

NO MORE MISS RUTH BRYAN

Wedded to Mr. William Homer Leavitt at Her Parents' Home.

AFFAIR CONDUCTED IN SIMPLE MANNER

Celebration of a Romance Which Had its Inception in Painting of Portrait by the Groom.

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

LINCOLN, Oct. 2.—(Special.)—The last chapter in the romance of a picture was reached at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the tastefully decorated parlor of the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Bryan, when Miss Ruth Bryan and Mr. William Homer Leavitt were married.

The wedding was a Delta Gamma affair and the members of this fraternity preceded the bridal party down the stairs to the parlor, stopped at the entrance and formed a lane, through which the couple passed.

Miss Margery Watkins played the march and Miss Grace Bryan and Miss Dorothy Raymond led the way to the altar. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. Leavitt and his bride mingled with their guests and joined in singing the Delta Gamma wedding songs.

The suit has a Louis XV coat lined with pale gray satin, with collar and belt of velvet edged with gray and white tulle. The blouse to be worn with the suit is of black and white checked silk with a crushed band and rosette of black maline at the throat.

Probably the engagement of no other couple of recent time has been more thoroughly discussed by the press of the country than this one. Not only because the bride is the daughter of Mr. Bryan, but because of the romantic meeting.

And while the wires were busy with the announcement of the engagement of Miss Bryan and Captain Hobson and the previous announcement that Miss Bryan was to devote her life to the work of Hull House, Chicago, the bride to be was overcoming the opposition of her parents to her wedding.

WOMAN IN CLUB AND CHARITY

This week will be one of unprecedented activity among the women's organizations of Nebraska and Iowa. In fact, every place else in clubdom the work is opening up, though fortunately there are few states where the duties will conflict as they will this week in Nebraska and Iowa.

Tomorrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock, the first fall meeting of the Omaha Woman's club will be held at the First Congregational church and in addition to the interest usually attendant upon the opening, the presence of the president, Mrs. Dora Lyon and Miss Mary Hay of New York will lend an additional interest.

Tuesday morning something over a score of representatives of the local Woman's club will go to Fremont, where the annual convention of the Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs will be in session Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

The Omaha Woman's club will hold its first open meeting of the fall tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the club rooms at the First Congregational church.

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The Woman's Synodical Missionary society of Nebraska closed a most successful meeting Friday at Gibbon. The program was replete with interest, among the speakers being Mrs. D. B. Walls of Chicago.

Mrs. Frank Young of Broken Bow, president of the Nebraska Woman's Suffrage association, spent part of the week in the city conferring at state headquarters regarding the coming state convention at Nebraska City this week.

Miss Jane Addams of Hull House, Chicago, will lecture in the auditorium of the

First Congregational church at 3 o'clock on "Newer Ideals of Peace," under the auspices of the Woman's club.

Preparation at Fremont is complete for the reception and entertainment of the visiting women of the Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs, who will assemble there in annual convention Tuesday.

On Thursday evening a woman's club was organized at Nebraska City by Mrs. Emma Page, president of the Nebraska Federation of Clubs.

Present indications are that the convention of the Nebraska Federation will not only be honored by the presence of the national president, Mrs. Denison, but that Mrs. Robert Burdette of California, vice president of the General Federation, will also be in attendance.

The first meeting of the French department of the Woman's club was held at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning in the club rooms at the First Congregational church.

Permission was granted at the meeting of the board of the Woman's club Friday morning for the use of the auditorium of the church for a lecture to be given by Mrs. W. W. Keyser on "Art Impressions of the Twentieth Century."

SOCIETY IN HURRY UP MOOD

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and as there were no men present it was carried out with embellishments. As quick as the suggestion was made one of the dear girls had her handkerchiefs on her little white skirt and with a swish and a flourish she had draped it over the shoulders of the bride to be for a wedding veil.

Coming down to the real goods in the society line, Lincoln was right there with a bargain counter man, and the regret was that the week didn't have eight days. Of course the talk was all about one thing and another, and what will we do next week, when Ruth Bryan and Mr. Leavitt, the artist, are gone, and right here on the word artist considerable discussion has been going the rounds as to how to pronounce it with the Newport accent.

Some of the young men of Lincoln are rejoicing exceedingly these days because of the calling together of the U. B. club to prepare for the season's campaign. It is in this instance Mrs. Jeanette Reheiser and of course with such a name its origin was in the state house and its members are state house girls.

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It is a question among the women of the society set whether the publicity given the bringing about of the event and other things connected with the principals and their families was just the proper thing. One woman who writes society news for a local paper, had a talk with the principal and there were an editorial, which she submitted to them, to the effect that the publicity was out of all taste and reason.

"I just hope you will submit that," she said, "because it is to shame the way the papers have been taking on about this wedding." The city editor agreed to father the story, and he was interrupted by the woman in her next breath with "Well, can I have a column and a half in which to describe the bride's costume?"

The Century club got busy over the discussion and will continue to be discussed as long as the name, "The Evolution of Woman, and the American Woman Compared with Women of Other Lands—Their Legal Rights, Educational and Social Privileges." And even with that Mrs. H. C. Swearington was elected a member.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hiner occurred a banquet in honor of Mrs. H. M. Casabier by the J. O. C. club, of which she was the former president. At this the men were given tiny pictures of the women folks when they were tiny girls and whoever guessed who took which dinner, who was spread on a table tastefully decorated with smilax and roses.

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Miss Ruth Bryan entertained the members of the Delta Gamma at Fairview and gave each one of the girls an opportunity to see her trousseau and such like, and they had been just dying to see it ever since they heard about it. And then Miss Susie Chrisman and Mr. Jean Edwards got married, with two preachers to tie the knot, and Mrs. R. M. Turner entertained, and Mrs. Earl McCreery gave her first post nuptial at home, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis gave a dinner, and the Signy Alpha Epistola gave their first dance of the season, and the Eames Amateurs met with Mrs. Frank Fisher and she is the wife of a newspaper man, and the Hall in the Grove met with Mrs. W. B. Richardson, and W. J. Bryan and Miss Ruth Bryan and Mr. W. H. Leavitt met at Omaha and met Mrs. A. L. Leavitt, the mother of the artist; and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Davidson of Tecumseh announced they are well known in Lincoln, and then the birth of a eleven-pound boy because there was a heap more doing.

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