SOCIETY.

Three Large Balls Enlivened the Past Week---Euchre Parties Still Numerous---Meetings of the Clubs---Other Events and Personal Notes.

The D. of C. Bachelor and Bannister Hall balls were quite a lively aspect to the social world last week. A few more large entertainments will be crowded into the coming six days, and then come Lent and small diversions.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoyle's reception and ball for Mr. and Mrs. John Hay Hammond on Tuesday night promises to be very delightful to both young and old. The Misses Cunningham will give a dance for their young friends on Friday, and the Afternoon Golf Club ball on Shrove Tuesday will be one of the largest affairs ever attempted in the affairs of Webster.

A few afternoon receptions are announced for the Ash Wednesday season. Last year Mrs. A. C. Cassidy will give a "social tea" on Washington's birthday. Miss Stoffler and Mr. Eddie Hallett of New York will be married on February 21. The wedding of Miss Grace Pratt and Rector Ellsworth E. Smith is set for Wednesday of this week, February 21. Cards were issued last week for the marriage of Miss Annie Gray Taylor and Mr. James Randolph Jones on February 17, at the West End Church.

INFORMAL ENTERTAINMENTS.

A surprise party was given to Mr. Will Harlow on No. 4258 Cleveland avenue on Friday evening by the Hillside Pleasure Club. Those present were:

Misses—
Carrie Arnew, Carrie Hamm,
Cyrella Catlin, Miss Harding,
Jane Jeannette Hilker, Helen Hazlett.
Messrs—
William A. Brown, Samuel Fuller,
Sydney F. Catlin, Clark Wadsworth.

Mrs. Katherine De Moss of No. 2708 Maple avenue last Thursday afternoon from 2 to 6 o'clock gave a children's party, in honor of her little daughter, Miss De Moss. A lunch was served. Those present were: Hazel De Witt, Constance Brooks, Norville Allen, Elizabeth Scott, Mehetta Baker, Alice Valentine, Otis Pugsley, Kenneth Corbett, Eugene Bolton, Tayloe Ward, Ruth Coombs and Margaret Foley.

Mrs. William Courtney Moffett gave an informal tea on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the home of her sister, Mrs. Kaime, No. 3 North Grand avenue. The decorations were American beauty roses and palms. Mrs. Joseph Sproule Bowler and Miss Nell Fisher served chocolate and tea table. Among those present were:

Misses—
Bessie Kirkpatrick, Mary Euston,
Nan Moulton, Josie Barnes,
Patterson, Etta Walker.
Mesdames—
Monroe Hooton, Ernest Hubbard,
Bert Rogers, Charles Miller,
John Tennant, William Woods.

The Compton Hill Society gave a valentine masquerade party for children at the Compton Hall on Saturday evening. The affair was in the style of a jubilee for the little ones and their very creditable dancing. Recitations and songs were given. An informal lunch was provided for the children and parents who took part.

Among the participants were:

Misses—
Lucile Stanard, Alice Lange,
Marie Stanard, Blanche Pell,
Irene Stoffel, Myrtle Zapf,
Annette Stierlin, Marguerite Lewis.
Masters—
Henry J. Stoffel, Clarence Stoffel,
Ebenezer Temm, Lawrence Lavian,
Will Hunt, Clarence Stanard,
Clifford Zapf.

Doctors Fenora and Mary Sargent of Washington avenue entertained informally on Monday evening in honor of their cousin, Miss Lena Sargent, who was here from Springfield as a Press Association guest. The feature of the evening was an impromptu spelling match, in which Messrs. Bland, McIntyre and Hawkins distinguished themselves. Mr. Hawkins finally won. Refreshments were served, after which Mr. McIntyre entertained the guests with musical selections. He was followed by Doctor Jesse Sargent in some amusing recitations. Among those present were:

Misses—
Lena Sargent, Belle Fisher,
Beulah Taylor, Hettie Eddy,
Kate Fisher, Kate Newhouse,
Mayme Sargent, Mrs. E. V. McIntyre.
Messrs—
Theodore Bland, Rome Taylor,
E. V. McIntyre, Edward Hawkins,
Jesse Sargent, Willis Sargent.

A surprise party was given to Miss Freda Biehl by Messrs. Reibell, Dieterich and Hoenung at her home, No. 4239 North Taylor avenue, on Saturday evening. The entertainment consisted of music and dancing.

