Wednesday afternoon. The house was decorated with flowers and plants. A short literary and music programme was given by the Misses Lansing, Ruth Harris Lee Thaxton and Edith Singleton. Miss Shaner gave a short talk on her work. Dainty refreshments were served in the library, which was decorated in nasturtiums.

From Jacksonville, Fla., comes the news of the arrival of a daughter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Graham.

Mrs. Lewis T. McGeary is back from a visit to Detroit.

Miss Floy Singleton, who has been visiting in Indiana, is at home.

Doctor and Mrs. W. T. Mars are settled in their pretty new home on Tayloe avenue.

Among those present were: Mmes. Charles Kerth, Brossard, Jacob Fritschle, Jennie Altar, D. W. Ross Macdonald, Dean Radcliffe, Kendrick Gore; the Misses Dunlap, Griffith, Kinkead, Petit and Reed.

Mrs. A. G. Hequembourg gave a luncheon Friday in honor of Miss Anna Shawk and the Reverend W. L. Gray of Tuxedo, who have announced their engagement.

Mrs. John H. Heimbriecher entertained yesterday in honor of Thomas W. Corley and his bride, who was Mrs. Nellie Hart Harper, at her home, "The Maples," South Kirkwood. Only the members of the Corley, Hart and Heimbriecher families were invited.

Friday night the Century Boat Club had its annual outing and banquet at the Inn at Meramec Highlands. The guests came out from the city in special cars, and after the dinner the evening was spent in boating or dancing. Among those present were: Messrs and Meadames J. H. Meyer, E. H. Erbele, H. J. Sem, Wilke, Schonebeck, Arthur Erickson, Henry Lehman, Ernest J. Hess, J. G. Kokeh, W. G. Burg, C. William Koenig; Misses Cussie Frank, Anna Hampe, Sadie Galee; Messrs. Otto A. Hampe, Arthur Edison, Oliver de Werthen, Russell E. Gardner, Oscar Buser, Gustavus Buder, Otto Russfeld, John Baldinger, George Horstman, H. T. Calkin, Oliver B. Blanke, C. A. Voder, Eugene D. Bischoff, W. H. Fisse and Henry Galee.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrall have removed from Fairlawn to Adams avenue, west of Taylor.

The thirteenth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held in Union Hall Friday. The meeting was called to order at 9 o'clock by the president, Mrs. Belle C. Kimball, and was opened with prayer by Mrs. G. G. Landers. After roll call and the reports of the recording and corresponding secretaries and the treasurer, there was a song, which was followed by a paper, "How to Gain New Members," by Mrs. Radcliff, and a talk on "New Recruits and How to Equip Them," by Mrs. Colby. There were reports of local unions and noontide Bible reading and prayer by Miss Roena Shaner. After an intermission, the meeting opened again at 1:30, when Mrs. Belle C. Kimball, district president, gave an address. Miss Shaner led a discussion on "Way I Belong to the W. C. T. U." Mrs. J. T. Field read a paper on "Nonalcoholic Medication," and Mrs. Jennie Alter talked of the "Cradle Roll and Baby Bands." After the election of officers and some routine business, ten-minute papers were read on "How to Gain a No-License Victory," Mrs. M. I. Payne; "The Need of Compulsory Education," Mrs. Ella Parmalee. Then followed exercises by the Loyal Temperance Legion, Miss Belle Dunlap, leader, and the Colored Loyal Temperance Legion, Mrs. Anthony, leader.

The evening session was held in the Methodist Church, beginning at 8 o'clock. The programme follows:

Music—Choir, Doctor Mars, leader; Mrs. W. Mars, organist.
Scripture Reading and Prayer—The Reverend H. Thias.
Welcome from Clergy—The Reverend R. L. Russell.
Welcome from Kirkwood Union—Mrs. Belle C. Kimball.
Response from District—Mrs. Kate W. Gore, Webster.
Quartet—Doctor Mars, Messrs. Young, Wilson and Gorman.
Address—Miss Roena Shaner.
Recitation—Miss Emily Kimball.
Benediction.

WEBSTER GROVES.

Miss Mary Hart and J. Charles Hart have returned from a visit to Mackinac.

Mrs. George P. Barron and two daughters, of New York, spent three days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wilson. They were on their way home from an Alaskan trip.

John Biggins has returned from a visit to Macatawa.

Mrs. Bird Fielton and three children from El Paso, Tex., visited Mrs. Henry C. Brown during the week.

