SOCIETY

Wedding Anniversaries a Feature of This Week---St. Louisans at Hot Springs---Informal Entertainments---Personal Mention.

Congratulations to the pleasant persons whose wedding anniversaries occur between April 15 and 21, are in order this week.

Mr. Elon Richards and Mrs. Richards (Miss Pete Clower), married April 15, 1886.

Mr. W. Scott Banks and Mrs. Banks (Miss Zoe Parlbank), married April 5, 1890.

Mr. Robert Lee McCulloch, formerly Miss and Mrs. McCulloch (Miss Lenore Miles), married April 18, 1898.

Mr. Alfred Helmed and Mrs. Helmed (Miss Daisy Brookbridge), married April 20, 1897.

Mr. Warren Parker McClure and Mrs. McElroy (Miss Stella Brown), married April 20, 1899.

Mr. Stanley Matthews Hanvey, Cincinnati, O., and Mrs. Hanvey (Miss Christine Tolfrey), married April 20, 1898.

Doctor Jere Lawrence Crook, Jackson, Tenn., and Mrs. Crook (Miss Jennie Jane Jones), married April 21, 1898.

Mr. Charles Mulliken and Mrs. Mulliken (Miss Sallie O'Fallon), married April 21, 1899.

ST. LOUISANS AT HOT SPRINGS.

Special Correspondence of The Sunday Republic.

Hot Springs, Ark., April 13.—Frequenters of the hotels will hold sway at the leading hotels as the chief amusement of the guests. Card parties at these hotels are made especially interesting as a result of the tournament now in progress. Prizes are offered for several balls at morning, afternoon and evening, and a number of evening receptions and musicals are on the tapis for the programme. In the evenings at the principal hotels those who do not care especially for participating in the competitive games in the card rooms. These events continue usually until late in the evening, the Arlington orchestra remaining on duty at Albaugh's.

The cool weather of the last few days has interfered with outdoor sports. Golf, driving and horseback riding have been discontinued to a great extent in consequence.

There are still more St. Louisans here now than from any other one city from the metropolis on the Mississippi. Among those at the Arlington are Mr. W. H. Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. Kessler, C. H. Tate, C. G. Sano, E. C. Walz, George McCammon, J. W. Bray, and Miss Hoke.

D. T. Hardee of Kansas City, Mo., is a guest at the Eastman.

S. M. Wyne of Paxton, Ill., is a late arrival at the Eastman.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Word of Little Rock are prominent in the social life of the Eastman this week.

Among this week's arrivals from St. Louis at the Park Hotel are Henry Ault, W. B. Weber, R. H. Forman, S. N. King, A. E. Salmony, O. Warner, M. B. Millenberger, William E. Moore, Jr.

John Schwartzhammer of Belleville, Ill., is a guest at the Park. John Stephens of Kansas City is at the Park.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson, Jefferson City, Mo., are guests at the Park.

S. Van Devander of Marion, Ind., who has recently been contracted with the United States mail service of Porto Rico, is at the Great Northern. Doctor William O'Hare of Kansas City is at the Great Northern.

W. C. Smith, A. J. Bingham, J. C. McDowell and Family, S. Lee, C. A. Thompson, G. H. Moore and T. J. Hart are St. Louisans at the Great Northern Hotel.

Among the prominent St. Louis arrivals this week at the Arlington are F. Wilkins, Fred Ebert, J. R. Gibson, George F. Barbour, L. Mandell, John S. Davis, E. Rayburn, S. W. Robinson, C. F. Munsa, M. Coinn, Jake Strauss, A. Hellen, Oliver Park, Mrs. G. Rosenberg, Miss Blanche Rosenberg, L. M. Bennett, K. W. Kennett, Alex. F. W. Smith, George O. Bendman, Charles G. Warner, Mrs. S. L. Highlemann, H. E. Kleiser, Thomas K. Irwin and H. J. Sappard.

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WEDDINGS.

George R. Spear of St. Louis was married last Wednesday to Miss Mary G. Cluff, daughter of W. H. Cluff of Ottawa, Canada, at the bride's home. On account of a recent death in the bride's family, the wedding was very quiet.

Miss Lucile Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Louis Hill of Keytesville, Mo., will be married on June 12 to Chauncey Smith Keigh of Kansas City. Both Miss Hill and her fiancé are well known in St. Louis.

Doctor Leverett H. Crupp of Bloomington, Ill., and Miss Blanche Hutchinson, formerly of Baltimore, Md., were very quietly married last Wednesday night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Smith Linthicum of No. 1967 Delmar boulevard. After the wedding the couple left the city for a trip to Northern and Eastern cities.

