

# Society

By MELLIFICIA. Monday, November 22, 1915.

It has been almost a year since the cry of "hoops, my dear," was first heard.

The single hoop has repeatedly appeared in Omaha since then. But now the intelligence comes that the hoops are flourishing in Lincoln, and separate hoop foundations are in the shop windows and selling briskly. The women have called them "the dearest things."

We have all seen the ugly constructions hidden away in attics and looked over the illustration of advertisements in Harper's Weeklies. In fact, this generation of femininity started life with strong prejudices against hoops and a determination that no tyrant fashion would ever force the mode upon us.

The hoops have accomplished a crafty entry into 1915 fashions. They do not look like the horrors we have seen of them in the past. Instead, they are of flexible reeds set in net foundation and covered with soft net puffing.

Our grandmothers have told of the beautiful young lady who was killed by the train because her hoops were caught on the track. They caught on the fences, too, and lovely maidens were gored to death while trying to take short cuts across pastures. They also caught on the stairs and pretty necks were broken.

But there is quite another story out in Lincoln since the hoops have appeared in the shop windows.

Listen—a girl was saved from death by lightning in Nebraska City thirty-seven years ago because she was wearing a continuously wired hoop-skirt. It was a portable, individual lightning rod and conducted the death-dealing current safely to the earth.

If they do appear in Omaha, we shall probably hear other good tales to their credit.

**Debut of Miss McCord.**

Mrs. William Halleck McCord presents her daughter, Miss Margery McCord, to society at a debut tea to be given Wednesday, December 1, between the hours of 3 and 5.

Mr. and Mrs. McCord are also planning a dancing party to be given at the Hotel Fontenelle, Monday, December 7, for their daughter. Miss McCord is visiting friends in St. Joseph and is expected home Tuesday evening or Wednesday morning.

**Thanksgiving House Party.**

Mrs. John J. Mahoney left for Minneapolis Sunday afternoon to visit with her daughter, Miss May Mahoney, who has the chair in French in the college of St. Catherine in Minneapolis. For the Thanksgiving week-end Mrs. Mahoney and Miss Mahoney, with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Barber, will be guests at a house party in Revellville at the country place of Mrs. Barber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy O'Connor. Mrs. Barber has been a guest in Omaha when she was Miss Etta O'Connor.

**Omahans in Lincoln.**

Mrs. R. C. Hunter assisted in receiving Friday evening at a musicale given to over 100 guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Birchard.

Mrs. W. A. Saxon and Mrs. Pattie Vaughn were the guests last week of Mrs. E. B. Fancher.

Mrs. W. J. Andre, formerly of Omaha, gave a house warming Monday evening with Miss Violet Cook of York the honor guest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Willard and children will leave for Lincoln Tuesday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sanford. Mrs. Sanford will entertain informally Thanksgiving in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Willard.

**Thanksgiving Party.**

Mrs. Harry V. Burkle and Mrs. C. W. Hamilton will be hostesses this evening to 200 guest members of the Research club at the Knights of Columbus club house. The decorations will be in Thanksgiving scheme, with yellow chrysanthemums, and tables will be placed for cards. Assisting Mrs. Burkle and Mrs. Hamilton will be Misses Alice McShane, Veronica O'Connor and Catter.

**Tea for High School Girls.**

The directors of the Visiting Nurse association gave a tea this afternoon at the city hall rooms for girls of the South Side High school and of the Lininger Travel club of the Central High school, who have organized sewing circles for the association. The board of directors includes:

**Meedames—** S. R. Town, (Dr.) Mattie L. Arthur, Ralph Breckenridge, Ralph W. Connel, T. L. Davis, H. O. Edwards, Ben Gallagher, W. O. Hart, W. D. Hooford, John L. McCague, C. W. Russell, Miss Alice Buchanan.

**Meedames—** W. E. Adams, G. I. Bradley, Victor Caldwell, W. J. Hyne, G. J. Ingerson, Thomas Kilpatrick, Luther L. Kountze, Myron Learned, Charles Metz, Harriet Millard, W. D. Hooford, N. P. Dodge, Jr., C. E. Searr.

**Hostesses at Tea Room.**

On the opening of "Yuletide tea room," to be conducted by the ladies of the First Presbyterian church to raise funds for their charitable work, the hostesses for the first day, December 1, will be Meedames Frank Judson, W. F. Milroy and Walter Preston.

