SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Grand Ball for the Woman's Hospital.

Prominent Receptions and Parties During the Week.

Centennial Celebrations --- Amusements Among the Church Folks.

The Wedding-Calendar---A Silver Gelebration-Unions of the Future.

The Dancing Done by the Maids and Matrons of the City.

PARTIES AND RECEPTIONS.
THE WEATHER.
It was a soppy, moppy, sloppy, rain-dropping week. The skies seemed to have taken affront at the assurance with which society mortals determined upon their unusually numerous entertainments, and in sheer spite set out to spoil them. Never during the season had so many bushels of artistically cograved and neatly addressed invitation cards been sown broadcast over the social field, and never had so many hearts beat high with the flutter of anticipation. Bright eyes beamed more brightly, and rosy cheeks were still more flushed with the thoughts of conquests to come. As to the young men what visions of happy embracings and tender pressure of hands in the waltz floated sthwart the day-book and the ledger, effectually obscuring the dry columns of figures that required add-

and these hopes and anticipations were more or less realized,—certainly they were not interfered with seriously by the weather. It is possible that the Miss who founded her theory of riumph upon the supposition that her Sacrificial Offering would be present was disappointed by his non-attendance. It is also not unlikely that, vice versa, the Society Young Man missed his Adorable from the crowded assembly, and breathed a silent anthem against the rain which had kept her at home. These people never have any sympathy with the over-burdened clouds or the thirsty earth. If the glossy boot should receive upon its fair surface a single smirch of mud. or the delicate-tinted skirt a spot to mar its matchless symmetry, what wailings would arise from the agonized soul,-let us hope without audible expression! Under such circumstances propriety demands a poverty of language.

Some kinds of parties are fair subjects for criticism. For instance, balls, particularly those which are held in public resorts. The people who frequent them represent all grades of society, often producing the oddest mixture imagety, often proceeded two or three high-toned inable. The presence of two or three high-toned (what a silly word, and yet how expressive) people, though frequently relied upon to do so, does not really make the affair fashionable. So

people, mough any action of the composition of these form almost every other compound, in that a little leaven does not and cannot by any possibility leaven the whole lump. It is not necessary just here to make any application of these remarks, because some people will fancy themselves very much injured.

It is not generally considered a difficult feat of composition to write an invitation, nor is it ordinarily. But there are epochs which the social enthusiast revolts from treating as common. He rises on the spur of glorious premonition, and bends his genius to the task of composition which shall in a measure correspond with his own powerful emotion. An instance an invitation which shall in a measure correspond with his own powerful emotion. An instance may be cited: The committee of a certain club announce in the invitation "We are anticipant of so brilliant a gathering as will astonish even Momus, the massing-monarch's self," and, as if that were not sufficient punishment for the inof-fensive English toucue, they sign themselves "Yours, mimetically." Truly, this is a sad case if lingual aberration.

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THE COMING CHARITY BALL.

It has sometimes been asked why are there never at the West such charity balls as occasionally agitate an entire city East? Now and then we hear of a calico, masquerade, or full-dress ball given in New York for some charity, which sets the whole social element of even that greatest American city in a flutter and commotion. All the various circles which ordinarily touch only at some points of their several circumferences seem to dissolve into one, which includes almost every person in good society in the city. This question appears about to be answered by the giving here in Chicago of such a party; one that for magnitudes and magnificence shall equal anything of the kind ever given in New York, and which shall aurass anything ever yet seen in Chicago. The coming party is to be given for the benefit of the Woman's Hospital of the State of Lilmois. or the Woman's Hospital of the State of Illinois. Certainly a more deserving object could not be flesired, and, as this institution is wholly unsectarian, there is nothing to prevent its interesting the entire community. The Hospital was organized and chartered immediately pefore was organized and chartered immediately before
the great fire, when many of those who would
have been its supporters found themselves
wholly unable to do more than afford moral aid
and encouragement. The Relief and Aid Society, which subsequently so liberally encowed all
the other charitable institutions of the city, refused to aid this one on the ground that it was
not in actual operation at the time of the fire;
and hence it has been obliged to depend for its
support wholly upon voluntary contributions.—a
most precarious resource. Owing to the limited
means at its disposal, its operations in the great
field of charity have been equally circum-oribed.
Being the only hospital in the State devoted ex-Being the only hospital in the State devoted ex

Being the only hospital in the State devoted exclasively to the peculiar diseases of women,—
a large and constantly-increasing class,—the
applications for its benefits are frequently more
numerous than can be entertained. Inasmuch
as the institution is founded upon the broadest
and most liberal principles, recognizing in its
field of work neither nationality, race, nor religious creed, it appeals powerfully for the aid
and the sympathies of all classes.
The character and position of the ladies who
have so faithfully worked for the Hospital in the
past, and who now have charge of this prospective entertainment, is sufficient guarantee that
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There will be the most ample and pleasant accommodations, with a large band of the best music the city can offer, for all who desire to dance, and there will also be no lack of varied parlor cutertainments for such as are not interested in the dancing. The guests will be received by a special reception committee of four ceived by a special reception committee of four ladies, in the elegant parlors of the Grand Pa

While the Hospital is in the most urgent need it to cularge its capacities and charities, the la-

of funds to liquidate indebtedness and to enable it to enlarge its capacities and charities, the laties in offering this entertainment do not feel that they are asking a gift from persons who purchase tickets, as they intend that every one to doing shall receive the full value of its price. It is to be hoped that Chicago will show what she can do on this occasion.

MARTHA WASHINGTON RECEPTION.

