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**SOCIETY GOES TO OPERA AND SKATES**

Dinners Preceding and Little Suppers to Follow Grand Opera at Auditorium.

**SKATING RINKS WELL FILLED**

By MELUICIA—January 27. After the subscription club dance this evening, society is going to stop playing for a little while—it will sit back at ease, as it were, and watch others play for it. The making up of parties of watchers will be the principal social activity meanwhile. Of course, there will be dinners preceding and little suppers at the Fontenelle following the grand opera parties of this week and the Forbes-Robertson affairs of next, and skating will take up

much of the morning time of the brave and the stalwart. The new skating rink of the Omaha club on its tennis court brings an added feature of interest into the case which has struck Omaha, as well as all the world, this winter. Men are interesting studies, even more so than children. It is acutely amusing to hear some staid business man declare that nothing can get him upon the ice that he knows his years and is proud of what he has done with them. The next day that same man is telling of how he could skate when he was a "kid back east," or he will tell of the prize he won for the figure eight he cut at the ice carnival. The day after he is skating.

**Croix Club Organized.**  
The Croix, formerly the La Placoma club, held a meeting Monday evening at the home of John O'Leary. New rules were adopted and preparations were made for a private dancing party to be given February 4 at Harie's hall in Dundas. Besides a stag party every two

weeks, the club has planned many large social gatherings during 1916. The present members are: H. Linahan, president; L. Schermerhorn, secretary; I. Sorenson, treasurer; R. Williams, P. Erwin, social committee.

**Dinners Preceding the Dance.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ludovic F. Crofoot give a dinner at their home this evening preceding the subscription dance at Turpin's hall. Mrs. Ward roses and stevia are used in decoration. Those present will be: Messrs. and Mesdames—George R. Fritz, Harry Burkle, Frank Hamilton, Mr. Charles Watson Hill. Another home dinner is given by the O. C. Redicks to Messrs. and Mesdames—J. E. Summers, T. Kountze, A. L. Reed, Daniel Stapleton, Mrs. Luther Kountze, Mr. Milton Darling.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Low are among the dinner givers of the evening at a home affair, with the following guests: Messrs. and Mesdames—Howard H. Baldrige, E. H. Sprague, Howard Clark, Misses—The Willardons will dine informally at home with the Ed Georges, Mrs. Charles Offutt, Mr. Luther Drake and Mr. Earl Gannett.

The W. A. Redicks will break the evening's monotony of home dinners by dining with their party at the Fontenelle in honor of their guest, Mrs. William R. Sweet of Minneapolis. Those present will be: Messrs. and Mesdames—Herbert Wheeler, W. R. McKeen, Ward Burgess, W. A. Redick, Mesdames—W. H. Sweet, Arthur Remington, Warren Rogers. Messrs.—Harry McCormick, Ben Warren, Stockton Heath.

**Nash-Hamlin Concert.**  
Mrs. George Hamlin, wife of the well known tenor, who, with Miss Frances Nash, pianist, gives a concert at the Boyd theater Sunday, arrives Sunday

morning. Mrs. Hamlin comes from St. Louis, where she has been visiting her sons, who are at school there. Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Straight, whose daughter, Ellen, is the fiancée of George Eldridge Hamlin, the tenor's son.

Miss Nash and Mr. Hamlin arrive Saturday morning from Dubuque, where they give a concert Friday evening. The Will Burns and the W. A. Redicks have taken a box for the Nash-Hamlin concert for Mrs. Redick's guest, Mrs. W. R. Sweet, of Minneapolis.

**Birthday Surprise.**  
Mr. Gorton Roth was pleasantly surprised Tuesday evening in honor of his birthday anniversary. A dainty luncheon was served to the guests, who were: Messrs. and Mesdames—J. M. Bally, Gorton Roth, F. A. Legge, George Mitchell, John Calvert, E. J. Whistler, Mr. C. H. Mouthrop.

**Elks Club Affair.**  
A delightful dinner-dance and musical program was given Wednesday evening at the Elks' home, those taking part in the program including Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Harry V. Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reese and John A. McCreary. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames—R. G. Young, C. L. Bettman, I. W. Miner, Harry V. Hahn, J. P. Fallon, E. A. Reese, H. G. Cox, F. C. Best, E. A. Reese, F. W. Overstreet, J. P. Fallon, C. G. J. Kite, G. W. Pruston, L. N. Rolson, F. P. Harwood, R. V. Gough, J. H. Killian, R. V. Gough, Dr. and Mrs. A. W. Fitzsimons.