**Past Festivities.**

Miss Grace Mickel entertained Len Ames Whitist club Saturday afternoon at her home. Prizes were won by Mrs. George Koebler and Miss May Rasmussen. The club will meet Saturday, December 4, with Mrs. Frank J. Murphy.

**Future Events.**

The Columbian club will give their annual Thanksgiving party at their hall Tuesday evening. Seventeen prizes will be awarded.

Miss Verna Kirschbraun will give an afternoon bridge Tuesday for Miss Ella Joseph, guest of Mrs. Mildred Rubel, and Miss Rosalie Schmuckler, guest of Mrs. William Holzman.

**Temperance Meeting.**

Reports from the national temperance convention, held recently in Seattle, will be heard by members of the Omaha Women's Christian Temperance union Friday at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Alice Minick, 404 Davenport street.

**Afternoon Bridge.**

Mrs. William Hill Clarke entertained five tables at bridge this afternoon. The decorations were chrysanthemums and roses.

**Marriage Announcement.**

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Michel of Walnut, Mo., announce the marriage of their daughter, Geraldine, to Mr. Simpson E. Burns on Friday afternoon, at Council Bluffs.

**At the Orpheum.**

Mrs. A. V. Kinsler will give a party to six at the Orpheum theater this evening. The Hon. Norris Brown will entertain the guests. Parties of four will be given

**GIRL TRUANT FREED FROM JAIL**—Fifteen-year-old Lizzie Caselle, sentenced to twenty days in jail for truancy under the strict New Jersey law, has been released. It was found the girl's absence from school was due to her mother's illness.



LIZZIE CASSELLO.

is spending a few days in Omaha en route home from their wedding trip to St. Louis.

Mrs. Helen Sturdevant, who has been with her sister, Mrs. H. B. Morrill, for the last two years, will leave Tuesday for her home in Bridgeport, Conn.

Apartments, flats, houses and cottages can be rented quickly and cheaply by a Bee "For Rent."

## SUNDAY CLOSING QUESTION IS UP

Some Grocers and Meat Dealers Petition City Council for an Ordinance.

**MAY RELY ON THE STATE LAW**

Is Omaha to have another Sunday-closing campaign?

A group of grocers and meat market men petitioned the city council to pass an ordinance which would prohibit the sale of groceries and meats on Sunday.

The committee of the whole of the city council took the matter up and the consensus of opinion was that these merchants should be able to regulate their business without an ordinance.

Commissioner Jardine declared his belief that such an ordinance would be class legislation. Mayor Dahlman spoke against the passage of the proposed ordinance.

The ordinance was referred to the city legal department for recommendation as to the state law on the subject.

There is a difference of opinion as to whether the ordinance would be class legislation within the meaning of the state laws. A state statute provides that no work shall be done on Sunday, exceptions being made for works of "necessity and charity," also for operations of railroads, ferry boats and a few other activities.

About eight years ago Omaha went through a Sunday closing upheaval. The arrest of a cigar dealer was made a test case and the supreme court of the state sustained the conviction of that dealer for being open on Sunday, relates the city attorney.

It is hinted that in the event the city council declines to pass the proposed grocery and meat market ordinances, an effort will be made to invoke strict observance of the state law on Sunday labor.

**Don't Let Your Cold Get Worse.**  
Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will cure your cough and give you restful sleep. Good for children. Only 25c. All druggists.—Advertisement.

### CANNOT BLAME THIS GIRL FOR CHANGING HER NAME

Robert Gertler secured a license to marry Miss Jennie Wawrzynekiewicz at the marriage license bureau at the court house. Miss Wawrzynekiewicz's mother's maiden name was Miss Mary Schlimaniski. The bridegroom is the son of Ignatz Gertler. Mr. and Mrs. Gertler will live at 4618 South Thirtieth-second street.

## Great Interest in Free Auto at Gayety Theater

If ever there was activity around a polling place, that place is the lobby of the Gayety theater. The occasion of the strike is the fact that the theater management and that of "The Gay New Yorkers" company, which is playing there this week, intend giving, absolutely free, to some patron this week a brand new Saxon "Six" touring car, valued at \$750.

Several autos have been given away in Omaha in the past, but in each case the method of disposing of them was styled as a "popularity contest," which in short order resolved itself into a race between four to six contestants, the general public soon losing sight and interest in the affair. But, as is customary at that theater, the Gayety will dispose of its car in an entirely different manner.