A birthday celebration took place on Thursday evening at Union Hall, Broadway and Benton street. The celebrants were Miss Amelia Kirby, Mr. A. Kirby and Mr. A. W. Dieterich. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kirby.
Messrs—
John J. Ibes, F. Niesman,
Charles Bergemeier, Charles Welsch,
Charles Briggs, Gus Schlueter,
Joe Briggs, Joe Weilbacher,
John Briggs, A. M. Stifel,
Ed Randal, William Meyer,
D. A. Dieterich, Charles Gessel,
George Pale, Edward Mink,
John Kennebeck, J. Palmer,
A. Wallbrack, L. Lowe,
John Unland, R. Shaffer,
Paul Gerwitz, J. Murray,
L. F. Kirby, E. McElvney.
Misses—
J. Dieterich, F. Biehl,
Clara Briggs, M. Malsed,
Minnie Lohey, M. Stobright,
Maud Lahey, B. Kleinhoeffer,
L. Stunkel, A. Ashton,
Ida Stunkel, A. Sutherland,
L. Braner, M. Kelm,
M. Zelsman, G. La Falvre,
Nora Zelsman, N. Mahen,
Lizzie Graff, Mrs. M. Hildebrandt.

Miss Myrtle Crole of Raymond place entertained a few friends on Wednesday evening. Among the features of the evening was a valentine post office. Those present were:

Misses—
Hermine Southard, Hazel Crole,
Sue Newell, Beatrice Lincoln,
Ethel Widdicombe, Gertie Freer,
Susie Marsh, Agnes Tumulty,
Lucille Widdicombe, Mabelle Hyman,
Agnes Smith, Goldie Buckow,
Emma Hunschen, Marie Jenecke,
Edna Jaeger.
Messrs—
George Hiel, Arthur Widdicombe,
Albe King, Walter Watkins,
Jack Widdicombe, Frank Lawson,
Otto Cooper, Fred Simpson,
Edwin Hiel, Edward Bossler,
Harrison Watkins, Byron Herbert,
Harry King, Paul Heitzell.

The Violet Circle gave an informal stag party Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Myers on Penrose street. A supper was served at 10:30 o'clock. The following gentlemen were present:

Messrs—
Frank J. Dougherty, Herman Mull,
Charles J. Schaub, Albert H. Myers,
William T. Oakley, George J. Myers,
Joseph Westerfeld, T. J. Laurence,
Drummond Diomond, Ellis Gunn.

Miss Edythe Grant of Cabanne gave a heart party on Tuesday evening. The parlors were decorated with palms, American Beauty roses and sunburst carnations. The electric lights were shaded with rose-colored silk. The dining-room was decorated with violets. American violets formed a large pyramid in the center of the table, while at each plate were placed a bunch of sweet violets, tied with white satin ribbon. The teas were served in the shape of valentine favors, hearts and cupids. Music and dancing were the features of the evening's entertainment. The guests were:

Misses—
Edyth Grant, Helen Keane,
Sibyl Rex, Genevieve Keane,
Bessie Culp, Corletta Sander,
Ada Culp, Jones,
Maude Keane, Parish.
Messrs—
Mayer, Jordan,
Cunningham, Lardeer,
Le Fairre, Carlyle,
Chopin, Rex,
Butler, Parrish.

Miss Edna E. Hanansky of No. 2730 North Grand avenue gave a valentine party on Wednesday afternoon to sixteen of her young girl friends. The decorations were blue and pink, arranged with carnations and ferns. The main attraction of the table was a cupid-form vase, decorated with Easter lilies. Sweets, in the same, called "Mother." The refreshments and prizes. Miss Estella Leerhoff, Miss Ada Vette, Miss Ethel Miller, Miss Lulu Cornell, Miss Lulu Trenholm, Joseph.

Mrs. Mary A. McKeever, who lives at the home of her nephew, Mr. Harry V. Eckman, in No. 3118 Morgan street, was surprised by her neighbors and friends Friday last. Dancing was the amusement of the evening, until supper was served, at which time the guests had brought with them a plentiful supply of the good things of life. Among those present were relatives to celebrate the occasion.

Miss Grace Wharton entertained a number of her friends Wednesday evening in honor of St. Valentine.

Miss Lena Gess of No. 18 North Compton avenue entertained a number of friends on Thursday evening, February 15, in honor of her seventeenth birthday. Among those present were:

Messrs—
Barney Kahl, Fred Simpson,
John Langston, Will Fleming,
Frank Bader, Arthur Rothwell,
Pom Mulcock.
Misses—
Mary James, Percy Parks,
Nettie Miller, Jennie Gordon,
Marguerite O'Hara, Lena Bess,
Estelle Kusek.

Miss Ethel Harris of Biddle avenue entertained a number of her friends at her home on Wednesday evening. A repast was served about midnight. The prizes were awarded to Miss Alberta Rhodes and Mr. Percy Miner. Those present were:

Misses—
Lola Malone, Bertha Hall,
Alberta Rhodes, Vesta Rhodes,
Kate Hall, Maude Harris,
Nettie Bozzard, Lizzie Johnson.
Messrs—
Sydney Lonque, Warren Kuhl,
Charles Lewis, Joe Kennah,
George Hawkins, William Harris,
Gilbert Scott, Paul Ligon,
Chester Scott, Arthur S. Rhodes,
William Leak.

