

OVER THE TEA CUPS

VISITS IN LAFAYETTE.

Miss Maud Shea has gone to Lafayette, Ind., to attend the Junior Prom at Purdue. Miss Shea will remain for a few days' visit with friends.

IS ILL WITH PNEUMONIA.

Francis Eberle, the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Eberle is reported to be very ill with pneumonia at the home of his parents in State street.

RETURNS HOME.

Miss Gertrude Shoen returned to Hammond today from her home in Stanton, Mich., where she was called several days ago by the serious illness of her mother. Miss Shoen reports her mother as being very much improved.

GARFIELD CLUB TO MEET.

The Garfield club of the First Christian church will meet Monday evening in the church social room. It is the regular meeting of the club and a full attendance is desired.

A GUILD MEETING.

The next regular meeting of the members of St. Agnes' guild of St. Paul's Episcopal church will take place Monday evening at the home of Miss Mayne Mashine in Oakley avenue. A full attendance of members is desired as business of importance will be discussed. Plans for the social to be given in the near future will be completed at this meeting.

AN ALUMNI MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the High School Alumni association Monday evening in the assembly room of the Central school. Business of importance will be transacted, so that a large attendance is desired.

HOLD ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING.
The regular annual business meeting of the Hammond Woman's club is being held this afternoon in the Masonic temple. It was desired that many members attend, as the election of officers will be held and other important business disposed of.

K. OF C. MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Knights of Columbus Monday evening in the K. of C. hall. All members are urged to attend as business of importance will be transacted.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Westphal entertained a party of friends who surprised them at their pretty new home, 832 Truman avenue, last evening. The evening was passed in an enjoyable social way.

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A CHILDREN'S PARTY.

Mrs. Whitell is entertaining a party of children this afternoon at her home in Williams street in honor of the birthday anniversary of her little daughter. Kindergarten games will furnish the entertainment for the afternoon, and dainty refreshments will be served.

A SUCCESSFUL MEETING.

The Mothers' club of the Lincoln school held its regular monthly meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. W. A. Hill. The meeting was the last to be given during the school year, and an elaborate program was planned for the entertainment of the guests. The meeting was well attended by the members of the club, who passed a pleasant social hour at the close of the program. The members met informally for conversations, and discussed plans for the work next year. The pupils of the various grades took part on the program and rendered piano solos, vocal solos, recitations and several class songs were sung. Professor W. A. Hill was present at the meeting and addressed the members on "How to Beautify the North Side." The talk was of great interest to all present.

EASTERN STAR MEETING.

The members of the Order of Eastern Stars will meet at 8 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. Eric Lund, 19 Warren street. All the members are urged to attend as plans for the future will be discussed.

RETURNS FROM VISIT.

Will C. Mee returned home this morning from South Bend where he went yesterday for a short visit.

A SPECIAL MEETING.

A special meeting of the members of Hammond Temple, No. 73, Pythian Sisters was held last evening in the K. of P. hall. There was the usual attendance of members who spent the evening with the drill work in preparation for the coming convention.

A SCHOOL SOCIAL.

The pupils of the Wallace school gave an entertainment and social last evening in the school hall, which proved a very pleasant social event among the residents in the south part of town. There was a good attendance and a neat sum was realized which will be used to purchase pictures for the building. The pupils of the school grades took part on the program and they were assisted by the high school orchestra. Mrs. C. B. Miller and the Misses Lottie and Norma Robbins. Home-made candy was sold during the evening.

ATTENDS FUNERAL.

Miss Mae Buchanan went to Lowell today where she will attend the funeral of Mr. Michael and remain over Sunday, the guest of relatives.

ENJOYS SHORT VACATION.

Miss Sadie Innes left this morning for Monticello, Ind., to be the guest of her relatives and friends over Sunday.

ENTERTAINED IN CHICAGO.

Mrs. Fred Morrison will entertain the Misses Lola and Blanche Lyons of Hammond at her home in Logan Square, Chicago, over Sunday.

VISITS WITH RELATIVES.

Miss Amy Shine has gone to Bruce Lake, Ind., to be the guest of friends and relatives for a few days.

"A STUBBORN CINDERELLA."