**Baptist Women to Meet.**  
The Woman's Baptist Missionary Quarterly will hold an all-day meeting Friday at the Trinity Baptist church, South side. Devotionals will be at 11 o'clock in the morning and at noon, luncheon will be served by the women of the church. Following this, business of importance relative to foreign missions will be discussed.

**Personal Mention.**  
Mrs. F. H. Cole accompanied Mrs. J. N. Paul of St. Paul and Mrs. A. G. Peterson of Aurora to Des Moines Wednesday for the conference of state

**Society Girls to Match Their Racing Cars on the Speedway**



"I want to go after the big records. I want to earn the title of the best woman driver in the country. If I win my first race, I mean to go record-smashing. I shall accept other challenges if I do." That was what Miss Maria Lawrence Wetherill, prominent New York society girl, had to say when it was announced that she and Miss Katherine Dahlgren may race their high-power cars against each other on the Sheepshead Bay speedway this spring.

assume entire charge of her car during the contest. They expect to make ninety-five miles an hour. Miss Dahlgren first won wide recognition as an expert driver last summer in the Berkshire hills with her car, known as the "little yellow streak." Three times in one week she was arrested for speeding and her license was finally revoked. It was last August when Miss Wetherill first came to the front as another daring aspirant for the speed honors of the Berkshire roads. She challenged Miss Dahlgren then. The challenge has just been accepted.

annual will preside and the arrangements will be in charge of the secretary of the association, Mr. C. L. Mattson.

**Birthday Party.**  
Miss Carrie Nagel celebrates her birthday this afternoon by a luncheon with fifteen guests at her home, followed by a theater party.

**On the Calendar.**  
Mrs. Ludovic F. Crofoot will give a luncheon for the Hoxie Clark Saturday afternoon. The meeting of the Original Cooking club has been postponed to Friday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Kountze will be hostess.

The Mixers' club of Creighton university will give a dance at Chambers' academy Monday evening.

**Today's Affairs.**  
The Comus club is entertained this afternoon by Mrs. J. F. Dimmick. The Pagalco club gives a dance this evening at Metropolitan hall. The Woman's Press club is entertained by Mrs. Thomas R. Rutledge.

**Personal Mention.**  
Mrs. Edwin R. Perfect will leave this evening for Centerville, Ind., to be gone several weeks. Miss Lettie Fitzpatrick has returned home from a three months' visit with her sister, Mrs. E. B. Rushart, of Tulsa, Okl.

**All Blind People Admitted Free to the Grand Opera**

Blind music lovers of Omaha are to enjoy a rare treat, through the courtesy of Tanager temple of the Shriners, who are managing the grand opera season, by the San Carlo company at the Auditorium for the remainder of this week.

Through Dr. F. F. Whitcomb, potentate of the Shrine temple, the Arab patrol has handed to nurses for the kindness of all blind persons who will apply for them. Application should be made to Charles Zadina, by phone at Harney 3073, and he will provide the tickets. Blind persons desiring to do so, may be accompanied by guides. Mr. Zadina says. The complimentary tickets are aside for blind people, through the kindness of the Shrine, are good for any of the grand opera performances.

**Nurses Start to Investigate All Absent Pupils**

The superintendent of public schools received from the principals lists of 2,500 absent pupils, whose names have been handed to nurses for investigation. These nurses have started on tours of the homes of these pupils to determine causes of absence. Dr. W. F. Milroy has been engaged as consulting physician for the public schools, his work to be in connection with the nurses. Cases of doubt will be referred to the doctor. The school system will have twelve visiting nurses on this work.

**CABARET DANCING AT HENSHAW IS POPULAR**

The after theater luncheon and entertainment feature at the Henshaw is proving very popular. Many Omahans go there after the theaters are out, to get a bite of supper, listen to the orchestra and dance or watch the professional dancers. Among those who had parties there Wednesday night were the following:

Messrs.—Dick Kitchin, C. W. MacGregor, Burt Murphy, Bob Sterling, Jack O'Brien, Bob Thompson, George V. Chandler, J. W. Overstreet, F. C. Pearce, J. R. Dwyer, W. W. Conkels, P. J. Madden.

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**BRANDEIS STORES**

—Bargains are more noticeable than ever these days in our Great Enlarged Basement, for large quantities of merchandise are being cleared out at prices way below what was formerly considered unusually good bargains.

