Rules a Debutante Should Observe if She Wants to Be a Belle.

HOLIDAYS JUST IN SIGHT

ELAT LANKE SAY TO A

SMALL FUNCTIONS THE RULE OF THE WEEK

Receptions, Luncheons and Dancing Parties Call Out the Swells in Large Num bers-Little Promise for the Next Seven Days.

What a thirsty longing every school girl has for that mysterious being "out," which means such magnificent privileges and possibilities, and yet after the first roses of the oming out tea have faded, after the first blushes have cooled a bit, and that first wild beating of the excited young heart has been a little stilled, a good many girls who are out this winter, and, as other girls have found before them, that the debutante has her trials and perplexities, too. Such a lot of them as there seem to be! One never suspected, for example, while one was a mere snip of a school girl that it was going to be such a hard thing to find conversation. In dreams of future balls and dinner parties that were indulged in when one should have been studying grammar one always imagined one's self conversing with the airy brilliancy of one of the duchess' blonde and witty heroines or preserving one of those coldly fascinating silences that in novels always prove so irresistible to the very best parti in the book. And now, lo and behold! if one of those proud silences is indulged in one's partner promptly excuses himself and never comes back for another dance the whole even-ing, and an attempt at airy badinage generally results in covering one's head in the cold gray light of the morning after the ball and squirming in repentant anguish at the silly, vapid sound that persiflage has re-peated to one's self at this uncheerful hour.

There once was a girl who carried the story of this particular form of wretched-ness to a young married friend, who though she had the finest baby in the world, could yet remember with perfect ease her own debut four years before.

"Yes, indeed!" said the friend, cheerfully, "I remember quite well all the silly things said. I often cried over them and felt could never look the people who had listene could never look the people who had listene to them in the face again. But I'll tell you what-things that would sound fearfully siliy in a person of my age, married and with a baby and all, are just thought to be deliciously innocent and girlish in a depu-tante. Pick cheeks and dimples carry off sc much. After all, one must learn to talk, and practice is the only way to learn. One must make mistakes at first, you will towards make mistakes at first; you will improve every day; don't let yourself be discouraged; your blunders don't sound half so bad to others as they do to you." After which that particular debutante went away comforted.

There's another perplexity the debutante is going to be confronted with, and that's the secret of what makes popularity. She sees that pretty girls and clever girls and rich girls all have excellent chances to be-gin with, but that even those with all these things in their favor don't invariably make things in their favor don't invariably make a success, while occasionally girls who aren't really pretty, nor witty at all, nor rich either, come in and make a tremendous success of it right over the heads of girls with the qualities they lack. She wants to know why that is. Well, the best way to find out is to ask one of the men who dance with that sort of a girl as many times as she will say yes during the evening.

"What do you see in Mary Jones?" you y. "She's not pretty, and she's not very clever.

Then the young man will look at you as if he suspected you were not only bad tempered, but a little jealous of Mary as well, and answer: "Oh, she's not a beauty, perhaps, but she's an awfully attractive looking girl, don't you think so? and then she's such a good sort."

And when you come to analyze what "a good sort" means you'll find that it implies Mary Jones is folly and gay and good tempered, and very unselfish about triffes. She doesn't say nasty things about other girls; she is willing to let everybody share in her

Worth, Mr. and Mrs. McKenna, Mr. and Mrs. McCord, Miss Doano, Miss Yates, Miss Starling, Miss Ringwait, Miss Dowey, Miss Hongland, Mr. and Mrs. Chambers, Lleutenant and Mrs. Wright, Lleutenant and Mrs. Ben-ham, Miss Curtis, Miss Donk, Miss Dandy, Miss McKenna, Miss Burns, Mosurs, Kountze, Datrike Coundary Garman Danay Hamil Patrick, Sauaders, Garnesu, Danne, Hamil-ton, Dean, Crowder, Wilson, Gannett, Palmer and Drake.

Coming of the Vale Glee Club, The Yale Glee and Banjo club will give a

concert in Boyd's theater on Saturday evening, December 29, and from what is known about the club, lovers of music will have an opportunity of enjoying a musical treat. The concert is given for a very worthy cause, as the proceeds are to be devoted to a fund for the assistance of poor students at Yale. Old students say it is the best club since the days of '90.

The following is the program: PART L

Beau Ideal March......Sousa Banjo Club. Alma Mater...Shepard Mr. Lapham and Club. Merry Men. Liebestied...

Pretty Maid. PART II.Neidlinge

Banjo Club-Waltz-Magnolia Bloss

....DeKovenMolloy Thursday-(Arr. by Shepard)......Molloy Society Songs-D, K. E.; Psi U. Carm Yaleh Mandolin Club-Ombre Notturne......Matini Sweetest Story Ever Told.......Stultz Mr. Green and Club. Tutti Frutti...

PART III.

PART III. Banjo Club-The Butterfly......Bendix O'er the Lake......Kitchel-Shepard Negro Sweep Quartet.....

