

Social and Personal

Announcements and items for this department must be brought or telephoned to the society editor, No. 95 or 1943, not later than 1 p. m. of the day of publication.

A most delightful social event was the farewell reception given by the Women's Guild of St. John's Episcopal church yesterday afternoon, at the rectory, for Mrs. John T. Earl and her cousin, Miss Julia Rothrock, who leave next week for their new home in New Jersey. Mrs. Earl has been president of the guild for the past two years, and has also served in that capacity, at other times during her residence here. The house was decorated with pink roses. During the afternoon a program was given consisting of vocal selections by Mrs. George Lohrman, Mrs. Wilbur Gray and Mrs. Harold Walters, together with readings by Master Charles Silvers. A two-course luncheon was served. Mrs. Earl was presented with a handsome silver trivet by the guild members, and Miss Rothrock was also remembered with a gift. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. B. Bigler and Miss Lillian Swygart of Chicago, Rev. Duncan Weeks and his mother, Mrs. Weeks, of Goshen, and Mrs. Caroline Howard of Fort Wayne.

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The Royal Neighbors held an interesting and largely attended meeting last evening at which three candidates were initiated. Mrs. Bertha Nickum, Mrs. Pearl Patterson and Mrs. Mary Price entertained with various contests, following the meeting, and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Helen Leininger, Mrs. Pearl Patterson and Mrs. Elsie Vogt. The entertainment committee for April 22 consists of Mrs. Alta Robinson, Mrs. Ada Rose, Mrs. Kate Listenberger and Mrs. Ona Paulus.

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The Phi Sigma Chi sorority met Monday at the home of Miss Dorothy Roberts, 428 Maple row. During the business meeting utility bags were turned in for the Red Cross society, also each member agreed to devote one evening a week to the surgical dressing class of the Red Cross. The remainder of the evening was spent socially, during which hearty farewells were given to Miss Dorothy Roberts and Miss Ernestine Sherman, who are leaving Elkhart on Thursday to take positions in Washington D. C.

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SHIDLER—PLETCHER

Miss Nora Mable Shidler and Clifford Earl Pletcher of this city were married at high mass at 3 o'clock this morning by Fr. F. J. Jansen at St. Vincent's church. They were attended by Miss Mary Eppers and George Eppers. The groom is a New York Central brakeman.

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Miss Ruth Powers, who has been a clerk at Ziesel-Brothers' store for the past two years, making her home with her aunt, Miss Evaline Helvie, left this morning for Indianapolis, where her mother lives. Announcement of Miss Powers' plans was made at an

April fool party given last week at the home of Miss Carrie Nopper, Hickory street, at which she was the guest of honor.

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WINTERHOFF—MISHLER

Miss Chella Marie Winterhoff of this city and D. L. Mishler of Gary, but formerly of Elkhart, were married at the Plymouth Congregational church in Fort Wayne Monday afternoon. Miss Lulu Brandt of this city was among the guests. The bride has made her home since childhood with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Sixbey of this city. Her mother, Mrs. Roe Kremer, lives in Fort Wayne. Mr. Mishler is now employed by the E. G. & E at Gary, where they will make their home.

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Rev. Dr. C. E. Rice of Bellefontaine, Ohio, former pastor of the Grace Lutheran church of this city, was here yesterday for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. O. L. Biddle, 1537 West Franklin street.

Justice J. M. Brumbaugh left this afternoon for Nappanee to visit his sister, Mrs. Mary E. Artz, who tomorrow will dispose of her property and for the present will make her home with a neighbor.

Rev. H. Holliger of Waukegon, Ill., is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. R. Bassler, Riverside drive.

Harry Hatfield, who has been seriously ill at his home, 1009 Middlebury street, is able to sit up.

Paul Andrew Andresen of 1128 Cassopolis street, H. W. Loney of 1013 Irwin street, and C. F. Doty of rural route No. 7, left this afternoon for Fort Leavenworth, Kan., where they will enter the land training section of the signal corps.

Frank Hunter of Sherman street is confined to his home by an attack of grip.

Miss Eva Wallace, who lives south of the city on the Prairie street road, received sprains to her left hand in a fall yesterday. The member formerly was injured and was just recovering when the second accident took place.

Mrs. D. Ivens of 1,006 North street is ill with the grip.

Mrs. John Smith of 1138 South Main street is suffering from an attack of grip.

William Shultz of 507 Cleveland avenue is recovering from an attack of pleuro-pneumonia.

Wendell, young son of J. P. Ryan of Oakland avenue, is suffering from an attack of rheumatism.

The P. G. club will be entertained all day Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Minnie Leib, Cone street.

Dr. and Mrs. S. A. S. E. Stouffer and DeVon Hubbard of Marion spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ullery, 519 Capital boulevard, and other friends. Mr. Hubbard went today to his former home in Johnstown, Pa.

W. W. Stickels of 214 Reading avenue tomorrow will leave for Los An-