The car was procured from the Noyes-Killy Motor company this week, and that concern announces that to whomsoever the car is awarded, it will extend the same courtesy in the matter of acquitting the new owner just how to operate it as though he or she had handed their company \$750 cash for it.

That there may be no claim of favoritism or any other unkind statements covering the award of the car, its disposal will be left entirely in the hands of the following committee: G. R. Savin of the World-Herald, O. L. Knisely of the News and Ralph Doud of the Omaha Bee.

During this present week that the contest is on the Gayety's prices remain the same as at any other time.

## Clark Says He Was Only Witness When Campbell Was Shot

M. A. Clark, 303 Douglas street, a railway mail clerk, asserts to the police that he is positive that he was the only eyewitness to the shooting of C. D. Campbell of Lincoln, Friday night.

Clark says he was walking about 100 feet behind Campbell when the latter turned from Farnam south on Tenth street. Just as Campbell reached the alley two men came out of it, the shorter of the pair fired, Campbell called for help and the holdup men fled west to Eleventh street.

After running forward and helping Campbell to a seat on the curb, Clark says he ran to the Oxford hotel in search of help. As he was in the building a jitney driver, who asserts he caught Campbell as he fell, came in and phoned headquarters.

## METAL PENCIL CAP IN LUNG OF GIRL

X-Ray Photograph Reveals Trouble After Doctors Are Baffled for Last Four Years.

**GOES EAST FOR OPERATION**

After four years of treatment for supposed tuberculosis and other lung trouble, little Sophie Passovoy, 9-year-old daughter of M. Passovoy, janitor of Temple Israel, is now on her way east for an operation to remove a metal pencil cap from her lungs.

Unknown to her parents, the child had evidently inhaled the cap, or had accidentally allowed it to get into the windpipe while playing with a pencil in her mouth. When the results of the metal substance lodging in the lung began to affect her health, a foreign body in the lungs was not thought of by the physician who was called, and the child was treated first for pleurisy, pneumonia, bronchitis and other lung affections. Later, when treatment availed nothing and the child grew weaker, the doctors concluded she had tuberculosis.

**GOES TO KANSAS SPECIALIST.**

Only recently, Drs. Goetz and Pratt, who were called in the case, began to suspect that the trouble might be due to a foreign substance in the lungs. To settle the matter, an X-ray photograph was taken of little Sophie and the doctors' idea was substantiated. When Dr. Jonas was asked to operate to save the child's life, he pronounced the case so grave that a lung specialist's services were advised.

So now little Sophie is on her way with Dr. Pratt to Pittsburgh, where she will be treated and later be operated on by Dr. Chevalier Jackson, whose specialty is cases of children and grown-ups unfortunate enough to get things lodged in the lungs. Dr. Jonas says that Dr. Jackson is the only American surgeon who successfully attempts such intricate cases of lung surgery, and that the Omaha girl is quite sure of ultimate recovery if under his care.

Sophie's parents live at 554 Allison avenue, Benson.

## CONFESSES HE ROBBERED GRANDMOTHER OF \$50

George Davis of Council Bluffs confessed to Detectives Rich and Pesanowski that he robbed his grandmother of \$50, the greater part of which he immediately spent. He was arrested in a local pool hall and will be turned over to the Council Bluffs authorities.

## Home Celebration of Wonder Interest

The arrival of a baby in the household completely changes the entire aspect of the future. But in the meantime, during this anxious period of expectancy, there is a splendid remedy known as "Mother's Friend" that does wonders. It is for external use, relieves the pangs of muscle expansion, soothes and quiets the nerves, extends its influence to the internal organs and removes to a great extent the tendency to worry and apprehension. It is a natural treatment, safe for the mother, has no drug effect whatsoever and for this reason must exert a most beneficial influence upon those functions directly connected with motherhood. In a very interesting book the subject is freely discussed and a copy will be mailed free to all expectant mothers by Bradfield Regulator Co., 408 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" today or any druggist. Use as directed and you will then know why mothers for nearly half a century have used and recommended this splendid aid to motherhood. Their letters are messages of cheer, that breathe comfort in every word.



**Try This If You Have Dandruff**

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffier, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

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Women's Fine Cotton Union Suits, fleecy lined. High necks, long sleeves; Dutch neck, elbow patches; ankle length. Very special ..... **50c**

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