

A DAY IN GARY LAND

WHERE SPEND XMAS DAY ASKS GARYITE

With Invitations Galore and Good Dinner at Home. It's Hard to Choose.

SCORES OF PEOPLE GO AWAY

Foreigners on Threshold of Long Merry Making Season—Poor Are Cared For.

Where are you going to spend Xmas? This is a question that is confronting many Gary people tonight.

Of course there are many people who have their homes here and will eat turkey around the family table. Elaborate dinners are being prepared and no doubt the culinary department is now stored with abundant supplies of cranberries, fruits, turkeys, etc.

Scores of Gary people, especially those who are employed in the mills and whose homes are scattered all over the United States have left several days ago to spend the holidays with their friends and relatives. Others who live at too great a distance will spend the day in Chicago and attend the theater.

Besides those who live in comfortable homes and have plenty, are the poor of Gary. Many of those who are in need will be amply provided for by several of the church societies, who are sending out well filled baskets to the needy ones. Luckily Gary has but few families who are destitute and in straightened circumstances. These will be well cared for on Christmas.

TREES BEING PLANTED IN FIRST DIVISION.

Gary Land Company Gives Mother Nature a Gentle Hint.

William Diehl, one of the largest nursery men in Chicago, came to Gary yesterday with six men for the purpose of setting out 250 trees in the first division. The men will start today setting out the beautiful shade trees along the streets in the residence section of the city. These are additional trees which will be used on those streets where building has been going on recently, and which were missed when a number of trees were set out this fall.

Shoe Sale on now. See the R. & S. Cut prices on Rubber Ware at the

PARIS RESTAURANT OPENS IN GARY LAST NIGHT.

New East Place Promises to Become Popular.

The new Paris restaurant, 724 Broadway, opened for business last night and at the supper hour all the tables were filled.

The new eating house is one of the finest in Gary and the up-to-date fixtures, excellent service and good things to eat will no doubt make the Paris become very popular in Gary within a short time.

Socialism in Sweden. Socialism has found many new adherents and is making rapid growth in Sweden. The labor conditions generally have been such as to bring discontent to many who had previously been apparently satisfied.

R. & S. Co., Fifth avenue.

Gem Theatre

Craige & Alton White and black face comedians. Singers and dancers and after-piece producers.

Alice Tiffie Irish Comedienne

The Marvelous Griffith will appear at the Gem for the rest of the week.

Prof. Lang of Chicago will be here to night with his latest illustrated Song hit "BABY DOLL."

SPECIAL FEATURES CHRISTMAS NIGHT

GARY HOTEL BARBER SHOP

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FIRST CLASS BATH ROOMS IN CONNECTION

The only Six Chair Shop in Gary

3 Clean Towels for every Customer. Service the very best. A trial order will convince you. P. P. DEEM, Mgr.

HEARD BY RUBE

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Happy now is any one Who has all his shopping done. If he has it still to do, Can you wonder he is blue?

If you haven't received your package you expected by mail, cheer up, you may get it New Years.

It's no use wanting to have a mild winter and hear the merry jingle of the sleigh bells at the same time.

Call me early tomorrow morning, mother dear—but if it's just a necktie wait until 1 o'clock.

Remember, if you have been pushed and shoved in the stores during the past few days, you can shop with absolute safety on Saturday.

At all events the local firemen are getting enough action to satisfy them, running down false alarms.

Gary real estate dealers are the only ones that are caring to make any predictions at this time.

Shoppers at this late hour should make just as few false motions as possible.

Some towns and cities might be satisfied with much less, but the best milk is none too good for Gary.

Gary has enough restaurants now so that you have to deliberate before you can make a selection.

And above all, don't forget that THE TIMES wishes you a merry Christmas.

And if you must stand under the mistletoe, don't call any one's attention to the fact.

The carpenter's dance, which is being arranged, will be held at the assembly hall on Jan. 30 instead of at the Bismarck, as stated in these columns yesterday.

The R. & S. for largest display of Christmas goods, Fifth avenue.

CLARK STATION.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

The following program was given by the Clark Station public school Wednesday, Dec. 23, 1908:

Song.....Pupils
Address.....Fred Herrington
Recitation.....Raymond Forbes
Recitation.....Goldie Shreer
Recitation.....Walter Behn
Recitation.....William Forbes
Recitation.....Richard Much
Song.....