The marriage of Mr. William Gumpertz to Miss Rosie Schnell will take place on Wednesday evening. Only immediate friends of the families will be in attendance. After the wedding supper the young couple will leave for an extended tour through Europe. They will be absent until July 6, when they will be home to their friends.

Miss Josephine Setzer's marriage to Mr. William A. Tenderly of Milwaukee, Wis., will be one of the June weddings.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Block of No. 701 Westminster place announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Josephine, to Mr. Adolph Singer. On account of the illness of Mr. Block they will not receive. The wedding will take place very soon.

Miss Elizabeth L. P. Breckenridge and Walter Roy Marion Field, Lieutenant United States Navy, will be married on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Breckenridge home, No. 656 Westminster place. Miss Breckenridge is the youngest daughter of the late Judge Samuel T. Breckenridge. She is also a niece of Mrs. George Castleman and of Mrs. Belle Castleman Carroll.

The marriage of Miss Mary Susan Glasgow and William Walter Bowling of Ballinger, Tex., to take place on Easter Monday at 6 o'clock at Christ Church Cathedral, Bishop Tuttle and Dean Davis officiating the service. A small reception for the relatives, bridal party and a few friends is to follow at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Frank O'Fallon, No. 406 Westminster place.

The bridal party have not been much entertained owing to two important events, the fact that last week was Holy Week and also that Mr. Bowling was unable to reach St. Louis until Friday night. On Saturday, however, they made up for lost time. A luncheon to Miss Glasgow and her bridesmaids was given at 1 o'clock by Miss Carrie Carson, who is a bridesmaid. The guests included besides the bride, Miss Marjory Ware, Miss Frances Hoit, Miss Barbara Cousland and Miss Damon of New York. The bridegroom and men of the bridal party lunched at the University Club as guests of Edward Glasgow. Later in the afternoon a coaching party was made up, with Charles Pope O'Fallon as host, and all drove to the Country Club. Saturday evening Mrs. Frank O'Fallon dined the bridal party at her home, and a rehearsal of the wedding followed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Woolf have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mabel, to William Gottlieb.

The Wedding Invitations and Reception Cards are important features of the wedding. They must be strictly correct as to forms of wording, also in shape and tint, and the material and engraving must be of the very best. They will be correct in every detail if ordered from Mermod & Jaccard's society stationers, Broadway and Locust.

CARD PARTIES.

Mrs. A. J. Stansbury of No. 1711 Warnall place entertained the Economical Euchre Club on Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Abba Alt entertained a number of her friends to a euchre party last Tuesday afternoon. Prizes were won by Miss Dora Miller, Miss Rose Davidson, Miss Cornelia Miller and Miss Bertha Kempf. Among those present were:

Irma Gottfried,	Dilliah Levy,
Cora Schmidt,	Tillie Bieser,
Gardella Miller,	Dora Miller,
Katie Schmidt,	Ella Stipp,
Cornelia Miller,	Alma Miller,
Rose Davidson,	Clara Schmidt,
Bertha Kempf,	Katherine Alt,
Katieryn Kimmel,	Josephine Alt,
Emma Alt.	

Anchor Hall on April 26 will be the "social tabernacle" of the members and friends of the Tilotte Football Club, who will engage in a prize euchre and dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Meyer of No. 2210 Rutger street were the recipients of a euchre surprise party last Saturday evening. The prizes were awarded to Mrs. R. Fischer, Miss Lillie Guth, Mrs. A. Brinker, Mrs. P. Loeb, Miss Gertie Starkey, Ernest Konze, R. Fischer, H. W. Meyer, J. Humeke, J. J. Meyer, Jr. The following were present:

Messdames and Mesdames—	
Fred Bergmann,	Wm. Fischer,
Frank Cox,	R. Fischer,
Ernest Konze,	J. J. Meyer, Jr.,
P. Loeb,	Theo. Vollmer,
Mesdames—	
E. G. Moreland,	A. Brinker,
Misses—	
Lillie Guth,	Emma O'Hare,
Lena Hellmuth,	Gertie Starkey,
Adele Meyer,	
Messrs—	
J. Anderson,	John Humeke,
Burns.	

The Marguerite Euchre Club was entertained last Wednesday by Miss Louise Wagner at her home in Potomac street. The first prize, a silver bonbon dish, was awarded to Miss Tillie Schwabl; the second, a bat pin, to Miss Anna Otto, and the consolation, a box of stationery, to Miss Ella Reinhardt. The club will next meet at the home of Miss Emma Hanscribbl. Among those present were:

Misses—	
Tillie Schwabl,	Tillie Foersted,
Nellie Hendricks,	Anna Otto,
Sophie Hoerr,	Ella Reinhardt,
Hannah Wagner.	