One of the social events of the week was the large centennial party given by the ladies of the West Side Universalist Society at incormick's Hall Thursday evening. At the close of a series of private parties given on the West Side, the ladies carried out the now popular idea of a "Martha Washington Reception" so successfully that they were prevailed upon to repeat it before a larger public with more elaborate preparation. The result did not fail in any respect to justify the ambitious attempt. Nearly 100 gentlemen and ladies, personating renowned characters of the early Republic, appeared in full costume, and were with stately ceremony "presented at court." It was a goodly eight to see our grandmothers step down from their pictures in their purified and powdered wigs, satin petticoats, and sweeping velvet trains; but with all their stately magnificence the ladies gained less in appearance than their cavaliers. Half a hundred sober citizens released from sombre black, and masquerading in gold-laced swallow-tails of in appearance than their cavaliers. Half a him-dred sober citizens released from sombre black, and masquerading in gold-laced swallow-tails of green and blue and scarlet velvet, vast expanse of satin waistcoat, flowing white perukes, slim knee-breeches, and gorgeous buckles, formed a singular sight, and showed how much mascuine dress had lost of the picturesque since its wear-ers ceased to be gentlemen at court. Following is the procession of worthies in about the order they appeared:

Martha Washington, Mrs. Jamieson; Master Custis, Master Catlin; Miss Custis, Miss Emma Gates; Mary, mother of Washnigton, Mrs. Gibson; Mrs. Robert Morris, Mrs. Ormsbee; Robert Morris, Mr. Green; John Adams. Vice-President, and lady, Mr. and £7s. W. Woodward; Thomas Jefferson, Secretary of State, Mr. H. S. McLean, and his daughter, Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. Sammons; Gen. Knox and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Nash; John Hancock, Dr. N. Bridge; Mrs. Mercy Warren, histornan of the Revolution, Mrs. Bridge; Gen. Ward and lady, Mr. and Mrs. George Higgins; James Monroe, Mr. Overdier; Mrs. Monroe, Mrs. Tayer; Col. Ethan Allen, Mr. Ellinwood; Mrs. George D. Clinton, Mrs. Frost; Marquis de Lafayette, C. Woodward; Mrs. Rufus King, Mrs. Mancell Talcott; Robert Livingston, Chancellor of New York, and lady, Mr. and Mrs. McFarland; Gen. Greene and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Corbett; John Mutray, A. G. Throop; Lvdia Darrah, Quakeress and spy against the British Miss Ada Frost; James Madison and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Moyer; Col. Daniel Boone, Mr. Ford; Maj. Molly Pitcher, Mrs. Ford; Baron and Baroness De Kalb, Mr. and Mrs. J. Catlin; Gen. A. Wayne, Mr. H. Brooks; Gen. Israel Putnam, Mr. A. G. Morse; Mrs. Van Rensselaer, of New York, Mrs. H. S. McLean; Caut. Morgan, of the New Jersey Riflemen, and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Tapper; Arthur Middleton, signer of the Declaration, and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Auslee; Gen. Joseph Warren and lady, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Gates; Commodore Hopkins and lady, Capt. and Mrs. Tuttle; Commissioner Henry Laurens and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun; Gen. Marion, Mr. Arthur McLean; daughter of Chancellor Livingston, Miss McFarland; Gen. Williams and lady, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Gates; Commodore Hopkins and lady, Capt. and Mrs. Tuttle; Commissioner Henry Laurens and lady, Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer; Commodore Paul Jones, Mr. Charles Clark; Mrs. Elliott, of South Carolina, Miss A. Kline; Charles Carroll, signer of the Declaration, P. W. Gates, Jr.; Mrs. Winthrop, Mrs. H. B. Manford.

After the presentation, which took a half hour, music was struck up Nevan

repeated. Announcement of the date will be iven hereafter.

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One of the finest affairs of the season was the reception given by Air. and Mrs. Tracy Lay at their residence, No. 321 Michigan avenue, Wednesday evening. The reception was given in behalf of their daughter. Miss Ohyo Lay, who Wednesday evening. The reception was grading in behalf of their daughter, Miss Olive Lay, who had recently returned from school, and who was ready to make her debut in the world of fashion. Among the guests were Miss Lucy Fleetwood, Miss Mary Rice. Miss Bertie Bevan, Miss Lilie Olis, Miss Belle Porter, Miss Clara Gunn, Miss Jennie Keep, Miss May Buell, Miss Allport, Miss Jennie Bickford, Miss Irone Fargo, Miss Jennie Coolbaugh, Miss Lane, Miss Kellie Buell, Miss Snaulding, Miss Sterms, Miss Staples, Miss Hendrickson of New York, Miss Grovermao, Miss Van Arnam, Miss Wadaworth, the Misses Robertson, Miss Hunter, the Misses Grovermao, Miss Van Arnam, Miss Wadaworth, the Misses Robertson, Miss Hunter, the Misses Grovermao, Miss Van Arnam, Miss Wadaworth, the Misses Robertson, Miss Hunter, the Misses Grovermao, Miss Van Arnam, Miss Wadaworth, the Misses Robertson, Miss Sharp, Messrs. Fred Tuttle, Malcolm Thompson, Fred Clark, Edward L. Groff, Thomas Kent, H. E. Marble, L. O. Phelpa, George Wheaton, Thomas Burnaide, Charles Comes, Samuel Wheeler, E. Laue, X. L. Otis, Col. Gillespie, Messrs. Flectwood, Johnson, Hackney, Chesbrough, Morgan, Wilbur, Kay, Williams, Wright, Osborn, Schuyler, Gunn, Rockwell, and others.

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The mansion was handsomely decorated for the occasion with all the art of the florist, bouquets hanging from the chandeliers and ornamenting every niche, varied with festions of smilax and wreaths of overgreen. Hand's orchestra discoursed choice music for the delectation of the dancers. Eckhardt provided the

tion of the dancers. Eckhardt provided the supper.

Mrs. Lay was assisted in the reception of her guests by Miss Smith, Miss Rochester of Buffalo, N. Y., Miss Smith of Buffalo, Miss Hayward of Batavis, and Miss Olive Lay.

THE FORTNIGHTLY RECEPTIONS, inaucurated on the first Monday of November by Mr. and Mrs. L. Stone at their residence, No. 1571 Indians avenue, have been very successful. Last Monday evening the lesding remarks were given by the Rev. Mr. Parkhurst upon the Philosophy of Buddha. Among those present were the Rev. and Mrs. Parkhurst, Mr. H. Everts of Highwood, the Rev. Mr. Woolfolk of Lexington, Ky., Prof. Everts, Mrs. Dr. Everts, Gen. and Mrs. lugledew, Mrs. Woodbridge of Dixon, Mrs. Bird Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Mr. Smith, Mr. S. J. Winegar, Miss Dowey, Mrs. Tomlinson, Mrs. Skates, Miss Hattie Winegar, Miss Lilly Skates, Misses Martha and Emma Fennimore.

