TOUCHES

Little Doing After the Round of Christmas and New Year Gayeties.

MR. AND. MRS. RAYMOND'S RECEPTION

Few People Keep Open Houses January 2-The Burns' Reception-Small Functions of a Very Quiet Week-Chat About People You Know.

From the gayety of the Christmas holidays to the pall of the post-holiday season seems but a step, the pace set by the swell world the past fortnight evidently having been just a bit too fast.

The youngsters who dominated the holiday week have gone or are going to their several schools and until long after Easter the older heads will ache from the round of social light and life. There is little promised for the immediate future and as Ash Wednesday comes so early this year society will hardly awake from its present torpor until after the Eastertide.

The Raymond Reception.

There are many beautiful homes in Omaha, and their number is being constantly added to, sure indications of growing wealth and refinement, but there are none that command more general admiration for excellent architecture and perfect appointments than the handsome house of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Raymond, 114 South Thirty-eighth avenue. Thoroughout the best and most modern ideas In house construction have obtained; the rooms are all airy and open finely into the large central hallway, which is quite a big sized room in itself. The rooms are true poems, grays and browns predominating. The parlor, library and dining rooms are gems in decoration and the pictures on the walls bring out all the beauties of cove and arch, niche and embrayer.

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And this house of one of Omaha's most popular and successful business men was thrown open Thursday evening to a very large number of guests. At times the presence of so many people called together by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond amounting to a crush. The rooms were gay with floral garniture, with ropes of smilax and evergreen to set off the gorgeous color scheme.

The orchestra was stationed on a small

balc ay built out for the purpose from the second landing in the hallway and screened from the guests by a partierre of spruce and pine. And here under the direction of Mr. Butt Butler the band played concert music until after 10, when dancing began. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond received in the north parlor assisted by Miss Shattuck and

Mr. Bert Raymond, who wore the uniform of Shattuck school. Mrs. Raymond was beautifully gowned in pink and white satin rocade with ruffles of pale blue embroidered Miss Shattuck, Mrs. Raymond's sister,

wore a pretty changeable silk of pale green and white, trimmed with crystal passemen-Off the hall, at a table artistically decorated, Misses Bessie and Effic Raymond served orangeade, the former gowned in cream satin, with overdress of mousseline

and the latter in nun's veiling. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Squires and Mr. and Mrs. Colpetzer assisted throughout the Mrs. Adolph Meyer wore a beautiful gown of wine velvet edged about the corsage with

Mrs. N. B. Falconer graced one of the handsomest gowns seen during the evening, a dark green changeable silk and velvet, the whole set off by a green airgrette.

Miss Nina Marshall, a very pretty and graceful girl, wore an exquisite costume of white silk with yellow stripes.

Mrs Kennedy

Mrs. Kennedy wore a lovely yellow and white satin trimmed with white lace.

Mrs. J. E. Baum appeared in a gray silk and vellow satin.

Mrs. Jennie House Wertz was in white silk, decollete and entrain.

Mrs. A. B. Hudson was beautifully costumed in black lace over black satin.

Miss Grace Hudson wore a sweet gown of white silk and net over white lace Miss Lynn Curtis wore a light blue silk

gown made empire style.

Miss Katheryn Barker, a handsome white drs. C. E. Squires, who is always a beautifully dressed woman, on this occasion wore a rich creation of cream brocade and green

velvet, Zouare jacket, diamonds. Miss Tatum, green faille with green velvet. Miss Mary Duryea wore a pretty figured

crepe with pink silk.

Miss Margaret Moore, a lovely pink crepon

Mrs. H. B. Lockwood looked particularly well in a gown of red crepe, decollete. Miss Pearl Hartman, light blue silk timmed with pansies.

Mrs. Joseph Lehner wore a handsome toil-

ette of heavy white faille and chiffon.

Miss Mamie Moore was in yellow crepe.

Mrs. Estabrook, black lace and orange

Mrs. J. F. Coad of Fremont, wore fective costume of black velvet, relieved by yellow satin, and very beautiful diamonds. Refreshments were served by Balduff in the third storry off the billiard room, the table being rich in its decorations, a Dresden lamp occupying the center, with pink roses scattered over the cloth.

up heads east from the side entrance on the

New Year's Reception. Following a custom which they have observed for years, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burns gave a lovely New Year's reception Monday from 3 to 6 and 8 to 11 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Eastman, Miss Lozier and Miss

Old residents of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. Burns have a wide circle of friends who look forward with pleasure to these annual New Year receptions, a custom which is growing, more's the pity, less popular with society people every year.

While the decorations throughout the touched with the holiday cheer, evergreens in long ropes being suspended from the corners of the rooms and festooned to the central chandeliers. Smilax and holly gave an added effectiveness to the rooms, which were all canvassed for the occasion. And the lights shaded by pea green shades gare a seft, mellow light that was wonderfully

effective.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Eastman, Miss Lozier and Miss Burns, received, while throughout the rooms they had the assistance of a "rosebud garden of girls" and the fairest matrons in towns; Mrs. Dr. Coffman, Mrs. Chase, Mrs. Dan Wheeler, ir., Mrs. H. B. Smith, Mrs. J. C. McKell, Mrs. Harry McCormick, Mrs. Arthur Remington, Mrs. Newt Barkalow, Miss Dodge of Council Blufts, Miss Nash, Miss Chandler, Miss Dundy, Miss Richards of Wyoming, Miss Deering, Miss Emily Wakeley, Miss Curtis Miss Mills of Des Moines, Miss Helen Smith, Miss Hibbard, Miss Sharp, Miss Ida Sharp, Miss Margaret Williams, Miss Grace Himebaugh and Miss Tad Balch. And the beauty of it all was that this array of pretty women made up a house party, remaining through until midnight.

