

# THE SOCIAL WHIRL

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## SOCIAL EVENTS FOR THE WEEK.

**Monday**—Members of the Ticknor club will meet in the afternoon.

A meeting of the Magazine club will be held.

The Phi Delta Kappa fraternity will give a dance in the evening, in the Odd Fellows' hall.

Miss Helen Eggemeyer and Master William Eggemeyer will entertain with a Halloween party at the home of Miss Eggemeyer in East Main street.

A dance will be given in New Castle by the members of the Pappi fraternity. Members of the local fraternity have received invitations.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Poundstone will give a Halloween party at their home in South Thirteenth street in honor of Miss Opal Hussen and Mr. Russell Gear who will be married soon.

A number of young people from this city will attend the dance to be given at Cambridge City by the young people of that place.

**Tuesday**—A meeting of the Spring Grove Sewing circle will be held at the home of Mrs. Gallagher.

The Aid Society, of the First Christian church will meet in the afternoon.

Members of an afternoon card club will meet.

**Wednesday**—Mrs. E. R. Coleman will be hostess for a meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society, of the Grace Methodist church at her home in North Twelfth street.

The first meeting of the Wednesday Evening Assembly will be held at the Country club.

Members of the Home Economic Study club will meet in the afternoon.

**Thursday**—Members of a dancing class will meet in the Odd Fellows' hall.

A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held in the Post Rooms at the Court House.

A bridge party will be given at the Country club.

**Friday**—Mrs. Charles Kolp's Friday evening class will meet as usual in the I. O. O. F. hall.

**TO HOLD FIRST MEETING.**

The first meeting of the season of the Wednesday Assembly will be held Wednesday evening of this week at the Country club. All members are asked to be present at this time and help in making the affair a success.

**TO GIVE DANCE.**

Probably one of the most important social events for the Halloween season is the dancing party which will have for its hostess the members of the Phi Delta Kappa fraternity. Invitations very attractive in design have been issued to about seventy-five persons. The grand march will begin at eight-thirty o'clock. A buffet luncheon will be served at the intermission. An orchestra has been secured to furnish the dance music. Decorations will be working diligently today in order to decorate the hall in an attractive manner. The "frat" colors red and black will be used. It is expected that a number of guests from out of town will attend.

**HAS RETURNED.**

Miss Naomi Filby returned home today from Connersville, Indiana, where she has been visiting friends and relatives for several days.

**RETURNED HOME.**

Dr. W. J. Smith, who was called to Winchester, Indiana, on account of the death of his mother, has returned home.

**ENJOYED PARTY.**

A number of the young people of the Second Presbyterian church enjoyed the party given Saturday afternoon at the church. The affair was in the nature of a Halloween party. Refreshments were served.

**TO GREENVILLE.**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirk went to Greenville, Ohio today, where they will spend the day as guests of friends and relatives.

**PICNIC SUPPER.**

Last evening the members of the Eastern Star, with their families were entertained in the Masonic temple. The affair was in the nature of a picnic supper. A number of persons attended. The supper was the principal feature of the evening.

**TEA AT EARLHAM COLLEGE.**

A pleasant social event at Earlham college Saturday was the tea given by the day dodger girls for the dormitory girls. The hours were from three until five o'clock, and the affair was held in Lindley hall. Flowers and ferns were used in decorating. A number of girls were entertained during the afternoon.

**CONCERNING THE BRIDE.**

A bride's friends always wish to see her new home, and however simple it may be, she could not fail to give one or more receptions, making them just as informal as she chooses. If her place is small and her friends many, she will succeed better by asking them a few at a time, but taking care that all shall know they are to be included. The one drawback is that sometimes those not asked at once think they are to be left out entirely, and they resent it. The best way to avoid this is to write friendly little notes explaining that her house is small, and that she would like best to have all her friends together if it were possible. Upon such occasions a light repast should be served, using her wedding presents for arrangement and service.

**DANCE LAST EVENING.**

Mrs. Charles Kolp's Friday evening dancing club met Saturday evening at the I. O. O. F. hall. After the class a number of the young people of the city enjoyed dancing until a late hour.