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SURPRISE PARTIES.

The Misses Annie and Fannie Slocum were surprised Wednesday evening at their residence. No. 181 Park avenue.

A surprise was tendered to Miss Lanagan last Tuesday evening at her residence, No. 153 South Peoria street.

A number of the friends of Mr. Henry L.

A number of the friends of Mr. Henry L. Hatch gave him a surprise party Thursday evening at his residence. No. 105 Rhodes avenue.

Monday evening a surprise party was given to Mrs. T. M. Akerley at her residence near Union Park. It was the birthday of the hostess, and her many friends left nothing undone to make it a perfect surprise and success.

Friday evening Master Charlie and Miss Cora Hess were surprised at their parents' residence, No. 998 Indiana avenue.

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SAN GREAL

The ladies of the Eighth Presbyterian Church, belonging to the San Greal Society, gave an interesting entertainment Tuesday evening to a large and appreciative audience. Following is the programme, which was successfully carried out:

Dixon, Evans, Dean, Gillette, Woole, Gray, and others.

THE CENTENNIAL PARTY
to be given by the ladies of St. Paul's Universalist Church Tuesday evening, Feb. 22, promises to be a successful affair.

The booths of the thirteen States will be handsomely decorated, and the young ladies having them in charge are sure to make them an effective addition to the festival. Some of Mr. Lo's family, including himself, have consented to appear upon this occasion only, and will be found in their wigwam, which, with the gypsies and their levely Queen, will make an attractive feature of the entertainment. The old-time costumes, old folks' concert, New England kitchen and supper, art gallery, all to be seen and heard at the church, and a dancing party at Martine's South Side Hall, surely offer a sufficient inducement for any one to give the ladies and "Helpers" of the church a cordial support.

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FOURTH FARRAGUT DRAMATIC.
The entertainments of this Club have, for
the past two winters, crowded Standard Hall
with excellent audiences, and the next performance, to be held Monday evening, Feb. 21, will
prove no exception in this respect. Two light
and pleasing plays, entitled "Off the Stage"
and "An April-Fool," have been selected, the
entertainment to conclude with dancing until 12
o'clock. About 1,000 invitations have been entertainment to conclude with dancing until 12 o'clock. About 1,000 invitations have been issued.

and masquerading in gold-laced swallow-tails of green and blue and scarlet velvet, vast expanse of satin waistcoat, flowing white perukes, slim knee-breeches, and gorgeous buckles, formed a knee-breeches, and showed how much masculine dress had lost of the picturesque since its wear-ers ceased to be gentlement at court. Following is the procession of worthies in about the order they appeared:

The Washington family, escorted to their place by Mr. J. S. Dennis, who made the prepared by

jokes, and speeches of the gentlemen, the witty sallies of the ladies, and the choice selections of music from both, as well as the dancing, were of music from both, as well as the dancing, were enjoyed until near midnight, when a happier party never separated to go home. The Committee of Arrangements consisted of Miss Hena Fobes and Miss Minnie Waters, and their indefatigable exertions brought together some thirty or forty couples of the cream of West Side society.

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CHARITABLE ENTERTAINMENT.

A very pleasant entertainment was given
Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Charles Dupee, of Kenwood, for the benefit of the Protestant Or-phan Asylum, of which Mrs. Dupee is a Directress. Miss Douglass' very superior readings and Miss Knowles' musical gems contributed greatly to the enjoyment of the occasion. Mrs. Dupee furnished a choice collation.

MINOR MENTION.

A party was given Wedneedav evening at the residence of Mrs. Kerr. No. 447 Belden avenue, in honor of her niece, Miss Melody. About fifty

guests were present.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. Waite gave a large dinner party at her residence, No. 334 East Indiana street, only ladies being present. Hand furnished the music.

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A large party was given Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Adams, No. 300 North Dearborn street, about 200 being in attendance. Hand's orchestra furnished the music.

Tuesday evening the Misses Allie and Helen Creighton entertained a number of their friends at their residence, No. 547 Wost Monroe street.

Music and dancing formed the chief amusements. Supper was served by Eckhardt at 11 o'clock.

Last Tuesday evening the ladies of the Central Christian Church gave a Centennial party at Campbell Hall, corner of Campbell avenue and Van Buren street. About 200 persons were present, many of whom were dressed in costumes representing the days of 1776.

Mrs. Col. Stearns, No. 43 Twenty-fifth street,

entertained a company of friends Thursday even-

Friday evening Mrs. Henry Milward entertained a number of friends at her residence on Michigan avenue.

Wednesday evening Mrs. Edward Turner, No. Wednesday evening Mrs. Edward Turner, No. 1146 Wabash avenue, entertained, in elegant

style, about sixty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Lyon gave a pleasant entertainment to a number of friends at their residence, No. 262 Michigan avenue, Weduesday Hand furnished the music.

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A very pleasant reception was given Tuesday evening by Mrs. O. F. Avery and her daughter, Mrs. H. P. Morriman, at their residence, No. 445 Michigan avenue, to Miss Margie Ely, daughter of Z. S. Aly, Esq., of New York, and niece of Mrs. Averv. About one hundred guests were invited. The refreshments were served by Wright in unexceptionable style. A note-worthy circumstance was the fact that dancing was dispensed with and the guests enjoyed themselves in the good old-fashioned way which was invented long before the "glide waltz" and Boston 'dip."

The eleventh birthday of Miss May Bishon

The eleventh birthday of Miss Mav Bishop Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dean, was made the occasion for a party to which her many young friends were invited. A number of gifts were made to Miss May, including a check for \$100 from her father, a gold ring, silver napkin rings, and a gold pen.

Mrs. Clark L. Hill gave a musical soiree Tuesday evening at her residence, No. 47 Peoria street, about sixty being present. Supper by Ecknardt varied the programme.

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The Grace Church Alice Social has been postponed one week, and will meet next at the residence of Mrs. J. Roy Ronertson.

There will be an entertainment at Martine's North Side Hall, Chicago avenue, Tuesday evening, for the benefit of the Laddies' Work Society of Ascension Parish. It will consist of a parlor comedy entitled "My Uncle's Will," and the charming operetts, "High Life," the latter a novelty in the way of private theatricals.

