

NEWS OF SOCIETY

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Miss Edith Moore and Miss Deborah Sedgwick were the charming hostesses for an informal card party given last evening at the home of Miss Moore, in West Richmond, complimentary to Miss Anne Dilks, whose marriage to Mr. George Cole, will take place Tuesday evening, December twenty-ninth. The house was beautifully decorated appropriate to the Christmas season, with holly, cedar and bells. Cut flowers were also arranged in vases about the various apartments. Bridge whist was played at three tables. Prizes were awarded. A dainty luncheon in several courses was served at small tables, after the game. The guests were: Miss Margaret Sedgwick, Miss Nina Harris, Miss Hilda Shute, Miss Bessie Jones, Miss Florence McGuire, Miss Etta Jones, Miss Pearl Hasecoeter, Miss Gertrude Le Fevre and Mrs. J. E. Weller.

The engagement of Miss Ethel May Swan, of Indianapolis, to Mr. Edwin Paul Howard, of Greenfield, has been announced. Mr. Howard is well known locally.

This week will probably be a very busy one socially as a number of invitations have been issued by various hostesses for informal card parties, dances and receptions.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Leeds have returned from a few days' stay at Indianapolis.

An important social event for the week is the annual Christmas dance to be given Friday evening by Mrs. Charles Kolp, in the Pythian Temple. As a large number of young people are always home from school at this time, the affair is always very successful.

Mr. and Mrs. Loftus Jones and little daughter Florence Virginia, left this morning for Marion, Mr. Jones to return home this evening, while Mrs. Jones and daughter will remain over for several weeks visiting friends and relatives.

The wedding of Miss Jessie Conger and Mr. Clifton Williams, which was celebrated last Wednesday, in Eaton, Ohio, was an important local affair. Mr. Williams was a former Richmond young man. Miss Melb Culbertson, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lockwood, Miss Ethel Lockwood, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Lacey and Mr. Orville Comer attended the function.

An enjoyable thimble party was given this afternoon by Mrs. Harry Dabney at her home on South Seventeenth street. The function was complimentary to Miss Anne Dilks, whose marriage will be celebrated during the holidays. Needlework and social conversation were features of the afternoon. Luncheon was served later. The guests were: Miss Edith Moore, Miss Ethel Winder, Miss Frances Robinson, Mrs. George Thorpe and Susan Parry.

Mrs. James Morrison will be among the numerous hostesses who will entertain during the holidays.

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. are requested to meet at the building at 9 o'clock, Sunday morning. There will be all day work.

Miss Nora Endsley, who has been taking a special course for girls at Purdue University will come home the early part of the week to visit her parents.

Hymn No. 182
"King all Glorious" J. Barnby
Choir
"Shout the Glad Tidings" Crammer
Short Address
Hallelujah, Chorus Handel
Choir
Postlude, Festival March Tellman
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Mr. Justin Leroy Harris who has recently taken up the directorship of the Reid Memorial church choir has arranged for a special Christmas musical program to be given Sunday morning and afternoon. It will probably be one of the most beautiful of the numerous programs which will be given during the Christmas season. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present at the service. The program follows:

Morning.

Anthem, "Shout the Glad Tidings" Baumbach
Solo, "The Song of Bethlehem" Buck
Miss Ida Mauger
Quartet, "The Blessed Lullaby" Nevin
Evening.

Prelude, "O Holy Night" Buck
Miss Constance Fosler
Anthem, "Messiah Victorious" Wagner
Solo, "O Night Divine" Adams
Miss Clara Myrick

Duet, "The Advent" Rubinstein
Miss Gertrude LeFevre Miss Hulda
Kenley
Quartet, "Angels of Light" Piusi
Miss Clara Myrick Miss Karolyn Karl
Mr. Jones Mr. Cox

Antiphonal Trio
Miss Lucile Chrisman, Miss Katherine Gift, Miss Edna Keever
Anthem, "Sleep, Holy Babe" Pickells
Offertory, "Christmas Choir" Battiste
Miss Fosler

Sextet, "There Were Shepherds" Lynnes
Mrs. Edith Shute Dennis, Misses Elizabeth Bendfeldt, Gertrude LeFevre, Katherine Gift, Edna Keever, Karolyn Karl

Solo, "Nazareth" Gounod
Miss Karolyn Karl
Anthem, "Victory" Neidlinger
Postlude, "Noel Eccoissale" Guilmant
Miss Fosler
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Mrs. Grace Gorman, who is director of the choir of the First Methodist church, has arranged for two excellent Christmas programs which will be given at the church today. The programs are:

Morning.

Organ Prelude
(a) Largo

(b) Allegro Wolfenholmer
From Conata in style of Handel
"Glory to God" Handel
"The Birthday of a King" Neidlinger

Mrs. Gorman, Mrs. Ray Longnecker, Mr. Raymond Wehrley, Mr. Leroy Lacey and choir
Offertory, "Minute from Sonata" Woffenholme

"Shout the Glad Tidings" Brewer
Mr. Joseph Winder, Prof. Elliott and choir
Postlude, "Allegro" Lennes

Evening.