Mrs. Burns appeared in a handsome gown

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lace.
Mrs. Osgood F. Eastman were her wedding costume of white corded silk trimmed with duchesse face.
Miss Lozier, a bright, interesting young woman, dark complexioned, suggestive of the south land and moonlit nights, were a pretty lavender crepe, made dancing length, trimmed with exquisite face.
Miss Burns, fresh from her social triumphs and destined to be quite as popular as her sister, were white silk with ruffles of silk and lace.

Mrs. Coffman, who always dresses with taste, on this occasion wore a beautiful gown of black chiffon, diamonds.

Mrs. Chase was in pink, a color which she wears most gracefully.
Mrs. Wheeler graced a lovely pink crepe.
Mrs. Smith and Mrs. McKee both wore

black
Mrs. McCormick worea wonderfully effective costume of blue silk faille decollete.
Mrs. Remington, a quaint brocaded gown Mrs. Barkalow, a brocaded white satin,

Miss Dodge wore a costume of pink striped

Miss Nash was very lovely in a Paris gown yellow crape. Miss Chandler, one of the prettiest of the society girls, wore an empire gown of black mousseline de sole, her beauty enhanced by a black aigrette.

Miss Dundy, a pretty green taffeta, large sleeves, made after the best accepted models of the empire.

Miss Richards was in pink crope.
Miss Deering, blue India silk trimmed with Miss Emily Wakeley, light and dark blue silk with opalline velvet trimming. Miss Curtis were a corded white silk gown

with immense sleeves.

Miss Mills, a pretty gown of red crepe trimmed with red velvet.

Miss Helen Smith wore white chiffon. Miss Hibbard, yeliow gauze over bronze

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Miss Sharp was in black, while her sister, Miss Ida Sharp, appeared in yellow and black empire creation.

Miss Williams graced a sweet gown of yellow and white, relieved by black lace.

Miss Himebaugh wore shrimp pink brocade, the waist of crepe with brocade.

Miss Tad Balch, red crepe.

Refreshments were served below stairs and during the hours of the reception the house was crowded with coming and going guests notwithstanding that many invitations failed to reach their destination through tions failed to reach their destination through the carelessness of the company intrusted with their delivery.

The Y. M. I. Institute Officers.

An event highly worthy of mention happened at the Young Men's institute parlors last Tuesday evening, the occasion being the installation of officers for the year 1893. The ceremonies were very impressive. The hall was decorated in pleasing splendor, suitable to the event. According to the necessary ceremonial discipline thoold officers marched into the hall and assumed their respective places. A regular meeting was then called to order, and business was taken up in regular form. At the proper time President McGinnis delivered the gavel to the install-ing officer, Rev. Father Carroll, who declared the offices vacant and dismissed the officers of 1892. Then followed the installation of the new officers, who marched into the hall, and formed in the center a living cross and anchor, they were duly placed in their proper positions. The following are the officers elect: President, George J. Klephner, by proxy; first vice president, F. H. Koesters; second vice president, Thomas Swift; medical examiner, Dr. Keogh; recording secretary, Thomas Noonan; corresponding secretary, W. H. Moran; financial secretary, C. B. Dugdale; treasurer, J. J. Riley; marshal, Daniel Leahy; inside sentinel, J. J. Young; outside sentinel, Daniel Brady; executive committee, James Kirk, R. P. Mulcahy, P. C. Heafey, Benjamin McIncrny and James Dugdale.

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At the conclusion of the installation cere-monies ex-President McGinnis was surprised by being "caned" at the hands of W. H. Mulcahey, who made the infliction, accom-panied by a neat and eloquent address, ex-pressive of the thanks and appreciation of the members for the faithful manner in which Mr. McGinnis fuifilled his duties as president. "The instrument of torture" was a finely-wrought gold-headed chony cane. Mr finely-wrought, gold-headed ebony cane. Mr McGinnis was deeply moved at being the recipient of this token of appreciation and responded with feeling and thanks in a befitting address.

A surprise was also in store for Rev. Father Carroll, the esteemed chaplain of the institute, who was presented with a goodsized purse as a token of regard and respect. A well selected musical program was presented prominent in which Mr. Hughes of Council Bluffs gave several very amusing

Poverty Social.

A poverty social would hardly seem to hold out any glittering promises of thorough enjoyment, but the one held at the residence of Miss Stella Singer, 2714 Howard street, Thursday evening, was quite the reverse of quietness which one might expect. In fact, it was the jolliest sort of a function, because people instead of putting on their best 'bib and tucker' wore the oldest garments they had on hand, the ladies appearing in calico gowns. The following rather unique rules and regulations obtained.

