

NEWS OF SOCIETY

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Mrs. Elmer Margon was pleasantly surprised last evening by a number of her friends who called at her home on North B street to spend the evening. All the guests came masked. The evening was spent in a social manner. Music and games were features of the evening's amusements. Luncheon in three courses was served. The guests were Mrs. C. A. Brehm, Miss Clara Edgcombe, Miss Elizabeth Wallick, Miss Elizabeth Weisbrod, Miss Evaline Baker, Miss Elma Kuth, Miss Ruby Brehm, Miss Opal Norris, Mrs. J. Norris and Miss Stella McConologue.

Friday evening, November twentieth, a recital will be given at the First M. E. church, under the auspices of the Young People's Missionary society. The affair will be given by Miss Besse Buhl, of Centerville, and several of her pupils. The recital to be held in the Sunday school room. Miss Buhl will also give several dramatic readings.

Mrs. Joseph H. Kibbey is in the city the guest of Mrs. John A. Burbank.

Mrs. William Dechant of Middletown, Ohio, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Wampler of North Seventh street.

Mrs. William H. Rindt of North Tenth street, left yesterday for Zanesville, Ohio. Mrs. Rindt will be honored guest at a large reception to be given by Mrs. Clifford Atwell, Mrs. Will Atwell and Mrs. Charles Atwell of that place.

A large number of local persons have received invitations for a dance to be given Friday evening, November twentieth, in Indianapolis by the officers of the Tenth Infantry. It is quite probable that several from here will attend the function.

A number of Richmond girls who are attending Earlham college, are making extensive preparations for a "feast" to be held Wednesday afternoon, November twenty-fifth, at the college. They will have for their guests the girl members of the Freshman class.

CLUB NOTES

Mrs. Harry Jay and Miss Edna Johnson were hostesses for a card party given yesterday afternoon at the Country Club house. The affair was a most enjoyable one. Bridge whist was played at two tables. Miss Edna Johnson was awarded the prize.

The "Pleasure Seekers" will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. John Schwenke, 610 South Seventh street.

The meeting of the aid society of the First Methodist church which was to have been held this evening, has been postponed until Tuesday evening, November twenty-fourth. All members are urged to attend the meeting at this time.

The aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet Friday afternoon in the church parlors. The members are urged to attend the session.

The ladies' aid society of the United Brethren church which was to have had an all day "quilting bee" to-day in the church, deferred the meeting until tomorrow. From this time on, the sessions will be held on Thursdays.

An enjoyable meeting of the Spring Sewing circle was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. F. Houghton in Spring Grove. Needlework and social conversation were the order of the evening. Luncheon was served by the hostess. Mrs. L. J. Woodard will entertain the club in two weeks.

The regular meeting of the Music Study club was held this morning in the Starr Piano parlors. The program began promptly at nine-thirty o'clock. The paper on "Music News" was given by Mrs. Edward Beatty.

The subjects for the session were Schubert and Schumann. Miss Marie Kaufman, Mrs. Earhart and Mrs. F. W. Krueger were the vocalists. A pleasing feature of the program was several choruses rendered by Mrs. Longnecker, Mrs. Fred Bartel, Miss Patton, Miss Kaufman, Mrs. Earhart and Mrs. Krueger. Instrumental numbers were given by Miss Anna

Ross, Miss Elizabeth Hasemeier and Mr. Joshua Marvel. A piano quartet composed of Miss Nina Harris, Mrs. Elrode, Mrs. Miller and Miss Hasemeier, was particularly good.

The members of the Gramma Tau club were entertained last evening by Miss Eva King at her home on North Sixteenth street. Music and games were features of the evening. Luncheon was served.

The members of the club are Miss Myrtle Hart, Miss Edna Hilbert, Miss Edith Hilbert, Miss Eva King, Miss Mabel Bollmeyer and Miss Mary Leftwick. The club meets in two weeks with Miss Edna Hilbert.

The ladies auxiliary of Hibernians will give a dancing party Thursday evening in the Odd Fellows' hall. Piano and drums will furnish the music. The affair is in charge of a committee composed of Mrs. J. Hart, Mrs. W. A. Reece, Miss Hannah Dundon, Miss Leota Walsh, Miss Anna Mitchell and Miss Anna Nolan.

The November meeting of the Young People's mission circle of the First Methodist Episcopal church, was held last evening at the home of Miss Bessie Lintner, on North Twenty-first street. The devotional was given by Mrs. L. H. Bunyan. After this part of the program a short business session was held. Matters of importance to members were discussed at this time. An account of the convention held recently in Peru, Indiana, was given by the delegate, Miss Bessie Lintner. The convention was one of the most successful ever held. Miss Edna Marlatt and Miss Josephine Richardson played a very pretty duo which was followed by a solo rendered by Miss Grace Woodard, accompanied by Miss Mable Barber, piano. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social manner, luncheon being served later in the evening.

The members of a newly organized dancing club met last evening in the Odd Fellows' hall. This club alternates with the meetings of the Tuesday Cotillion class which are held every two weeks. After the regular lesson under the instruction of Mrs. Charles Kolp, the affair resolved itself into an informal dancing party.

