



Edited By Miss Elizabeth R. Thomas.

## SOCIAL EVENTS FOR TODAY.

A dance will be given this evening at the Country club for members and invited guests.

Miss Mable Redrow will entertain with a party this evening at her home in South Eleventh street in honor of Miss Edna Sauer, of Cincinnati; Miss Bess Kuhn, of Indianapolis, and Misses Emily Truesdale and Cornelia Barlow, of Kokomo, Ind.

Mrs. Charles Shiveley will give a dinner this evening at the Country club.

Honoring Miss Rae Chandee, of Philadelphia, Miss Nina Pennell will entertain to dinner this evening at the Country club.

## TO UNION CITY.

Miss Maude Buckingham went to Union City this afternoon to spend Sunday the guest of friends and relatives.

## LAWN PARTY.

A feature of Friday's social schedule was the lawn party given by Misses Eunice and Gladys Simmons at their home in Spring Grove. Games and music were the features of the afternoon. A lunch in two courses was served. The guests were Misses Elsie and India Hart, Misses Minnie and Louise Studd, Miss Almira Stidham, Miss Esther Crockett, Miss Gertude Acton, Miss Ruth Wilson, Miss Dorothy Dilks, Misses Edna and Elizabeth Starr, Miss Mary Howes, Miss Stigelman, Miss Florence Spalding and Miss Ethel Hoover.

## MRS. CUTTER HOSTESS.

A charming party was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Richard Cuter at her home in South Fourth street, complimentary to Miss Rena and Miss Edna Renner, of Cincinnati. The rooms where the guests were entertained were attractively decorated with summer blossoms. Cards were played at several tables. Favors were given to Miss Alma Turner, Mrs. Carl Meyers and Mrs. George Pille. At the close of the game a delicious lunch in several courses was served. Those enjoying the affair were Miss Alma Turner, the Misses Renner, of Cincinnati, Miss Clara Moser, Mrs. Edward Turner, Mrs. Carl Meyers, Mrs. Howard Sudhoff, Mrs. Frank Banks, Mrs. George Pille, Mrs. George Schneider, Mrs. Joseph Meyers, Mrs. Harry Schneider, Mrs. Oscar Williams and Mrs. James Smith.

## LEFT THIS MORNING.

The following party left this morning at five-thirty o'clock for Crooked Lake, near Angola, Ind., where they will spend a fortnight: Mr. and Mrs. Marion Shreeve, Mr. Dale Shreeve, Miss Arline Shreeve, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lincoln and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Holmes, Miss Lucile Turner, Mr. Carl Allison, Mr. Carlos Haas and Mr. Willard Kaufman.

## OF INTEREST HERE.

The Goodwin boys are in receipt of several interesting letters from their mother and three sisters, who are now in Europe. After doing London and several points in England, including a visit to the tomb of King Edward, the party crossed over to Paris.

The channel was extremely rough, a gentleman on the vessel declaring it the worst he had experienced in twelve crossings. Mrs. Goodwin and Miss Helen went down before the storm, but Mrs. Goodwin said she did not give up all her dinner.

Helen writes that their mother is the best "trotter" of the quartet, at the age of 76, and that she is seeing so much and enjoying it all so immensely that she will likely want to tour South America after they return from Europe.—New Castle Times.

## PICNIC WELL ATTENDED.

A number of persons attended the annual picnic of the Richmond Business College held yesterday at Jackson park. In the evening dancing was a feature.

## AUTO GUESTS.

Messrs. and Mesdames Will M. Goodwin, T. F. Wright, Harry E. Jennings, Clay C. Hunt, Howard V. Maury and S. H. Clift drove to Richmond Thursday evening and enjoyed a picnic supper in Glen Miller park, coming home by moonlight.—New Castle Courier.