Mrs. C. H. Coggershall entertained the members of the Congregational chorus choir with husbands and wives of the married members, last Friday night. Each guest represented the name of a popular song, and Miss Adelaide Wilcox received the prize for guessing the most. The hostess played fragments of anthems sung by the choir since its organization, and Mark Mossit took the prize for giving the most titles and composers correctly. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Jager, Doctor and Mrs. W. T. Mars of Kirkwood, Mrs. J. W. George; Misses Mina Flint, Elizabeth and Edna Bush, Ethel Sprague, Fannie Thibes, Hazel Allen, Olive Morton, Lois Coggishall, Kate and —— Evans of Kirkwood; Messrs. L. C. Dietrich, Richard Waters, Ernest Smith, Paddock, Lester Major and Morgan Coggishall.

Alfred Prehn and Edward Satchell have returned from two weeks in Minnesota.

Miss Amy Howe entertained the J. H. C. Club of St. Louis, recently, with a hayride. A picnic supper was served on the train before the ride. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Street chaperoned the crowd.

Mrs. C. L. Martin, with son, Leonard, and daughter, Frances, is at Los Angeles. She goes next to Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Walter Howe of Brentwood is entertaining the Misses Fetcher of Pueblo, Colo.

Miss Norma Barry of Jerseyville, Ill., is visiting Miss Mary Quarles.

Mrs. Judson Bemis and Mrs. Eliot Ludington gave a children's party recently on the lawn belonging to the two homes, which face each other. On one was arranged a cobweb of bright cords, one of which was given each little guest to unravel, and at the end of each was a little toy. On the opposite lawn refreshments were served. Guests were: Lucy and Warren Kendrick, Comfort Vogely, Robert Biggars, Ruth and Kendrick Rumsey, Carol Jarvis Isabel, Agnes and Tom Weir.

Miss Katherine Kendrick is visiting Miss Ella Burr of Bement, Ill.

Mr. Lewis Salveter and Miss Bettie Mae Salveter of New York were recent visitors to Mrs. William Campbell.

Mr. Sam Scharff of Webster and Miss Blanche Goldsmith of Memphis, Tenn., will be married in the early winter.

Percy Blackmer has joined his mother and sister at Waupaca, Wis.

Mrs. Henry Miller gave a tacky party last Wednesday afternoon for her friend, Miss Browning Yelser of Ashville. Guests were requested to wear their oldest clothes. The table was spread with a ragged red tablecloth and cracked and nicked china was used. Refreshments varied from ice cream and cake to soda pop, stick candy and jelly beans. Miss Helen Baker received the prize for the tackiest costume. The hostess drove the guests huge in an old farm wagon. Other guests besides those mentioned were: Mmes. Allen McKinnie and Edwin Mills, Misses Lee Moulton, Abbie and Edna Campbell and Katherine Kendrick.

The W. W. T. Club had planned a hay ride for last Wednesday evening, but on account of the storm had to spend the evening indoors at the home of the chaperon, Mrs. F. G. Howe, where the time was spent in dancing. Guests were Misses Adele Trimbley, Frances Gregory, Louise Wilcox, Frances Clayton, Nina Lee, Corinne Trembley, Patty Clayton; Messrs. Gerald Coen, Andrew Hauffman, David Graham, Horace Goodbar, Raymond Sprague, Fred Howe and Leslie Holton.

Miss Augusta Quarles departed for a visit to Chicago on Monday.

Mr. J. P. Dawson returned from Narragansett Pier some ten days ago. Mrs. Dawson is spending the summer quietly at Round Beach. Miss Frances Dawson has been visiting a schoolmate, Miss Jennie Knight, at Winchester, Mass. They have been to Boston together, and will go to New York.

Mr. Clyde Alison Mann of Geneva, Ill., spent last Saturday and Sunday at the J. P. Dawson home.

Mrs. W. A. Lewis has returned from a visit to her old home near Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. J. R. S. Nichols is visiting friends in Chicago and Glen Lake, Wis.

Mrs. Lee and Miss Nina Lee are occupying the home of Mrs. Thomas Brownlee during her absence in Michigan. They will remain there until the yellow fever danger is past, when they will go South to live.

Miss Roena Shaner, State organizer of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, gave a lecture at the Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening.

A Baltimore convention echo meeting was celebrated by a congress of the suburban district, Y. P. S. C. E., Thursday evening, in the Congregational Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Middleton are spending a month in Boston, visiting their son, Mr. Percy Middleton.

Mrs. Eugene Finkenaur of Macon, Mo., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thompson of Old Orchard.

Miss Atwood of Chicago was a recent visitor at the home of Mr. N. D. Thompson.

Mrs. John O'Hara has returned from a visit to Portland and Northern California.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Seropyan and son and Mr. William Dawson, who have been summering in Webster, returned to their St. Louis home this week.