The Economical Euchre Club will hold a charity euchre at Sauer's Hall, Cabanne and Easton avenue, Easter Monday, April 16, at 2 o'clock.

The World's Fair Euchre Club was entertained by Miss A. Knobelock at her home, No. 3241 Brantner place, last Monday. Prizes were awarded to Miss Alice Planes, Miss Clara Pickett, Miss Nellie Knobelock, C. Meyer, A. L. Betz, A. Kinder. The members present were:

Misses—	
Clara Pickett,	A. Planes,
A. Knobelock,	M. Schubert,
Nellie Knobelock,	J. Knobelock.
Mesdames—	
C. W. Laurell,	C. Moorehouse.
Messieurs—	
R. A. Laurell,	J. G. Knobelock,
A. L. Betz,	A. E. Doerner,
F. Meyer,	C. Moorehouse,
F. Schaneck,	W. Kinder.

The next euchre will meet at Mrs. C. Moorehouse's home, No. 4162 Page avenue, Monday, April 16.

Mrs. Cornelia Hied will give a euchre Tuesday afternoon, for the benefit of the Sacred Heart Church, at Northwestern Hall, St. Louis and Elliot avenues.

The Misses Quinn of Pine street entertained their euchre club Monday night. Among those present were:

Misses—	
Daisy Deltering,	May Murray,
Emma Breidenbach,	Birdie Schafer,
Elizabeth Gill,	Saddie Jarrett,
Florence Carroll,	Jennie Reilly,
Tilly Cramer,	Ella Clark,
Louisa McVey,	Gertie Lorie,
Mamie Hartman.	
Messieurs—	
Richard Gill,	Frank Harris,
Charles Deltering,	Donavan,
Will Murray,	Adams,
Gus Bischoff,	Quinn,
Captain Kelly,	Harry Hall,
Thomas Reilly,	Don Kuechler,
Doctor Nelson,	Arthur Marquart.

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CLUBS.

The meeting of the Educational Section of the Wednesday Club was held April 4 in the club parlors, Mrs. George H. Shields giving a paper upon "The Socrates of the Apology and the Phaedo." This paper consisted of an illustration through a dialogue between the various members of the household.

The Current Topics Section held its monthly meeting at the clubrooms on Thursday morning at 10:30.

After an introductory speech by the chairman, Mrs. William A. Scudder, an address on theosophy was given by Mrs. Florence W. Richardson.

The lecture consisted mainly of excerpts from theosophical writings. The opening statement that theosophy is science, philosophy and religion, was followed by the assertion that the idea of masters and adepts is by no means foreign to the scientific imagination. A quotation from Huxley fully supported this claim.

The reader claimed that the relation of theosophy and Christianity is that of parent to child. In closing, she said that the object of evolution, on the scale used by theosophy, is the development of man's consciousness upon all the universal planes—the expansion of his consciousness to the God or logos consciousness. These points were made intelligible by the use of geometrical figures. The reader pointed out that the popular idea of theosophy had associated with it a sensationalism which by no means belongs to it. While an appreciation and understanding of the psychic part of man's organism is included in the philosophy, psychic development is discouraged except as it may be incidental to genuine spiritual growth, when purity and unselfishness of motive is assured.

The inclusive nature of theosophy was emphasized as being the foundation and essence of all the main religious systems of the world.

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"The Domination of Theron Ware" was taken up by the Novel Club at its last meeting. The discussion was opened by bringing out the fact that a soul could be starved for want of beauty and intellectual improvement in the idea as well as the body could be starved for want of food. Also that it is possible for a soul to be brought unconsciously in contact with the broader and more beautiful outlook of those who move habitually in an atmosphere of art and freedom of thought, it will naturally lose its narrowness when the art and freedom are somewhat spurious.

The force of this reflection rather than the character drawing, was intended to be the main subject of discussion. An immediate necessity also, however, has arisen, that though Theron may be weak, vacillating and lax andiferous, he was not naturally vicious. This limited somewhat the discussion, which the president had hoped to connect with America's natural reaction from Parnassian, which is going on with too little supervision.

No papers were presented. The chairman and followers were discussed direct from the book, through extracts, instead of opinions about them. Theron received the most attention, but with too little consideration of the causes which could create such a character.

