

NEWS OF SOCIETY

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SOCIAL CALENDAR FOR WEEK

Monday—The Ticknor club will meet in the afternoon with Mrs. Harry Mather at her home on South Eighth street.

Mrs. John Marshall will entertain the Dorcas society in the afternoon at her home on South Thirteenth street.

The Criterion club will meet.

The Magazine club will meet with Mrs. Joseph Kinsey at her home on North Eighth street.

Tuesday—The Tuesday Evening cotillion class will meet in the evening in the Odd Fellows hall.

Wednesday—The Home Economic club meets in the afternoon with Mrs. Gilbert Dunham at her home on North Tenth street.

The Music Study club meets in the evening at 9:30 o'clock in the Starr Piano parlors.

The Penny club will meet in the afternoon with Mrs. Jennie Barnes.

Thursday—A Christmas bazaar will be held in the evening by the women of the First Presbyterian church in the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lontz will entertain with a card party.

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet in the afternoon in the G. A. R. hall.

Occult Research society will meet.

Friday—Mrs. Kolp's dancing school will meet in the Odd Fellows hall.

A recital will be given in the Gen-nett theater in the evening.

The Tourist club will meet.

Mr. Walter Steinbamp's dancing class will meet in the evening, in the Knights of Columbus hall.

Saturday—Daughters of the Ameri-can Revolution will meet in the after-noon.

The Saturday Evening Whist club meets.

An important social event for the week is the card party to be given Thursday evening, December tenth, by Mr. and Mrs. John Lontz, at their beautiful home in Westcott Place.

The fair which was held at Indian-apolis by the Flower Mission, came to a close Friday evening. An important feature of the affair was the dance given Friday evening in Tomlinson hall, and also the children's party, held in the afternoon.

Mrs. James M. Judson and children will leave the latter part of the week for Chicago where they will visit for a few days.

Mrs. Paul Comstock and little daughter have returned from Cincin-nati, where they have been visiting several days.

A number of young people who are attending school at various colleges will return in a few weeks to spend their Christmas vacation in this city. A number of dances and social functions are being planned for this time.

Miss Sarah Addington will entertain a number of young people informally Monday evening at her home in Glen View.

Mr. John Starr is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Starr, of North Tenth street, over Sunday.

Very few social functions were given during the past week. Things will probably be rather quiet socially for a time on account of the Christmas holidays, which are so near at hand. Many of the hostesses will be busy for a time now preparing for the Yule-tide.

Among the debutantes in Indianap-olis this season will be Miss Mary Carson, who is well known locally. She has visited in this city a number of times. Miss Carson formerly lived in Knightstown.

Miss Katherine Duey, entertained with a dinner party Friday evening at her home on North Thirteenth street. Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Nelson with Mr. and Mrs. George Worley, were the honor guests.

CLUB NOTES

Miss Louisa Williams was the hostess for a delightful meeting of the "Gabbler's" yesterday afternoon at her home on South Tenth street. Whist was played at four tables. The prize was awarded to Miss Rose Gennett. Miss Bessie Broomhall and Miss Grace Woodyard, were the guests of the club for the afternoon. After the games a luncheon in several courses

was served. Those present were: Miss Rose Gennett, Miss Agnes Twigg, Miss Fannie Jones, Miss Opal Husson, Miss Mary Dickinson, Miss Ruth Kinsey, Miss Bertha Garver, Miss Martha McClellan, Miss Afton Clapp, Miss Katherine Schneider, Miss Ruby Hanner, Miss Florence King, and Miss Ruth Thistlethwaite.

The program for a meeting of the Tourist Club Friday evening as announced in the year book, is as follows:

Gahleo—M. Harry N. Holmes.

The Democracy of Art in Richmond—Miss Ada Woodward.

The host and hostess for the session to be announced later.