Miss Katherine Kauffman departed Wednesday to visit her sister, Mr. Ray Woodman Bryan in Louisville, Ky.

Miss Hazel Allen entertained Friday morning for her cousin, Miss Olive Morton of Effingham, Ill., with indoor games. Scores were kept for the games of La Lotte and Japanese basket-ball, and prizes of Japanese manufacture given to each guest, each one choosing in the order of her score. Guests were Misses Olive Morton, Anne Brown, Alice Kelly, Harriet Bagby, Alice Avery, Jennie Henry of Bentonville, Ark., Mildred Allen, Dorothy Weeks, Mary and Carolyn Allen, Harriet Austin, Pearl Magehan, and Mrs. Gaylord Bell.

Mrs. Harry Allen returned from two weeks in Colorado yesterday.

JERSEYVILLE, ILL.

Mrs. James McReynolds of Springfield, Ill., was the guest of Jerseyville friends last week.

Mrs. Fred Jacobs has returned from St. Paul, Minn.

The Baptist Social Union of the First Baptist Church was entertained on Friday evening of last week by Mrs. Edward B. Shafer.

Mrs. John G. Schwarz gave a dinner party Friday evening of last week in honor of Miss Lulu Hill of East St. Louis.

Miss Florence Warren entertained Thursday evening of last week at her home in East Exchange street.

Mrs. Edward McGrath has gone to Chicago.

Mrs. William Hanley entertained the Misses Mary and Sarah Dixon of Alton, Ill., last week.

Mrs. Charles W. Slater of Decatur, Ill., is the guest of relatives.

Mrs. B. Todd of Batchtown, Ill., is the guest of friends.

Miss Mollie Tratter has returned from Eureka Springs, Ark.

Mrs. Thomas Erwin has returned from Springfield, Ill.

Miss Lizzie Delling has gone to Chicago.

Mrs. Eugene Hale of St. Louis is a guest of Jerseyville relatives.

Miss Cora Parcel has gone to West Baden, Ind.

Miss Margaret Flannigan was a recent St. Louis visitor.

Mrs. Frank M. Ware is entertaining Miss Mattie Osborne of Carrollton, Ill.

Mrs. Nellie Cummings was a guest last week of friends in St. Louis.

Misses Caroline Lerschie and Mabel Brockman have gone to Belleville, Ill.

Miss Nora Hankey has returned from St. Louis.

Mayor and Mrs. H. S. Daniels were guests of friends at the Piasa Chautauqua last week.

Mrs. A. C. Robb was a recent visitor in St. Louis.

Mrs. Isaac Parsell and Miss Lilah Parsell were guests of friends in St. Louis last week.

Miss Cornelia Brownlee has returned from a visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. Herbert Billings entertained the Misses Katie and Lizzie Voygt of St. Louis last week.

The Saturday Musicale met last week at the home of Miss Marie Desnoyer.

Miss Ella Roach has returned from a visit to relatives in St. Louis.

The Misses Dodson were the guests of friends in St. Louis last week.

Miss Lizzy Romer of Kane, Ill., was a recent visitor in Jerseyville.

Mrs. Leslie Cross was a visitor in St. Louis last week.

Mrs. William Tucker of Greenville, Ill., was a visitor in Jerseyville last week.

Miss Florence Ritterath has gone to Brighton, Ill.

Mrs. M. W. Packard has returned to Kansas City, Mo., after a few days' visit in Jerseyville.

Mrs. W. W. Hicks entertained Mrs. Christie of Danville, Ind.

Mrs. G. W. Thompson of Nauvoo, Ill., is the guest of Jerseyville relatives.

The Misses Ada and Florence Bovell have gone to Brighton, Ill.

Mrs. Willis L. Fairman has returned to Upper Alton, Ill., after a visit to Mrs. A. K. Van Horne.

Mrs. Ella Cadwell has gone to Shipman, Ill.

Mrs. Fannie Cross has returned from Morrisonville, Ill.

Mrs. W. L. Smith of Flora, Ill., is a guest of Jerseyville friends.

Mrs. George Voelkers is entertaining Mrs. C. W. Crowell of St. Louis.

Mrs. J. B. Eckman has gone to Greenville, Ill.

Miss Kate Gerardi is entertaining Miss Eleanor Collingnon of Trenton, Ill.

Miss Ada Maschon of Plainview, Ill., was a visitor in Jerseyville last week.

Miss Gertrude Wedding has returned from Carrollton, Ill.

Mrs. J. Donnelly of Roodhouse, Ill., was a guest of Jerseyville friends.