Chap. 1. Every woman kums must wear a kalaker drus apron or sumthin ekerly aproperate.
Chap. 2. All men must wear their ole clos and dannil shurts. Peepul what wears biled shurts ar a wite koller wil be bol-kotted.
Chap. 3. Peepul what don't do what this sayz wil be tackst ten cents ekstra. vot of thanks will b gin to the wost lokin

lg in the rume. Thes Ruls Must and Shal B O'Bad. KOMITE.

Thee hul Soshul Komite wil interdus strangrs and lok after bashful fellers. There will b spekin and singin and gams. Phun wil Kommens at 8 p. m. Vittals will be disphensed with frum 9 to 10; Koffee 4 sents; it will cost u 11 Sents to to git in. Kum And Hav Sum Phun. It was a very enjoyable occasion, particularly as the raid on the "poverty" table showed the presence of good, strong appetites. Prizes were given Lulu Horaberger and Max Reichenberg for the "poorest" costumes.

The guests present were:
Misses Fannie Brown, F. Brown, Florence
Brown, Alice Heller, Carrie Kellner, Grace
Marty, Lulu and Minnie Hornberger, Rose
and Emma Levy, Fannie Fruehauf, Bernstein, Natalie Singer, Mrs. Brown, Carrie
Schlesinger, Messrs, E. E. Resek of Lorain,
O., S. Bloom, A. Bank, W. Wigman, M.
Wedeles, M. and L. Reichenberg, E. Hesselberg, M. Ripins, Dr. Rosewater, Wm. Singer,

For centuries the Jews, Germans, and other foreign nations have celebrated New Year's eye, or Sylvester night as it is called, today after Sylvester I, who is said to have baptised the emperor Constantine and one of the saints in the Catholic church. The cele-bration partakes largely of jollity, of song and dance, and upon the stroke of 12 every-body with glass in hand toasts the new porn infant.

Last Saturday evening in keeping with a universal custom the members of the Metro-politan club assembled in the clubhouse and danced the old year out to the music of the

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Moritz Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lobman, Mr. and Mrs. Wollstein of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Will Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bloom of Cincinnati, Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Bloom of Cincinnati, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Bergman, Chief and Mrs. Seavey, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rothschild, Mr. and Mrs. A. Heller, Mr. and Mrs. A. Haas, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cahn, Mr. and Mrs. D. Silberstein, Mr. and Mrs. E. Seligsohn, Mr. and Mrs. I. Oberfelder, Misses Wollstein of Chicago, Hannah Frank of Sioux City, Lazarus of Rock Island, Stella Hellman of Cheyenne, Eiseman of Sioux City, Heller, Dolly Polack, Addie Newman, Dolly Rosenstock, Flora Adler, Addie Becker, Tillie Sonnehill, Flora and Nettie Rothschild, Hattle Oberfelder, Minnie Lobman, Carrie Hattie Oberfelder, Minnie Lobman, Carrie Goldsmith, Sadie's chlesinger, Messrs. Julius Meyer, Gus Deiches, Fred Seligsohn, Philip M. Rose, Henry Langstadter, Ed Wessel, Emil Strauss, Ben Rosenthal, Jerome Kauf man, Charles Wise.

The Minuet Dancing Club.

The Minuet Dancing club gave the fifth of ts series of parties at Prof. Chambers' Dancing academy, Seventeenth and Farnam streets, Wednesday evening. A most enjoyable evening was spent, fourteen numbers and three extras being danced.

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The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bryson, Arthur English, Julius Kessler, W. H. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Amelia Burroughs, Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Balley, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Montgomery, E. R. Perfect, P. A. English, M. G. Perkins, H. C. Brown, J. H. White, N. W. Peters, J. W. Dunmere, R. J. Duning, Messrs. W. Dorward, J. T. Crowe, W. B. Burroughs, John L. Clarke, F. J. Milestone, J. L. Baker, M. I. Patterson, E. W. Burroughs, P. Mueller, F. L. McCoy, T. C. VanBuren, P. D. Forsyth, F. M. Beach, Charles Aspinwail, F. A. Carroll, M. J. Barron, P. T. McGrath, H. A. Joplin, J. S. Joplin, W. E. Wovel, W. C. Van Gilder, Misses Pencock, Phillips, Goodself, Slater, Hamilton, Campion, Lantry, Milestone, Bridenbecker, Seaver, Dale, Leonard, and Mesdames Butler, Appleton, Wis.; C. H. T. Keipen, Seiver.

Dancing Out the Old Year.

Miss Hanna Trosler entertained a numbe of her young friends at a charming dancing party New Year's eve at the pleasant residence of her parents, Captain and Mrs. Trosler, 4328 Farnam street.

Those participating in the entertainment were: Superintendent and Mrs. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Brome, Mr. and Mrs. Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johannes, Mr. The spacious rooms were beautifully decorated with holly and evergreen. The bil-

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From the foremost New York makers, choice quality of gloria silk, frame and finish exactly right, assorted sticks and handles; four qualities

Ladies' Umbrellas, 98c

that will please you.

Black gloria serge, solid frames, silvered crook handles, 26 inches, 98c.

Ladies' Umbrellas, \$1.98

Black silk gloria, paragon frame, ivory-tipped English furze, crook sticks, 26-inch, \$1.98.

Men's Umbrellas, \$1,35.

28-inch black gloria, English silk, strong solid frames, sticks in knots and knobs in great variety, \$1.35 each.

Men's Umbrellas. **83**.50.