The Daughters of the American Rev-olution which was to have met yester-day afternoon, postponed its meeting until Saturday, December twelfth. Mrs. Harry Weist will probably be the hostess for this session.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Hibberd were host and hostess for a meeting of the "Buzzers" last evening at their home on South Thirteenth street. Bridge whist was played at several tables. Prizes were awarded. At the conclusion of the game, luncheon was served. The club meets every two weeks.

MUSIC

To the keenly observant student of human nature, there is discernable among mankind an ever increasing restlessness, a discontent with things worldly and material, a desire for a more ideal life than is usually realized. Ideas vary as do the individuals who bear and cherish them, but the higher an individual rises in the scale of civilization the higher the nature of the ideal he cherishes in his bosom. The emancipator of the race is knowledge, in its broadest and most liberal sense. All the arts are educators and humanizing in their influence. Ruskin, who with penetrating intellect and perse-vering analysis, spent his entire life in studying art works and their relation to morals and education, classified them from lowest to highest as architecture, sculpture, painting, poetry and music—music being one of the highest sources of knowledge. There is a reason for this classifica-tion. Art rises higher in proportion as it becomes subtle and soulful in character; i. e., as it appeals to the spiritual nature of man. Music is very justly termed "the very soul of things." Its speech is intensely hu-man, and its pleading so eloquent that the art of the orator cannot equal it, nor the heart of man resist it. In its mission it is so far-reaching, so power-ful a moral and educational agent that were every individual only vaguely aware of its power to lift him above the common trials of life, he would eagerly begin to seek sincere knowl-edge of it.

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honesty of Durno, the art of Kort-schak, of Steindel, of Gunn, of Schroeder. This is the object of the Artist Recital Series—to plead for music as being the universal aid by which man-kind is enabled to realize a higher ideal life, for it is heart of sympathy, of love, of hope, of cheer. The art of the heart and the art of the soul.

Would you alleviate your "earth-weariness"? There is happiness and ecstasy beyond compare to those who but seek it in music. Can you fail to strive to incorporate into your life or the life of your children that which will ennoble, enrich and educate it?

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The year 1909 will have many mu-

First of Artist Recitals
Will Be Given Friday

On next Friday evening at the Gen-nett opera house will be given the first of the series of four artist recitals to be given by Durno the pianist, Hugo Kortschak, violinist, Bruno Steindel, cellist, Hans Schroeder, baritone and Glenn Dillard Gunn in a lecture recital. The list of patrons as published recently, includes the art, literature and music lovers of our city and the recitals will be brilliant social as well as musical events.

Jeannette Durno, who gives the opening recital is one of the two great American women pianistes—Fanny Bloomfield-Zeisler being the other. Durno is acknowledged to have one of the most beautiful singing tones of all the great virtuous pianists. When Durno made her debut in Chicago with the Thomas orchestra, Theodore Thomas himself conducting, she received an ovation. After she had finished her concert Mr. Thomas himself remained on his directors stand and in the applause until Durno had given two encores—the first time that a soloist was ever paid such a dis-gnished tribute by the great Thomas.

Durno sals in January for Europe, going directly to Leschetizky's

home in Vienna, taking with her seven of her most talented pupils. She will remain abroad for two years, con-certizing in the leading musical cen-ters of the old world.

The Saginaw Courier Herald, where she appeared as soloist with the Thomas orchestra, says:

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The recital will begin at 8:15 sharp and will last 1 hour and 15 minutes. Ushers will be instructed to seat no one while the stage is occupied. It is not thought advisable that young children attend these concerts. For information concerning tickets and the reservation of seats look else-

where.

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sical centenaries. Haydn's death oc-curred on May 3, 1809. Mendelssohn was born February 3, 1809. On March 1, the birth of Chopin. On October 22, the birth of Frederick Ricci, who in conjunction, with his brother wrote the lost real "opera bouffe" Franz Liszt was also born on that date.

A special music program will be ren-dered this evening by the choir of the First Methodist church in the church parlors.

Mrs. Ray Longnecker, Mr. Raymond Wehrley and Mr. Leroy Lacey will render solos. Professor Hicks and Mr. Walter Runge will be the accom-panists.

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