Mrs. W. P. Richards has gone to Alton, Ill.

Mrs. E. L. Barnett has returned to Kane, Ill., after a visit with Jerseyville friends.

Mrs. William Egelhoff of Jerseyville, Ill., was a recent visitor in Jerseyville.

Miss Dorothy Snyder has returned from Carrollton, Ill.

Miss Jessie Pope has returned from Portland, Ore.

Miss Lulu Hill of East St. Louis is a guest of Jerseyville friends.

Miss Rosa Herger has returned to St. Louis after visiting in Jerseyville.

Mrs. M. B. Titterington has returned from an extended visit in Nebraska.

Mrs. W. H. Charles has returned to St. Louis after visiting the Misses Whitenack.

Miss Marie Desnoyer has gone to St. Louis for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Desnoyer.

Mrs. C. W. Thatcher has gone to Virden, Ill.

Mrs. James Murphy of Kane, Ill., was a visitor in Jerseyville last week.

Mrs. Charles Wade has gone to Chambersberg, Ill.

Mrs. J. Watsker has returned to Alton after visiting Jerseyville friends.

Mrs. Thomas F. Firth is entertaining Mrs. Arthur Tilley of Springfield, Ill.

Mrs. George Helmy has returned to Sedalia, Mo., after visiting with Mrs. Robert Davis.

PIASA CHAUTAUQUA.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McClure of Jerseyville were guests of Chautauqua friends last week.

Mrs. L. M. Atchison has returned to Jerseyville after visiting Chautauqua.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Tunnicorst of Jerseyville are here for a considerable stay.

Miss Florence Lowe has returned to Jerseyville from Chautauqua.

Mrs. T. A. Horine and daughters, Misses Nellie and Stella Horine, of Brighton, Ill., were Chautauqua visitors.

Miss Abbie Voorhees was a recent guest of Chautauqua friends.

The Misses Mattie and Louise Scott are entertaining a house party at the Scott cottage, "The Roost." The party includes the Misses Fay, Clara and Mildred Curdie of Alton and E. J. Niggeman and Robert Meisenberg of St. Louis.

Alderman and Mrs. C. W. DuHadway of Jerseyville have leased the Slaton cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver T. Purl of Carrollton, Ill., were recent Chautauqua visitors.

Mrs. E. L. Olinger of Greensburg, Kas., was a recent guest of Chautauqua friends.

Miss Lou Reintgen of Elsah, Ill., was a Chautauqua visitor last week.

Mrs. John Beaty and Mrs. L. Beaty of Jerseyville were guests of Belleview cottage at Chautauqua.

Miss Annie Hurd of Paradise, Ill., was a guest of Chautauqua friends last week.

Mrs. J. W. Enos of Jerseyville was a recent guest of Chautauqua friends.

Mrs. Myersberg has returned to Grafton, Ill., after visiting friends here.

The Misses Ethel and Edna Curtis of Jerseyville were recent Chautauqua visitors.

Mrs. J. K. Cadwallader has returned to Medinah, Ill., after visiting here.

Mrs. Joe McReynolds of Springfield, Ill., was a recent Chautauqua visitor.

Mrs. Lloyd Sunderland of Jerseyville was a guest of Chautauqua friends last week.

Miss Tabb of East St. Louis is a guest of the Relief Corps cottage.

Mrs. H. T. Hill of Jerseyville was a recent visitor.

The Misses Kirkpatrick and the Misses Lola and Myrtle Cowan have returned to Corps Cottage.

Mayor and Mrs. H. S. Daniels of Jerseyville were the guests of Chautauqua friends.

H. Meyzenberg, president of the Bank of Grafton, Ill., was a Chautauqua visitor.

J. C. Bishop and Miss Church of Springfield, Ill., were recent Chautauqua visitors.

Charles Fox of Jerseyville, Ill., was a guest of Chautauqua friends.

Miss E. Neigp of Newbern was a guest of Chautauqua friends.

Among the Jerseyville guests at the Piasa Springs Hotel during the last week were: Miss Lottie Jacobs, William Shephard, Charles Atchison, Mrs. J. W. Enos, M. C. DuHadway, Colonel W. H. Fulkerson and Judge G. R. Hamilton.