28-inch paragon frame, double twilled gloria silk serge, crook hazel sticks, \$3.50 each, extra value.

> 100 Plush Leather Photograph Albums at exactly half the original price.

Ladies' Scarlet Vests, 50c.

The balance of our stock, a few garments only, best grade of wool, medicated dye, the sorts that have been \$1.25 and higher goods, all go in one pile at 50c each.

Feather Trimmings, 25c a yard, worth 75c to \$2.

liard room on the third floor was transformed

into a ball room, which was occupied by the merry dancers. The music was rendered by Hans Albert's orchestra. The programs

were printed with gilt letters on cardboard, representing a holly leaf, and consisting of a series of twelve dances. At 11:30 delightful refreshments were served by Balduff.

The invited guests were: Misses Ada Gilmore, Maud Aspinwall, Anna Shields, Lizzie

Shields, Grace Pelton, Kate Clark, Anna Thornton, Gertrude Thornton, Nettie Hav-

erly, Edith Nash, Minnie Berlin, Hattie Ber

n. May Revan, Hattie Chesboro, Lulu Bell, ndresen, Jennie Hunter, Hattie Cady,

Mabel Coe, Helen Gray, Mamie Millard, Sue Colpetzer, Gertrude Phillips, Bessie Hudson, Irene Johnston, Murie Parker; Messrs. Ed

Free, Charlie Aspinwall, Charles Whitman, Fritz Marty, Doc Newman, Julius Dahl, strom, Clyde Ratekin, Frank McConnell-

Fred Conrad, Lou Landergren, Will Coates, Bucher Betty, Harry Stevens, Bedford, Ed Woodard, Ernest Haverly, Gus Seifkin,

Frank Potter, Ralph Richardson, Ed Swobe, Dwight Swobe, Morseman, Irving Crowder, Bert Nason, J. Cully, Will Mack, Hallie

In Ghostly Raiment Arrayed.

Lobman, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lobman, 2408, St. Marys avenue, gave a very enjoyable

The house was beautifully decorated with

pretty candelabra here and there gave a particularly pleasing effect to the rooms. The front and rear parior and the dining room were canvassed for the occasion, the orchestra being stationed in the hallway under the wide stair case. Dancing began

Wessel, Henry Langstadter, Ike Buttonstein, Fred Seligsohn, Jerome Kaufman, Emil Strauss, Dr. Rosewater, Franklin, Moses

Trauerman, Sam Frank, Jim Bergman, Harry Anspacher, Landsberg, Hugo Bam-

One of the pleasantest parties usbering in

the New Year was that given by Miss Suc

Huntoon, only daughter of S. A. Huntoon,

the well known agent of the Pacific and

United States Express companies, at their

charming home, 1125 South Twenty-ninth.

in honor of her schoolmate, Miss Sadie

Davis of Council Bluffs, who, with Miss

Huntoon, returned Thursday to resume their studies at Ferry Hall, Lake Forrest, Ill.

Refreshments were served and with danc-ing, music and cards helped to pass away only too quickly a most enjoyable evening.

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Among those present were: Misses Fanny and Louise Coggeshall, Grace Vandervort, Nellie Randail, Mona Martin, Mable Hake, Edna Williams. Edith and Grace Waterman, May Condon. Adelyn Condon. Lidie Harpster, Julia Henderson, Myra McCleiland, Sadie Davis of Council Bluffs and Lucille Cannon of Chicago; Messrs. Frank Powers, Lou Hough, Paul Forsythe, George Martin, George Eason. Reed Hake, Marry Coggeshall, Howard Tilden, H. Mowers, S. Freeman, Dan Harrison, Hall Ewing, S. Brown, W. Reed and Will Wallace of Council Bluffs.

A Pink Luncheon

In honor of her niece, Miss Burke, of Salt

Lake City, Mrs. John A. McShane gave a pink luncheon on Monday that was particu-

larly pretty and enjoyable. The guest cards were decorated in water colors. Japanese designs predominating. The table decora-tions were in pink, the candelabra being shaded with pink shades. The guests who

enjoyed the pleasures of the afternoon were: Misses Burke, Cribb, Colpetzer, Nash, Mary Nash, Creighton, Emma Creighton, Me-

Played High Five. The Walnut Hill High Five club was royally entertained New Year's eve at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Coryell. After

the usual number of games refreshments

were served and music and dancing enjoyed

Shane, Mary McShane.

In honor of their daughter, Miss Minnie

Stoutenboro, King, Charles Fury.

phantom party Thursday evening.

Children's Hosiery, 25c.

many up to 85c.

Ladies' Hose, 12½c.

Also an odd lot; fast black

Children's Underwear.

Odd lots of merino all wool and fine cotton vests, pants and drawers, qualities we have sold all season at 45c to 65c; pick of the lot tomorrow 25c.

Ladies' Merino Vests, 49c.

Ladies'

Made by the American Hosiery and New Britain com- bright cherry colors, black pat- Chiffons, 15c. to \$5 qualities.

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5 bales of satine comforts, full size, choice patterns, and filled with pure white batting, \$1.35 each.

At \$1.78

line comforts, extra large a card. size, all selected styles, pure Embroidery Remnants

At \$1.98.

\$1.08 each.

Better ones at equally great reduction.