The following is the personnel of the club J. St. J. Nolan, president of the Glee club G. H. Howard, president of the banjo club F. H. Rawson, business manager. Glee club F. H. Rawson, business manager. Glee club: First Tenors-George Jacobus, '95; J. St. J. Nolan, '95; C. S. Stephenson, '95 S.; G. W. Van Slyke, '95 S.; W. J. Lapham, '97; G. G. Schreiber, '98; second tenors, W. J. Sheeban, M. S.; J. H. Richards, '95; T. Mc. E. Debe-volse, '95; W. K. Duchworth, '95 S.; Henry Ledyard, '97; M. J. Dodge, '98; First basses, B. I. Spock, '95; W. G. Vincent, '96; Grenville Parker, '98; C. E. Meigs, '95 S. Second basses, J. E. Cooper, '95; E. C. Lackland, '96; F. M. Ter-rill, '96 S.; J. F. Eagle, '96; E. T. Bell, fr., '96 S. Banjo Club: Banjeurizes, G. M. 196 S. Banjo Club: Banjeuarines, G. M. Howard, '95 S.; W. R. Black, '95 S.; F. F. Howard, '95 S.; W. R. Black, '95 S.; F. F.
Brooks, '96 S.; D. T. Moore, '96 S. Piccolo banjo, L. L. Kountze, '97. Mandolins, F. B.
Stephenson, '95 S.; L. R. Metcalle, '95 S.
Banjos, G. B. B. Lamb, L. S.; A. R. Clark, '95. Cello, J. L. Parke, '97. Guitars, D. U.
Wilcox, '95 S.; R. A. Hamlin, '95 S.; J. E.
Good, '95; F. J. H. Brookfield, '97; H. D.
Kountze, '97.

Kountze, '97.

For Mrs. Henry Wyman.

Thursday afternoon Miss Chandler entertained her friends between the hours of 4 and 7, when the rooms were filled with young people, brought together to meet Mrs. Henry Wyman.

The table in the dining room was decorated in parma violets and deep red roses; violet satin streamers were suspended from the center chandeller to the four corners of the square table, ending in big butterfly knots of the ribbon. The gas globes were shaded in violet crepe, and the same delicate ef-fect of color and decoration was carried out in the china and bon bons. Miss Kountze poured chocolate, and Mrs. Myron Larned served tea a la Russe. In the small room adjoining, the decorations were peculiarly suggestive of the holiday season, which we are about entering upon Everywhere was holly-under the chande liers, over pictures, grouped in picturesque clusters in corners, and over doors, while the gas globes were covered in red crepe to complete the pretty effect. At a side tabl Miss Brown served the orange frappe from a great, huge bowl, banked up in holly and fruit, oranges, bananas and rich red apples, a delicious bit of grouping, suggesting plenty. Miss Palmer and Miss Margaret Brown assisted in this room, and wore each a spray of holly as a corsage bouquet. Miss Gertrude Ringwalt and a number of pretty girls also aided the hostess in entertaining

her guests. Mr. Lininger Celebrates His Birthday. Hon. George W. Lininger celebrated his sixtieth birthday yesterday. Owing to the absence of Mrs. Lininger from the city, the

those present were noticed Judge Feiker, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. Among and Mrs. and Mrs. McEwan, Mr. and Mrs. Steffenson, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Bouk, Mr. and Mrs. Batterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Batterson. Mesdames Fisher, Sayre, Anderson, Shur-ley, Westberg, Hendricks, Gamble, Acker-mann, Salishury, Jeffries. Misses Gamble, Anderson, Sayre, Jeffries, Wilde, Maude I. and H. W. Wallace, Messrs, Davis, Halligan, Baker, Morton, Gamble, Bouk, Simpson.

Colonel and Mrs. Worth's Reception. The dancing reception given by Colonel

and Mrs. Worth Saturday evening, December 8, was declared to be, by those fortunate enough to be present, the most success-ful affair ever given at the fort. The unusually large number of dancing ten present was a relief after the great

scarcity of the masculine element which has marked most of the functions of the which has marked most of the functions of the whiter. The hop room was beautifully decorated with flags, and the stage, where the receiv-ing party stood, was transformed into a bower of loveliness by the aid of palms, flowers and military decorations. Colonel and Mrs. Worth were assisted in

receiving by Mrs. Brooke, Mrs. Yilton, Mrs. Benham and Miss Waring. During the evening a delicious supper was served in the ad-joining rooms, and the colonel's health and good wishes were quaffed many times in his famous punch. Among those present were: General and

Mrs. Brooke, Colonel and Mrs. Parke, Colonel and Mrs. Sommers, Miss Sommers, Mr. and Mrs. McKenna, Miss McKenna, Miss Doane Miss Dewey, Miss Curtis, Miss Pugsley, Colonel and Mrs. Hamilton, the Misses Colonel and Mrs. Hamilton, the Misses Hamilton, Miss Stewart, Miss Reese, Miss Smith, Miss Balcombe, Lieu-tenant and Mrs. Wright, Lieutenant and Mrs. Abercrombie, Miss Himebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wheeler, jr., Miss Hughes, Miss McClelland, Miss Wright, Lieutenant and Mrs. Benham, Capitalin and Mrs. Sarson, Colonel Bates, Colonel and Mrs. Witco

Colonel Bates, Colonel and Mrs. Yilton, Miss Yilton, Miss Keller, and Messrs. Bookmiller, Penn, Hines, Wells, McArthur, Kinzle, Wil-son, Quay, Krech, Charles Wilson, Redick, Garneau, Baldridge, Guiou, Doane, Robert Patrick, John Patrick, Fairfield, Clifford Smith, Davis, Rector, Saunders, Berlin, Prince, Clark, Mullen, Seay and others.

The Boggs Luncheon.