Louis Mahler will entertain his South End class on Friday evening with a valentine party. He will entertain his North End class with a valentine party on Thursday evening.

Miss Mamie Corl entertained the June class class of the High School with a Valentine party on Wednesday evening. Appropriate games were played. An immense Valentine box caused much merriment among the guests. The following were present:

Misses—
Lulu Armstrong, Ora Owen,
Bess Hudgens, Millie Young,
Lillian Riley, Helen Renard,
Sadie Mitchell, Gertrude Hussack,
May Stotler, Blanche Lawson,
Annie Forbes, Ora Haberman,
Adella Stephan, Adriane Ely.
Messrs—
Allen Kleinsmith, Leland Wind,
Philip Loeff, Sidney Moore,
Sam Erskine, Joseph Bertle,
Jesse Kramer, Owen Miller,
Carter Long, L. Perry Smith,
Frank Cook, Val Mittenberger,
David Metcalfe.

RECEPTIONS.

A reception was held at the home of Mr. A. L. Bates of Cook av nue on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mr. William E. Roehl of Reber place. The entertainment consisted of vocal and instrumental selections. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoyle and Miss Mary Catherine Hoyle have sent out cards for a reception on Tuesday evening, February 20, from 8 to 11 o'clock, to meet Mr. and Mrs. John Hay Hammond of London and Paris. The reception will take place at Mahler's, and be followed by a dance for the young people.

Mrs. Albert S. Hughey and Miss Mae Estelle Aetch will hold a reception at the Conservatorium on Friday, February 23.

Mrs. Abner Cunningham Cassidy has issued cards for a "Colonial Tea" on Thursday, February 22, from 3 to 5 o'clock at her residence, No. 1221 North Grand avenue.

Rainy-day Suits, man tailored, to order; or, Crash costumes, with silk-lined coat, $200, at French's, Sixth and Washington avenue.

Mrs. Barton of No. 4322 Olive street is entertaining her sister from Vermont. On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Barton held a reception in her honor. She was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Fred Alexander and Mrs. M. Crane. There was a dinner in the evening, and covers were laid for thirty persons.

LUNCHEONS.

Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. S. S. Blackwell of Lindell boulevard gave a luncheon in honor of Miss Geraldine Dillon, whose marriage to Mr. Bond of New Orleans is to be an event of the near future. Mrs. Blackwell, Mrs. Valle Reybrin and Miss Dillon received. The decorations were pink roses and hyacinths. The dining-room was done entirely in pink. The guests included:

Mesdames—
Horatio W. Spencer, George Madill,
Huntington Smith, Henry W. Bond,
Amelie Reybrin, M. P. Branch,
William F. Thomson, Mary Polk Winn,
John O'Fallon, Benjamin O'Fallon,
Randolph Hutchinson, Will Turner,
George von S'hrader, Hamilton Farish,
Lindell Gordon, Lou Hayward,
Seth W. Cobb.
Misses—
Amy Watson, Lenore Scullin,
Clara Denver, Clara Bahn,
Nan Thomson, Lucy Hutchinson,
Sallie Walsh, Martha Hutchinson.
Marie Walsh,

MASQUERADES.

Miss Emma Schlossstein celebrated her birthday by giving a large progressive domino party. Three winning prizes were Misses Weisman, Link, Halleman and Meyer. Those present were:

Misses—
Laura Steltz, Addie Witte,
Sitta Hoffmann, Clara Vogelsang,
Rita Link, Laura Lubke,
Minnie Wrasch, Alice Gut,
Elsie Beck, Anna Jaeger,
Rosa Rogers, Anna C.
Birdie Wichelman, Elizabeth Eggers,
Lillian Manewal, Estelle Walsh,
Nora Steinweider, Laura Halleman.

A masquerade party was given by Miss Nellie Barry at her home, No. 2362 Cass avenue, on Thursday evening. There was an elaborate display of costumes, including kings and queens, tramps, Indians and Chinese.

The orchestra members, in the costumes of Zulus, afforded the guests a great deal of merriment. Dancing, vocal selections and games of all kinds were participated in until 11:30 o'clock. When the prizes were awarded, The prize for the handsomest costume was awarded to Miss Jennie Farney, who impersonated the Goddess of Liberty. Mr. Mort Murray, as Gaby Paul, won the prize for the most comical costume. The guests were then invited into the dining-room, where supper was served. Among those present there were:

Misses—
Maude Seagrass, Birdie Ogles,
Jennie Farney, Fannie McBride,
Mae Barry, Daisy Alters,
Nellie Hayden, Mamie Mahoney,
Mary Rodgers, Louise McBride,
Cora Seagrass, Minnette Woerman,
Mae Costigan, Marquetta Barry,
Grace Britton.
Mesdames—
John Finn, F. Lubers,
John Britton, J. Broughill,
George Seagrass, J. A. Barry.
Messrs—
John Mulgano, Charles Newman,
George Abrons, James McSheehy,
Edw. Abrons, George Mahoney,
James Barry, Edward Koenig,
Chester Gallove, Henry Brown,
Harry Fate, Joseph Glynn,
Thomas Barry.