The Young Peonle's Union of St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal Church, corner Washington and Ann streets, will give an entertainment Tuesday evening in the main auditorium of the church, including a lecture by Bishop Cheney, Subject—"John Wickliffe, the Morning Star of the Reformation." the Reformation.

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It is understood that a parlor concert is in course of preparation by some of the amateurs on the West Side, to be given in aid of the Foundlings' Home early in March, at the residence of one of the voung ladies assisting.

Conspicuous among the amusements of this week will be a concert and literary entertainment Thursday evening at the First United Presbyterian Church, corner Monroe and Paulius streets. Instrumental and vocal music will be furnished by Mrs. Eugenie de Roode-Rice. Miss Alice A. Putchins, Frank T. Baird, and Mr. H. L. Sloan. Several select roadings will be given by Miss Ullic R. Akerstrom, among others "Darius Green and His Flying Machine," and "The Polish Boy."

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A musical and dramatic entertainment under
A musical and brockresses of the Wash-A musical and dramatic entertainment ander the auspices of the Directresses of the Wash-ingtonian Home and for the benefit of the insti-tution will be given in the chapel of the Home Thursday evening, at which time will be pre-sented the temperance drama, "Fruits of the Wine Cup."

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Mrs. James Steele will give a large and elegant party Thursday evening, in honor of Miss Hannah McMahon, of Cleveland, O.

Mr. Fred Tuttle will give a masquerade party at the residence of his parents, No. 719 Michigan arenue. Tuesday evening.

A party will be given to-morrow evening by Mrs. A. Booth, at herresidence, No. 607 Michigan arenue.

PERSONAL.

Miss Mattie K. Sherman, recently of the Sherman House, is now residing at No. 694 Wabash avenue.

Miss Maude Smith, of Winona, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. P. B. Cook, No. 158 Forest ave-

nue.

The engagement of Mr. Edward Bennet. of this city, and Miss Dennison, of Boston, is announced. They met in Europe last year.

Mr. John A. Hand has received an invitation to go to Berlin, and he has decided to accent. It is doubtful, however, whether he will have an opportunity to play before the Emperor Willlam, since the Berlin which he is about to visit is situated in Wisconsin, and not so far distant as to prevent him from returning the next day.

MATRIMONIAL. JAYNE-BOGARDUP.

Thursday evening occurred the marriage of Miss Caroline L. Bogardus, daughter of H. A. Bugardus Esq., and Mr. Edgar L. Jayne, a member of the Chicago Bar. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 1226 Prairie avenue, and was witnessed by a select number of the friends of both parties. The Rev. William A. Bartlett officiated.
The bride was attired in ashes-of-rose silk, trimmed with orange-blossoms and pearl ornaments. Ida May Bogardus, sister of the bride, wore white tarlatan, trimmed with blue and natural flowers. Mrs. Bogardus was dressed in rich black silk, trimmed with black and white point lace and coral ornaments.

After the ceremony a reception was held. and among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bogardus, grandparents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. David Jayne of Wyoming

and among those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bogardus, grandparents of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. David Jayne of Wyoming Valley, Pa., parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bogardus, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bogardus, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. Laing. Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Laing. Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Laing. Mr. and Mrs. H. Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Col. Eldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Col. Eldridge, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. L. Cornell, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson De Golyer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bliss, Prof. Ed Olsen, Minnie Spring, Miss Fisher, Miss Allen, Miss Mitchell, Miss Addie De Golyer, Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, Mr. and Mr. Packard. Ed Bogardus, R. F. Redell, E. T. Fisher, W. H. Abbott, M. A. Cutter, Mr. L. Cornell.

The presents included a case of solid silver, Mr. Henry A. Bogardus; sat of pearls, bride's gift from groom; elegant wax cross, Mr. and Mrs. Melson DeGoyler; case of silver, Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Murray; silver cake basket, "Aunt Louiso;" case of silver sugar spoon, Mr. George Jayne; silver sugar spoon, Mrs. I. C. Day; silver card receiver, Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Murray; silver cake basket, "Aunt Louiso;" case of silver nut-picks and crackers, Miss Ha May Bogardus; silver pie knife, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bogardus; solens of Longfellow, Tennyson, and Whitter, Miss Ella and Mr. Walter Mitchell; handsome Bible, Mr. Samuel Bogardus; unique, silver cale bell, Mrs. Cuthbert W. Laing; beautiful statuette, Miss Emma Stiles; cut glass and silver perfective case, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Nichols; Samel Bogardus, grandmother of the bride; pair of cut glass bouquet-bolders, Mr. Frank R. Stiles; silver nut-bolder, lined with gold, Mr. Ed Bogardus; engravings, "Night" and "Morning." Misses Mary and Hattie Allen; pincushion, Miss Addie DeGolver; cut glass gold card-receiver, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Nichols; silver borry-dish, with cream pitcher and sugar-bowl attached, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Redell; silver card-receiver, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Eldridge;

Mrs. E. V. Seymour; silver card-receiver. Mr. Waldo Howe and Miss Etta Norton; bronze ink-stand and gold pen, Mr. Edward Olsen. Supper, furnished by Eckhardt, was served

Mrs. E. V. Seymour; silver card-receiver, Mr. Waldo Howe and Miss Etta Noton; bronze isk stand and gold pen, Mr. Edward Olson.
Supper, furnished by Eckhardt, was served late in the ever_N.M.—UTCRINGS.
Wednesday evening the mariage of Miss Josephus Hutchings and Mr. William H. McLean took place at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 232 Olso street, the Rev. Dr. Harris officiation.
Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gregg, Mr. and Mrs. Warron, Mrs. Trumbult, Card. Mrs. Eli Washburn. Mrs. Mand Mrs. Alrencer, Mrs. and Mrs. Mars. Mars. Mars. Washburn. Mrs. Trumbult, Clare D. Milson of Milwaukee, Wis. Mrs. Jerome Platt of St. Paul, Minon, Mrs. Sutherland, Dr. and Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Dekinson, Mrs. Washburn; Bohemian glass toilet set, Misses Frankie and Addie Miner; silver berry spoon, Mrs. Locke; silver perfumery case, Mrs. William R. Armstrong; silver card-receiver and card-case, Miss H. Locke; silver bouquet-holder, Mrs. John W. Gregg; Russia photograph album, Mr. and Mrs. Mudie; silver napkin rings, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Chatfield; bronze bouquet stand, Misé Ella G. Ives; silver and cut-glass sugarbowl and cream-pitcher, Mr. and Mrs. S. Clement.