On Wednesday Mrs. George H. Boggs entertained a number of her friends at a luncheon in her beautiful home. Twentieth and Chicago streets. The magnificently fur-

nished rooms were profusely decorated with artistically arranged floral decorations. The profusion of roses of different varieties, scat-tered throughout the rooms, produced a most charming effect. There were about 100 guests present and each one was supplied with a delicately hand painted luncheon card of European production. Music was supplied by a mandolin orchestra, which discoursed the sweetest of airs during the afternoon. Everything was arranged with great skill and the menu was of the most

great skill and the menu was of the most elaborate kind. The following is the list of guests: Mrs. Alexander, Miss Lila Alexander, Mrs. Ran-som, Mrs. Haller, Mrs. Hawley, Miss Cook, Miss Clara Hawley, Miss Mary Hawley, Mrs. Daniel Baum, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Kinsman, Mrs. Stubbs, Mrs. Hartman, Miss Hartman, Miss Wolsh Mrs. Worsels Mrs. Spray Miss Welsh, Mrs. Wessels, Mrs. Sprague, Mrs. Larson, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Ogden, Mrs. Buck, Miss Buck, Mrs. Coutant, Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Barker, Miss Barker, Mrs. Coutint, Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Barker, Miss Barker, Mrs. Par-ker, Mrs. Barllett, Mrs. Carrier, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. McShane, Mrs. Jonas, Mrs. Warner, Mrs. Raymond, Mrs. McKell, Miss McKell, Madama Cheffie Mar. Morkell, Miss McKell, Madam Claffin, Mrs. Paxton, Mrs. White, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Parrine, Miss Wells, Mrs. Gillesple, Miss McShane, Miss Wells, Mrs. Gillesple, Miss McShane, Mrs. Rector, Mrs. Sloan, Mrs. Hussey, Miss Alice Alexander, Miss Imogen' Alexander, Mrs. Benson, Mrs. Whitney, Mrs. Sholes, Mrs. Brown, Miss Brown, Mrs. Meyer, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. J. E. Baum, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Dickey, Mrs. Stiggr, Mrs. Meredith, Mrs. Snyder, Miss Collier, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Hicks, Miss Graves, Mrs. Purvis, Mrs. Clafin, Mrs. Van Court

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Pleasant Card Party.

them in the very air, and they were made to feel that they were truly welcome on the occasion. The cares and anxieties of busi-mess were cast aside, and all entered into the spirit of the evening. There were games and music. Mrs. Judge Felker recited in a very pleasing manner a couple of choice selections which were highly appreciated. A sumptuous repast had been prepared, which was served at the close of the evening's program. Among those present were noticed Judge

Joseph Nestor. Dance of the N. S. F. B. Club. Wednesday evening one of the prettiest

dancing parties of the season was given at their hall, 1519-Harney street, by the young ladies of the N. S. F. B. club. Miss Schock wore a pretty black and red gown and

carried red rotes; Miss Carlo Meredith was in a black and settow slik; Miss Edith Ford was daintily costoned in black and wore pink and white roses; Miss May Swanson, a pretty white slik; Miss Gertie Wright appeared in a red gown; Miss Nellie Shoulace wore white mull and pink roses; Miss Laura Fisher wore black trimmed with green, Miss Frankie Holland, white crepe, red roses Miss Bertha Holland, black silk, red roses Miss Rose Dewey, white silk: Miss Grace Light, dark green with pink roses; Miss Lee

Light, dark green with pink roses, Miss Lee Glines, black silk, trimmed with jet. The guests were: Misses N. E. Wright, Nora Williams, St. John, E. L. Hoag, Gussie Clark, Nellie Hunter, Elsa Hartman, Freu-hauf, Edith Howe, Ida Lloyd, Carrle Schoeler, Lindquest, Yarwood, Higley, Thomas, Adda Whipple, Rosa Lingstrom, Murray, Gilmore, Wandte, Mashie and Murray, Gilmore, Kunkle, Newlin, and Messrs. W. E. Stock-ham, M. S. Wright, C. P. Hackenburg, C. H. Conklin, C. F. Butler, J. M. Thompsett Bert Corbert, George Fisher, Fred Fisher Claude Stockham, Guy Andrews, Dr. Alex-ander, Fred Goerne, W. F. Lehmer, A. Bank, J. R. Campbell, Elrod, M. M. Robert-ne, C. Sensheaven, Dan, Brayer, A. C. son, C. Scarborough, Dan Brewer, A. C. Heller, Edgar Smith, M. Smith, E. L. Hong W. R. Laughlin, C. O. Neilson, E. T. Lowery, Gilbert, Foster, Siefkin, Perry, J. P. Cooke, J. Cooke, Dr. Dorward, Mosher, Garrett Coleman.

For the Benefit of a Ladies' Club.

Monday evening a very entertaining sociable was held at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Hertzmann, 516 North Sixteenth street, consisting of choice selections on the harp, violin and plano, also comic recitations by Mr. Clarence Elliott, singing by Miss Nellie Hathaway and Mr. George Morris, also selections on the plano by Miss Dora Miller and Miss Traitschke The following ladies and gentlemen were present: Mr. and Mrs. Musser, Mr. and Mrs. Gillan, Mr. and Mrs. Fitch, Mr. and Mrs.

