The reception and dance given in it honor of Mr. and Mrs. August Rick- t ford, at their home last Saturday r evening, was a very enjoyable social a function. The Pekin band, of which t the groom is a member, was present a and added greatly to the gay festivities with a splendid concert. The v a band was seated in the centre of a t circle formed by automobiles, and t e the light which was furnished by the t automobile lamps, made a very a t pretty sight. The dance was given i - in the barn, and a very enjoyable of time was had.

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