On Friday evening a "domino party" was given by Mrs. W. C. Nolte in honor of Miss Bess Waite at the superintendent's residence at the House of Refuge. At 11 o'clock the guests unmasked and supper was served. Among those present were:

Messrs and Mesdames—
G. C. Wheeler, Waite,
Proctorius, Wilson,
Christy, Nolte.
Misses—
B. Vasquez, B. Fisher,
M. Knopp, E. Lehnbeuter,
C. Dietmeyer, A. Lehnbeuter.

MISS HERMINA JUENGLING

Of No. 1939 Nebraska avenue, who has recently returned from Europe where she spent three years in social study, most of the time in Paris. She is a clever music student, she was recently introduced at a party given by Mr. C. E. Purdy.

F. Lehnbeuter, R. Wolte,
N. Travis, L. Hite.
Messrs—
E. Unterkamp, J. Meyer.
J. Weber, T. Lock.
J. Erb, W. Graff.
H. Guth, H. Wolf.
J. Bischoff.

AT THE THEATERS.

Miss Laura Seitz entertained a party of friends on Friday evening with a box party at the opera in honor of her sister, Miss Josephine Seitz, and her fiance, Mr. W. A. Rotsberg of Milwaukee. Luncheon was served after the performance. The table decorations were American beauties and violets.

Albert A. Aul of the Albert A. Aul Cloak Company, 315 Locust street, just west of Broadway, is in New York selecting the latest styles and buying an entire new stock for their beautiful new store, which is acknowledged to be the handsomest of its kind west of New York City. Open March 1st for business.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. James B. Gault and Miss Mary Gault of Jefferson city are visiting the family of the Reverend Taylor Bernard, No. 3627 Fairmount avenue. They will remain in the city until to-morrow.

Mr. Frank Brown of Sedalia, Mo., is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. J. R. A. Vaughan of Louisiana, Mo., is visiting Doctor and Mrs. T. B. Sharp of No. 4635 Wagoner place.

Mrs. J. Meyer of Chicago is here for a short visit to her sister, Mrs. Marcus Epstein of No. 3112 Westminster place.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Holloway, who have been spending some time at Hot Springs, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Francis have returned from their wedding trip and are at the Francis home, in Maryland avenue.

Miss Jeanie Bolding is at Mobile, Ala., the guest of the Reverend and Mrs. G. C. Tucker. She will remain until after the Mardi Gras festivities.

"Grandfather" hall clocks and French and American mantel clocks of all kinds offered at specially reduced prices this week at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Miss Margaret Ryan of No. 7307 Bloom street is visiting friends and relatives at Pittsburg, Kas., and will return about March 1.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Duvall have returned to Hotel Beers after spending a few weeks in Eureka Springs.

Doctor W. Spotz, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Charles B. Zeller, departed for the City of Mexico on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Crawford Mayo of Nashville, Tenn., are at Hotel Beers.

Mrs. A. Cohen, daughter of Doctor and Mrs. J. Radowsky of Webster Groves, has gone to New York City to join her husband. They will live there.

Miss Rose Conrad of the South Side departed for an extended visit to her friend, Mrs. Al Cowey of Bloomington, Ill., last week.

Mr. William Schreiber and daughter, Miss Clotilde Schreiber of New York, are at Hotel Beers.

CLUBS.

On Tuesday the Ladies' Schiller Club celebrated its fifth anniversary at the residence of Mrs. M. Ketchum, No. 3221 Fair avenue. On arriving at the house each lady deposited a head dress representing some character taken from the different books that were read during the year. These were distributed and worn by the guests during the afternoon, presenting a unique effect. An interesting programme was carried out containing good numbers, among them recitations, selections, vocal and instrumental music.

After the formal programme each lady was asked to show her valentine from a bush heart suspended from the chandelier. The dining-room, where luncheon was served, was prettily arranged like a wizard's den, in green and white. The luncheon souvenir was a heart of birch bark, tied to a tiny wood spoon, to commemorate the wooden anniversary of the club. The members present were:

Mesdames—
Julius Vogt, H. Simons,
Karl Messmer, Gendelbach,
Louis Graner, Lindburns,
E. Hymes, Stande,
B. Stein, O. Kortkamp.
B. Fossman.
Misses—
Johnston, Keisham.
Ockel.