Plattner, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Decker, Mr. and Mrs. George Morris, Mr. and Mrs. George Ellett, Mr. and Mrs. John and Mrs. George Ellett, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas, Dr. and Mrs. Hertzmann, Mrs. Will-iam Rawitzer, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Julius Treitschke, Mrs. Thomas Anderson, Mrs. Clara Lyons, Miss Cool, Miss C. Hathaway, Miss Van Dyke, Miss Kelley, Miss Laura Sheffer, Miss Rawitzer, Miss Dora Miller, Miss Allee Gillan, Miss Treitschke, Miss Dohn, Miss Nellie Hathaway, Mr. Vail, Mrs Gentry, Mr. W. Steld, Mr. C. Elliott and Mr. George Hickox. During the latter part of the evening a de-

clous supper was served, at which all participated. The social was given for the bene-fit of a ladies club and a handsome sum was realized.

Pretty Art Party.

Wednesday evening was given one of the daintlest art parties of the season at the home of Miss Elizabeth Kellogg, in honor of Miss Zella Cornell, who leaves soon to make Miss Zella Cornell, who reaces awing was the her home in Chicago. Drawing was the feature of the evening, the first prizes going to Miss Cornell and Mr. Greninger. Miss to Miss Cornell and Mr. Greninger. Miss Crawford and Mr. Brown were consoled with the booby prizes.

the booby prizes. During the evolving light refreshments were served. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Greininger, Miss Rose Smith of Denver, Miss Stella Beacher, Miss Clara Crawford, Miss Rose Peterson, Miss Nora Larkin, Miss Zella Cornell, Miss Elizabeth Kellogg; Messrs. Joe Bishop, Will Beecher, Martin Brown, Leonard Strang, George Gil-lespie, Prof. McConnéll.

Miss Wareham Entertains. Miss Emily Wareham entertained a num-

ber of her young triends at the home of her

parents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wareham, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Wheritt delightfully entertained a party of friends at their cosy home on South Twentleth street last Wednes-Alice Ferguson, Mabel Gordon, Dora Fred-Twentieth street last Wednes ericksen, Maude Merriott, Emma Munnecke,

Mrs. Parks and Lieutenant Arrismith, which all fall upon the same day. The only town guests were Miss Hughes and Miss Reece. Mrs. Linda Wigman left yesterday for Crowe, Miss Leavitt, Messre, Clayton, Jones Mrs. Linda Wigman left yesterday for uperior, where she will visit with Miss Miss Brown, expecting to return after the holidays. Prof. Gaynore's dancing class was given a little dancing party at Carfield hall last night. They enjoyed a masquerade on Thursday evening.

The Collins home on Capitol avenue has been taken by Mr. Lewis, who will occupy it with his family during the owner's ab-

sence from Omaha. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Barlow returned from ther wedding journey last Thursday. They will not be at home, however, to their friends until February 1.

Miss Mae Mount and Miss Bertha Sloan who are pupils at Miss Grant's school, Chi-cago, will return to their homes next Sun-

day for the Christmas holidays. Mirs Mae Smith has just returned from a two weeks' delightful visit with the Misses Clara and Genevieve Ellick, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ellick of Fremont, Neb.

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Miss Kinsey, who has just returned from Kansas, leaves the early part of this week for Fort Niobrara, where she will be the guest of Miss Lacey until after the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilson Battin, who were on their way to California and Old Mexico, stopped in the city a few days of last week, visiting the family of Mr. Isaac Battin.

The Thurston Rifles have issued invitations for the celebration of their first anniversary of the mustering of the company into the Nebraska national guard, Monday evening, December 17.

Miss Higgins of Chicago, who is to be the rived in town last week. Miss Higgins is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wheeler, of St. Mary's avenue.

Miss Emma Pearson of Fairbury, Neb. s the guest of Mrs. B. S. Baker, at 1006 South Thirty-second street. Miss Pearson is to be married on January 1 to Dr. Will S.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Barkalow can no onger be counted among the residents of Omaha, the sickness of their infant daughter ecessitating their removal to Denver, where Mr. Barkalow has engaged in business.

After an absence of some months, Mrs. Booth, wife of Captain Booth of the quartermaster department of the army, has re-turned to this city. Captain and Mrs. Booth are quartered at the Madison for the winter. Mrs. Collins and Miss Collins leave the first week of January for New York City, where they will spend the winter. They sail early in the spring for an extended tour of the continent, revisiting familiar spots in the old world.

A dainty informal luncheon was given Tuesday by Miss Mergaret Brown. The dec- Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and Mr. Chass. There orations were all in ferns, with a center piece completing the cool and refreshing effect. The guests were Miss Elliott, Misses Gardiner, Miss Cady and Miss Col-

petzer. Mrs. James E. Boyd gave on Thursday a very beautiful Kensington, a large number of guests being present throughout the hours

of the Kensington. Delicious refreshments were served during the afternoon, the rooms looking particularly attractive in their floral decorations.

The members of Success lodge No. 135, Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, will give their sixth annual ball on Thurs-day, January 17, in Washington hall. These gentlemen never do anything by halves and judging from the past. the affair will doubt-less be an unqualified success.

Mrs. E. P. Brinegar entertained at high five Friday evening at the Madison. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Kellar, Mr. and Mrs. Millar, Captain and Mrs. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Beale, Mrs. Touzalin, Miss Landis, Miss Morse, Mr. Kennedy, Mr. Clapp, Mr. Wood, Mrs. Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Carrier, 1314 South fwenty-ninth street, entertained the Merry-Go-Round High Five c.ub Saturday evening, December 8. Those present were: Mr. H. D. and Mrs. Edward Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Cronk, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Shropshire, Mr.

and O'Connor. O'Connor, Matson, Fianagan, Cahalane, Lamn, Wells, Morris and Eller; Mesars, Murphy, Fyle, Ford, Smith, Casey, McGuckin, Monaghan, Cahalane, Lamm, Wilson, Dalley, and C. S. Carrier.