The wife's character was discussed only as it bore upon the development of Theron. The president stated that Alice was not to blame for any defects, except where she failed in her duty as a minister's wife as everybody knew what the duty was conceived to be. Extracts were read to demonstrate that the author intended to make Alice a direct contrast to Celia in order to bring out the effect of this contrast upon Theron.

There was a general disposition to condemn her faults, however, even the continued "coldness" over the powerless lemon that kept her away from her husband's bed.

Extracts were read to reveal the opinion as to whether Frederick meant to treat religion contemptuously, or only to hold up to contempt certain religionists who were degrading religion by their actions. The president asked if religion would not gain by the criticising of such men as Winch and Carter.

Mrs. Thorne thought the author had no good motive in any sense he could be credited for Celia. Mr. Brady sketched the praises of certain post phases of Methodism very sarcastically written for effect. Mr. Fox said he had tried to look at this from the church member's point of view and agreed that the author was not interested in dignifying religion.

In speaking of Theron Mr. Brady suggested that the author might have used himself as the model. He was also weak in contact with culture rather late in life.

Theron's weakness was generally accepted. Mr. Lehens thought he was generally uninteresting even when Corrinne insulted him. Mrs. Saunders thought we should take into consideration the fact that as a minister he believed it his duty to endure, to "turn the other cheek."

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Victor L. Steelin has returned from an extended visit to Carlyle, Ill. During his stay at Carlyle he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Shoupe.

Mrs. H. E. Kimball, who, with her two children, spent the winter at Hot Springs, Ark., has returned and reopened her home at No. 2007 Kensington avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Kincaid, who have spent a few days visiting their aunt, Mrs. A. E. Ruggles of 3111 Labadie avenue, returned home last evening. They came to witness the graduation exercises of the Barnes Medical College, Doctor George E. Kincaid, one of the graduates, is a brother of Mr. Frank Kincaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Knapp have given up their house at No. 1867 Lindell boulevard, and are established at the Westmoreland Hotel.

Mrs. H. Hanesworth of Fayetteville, Ark., is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. E. Staats of Gamble place.

Miss Della Price, Miss Maud Harrison and Charles E. Williams formed a party that heard Ada Rehan on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Van Studdiford have returned home to Hotel Beers after spending a fortnight in Cleveland, O., with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bettis of Paragould, Ark., are stopping at Hotel Beers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Elliott, who have been spending a few weeks at Eureka Springs, have returned to the city and will occupy apartments at Hotel Beers for an indefinite time.

Mr. S. J. Fisher left last night for Eureka Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Fred H. Swift of Vandeventer and West Olive street has recovered from an attack of la grippe and is able to be out.

James B. Gantt, Chief Justice of the Missouri Supreme Court, arrived in the city yesterday to attend the alumni banquet of the University of Virginia. He was entertained Saturday and Easter by Judge and Mrs. Shepard Barclay, at their home in Delmar boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Logan of Montreal, Canada, are bringing their son, daughter to spend her first Easter with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooker. They will probably remain for a fortnight.

Mrs. Frank Howard and daughter, Miss Helen Howard, of Atchison, Kas., are guests of Mrs. W. R. Peabody of Vernon avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schlueter and granddaughter, Miss Laura Seitz, leave this week for West Baden, Ind., to spend several weeks.

Mr. R. M. Peabody, who is attending the Hopkinson School in Boston this week, is spending the Easter holidays at his home in Cabanne.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hixon and their two sons, George and Leo, will leave for the Paris Exposition the middle of May, and will also tour Southern Europe, returning the middle of October.

Mr. W. C. Perry of Boston is spending a few days in the city.

Mrs. S. T. Douglass of No. 2858 Westminster place, mother of Mrs. John Dwight Filley, Miss May Douglass and Archibald Gray Douglass, received congratulations on her seventieth birthday yesterday, and was pleasantly and fittingly remembered by scores of friends. Mrs. Douglass has just returned from Florida, where she spent three months.

Miss Janet Bruce has returned home, after a six months' visit in Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Robertson of Monterey, Mexico, returned with her and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bruce.

The Misses Lulman have gone to Sedalia, Mo., to attend the wedding of a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dwight Filley have returned from Ormond, Fla., where they spent a part of the winter.

Mrs. George Castleman and Miss Margot Postlewaite have returned from their Southern visit.

Mr. Sigmund Baer and family will sail for Europe on the Fuerst Bismark, May 5, to remain about four months. They will visit Germany, Switzerland and the Paris Exposition before returning.

