

News of Surrounding Towns

MILTON, IND.

Milton, July 14.—Miss Anna Gingrich visited friends at Richmond yesterday.

Mrs. Jacob Fliby fell yesterday and as a result is suffering from a badly sprained ankle.

Mrs. Alvin Lowery and Miss Ruby Kellam were calling on friends at Cambridge City yesterday.

Charles Callaway made a business trip to Richmond yesterday.

Walter Houseworth who was sick is again able to work.

Mrs. George Murley is visiting her daughter at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lycurgus Beeson have gone to Martinsville to spend a few weeks.

The funeral of the late Caroline Caldwell, who died at her home near Harrisburg Tuesday will take place at Hick Creek church near there tomorrow.

The D. R. installed the following officers Tuesday night to serve the ensuing year. Mrs. Charles Davis, noble grand; Lafe Rayle and Mrs. Earl Doddridge, right and left supportors; Mrs. Alvin Lowery, conductor; Mrs. Allie Trine, warden; Mrs. L. H. Warren, chaplain; Mrs. Frank Benninger and Mrs. Oscar Klinch, outside and inside guards; Miss Amelia Knauf, vice grand; Miss Grace Doddy and Miss Martha Ward, right and left supportors; Miss Inez Doddridge, pianist.

Mr. and Mrs. Hess of Indianapolis, visited Miss Lydia Hess Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Klimm are visiting her brother C. C. Willits at Kokomo.

Mrs. Catherine Swafford of near Beeson's Station, was greeting friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Alfred Sample of Doddridge was greeting friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Tempkin and Miss Carrie Walker were calling on friends at Cambridge City yesterday.

Maddies Vene Beeson and Santford Wissler are spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Caldwell near Harrisburg.

Arion Doll has just returned from the northern part of the state where he was looking after his cousin.

Charles Hofmann and son are at Liberty looking after his upholstering business.

Frank Cloud is very low at his home in Indianapolis. His death may be expected.

Miss Florence Daniels has returned from a visit with Richmond friends.

Mr. Hiram Crook received a card from Mrs. Walter Wood. Mr. and Mrs. Wood and party were still in London. She is recovering from her injury.

HAGERSTOWN, IND.

Hagerstown, Ind., July 14.—Solomon Miller was at New Castle Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Ford and baby of Richmond are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bagford.

Miss Madge Maine arrived Tuesday from her home at Goldfield, Colo., to visit with her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. James Bagford.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Davis entertained Wednesday, Mrs. Ella McShirley and daughter Genesse of Winchester. Mrs. Myrtle Rife and two children of Devers, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fouts and Mrs. Horace Hoover.

John Leavelle reached his twenty-third birthday Tuesday and in the evening was pleasantly surprised. The following friends were present: Mr. and Mrs. John Seils, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ghant and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thornburg, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Bousman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ulrich and Mr. and Mrs. William Leavelle. Refreshments were served.

Miss Eva Hoover is the guest of relatives at Cambridge City.

Mr. James Bagford spent Tuesday at New Castle and was the guest of Mrs. Alonso Williams.

Mr. Diana Teeter entertained Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Teeter of Missouri. Mr. Teeter was a brother of Jacob Teeter, deceased.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, IND.

Cambridge City, Ind., July 14.—Miss Rosella Mathews of Centerville is the guest of her cousin, Miss Helen Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morris and family and Mrs. Morris' mother, Mrs. Sallie Bronson went to Madison last Sunday.

Ralph Goodwin, recently paroled from the Indiana reform school has been returned to that institution on account of bad conduct.

Mrs. W. E. Harris and son, Seward have returned after a visit with relatives in Rising Sun and Aurora.

Miss Neva McCanties of Carlos City, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Miller.

The business meeting and social of the Epworth league which was to have been held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Jenkins, Tuesday evening, was postponed until next Tuesday evening, when it will be held at the home of John Baily.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Helmeling spent last Sunday in Madison.

The Epworth league will meet Sunday evening promptly at half-past six o'clock. Subject: "The Christian's Reward." Leader, M. M. Gaar. It is

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is no way to cure deafness and that on the part of the constitution. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is closed, deafness. Deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will not be restored for a time. When ten per cent are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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much desired that special attention be given to the fact that the hour for beginning this service is as above stated.