100 pairs 10-4 and 11-4

White, sizes 30 to 36, sizes, wool blankets, \$4.50 and in the city. formerly 75c. If you are in- \$5 qualities; in one lot and at Matched Sets.

Horse Blankets, 98c.

35 full size, fast colors, wool blankets, \$1.50 quality, for

40 all wool horse blankets,

panies. Finest goods; \$3.50 terns, 76x81 inches, and fast 25c, 35c and 45c grades, all

Feather Boas, 79c.

Previous to the inventory 50 of them; all we have left we shall, from time to time, of several hundreds; \$2 has offer special lots of comforts been the quick selling price

5c, 10c, 15c and 25c, worth just double.

2 dozen on a card, 5c. Just half price

Pearl Buttons.

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Fancy styles, large assortment, one and two dozen on 5 boxes of satine and silka - each card, 15c, worth \$1 to \$3

Every short piece, odd piece, soiled piece of embroidery, has 5 dozen figured and plain been weeded from our forward satine comforts, largest size, stock, remarked at a money French designs, and filled saving figure to you and thrown with best cotton batting, into our remnant pile. Great picking here for the next few days.

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White Blankets, \$3.50 At 5c, 7c, 10c, 15c and 20c, we guarantee the best value

An elegant assortment of embroideries in edges and insertion; new patterns; no prices lower than ours. Silk Dress Shields, 20c

We offer our stock, all sizes, Combination Suits, \$1. Horse Blankets, \$2,50. at 20c; many worth 50c and 6oc a pair.

colors; \$3.50 is the getting go at the uniform price of 150 a yard. Notion counter.

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Black, colored, all wool, imported, do-mestic, plain and fancy, the entire ac-cumulation of our unusually large busiour center siste --- main floor,

ness, has been piled on one counter in Every piece marked in plain figures and prices made that must make them

disappear rapidly. And so it is all over this big store---the brightest and cheeriest business house in Omaha ---opportunities stare at you from in front, behind, to left, to right, wherever you turn your gaze. Piles and pyramids of dress goods particularly at-

We quote a dozen opportunities:

34-inch Chevron Suitings 15c,

tract the attention.

34-inch Half Wool Plaids 20c.

Regular price 25c. 38-inch Striped Wool Cheviots 35c.

Regular price 50c. 38-inch Wool Camelettes in plaids

and stripes 39c. Regular price 550. 38-inch Diagonal Cheviots, all wool, correct colors, 50c,

Regular price 650. 38-inch Bedford Cords, all wool, 574c.

Regular price \$1.00. 48-inch Bedford Cord, French weave, combed wool, \$1,25,

40-inch Electric Cord, fashions favorite fabric, 75c, Regular price \$1.700.

Regular price \$2.50.

54-inch Mixed Cheviot, heather mixtures, Scotch goods, \$1.00,

Regular price \$1.25. 54-inch Scotch Tweeds, blended color mixtures, all wool. \$1.25,

Regular price \$1.50 46-inch French Serge, royal shades, fashions choices t weaves, 75c. Regular price \$1.00

40-inch Silesienne, party shades, sea foam, pink, lilac, cream, cardinal, chamois, \$1.25.

The dinner given by Bishop and Mrs. Newman Monday afternoon at the Millard was participated in by about seventy guests, the Methodist ministers of Omaha, South Omaha and Council Bluffs being largely predominant. Speeches were made by Dr. Roe, Dr. Shank, Dr. Foote, Dr. Anglin, Dr. Clendenning, Dr. Beans and Tilden. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Vaughn entertained a

was passed very enjoyably with music and cards, and a palatable repast was served. The music was furnished by Messrs. A. H. Rinsland, William Norris and F. W. Hazen. Mr. George Mercer's paper on the great Panama swindle, which appeared last Sun-day in The Bre, has attracted widespread attention as the best general statement of the history of the canal flasco that has ap-peared in print. Most of the information contained in the article was gleaned by Mr. Mercer on the isthmus during his voyage in

the South seas a year or more ago. Richard W. Carey, a well known South Omaha business man, and Miss Florence L. Baker, will be married on Tuesday at Seneca Falls, N. Y., the home of the bride's parents. After an extended wedding trip they will make their home in this city. Miss Baker has for several years taught in the city schools and only resigned her position as teacher at the Castellar school at the end of

Miss Emma Hoagiand.

Miss Kountze gave a red dinner on Wednesday evening, which was followed by a theater party to see "The Hunchback." The dinner decorations were red, the favors, American beauties, being worn by each guest, The guests were, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith, Miss White of Boston, Miss Arthur Smith, Miss White of Boston, Miss Nash, Miss Bessie Yates, Miss Johnson of St. Joe, Mr. Herman Kountze, Mr. Thomas Davis, Mr. Latham Davis, Mr. Gannett Mr. Randall Brown, Mr. Charles Kountze, Mr.

The P. E. O. society held its regular meet-ing in the Royal Arcanum parlors Saturday afternoon. The ladies have taken up the World's fair course of study as outlined by Mrs. Woolger and are very enthusiastically searching for World's fair notes. Electricity forestry and the polished stone age have been completed so far in the course, and tapestry and the fine arts are to follow. The ladies are to give several social entertain ments later in the season which will be of a novel order. A very pretty gift of a ten service to one of the hospitals of the city

itable line.