Mr. Jacob Mahler has sent out invitations for his closing party of the season for his pupils, on Friday afternoon, April 20, from 4 to 6 o'clock.

INFORMAL ENTERTAINMENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Givens entertained a number of friends Thursday evening at their home in Cabanne, in honor of Mrs. E. H. Swinney of Kansas City, who is Mrs. Givens's guest. Progressive euchre was indulged in. Some of the guests were:

Messieurs and Mesdames—	
Sim Price,	R. E. Duld,
John Carroll,	Joe Goodfellow,
F. E. Marshall,	Mr. Fred Bromaugh,
Warren Bailey,	Miss Daisy Larimore,
J. W. Fristoe,	Mr. X. P. Willey,
J. D. Wallace,	Mrs. Hovey of Kansas City,
Lewis Armstrong,	
Lyne Metcalf,	Mrs. Moore of San Antonio, Tex.
Tom Crews,	
Judge Henderson,	

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bochmer of Caroline street gave a birthday party last Sunday in honor of their daughter, Mamie, and the guests were entertained with games, music and dancing. Those present included:

Misses—	
Jennie Egen,	Agnes Quartman,
Ada Flynn,	Clara Acton,
Pearl Kelleher,	Florence Thierry,
Julia Boehmer,	Lillie Feldtman,
Lou Schlueter,	Katherine O'Brien,
Gretta Lawson,	Clara Quartman.
Maude Steffen,	
Masters—	
Joe Kelleher,	Eugene Acton,
Edgar Acton,	Ben Farrell.
Maurice Boehmer.	

Mrs. B. Meyer entertained a few friends at a French euchre on Wednesday. Among those present were:

Misses—	
Amy Zott,	Olga Endres,
Nellie Hoffmann,	
Mesdames—	
Will Blanke,	Ed Schnell.
John Linden.	

Fine Diamonds—Mermod & Jaccard's.

DANCES.

The last regular dance of the Sinclaire Informal will be given at West End Hall next Wednesday evening.

The Iroquois Club will give its annual ball at Liederkranz Hall, Thirteenth street and Choteau avenue, next Wednesday night. The officers of the club are: Charles P. Meier, Jr., president; James J. O'Brien, vice president; R. Frank Wiesloch, secretary; A. William Klobasa, treasurer; Arnold Rolfing, sergeant-at-arms; Julius C. Stevenson, musical director. Executive Committee: James J. O'Brien, chairman; William Klenk, Jr.; George H. Horstman, Julius C. Stevenson, Gilbert M. Chapman, Fred Kolb. Reception Committee: Charles P. Meier, Jr.; William Klenk, Jr.; A. William Klobasa, Fred Kolb, Gilbert M. Chapman, Charles DeWerthern. Floor Committee: James Arnott, William Stephan, C. Julius, R. Frank Wiesloch, F. Bodine.

The South Side Informal Club has postponed its last dance from the 27th to 29th of April.

Leo Landau, Ed Davidson, Lou Brunswick and Walter Seaman gave a dance at Mme. Lisle's on Thursday, April 12. Among the guests were:

Misses—	
Landau,	Messing,
Freund,	Grieb,
Dryer,	Lippoth,
Sternberg,	Lepps,
Frauer,	Mayer,
Pufeles,	Brunswick
Messieurs—	
Leo Landauer,	Steyermark,
Brunswick,	Freund,
Seaman,	Kaiter,
Davidson,	Fund,
Loewenstein,	Messing,
Trepp,	Mayer.

Arbor Day was observed at the Convent of the Visitation in Cabanne by appropriate exercises and the planting of trees by each class of the school. The graduates planted a linden with their class motto, "Noblesse oblige." The first senior class planted a weeping willow, with their class sentiment, "We plant our skies, but not our affections."

A Japanese walnut tree was planted by the second seniors, with the motto, "Fortune Conde." The third seniors intended a silver maple in the soil, and with it the motto, "Though silent, they cry out." The remaining classes, their trees and mottoes follow:

First intermediate, weeping birch tree, the motto, "Whatever art thou here?"

Second intermediate, weeping birch tree, motto, "What does he plant who plants a tree?"

Third intermediate, weeping elm tree, "Dear little tree that we plant today, I wonder what you'll be when you are old and gray."

Ladies, do you know that you can have your old hats of any kind made into a style and colors, like new, at Union Straw Works, No. 617 Locust avenue?

DINNERS.

Mrs. E. Hackmeyer of Mitchell avenue, Benton, gave an informal dinner last week in a few friends in honor of Miss Amy Loeffler of North St. Louis, who is soon to take her departure for Europe. The guests were: Miss Amy Loeffler, Miss Clara Stockman, Mr. and Mrs. George Hammer, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Moss and Mr. Emil Hackmeyer.