Miss Helen Doney has returned from Indianapolis where she has been the guest of Miss Mildred Spence for the past ten days.

Mrs. Gley Elliott and son, have returned to Mobile, Ala., after several months spent with Mr. Elliott's mother, Mrs. Alice Shaw.

Mrs. Lucile Petro is spending the week with friends in Connerville.

Mrs. Priscilla Lanich, widow of the late Benjamin Lanich, died Wednesday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Haugley, Jr. She was born in Pennsylvania in 1833.

She was married to Benjamin Lanich of Dublin, September 8, 1867 and resided in that place until the death of her husband, the eighth of last April, since which time she has lived with the daughter. One son, William Lanich of Cincinnati, one daughter, Mrs. Thomas Haugley, Jr., of Cambridge City and one adopted son, Charles E. Harris of Harrison, Ohio, survive her.

The funeral will be held at the home of the daughter, at two o'clock on Friday afternoon.

EATON, OHIO.

Eaton, O., July 14.—Samuel Poffenbarger and wife, who were injured Monday afternoon at the Barron street crossing when a Panhandle train struck the wagon, were removed to their home southwest of Eaton Tuesday afternoon from the home of P. C. Deem, where they were taken following the accident.

The aged couple suffer greatly from the effects of their numerous injuries, but it is now believed that both will recover. Since the accident it has developed that Mrs. Poffenbarger is the more seriously injured.

Mrs. Harry B. Fox and little daughter of Peru, Ind., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernhardt Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. King delightedly entertained a number of friends at six o'clock dinner Tuesday evening in compliment to Superintendent and Mrs. Forrest B. Bryant.

James J. Boyle of New Paris was an Eaton business visitor on Tuesday.

Business in the common pleas court has been adjourned until the October term.

Union church service will be held next Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Earle M. Ellsworth of St. Paul Methodist Episcopal church will deliver the sermon.

William Bennett went to Springfield Tuesday for a short visit with friends.

Mrs. Harry Coover of Indianapolis is here visiting her mother, Mrs. W. R. Clawson and other relatives.

Walter D. Crosley, a former resident of Preble county, who has been in the United States naval service for a number of years, serving as lieutenant commander on the battle ship Vermont, has been appointed to the command of the United States government steamship to Constantinople and will arrive at New Constantinople on July 18.

Mrs. J. B. Taylor and son, Master Kenneth, have returned to their home at West Carrollton after a several weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sharkey.

David V. Acton, John G. Bender and Walter went to the Miami Valley Chautauqua Tuesday to arrange for the opening of the dining hall for the initial session next Friday. Mr. Acton has had the dining hall privilege for three or four years.

Relatives and friends of Ohmer C. Mehaffey of this city are in receipt of cards announcing his marriage to Meda L. Hines of Litchfield, O. The ceremony was performed at noon on Thursday, July 7, at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Mehaffey will be at home after August 1, in Richmond. Ohmer has many friends in Eaton who extend congratulations and good wishes. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mehaffey, well known residents of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest B. Bryant and little daughter leave Friday for their new home at Wellsburg, W. Va., where he has been appointed superintendent of the public schools. The residence of Mr. Bryant on W. Deem street has been purchased by C. A. Burns.

Albert Guernsey of Brookville has returned after a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. F. B. Bryant.

The contract for carrying the mail between the postoffice and the depot has been awarded William Eason at his bid of \$20 per month. J. F. Shields, who has been doing the work for several months, has resigned.

Clem Silver who has been employed in the F. P. Filbert cigar factory for the past thirty-four years, has embarked on the sea of business for himself and has opened a shop at his home on South Maple street.

Mr. and Fred Clawson of Dayton are here for a two weeks vacation with their parents.

Mrs. W. W. Campbell of Campbellsburg and Mrs. Harry W. Curvy and daughter, Miss Ari, of this city have returned home from an extended visit with relatives in several Missouri cities.