Organ Prelude, "Grand Fantasia" H. Bartlett
"Glory to God" Handel
Choir

"Holy Night" Barnby
Ladies Chorus
"Glory to God in the Highest" Boex

Mrs. Ray Longnecker
"Great is the Lord God" Read
Miss Jessie Mann Mrs. Longnecker
Assisted by Choir

Song of Praise Gounod
Miss Jessie Mann
Offertory, "Intermezzo" Callaert
"Sing O Heavens" Berehold Tours

Miss Mann Miss Colvin
Mr. Wehrley Mr. Leroy Lacey
Assisted by Choir

Bethlehem's Guiding Star Marzo
Mrs. Gorman

Violin Obligato, Mr. Hicks
Violin Trio, "Liedolne Werte" Mendelssohn

Miss Dorothy Kirkpatrick, Mr. Frederick Hicks and Mr. Walter Runge
"Jesus of Nazareth" Gounod
Mr. Leroy Lacey

Hallelujah, Chorus Handel
Choir

Postlude, "Taccato" Dubois
Mrs. L. C. King, Organist
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The choir of the First Presbyterian under the direction of Professor Will Earhart with Mrs. Fred Miller as organist, will give the following program today:

Morning.

Prelude, "Processional March" S. B. Whitney, Op. 25
Mrs. Miller

Carol, "The Christmas Pilgrims" Arthur H. Ryder
Women's Voices, Unison
Mrs. Miller

Cantata, "The Nativity" Frederick Field Bullard
Choir, String Quartet and Organ
Postlude, "Marche Triumphale" Callaerts

Mrs. Miller.

Evening, 7:30 O'clock.

Prelude, "Scherzo" J. H. Rogers
Mrs. Miller

Carol-Anthem, "All My Heart This Night Rejoices" Jehu Martin
Choir

Solo Mr. Frank Braffett
Offertory Mrs. Miller

Anthem, "There Were Shepherds" Dudley Buck
Choir

Postlude, "Christmas Postlude" Geo. Whiting
Mrs. Miller

Monday, Picture Day. All framed pictures at 20 per cent discount, including Richmond artists' paintings; don't miss this chance. Ellwood Morris & Co.

Cook—My dog took first prize at the cat show. Hook—How was that? Cook—He took the cat—Journal of Zoophily.

"Women must consider it a dreadful fate to be an old maid," mused Mr. Chugwater.

"They do, Josiah," said Mrs. Chugwater.

"Look what terrible nooses they sometimes marry to escape it."

And Josiah rubbed his chin, but said nothing—Exchange.

"Might I ask who lives here?" asked a man of a stranger he met in front of a handsome mansion.

"Certainly, sir," politely replied the stranger.

"Who is it, sir?"

"I am sure I don't know," replied the stranger.

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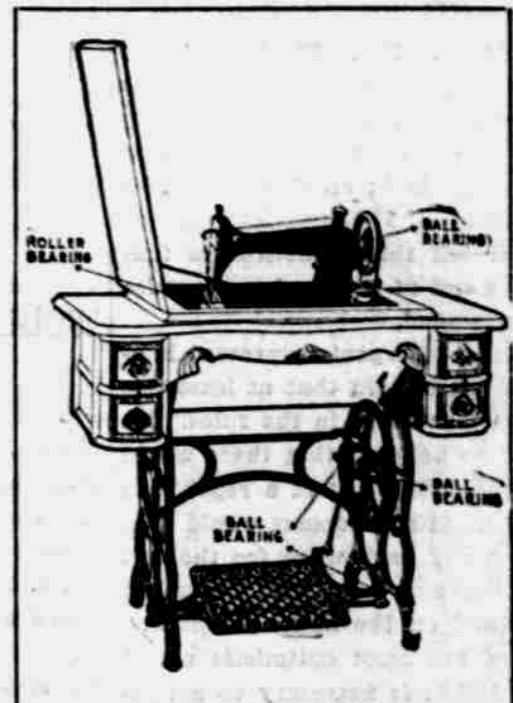
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probable she will assert she is a monomaniac and her attachment for Cheeseman led her to resort to the mails. Why she should write such obscenity is a question that will have to be explained to the court. It may be declared this will be but further proof of a derangement of her mind.

It appears that before placing the letters written by her husband during his life by Mrs. Bertsch, in the hands of the authorities, Mrs. Cheeseman showed some of them to a number of her intimate friends here and at Richmond. It is alleged that some of the letters were signed "Effie Cheeseman." Mrs. Bertsch's name is Effie.

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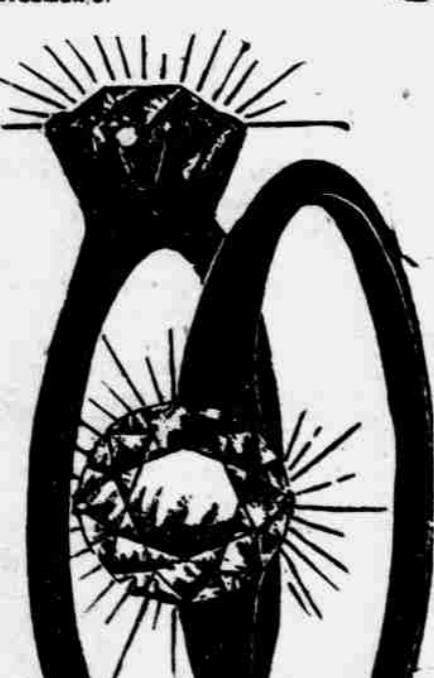
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