Alfred G. Robyn gave a dinner to George Hamlin on Friday evening at the St. Louis Club. The table was decorated with violets. Covers were laid for six, and the guests included Mr. Hamlin, Lester Crawford, Joseph Buse, Henry Blossom and Charles Wiggins.

LUNCHEONS.

Mrs. George Hammer of No. 6?9 Mitchell avenue, Benton, gave an elegant luncheon in honor of Miss Amy Loeffler of North St. Louis, who is soon to depart for Europe to reside permanently in Germany. Palms and Easter lilies decorated the dining-rooms and parlors, and musical and vocal entertainment added to the enjoyment of the guests. Among those present were: Mrs. E. Hackmeyer, Mrs. Frederick, Mrs. G. M. Moss, Miss Clara Stockman.

For home decorations the Russian Hammered Brass Candlesticks, Lamps and Jardinieres are most striking and rich looking. Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, are exhibiting some beautiful specimens of this new decorative ware.

MUSICAL.

Mrs. Soder-Hueck gave a musical at her home to a large crowd of invited guests. Among those who participated were: Misses Ella Kolb, Julia Becker, Francis Tiemann, Winifred, Hilda Levy, Mrs. Charles L. Meyer, Messrs. H. Denckhoff, Fred Kolb and Charles Adams.

The cast for the "Doctor of Alcantara," to be given at Heuseman Hall on Friday evening, April 20, is as follows:

Doctor Pancracio ..... Doctor Malcolm Robertson
Donna Lucrezia (wife of doctor) .....
..... Mrs. Theresa W. Smith
Isabella (their daughter) ..... Miss Ethel Wood
Don Fernando (Count de Isabella) ..... Miss Belle R. Youngblood
Senor Balthazar ..... Mr. Carl Wayne Gerber
Carlos (his son) ..... Mr. Sterling P. Jones
Don Pedro (Alguazil) ..... Mr. L. R. Howell
Fabio (valet) ..... Mr. John H. Vogel
Pedro Gonzalez ..... Mr. P. W. Gerber
Scene—Alcantara in house of Doctor Pancracio.

Stage manager, Miss Theresa Smith. Musical director, Mrs. R. R. Smith. Accompanist, Miss Josephine Vogel.

Mrs. Henry L. Gielow of Alabama will appear on Saturday evening next at the Odeon in her plantation songs and negro dialogues, and will be assisted by Miss Kinkel, Miss MacClanahan, Mr. Robyn and Mr. Belmont.

Mrs. Gielow is known in New York, Washington and London, where she has appeared in fashionable drawing-rooms.

In her rendition of the old Southern negro songs and impersonations Mrs. Gielow calls rivals Hopkinson Smith and Nelson Page.

The entertainment of Saturday evening is given under the patronage of the Associate Board of Trinity College, Washington, D. C., to complete the scholarship fund for the women of St. Louis.

The patronesses are:

Mesdames—	
D. R. Francis,	J. O'F. Delany,
Charles Bates,	J. L. Roland,
Joseph Hayes,	J. P. Bryson,
Daniel Catlin,	J. L. H. Morrison,
Henry S. Potter,	D. D. Walker,
George Niedringhaus,	J. K. Cummings,
John D. Davis,	Ashley D. Scott,
Theophile Papin,	W. H. Lee,
H. I. Lionberger,	George Dean,
Armand Peugnet,	Huntington Smith,
D. D. Johnson,	Charles Cabanne,
Lindsay,	Walthew,
Edward Walsh,	Cobb,
Scanlan,	Mallinckrodt,
Howard Benoist,	Henry Turner,
Julius Walsh,	
Miss Mallett.	

Boxes will be occupied by:

Mesdames—	
Frances Drew,	Daniel Catlin,
Theophile Papin,	John D. Davis,
Edward Mallinckrodt,	George Paschall,
Phillip Scanlan,	Peter L. Foy,
Cecile Pallen,	John O'F. Delaney,
John O'Fallon,	J. L. D. Morrison,
Charles Clark,	Van Blarcom,
Seth Cobb,	Cummings,
Berthold,	George Niedringhaus,
Joseph Hayes,	D. D. Walker,
John Thomas,	Judge Boyle,
Walter Taylor,	Charles Cabanne,
Thomburg,	Charles McClure,
Lindsay,	Walter Gordon.
Miss Boyce.	