At the last meeting of the Modern Novel Club, February 12, some points in the criticism of fiction were taken up, in place of a novel as the usual custom. The subject for the evening was "Certain Erroneous Traditions Which Govern Much of the Criticism of Fiction." Among these the constant attempt to decide upon the "permanence" of a book received attention. The member to whom this subject had been given said that a book which appealed to a certain class of mind would naturally be read as long as that class of mind existed, but that, if we believed in progress, we must hope that the primitive class of mind would grow smaller and smaller, and with it the popularity of much that now has the floor.

This idea was not approved by all, and Shakspeare's works were instanced as undying, since they had portrayed every phase of human nature. The president asked if one must not have met and understood every phase of human nature before he could make such a statement as that. Also, if those who made it were not often persons who had made no study of human nature either in life or through books, and whose assertions, therefore, could have no value.

In this connection the question was asked whether the most thorough continent in grammar, rhetoric, composition and the study of the history of literature fitted one to be a judge of the moment in which human nature and conditions were presented in fiction?

Mr. Stone thought that enough account was not taken of the fact that Shakspeare was practically first on the floor, and in an age when his work was a marvel; and that now the tremendous disposition to reject the old, to even the discrimination which would be used if his work were appearing for the first time.

Mr. Lebens asked if the criticism of modern work had not really degenerated into simply finding fault, which seemed to him much easier than presenting all the good points and giving the reasons why they were good. This led to the question whether merely stating what one liked or disliked was ever of value, and whether the critic who disagreed in most and really deserved the name, and whether there should not be some higher standard by which each work was to be carefully measured.

Golf pants made to order, Highland tweed, $5.50; alligator skin, $6.50; $8.50 Bernard & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

A parlor meeting in memory of Mrs. Francis E. Willard, birthday will be held by the Wed Day W. C. T. U. at the home of Mrs. H. H. Worcester, No. 4126 Washington avenue, at 2:30 o'clock, on Friday, February 16. A literary programme will be rendered. Mrs. Palmer will give some personal reminiscences of Miss Willard's life. All interested are invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

The regular monthly meeting of the Cooking Teachers' League will be held at Women's Training School, No. 1328 Lucas street, on Saturday evening, February 24, at 8 o'clock.

Doctor Goldrich of Washington University will lecture on "The Elements of Education." Miss Jennie Gilmore of the Women's Training School will read a paper on "Cheese." Miss Hesseldenz, teacher of domestic science in the St. Louis public schools, will read a paper entitled "Looking Backward," giving some Utopian views of the subject of domestic science. The meetings are open to the public. Membership is limited to cooking teachers and graduates of cooking schools.

WEDDINGS.

At 8 o'clock on Wednesday morning Miss Rosa Hammann was married to Mr. August Bridge Jr. at St. Francis de Sales's Church by the pastor, Father Lore. A high mass was celebrated by Father Kloenhofer. The wedding was a simple affair. Mr. Bernard Bridge of Chicago, brother of the groom, was best man, with Miss Helena Doerr, a sister of the bride, as maid of honor. Many relatives and friends of the couple were in the church. At the residence of the bride's parents, No. 1827 Sidney street, the wedding breakfast was served. A reception was held in the evening, to which only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were invited. Mr. and Mrs. Bridge will live at N. 3006 Carondelet street, and will be at home to their friends on Wednesday after April 1.

Mr. John D. Johnson Jr., son of Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Richard M. Johnson, was married Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock to Miss Kate Wessling of No. 3964 South Compton avenue, in St. Malachy's Church by Father Ziegler. The couple will live at No. 3722 Cottage avenue.

Miss Elizabeth Tuttorow of Centralia, Mo., and Mr. T. J. Tuttorow of Spondello, Ill., were married Wednesday afternoon at Lafayette Park Church.

Mr. and Mrs. James Angus Fisher have sent out cards announcing the marriage of their daughter Grace to Mr. George Judd Tansey, on Thursday, February 15. Mr. and Mrs. Tansey will be at home on Tuesdays after April 17 at the Southern.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrebum of No. 2501 Lemp avenue announce the marriage of their daughter, Susan, to Mr. J. F. Heine. The ceremony took place last night very quietly, owing to the severe illness of Mr. Heine's father.

Wedding invitations, first material, engraved in form, from Mermod & Jaccard's society stationery, Broadway and Locust. Write for samples and prices.

Miss Louise Breton and Mr. S. J. Osborn of Cincinnati were married on Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Clinton Gwynn, Jefferson of No. 4456 Forest Park boulevard. The Reverend Mr. Sheet of St. Peter's Episcopal church performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Brainard attended the couple. After the wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Osborn departed for the East. They will be at home in Cincinnati.

At a reception held at the residence of Mr. L. H. Gutzeschmidt in Dallas, Tex., last week, the engagement of Miss Hope Gutzeschmidt to Mr. Jack C. Parker of Delmar avenue, St. Louis, was formally announced.