Recitation.....Miss Bertha Schwalbe
Recitation.....Albert Benson
Recitation.....Hugo Virus
Recitation.....Annie Schwalbe
Recitation.....Chas. Much
Recitation.....Richard Much
Recitation.....Luella Osterman
Song.....Pupils
Recitation.....Edith Herrington
Recitation.....Miss Clara Kaske
Recitation.....Gertrude Forbes
Recitation.....Walter Danielson
Recitation.....Charles Herrington
Recitation.....Miss Irene Osterman
Recitation.....Walter Dettman
Play—Miss Bertha Schwalbe, Miss Elsie Gastel, Miss Irene Osterman, Walter Behn, Charles Herrington and Richard Much.

Recitation.....Carl Virus
Recitation.....Gerhard Soder
Recitation.....Edward Kaake
Song.....Mr. Hugo and Carl Virus
Recitation.....Walter Osterman
Recitation.....Lloyd Danielson
Recitation.....Hilda Benson
Dialogue.....Miss Frieda Dettman
Dialogue.....Wm. Forbes & Walter Behn
Recitation.....Miss Minnie Much
Recitation.....Miss Elsie Schwalbe
Recitation.....Carl Much
Song.....Pupils
Recitation.....Elmer Behn

Santa Claus comes and makes a short speech to those who attended the exercises. The decoration of the tree and in the room was very beautiful. The exercises were well attended by many people of all different towns.

Mrs. F. Behn was a Christmas shopper Wednesday.

Mr. Peter Anderson of Clark Station was a business visitor at South Chicago.

Mr. Henry Taegy was transacting business at Chicago yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Clossen and children, Ellen, Mabel, Florence and Philip, of South Chicago are spending their Christmas with relatives at Edgerton, O.

Mrs. E. Clossen of South Chicago visited with relatives here.

Mr. J. Scheurer transacted business at South Chicago.

Mr. Henry Masura and a few friends were Indiana Harbor visitors.

The Clark Station public school will hold its Christmas exercises Wednesday Nov. 23 at 8 p. m.

Mrs. R. P. Stults was visiting with relatives near Dearborn Park.

LANSING.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Mr. J. C. Ton was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. W. Gaden was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Mr. Otto Gutowski returned to Chicago yesterday after spending a few days here.

Mrs. R. Schultz was a Hammond visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Barco visited in Hammond Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frouman and son were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

Mr. F. S. Schultz was a Chicago visitor Tuesday.

William Ward was in Fort Sheridan Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Ward and son, Arthur, were Chicago visitors yesterday.

Miss Lizette Gaden was a Chicago visitor yesterday.

SUPT WIRT TO ATTEND STATE CONVENTION

Leaves for Indianapolis on Next Monday for the Teachers' Meeting.

DISCUSSES RACE PROBLEM

Says Original Plan Will Be Carried Out on Theory of Making Negro Independent.

Superintendent W. A. Wirt of the Gary public schools will leave Monday for the state teachers' association meeting at Indianapolis. It is not believed that any other Gary teacher will accompany him, as most of them reside out of town and will spend the holidays at their homes.

In regard to the segregation of the colored and white children of Gary, Mr. Wirt said yesterday that the plan would be carried out in detail. The school board is unanimous in its belief that it would be for the best interests of everybody concerned to have the colored children taught separately from the whites and by a colored instructor.

The reason advanced by Mr. Wirt is, that the negroes should learn to be independent and help each other. In other words, he would seek to promote self-reliance among them, which he believes is right and proper, in the same manner that the Serbian boys and Italians band together in this country for the purpose of helping each other.

In time, when the negroes graduate from the schools, they in turn will be led to teach schools of their own color. This, they feel, will act as a stepping stone to a higher profession, such as law and medicine, which he hopes they will practice among their own people so that they can build themselves up instead of being constantly dependent upon the white people of this country.

The above is but a brief reason advanced by the board and is but one of the many which have caused them to decide in the manner in which they have.

JUDGE HUBER AS SANTA

Refuses to Issue Garnishee Writes in Christmas Week.

There are at least five families who have been made happy in Gary today through Justice of the Peace Albert C. Huber. They have been made happy because on Christmas day the members of the family will be able to purchase a few presents for each other, whereas, if it had not been for the kindness of the judge, there probably would not have been money enough in the home to do so.

The judge, however, did not donate the money in question to make their Christmas a happy one, he simply refused to issue any papers to garnishee the wages of men who are employed in the steel mills and who drew their money yesterday. The opinion of the judge was that no man who was pressing the obligation, that the money which was due them on their payroll should be given to them to make their Christmas, the one day of all the year, happy.

Up until the middle of the afternoon yesterday there had been five applicants for garnishee who were refused, and there probably would have been more. Most of the men who were refused to be garnishees, since they have been allowed to spend the money they earned and they will now be able to enjoy a merry Christmas.

AT THE CALUMET THEATER.