Leighty, Gilbert, Knapp, Culley, Riley, Furay, T. Reynolds, J. Reynolds, Peterson, O'Brien, Koesters, Quinn, Hagerty, Conklin, Benninghaven, W. Reilly, McCermack, Grady, Morris, Rushart, Foley, McGrath and Web-Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Golden entertained the Blizzard High Five club Friday evening, Mrs. H. Schaffer and T. F. Golden winning first prizes, Mrs. Sautter and G. Hayward taking the booby prizes. The membera of the club are Mr. and Mrs. Sautter, Mr. and ater. Mrs. McIntosh entertained very charmingly Wednesday afternoon. The house was deco-rated with yellow chrysonthemums. Mrs. Runtin assisted Mrs. McIntosh in receiving.

Mrs. Schaffer, Mr. and Mrs. Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. Golden. Mrs. John R. Brooke entertained at lunchwhile through the rooms were Mra. Coles, Mrs. A. L. Reed, Mrs. Estabrook, Mrs. Ir-vine, Mrs. Will Redick, Mrs. Gifford, Mrs. Frank Richardson, Miss Scott of Princeton, III. Miss Mabel Balcombe, Miss Copeland, Miss Knight, Miss Heagland and Miss Ster-ling of St. Paul. eon Tuesday Mrs. Pritchétt, Mrs. Patrick, Mrs. Cowen, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Dandy, Mrs. Yost, Mrs. Redlek, Mrs. Coutant and Mrs. Barton. After the luncheon high five was played, Mrs. Pritchett

winning the first prize , while Mrs. Redick ling of St. Paul. won the booby prize. Mr. Milton Nobles and his dramatic com-pany have offered to play a benefit for the Ladies Aid society of All Sainta' church at Boyd's opera house on January 15, and the Mrs. Frank S. Pusey gave a large reception yesterday in Council Bluffs, which was attended by several prominent guests from orated in smilax and roses, and every detail was complete. Mrs. Pusey was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Robert E. Montgomery, and Miss Eleanor Montgomery. and with his charming wife is always a guest

The Omaha Whist club entertained the Council Bluff's Whist club at their apart-ments in The Bee building last evening. There was a team tilt at duplicate whist, after which there was some choice vocal and instrumental music and a palatable collation. S. A., Wednesday evening, January 16, 1895, 8 o'clock, at Fort McPherson, Georgia, Mr. every one concerned agreeing that the even-ing had been most felicitously spent.

S ochock, at port mernerson, Georgia, arr. Morford was for a number of years con-nected with the Nebraska National bank of this city, later entering the army, and passed his examination for a second lieutenancy. An unusually pleasant card party was given Tuesday evening in honor of the Misses Gard-iner and Miss Elliott by the Misses Baum. Tuesday evening in the Misses Baum, iner and Miss Ellioit by the Misses Baum. The rooms were prittly decorated and ten tables were filled with players Miss Ham-liton and Mr. Wayne won the first prizes was one of the delightful functions of a very busy week. Miss Himebaugh was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Coles, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. in receiving by Mrs. Coles, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Remington and Mrs. Harry McCormick. The

Mr. Charles F. Catlin, secretary Western Art association, will deliver his very popular descriptive and illustrated lecture, en-titled, "Glimpses of the White City," or "The Beauties and Wonders of the World's Fair." before the members of the Western Art association, in the Lininger art gallery, o Tuesday evening, December 18, at 8 o'clock. op

In honor of the Misses Gardiner and Miss have been so royally entertained in Omaha during the past week, returned to Council Builds Friday, where there is more gayety to follow in their honor. particulars one of the prettiest dancing parties of the season.

Miss Louie Drake gave a most charming dancing party Thursday evening in honor of the Misses Gardiner. Miss Drake was assisted in receiving by Miss Gardiner, her sister having been compelled to attend an entertainment in Council Bluffs. The three rooms adjoining the drawing room were can-

The Whist club was entertained Friday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wheeler, jr. The following members were present: Mr, and Mrs. Redick, Mr. and Mrs. Huli, Mr. and Mrs. C. Will Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and Mr. Collins, Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Cowin, Mrs. Mrs. Patrick, Mr. and Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Cowin, Mrs. Mrs. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were also present Mr. and Mrs. Gurley and

Miss Dundy. Miss Dundy. Friday evening last the Manhattan Social club gave another of its delightful parties in Erfling hall. Those present were: Mr. and Winner Mr. Mrs. J. Sullivan, Mrs. M. Rhodes, Winner Mr. M. Social Mr. and Mrs. J. Sullivan, Mrs. M. Rhodes, Social Mrs. T. A. Cobry, Mr. and Mrs. S. Collins, Mrs. T. A. Cobry, Mr. and Mrs. S. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bennett, Misses Murphy, Garrity, Riley, Healey, Clarke, Nestlebush, Shannon, Cosgrove, Gentleman, L. Vorwald, C. Vorwald, Wilson, A. Wilson, Dailey, Date of the state of the st

Thirteenth street. The evening was spent in playing high five, after which dainty refreshments were served by the charming hostess. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Corby, Mr. and Mrs. Braden, Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Hale, Misses Grace Kenney, Fay, Wertz, Anna Kennedy, Agnes Kennedy Messrs, Grant W. Kenney, Henry Crapo, Robert Altchison and Oelrich. Henry Blum, In honor of Mrs. Watson of Chicago Mrs. J. H. Millard gave a delightful tea Wednes-day afternoon. There were only the old-time friends of Mrs. Watson invited, and all thor-

at the rectory when in Omaha.