One of the most important characters in the musical comedy "A Stubborn Cinderella" is a Sioux Indian. A peculiar feature concerning this part, the management, Mr. H. H. Singer, had considerable difficulty in securing one who could correctly interpret the part. After searching for several weeks Mr. Singer was fortunate enough to meet Frederick Truesdell, a well known actor who years ago traveled through the Zuni country, and who can speak the Indian language fluently. Mr. Truesdell attended the Carlisle Indian school, and it is said made one of the best stage Indians ever seen. At the Towle opera house Sunday, May 2nd.

VISITS HERE OVER SUNDAY.

Vernon McGirr, who is attending the Valparaiso university at Valparaiso, came here to remain over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. MacAleer in Webb street.

A PLEASANT PARTY.

Miss Fanny Ruskstadt entertained the members of the Inter Se club very pleasantly last evening at her home in Webb street. It was the regular meeting of the club members and they passed the evening in a very enjoyable way. Embroidery work and social conversation helped to pass a pleasant evening until a very daintily arranged course luncheon was served in the dining room. The next meeting will be held in two weeks, although the place of meeting was not decided last evening. The members present were: Misses Irene Mott, Agnes Melkie, Mary Kroot, Mary Bach, Florence Lovelidge, Ann Cullinane, Ellen Clark and Edith Goodman.

VISITS IN KANKAKEE.

D. W. Blackburn of Indiana avenue has gone to Kankakee, Ill., to remain over Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Alfred Sewall.

EMBROIDERY CLUB TO MEET.

The members of the Embroidery club will be entertained by Mrs. Ralph Pierce, at her home, 44 Condit street, Monday afternoon. The usual program of the club will be enjoyed.

VISITS IN CHICAGO.

Mrs. George Drackett and daughter, Miss Beulah of State Line street will go to Chicago tomorrow to visit Miss Katherine Switzer, who is ill at St. Bernard's hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bowman of Logan street will leave Hammond tomorrow afternoon for Buffalo, N. Y., where they will make their home in the future.

ENTERTAINS CLUB FRIENDS.

Miss Margaret Turner had the members of the Sewing club as her guests

last evening at her home in Rimbach avenue. The evening was passed in the usual pleasant way of the club with embroidery work, after which dainty refreshments were served. Another meeting will be held in two weeks although the place of meeting has not been decided. The following members were present: Misses Ruth Brennan, Georgia DeWesse, Grace Stolley, Florence Wilson and Emma Swanton.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

A number of young people met at Miss Mable Olsen's rooms at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens in Morton court last evening and spent a very pleasant time. The party was a surprise to Miss Olsen, planned by the pupils in her room in the Central building. Games furnished pleasant entertainment during the early evening after which elaborate refreshments were served.

A WEEK END VISIT.

Miss Nettie Raymus of Rimbach avenue, went to South Chicago this morning to remain over Sunday the guest of friends.

A FAREWELL PARTY.

A farewell to Mr. and Mrs. A. Bowman last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bajne in South Hohman street. The party was planned as a surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Bowman, who leave Hammond tomorrow for Buffalo, N. Y., where they will make their home in the future. The guests were the members of Golden Rule Council, No. 1, D. of L., of which Mrs. Bowman is a member, and about thirty were guests. Mrs. Bowman was presented with a handsome gold pin, an emblem of the Daughters of Liberty, which was a gift from the members. The presentation speech was made by Mrs. P. L. Davis. The evening was passed in a very pleasant social way and dainty refreshments were served.

A QUIET WEDDING.

A wedding of interest to many Hammond people will be solemnized this evening in Indiana Harbor when Miss Mae Lewis and Arthur Mack of Cleveland, O., are quietly married. The ceremony will be very quiet and simple and will be witnessed by the immediate relatives and only a few invited friends. Mr. Mack arrived in Indiana Harbor from Cleveland where he is in the employ of the Lake Shore railroad at their general office. Mr. Mack formerly lived in Indiana Harbor when he was connected with the C. I. & S. R. R. at Gibson. During his stay at Indiana Harbor and Hammond he made many friends who will congratulate him on the announcement. Miss Lewis is a prominent young lady in Indiana Harbor and popular in society circles at Hammond and East Chicago, where she has visited on several occasions. The announcement will be a surprise to many friends of the young people, who will extend their best wishes for the future.

Mrs. Thomas Brennan is spending the day with her mother, Mrs. Swift, in Englewood.

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Mrs. Mattie Boney will spend Sunday visiting her relatives in Chicago.

L. Levy has engaged Mr. J. Bronstrom from Chicago to do his cutting and coat making. He can please the best dressers; a perfect fit guaranteed. 212 East State street, next to the Monon tracks; phone 246.