## MISS HASEMEIER RECEIVES.

An informal reception was given Friday afternoon by Miss Mable Hasemeier at her home in South Seventh street, in honor of her house guests, Miss Emily Truesdale and Miss Cornelia Barlow, of Kokomo, Indiana and also for Miss Bess Kuhn, of Indianapolis, who is the guest of Misses Mable and Mildred Kuhn. In the parlor and living room nasturtiums and ferns were used as a decoration. Sweet peas were used to embellish the dining room. A bowl filled with the blossoms formed a centerpiece for the table. Waxen tapers were also used in appointing this apartment. The guests were served in the dining room. The favors were corsage bouquets of

## BETTER THAN SPANNING.

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her tele. If you will do this, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

## Christian Endeavor--Home Missions

BY REV. S. H. DOYLE.

Topic.—The Christian use of letter writing.—P. xiv, 1; 1 John ii, 12-15. Edited by Rev. Sherman H. Doyle, D. D.

Writing is one of the most useful and practical of all the arts that have been invented by man and for the use of man. It is also most interesting to go back into the early centuries and study the earliest forms of communications by man in writing, the earliest alphabets and the materials upon which writing was first done and the progress made until we have reached the highest point in this important and useful art. The word alphabet comes from the union of the first two letters of the Greek alphabet, "alpha" and "beta." In all about 200 alphabets are known, fifty of which are in actual use. There are various kinds of materials upon which writing has been done, but the chief ones upon which writing has come down to us are stone, clay, metal, papyrus, wood, leather, wax tablets, parchment and paper. I imagine that all writing started with hieroglyphics upon stones, such as the American Indians used on stones and on trees. Egyptian script began on stone, and the Babylonians first used clay tablets with cuneiform writing. The writing was done in soft clay tablets and then allowed to harden in the sun or kiln baked. Writing on papyrus by the priests was done in Egypt as well as writing on stone. Leather was used by the Jews, and when it was extra fine—the hides of young animals—and could be written on both sides it was called parchment, and this parchment was used for the sacred writings and was rolled up in a scroll. Vellum is a still finer kind of parchment. For earliest practical uses the Greeks and Romans used a wooden tablet covered with a coating of fine wax. This was written upon by a piece of metal, wood or ivory. The opposite end was a palette and was used to erase the wax or to make it smooth. Paper made of vegetable fiber or rags is supposed to have been first invented by the Chinese. In the ninth century it was introduced into Europe by the Arabians, and in the thirteenth century it was used in France for deeds and in the fifteenth for books. Here we see an incident of God's providence. The printing press was discovered. Printing by movable types was invented by a German about the middle of the fifteenth century. But it would have been useless had not paper been invented and just introduced into Europe, for no form of material for writing hitherto known could have been used on a printing press.

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A strong effort is being made to get Governor Marshall to make his campaign opening speech at Fort Wayne, and it is believed that he finally will agree to do so. The date has not yet been decided on by the state committee. One of the reasons advanced for this proposition is that the first speech by the governor ought to be made at some point where he would get a big rousing reception, with a lot of red fire and yelling. Those democrats who are supporting this idea believe that he could get more of both at Fort Wayne than at any other place in the state. Fort Wayne is in the governor's home district, the Twelfth, and it is one of his strongholds. They say that the mere announcement that he would pass through the town would be enough to cause the Fort Wayne democrats to hire a band and march to the depot to see his train go through.

## MARSHALL POPULAR AT HOME.

They figure that if he opens his campaign at Fort Wayne the entire Twelfth district will turn out and yell itself black in the face and burn cords and birds of red fire.

At Fort Wayne the governor could talk about any old thing and still make a hit. He could go the limit there better than at any other place in the state.

As was stated in these dispatches several days ago, Theodore Roosevelt will make his one speech in Indiana on October 13. He will speak to the Knights of Columbus in Peoria, Ill., on October 12 and will come from that city to Indianapolis, where, it is now believed, his Indiana speech will be made.

## ENJOYED PICNIC.

The members of the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church enjoyed an afternoon picnic yesterday in Glen Miller park. The sumptuous picnic supper was a feature.

## MEETS TUESDAY.

The East End Aid society of the First Christian church will meet Tues-

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