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DUNPHY—SLOAN.

The marriage of William H. Dunphy, Esq., of Washington, Ga., to Miss Minnie Sioan, daughter of Edward Sioan. Esq., was celebrated at the Cathedra! of the Holy Name Wednesday evening, the Rev. Dr. T. Butler officiating. The bridesmaids were Miss Nellie Miner, of Lake Forest, and Maggie E. O'Connor, of this city. The groomsmen were Messrs. Thomas J. O'Connor and James E. Miner.

SILVER WEDDING.

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Dunne was observed at their residence, No. 731 North Wells street, Wednesday evening. Music was furnished by Fitzgerald's orchestra. In the course of the evening a presentation was made to Mr. Dunne of sixty pieces of silver, the speech being made by the Mon. T. M. Halpine.

Among the guests were William J. Hynes, John L. Scanlon, W. W. O'Brien, William Condon, Ald. M. Bailey and daughter, Capt. C. P. McKay, Col. Cleary, Austin Doyle, Frank Agnew, Jim O'Neill, Mr. O'Meara, J. T. Egan, and Mr. O'Rourke, together with their wives, daughters, etc. The Rev. Father Cashman was also present. The party, which began at 10 p. m., was still in progress at 6 in the morning. The visitors brought their own refreshments along, so that the invaded household had no care whatever. ever.

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The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. S. S.
Brown, old and respected residents of Rockford, will be celebrated Tuesday evening,
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ford, will be celebrated Tuesday evening, Feb. 22.

Wednesday evening Miss Sarab, daughter of the Hon. Judge John G. Rozers, and Mr. Samuel P. McCounel will be married at the residence of the bride's father, No. 162 Ashland avenue. A reception wil' follow the ceremony from half-past 6 until halt-past 8 o'clock.

The wedding of Mr. Epbert N. Leonard, of Lyons. N. Y., formerly of this city, and Miss Ciara R. Gillette, will take place Monday evening. Feb. 21, at the First Congregational Church. After the ceremony there will be a reception at the residence of the bride's father, P. W. Gillette, Esq., No. 167 Castre avenue. The Misses Ora B. Marshall and Lizzie A. McKinnon will officiate as brideemands, and Messers. Arthur Gray and William E. Miller as groomsmen. The ushers chosen are Messrs. Dean, Webbel, Wylie, and Woodford, Several hundred invitations will be issued.

"ON WITH THE DANGE."
MATTERON HOUSE HOP.
The party given by the guests of this hotel last Wednesday evening was highly successful. The dining-hall had been arranged and decorated for the occasion, and a more admirable place for dancing could not well have been found. Among those in attendance were : Mr. and Mrs.

E. F. Dyke, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Wright, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Martine, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sturtevant, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Morris nee Scranton, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Timerman, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane, Mr. and Mrs. Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes, Dr. and Mrs. Somers, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. George C. ruff. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wentworth, Mr. and Mrs. George Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Burkholder, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. holder, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Gage, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Humphrey, Mr. Enos Ayres, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Bucklin, Mrs. L. W. Wallace, of Pittsburg; Madame Eugenie DeRoode Rice, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Cillev, Mrs. L. W. Wallace, of Pittsburg; Madame Eugenie DeRoode Rice, Mrs. Webster, Mrs. Cillev, Mrs. R. M. Alead, of Galesburg, Hl.; Mrs. J. H. Chesner, of Abington, Ill.; Miss Jennie Cameron, Miss May Owen, Miss Mary Goodrich, Miss Catrie Adams, Miss Johnson, Miss Helen Woodbury, Miss Flora Estev, Miss Emma Woodruff, Miss Matic Coan, the Missee Stebert, Miss Frankie Woodruff, Miss Virginia Chapin, Miss Mattie Martin, Miss McLane, Miss Virginia Beebe, Miss Clara Skinkle, Miss Merriman, Miss Kerr, Miss Mortmer, Miss Mary Anderson, of Palmyra, N. Y.; Miss Sue Eddy, of Binghamton, N. Y.; Miss Vol Wider, Miss Hopkins, Miss Hattie Lyon, Miss Maud Rice, Messrs. Robert Ingram, W. H. Bush, E. B. Anderson, C. C. Colins, R. Van Wych. Julius Goodrich, M. A. Loring, L. P. Pease, W. Van Brocklin, J. L. Day, A. Bowersax, P. C. Coggeshell, A. B Jenks, G. H. Bills, George W. Clark, Thompson, George T. Kessler, Ed Palmer, Fred Mills, George Gibbs, G. H. Bills, F. C. Andress, Remick, Williams, Davidson, Siebert.

At 12 o'clock an excellent supper was served, the edibles having been turnished by the proprietors of the hotel. The party broke up about 2 o'clock L. H. Humphrey, Mr. Enos Ayres, Mrs. Rober

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The annual ball of St. George's Benevolent Association was held Tuesday evening at the Sherman House. The large dining-hall was elegantly decorated with flags and evergreeus.

Among those present were Mr. Godfrey Macdonald, President of St. Androw's Society, and wife, the Hon. and Mrs. Robert Hervey, the Hon. Mayor Colvin, Col. and Mrs. Alexander Kirkland, President George E. Gooch, Mr. and Mrs. James Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barnard, Mr. Edgar Sanders, Mr. and Mrs. Washington Hesing, Mr. and Mrs. William McLane, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Guerolt, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. James John, Mr. and Mrs. Bolch, Mr. and Mrs. James John, Mr. and Mrs. Begenhardt, Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Draper, Mr. and Mrs. George Braham, the Hon, and Mrs. Wayman, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Burroughs, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Chester, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Price, Mr. and Mrs. McKonzie, Mrs. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles David, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anning, of Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Holdeworth, Mr. and Mrs. And Mrs. Mrs. Mrs. Mrs. Richard Slater, Mr. and Mrs. James Mrs. Beth Hanchett, Mr. and Mrs. Jund Mrs. Holdeworth, Mr. and Mrs. Government Mrs. Holdeworth, Mrs. Charles Kern, Mrs. Holdeworth, Mrs. Bulton, Mr. and Mrs. Jund Mrs. Bette Hanchett, Mr. and Mrs. Jund Mrs. Holdeworth, Mrs. Charles Kern, Mrs. Charles Mrs. Or Poughteepsie, N. Y., McM

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WEST SIDE RECEPTION.