Among the St. Louisans who registered at the Hotel Chautauqua during the past week were: A. Lane, W. G. Selleck, W. H. Baker, R. J. Bishop, Miss Ladd, R. B. Doub, R. T. Sexton, D. D. Walken, E. G. Niggeman, G. M. Barnes, H. E. Lehde, Mrs. H. E. Lehde, Miss Selle, L. O'Boers, Mrs. L. O'Boers, R. C. Strossberger, Mrs. Strossberger, E. J. Beck and family, M. R. Griffith, Miss Warner, Miss E. Warner, F. S. Daily, Mrs. Graves, Eleanor Graves, Ida Dougherty, Custis N. Gregory, Julia Kenneth, Mary Walsh, Harry Moore, H. C. Chalk, P. M. Gannaway, Jane Thompson, Daniel Sayer, A. D. Fuller, J. N. Flashman, T. W. Crusins, Mrs. J. L. Wright, Elsie Wallace, Mamie Coleman.

ALTON.

Miss Elsie Bellerson has returned to St. Louis, after being the guest of Miss Minnie Geu in Upper Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Lotter departed Monday for San Antonio, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Kauffman are entertaining Mrs. P. E. Winter of Washington, D. C.

Mrs. R. R. Hood has returned to Bunker Hill, after visiting Mrs. W. W. Elwell in College avenue.

Miss Edith Brenholt departed Wednesday for South Haven, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kuehn are entertaining Mrs. Walter Locke of Toledo, O.

Miss Bessie Ray is visiting in Petersburg, Ill.

Miss Mamie Harting has returned from a month's visit in Chicago.

Miss Hilda Bode is visiting relatives in Girard.

Miss Lois Tober of Medora, Ill., is visiting relatives in Upper Alton.

Mrs. N. E. May and family departed Monday for Bristol, England.

Miss Grace Edwards visited in Springfield last week.

Mrs. C. B. Knight has returned from Little Rock, Ark.

Mrs. Charles Denby has returned to Carlinville, after visiting Mrs. H. E. Weeks.

Mrs. H. P. Cotter is entertaining Mrs. J. C. Brumbaff of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Clay White have returned from Chicago, where they spent a month visiting relatives.

Mrs. J. W. Schmoeller is visiting in Jerseyville.

Miss Lena Otten has returned from Valparaiso, Ind.

Mrs. Charles Beall has returned from Chicago.

Mrs. Emma Modlin and daughter, Miss Edna Modlin, have returned to Litchfield after visiting Mrs. C. E. Drury in Upper Alton.

Miss Edith Warnock has returned from Jacksonville, Ill., where she visited Mrs. L. V. Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. George Swisher of Mount Vernon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Swisher of Upper Alton last week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wyckoff of Jerseyville was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Wyckoff last week at their home in Upper Alton.

Mrs. C. T. Coffman has returned to Little Rock, Ark., after visiting Mrs. S. H. Gregory in Alton.

Mrs. Thomas Gallagher has returned from Pawnee, Ill.

Mrs. Mary J. Crane of Carrollton, Ill., was a visitor in Alton last week.

The Misses Sarah and May Dixon have returned from Jerseyville, where they were guests of Mrs. William Hawley.

Mrs. E. L. Olinger has returned to Greensburg, Kas., after a month's visit with relatives in Upper Alton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hartman have returned from Chicago.

Miss Bessie Burke departed Wednesday for Imperial, Neb., after visiting in Alton.

Miss Lillian Bauer entertained Tuesday evening with a lawn party at her home in East Seventh street.

Miss Phoebe Johnson departed Saturday for Paris, Ill., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Enis Johnson in Upper Alton.

Doctor and Mrs. Waldo Fisher departed Tuesday for Marquette, Mich.

Mrs. C. F. Stein is entertaining Mrs. Sarah Solomon of Indianapolis, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lane are visiting in Alexandria, Minn.

Mrs. Oeta Williamson of Marianna, Ark., is a visitor in Upper Alton.

Miss Bertha Dersey is visiting at Lake Minnetonka, Minn.

Miss Ella Rice is visiting in Jonesboro, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wuertzer departed Wednesday for Harbor Beach, Mich.

Doctor and Mrs. H. R. Lemen have returned from the Pacific Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Conley have returned from Burlington, Ia.

Mrs. Charles Burgmeyer is visiting in Old Orchard, Me.

Mrs. A. L. Hoblitt and daughters, the Misses Norma and Jean Hoblitt, have returned to Carlinville after visiting in Upper Alton.

Miss Edna Trabue is visiting in Springfield, Ill.

Miss Anna Hastings is visiting in Quincy, Ill.

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MRS. EMILIE EPPELSHEIMER,
Whose solos on Wednesday at the Meinhard-Landa wedding were a successful feature of the church ceremony.

EDWARDSVILLE, ILL.

Mrs. C. N. Travous and daughter, Miss Sara, spent last week in Chicago, returning Monday.

