

# Society

## A DANCING PARTY.

One of the prettiest of the season's dances will be given by the Young Ladies' Sodality of All Saint's Catholic church Monday evening, November 24 at the Masonic Temple in Muenich court. The hall will be decorated in blue and white, the colors of the Sodality. Walsh's orchestra will play during the evening. The grand march will open the program of dances for the evening at nine-thirty o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Flavin will lead the grand march and they together with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bogner, Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Dibos and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyers will act as chaperons. The patronesses are ex-members of the Sodality. Serving on the reception committee will be the Messrs Edith Burns, Bessie Chartier, Eva Filan, Anna Kingdon, Marie McLaughlin, Gertrude Nordstrand, Messrs. Hugh E. Carroll, N. J. Connelly, Milton Dermody, John Gill, George Race and P. J. Toomey. Among the out of town guests will be a number from East Chicago and Indiana Harbor.

## A CARD PARTY.

Following a short meeting of Golden Rod Camp No. 1657 Royal Neighbors held last evening in Long's Hall in State street the members entertained at a card party. There were a large number of guests and a very enjoyable time was reported. Eight games of pedro were played and prizes were won by Mrs. Lawrence Long, Mrs. Dave Johnson and Mrs. William Keiser. Mr. Gus Anderson, Mr. C. Smith and Mr. H. Monberg. Dainty refreshments were served after the card games and a delightful social hour was passed. The members announced their next meeting to be held in two weeks on Friday evening and the important feature of the evening will be the election of officers. It is desired that there is a large attendance at the meeting.

## A THIMBLE PARTY.

A pleasant meeting of the G. I. A. Embroidery Club took place yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. F. Hardesty in Claude street. It was the afternoon for the regular club meeting and a number of the members were present. They brought their needle work and spent the afternoon very enjoyably. Music was also a feature of the afternoon. At five o'clock the hostess served her guests with a dainty two course luncheon. Announcement of the next meeting was made and also of the next regular meeting of the G. I. A. to the B. of L. E. which will occur Friday afternoon of next week. Plans for the fourth annual ball to be given

Thanksgiving evening at the Masonic Temple by the members of the G. I. A. and the B. of L. E. were also made. The affair promises to be very enjoyable and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of Hammond and out of town people.

## MRS. TRUE A HOSTESS.

The members of the Women's Auxiliary of St. Paul's Episcopal church were entertained by Mrs. Charles H. True at her home, 23 Elizabeth street yesterday afternoon. It was a special meeting called for the purpose of finishing the articles for the missionary book which the society will send away Monday. The members have donated many articles and have also met together several afternoons to sew and get the things in readiness. A number of members attended yesterday's meeting and enjoyed a short social session. The meeting will be the last until after the holiday season.

## A SOCIAL GATHERING.

A social meeting of the choir of the First Christian church was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hatfield in Erie street. The hostesses were Mrs. Hatfield and Mrs. Lewis Seltz. They had a number of delightful games and contests arranged for the entertainment of their guests and music was also a feature of the evening. A two course luncheon was served. A number of the members were present. These social meetings are being held every month and very enjoyable times are reported.

## W. C. T. U. MEETING.

Mrs. James Graves was hostess yesterday afternoon to the members of the W. C. T. U. at her home, 934 Erie street. It was the regular semi-monthly business meeting and several matters of interest were discussed. Arrangements were made for a social meeting to be held in the Central school assembly room in two weeks on Friday evening to which the public will be cordially invited. A program is being arranged for the meeting and the reports of the recent convention held at South Bend will be read. During the social hour Mrs. Graves served her guests with dainty refreshments. The membership contest is adding to the interest of the meetings. Captains have been chosen from the various Hammond churches and Mrs. A. D. Stewart, captain with Mrs. Schuyler, the lieutenant are now in the lead.

## A BRIDGE DINNER.

Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Oberlin of Warren street gave a beautifully appointed dinner last evening at the Hammond Country Club for a number of their friends. Their guests included the members of the N. P. Whist Club who met for their regular semi-monthly meeting and with them Dr. and Mrs. Oberlin entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Deming, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Crum-packer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson

## HOW ARE YOU RATED FOR CLEANLINESS? MAP SHOWS

Out in East Hammond they keep their alleys clean, the Black, Red and White Pin map of Hammond will show. In Homewood these same passageways are made unbecomingly by ash heaps and waste paper, while down town many of them are hideous, filthy and disease breeding.