This Club gave a leap-year party Monday evening at Martine's, which proved a happy affair. The floor managers were Miss Flora M. Adcock, Miss Fanne S. Daniels, Miss Nellie S. Ring,

Miss Hattie N. Dunn, Miss Helen M. Dean, Miss Emma M. Galon, and it is needless to say that they performed their arduous duties nobly and

smith, E. C. whithey, J. S. Shinpson, L. D. Yourhees, T. E. Teegarten.

MIGNON CLUB.

The members of this organization met Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Daniels, No. 115 South Leavitt street. Among those in attendance were Misses May Goodrich, Tiffany, Ita Morgan, Helen Chase, May Adams, Brace, Peck, Clara Willard, Corlett, Marion Morgan, Maggie Cossett, Minnie Green, Fannie Daniels, Hattie Osborn, Wampley; Messrs. F. W. Cronkhite, C. H. Bagley, G. H. Bentley, F. E. Gulver, C. J. Dorrance, Harry Green, William Goodman, W. A. Hammond, William Hoagland, T. C. Goodman, S. Donorgan, W. J. Peck, C. H. Strong, Juius Goodrich, Ed Gilbert, J. M. Page, F. B. Daniels.

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SANS PAREIL.

The members of this Club met last Monday evening at Bournique's, at the first party of the second series, and enjoyed themselves as usual. The supper was furnished by Eckhardt. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Hess, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Spring, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. March, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hartman, Mr., and Mrs. E. H. Spring, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. March, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Morley, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wahl, Mrs. and Mrs. W. L. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wahl, Mrs. S. D. Kimbark, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sink, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sink, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sink, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sink, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sink, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Sink, Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Oakley, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer, Misses Hough, Porter, Kent, Booth, Kimbark, Messrs. Hough, Trumball, Bright. Giover, Peck.

BRIEF ITEMS.

About eighty-dive couples attended the leapyar party at Bournique's Wednesday evening.

The Eight O'Clock Club gave their regular party Wednesday evening at the residence of Miss Larrabee, No. 363 Onio street.

The Lakeside Club held their eighth party Friday evening at Prof. Bournique's Hall, as usual. About fifty couples were presect. The next party will take place Friday, at which all the members are particularly requested to be present, so as to make finial arrangements for the last party before Lent, to take place Thursday evening, Feb. 21.

The West End Club gave an amateur operatic entertainment Friday evening that was very creditable to the performers and entertaining to the audience. " SANS PAREIL.
The members of this Club met last Monday

The fourth assembly of the LaBelle Club was The fourth assembly of the Labelle Club was held Tuesday evening at Windett Parlors, Nos. 106 and 108 Milwaukee avenue. The weather was unfavorable to party-going, but nevertheless about sixty couples faced the rain to attand. The next party will occur Feb. 22.

A very pleasant party was given by the Snow-fiske Glub at the residence of the Hon. A. L. Morrison, No. 16 Winchester avenue, Wednes-Flake Clina & the residence of the Montison, No. 16 Winchester avenue, Wednesday evening.

The Union Club of Hinsdale gave a masquerade party Thursday evening. Fitzgerald being present with his parlor orchestra.

FOR THE FUTURE.

The Sans Pareil Club will meet Monday evening at Konynique's.

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The Ellis Park Club will give the third party of their series Thursday evening.
The Bon Ami Club meets at M. T. Whitaker's, No. 778 West Monroe street, Monday evening.
The Hyde Park Informal Club will be entertained by Mrs. J. W. Oakley Tuesday evening.
The Bric-a-Brac Club meets Monday evening at the residence of Mrs. W. J. Pope, No. 487

west Monday evening.

The regular February meeting of the Farragut
Boat Club will give their next
party Monday evening. Feb. 21, at Martine's
West Side Academy.

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Martine's North Side Reception Club will give

Martine's North Side Reception Club will give their next party Monday evening at the Academy, No. 272 Chicago avenue.

The next regular datty of the Pall Mall Club will occur Friday evening, Feb. 18, at the resi-dence of Thomas Chalmers, Esq., No. 374 West Monroe street.

The Nameless Club meet Wednesday evening at St. John's Hall, corner of West Lake street

and St. John's place.
The Skinner Clubwill give the first party of their second series at Carr's West Side Academy, corner of Lake and Wood streets on Wednesday Dancing, will commence at 8 o'clock

ner of Lake and Wood streets, on Wednesday evening. Dancing will commence at 8 o'clock and close at 12. Managers: C. R. Clark, M. F. Tarbie, J. T. Oliver, C. A. Pitts.

The Ivanhoe Club will give a full dress formal party Thursday evening at the residence of John E. Owsley, Esq., No. 185 Ashland avenue. Notwithstanding the fact that this will be a formal party, it is the intention of the managers to commence dancing promptly at half-past 8 o'clock.

o'clock.

The Vernon Club will give a large reception party at the residence of Henry H. Cooley, Eaq., No. 1109 hitbigan avenue, Friday evening. Hand and Wright will furnish music and supor respectively.
The reception at Martine's South Side Acad-

The reception at Martine's South Side Academy Saturday evening will be a leap-year party, under the management of the following committee of ladies: Mrs. Hartman. Miss Matio Coan, Miss Fannie Graham, Miss Thereas Cushing, and Miss Waters.

The Entre Nous Club will give one of their complimentary calloo hops at the West Twelfth Street Turner Hall Tuesday evening.

The closing social in the season's series for All-Saints' Church will be given Feb. 23 at Martine's West Side Hall.

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The second annual reception of the Engle-wood Hose Company will be held at High-School
Hall Monday evening, Feb. 21.

The South End Club give their next party
Tuesday evening at Carr's Hall, No. 789 Cottage Grove avenue.

A bal masque will be given by the Pickwick Club at Greenebaum's Hall Tuesday evening.

The young ladies in the vicinity of Lincoln Park and Lake View will give a leap-year party Wednesday evening at Carr's Academy, No. 967 North Clark atreet. North Clark street.