Mr. Harry Glick entertained the "Fellowship club," at his residence, 2428 Erskine
street New Year's evening and everybody
had a most delightful time. The first part
of the evening a musical program was rendered after which refreshments were served
and the rest of the evening was spent in
dancing with games and cards. Those present were: Misses Blum, Harris, SchlankNathan, Kallsh, H. Glick, J. Glick, Stock,
man, Haggen, Messrs, Kalish, Harris, Bank,
Bernstein, Greenblott, Lesser, J. Abrams Bernstein, Greenblott, Lesser, J. Abram E. Abrams, J. Stockman, H. Stockman, I Stockman, Ginsberg, Kahn, Klein, Haggen,

Miss Marlowe and "The Hunchback" at Miss Marlowe and "The Hunchback" attracted a very swell audience at Boyd's Wednesday evening. Some of the boxes were gay with color and the theater never looked so well. Miss Kountze entertained in boxes D E and F the guests she had to dinner. Box A was occupied by Governor Boyd and family. Box B by Captain Day, Mrs. Worth, Miss Hughes and Mr. Berlin. Box C by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rogers, Miss Deering, Miss Richards, Miss Dundy, Mr. Cartan and Mr. Saunders. An upstairs box was taken by Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCormick, Miss Balch and Mr. Reed, while on the other side Mrs. Burns chaperoned Miss

Monday evening Mrs. Cumings entertained for Miss May Hamilton. The guests were: Misses Florence Kilpatrick, Helen Millard, Alice Drake, Gretchen Crounse, Marie Crounse, Gentie Yates, Sue Colpetzer, Fred-erika Wessels, Gertrade Kountze, Edna Cowin, May Morse, Helen Worden, Fay Cole, Fanny Cole, Emma Sherwood, Lella

Carter, Fannie Gilbert, Bessie Peck, Helen Peck, Adelaine Nash, Mary Barker, Louise Squires, Knight, Sadie Baum, Fan-nie Duryea, Blanche Kinsler, Lucile Pinney, Lulu Schenck, Birdie Balbach, Lilian Moore, Annie Shiverick, Miss Cribb; the young gen-tlemen were, Fred Nash, Ed Morseman, Paul Ludington, Russell Burt, Weir Coff-man, Arthur Carter, Fred Hartman, Clarence Thurston, George Pritchett, Russel Wilbur, William Hughes, Righter Wood, Frank Pinney, Leon Sherwood, Ezra Mil-lard, Sam Burns, Mosher Colpetzer, Gus Doane, Fred Lake, Ralph Richardson, George Gilbert, Joe Barker, Burt Morse, Sam Morse, Will Cowin, Dwight Swobe, Ed Swobe, Ralph Connell, Karl Connell, James Wallace, Asa Shiveriek, Howard Tilden, Alfred Barker, Millard Hopkins, Will Gard-

The duchess of Teck has contributed no less than 2,500 articles of clothing for the poor to the London Needlework Guild dur-

Some of the native women of Australia have a queer idea of beauty. They cut themselves with shells, keep the wounds open for a long time, and when they heal huge scars are the result. These scars are deemed highly ornamental. A German woman, Frau Dr. von Wett-

stein Adels, spent three months as a com-mon factory hand at Chemnitz and in the

neighborhood, working in flye different fac-tories, gathering material for a work on the subject of women textile workers. A lady writes to say that as a daily experlence she carries sixteen pockets—two in her divided skirt, four in her waistcoat, five in her indoor jacket (which by reason of

their contents weigh just five pounds seven ounces), and five in her outdoor jacket. "Mrs. Noble of Washington" reminds her-self of social and other engagements by writing them out on a postal card and mailing it to herself twenty-four hours in advance. She has invented a system of abbreviated notes intelligible to nobody else and as a result of her unique plan she never fails to

meet her appointment. The French newspapers tell of a very interesting match that came off in France. Two women in good society challenged each other to talk fast. Each was to utter as man's words as possible in a fixed time Each woman talked three consecutive hours. One uttered 203,500 words. The other won the match with 206,080 words.

The English newspapers say that Lady Henry Somerset, whose ardent, not to say furious, advocacy of temperance principles is well known, is herself the owner of four-teen public houses. Lady Henry is accused by one writer of being "void of conscientiousness and morality to her cause" because she is alleged to have utilized the proceeds of the sale of "that cursed driph" to defrant the the sale of "that cursed drink" to defray the expenses of her tour as an itinerant denouncer of alcohol.

whose paintings are now on exhibition, is a forcible refutation of the assertion that women are not original and inventive. Besides the Rookwood pottery, whose unique beauty is evidence of her originality in de-signing, and in whose discovery she was in-strumental, a further proof of her creative power is found in the fact that at the Paris Exposition Universelle the managers found it necessary to create a special class for her decorative work on metal, for which she received a silver medal. Her American faience, decorated porcelain, and wood carv-ing have attracted much attention from good judges, and now she is painting under

Chicago Daily Calumet."
Many a doctor's bill has been saved by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The name is a household word in many parts of

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cotton, stainless dye, double heels, toes and soles, have been 20c, tomorrow 121/2c a

25c.

terested you had better be one price, \$3.50 pair. early; none of these lots can last over one day at these

For Monday only \$1 each. price around town.

and Mrs. Templeton, Mr. and Mrs. Ben and Mrs. Templeton, Mr. and Mrs. Ben White, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur English, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Brink, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Perfect, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Webster, Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. L. F. Weeks, Mrs. R. W. Bailey, Mrs. C. M. Walker, Mrs. R. Fagan, Miss Warring and Miss Alice Brome, Prizes were won by Mrs. R. W. Bailey and Mrs. L. F. Weeks.