The fact that East Hammond leads the town in clean alleys may be hard to digest. Thirty women of the Hammond Woman's club, members of the civic department, are responsible for this information which they intend to convey to the public by means of a map of Hammond on which various colored pins will indicate the extent of sanitation in alleyways.

**Railroads Are Offenders.**  
Therefore it must be reliable, though jarring. Mrs. E. S. Cooper, 332 Michigan avenue, head of the pin map committee, and Mrs. Carrie Herndon, chairman of the civic committee, admit it cheerfully. "It isn't at all remarkable," said Mrs. Cooper. "You see in East Hammond they have a higher regard for the alleys than elsewhere. They empty garbage and ashes in their back yards and as this is not a back yard map we do not indicate that on

the map. However East Hammond manages to keep itself cleaner than one or two other points in the downtown district."

**Will Be Shown Next Week.**  
The map is being held up until the first of next week when it will be placed on exhibition in the First National bank. The geographers are rather perplexed at present as they haven't a shade of pin black enough to indicate the insanitary condition of the first alley north of state street, running from Hohman to Muenich court. The Lafayette school yard is another place, nearly as offensive, in truth "one of the ugliest spots in town."

"The worst offenders against the city beautiful idea are the railroads," said Mrs. Cooper.  
The Woman's club finds fault with the city in that it does not supply a sufficient force of men to dispose of garbage. There are only seven carts in service it is said by some. The property owner and tenant does not escape criticism on the map by any means. It is their fault that alleys are unlovely and not sweet smelling in that they do not provide and maintain the right sort of receptacles.

and Miss Florence Loveridge. The dinner was served in four courses at six o'clock. The appointments were all in white and yellow, bouquets of chrysanthemums decorating the tables very attractively. During the evening the guests played bridge whilst progressively at five tables. In two weeks the club members will be entertained by Mrs. Frances Kingsley of South Hohman street.

## WILL MEET MONDAY.

The members of the history committee of the Hammond Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. W. H. Spellan at her home, 115 Carroll street Monday afternoon, November 24th for their regular semi-monthly study meeting. The members will continue their study of Scotland and a very interesting program has been arranged.

## MOZART CLUB MEETING.

Mrs. Lawrence Becker will be hostess this evening to the members of the Mozart Club at her home in Rimbach avenue. A delightful program has been arranged following which there will be a spelling bee. The members will spell the names of composers.

## A BANQUET.

The annual banquet of the young men of the Rev. A. W. Hoffman's class of the First Presbyterian Sunday school was given last evening at the parlors of the church in South Hohman street. The banquet was served at eight o'clock following which a short musical program was rendered. Covers were laid at the banquet table for twenty-two. The affair was very enjoyable.

## HONOR MRS. WHITTIER.

The Hammond Women's Civic League and the civic department of the Hammond Woman's Club will give a banquet Saturday evening, November 29th in the club rooms of the Hammond Chamber of Commerce in honor of Mrs. Felix T. McWhirter of Indianapolis, the president of the State Federation of Women's Club who will speak before

the club at their annual Guest Day, Saturday, November 29. Tickets may be secured from Mrs. Alva A. Young, Dr. Mary E. Jackson, Mrs. J. M. Turner and Mrs. W. H. Meyers. The banquet will be one of the leading events of the winter in Hammond club circles and it is expected that there will be many guests.

## A STUDY MEETING.

On Tuesday afternoon the members of the literature committee of the Hammond Woman's Club will meet for their regular semi-monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Charles G. Hohman in Mason street. The study topic will be grand opera and the program for the afternoon will be in charge of Mrs. George H. Summers of Indiana Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene S. Cooper and daughters of Mason street will leave tomorrow to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fetterly at their home in Custer, O.

## Lodge Assemblies

The members of the True Kindred Lodge held a most interesting and enjoyable meeting last evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall in East State street. A number of grand officers were present among them the Worthy Commander, Dr. Katherine Swartz, the Past Grand Commander, Rachel McCann, the Supreme Treasurer, Maria Harle and the Grand Counsellor, Nellie Ormrod. There was also a large attendance of members and guests from the Grand Conclave of South Chicago. A large class of candidates was initiated during the evening following which a banquet was served and a delightful social hour passed. The hall was decorated very prettily for the occasion. The next meeting of the lodge will occur in two weeks.

Last evening the members of Hammond Hive No. 2, L. O. T. M. met in the K. of P. Hall in South Hohman street for their regular semi-monthly meeting. There was a short business session following which refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour passed. The meeting was largely attended. The next regular meeting will be held in two weeks on Friday evening.