Nearly all the members were in attendance last evening and also several guests. Piano and drums furnished the dance music. The club will give a number of dances and informal affairs during the winter season.

The Literary society of St. Andrew's church, held its regular meeting last evening. The club is studying "Julius Caesar" and various characters in the drama were discussed by the members to whom this study had been assigned. After this part of the program, Father Reel gave a description of the city of Boston. Mr. William Kahle concluded the program with a beautiful music number.

The Ladies Aid society of the East Main street Friends church will meet tomorrow afternoon in the church parlors.

A basket social and supper will be given Friday evening, November twentieth at the Smyrna school, east of the city. A program consisting of readings and music numbers will be a feature of the evening's amusements. The public is invited to attend.

The lady Maccabees will give a card party tomorrow evening, Thursday, November nineteenth, in the Odd Fellows' hall. The members with their friends and guests are invited to attend. Euchre will be the game for the evening, starting promptly at eight o'clock.

The opening of the Ceramic league art exhibit will be this evening in the Starr Piano parlors. By that time, all arrangements will have been completed for the affair. Mr. George Baker, a local artist, although not so widely known as several others, will have some beautiful pictures on display.

All his pictures are autumn scenes and have been painted recently. No doubt they will attract quite a little attention during the exhibit. A musical program will be a feature of the opening, which is in charge of Mrs. Henry Gennett. All interested in this line of study are invited to attend. No admission fee will be charged.

The Home Economic club is meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Levi Moorman, at her home on the National road, West.

The members of the Penny club served dinner today in the Pythian temple. The Garfield orchestra furnished music during the hours of serving.

Why We're Ahead.

A curious explanation of the reason why "Canada has but about 7,000,000 people against America's 80,000,000" is given in a review of the world's production of coal and iron. Canada produces but 9,000,000 tons of coal against 370,000,000 tons produced by the United States, and that is why, as long as the coal age lasts, "Canada is not likely to grow to anything like the dimensions of her southern neighbor." This is an English view, and it is not open to the charge of bias. —Ostons Globe.

A Doubtful Future. "Biggin has developed a habit of saying rude and sarcastic things." "Yes," answered Miss Cayenne. "I am waiting to see whether he is going to be recognized as a great bore or a social lion." —Washington Star.

In proportion to the population, the little kingdom of Belgium probably can claim the greatest number of organizations advocating woman suffrage. At the last count they numbered 123.

PARTIES OF HENRY COUNTY DIFFER

Split in Investigating Committee Is Now Expected.

DEMOCRATS ARE THE CAUSE

DESIRE PEEP INTO COUNTY RECORDS OF MANY YEARS BACK, ALTHOUGH STATE LAW LIMITS PROBE TO SIX.

New Castle, Ind., Nov. 18.—A split is confidently expected in the committee which was appointed by the county commissioners for the purpose of selecting an expert to go over the county books and records. The split seems inevitable unless the republican members concede the demands of the democratic members and make the period of investigation go farther back than six years. The non-partisan board appointed by the commissioners is composed of W. S. Chambers and Edward Smith, democrats, and William H. Elliott and Lyn C. Boyd, republicans. The latter are expected to stand by the plan of the commissioners, all republicans, for the examination to extend back six years. This plan is not satisfactory to the two democratic members, who will demand that the investigation extend back for a period of fifteen years and in one office a period of seventeen years, or since 1891. The republican members in support of the commissioners, will contend that the county cannot recover for a period of more than six years back, and this is in accordance with the statute of limitations. But the democratic members of the committee will contend that, even if the county cannot recover a cent, the investigation should be this far back as an example for the future. It is a known fact that many fees, which courts have declared illegal, have been collected by county officers in the past fifteen years. The democratic members argue that if an ex-official is honest, he will willingly reimburse the county if it is found that illegal fees have been taken by him while in office or if mistakes are found that were in his favor.

FIGHT FOR LIVES

Sailors Try to Prevent Lumber Schooner From Sinking.

BATTLE FOR ONE MONTH.

New York, Nov. 18.—With forestay sail set the schooner Jennie Thomas of Savannah, Ga., lumber laden, if she has not gone to the bottom, is drifting 400 miles east of the capes of Virginia, waterlogged. Her captain, William Campbell, and his crew of six men were brought here on the steamer Afghanistan, from Arabian ports. They had fought for their lives for nearly a month on board the leaking vessel in a series of heavy westerly gales and then abandoned her.

Describing the thrilling experiences, Capt. Campbell said:

"We sailed from Savannah Oct. 16. Stormy weather was encountered. On the fifth day the gasoline engine broke. The sails were handled with difficulty. The foresail blew away and the vessel's seams opened. We manned the pumps and for twelve days kept them going day and night, but the water gained steadily. The storeroom was washed out and our provisions badly damaged. On Nov. 16, when the men had almost given up hope, the steamer Afghanistan came along. We abandoned the schooner."

