rivers' and Harbors' Congress as a delegate from the city of East Chicago.

## Hold Memorial Services.

The Elks of East Chicago held their annual memorial services in their lodge rooms on Olcott avenue yesterday afternoon, about 300 citizens attending the ceremonies. Special music by a local quartette and solos by the Misses Townsend, Stone and Wickey were in evidence and added greatly to the interest in the program. The ritual was observed by the exalted ruler, G. M. Foland, who introduced as the orator of the day George Bakers of Chicago, who spoke in place of Attorney Robert Cantwell, who was to have made an extemporaneous talk on the memorial feature of the Elks' lodge.

## Will Give Supper.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church will give a supper in the church parlors tomorrow evening, when the following menu will be served:

Oysters	Crackers	Celery
Cold Meat	Cabbage Salad	
Jelly	Bread	Butter
Cake		Coffee

G. L. Wilkinson of Northcote house is suffering with a severe attack of the grippe.

Reports from St. Margaret's hospital indicate that George Darrow of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street is somewhat improved, although his condition is still serious.

Messrs. Bevan, Fowler, Burdick and Van Horne of Indiana Harbor attended the meeting of the East Chicago Masons Saturday evening.

Max Nassau, the jeweler, is displaying good bargains for holiday shoppers.

The pupils of the local high school are preparing a program to be rendered in the Lewis' skating rink next Friday afternoon when the acceptance of Indiana into the Union will be celebrated.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Spencer of Beacon street spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rohrman of Hammond.

Stanley Gralack of Hammond was a visitor at the Lewis' skating rink last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dickinson of

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La Peer, Mich., will spend the latter part of this week at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. William Jenney, of Kennedy avenue.

Max Nassau, the jeweler, has just received a large assortment of photographs, which he will sell on monthly payments.

Mrs. Michael Gorman of Steiglitz Park is reported as recovering rapidly from her recent illness.

William Betties and wife of Laporte spent Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Bicknell on Magoun avenue.

Attorney Willis E. Roe transacted business in Crown Point this afternoon.

The services at both the Congregational and Methodist churches in this city were well attended last evening, Revs. Brown and Palmer preaching excellent sermons.

Rev. F. J. Brown and mother, Mrs. William Brown, of Magoun avenue visited friends in Englewood yesterday afternoon.

The ladies' Bible class of the M. E. church will meet in the parsonage this evening, Rev. J. H. Palmer leading.

Jim Hall of Magoun avenue visited friends in Hammond last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoos of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street spent Sunday with friends in South Chicago.

Frank Ryan of Magoun avenue visited friends in Whiting yesterday afternoon and evening.

When you want a perfect fitting suit made call on O'Connel, the tailor.

J. Roy Morrison and Miss Edna Wickey heard David Bispham, baritone, at Music hall, Chicago, yesterday afternoon.

Spoke Hanley and James Lingfield were Chicago theater visitors Saturday evening.

James McKenna of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street has been appointed inspector of the fagot shed at the state mills.

Home Made Candies. Leave orders with Miss Ida Phillips, 1208 Beacon Street, East Chicago, Ind. Phone 294-31.

C. C. Wright, who has been with the Chicago, Lake Shore & South Bend line since August, resigned on Saturday and has taken a position in the Erie yards at Hammond.

Mrs. J. D. Williams entertained a number of lady friends from Hyde Park at her home on Magoun avenue Friday afternoon.

Entries are announced for the wrestling championships of the Central A. A. U.

BASEBALL.

Baseball politicians are gathering for the annual session of the big leagues in New York.

Richard Kinsella of Springfield hopes to persuade the "Three-I" league to adopt his views on salary question.

AUTOMOBILING.

George Galidzik, the noted Chicago A. C. driver, is now working in a German auto factory.

BATTLING NELSON  
GETS A COMPLIMENT.

Sporting Critic Praises Lightweight Champion's Work in The Times.

In speaking of Battling Nelson's sporting stories in THE TIMES, W. A. Phelon, sporting editor of the Chicago Journal, says:

"Battling Nelson reported the Deleski-Sullivan bout for a Hammond paper and wrote it well. Bat is really becoming a capable scribe."

Well, he couldn't write for THE TIMES if he wasn't capable.

DORANDO STARTS MANY RIDERS ON THE GRIND.

Fifteen Teams Answer Crack of Pistol Fired by Italian Marathon Runner.