There will be a meeting of the members of Dorcas Lodge of Rebekahs this evening in the I. O. O. F. Hall in East State street. It will be the regular weekly meeting and following the business session there will be a social hour.

## PRIESTS FORSEE END OF TANGO

Recent advices from Rome purporting to announce the disapproving attitude of the vatican in regard to the tango found expressions of sympathy among the local Catholic clergy yesterday.

One of the Chicago priests to denounce the dance was Rev. P. J. O'Callaghan of St. Mary's church. He characterized it as "an immodest act disguised in graceful movements." He predicted that public opinion would soon banish it from the respectable dancing parlors and homes and "drive it into the dens from which it sprang."

"I have no authority to speak for the church nor for anybody except myself," said Father O'Callaghan. "But bishops and priests to whom I have spoken agree with me in condemning the dance."  
"In my mind the tango is not so much of a dance as an indecent act disguised in dancing movements. I believe the least offensive form of tango is the most dangerous, just as immoral literature that is most literary is more likely to harm the innocent than vulgar or obscene writings," he concluded.  
Father O'Callaghan praised the action of the Knights of Columbus in prohibiting the tango at a recent dance.

## LOCK DOOR AND BOLT WINDOWS

During the past two weeks an unusually large number of burglaries and other petty offenses have been reported in Hammond and due to the fact that there are many strangers and suspicious looking characters on the streets, citizens are warned to keep their windows bolted and doors locked. The first part of the week a bold, bad burglar made an attempt to enter the home of Anton Tapper on Ann street and had not Mrs. Tapper awakened in the nick of time the prowler would have probably made his get-

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## BANK CHANGES EVENING HOURS

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## CLUB GIVES MUSICALE

Musical East Chicago is looking forward to an unusually interesting event for Tuesday evening November 25 when the Treble Clef club will entertain with a concert at the Methodist church at 8 o'clock.

The club will have able assistance, Mrs. M. M. Day of Indiana Harbor, pianist, Miss Anna Kyle Means, and Mr. T. D. Williams, singers, taking part. The accompanists will be Mrs. Webster, Mr. A. H. Kobush and Miss Annetta Specter.

The Treble Clef club which has been trained by Miss Mary A. Stone to a point of unusual excellence in the numbers which it will present, considers itself very fortunate in having the assistance of a group of artists of the ability of Mrs. Day, Mr. Williams and Miss Means.

Mrs. Day, who is of Indiana Harbor is one of the best pianists in the Calumet region, there being in fact only a very few who can come close to her in ability. Mr. T. D. Williams is a general favorite among music lovers in this community and Miss Anna Kyle Means who has recently established herself in Gary, comes highly recommended as an artist, having had a wide experience abroad as well as in this country. Press notices from Canfield, Ohio, and the Gary local papers bear out the complimentary things her friends say of her, indicating that in her selections, those who attend next Tuesday evening's entertainment, may look forward to a treat.

The program which is selected with a great deal of taste, is as follows:  
(a) Forget-Me-Not.....Th. Geise  
(b) Spring Song.....Mendelssohn (arr.)  
The Treble Clef Club.....Schubert—Heller  
Mrs. Day.....Mozart  
(a) Le Sort Severe.....Handel  
Miss Means.....Selected  
Vocal Solo.....Schumann  
Widmung.....Mrs. Day  
(a) It Was a Bowl of Roses.....Victor Harris  
(b) Cradle Song.....Joachim Raff  
Treble Clef Club.....Spato  
Mr. Williams.....Selected  
Piano Solo.....Selected  
(a) The Chrysanthemum.....Salter  
(a) Joy of the Morning.....Ware  
Miss Means.....Michael Watson  
All in a Garden Fair.....Treble Clef Club.

## LABORERS LAID OFF.

Cold Weather Swells Army of Unemployed.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 22.—As the cold weather months approach and much of the outdoor construction work is being completed many laborers are being laid off and as a result the Indiana employment bureau is flooded with its annual deluge of applications for work. This is not unusual at this time of the year as the majority of factories are running but regular shifts and all building work is closing up. The early lay off in the Gary steel mills has brought many laborers to South Bend in addition to mechanics

from Detroit, Mich., where the automobile plants are passing through their dull months. Much of the unemployed is a floating population, although there are many day laborers here who are idle since they can no longer work in the open.

This condition of affairs will exist from now until probably the middle of January, when business will take new life and the various industries of the city will prepare for their busy period, which generally lasts until the middle of November.

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