A masquerade party will be given by the Minerya Club Friday evening at Greenebaum's Hall, No. 76 Fifth avenue.

The Unknown Pleasure Club will give a masquerade at Martine's South Side Academy Monday evening, Feb. 28.

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A citizen of Chicago, well known for his culture and wealth, has just completed one of the most elegant and striking residences in this cr any other American city. Importuned by us many friends to show them how he succeede in his undertaking, he has made careful and valuable memorands of his method of procedure. We are allowed to publish his statement, merely withholding his name.

THE LOW.

I bought a fine corner lot of George H. Heas & Co. They showed me some very choice property, such as No. 617 Michigan avenue, with a 30-foot lot, at a fair price, but I preferred to build my own house, although it was to cost me more.

Determining at the very outset that my house Determining at the very outset that my house should be perfectly plauned and thoroughly built, I selected the prominent architect of Chicago, Mr. C. P. Thomas, to prepare the designs and superintend the work of building. His sefforts in my case have been well worthy of his brilliant reputation. The design of the house, the arrangement of its interior, and the uniform excellence of its construction, are themes of unqualified pleasure to my family, my friends, and myself. It is hardly necessary for me to refer to Mr. Thomas' eminence as an architect, for that is a matter of general fame. I cannot help, however, bearing individual testimony to his genius, his courtesy, his business energy, and his invariable fair-dealing. His reputation as a master of the classic and other standard models is as wide-spread as it is most justly merited.

THE STONE-WORK. After a thorough investigation I decided to

After a thorough investigation I decided to employ the services of Messrs. Boldenweck & Heune, of Nos. 11 to 23 East Tyler street, and the result has proved the wisdom of my judgment. These gentlemen bring an intelligence and energy to bear in their business which is the best assurance of success. They furnished all the stone needed for building purposes throughout, dressed and cut as wanted, according to the designs of the architect. The stone-cutting is done in an artistic manner, with the most careful attention to details. This firm did the stonework for many of our most elegant city residences, among which are those of Perry H. Smith and U. P. Smith, in anstocratic Aldine Square, and for the beautrial Duulap buildings and others among the finest residence blocks in the city. I take pleasure in recommending the services of Messre Boldenweck & Henne to all who are about to build.

WOOD-WORK AND STAIR-BUILDING.
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WOOD-WORK AND STAIR-BUILDING.

The interior finish of "my house has been greatly admired, and I think with good reason, for I was very particular that it should be done in the best possible manuer. The result was more than satisfactory. Not only are the woods of the choicest varieties, but the best of their kind, and finished in the most artistic manuer. After what I have said, it is hardly necessary to add that the wood-work, the stair-building, the architraves of the doors and windows, etc., was done by Mr. J. Tomlinson, for that gentleman's superiority in work of this kind is well known by Chicago architects and builders. My attention was first called to Mr. Tomlinson by an examination of the two fine houses of E. C. and W. C. Larned, corner of Rush and Ohio streets, the stairs of which have such an easy, graceful ascent that it is a pleasure to walk up them; also the elegant row of twenty-five houses opposite Union Park, to all of which Mr. T. furnished the stairs and did wood-work. Mr. Tomlinson's place of business, northeast corner of Franklin and Congress streets, is extensive and well arranged.

There is no feature in my house in which I

ranged.

HARDWARE, BELLS, ETC.

There is no feature in my house in which I feel greater satisfaction and security than in the locks, bells, speaking-tubes, and hardware generally, which I have used in the construction. This is because I employed a gentleman to do that branch of work who makes a specialty of it, and has all the facilities for doing it well, Mr. J. F. Wellensak, Nos. 230 and 232 LaSalle street, whose sign informs the world that he is a manufacturer, jobber, and retailer in locks, bells, bronze goods, and everything pertaining to builder's hardware. It is the depot for locksmiths and bell-bangers' supplies. He put in bells, bronze goods, and everything pertaining to builder's hardware. It is the denot for locksmiths and bell-hangers' supplies. He put in an electric annuciator connecting with the front doors and the various apartments on the first and second floors, placing the instrument in a handsome walnut case in the kitchen. In addition, he put in a call-bell, located in the stable, and a burglar-alarm protecting all the stable, and a burglar-alarm protecting all the windows and outside doors. The bell, a very handsome silver-plated one, is located in our sleeping-room on the first floor. There are also speaking-tubes in the main chambers and hails leading to the kitchen. My locks and other hardware trimmings furnished by Mr. Wollensak I am satisfied are much better and cheaper than I could have obtained from any other hardware firm. I must not forget to mention the patent transom-lifter and lock which he placed upon all my transoms. This device is not only a convenience but a great conservator of comfort and health. Mr. Wollensak is the inventor, and he has a fortune in the ingenious little contrivance. He recently put them on the Paluce Hotel, San Francisco. I have double reason to congratulate myself in employing the services of this gentleman for the performance reason to congratulate myself in employing the services of this gentleman for the performance of this branch of my work,—first, because it is well done, and is no: continually getting out order, and, second, because I have made a great part of the property of the proper order, and, second, because I have made a gear saving by having it all done at one place and by one who is competent. I know by what I have seen others pay, that if I had purchased my hardware at a regular hardware store the whole would have cost me nearly double as much as I had to pay, and would not have been half as

bad to pay, and would not have been half as well done.

THE PLASTZERING.

I have had the plastering throughout the whole house done by E. Smith, of Nos. 184 and 185 State street, and formerly Smith & Eastman. The plain plastering is firm, smooth, and hard, while the centre pieces on the ceilings, and the cornices and moldings in all the different rooms, are as graceful in design and as sharply defined as though cut in marble by the most experienced of sculptors. Speaking of marble remunds me of the specimens of marble duplication done in plaster by this expert artist and his talented corps of assistants. The imitation of the color, texture, and veining of Italian, American, Florentine, and other marbles is simply perfect. Examples of Mr. Smith's handicraft are to be found all over Chicago. The fine work in plain and fancy plastering in the Tremont, Palmer, Cilifton, and Matteson Houses, Chamber of Commerce, and hundreds of elegant private residences, was done by him. He does a general business in everything connected with the plastering trade, and contracts made with him are always carried out to the complete satisfaction of his patrons.

