

WEDDING BELLS

LACEY—WINTER.

The wedding of Miss Caroline Winter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Winter and Mr. Edw. Lacey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lacey, took place on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the family residence, corner of Mid-daugh avenue and Franklin street.

The guests to the number of 72 witnessed the ceremony which was performed by the Rev. Paul Viehe, pastor of the Congregational church, the ring ceremony being used.

The house was beautifully decorated by our florist, Jno. Gollan, and made a charming background for the bridal party. Miss Clara Lacey was the maid of honor, while Miss Kate Gollar was the bridesmaid, and Mr. Gilbert Lacey served his brother as best man. Miss Florence Lacey played the Mendelssohn wedding march and the Misses Genevieve Lacey and Ruth Lancaster stretched the ribbons and helped serve in the dining room.

A very handsome array of gifts showed the esteem of the neighbors and friends.

The bride and groom left for a trip to the east and very cleverly outwitted a number of their friends who so kindly went to the city and visited two stations but failed to find them.

They will be at home after July 1st at 116 N. Main street.

Ultra-Refined.

There is a snicky, over-precise, ultra-refined morality and idealism which is difficult to adjust to the larger, coarser, simpler, but often more vital ethics and aspiration of men.—Woman's Share in Social Culture.

NOTICE.

Help the Village Beautiful.

On Friday, July 4, a committee of three citizens will be directed to make a tour of the village, inspecting parkways and streets, and as soon thereafter as practicable a list of "Honor Streets" will be made public.

In selecting the streets and avenues to be placed in the Honor list the committee will be governed by the appearance of the highway and the adjacent lawns as well as by the parkways. Long grass, weeds and rubbish will count heavily against any street.

In this connection the editor wishes to announce that he has been requested to print each week a list of locations in the village where the parkways need attention, by reason of quantities of weeds and other unsightly objects. As there may be some excuse, not known to the editor, for these conditions, this request has not been complied with, but the question is still under consideration, and if convinced that such publication would tend to decrease the number of blots on the fair visage of the village the columns of the Reporter may yet be stained with a detailed description of the ugly spots.

FUNERAL OF ALBERT L. SMART.

The funeral services of Mr. Albert L. Smart of Cass, Ill., were held in the Cass M. E. Church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. W. C. Cronk officiating. A host of friends attended the funeral and extend their sympathies to the bereaved. The obituary will appear in our next issue.

SCHOOL HOUSE PLANS VIEWED

Petition For Special Election to Authorize Erection of New School House Circulated

Sketches and floor drawings for a new school building on the present Maple avenue site were inspected last Saturday evening at a public meeting which was well attended by representative citizens.

The plans were explained by the architects who drew them, and later the needs of the district and details of financing the building proposition were discussed. A petition asking for a special election to authorize the erection of a school building in substantial accordance with the sketches submitted was signed by many those who attended the meeting and is now being circulated for additional signatures.

In brief the proposed plans call for the erection of a building to take the place of the old four-room structure at the rear of the Maple avenue school. The new building, according to the outline sketches, would contain eight class rooms and ample facilities for manual training and domestic science courses. In addition, provision is made for an assembly room which would accommodate about four hundred and fifty persons and would be invaluable in school work and also be of great advantage as a social center for the village and district.

Beneath the assembly room it is planned to have a gymnasium with shower and lockers for the use of the school children. It is also the intention of the Board of Education to lay out a cinder track on the athletic field and by every means possible encourage in the right direction the athletic tendencies of the youth of the village.

The cost of the proposed building will be about \$35,000, which in the present financial condition of the district must be met by a bond issue. The present assessed valuation of the property in the school district is round numbers is \$700,000, and the limit of bonded indebtedness is five per cent of the assessed valuation of \$35,000. The present tax rate for the district is 2.62 1/2 cents. The legal limit of taxes for the district is 3 cents and in no case can the tax exceed that amount.—The school laws require the expenditure of about \$18,000 a year. A three-cent tax on the present valuation would amount to about \$21,000. By careful management this amount can be made to cover the payment of the bonds as they mature and meet the running expenses of the district.

It is the intention of the Board of Education to prepare printed details of the proposed schoolhouse showing the different features of the building before the electors of the district are called on to vote on the building proposition. Ample time and opportunity will be given for careful consideration of the project, which is essentially of vital interest to every resident of the district.



—Irve Heardt, who has been in the local office of the Lord Lumber Co. for twelve years, is taking the place of W. J. Herring, the deceased vice president and general manager, at the La Grange office of the company. Carl Staiger is in charge of the local office.

—Harold Blum, son of Dr. Blum of Flagstaff, Ariz., is spending several weeks with his aunt, Mrs. J. B. Miller.

—Dressler Brothers baled in the neighborhood of 100 tons of hay for the farmers south of Hinsdale last week.