Invitations have been received from Cap-

tain Edward L. Randall to the marriage of his daughter, Miss Sara Elizabeth Randall, and Lieutenant William Henry Morford, U.

house was exquisitely decorated throughout in pink, everything being in barmony with

the prevailing color. Quite a number of

young women were present during the hours of the function, which was from 3 until 5.

Friday evening proved to be a most enjoy

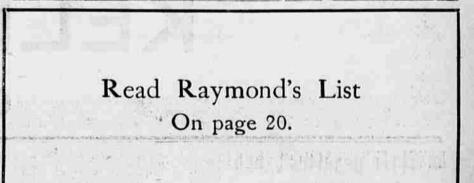
able one to the members of the Fortnightly club, as they were entertained at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Isalah Hale, 2011 South

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Culley, Konon, Culley, Recom-

prised at their home, 1612 South Sixth street, Monday evening, high five being the amuse-Whalen, Younge, Benson, Swendby, Hagerty, Nononan won the first prizes, Miss Burquist McGuire, Durr, R. Durr, Reynolds, Casey, and Mr. Kauffman the consolation prizes.



taken up with herself all the while, and she is nonest, genuine, frank and kindly. She is the girl who likes to talk to old gentlemen to give them the pleasure of a bit of gay gossip with a fresh young girl; she takes time to be civil to the young girl; she takes time to be civil to the old ladies, she sympathizes with bashful girls younger than herself and is good between whiles to awkward boys. She doesn't dangte about in hot rooms all day munching bon bons and reading novels, but is full of in-terests and occupations, and has the buoyancy and vigor of high health and overflowing mainly. The important part is that she spirits. The important part is that she doesn't pretend to be any of these things, but really is what she seems to be. The debutante will learn in time, as every one does learn, that while it is very easy to pretend it is very difficult to deceive people with pretenses. Our friends all know our real characters pretty well, and the way to make people think we are good tempered and kindly is to be good tempered and kindly.

Another lesson the pretty debutante is learn-ing while she flits about ball rooms like a frisky young butterfly is the lesson of adapta-bility. A little experience teaches her that even though she was the cleverest girl in school and the valedictorian of her class it is best not to talk philosophy or discuss serious chances to sit beside some grave elderly man at dinner that though her innocent chatter may amuse him for the moment he will easily the of it, and her best plan will be to listen to him instead. He will be sure to enjoy talk-ing to a pair of bright, young eyes that give respectful attention to what be says.

There is really, when one comes to think of h, no end of things that this apparently care free girl debutante must be busy with learn-ing. One is to drop most of her school girl and an enter more careful with her sentences. Another is to steer carefully be-tween the danger of being a "giddy gusher" of the some young prig. To learn that notes must be answered at once and all engage-ments carefully kept, even if they happen not be answered at once and all engage-ments carefully kept, even if they happen on the desson of governing her tongue, and be-ing discreet in her talk, lest she allenate is, perhaps, the most difficult lesson of a the hooking bored every this on feels the senset to be are unlucky enough to be dull to bore without being rude, which is at hooking bored is to take here if her to be the senset is of bores without being rude, which is at high discreet in the less the debutante new to re-ieve the shyness of timil people with her with the necessary to teach herself how to re-solution on the sense of the senset of the provide the confidence. Let the debutante new to provide the the sense of the senset of the provide the confidence of the debutante new to provide the sense of the sense of the senset of the theor is sense ended with the close to be provided to the sense of the sense of the senset of the school room door; indeed, now that she is beginning, and will take more study. There is really, when one comes to think of a gay young woman in society they are really just beginning, and will take more study and are far more difficult to learn than any she ever found in books.

There will be a let up in the social whiri this week, preparations for the Christmas holidays taking precedence over teas, luncheons, receptions and dancing parties. However, Monday Mrs. G. W. Wattles will entertain the Bon Ami club at the Millard body. Tuesdes Mrs. Delay Beshe will be entertain the Bon Ami club at the Miliard hotel. Tuesday, Mrs. Dallas Bache will give a Kensington tea. Wednesday, Mrs. A. S. Carter and Miss Himebaugh will give a dancing party. For Thursday Mrs. Frank Ransom announces a Kensington: on the same evening Miss Drake will give another dancing party. Beyond this there are few announcements for the week.

The Reed Dancing Party.

The dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Lowis Reed Tuesday evening was a delightful affair in every way. The floors were can-

but Mr. Lininger congratulations of his many friends and their best wishes for many happy returns of the day. Mr. Lininger has been an active citizen day. Mr. Lininger has been an active citizen of Omaha for twenty-two years. Twelve of those years have been given up to public labors for the benefit of the city. He has been at the head of the art movement which is slowly, it is true, but none the less surely, giving Omaha a national prominence. It is almost entirely to Mr. Lininger's per-sonal efforts that Omaha is becoming one of the recognized art conters of the eventry of the recognized art conters of the country and that she stands far ahead of all western and that she stands far ahead of all western cities. His magnificent collection of works of art are visited by thousands of people every year and its influence upon the de-velopment of art has been marked. In busi-ness circles Mr. Lininger thas never been found is the rear ranks of those who devote their time and means toward increasing the material wealth of Omaha's public-spirited citizens, in the best sense of the word, and his thousands of friends and well wishers in Omaha unite in wishing him many happy

in Omaha unite in wishing him many happy returns of the day he so quietly observed yesterday.