Mrs. R. W. Bailey and Mrs. L. F. Weeks.

Entertained His Young Friends. Mr. Harry Gallagher entertained his young friends at a very delightful dancing part Monday evening. His home is peculiarly well adapted to this form of entertainment and the music, flowers and refreshments were in keeping with the surroundings. As one of the young lady guests expressed it, the party was just large enough to be per fectly enjoyable

fectly enjoyable.

Those present were Miss Kinsler, Miss Gibbons, Miss Meyer. Miss Creighton, Miss Emma Creighton, Miss Cavanaugh, Miss Creighton, Miss Etta Creighton, Clara Creighton, Miss Bradley, Miss Kate Bradley, Miss Sinnat, Miss Nellie Gallagher; Messrs. Buckley, Murphy, McMahon, Kinsler, Coad, Creighton, Gibbon, Murray, Bradley, Frank and Clarence Gallagher. ley, Frank and Clarence Gallagher. Sleigh Ride and a Dance. Mr. George Mercer and his guest Mr. Stuart gave one of the pleasantest sleighing evergreens, ferns and potted plants, the mantels being banked with roses, while pretty candelabra here and there gave a parties of the season Tuesday evening. After calling for the guests and enjoying a lovely noonlight ride the happy party returned to

Dr. and Mrs. Mercer's residence where an orchestra was found in waiting and the rooms canvassed for dancing. The guests who enjoyed the evening chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Connell and Mr. and Mrs. Ford were: Miss Burns, Miss Lozier, Miss Nash, Miss Mary Nash, Miss Sherwood, Miss Mary Brown, Miss Chandler, Miss Helen Smith, Miss M. Hibbard, Miss Yates, Miss Lohnson, Masses Pierre Garnague Miss Johnson. Messrs. Pierre Garneau Earl Gannett, Charles Kountze, Augustus Kountze, Net Hall, Luther Drake, Crofoot, Mr. Ralph Connell, Mr. Quay.

under the wide stair case. Dancing began at 9 o'clock and it was quite 2 before all the guests had said good night to the host and hostesses. Delightful refreshments were served by Balduff at midnight.

There were present: Misses Dolly Rosenstock, Carrie Goldsmith, Nettie Rothschild, Flora Rothschild, Addie Newman, Hannah Frank, Hattie Becker, Flora Adler, Dolly Polack, Stella Hellman, Tillie Sonnehill, Hattie Oberfelder, Clara Schlesinger, Sadie Schlesinger, the Misses Woolstein of Chicago, Misses Ella Heller, Bettie Haas. Messrs, P. M. Rose, Julius Meyer, Gus Deiches, Ben Rosenthalt, Ed Wessel, Alex Wessel, Henry Langstadter, Ike Buttonstein, About Well Known People. Mr. Carroll Carter left on Sunday for Har-The Misses Morse leave today for Utica

nesday.

at 3122 Farnam street. Arthur Carter leaves today for St. Pauls school, Concord, N. H. Mr. Ward Favorite of Chicago, has been in town for a week's visit. Mr. and Mrs. William Howell returned

Mr. Ralph Richardson left for school Wed-

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Kohn are now at home

Miss Susie Huntoon has returned to schoo at Ferry hall, Lake Forest, Ill. Mrs. Joy Morton anticipates returning to her home in Chicago tomorrow Misses Mary and Adeline Nash returned to Manhattanville last Tuesday Miss Richards who has been Miss Dundy's quest, has returned to Chadron

Mr. Augustus Kountze and Miss Gertrude departed for the east on Friday. peritonitis, but is now slightly better. Miss Hannah Frank is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Newman on Dodge street. Miss Mills, who has obeen visiting Miss Curtis returned to her home Wednesday. Miss Brown of Chicago was in town last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hussey.

Miss Daisy Doane left Monday for Cincin nati, where she will visit the Misses Thrall. Mrs. Alfred James Lunt has returned from a visit with her mother in Racine, Wis Mrs. Wheeler, who has been with her parents B. Slaughter, left Monday for Linover the birth of a son Saturday, Decen

Rev. Leo M. Franklin has returned, after a pleasant visit with relatives in the east.

Miss Sabra Sargent, who spent the holl-days with Mrs. S. W. Niles, has returned to Mrs. S. C. F. Thondike of Malone, N. Y. is visiting her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Gilbert. Miss Stella Hellman of Cheyenne, a niece of Mr. Aaron Cahn, is visiting the latter on

The next party of the Saratoga Lyehum company will be a masquerade Wednesday evening, January 11. Mrs. C. N. Dietz gave a beautiful luncheor Wednesday for Miss Cribb and Miss Col petzer, the other guests being Miss Cady,

Miss Effic Hart and Miss Gertrude Sar

gent of Kansas City are visiting Miss Short of 1524 Harney street.