Last Saturday Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lambert celebrated their fifteenth anniversary of their marriage. Coupled with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lawrence, who celebrated the tenth anniversary of their marriage, at the Lindenwood Hall. The celebration was attended by the intimate friends and relatives of the married pairs. Prior to the supper, held in the dining-hall and an elaborate supper was served at midnight. The table was decorated with cupids with a large crystal cake. One of the favors was edged with green pretty crystals and another with roses and wax candles, which burned during the supper. On the top was a large crystal containing a dove. Each guest received a crystal and an souvenir, inscribed "Valentine, 15 years—150 and 1." The crystal souvenir was a small cordial glass decorated with a silk ribbon and the other was a wooden copy.

DANCES.

The Imperial Dancing Club gave a dance on Saturday evening at Bode's Hall.

The Olympia Dancing Society will give a dance at Pickwick Hall on March 17.

Mrs. I. J. Graur gave the Lunar Junior Dancing Club a party on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock, at Lunar Hall. The guests much was followed by square and round dances. Miss Laura Reeves danced the tambourine dance; Miss Adele Weber, the skirt dance; Baby Reeves, a fancy dance; Master Milton and Miss Lillian Silberstein, cake-walk. The orchestra furnished music, while refreshments were served. Among those present were:

Misses—
Laura Rudnekt, Gladys Reeder,
Margarette Gidenheimer, Pearl Moore,
Birdie Harbourger, Elizabeth Johnson,
Esther Henry, Laura Terpenning,
Laura Reeves, Helen Terpenning,
Grace Reeves, Mack Pratt,
Lillian Silverstein, Grace Hilly,
Madeline Scott, Jessie Lee,
Dorothy Scott, Rebekah Phillips,
Adele Weber, Marjorie Peat,
Gladys Reeves, Marguerite Hilly,
Madeline Williams, Clara Matlock,
Katherine Lynch, Richard Mattlie,
Nellie Ballard, Katherine Winsten.
Messrs—
Walter Peat, Lester Harbourger,
Chester Johnson, Lawrence Reeves,
Sargent Jones, Nelson Gatch,
August Martin, Harward Gatch,
Jack Lee, Oscar Gatch,
Charlie Harris, Clifford Schmidt,
Carrie Reeder, Freddie Silverstein,
George Hilly, Roy Silverstein,
Harry Grant, Tom Lindsey,
Henry Ryan, Eddie Hilly,
Grover Harrbe.

The Venus Dancing and Musical Society gave a dance on Saturday evening at Bode's Hall, on Twentieth and Bissel streets.

A dancing party will be given by the King Hence Club at Pickwick Hall, No. 302 North Jefferson avenue, on Friday evening. The committee in charge is the chairmen of the floor, Messrs. J. Hoey, Will E. Lapsley, Martin J. Welsh and Frank A. Gannon.

MUSICALES.

The Mozart Club of the South Academy, No. 2437 South Jefferson avenue, gave a musicale in its hall on Thursday afternoon in honor of its president, Miss [illegible]. Miss [illegible] of the literary committee read a paper on [illegible] and a [illegible] was rendered by the club. After the musical a supper was served.

A musical will be given at the Church Auxiliary Parlors, Compton avenue, on Tuesday, February 20, by Mr. Charles Ernst, assisted by Mr. James L. Dodd, who will sing for the Mozart members. No tickets will be issued, but a collection will be taken for the benefit of Cook Avenue Presbyterian church. The programme includes the following: Trio, Mr. Ernst, Mr. Dodd and Professor A. Hinrichs; [illegible] Mr. James L. Dodd; [illegible] Mr. Ernst; "Flight of Clover," Bronsell; duet, Mr. Dodd and Mr. Ernst; "Dipsey Cadenza," Lecocq; [illegible] Mr. James L. Dodd; [illegible] Mr. Ernst; "Ich Liebe Dich," Grieg; "Ich Hatte Einen Cameraden," Mr. Dodd; "Ich Ein Musikant bin," Ernst; "Cantilene," Pfl; [illegible] Mr. Ernst; "Cavatina," Raff; [illegible] Mr. Dodd.

The Afternoon Informal gave its sixth dance of the season at the West End Hall on Wednesday evening. Those present were:

Misses—
Anna Griffith, [illegible]
[illegible] Hoeffmann, Bessie Hornstein.
Roberta Rieks, George Spencer.
Blanche Trimble, Sigmund Veit.
Grace Meade, Wagner.
Minnie Smith, Minnie Frazier.
Blanche Smith, Eva Bagnell.
Bertha Black, Will Sevenich.
Ella Swartz, Sunbeck.
Ella McNeil, Minnie Greely.
M. Y. Trenholm, Leah Fry.
Katherine Zeisler, Belle Stradtke.
Messrs—
Meeker, Cassidy.
Delonlaint, Veit.
Boehner, Williams.
Gatlin, Weis.
Quinley, Gottlieb.
Bartlett, Harris.
Collins, Rogers of Texas.
Jay Wann, Schlueter.
Hale, Norton.
Robinette, Brush.
Hirsch, Lemke.
Chard, Lamkin.
Bailey, Wilson.
Bilsby, Weber.
Sutherland, Miller.
Berg, Chittenden.
Shoemaker, Herrick.
Fletcher, Jordan.
Keene, Frick.
Burns.
Doerr.