A Soldier's Sweetheart.

Lieutenant T. H. Wilson of the Second United States Infantry, who has been best not to talk philosophy or discuss serious problems between the figures in the colillon. She will have plenty of proper occasions to show what she knows, but in the ball room such topics are heavy and unsuitable, and she had much better content herself with a merry give and take of nonsense and nothings, so that nothing is lost when the dance comes to break in upon the sentence. Or if the debu-tante happens to be of the purely butterfly order of mind she will soon learn when she chances to sit beside some grave elderly man and each possessing a characteric dash of military coloring. The book will interest all lovers of short stories and will be particu-larly entertaining to the readers who are more or less acquainted with the romantic side of the only too often hum drum existence in frontier army posts. The book is printed by John L. Gideon & Company of this city, while Lieutenant Prince of the Second. aided the author in the arrangement of the title page, which is a very clever conceit well worked out and with true artistic

Mrs. Millard's Tea

feeling.

In honor of Mrs. James Watson, who is visiting friends in town, Mrs. Joseph H. Millard gave a very charming tea Wednesday afternoon. The beautiful rooms, with their artistic nooks and vistas, were daintily decorated in carnations and maidenhair ferns, while the hall glowed with palms and decorative plants. At 5 o'clock the tea table with exquisite silver and delicate china was brought into the large drawing room, and brought into the large drawing room, and light refreshments were served. The guests were Mrs. Watson, Mrs. J. N. H. Patrick, Mrs. Henry W. Yates, Mrs. Dandy, Mrs. Brooke, Mrs. Collins and Miss Collins, Mrs. Guy Barton, Mrs. L. M. Bennett, Mrs. Coutent, Mrs. Yost, Mrs. Pritchett, Mrs. and Miss Hanscom, Mrs. Garneau, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Charley Greene, Mrs. Bradford, Mrs. Cowin, Mrs. Beall, Mrs. Lacy.

tlayed High Five.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Barnum, 1124 North Eighteenth street, entertained very pleasantly

at high five Wednesday evening. Eight tables were occupied and sixteen games played, resulting in Mrs. Phillips and Mr. Root win-ning first prizes, Mrs. Root and Mr. Joseph Redman the consolation prizes. There were

Redman the consolation prizes. There were present: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haskell, Mr. and Mrs. Bassett, Mr. and Mrs. Balley, Mr. and Mrs. Redman, Mr. and Mrs. Bolie, Mr. and Mrs. Percival, Judge and Mrs. Shiekis, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Walker, Arthur Angel, Mrs. Angel, Mr. and Mrs. Palmatier, Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, Miss Maud Peterson, Mrs. Phillips, Miss Turner, Miss Retta Tur-nor, Miss Lyman.

Eastern Star Entertained.

The dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Lowis teed Tuesday evening was a delightful af-air in every way. The floors were can-bers of Vests Chapter No. 6. Order of the mem-bers of Vests Chapter No. 6. Order of the Eastern Star, at her residence, 167 South Seventeenth street. Wednesday evening, As and continuidous double parlors upon their Those present were: Colonel and Mrs. Mrs. W. S. Phelps entertained in a very

day evening. evening was devoted to cards, progressive high five forming the diversion, at the con-Mr. Coclerell shared the honors. Mr. and Mrs. Wheritt have a graceful

way of entertaining their guests, and upon this occasion they were pleasantly assisted by Miss Standish and Miss Anna Williams. Miss Stephenson and Mr. Cockrell were the adepts in the card games and carried off the

handsome trophies. Among those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Davis Cable, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Leaderich, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Squise, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Albert and Mrs. B. E. Grindt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Topping, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hewitt. Misses Williams, Chapman, Witman, Knight, Manchester, Stephenson, Lemon, Daisy Lemon, Horn-berger, Esmond, Mary Esmond. Kahl, Rhener. Van Brunt, Council Bluffs; Standesh, Haké. Missrs. Burleigh, Dr. McMullen, M. G. Landes, S. Humphrey, Bird, Robert Waite, Fred Able, E. J. Irey, Frank Standesh, A. J.

Beaton, G. W. Williamson, S. Williams, Harry Cockrell, Mr. Sues, Mr. and Mrs. Pixley and Miss Conaway of York.

For Her Sister, Miss Scott. To introduce her sister, Miss Scott, Mrs.

Frank M. Richardson gave a delightful reception Friday from 2 until 4 and 4 until 6 The pretty home of Mrs. Richardson on Cap avenue was most tastefully decorated with American Beauty roses, palms and ferns while the dining room was respiendent with lilies of the valley, the table being in pink. which, with the pretty linens, made an effective decorative picture. At no time were the rooms uncomfortably crowded, permitting the guests to mingle freely and interchange pleasantries throughout the afternoon. Mrs. Richardson was assisted in receiving by her woman, the hostess being gowned in a be-coming old rose taffeta silk with black chiffon bodice, Miss Scott wearing a smart frock of black satin with yellow chiffon bodice, and carrying violets. Mrs. Richardson was also assisted throughout the rose by

bodice, and carrying violets. Mrs. Richardson was also assisted throughout the rooms by Mrs. Giford, Mrs. McIntosh, Mrs. Stebbins, Mrs. Irvine, Mrs. Arthur B. Smith, Mrs. Ella W. Peattle, Miss Hoagland, Miss Sterling of St. Paul, Miss Sharp, Miss Ida Sharp, Miss Brown, Miss McKell, Miss Buck, Miss Lind-sey and Miss Frances Gilbert. After the guests had gone the receiving party and their husbands were given a dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Richardson and the evening spent splendidly. splendidly.