Miss Alda Mills, Miss Himebaugh, Miss Burns, Miss Lozier, Mrs. O. T. Eastman. Miss Clara Palmer who is attending Miss Graham's school, spent her vacation with friends in Elizabeth, N.J. Mrs. G. L. Stonehill of Chicago is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newman, Twen-

Miss Charlotta Downs returned Wednesday from St. Louis after a three weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Brown. Miss Balcombe left last Sunday for Fort Porter, Buffalo, N. Y., where she will visit Lieutenant and Mrs. Truitt.

tieth and Douglas streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ittner and children left on Thursday for Florida, where they will spend the balance of the winter. A concert and musical entertainment will be given at the parlors of the Young Men's Institute Monday evening January 30. Jay and Charles Brown, who have been with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Brown. returned to their respective colleges on

Colonel Forsyth; Seventh cavalry, and his laughter, Miss Bessie Forsyth, spent the holidays with Colonel and Mrs. Bacon of Mrs. Newton Barkalow left Tuesday but nore extensive visit with her mother Mrs. O. M. Carter.

South Bend, Ill., where she attends school. She was accompanied by her uncle, Mr. Frank Murphy. Miss Mattie Ford of Maryville, who spent New Years with her sister Mrs I. G. Gaddis at the Merriam, returned home Thursday evening. Miss Jessie H. Millard and Mrs. Jessie

remain for a month.

of Mrs. Savage's houses at 410 North Twenty second street and have commenced the pleas ure of housekeeping. Mrs. Alfred Millard and child arrived yes terday from a year's tour of Europe, having come over in the Burgoyne from Havre. Mr. Millard met Mrs. Millard in New York. The Young Men's Christian association

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Snyder have taken one

reception Monday from 4 to 10 o'clock was unusually pleasant, over 2,000 visitors at-tending during the hours of the reception. The dwellers at the Merriam gave an enjoyable fancy dress party Monday evening. The numasking occurred shortly after 10 o'clock and was full of pleasant surprises. Mrs. Arthur Smith gave the first of her Thursdays at home last week. She was assisted by Mrs. W. S. Poppleton, Mrs. J. T. Duryea, Miss White and Miss Bessie Yates. Miss Colpetzer, Miss Cribb, Miss Hattie ady, Misses Mary Morse, Florence Morse

and Mr. Will Cowin are among the young people who leave today for their respective Mr. and Mrs. M. Wollstein of Chicago, the Misses Wollstein and Mr. and Mrs. William Harris of Wilwaukee are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Seligsohn, 510 South Twenty-second

Mrs. Woolworth will give a reception January 11, from 3 until 6 in honor of Mrs. Worthington, wife of the bishop of Nebraska, which will be followed in the evening by a soiree dansante in honor of Miss Woolworth Mrs. H. M. Caldwell, who has been visiting in the east, returned home yester-day, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Miller of Carlisle, Pa. Mrs. M. C. Nichols also returned with them after an extended visit in the east Mrs. S. D. Barkalow entertained very charmingly on Thursday for Mrs. Joy Mor-ton. The pleasure of the afternoon was greatly increased by several vocal numbers given by Mrs. Cotton, Miss Poppleton and The young married people of Walnut Hill gave a very enjoyable sleighing party Tues-day evening in honor of Mrs. K. A. Shepard

of New York, who was spending the holi-days with her parents. She returned to her home Weddesday afternoon, accompanied by Mrs. George B. Lake entertained at lunch Mrs. George B. Lake entertained at inner-con yesterday in honor of Mrs. Joy Morton, Mesdames Denise Barkalow, Joseph Barton, Phillip Potter, Ed Peck, Theodore Ringwalt, Waddell, Keller, B. B. Wood, F. H. Davis, Ellis Bierbower, Charles Deuel, Misses Millard, Wakeley and Poppleton.

Wednesday evening the members of the Clifton Hill Social club were entertained by Mr. Clark Buchner and Mr. Robert Johnston Mr. Clark Buchner and Mr. Robert Johnston at the home of the latter. The members assembled at the usual hour to find that the gentlemen of the club had made arrangements for a four-horse "carryall" to be on hand and until 10:30 o'clock p m. all enjoyed a long sleigh ride through the neighboring

country. On returning to the house the quarterly business meeting was held, new officers being elected. After the business meeting a bountiful oyster supper was

Mr. Fred Rustin, who has been quite sick during the entire Christmas vacation, returned to Yale on Friday. elect party of friends at their home at 1902 Paul street last Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Vaughn's 53d birthday. The evening

Miss May Hamilton left Thursday for

the year. Mrs. A. U. Wyman received the sad in Evelyn Sanderson, died in Washington, D. C., during the early morning. Miss Sanderson had been quite sick during the summer, which later developed into rapid Barton Rollins left via Northwestern on Thursday for Washington, D. C., where they consumption, causing her death. Mrs. Wymar has the sympathy of many friends in Omaha over the bereavement in her family, but a week ago attending the funeral of her niece. Miss Emma Hoagland.

dall Brown, Mr. Charles Kountze, Augustus Kountze.

was the last gift of this society in a char-itable line.

the other side Mrs. Burns chaperoned Miss Lozier, Miss Burns, Mr. Kelly and Mr. Favorite.

the country. Chamberlain's medicines have an extensive sale in the World's Fair City any many people testify to the merits of their different remedies. FARNAM ST. THEATER