Piano and drums furnished music. The class was postponed from Friday evening on account of the Russian dances.

### TO JOIN WIFE.

Mr. John Althaus went to Greenville, Ohio, today to join his wife, Mrs. John Althaus, and daughter, Miss Catherine, who have been visiting friends and relatives in that place for several days. They will return home this evening.

### TO MEET WEDNESDAY.

Wednesday afternoon a meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Grace Methodist church will be held at the home of Mrs. E. R. Coleman, 112 North Twelfth street. The program according to the year book will be as follows:

The Gospel in France... Mrs. Schub Mystery Box (October Friend...)

..... Mrs. Woolley Mrs. Trump and Mrs. Stambach will assist the hostess in entertaining. The leader for the afternoon will be Mrs. T. A. Mott.

### REMINDER OF WINTER.

Moist balls mingled their pungent fragrance with Saturday's breezes and brought with them a reminder of winter and snow. The little people awoke yesterday morning to find Jack Frost had not made a good attempt at a snow storm, and would have to try again. No doubt they were thinking of the fun they will have this winter when the snow covers the ground and old winter sets in for good. Winter is always welcomed by the young people and visions of bob sled rides, coasting and skating add to the allurements of the winter's pleasures.

### PARTY MONDAY.

Master William Eggemeyer and Miss Helen Eggemeyer will entertain Monday evening instead of Saturday as recently announced.

### PARTIES FOR HALLOWEEN.

A number of charming parties will probably be scheduled for Monday as Halloween is always looked forward to by hostesses as a delightful time of the season to entertain.

### REVIEW OF THE PAST WEEK.

Very pleasant has been the past week in social circles and there has been much doing in club circles as

well as among society folk. Tuesday afternoon Miss Agnes Trigg was hostess for a charming party at which Miss Opal Hussen was the guest of honor. Miss Hussen was also honored Thursday afternoon when Mrs. Ray Compton entertained with a handkerchief shower and bridge party for her. There were guests present to fill three tables. Friday Miss Mildred Gear gave a beautifully appointed luncheon at her home in North Thirteenth street in honor of Miss Hussen. Perhaps the most important wedding of the week was the one celebrated Wednesday evening at six-thirty o'clock at the Reid Memorial Presbyterian church. The bride was Miss Deborah Sedgwick and the groom Mr. Henry C. Patton of Danville, Virginia. Thursday evening Mrs. P. W. Smith gave a most elaborate dinner party at the Country club, honoring her guests, Mrs. Dougan and Mrs. Ellingham, who were here to attend the State Federation of Women's clubs. Places were arranged at the table for eighteen guests. A number of other charmingly appointed luncheons were also given by different hostesses. The first meeting of the season for the Tuesday dancing club was held in the Odd Fellows' hall. A number of persons enjoyed dancing until a late hour.

### ECHOES OF CONCERT.

Echoes of the concert at which the Russian dancers appeared are still to be heard. It is not the program, alone, however, that is being talked about for an absorbing feature of the evening was the appearance of the audience. Women who have attended many notable entertainments, declare that it was one of the finest looking audiences they ever saw anywhere and it seems that all are of one mind on this point. The beautiful and spacious auditorium was completely filled, largely with people in evening dress. It may be pardonable to say that we probably did not know how really good looking we were until we had the occasion to bring us out in our best.

The white and black of the men's evening dress mingled with the shimmer of the satins and glitter of the jewels of the women. It showed as nothing has for a long time how well the people of today are costuming themselves for such events. There were hundreds of coiffures, but the distinctive one was that in which the jeweled handlets were prominent. Women in the rear seats in the boxes wore great picture hats with plumes. More than one felt that the audience was as interesting in its way as the stage pictures or the artistic music. "Russian dancers' night" will probably be the standard of social brilliancy for a long time to come.