For the after Easter weddings, Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, are showing the most beautiful designs in sterling silverware ever seen here.

RECEPTIONS.

A reception was given Friday afternoon by Mrs. Alex. Zeese of No. 2811 South Eighteenth street, in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma Zeese, of Milwaukee, Wis. Mrs. Emma Zeese came to St. Louis for a week's stay and is the guest of her sister-in-law. She will return to Milwaukee on Monday next.

The following ladies were present: Mrs. Emma Zeese, Mrs. Percy Chapman, Mrs. Emma Lloyd, Miss Helen Vetter, Miss Millie Virsten, Mrs. E. M. Hoefel, Mrs. Lou Chapman, Miss Minnie Meyer, Miss Rose Meyer, Mrs. Petersen and Miss Ida Eckhardt.

Luncheon was served, followed by a merry donkey party.

BALLS.

The Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Woman's Exchange School has sent out invitations for a second reception and ball to be given today at Union Club. The Training School excursions and the dances of the Rainwater Rifles may be expected to attend this ball, a fact which ought to insure a good time for all who attend. Supper will be served at 11 o'clock by the managers of the Training School. The auxiliary each year undertakes to do certain things to help in the maintenance of the school, and the object of this time is to provide a number of scholarships for poor girls who desire to take a course in domestic science. The ball will be under the patronage of:

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Blanke, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. McCoskrie, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jester, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Stewart, Doctor and Mrs. A. C. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jones, Doctor and Mrs. L. T. Ricemeyer, Doctor and Mrs. Adolph L. Boyer, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pinnree, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Herndon, Captain and Mrs. E. A. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. John Watson.

The Floor Committee will be composed of men prominent in the Union and other clubs who will do much to insure efficiency of management in so large a function, viz:

Doctor A. L. Boyer,	James Carr,
Alfred Bennett,	Albert Holliday,
Doctor L. W. Bearsley,	Major A. A. Marquardt,
William P. Stewart,	M. J. Gilbert,
R. C. Miller,	Doctor L. T. Priesmeyer,
F. J. Berge,	
Harry Pendrock,	John Watson,
Edgar Rombaur,	Fred Wilmoth.

The leading members of the auxiliary are:

Misses—	
Gertrude Woehrmann,	Martha Waggoner,
Agnes Tausche,	Maud Sheppard,
Lena M. Robinson,	Ella Robinson,
Mildred Rhoer,	Mabel Rhoads,
Edna Reynolds,	Cora Pearce,
Florence Leslie,	Carrie Lowrey,
Marion Jester,	Edith Lyle,
Ann Boger,	Camena Jester,
Elizabeth Hickok,	Essie Hinchman,
Little Deeds,	Grace Herndon,
Alice Coleman,	Anne Calvin Carr,
Mildred Bell,	Lois Bridges,
	Grace Bell,

Wedding Silverware—Mermod & Jaccard's.

CHILDREN'S PARTIES.

A surprise party was tendered Master Harry Taylor of the South Side during the past week. Singing, dancing and games whiled away the evening. At 11 o'clock luncheon was served. Among the guests were:

Misses—	
W. Albers,	E. Wittmser,
S. Mueller,	L. Crowl,
C. Mueller,	Ja. O'Shea,
E. Cox,	N. Forbes,
M. Kunze,	L. Mantrupp
V. Sheibe,	L. Habanich
V. Lawler.	
Messieurs—	
H. Taylor,	A. Fox,
D. Mueller,	L. Davison,
E. Mueller,	F. Meiert,
J. Kline,	C. Hinds,
F. Kline,	G. Franklin,
H. Mack,	T. Hubert.

Mrs. T. A. Voorhees of No. 1228 Aubert avenue, gave a party Saturday afternoon, April 7, in honor of the thirteenth birthday of her oldest son, Tolmide Voorhees. Among the guests were:

Misses—	
Irene Schroeder,	Amy Cole,
Lonnie McCaughen,	Bessie Gillespie,
Elma Wellmann,	Jennie Gillespie,
Christine Gillan,	Gustie Fink.
Masters—	
Charlie January,	John Philly,
Paul Schroeder,	Eddie Philly,
Harry Schroeder,	Calvin McCaughen,
Carl Wildermann,	Walter Ramlose,
Alex Gillan,	Harry Ramlose,
Willie Humphrey,	Charlie Cole,
Harry Humphrey,	Claude Cole,
Arthur Kuehnemann,	Charlie Dolan.

The newest idea in Pulley-Belt Buckles is a detachable one, for which no sewing is required. They come in very beautiful patterns in fine silver plate, gray or gold finish, and are surprisingly low in price at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust, from 50c to $6.