Miss Webster's Dance.

For her guest, Miss Doak, an exceedingly pretty and stylish girl from the south land, Miss Webster gave a lovely dancing party Friday evening. Although the hostess was Miss Webster gave a lovely dancing party Friday evening. Although the hostess was suffering from illess, she was able in her amiable, pleasant manner to direct the enter-tainment of her guests. Mrs. Webster and Miss Doak receiving. The house was bril-liantly decorated with yellow chrysanthe-mums and dancing was enjoyed in the dining room and both parlors. Miss Webster was gowned in a smart costume of light blue satin, Miss Doak wore pink slik, trimmed with velvet, while Mrs. Webster wore a heavy black satin. Among the fifty guests with velvet, while Mrs. Webster wore a heavy black satin. Among the fifty guests present, the following are recalled: Misses Smith, Burns, Crounse, Ringwalt, Buck, Lindsey, Margaret Brown, the Misses Hamilton, Miss Doane, Miss Palmer, Miss Himebaugh, Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. Meikle, Captain Crowder; Messrs. Dean, Penn, Wells, Everett, Mayne, Miss Moore, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Crofoot, Mr. Mullen, Mr. Wilkins, Mr. Cudaby, Mr. Gannett, Mr. Mercer, Mr. Pal-mer. Sixteen numbers were danced and the

mer. Sixteen numbers were danced and the evening was one of rare enjoyment. Entertained for Her Brothers. Miss Louise Neator gave a party in honor of her brothers Philip and Henry and their

The major portion of the Eva Bell, Ellen Askwith, Clemic Russell, and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Canfield, evening was devoted to cards, progressive high five forming the diversion, at the con-clusion of which was served a dainty three-course luncheon. This was followed by music, in which Mrs. G. W. Johnston and Mr. Cochreil shared the honors. The evening was devoted to music, dancing

and playing games. A lunch was served, and all the young people report a delightful

Patronesses for the Princeton Night. The following ladies have consented to act

as patronesses for the Princeton Glee club concert at Boyd's Thursday evening, Decemconcert at Boyd's Inurscay evening, December 27: Mesdames J. N. H. Patrick, J. M. Woolworth, H. W. Yates, George Pritchett, Thomas Kilpatrick, Casper E. Yost, James K. Chambers, Warren M. Rogers, Horace-Ludington, Thomas A. Creigh, George Worthington, John R. Brooke, L. M. Bennett, T. L. Kimball, George B. Lake, Ben B. Wood, G. M. Hitchcock, J. C. Denise, Robert B. Peattle, H. C. Akin, Lewis Reed, G. C. Barton, Joseph Barker, W. E. Annin, J. M. Wilson, Thomas Barker, W. E. Annin, J. M. Wilson, Thomas Swobe, Milton Rogers, James McKenna. Doings in Society.

Miss Dolly Polock has returned from Chi

Miss Palmer entertained the Magazine club last evening.

ill, is convalescent.

Mrs. Keller entertained informally Monday afternoon for Mrs. Benham. Miss Cobaugh of Springfield, O., is the

quest of Mrs. H. M. Itnyer. Mrs. Charles Squires is spending the week with her cousin in St. Louis.

Mr. Earl Gannett returned home on Tueslay after a long stay in the east.

Colonel Bates gave a handsome dinner to few friends at the post Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marble and Miss Marble have taken apartments at the Madison. Mrs. W. N. Nason left yesterday for San

notonio, where she will spend the winter. R. B. Reeves and wife have taken rooms at 202 North Eighteenth street, with Mrs. Godso. Mr. Schiller B. Boysen, 2510 Harney street, leaves today for a visit to his home, Clinton,

Mrs. J. R. Cox and daughter Helen of Denver, Colo., are the guests of Mrs. L. A. Garner. Miss Phillips, who has been the guest o

Miss Burns, is now visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mercer.

Mr. Harry Steinfield of Chicago is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Wolff, at 2510 Harney street.

Mr. Lyman O. Perley, who formerly lived in Omaha, is herê for a short stay, having arrived Monday.

Mr. Miller of Franklin, Penn., will spend Sunday in Omaha, as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Drake

Miss Webster will go to Nashville, Tenn., January 1, where she will visit Miss Doak,

who is now her guest. Miss Lila Alexander gave a pretty card party last evening for Miss Welch, Miss Peck and Miss Gratiat. The many friends of Mrs. G. W. Ames will

be pleased to know that she is home from the hospital and doing hidely.

Mrs. E. S. Dundy, who has been confined to her home by illness for several weeks past, is now able to be out. Ed G. Gyger, "who has been visiting in the city since Thanksgiving, leaves next Tuesday evening for New York.

Miss Harrietta Tatum goes to Chicago this weak to be maid of honor at the McGee-Quick wedding on the 26th of December. Mr. and Mrs. Clement Chase are receiving

the congratulations of their many friends on the birth of a son Thursday morning. Miss Pugsley, who has made so many friends during her visit with Miss Curtis, re-turned to Chicago Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. C. B. Schmidt leaves for New York today, where he goes to make arrangements for the transfer of his family to that city. Last Monday evening Mrs. Ullo gave a small party for the young people at Fort Omaha to celebrate the birthdays of herself,



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