Miss Maude Smith and guest, Mrs. Goodman, of Omaha, Neb., are spending the day visiting in Chicago.

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C. C. Smith of East Chicago transacted business in Hammond today.

Miss K. G. Redley will be the guest of her friends in Chicago Sunday.

Fair as the fairest lily,
Your complexion it can be,
If you'll but take occasionally,
A drink of Rocky Mountain Tea.
—Negele, the Druggist.

Miss Mabel Brunt of Windsor Park will spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brunt of Plummer avenue.

Miss Anna Lotz of Irving Park, Ill., was the guest of friends in Hammond last evening.

THE CITY

New Stores Completed.

The new stores which have been fixed up in the First National Bank building are now ready for occupancy. The first store from Hohman street will be occupied by Lechiel Simpson tomorrow.

Mr. Simpson will start to moving on Saturday night and expects to be ready to do business at the new stand by Tuesday morning. In addition to his new shop Mr. Simpson will have one of the most up to date bathrooms in the city.

Henry Bicknell, the former Hammond druggist, has had his new fixtures moved into the second store and expects to be located there within a few days. Mr. Bicknell is to have an up-to-date ice cream parlor.

The third store will be occupied by Mayer Rubin, who will have a fine delicatessen store. Mr. Rubin does not know just when he will be located in his new place.

23 Start in Gary Race.
Twenty-three contestants started this afternoon at 2:02 in the Gary Marathon race. Mayor Knotts gave the sprinters their final instructions before they started, and then fired the pistol as a signal to start the race. E. Koehler and M. Hirschberg of Gary went to the front immediately and set the pace for a pretty spry down Broadway. B. Salvin, one of the contestants, dropped out after running six minutes.

At the start it looked as though the

DR. H. E. SHARRER
INVITED TO ATTEND

Hammond Mason Leaves for
Long Trip Through Indiana Today.

WILL GET SOME POINTERS

Takes Part in Ceremonies Incident
on Institution of a New Shrine.

Dr. H. E. Sharrer was specially invited by Illustration Potatoes Jacoby of Murat temple, Indianapolis, to go to Evansville to take part in the ceremonies incident to the installation of the new Shrine temple at that city.

Dr. Sharrer left last evening for the long trip through Indiana, and will present at the installation of the Shrine in Evansville tonight. It is expected to be a gala occasion, and Dr. Sharrer will get some valuable pointers on the gentle art of installing a Shrine.

Evansville got its dispensation sooner than did Hammond, for the reason that it made application sooner. The Shrine will nevertheless be installed in Hammond in the near future.

Member Imperial Council.
Dr. Sharrer is a member of the Imperial council of the Shrine in Indiana, and as such his presence will be demanded at all occasions of the kind.

He will have to be in attendance at the installation of the Shrine at Fort Wayne and will be able to demand the presence of the members of the Imperial council in Hammond when the installation takes place here.

The members of Orak Shrine fine that there is great enthusiasm in this part of the state over the installation of the Shrine here and they prophesy that there will be another class of, at least, 100 when Orak Shrine initiates its first class.

Three automobiles followed the runners, the checkers having gone in advance. The course lies between Gary and Hobart and back again, a distance of fifteen miles.

Ice Run Blown Down.

One of the effects of the storm in Hammond, which was not reported yesterday, was the fact that the old ice run in the plant of the G. H. Hammond company was blown down by the storm.

The workmen are now engaged in the work of tearing down the old plant and the storm rendered them great assistance. Great walls were blown down and the site of the old plant is a mass of wreckage.

Doc Gets His.

Dr. E. M. Shanklin received the Master Mason degree last evening in the Blue Lodge, a large number of Masons having assembled to see the straying brother initiated into the fold. Dr. Shanklin having been the only candidate for the evening, he received full benefit of the work, which, like a great oration, was successful because it had the three requirements of the latter viz: a great "subject," a great occasion (for him at least) and a great audience. Two candidates are scheduled for the work in the Blue Lodge this evening.

Death of Baby.

Harry Williams, the 1-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Williams, 461 Kane avenue, died early this morning. The body will be taken to Miller tomorrow for burial in the afternoon.

Infant Son Dies.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schulz of Roby, died this forenoon. The funeral has been arranged for tomorrow at St. Joseph's cemetery in Hammond.

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