AT JEFFERSON CITY.

Special Correspondence of The Sunday Republic.

Jefferson City, Mo., April 14.—Miss Caylonia Evans of St. Louis, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. N. Claggett, returned home to-day, accompanied by Miss Claggett.

Mrs. Harry Edwards and her children and grandmother, Mrs. H. Mathews, departed Thursday for St. Charles to visit relatives for a week.

Mrs. G. B. Macfarlane of Mexico, after a visit of two weeks with Mrs. E. T. Orear and other friends, returned home this morning.

Mrs. H. L. Watkins and daughter of Richmond, Va., arrived Tuesday to be the guests of Mrs. Watkins's sister, Mrs. W. C. Marshall.

Miss Hilda Nichy departed Monday morning for Kansas City to spend two weeks with relatives.

Miss Laura Edwards came up from St. Louis to spend the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Jennie Edwards.

A wedding in high life will take place on Tuesday at high noon, the Reverend J. H. Hendy officiating, when the eldest daughter of State Auditor and Mrs. J. M. Seibert, Mrs. Alpha Seibert Flemming and Mr. Daniel J. Habecock, a young business man of St. Louis, will be married. The wedding will be quiet, only the immediate relatives being present. They will depart on the afternoon train for their home in St. Louis.

The wedding of Miss Martha Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Speed Stephens of Boonville and niece of Governor and Mrs. D. R. Francis of this city, and Mr. Edward G. Rolwing, a young banker of Charleston, will take place Wednesday evening at half past 8 at the home of the bride. It will be followed by a large reception to which more than a thousand invitations have been issued. Among those who expect to attend the wedding are Governor and Mrs. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Hall B. Moore, Attorney-General and Mrs. E. C. Crow, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Orear, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sullivan, Miss Ethel Edwards and Mr. Charles L. Hawkins.

The entire faculty and pupils of Stephens College at Columbia will visit Jefferson City Monday, and in the evening the orchestra of that college will give a concert at Music Hall.

Mrs. E. W. Stephens of Columbia spent a few days in the city with her son, Mr. Hugh Stephens. She returned home Monday, accompanied by him.

Mrs. J. Silver who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Tredore, in Mexico, is here, the guest of her many friends. Her son, Mr. Edwin Silver of Kansas City, spent a few days with her early in the week.

Mrs. Wendell Straub and daughter, Mrs. O. H. Manchester, are in St. Louis visiting Mrs. Straub's daughter, Mrs. William Boetter.

Mrs. Harriott Stuart, who for the last two years has made her home in this city, will depart the 1st of May for her old home in Southern California.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Moore spent a few days last week in St. Louis. They departed to-day for Boonville.

Miss Lulu McGowan of Nevada was a guest of Mrs. R. E. Young for a few days last week.

Mrs. H. A. Gass returned last week from a short visit to her son, Mr. Roy, in Fort Smith, Ark.

Mrs. C. Czarlinski and young son went to St. Louis Wednesday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Charles F. Knaup and mother, Mrs. J. P. Face, arrived last week from St. Louis to remain some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dallmeyer of St. Louis, who were recently married, spent a few days with relatives in this city.

Miss Marion Cockrell of Washington City spent last Friday and Saturday with her aunt, Mrs. T. O. Towles.

Mmes. C. W. Thomas and John T. Clark are in Clinton visiting the family of their brother, Mr. Theodore Bolton.

Mrs. Fred Davis departed last week to visit relatives in Fulton, Mexico and Paris, Mo.

The ladies of the Tuesday or Shakespeare Club, which meets every Tuesday with Mrs. J. H. Cutten, completed their study of "As You Like It," and have taken up "Romeo and Juliet." The guest of honor at the last meeting was Mrs. G. B. Macfarlane of Mexico, the ex-president of the club.

Holy Week has been very generally observed. This week entertaining will be resumed. Mrs. Crafton will entertain the Informal Club on Saturday; the Wednesday Club will resume its meetings and the ladies of the Catholic Church will give another of their successful fairs, beginning Wednesday afternoon and continuing the remainder of the week.

Miss Mabelle Stone of St. Louis arrived Wednesday to visit Mrs. B. C. Crow and her other numerous friends.

Mr. Gustave Decker of St. Louis was the guest early in the week of his mother, Mrs. E. B. Decker, at the residence of his aunt, Mrs. C. E. Hess.

IN ST. LOUIS COUNTY.

Kirkwood will have its full share of May wedd