On the theory that the best is none too good for his patrons during the Yuletide, Manager Comors of the Calumet theater has booked as the New Year's week attractions two superb plays, "The Governor and the Boss," with William H. Turner, the celebrated character actor in the role of the "Boss," and the play that will live forever, "East Lynne."

"The Governor and the Boss," with the original New York Chicago cast, the same that presented the play at the Great Northern theater in Chicago a few weeks ago, comes to the Calumet on Sunday, Dec. 27, for a four days' stay. When in Chicago this play was praised by every newspaper critic and most of them devoted a column in complimenting the piece.

It was compared with "The Man of the Hour," and critics did not hesitate to point out its superiority in some points. Mr. Turner is one of the great stage has ever produced and in the role of the "Boss" is said to portray a wonderful character. The play is produced by Charles Blaney and its appearance at the Calumet will mark its first presentation at popular prices.

"East Lynne" comes to the Calumet on New Year's eve, and there will be a special popular priced matinee on New Year's day at 2:30 o'clock. The cast and production which will be presented here will be the most elaborate and by far the best ever offered to South Chicago theater-goers. It will stay at the Calumet for three days.

ITALIANS WILL START COLONY NEAR GARY

Chicago Syndicate Buys 120 Acres for Residence Purposes.

ON THE INTERURBAN ROUTE

Co-Operative Columbia Rapids Company in Back of Project—Located Mile From City Hall.

The Co-Operative Columbia Rapids company, a real estate firm which was capitalized last February for the sum of \$100,000, announced the recent purchase of 120 acres of property a mile south of the Calumet river and a mile east of Broadway.

The Rapids company is composed of a number of Italians, who have banded together for the purpose of future colonization. They plan to have on the route of the Gary-Hobart-Valparaiso electric railway one of the most up-to-date and complete colonies in the country. The land which was purchased is close enough to Gary so that the residents of that section will be able to work in the mills, and yet it is far enough away so that they will be entirely by themselves.

Those who are at the head of the company are George Janny of Chicago, who is one of the wealthiest Italians in the city. Mr. Janny is president of the concern and a number of his friends are associated with him in the deal. In Gary the Italians are represented by Charles Della-Chiesa, an Italian saloon-keeper.

The hundred and twenty acres will be cut up into lots at once and will be improved as soon as possible. The lots will be sold to Italians exclusively. The shares are being disposed to Italian all over the country so as to arouse as much general interest in the project as possible.

LABOR NEWS

The clergymen of Boston are considering the plan of forming a union. The bartenders and the bootblacks in Oakland, Cal., are reorganizing their respective unions.

The cigarmakers in the factories of Reading, Pa., are working overtime to keep up with the orders.

It is reported that Chicago pays the highest wages in the country to mechanics and laborers in twenty-one trades.

Miss Anna Willard of Chicago and M. E. Cook of Galesburg, Ill., a "dry" town, were recently elected vice presidents of the Illinois Bartenders.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers now numbers 63,500 members, and it has contracts with 172 railroads in the United States and the Dominion of Canada.

Notwithstanding the numerous trade disputes the average paid-up membership of the American Federation of Labor has increased 47,815 during the fiscal year now drawing to a close.

The Operative Bakers' union, at Perth, West Australia, has decided in favor of day baking, and in the future the work in the trade will begin at 5 a. m. and end at 6 o'clock in the afternoon.

To Go Into Mourning.

The Lady—Haven't much in the house to give you my poor man—but would you like a piece of my pie?

The Hobo—No, lady. But have you got a old black coat?

The Lady—Why do you want a black one?

The Hobo—De feller yer gave a piece o' odder day was a pal o' mine—Cleveland Leader.

Misquoted.

"I wouldn't make a confidante of May," said the conceited fellow, with a self-satisfied smirk. "She told me you said you were crazy to marry me. Of course, she's no friend if I."

"No," interrupted Miss Wise, "and she is not even a good reporter. I didn't say I 'was,' but 'would be.'—Catholic Standard and Times.

Judicial Bulls.

Some excellent bulls are credited to William Arolin, who was a London police sergeant in the 30s of the last century. He once remarked to counsel: "If you can show precisely what moment the offense was committed and prove that the prisoner was not there when he did it, he could not possibly have done it." And he sagely added: "We cannot divest ourselves of common sense in a court of justice." Of a similar character was an axiom he once delivered himself of, which has been maliciously fathered on many other occupants of the bench: "If there ever was a case of clearer evidence than this case, this case is that case."—Chicago News.

He "Thought" Right.

Professor George Porter, principal of the Hallsville schools, has continually told the pupils that they should think twice before they speak. One cold morning last week Professor Porter backed up to the stove, after having given expression to his famous adage, when a little boy on the front seat, after having been given permission to talk, said:

"Professor Porter, I've thought once." "Think again," he replied.