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THE PAINTING AND FRESCOING.

When it is understood that I determined the plain and decorative painting in my house should be as complete as refined judgment and superior artistic genius could make it, I suppose it is well-nigh superfluous for me to add that I selected Almini & Co. to do the work. He is the master of choice freeco work in the West, and is above and beyond competition.

Just now, assisted by his gifted staff of artists, he is freecoing the grand dining-salon of the Pacific Hotel in a manner which will make the place, when fluished, the noblest example of freeco art to be found in all America. The force of designers, artists, and general workmen employed by Mr. Almini is conceded to be the most talented in the country. Nothing but the most superb of work is ever produced by them. For the refined and beautiful decoration of public edifices or private homes, one has but to summon Almini.

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These form a very important feature in the ornamentation of the establishment, and my friends and visitors are enchanted with their artificial the author of the stable of the summer of the stable of the stable of the summer of the stable of the summer of the stable of th stic and beautiful effect, while to me they are

tistic and beautiful effect, while to me they are a source of continual pleasure.

The work was done by the superb French process of disphanie. In effect it brings out all the delicacy of design, richness and variety of color, and luminous glow which characterize the rarest specimens of stained glass in the palaces of the Old World, and which I have found after thorough examination cannot be produced at any price by the regular process in this country. Messrs. Henry Wood & Co., Nos., 81 and 83

Madison street, are the importers and wholesale agents for Chicago and the Northwest, and have an expert English designer and competent assistants to decorate all kinds of windows in designation of the children of the chil

gallery of samples of the above firm, whether

gallery of samples of the above firm, whether they wish to purchase or not.

THE SKILIGHTS in my house have been admirably put in by Messrs. A. Knisely & Co., of Nos. 72 and 7: West Monroe street. The firm controls the Hayes patent, and also does the best of iron cornice work, etc. It did the work for the Illinois State-House, Detroit Public Library, and other prominent buildings. The firm can put in sky lights in size from 2 to 100 feet square in any part of the United States.

THE ROOF.

Desiring to procure a really first-class felt and

Desiring to procure a really first-class felt and gravel roof. I inquired of my friends, among whom I might mention C. H. & L. J. McGormick. the Singer & Talcott Stone Company, T. V Wadskier, and many others, and they unanimously referred me to the Chicago Roofing Company, at No. 193 South LaSalle street, whe they said had done work for them to their entire satisfaction.

MY FURNACE, which gives mo perfect satisfaction, is an Empire gas-ourner, furnished by Hatch & Breeze, No. 50 State street. It is a self-feeder, is easy to regulate, and is economical.

MY PAPER-HANGINGS and window-shades were obtained from John J McGrath, Nos. 174 and 176 State street, which is all I need say, for the superiority of Mr. McGrath's goods is well known. Grath's goods is well known.

THE MARQUETRY FLOORS
in my dining and music rooms were laid by A.
H. Andrews & Co. They combine beauty and permanence to a surprising degree, and give the best of satisfaction in every respect. Marquetry floors are healthful, cleanly, and economical, and must eventually come into general use. THE CUT-GLASS

which adorns the hall-doors was obtained of George Misch & Brother. The work is elegant and attistic, and the bill, I am happy to add, was perfectly reasonable. A Young Man Suddenly Becomes

Deaf. Dumb, and Blind. Fond du Lac Commonwealth. Our readers will readily call to mind a sicken-

ing case of wife-murder which occurred in the Town of Lamartine, a year ago last November. Russell Brown, while insane, in a most brutal manner, butchered his wife and then fled, and has never been heard from. Mrs. Brown had been married to the murderer but a few months. She was the widow Booth previous to the marriage, and had severat children, among them, riage, and had several children, among them, Elliot Booth, who is now about 18 years of age. Not long after his mother's terrible death young Booth became insane, and was taken to the Oshkosh Asylum. Recovering his reason he went back, and we believe that most of the tims he has been at work for William Stearns. About two months ago, while in church, he suddenly became blind, and remained so several days, and then as suddenly his sight returned to him. About two weeks ago, while suffering from a severe headache, he became blind a second time, and after a few days could see as well as ever agun. On Thursday last, while at work, he became blind a third time, and soon after he was further afflicted with deafness and then he became dumb. So he has remained up to the present time. He was to-day brought to the city for treatment. The case is a most remarkable one, surely. markable one, surely.

The Mutual Life.

Mr. Oville Cronkhite no longer represents the Matual Life Insurance Company of New York. In fact, the business of the Company has been under the supervision of Mervin Tabor, Special Agent, for the past month. The office of the Agency is now in Meeler's new building, 95 Dearborn street. Merrell & Ferguson, General Agents. J. W. Meaker, Special Agent. Chance for a Good Investment.

The Atlantic & Pacific Railroad of Missouri are laying out a new town on their road in Webster County,

Missouri, and are giving away to any cue avery alter-nate lot. only charging for matter nate lot, only charging for making and recording deed. For further particulars call at their General Agency, 69 Dearborn street. Blanche Tucker or Bianca Rosavella. Gentile, the photographer, has just completed a very beautiful portrait of this talented Chicago prima

donns, who is to make her debut in Europe shortly.

Can be seen at Gentile's studio, 103 State street. A Lady Correspondent Writes to Know what nation furnishes the best domestics. We referred the matter to our wife, who decides in favor of our own country and the "Light Running Domestic,"

e found at 180 State street. What a Fool I've Been is the verdict of half the men who gave away their old clothes previous to letting Cook & McLain clean them once. Their numbers are 80 Dearborn, 93 and 22

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are like natural flowers and bouquets It is well to get clear of a cold the first week, but it is much better and safer to rid yourself of it the first forty-eight hours—the proper remedy for the purposa being Dr. Jayne's Expectorant.

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Three medals were awarded at Vienna, Philadelphia, and New York, to Henry Rocher, artist photographer, No. 724 Wabash avenue,

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sistants to decorate all kinds of windows in use signs to barmonize with the surroundings.

It is very effective for hall, vestibule, staircase, conservatory, transom, and other lights, and is used in England and France for upper lights in dining-rooms and libraries. The work is as enduring as the house, and I am sure that lovers of the beautiful will enjoy a visit to the

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