Miss Johanna Kuehl of 2901 South Jefferson avenue gave a musical on Thursday afternoon to a few friends. Miss Hildan Lang assisted. Among those present were:

Misses—
Ida Herder, Elsie Lang.
Clara Hunker, Hildah Levy.
Marie Schmiedeskamp, Ella Kolb.
Zeline Schroeder, Clara Schmidt.
Ed. Schlueter, Irma Dietz.
Minnie Frech.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Taylor of No. 1135 Lafayette avenue gave a music and literary entertainment, followed by a dance, at their residence, Tuesday evening. Those invited were entertained by the programme were: Misses Edna Dodlin, Irene Taylor and Angela Flaherty and Messrs. John Doerrs and George Grasseyes. Among those present were: Messrs. and Mrs. George Putney, Henry C. Taylor, George Taylor and Mrs. Anne Putney.

Misses—
Tessa Jackson, Lulu Peterson,
Mary Putney, Blythe Irene Taylor,
Mary Wann, Angela Flaherty,
Lettie Dodlin.
Messrs—
Evan Doerrs, John Doerrs,
George Grasseyes, Henry Wurzburger.

EUCHRES.

Mrs. A. P. Stocker gave a euchre party on Tuesday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. W. V. Hill, of Warsaw, Ill., on her return from Hot Springs, Ark. The first prize was won by Mrs. R. Allen, second by Mrs. W. V. Hill and the consolation prize was awarded to Miss C. Rudolph. A luncheon was served after the game.

Miss Anita Hedge of the North Side gave a euchre party Saturday evening to a number of her people. The prizes were awarded at its table to Misses Cora Osterwich and Dorothy Strauchmann, and Messrs. Will Roesler and Arthur Schultz. Consolation prizes were won by Miss Adele Knocke and Mr. Arthur Heideman. A repast was served in the dining hall. The table was decorated with carnations and festoons of smilax. Each guest received as a souvenir an American Beauty rose. A dance followed the supper. Among those present were:

Misses—
Adele Knocke, Lizzette Heere,
Katherine Keeling, Cora Osterwich,
Dorothy Strauchmann, Emma Schroeder,
Bessie Knocke, Annie Emig,
Leonora Knocke, Lulu Armstrong.
Messrs—
A. Heideman, R. Wolfknehler,
W. Loesler, G. Hotle,
A. Schroeder, A. Richter,
A. Schultz, C. Osterwich.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Learn of No. 2838A Allen avenue entertained a party of friends at euchre on Wednesday evening. Light refreshments were served after the awarding of prizes, which were won by Mrs. H. M. Shockey, Mrs. E. E. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gould, in the order named. Mr. Spencer was awarded the booby prize. Those present were:

Messrs and Mesdames—
H. M. Shockey, L. E. Beamer,
W. C. Gould, E. E. Spencer,
Charles McDeverty, M. Eckert,
S. H. Cornman, Rousch.

Miss Clara E. Vogelsang entertained her euchre club Friday afternoon and gave a luncheon in honor of Miss Berde Rock, who is also a member and who is to be married next Wednesday. The decorations were in pink and green. The cakes were in heart shapes, and the fees in the form of Cupids with bows and arrows. Among those present were:

Misses—
Berde Rock, Leone Rosenbaum,
Gale Rock, Emma Schroeckh,
Lulu Stoffregen, Estelle Crone,
Lizzie Kegels, Henrietta Link,
Rose Kegels, Anna Meyer.

Fine Diamonds—Mermod & Jaccard's.

Miss Jessie Wainwright of No. 1806 Lafayette avenue entertained a number of her friends with euchre on Wednesday evening. The prizes were won by Misses Lily Moore and Lulu Fritschler, Messrs. Fred Link and Emil Bickle. After the game supper was served. Dancing and music finished the evening. Among those present were:

Misses—
Pearl Hoff, Katherine Bond.
Lulu Fritschler, Grace Bruce.
Lily Moore, Lily Frazier.
Cecelia Naughton, Laura Henson.
Marie Everest, Birdie Little.
Clara Moore, Minnie Frazier.
Messrs—
Ed Bond, E. Andersen,
W. Hoff, G. Kapp,
F. Link, C. Farrowell,
E. Bickle, J. Colman,
W. Norman, J. Kohler,
H. Brandenberg, E. Fricker.
W. Bartley.