"I've thought twice," said the youngster.

"Then speak."

"Yes, sir, I thought your coat-tail was a scorchin'; now I think it is ablaze," replied the obedient urchin.—Hallsville (Mo.) News.

Defects of the Laws. Anacharisis: Laws catch flies and let hornets go free.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

Henry E. Dixey is appearing in a new play entitled "May Jane's Pa."

A tablet is soon to be placed on the site of Shakespeare's Globe theater in Southwark.

Rose Stahl recently broke ground for the New Columbia theater in San Francisco, which is to open next season.

Margaret Anglin will soon close her successful Australian tour to take a few weeks of rest in Egypt, before returning to the United States.

Since "Pluffy Ruffles" has gone on the road Hattie Williams has had to return to her singing of "Experience" with which she made so great a hit.

Mrs. Flako's "Salvation Nell," a tale of the alums, is declared by many to be one of the greatest if not the greatest of her dramatic successes.

The principals and chorus of "The American Idea" have raised a fund of \$250 to purchase Christmas presents for the inmates of the New York Home for Destitute Crippled Children.

A new playhouse, to be known as The Annie Russell, is soon to be built on West Forty-fourth street, near Broadway, New York, by Messrs. Waggonhals and Hemper. It will be devoted to comedy.

E. H. Southern has started on his first tour in three years of the southern states. He will give an interesting repertoire of his best plays, including "Hamlet" and other classical dramas, and several modern plays.

It is a rather remarkable fact that John Drew, his daughter Louise Drew; his niece, Ethel Barrymore, and George Drew Mendum are all playing in New York at the present, but at different houses and in different plays.

Harry B. Smith and Reginald de Koven are collaborating on a new American grand opera, which will be produced by the Shuberts as the opening attraction at their Lyric theater, New York, some time in September of next year.

Hazel Wallace, a Denver girl, who was discovered a short time ago by Martin Beck, has gone on the vaudeville stage and will delight her audiences with "classical" dances in her bare feet, after the fashion set by Isadora Duncan.

It is not generally known that Eertha Kalich first studied for the operatic stage, and, as a prima donna, of the Strauss and Offenbach repertoire, won her initial success upon the stage. At that time a great career was predicted for her.

Within the last month or so John Cort has opened two of the finest new theaters in the west. One of them is the new Colonial theater in Salt Lake City, which opened with Mme. Nordica as the chief attraction; the other is the new Majestic, recently completed at Los Angeles.

The title role in "The Devil" is played at the present time by more than a score of actors in New York and other American cities. Among the principal impersonators of "The Devil" are George Arliss, Edwin Stevens, W. L. Abingdon, Joseph Kilgour, Joseph Callahan, Edwin Forbush, Lionel Lawrence, George Soule Spencer, Campbell Gollan, Charles Caullins, J. Lawrence Lee, Daniel Ryan, Harry J. Leland, John R. Whitman, Harry Leighton, Harry Rider, H. Harry Hoy, Charles Perkins and J. F. Douglas.

HOW TO REDUCE FAT PROPORTIONATELY

Proportion is the thing. A fat woman years to reduce for abdomen, but she doesn't want to produce a scrawny neck. This fact condemns the dieting method of reducing. You can't starve the fat off one place and not off another. Simply impossible. But why try dieting, or even exercising, when there is a better way of reducing fat than either.

Try the following: One-half ounce Marmola, 1/2 ounce Fluid Extract Casarea Aromatic, 3/4 ounces Peppermint Water. Any drugist will fill the above cheaply. Take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime and see if in a few weeks you are not losing about a pound of fat a day—not from places where you are normally plump, but from those that are overly fat. The receipt works like a charm. I am told, and though it produces delightfully apparent results, yet it is perfectly harmless. Doesn't even cause wrinkles, they say who have used it, nor interferes with one's diet, which are two other exclusive and important differences it possesses over all other fat reducers I ever heard of. Instead of being harmful, in fact, as to many of the advertised remedies are, it improves the health and appetite and complexion.

The Ruling Passion. The man who twisted proverbs and sold them to magazines was finally arrested for his misdeemeanors. They overpowered him and put a nice, new, shiny set of manacles on him. Did he assert his innocence? No. He glanced at his handcuffs and said with a bandish grin: "Fine fetters make fine fallbirds."—Cleveland Leader.

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The times demand the best there is in the young man or woman, it wants educated talent and will not be satisfied with less. WHY NOT MAKE YOUR SON OR DAUGHTER, or friend in whom you have a personal interest, A CHRISTMAS PRESENT OF A SCHOLARSHIP IN the

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