State Attorney J. P. Gillham returned Wednesday from a vacation trip to Oklahoma.

Mrs. H. C. Squires departed Monday for Richmond, Mo., where she will spend several weeks.

Miss Regina Fry arrived Tuesday evening from Mount Vernon, and is a guest of the Misses Eugenia and Bessie Burton.

The Misses Sophia Rinderer of Highland and Althea Harvey of St. Louis are guests this week of Miss Amanda Hotz of Vandalia street.

Mrs. L. C. Keown and Mrs. Agnes McKee and son are spending the week in St. Louis, guests of Mrs. R. E. McKee.

Mrs. Joseph Hamilton of Alton is spending the week with her brother, Doctor Joseph Pogue, and family.

Miss Clare Krome and Miss Pearl Finch, with a party, most of whom are from St. Louis, are enjoying an outing at Arcadia, Mo., in the Ozark Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Barco and family entertained this week Mrs. I. W. Johnson of Nanaoki, Mrs. Robert Skinner of St. Louis, and the Misses Pettingill and Townsend of Granite City.

Miss Minnie Ferrel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferrel, was tendered a pleasant surprise party Thursday afternoon in honor of her tenth birthday anniversary.

Miss Amanda Hotz entertained friends Thursday evening in honor of her guests, the Misses Rinderer and Harvey.

Mrs. H. T. Wharff and daughter, Miss Emma, have issued invitations for a reception Saturday afternoon at their home on Piety Hill.

The annual reunion of the Trares family took place Sunday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Traves of Vandalia street. Besides a large number from town, there were present from St. Louis Mr. and Mrs. John S. Trares, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell, the Misses Bertha and Anna Trares and brothers, Frank and Mark.

Miss Annie Trares of St. Louis and Mrs. Schwarz of New Orleans, who have been the guests of Miss Carrie Wolf, went to St. Louis Tuesday, where Mrs. Schwarz will be the guest of Miss Trares.

MACON, MO.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Little of this city have returned after an extended visit in New York, Chicago and other Eastern points.

Mrs. R. L. Wright and daughter, Miss Hallie, have returned home from a visit in St. Joseph, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tibbs of Kansas City are the guests of relatives and friends of this city.

Mr. Phillip Gatez has returned from a two weeks' visit in Colorado.

Raymond English visited in Macon Wednesday. He was en route to his home in Kirksville, Mo., after a visit to friends in Cairo, Mo.

A party composing the Misses Eugenia McCully, Elbera Llewllyn, Bonnie Biggs and Messrs. Roy Fox, William Smith and Waldo Smith attended the Sheldina Fair Wednesday.

Leon Tindall of La Plata, Mo., visited friends here Wednesday, being en route to Sheldina for a brief visit.

Mrs. W. H. McCully has returned home from a visit to relatives in Kansas City.

Mrs. Claude McGruder of Bevier, Mo., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wright the latter part of the week.

The Misses Mildred and Stewart McGinnis of Kansas City have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Minns and family of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cramer and daughter, Miss Mabel, of Calico, Mo., visited Macon friends the latter part of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Brock and two children departed recently for their home in Oklahoma City, Ok., after an extended visit with Mrs. Brock's sister, Mrs. T. E. Wardell, and other relatives.

C. D. Sharp of St. Louis has returned home after a brief visit to his parents, Colonel and Mrs. R. M. J. Sharp.

Albert Craig of Hinton, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tibbs of Kansas City are in Macon the guest of their father, T. A. Craig, and other relatives.

The Misses Dora Holman and Mary McCully spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lovell of Shelbina, Mo.

Mrs. Harry Walker and Mrs. Edward Maffry are visiting friends in Kansas City this week.

Mrs. G. James and daughters, the Misses Mattie and Queenie, of Clarence, Mo., visited at the home of I. S. Miller and family, Wednesday.

Mrs. Mattie Russell and children were guests of relatives and friends in Atlanta the first of the week.

Miss Gertrude Cox of Topeka, Kas., is visiting Macon friends.

Mr. S. G. Brock recently returned from a tendey visit in Colorado.

Ted Terrell of Okmulgee, I. T., is in this city the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Hamner.

Robert Johnson of Lake Valley, N. M., arrived here Wednesday for a visit to his brother, Thomas Johnson.

The Reverend W. B. Wheeler of this city has returned home from a visit with his sister, Mrs. M. H. Carroll.

J. A. Hudson and son, James, of Columbia, Mo., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gary several days this week.

A party composed of the following members returned the first of the week from a several days' outing at the clubhouse on the Chariton River: Mr. and Mrs. Lon English and family, Otto Acuff and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wilson and children, Mrs. Perrin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ebert and Miss Leslie Brown.