—Foster and Blair Hubbard and the Misses Sadie Reidler and Almeda Stahl went to Chicago Sunday morning and took a pleasure ride to St. Joe, Mich., returning Sunday night.

—Mrs. J. H. Grindell of Plattville, Wis., is visiting Mrs. A. L. Lynch of Oakwood avenue.

—Drs. Jas. G. Kiernan and H. C. B. Alexander of Rogers Park visited at the home of O. A. Stoops on Sunday.

—Mrs. Libbie Chester, who is making her home with her son Glen of Carpenter street, visited in Chicago Monday.

—Miss Maud Dewey left for a western trip Saturday night, which will include Denver, Colorado Springs, the Garden of the Gods, Manitou and Silver Plume.

—Mrs. James Bowie of Riverside was the guest of Mrs. Lemon on Monday.

—Mrs. E. C. Stanley, Mrs. Huntington and Mrs. W. S. Bebb report they are having winter weather at the "summer resort."

FLAG DAY.

The services for Flag day will be celebrated at the Methodist Episcopal Church.

All societies, churches, schools and all citizens are cordially invited to participate in this, one of the newest of our national holidays, set aside to commemorate our national colors, the Red, the White and the Blue.

Flag day falls this year on Saturday, June 14th, and all merchants and citizens are requested to make a display of our national emblem.

"To Honor Our Flag" might be called an excuse for this holiday. If a holiday sets aside to do homage to a flag as universally honored and respected as ours needed any excuse. And under whose colors and for its protection many a patriot has fought and died.

A SOCIAL AFTERNOON.

Mrs. Edward Lemon entertained on Tuesday afternoon at her pleasant home on Highland avenue. Cards were the amusement of the afternoon. Mrs. John H. Venard, Mrs. J. W. Hughes, Mrs. Rex Hawkins and Mrs. Robert Darnley were the prize winners. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Elliott Lynn of Berwyn and Miss Marie Olson in serving dainty refreshments. The guests were: Messdames J. W. Rogers, Backus, Straube, Heckman, Cassidy, Florentine, La Chartie, Rex Hawkins, Matson, Howard Jones, M. K. Bush, Guy Bush, Darnley, Childs, Lancaster, J. H. Venard, Frank Willard, Gallup, Huntington, G. H. Bunge, J. W. Hughes, W. Blodgett, Snow, King, Brooke, Ada Lynch, L. B. Wells, A. L. Beldeman, Mrs. Roy Gould of Chicago; Mrs. Elliott Lynn of Berwyn; Mrs. Ford Davis, Miss Marie Olson, and Miss Irene Funk of Streeter.

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C. H. YEOMANS,

Abstracter of Titles, Wheaton, Ill.

NEPONSET LADY GOES TO REWARD.

Mrs. Louisa Barry, Formerly of Kewanee, Expires at the Age of 74.

EIGHT CHILDREN MOURN PASSING.

Marriage Took Place in Wethersfield in 1855—Long on Farm.

Neponset, Ill., June 9.—(Special to the Daily Star-Courier).—Mrs. Louisa Barry, a former resident of Wethersfield and Kewanee, but of recent years of Neponset, died at four o'clock this morning, at her home here. She was one of the widely known residents of this vicinity, and her passing will be sincerely mourned.

Lived in Wethersfield. Mrs. Barry was born at Morley, near Leeds, England, August 27, 1838, so she was about seventy-five years old at the time of her death.

She came to this country with her parents when she was three years old. The family home was first established at Winchester, in Scott county, Illinois. Later the family moved to Wethersfield and it was there that the marriage with Mr. Barry took place in 1855.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry moved to the Blackburn farm east of Kewanee and lived there for fifteen years. From there they moved to Aurora where they lived ten years. From Aurora they moved to Neponset.

In 1905, six weeks prior to the death of Mr. Barry, they celebrated their golden wedding at Neponset, the event being attended by all the children.

Eight Children Mourn.

Mrs. Barry is survived by the following sons and daughters: Mrs. H. T. Lyle, Neponset; Mrs. G. C. Nevitt, of Downers Grove, Ill.; Geo. M. Barry of Downers Grove; John L. Barry of Chicago; Mrs. Victor Studley of Neponset; Mrs. George Reed of Neponset and Mrs. Wilbur Blake of Neponset.

Three sisters also mourn her departure: Mrs. Emma Lewis of Neponset; Mrs. Mary York of Wichita, Kan., and Mrs. Anna Stuart of Alsey, Ill.

Mrs. Barry was a member of the Methodist church of Neponset and was active in the work in behalf of the society as long as her health would permit. She was a woman beloved by all who knew her and there is general sorrow over her passing.

Almost Silent.

If money really talks some men are fond of whispering.—Judge.



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