### MISS STIGELMAN HOSTESS.

A Halloween party was given last

evening by Miss Marjorie Stigelman at her home in North Fourteenth street. The house was attractively decorated for the occasion with autumn flowers and ferns. In the dining room Jack-o'-lanterns, pumpkins and "spooks" were placed. The table was also beautifully appointed in yellow and white, the idea being carried out in the menu which was served at the close of the affair. Music, games and social conversation were the principal features of the evening. The games were appropriate to the Halloween time. The guests were Miss Esther Crockett, Miss Edna Starr, Miss Madge Smith, Miss Mary Howes, Miss Flora Jones, Miss Zabelle Stigelman, Miss Jeannette Stigelman, Miss Eunice Simmons, Mr. Frank Hodgins, Mr. Herschel Trueblood, Mr. Royden Park, Mr. Charles Smith, Mr. Kenneth Miller, Mr. Ralph Cain, Mr. Claude Hoover, Mr. Ralph Personett and Mr. Walter Brumfield.

### HAVE RETURNED.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christmas, of South Thirteenth street have returned from Cincinnati, Ohio, where Mr. Christmas attended a meeting of the Tri-state Vehicle Dealers' association. Mrs. Christmas was a member of the entertainment committee which assisted in entertaining the delegates. She was unanimously chosen as chairman of the committee for next year. Mrs. Frank Hutchinson, of Covington, Kentucky, and Mrs. Charles Egolf of Cincinnati were appointed by her to assist.

## Music

### HELD MEETING.

A pleasant meeting of the Music Study club was held Wednesday morning of last week in the Starr Piano parlors. The program, which was a most excellent one, was arranged by Miss Elizabeth Hasemeier and Miss Clara Myrick. This was the regular meeting of the club.

### TO ASSIST.

Mr. Leroy Lacey, a popular baritone singer, will assist Rev. Zerbe of Williamsburg in a series of revival meetings to be held in Chester.

### VESPER SERVICES.

Vesper services will be held this afternoon at four-thirty o'clock at the First English Lutheran church. A

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quartette composed of Mrs. F. W. Krueger, Mrs. Fred J. Bartel, Mr. O. P. Musbaum and Mr. Henry Bentlage will furnish the music for the service.

### A SONG SERVICE.

A men's chorus, which formerly sang at the East Main Street Friend's church, will sing this evening at the Young People's meeting of the White Water Friend's church. All are invited to be present.

### MUSICAL INTEREST HERE.

Musical delights appeal to Richmond people as was demonstrated Friday evening when the orchestra for the Russian dancers was so well attuned to a magnificent one and the music added to the crowning success of the city although not well organized as strong as they stand alone.

To music this city is wide awake.

## At Local Theaters

### Mrs. Fiske.

From the Gennett theater comes the announcement that Mrs. Fiske and the Manhattan company are to appear at that theater on November 12. It is doubtful if any other intelligence of the dramatic season will create greater interest or appeal more widely than this, for Mrs. Fiske is everywhere recognized as an artist of the most exceptional gifts and attainments, while the practically perfect casts and productions with which Harrison Grey Fiske always surrounds her, make for a completeness that is a great gratification to both critic and the public. The play to be presented on November 12th is "Becky Sharp," Mrs. Fiske's masterpiece of comedy interpretation, the dramatization made by Langdon Mitchell of Thackeray's famous novel "Vanity Fair."

### LaPorte Stock Company.

During the engagement of Dainty Mae LaPorte and her clever company at the Gennett for one week starting Monday, October 31, a complete scenic production of "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall," will be given. It is out of the ordinary for a stock company to present such a play as this as the royalty for this play alone is as much as many company's pay for an entire repertory. But so sure was manager McEnroe of the success of Miss LaPorte, in this play that he secured it for her and so far this season it has packed the houses to the door and many nights people are turned away.

To stage and costume, this play alone it has cost Manager McEnroe over three thousand dollars, and this does not include the many handsome gowns of Miss LaPorte, three of which was imported from Paris, and are said to be the handsomest ever owned by a Stock Company Leading Lady. The play will be correctly staged and costumed just the same as it has been presented in every city in the United States the company carrying all special scenery and mechanical effects.

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