New York, Dec. 7.—At one minute past midnight fifteen teams started at the crack of a pistol held in the hands of Dorando, the Italian Marathon runner, in the sixteenth international six-day bicycle race. The following teams entered:

GERMAN-HOLLAND — Walter, Rutt, Germany, and Johann Stol, Holland.

street entertained friends from Chicago yesterday afternoon.

Messrs. and Mesdames Hembrough and Patterson of Fir street were East Chicago visitor yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Gilmore of Grapevine street visited friends in Whiting yesterday afternoon.

B. C. Lukens of Michigan avenue spent Saturday afternoon in Chicago.

Miss Dorothy Pierce of the Field school was a Chicago visitor Saturday evening, spending "The Music Master" at the Garrick theater.

Dr. Robert Ansley of Michigan avenue has been appointed physician and surgeon for the Inland Steel company's local plant, taking the office held until recently by Dr. J. F. Teegarden. Dr. Teegarden's term expired on Dec. 1.

The dance at the South Bay hotel last Saturday evening was a splendid success, about fifty couples participating. The music was excellent and the banquet served by Mrs. F. A. Nagle was all that could be desired. Here's hoping that there may be many more such!

School Trustee W. H. Jeppesen leaves this afternoon for Fort Wayne, Ind., where he will transact business for about a week.

The Misses Maud Edgar and Maude Mitchell of East Chicago were the guests of Miss Anna Saunders in this city yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Reiland of Elm

# SPORTING NOTES

MONDAY.  
Start of the six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden, N. Y.

Meeting of the National Baseball commission at New York.

TUESDAY.  
Jim Driscoll vs. Charley Griffin, 12 rounds, at Boston.

Annual meeting of the National Baseball League in New York.

Annual meeting of the Metropolitan Golf Association in New York.

ANNUAL meeting of American Baseball League in New York.

WEDNESDAY.  
Wrestling bout between Yusif Mahmout and Fred Beell at Chicago.

THURSDAY.  
Opening of annual show of California Pigeon club at Oakland.

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Wrestling bout between Yusif Mahmout and Fred Beell at Chicago.

SATURDAY.  
End of six-day bicycle race in Madison Square Garden, New York.

## NELSON'S TERMS FOR FIGHT TURNED DOWN

Suggests Elimination Contests Among Challengers For His Title.

## PACKEY UPSETS THE PLAN

Declare He Will Retire Rather Than Let the Dane Dictate Conditions to Him.

## BATTLING NELSON

Battling Nelson yesterday outlined the conditions under which he would consent to fight again for the lightweight championship of the world, but the terms named by the Dane did not meet with the approval of Packey McFarland, who declared that he would prefer to retire from the boxing game to being dictated to by the champion.

Larrie Lichtenstein, manager of Cyclone Johnny Thompson, started the little entanglement by offering to match his man against Nelson and allow the champion to have the entire purse.

The Dane replied that he would not box any man under such conditions, but that he would consent to meet the winner of a series of elimination bouts to be arranged among McFarland, Welsh, Gans and Thompson.

Let McFarland fight Thompson, and Welsh take on Gans and the two winners box for the right to meet me for the championship. I'll be glad to take on the winner of such a series of fights.

I should almost consent to give up my autobiography to start work for the battle.

Packey Hints at Retirement.

Thompson, through his manager readily agreed to the scheme, but neither McFarland nor his business agent, Harry Gilmore, Jr., would consider the arrangement for a minute.

"Nelson cannot dictate to me" said McFarland. "I am in the fighting game for the money there is in it and I am making plenty of the long green just at present fighting easy men. I'll go on fighting 'lemons' for a year and if Nelson does not care to fight me in that time I'll quit boxing altogether."

Packey was approached on a match with Thompson at San Francisco and declared that he might consider a \$5,000 pure for a go with "Cyclone Johnny." He did not appear very enthusiastic about the matter, however, his manager declaring that he preferred a return match with Welsh or a chance at Nelson, but that he would consider the \$5,000 offer to box twenty-five rounds with Thompson, provided he did not get one of the other two matches.

FRENCH—Victor Dupe, France and Leon Georget, France.

DANISH-ITALIAN—Norman Anderson, Copenhagen and Carlo Vanoni, Italy.

INTERCITY—Joe Fogler, Brooklyn National Athletic club, and Iver Larson, Chicago.

THE MORMONS—Hardy Downing and C. L. Hollister, Salt Lake City.

FARMER-MESSENGER BOY—Frank Galvin, New Milford, Conn., and George Wiley, Syracuse, N. Y.

TRANSCONTINENTAL—Fred Hill, Boston, and Walter Denara, San Jose, Cal.

YACHTING—Francoise Faber and Henri Lafourcade, France.

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