Mrs. Samuel Parrin of Queen City arrived here yesterday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Walter C. Goodson.

Samuel Dysart of St. Louis is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Goodson this week.

W. H. Compton and son, Randolph, who went to Lockport, N. Y., in an automobile about six weeks ago, returned to Macon today. Mrs. Compton, who accompanied them on the trip, is at Bellefontaine, O., visiting her father.

Doctor W. H. Goodson returned Monday from Ann Arbor, where he completed a special course in the medical department.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wright of St. Louis are the guests of Captain and Mrs. Ben Ell Guthrie of this city.

Mrs. Allen McClean and daughter, Miss Leah, of Benton, Mo., are visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Miss Bonie Biggs of La Plata, Mo., and her friend, Miss Elberta Llewellyn, of Warrenton, are guests at the home of Miss Eugenia McCully.

Miss Hattie Culbertson of Keytesville, Mo., arrived Thursday afternoon and will remain a week or ten days visiting Captain and Mrs. Ben Ell Guthrie.

Miss Effie Baldwin of Pueblo, Colo., is expected here shortly for a visit with her mother and other relatives.

Mr. Metz of Kansas City visited here Thursday. He was accompanied home by his little daughter, Miss Freda.

Miss Ivy Wood has returned home from a visit in La Plata, Mo.

Mrs. Ella Tree and daughter, Miss Hellen, have returned home from a few days' visit in St. Louis.

Miss Bertha Heltman is the guest of relatives in Fayette.

Miss Alma Meyer of Kansas City came Wednesday for a visit to her uncle, Mr. A. A. Gutermuth and family.

Mrs. H. H. Green and Mrs. James Sears of Chillicothe came Wednesday and were the guests of Mrs. T. J. Green until Thursday, when they left for a visit in Columbia.

The Misses Nora and Blanche Miles of La Plata, Mo., were the guests of Mrs. J. Irwin and Mrs. Fred Wallace Thursday.

MURPHYSBORO, ILL.

Miss Anna Frisnell of East St. Louis is the guest of Miss Susie Brewer.

Miss Sue McMinn and Miss Inez Bush of St. Louis are visiting in this city.

Mrs. Ida Cole and daughters, Ida and Nina, departed Wednesday morning for Los Angeles, Cal., where they will reside.

Miss Mabel Kling of Centralia is visiting here with Miss Carrie Hackney.

Mrs. G. B. Grimsley and daughter, Miss Anna, are visiting their son and brother at Glenn Eyre, Ill.

Mrs. H. D. Palmer and daughter are visiting relatives in Springfield, Ill.

Misses Julius Levy and O. S. Young are visiting in St. Louis.

Miss Pearl Spiller is visiting in Cairo with her sister, Mrs. Hugh Carnell.

Mrs. D. M. Parkinson of Carbondale spent Monday in this city, visiting her mother, Mrs. Frances Hill.

Miss Minnie Smith of Carbondale was the guest of friends in this city Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spiller have returned from a month's sojourn at Denver, Colo.

Misses Zoe Oura and Flora Bateman are visiting relatives at Steelville, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt H. Burr and little daughter, Barbara, of Chillicothe, Mo., are the guests of Mr. Burr's mother, Mrs. Emma Burr.

D. C. Carter of Decatur spent Sunday in this city with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. McInhey are visiting the family of J. W. Judson at Charlotte, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Jenkins entertained the members of the Bachelor Club at their home Sunday in honor of Mrs. Jenkins's birthday. There were several guests present other than the members of the club. Dinner was served on the lawn. Those present were: Messrs. and Mmes. T. E. Ismert, F. O. Younger, William Kronmeyer, D. Barr, D. L. Bandel, Will Boyle, W. R. Leibetine, Robert Mitchell, J. J. Friedman, Doctor and Mrs. O. B. Grandby, H. O. Osburn of Thebes, F. C. Burton of Alton, Bishop of Litchfield; Mooney of St. Louis.

Miss Anna Kennedy entertained the Needle Workers' Club and other young ladies Wednesday afternoon at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. K. Smith, No. 1313 Elm street. The following were invited in honor of Miss Edna Ross of Dubuque, who is the guest of Miss Anna Martin: The Misses Elsie Smith, Helen Hill, Pearl Gall, Edna Lansdorville, Myrtle Stephens, Metta and Louise Kennedy, Margaret Stein, Ruby and Ethel Fager, Pearl Spiller, Anna Martin.