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The largest butterfly known is found only in British New Guinea. The male measures eight inches across the wings and the female not less than eleven inches.

Miss De Style—He said I was a little show-off; that he intended to keep me. Miss Gunbusta—I noticed him pressing you.—Smart Set.

Kipling's Cornish.

Did Kipling ever steal one of my

Won Trophies from the Kaiser



Alexander S. Cochran of New York and his yacht, the Westward, which won all the races in which she was started at Warnemunde, Germany, defeating the Kaiser's Meteor and other fast racing schooner-yachts. On June 26, at Kiel Mr. Cochran's schooner won the Jubilee prize on a stiff breeze, the Meteor coming in second. On July 1, the Westward won the Emperor's cup in a rain storm over a 77-mile course. On July 3 in a soft breeze the Westward came in first after leading by a good margin all the way. Mr. Cochran inherited \$25,000,000 from his uncle, Warren B. Smith, the carpet manufacturer and \$15,000,000 from his father.

THE PRIZE PRESENT.

It Was the Gem of the Wedding Gifts
He Assured the Bride.

Bored, unspeakably bored, he found himself in the room where the gifts were displayed. But then he might as well have been as any place else, he argued, for everything connected with a wedding was a bore. His gaze wandered listlessly over the collection of silver, meat forks, cut glass berry bowls and onion clocks till it fell on a faded little old Japanese print almost hidden behind a hideous chafing dish that looked as if it might have been handed down by the elfish dwellers.

In another moment he was before it, tingling with excitement, the spirit of the collector rampant.

"An Utamaro, sure as you're alive!" he exclaimed, looking about for some one with whom to share his joy. Anybody would do, so he tapped a stranger on the shoulder and announced with the air of reporting the discovery of a diamond mine, "It's an Utamaro, the real thing!"

"A what?" asked the man, adjusting his glasses.

"It is by Utamaro, the master of Japanese artists," he answered as he led in search of his wife. She would understand. "To think of wasting it on those monkeys who won't know it from a signboard!" he grumbled.

He found her shaking hands with the bride, so he rushed up and rang the girl's hand enthusiastically. "I have just been admiring that peaches Utamaro," he exclaimed excitedly.

"A peaches Utamaro? What's that?" asked the bride, mystified.

"That rare old Japanese print up there. It's the gem of your whole library."

"Oh!" exclaimed the bride faintly, looking a little queer, so he thought, as she turned to greet another guest.

As his wife dragged him away he demanded to know what the Dickens was the matter with that Utamaro.

"It was our present to them," she moaned. "I didn't dare tell you. You would have wanted it for your collection."—Los Angeles Times.

A BOSTON LANDMARK.

The Grasshopper Weather Vane Perched atop Faneuil Hall.

Perched on the cupola of Faneuil Hall is a grasshopper weather vane which is not only one of the oldest vanes in the country, but is famous as the product of one of America's earliest woodcarvers and artisans, Shem Drowne of Boston.

Drowne's shop was on Ann street in the north end.

Of the many vanes he made only three are now known to be in existence—the one on the Shepard Memorial church in Cambridge, which formerly was on the steeple of the New Brick church on Hanover street in this city and known as the revenge vane; the one in the collection of the Massachusetts Historical society, a relic of the old Boston province house, and the one at Faneuil Hall.

This grasshopper of copper, hammered out by hand, has large glassy eyes, which in in the sunlight shine like fire.

It was made in 1742 at the order of Peter Faneuil when the hall, his gift to the town, was nearing completion.

It has not, however, lived a life of unbroken peace, for several times it has been near destruction. In 1755, when Boston was shaken by an earthquake, the vane fell to the ground, but after being supplied with a new leg by the son of the man who made it, it was replaced.

Five years later Faneuil hall was seriously damaged by fire, but the vane remained intact, and when the hall was rebuilt the grasshopper was once more given the place of honor.

Another disaster befell it when in 1889 a flag was being raised to celebrate the anniversary of the evacuation of the city by the British. The hopper hopped to the street below. But in a few days it hopped right back again, and there it has remained ever since, with the exception of an occasional removal for repairs.—Boston Globe.

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