French, Sixth and Washington avenue, will tailor your rainy-day skirts to order for $500.

Miss Mollie Hendricks of Missouri avenue entertained the Marguerite Euchre Club on Wednesday. The rooms were decorated with carnations and ferns, and each guest received a bouquet of the flowers. The prizes were a cut-glass punch bowl, which was won by Miss Albertine Obert; a silver bread tray, won by Miss Louise Wagner, and a fan, won by Miss Tillie Foerstel. The club will next meet at the home of Miss Anna Otto. Among those present were:

Misses—
Stella Schmid, Louise Wagner,
Minnie Hendricks, Hattie Schmid,
Annie Otto, Albertine Obert,
Tillie Schmid, Millie Hendricks.
Tillie Foerstel.

The Misses Birdie and Martha Detzel gave a euchre party at their home Wednesday evening. Cards were played until 11 o'clock, when prizes were awarded to Mrs. C. Frelwald, Misses F. Eichelmann and H. Rheinlander, Messrs. Edward Kasebing, Richard Kessel and Karl Thome.

Miss Elizabeth Carroll gave a violet whist party on Wednesday evening at her home. The lights were shaded with violet and smilax. Ices were served in molds of valentine favors. The indexed first prize was won by Miss Louise Vendler; the second by Miss Anna Vaughn, the gentlemen's first prize by Mr. Lee Lonsdale, and second by Mr. W. Carr. Among the guests were:

Misses—
Nellie Vaughn, Katherine Meersman,
Hellen Carr, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lonsdale.
Louise Vendler,
Anna Vaughn,
Messrs—
C. Vendler, H. Schuelte,
J. T. Anderson, T. Lewis.
C. Moore, M. Moffet.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cox of No. 2223 Hickory street were surprised with a euchre party last Saturday evening. Among those present were:

Misses and Mesdames—
M. Burns, Jesse Lish,
Fred Bergmann, H. W. Meyer.
Rudy Fischer, John J. Meyer.
William Fischer, Theodore F. Vollmer.
Misses—
Adele Meyer, Gertie Starkey.
Katie Schaefer, Annie Brinker.
Messieurs—
John Hunicke, Charles H. King.
Arthur Batz.

Miss Lulu Cochran of the South Side entertained a few friends with a progressive euchre Tuesday evening. The prizes were won by Misses Leotia McKee and June Beaumont, and Messrs. John W. Barron and James Lake. Among those present were: Misses Mary Amend, Martha Conrad and Virginia Lewis; Messrs. Frank Fay and Edwin McKee.

Miss Bertha Bendg of No. 3129 Eads avenue gave a euchre party Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Juliette Nemeyer of Mount Olive, Ill. The first prize was won by Miss Bertha Gruensfelder and the second by Miss Josephine Godron. The first gentleman's prize was won by Mr. Frank Biemann, the second by Mr. L. Gruensfelder. A luncheon was served at the conclusion of the game, and there was dancing. Among those present were:

Misses—
Emma Temme, Maud Hess.
Hazel Bayer, Clara Temme.
Josephine Godron, Katie Heager.
Ida Gruensfelder, Martha Heager.
Bertha Gruensfelder.
Mesdames—
A. Bayer, H. Meyer.
Messieurs—
Ed Bewik, William Lang.
Fred Godron, H. Monssen.
L. Gruensfelder, Charles Biemann.
Oscar Toerper, Gus Bayer.
Thomas Johns, H. H. Meyer.
William Scandilg.

A euchre party was given by Mrs. Charles L. Aufuchon on Thursday afternoon at her home, No. 3225 Cook avenue. The tally cards were unique, each having attached, by a bow of ribbon, a tiny silver elephant—the talisman of luck—which the ladies afterwards wore as souvenirs. The prizes were won by Mmes. Kaltenbach, Evans, Hazenstab and Rosshard. Mrs. F. Finney "walked off" with the consolation. Those present were:

Mesdames—
D. Evans, J. Hurch,
L. Hesse, L. Gausman.
C. Rosshard, J. Stoll.
F. Finney, A. Yore.
M. Berman, G. Hazenstab.
A. Lonestros, A. Lange.
F. Messmer, R. Bartley.
G. Wittman, H. Smith.
C. Powell, G. Mesbler.
M. Chickey, R. McDonald.
H. Mackeen, F. Vollmer.
F. Fisher, J. Kershawn.
J. Kallenbach, F. Oehsner.
W. Aufuchon, A. Hanstein.
Misses—
Tilley Hampe, Alma Ochsner.

Mrs. S. R. Johnson of No. 1811 Ohio avenue entertained the Jolly Trolley Euchre Club Friday. The prizes were awarded to Miss F. Blan, Mrs. S. R. Johnson, Mrs. J. J. Meyer, Jr., and Mrs.