A party of young people were entertained at the home of Orin Graff last Monday evening in honor of Miss Ida Cole. Various games were played until a late hour, when refreshments were served. Those present were: The Misses Ida Cole, Ruth John, Ethel Ellis, Ruth Hill, Bessie Bryan, Mary Nelson, Stella McGewan, Ida Lovejoy and Bessie Church; Messrs. Charles McEntry, Eugene Benson, Fred Smith, Homer Nordling, Orin Graff, Jake Beck, Raymond Hagler, Ralph Saughn, Rob Rollo, Clyde Hagler and Ralph Trebaugh.

COLLINSVILLE, ILL.

Mr. and Mrs. August Kiefer, who have been spending the summer in Europe, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Borrough, who have been spending some time in Maryland and New York, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith of St. Louis were guests of Miss Florence Lock Sunday.

Miss Nellie Martin of East St. Louis is visiting friends in this city.

Mr. George Meyer of Bluffdale was a guest of friends here this week.

Mrs. Francis Harbeve of Jacksonville, Ill., is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Look.

Mr. Ashton Yates of St. Louis is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hadley this week.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church met Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Robert Lenden.

Miss Ethel Killinger visited friends in Glen Carbon this week.

Mr. W. E. Hadley has departed for Manitou, Colo., to join his family, who have been summering there.

Mrs. Augusta Binkelt of St. Louis was the guest of Mrs. L. P. Kraft this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Case of St. Louis are visiting her sister, Mrs. Jacob Ball of this city.

Mr. W. L. Johnson has returned from a visit in southern Illinois.

Miss Mary Morlence and Mr. Christopher Berthite will be married at the Lithuanian Church the first week in September.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burton, Mrs. Samuel Fletcher and Miss Daisy and Wilbur Turner are visiting in Centralia.

The Local Union, No. 665, of the U. M. W. of A. will celebrate Labor Day with a picnic. Thomas R. Williamson of Edwardsville will be the speaker of the day.

Miss Gertrude Gooding, in company with a party of friends, is making a tour of some of the Northern cities.

Mr. Martin Powell is visiting friends in Lebanon.

Mrs. H. C. Kinnikin visited in Edwardsville this week.

Mr. S. J. Duncan and wife of Marshall, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Duncan.

CARBONDALE, ILL.

Miss Minnie Hearst of Jonesboro is visiting Miss Josephine Batson.

Mrs. H. H. Barr of Centralia visited her sister, Mrs. O. J. Rude, last week.

The Misses Hattie, Emma and Mabel Boyer entertained Friday in honor of the Misses Viola and Lucy Button of La Grange, Ky.

Mrs. Hiram Wilson has returned from a two weeks' visit at Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss Eleanor Merriam of Pana, Ill., who has been visiting Mrs. F. E. Schaefer, departed for St. Louis Friday for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Cynthia Thorp and granddaughter, Evelyn Eudek, are visiting Mrs. E. A. Middleton.

Mrs. Alice Kruger of Finckneyville is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. H. G. Easterly departed for Paducah, Ky., Tuesday, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Doctor Della Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dunaway departed Tuesday for Battle Creek, Mich., where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. May Davis of East St. Louis and Mrs. C. H. Eccles of Mount Vernon arrived Wednesday to visit their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kerstine and baby, who have been visiting relatives in Lincoln, returned Monday.

Mrs. W. S. Errett and daughter, Miss Julia Errett, returned from a visit in Chicago Tuesday.

Articles of Incorporation.

Mulhall Drug Company, George P. Mulhall, 12 shares; William A. Mulhall, 3 shares; Elizabeth Dowd, 1 share; Mary A. Mulhall, 16 shares; to do a drug business in city and county of St. Louis. Capital stock, full paid, $1,000.

Prudential Milling Company; James R. Bell, 40 shares, Charles Clemton Bovey, 17 shares; Minneapolis, Minn.; Earl J. Best, Frank H. Neumith and Wm. A. Gaertner, St. Louis, 1 share each; to deal in grain and do a milling business; first meeting September 15, 1905, at 9 a. m. Capital stock, full paid, $5,000.

Foreign Companies Licensed.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 26.—The Concord Fire Insurance Company of Concord, N. H., and New Brunswick Fire Insurance Company of New Brunswick, N. J., were licensed to-day by State Superintendent of Insurance Vredenburgh to transact a fire insurance business in Illinois.

MRS. F. B. CRAWLEY,
Who is spending the summer in Michigan, at Waquetoneing and South Haven.

PRISONER STROLLS OUT OF HOSPITAL

C. D. Parker Was Regarded as "Fine Fellow" and Easily Escaped From the