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The stomach is a good strong vital organ, which is constantly protecting and feeding every other organ of the body. It is the most abused, neglected and scorned member of man also. Most men abuse their stomach with undercooked food, high living, alcohol, tobacco, pastries and scores of other unhealthy practices.

When the stomach at last sickens of all this abuse and cannot do its full duty, most men are not warned but keep up their assaults on the stomach until at last it rebels and begins to strike back and cry for help. Man by his own abuse has taken away from the stomach the tools to work with.

These tools are the gastric juices which go to make up the digestive agents. From 7 to 35 lbs. of gastric juice are turned into the stomach every day.

When poor, poisonous food consumes this juice, dilutes it, robs it of its strength and throws it, a fermented mass from the system, of course there is just that much of the gastric fluid which cannot be readily supplied by the blood.

When food comes into a stomach filled with depleted fluids lacking of power to do their part, the good strong stomach is using poor tools and, of course, cannot succeed in its work.

A condition which often prevails is that which takes place when the gastric juice contains too much alkali. If the juice were wholly alkaline it would not only devour and digest the food but would eat and digest the stomach itself. Such gastric fluid does the digestion no good and attacks the walls of the stomach making them raw and sore and setting up inflammation and irritation.

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INVESTIGATE DEATH OF YOUNG WOMAN

Startling Disclosures Are Expected.

An investigation of the death of a local young woman at Indianapolis a short time ago, is being conducted by the police of the capital city. The young woman died as the result of an operation, which is believed by the local authorities to have been criminal in its nature. The matter was placed in the hands of the Indianapolis authorities as the young woman was in their jurisdiction at the time her death ensued.

It may be probable that sensational developments will follow the work of the police. It is asserted disclosures may be made that will involve other persons, well known in this city. The body of the young woman was brought to this city for funeral and burial.

A lighthouse of bamboo, which is in use in Japan, is said to have great power of resisting the waves, and does not rot like ordinary wood.

According to Sir William Crookes, the noted English scientist, by 1931 the world's supply of wheat will be unequal to the increase in population.

The revenues from the Prussian income tax in 1907 were \$59,500,000.

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LOCAL OPTION ELECTION IN PREBLE

Fate of Saloons to Be Decided Dec. 14th.

Eaton, Ohio, Nov. 18th.—Preble county will hold an election under the Rose local option law on Monday, December 14. A petition was filed containing 2,968 names. This is about 50 per cent of the votes cast at the recent election.

NOTHING CRIMINAL CONNECTED WITH DEATH

Friends Take View of Demise Of Miss Kerr.

Economy, Ind., Nov. 18.—Local friends of the family do not believe there was anything criminal connected with the death of Miss Edith Kerr, daughter of Mrs. Emma Kerr, of Muncie, who was buried here. The scare of the mother is believed to be unwarranted. She thinks there may have been malpractice in connection with the case. Prosecuting Attorney Jessup says the case is outside of his jurisdiction and if there were any violations of the law, other authorities are the ones to investigate.

An Unsavory Charity.

In all the cafes and beer halls of Germany a large canister is placed on a table in the center of each establishment. Every time one of the guests lights a fresh cigar he gets up and deposits in the canister the end of the one he has just been smoking. This receptacle is a sort of alms box with a funnel shaped lid, secured by means of a padlock. A charitable association supplies all places of public resort with these boxes for the purpose of collecting odds and ends of tobacco, cigarettes and cigars. The produce of the sale is devoted to the purchase of clothing, which is distributed among poor children at Christmas. The charity is believed to be the most malodorous and insanitary on record.

TAKE CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Twenty-seven Applicants Try To Qualify.

The second largest class ever taking the civil service examination under the new postal laws at the Richmond postoffice, was that of this morning, when twenty-seven attempted to qualify for clerks' and carriers' positions. There were thirty-two applications taken out for the examination, but only twenty-seven appeared this morning.

The following applicants took the examination: Louis E. Bookout and Wesley E. McCullough of Hagerstown; Harry Simpson, Herbert Foster, Zella E. Warfel, Jesse C. Packers, Roy E. Study, Route Four; Harry L. Packers, Rees M. Ryan, Route Six; Miss Olive

Locier, Elmer J. Leighton, C. Loren Cluxton, Frederick Stauber, Lemon R. Owens, Everett Moore, Marie M. Wallace, Ora Monger, Nellie Davenport, route Two; Elmer S. Layman of Richmond; Lee L. Ramsey of Morning Sun; Charles C. Hyde of East Germantown; Arthur J. Hays, Camden; Thomas Mullen, Williamsburg; Edwin H. Young, New Paris; Cecil E. Clapp and Russell S. Hatt of Whitewater, and Walter H. Maddy of New Castle.

By a Japanese florist there has been discovered a marvelous rose. The color is a delicate pink when the plant is in the shade, but becomes crimson when exposed to the sun.

The National Council of French Women, which a membership of more than 73,000 has been circulating a monster petition in favor of woman suffrage.

The British railways in 1907 are reported to have had a total length of 23,100 miles.

Tastes Good

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