<b>Handkerchiefs</b> Women's and Children's. Light Imperfect Handkerchiefs; special Friday, 1c each	<b>Blanket Remnants</b> Large, heavy, twisted mill remnants of Cotton Blankets, in gray and tan colors, 15c each
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<b>40c Towels 29c</b> Full bleached, double twisted yarn, extra heavy and stiff, hemmed ends.	<b>Comforts</b> Silkline Covered Comforts, white, ruffled cotton filling, tied and girth attached; val. 75c, at \$1.35, each 75c	<b>Overcoats</b> 80 Men's Overcoats, value to \$18, in our mid-winter clearance sale at \$4.98	<b>Flannelette</b> 22-inch White Flannelette, soft finish, for underwear or night gowns; 8 1/2 x 3 1/2 quality; special, 5c	<b>Batiste</b> Fine Quality White Mercerized Batiste and Lawn, 47 1/2 x 36, in. wide, yard, 10c
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<b>\$1.25 Table Cloths, 79c</b> Full bleached, hem-stitched ends, made of fine quality mercerized damask; size 36x60, 12 inches wide; special Friday, 79c	<b>Men's O'Coats</b> Men's O'Coats, in all-wool, fancy mixtures, mid-winter clearance price \$7.50	<b>Men's Pants</b> Special prices on Men's Pants, worth to \$3.99; clearance sale prices—98c to \$2.79	<b>Art Ticking</b> 22-inch Fancy Art Ticking and Cretonne, lengths to 12 yards, value to 15 1/2c, at 6 1/2c	<b>Women's Hose</b> Women's Cotton Fleeced Lined Hose, plain and ribbed tops; worth 12 1/2c pair, 12 1/2c
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**A Sale of Silk Remnants Friday**

(Main Floor.)  
—Remnants of 36 and 40-inch crepe de chine, radiance, charmeuse, popline, Canton crepes, metcors, foulards, etc., etc.; worth to \$1.50, at yard, 69c

<b>10c Toweling, 7c</b> Full bleached damask toweling, in spot and size pattern, 12 inches wide.	<b>Men's Suits</b> Men's Suits, for quick selling, in this mid-winter clearance sale at \$5.00	<b>Dress Zephyrs</b> 22-inch Fancy Dress Zephyrs, long serviceable lengths to 12 yards, value to 10c, special, 5c	<b>Galoo</b> Dress Galoo and Shirting Prints, long serviceable lengths to 12 yards, value to 10c, special, 5c	<b>Wool Socks</b> Men's Heavy Wool Socks, all sizes, black only; regular 15c quality; special 15c
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<b>\$1.25 Spreads, 99c</b> The crocheted kind, hemmed ends, all pretty patterns; size 36x60 inches.	<b>Men's Suits</b> Men's Suits, for quick selling, in this mid-winter clearance sale at \$5.00	<b>Outing Flannel</b> 22-inch Fancy and Plain White Outing Flannel, lengths to 12 yards, value to 10c, special, 5c	<b>Longcloth</b> 36-inch Beautiful Sheer, Soft Finish Longcloth, value to 15 1/2c, special Friday, 7 1/2c	<b>Men's Socks</b> Men's Seamless Cotton Socks, black, tan and mixed gray; 10c quality; Friday, 7 1/2c
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<b>Swiss</b> Good Quality White Swiss, 27 inches wide, special, 10c	<b>Fur Coats</b> Men's Fur Coats, value to \$12.50, in this mid-winter clearance sale at \$8.50	<b>Shirting</b> 22-inch Fancy Shirting, Best Pongee and Madras, in all colors, 10c value, Friday, at 8 1/2c	<b>Flannel</b> 22-inch Best Grade Outing Flannel, lengths to 12 yards, value to 10c, special, 5c	<b>Rockford Socks</b> Men's Heavy Cotton Socks, regular size quality; Fri. 5c
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<b>Orepe</b> English White Cotton Orepe for underwear, house dresses, children's rompers, etc., 27 in. 10c	<b>Notions</b> H. M. C. and Betay Ross Crochet Cotton, Ball Wash Embroidery Edging, fast colors, yard, 1c	<b>Notions</b> Rick-Rack Finishing Straps and Binding, 1/2 yd. Inside Skirt Binding, special, 1c	<b>Underwear</b> Women's Cotton Flannel Lined Union Suits, regular size quality; special, 29c
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<b>Dimity</b> Short lengths of White Dimity, in checks and stripes; 27 inches wide 5c	<b>Mackinaws</b> All-Wool Mackinaw Coats, up to \$7.50, mid-winter clearance sale price, \$4.98	<b>Dress Percale</b> 22 inch, wide, 1 1/2 yd. and 9/16 yd. remnant, and 1 1/2 yd. shorts; to close quickly at 6 1/2c	<b>Pillow Slips</b> 22x36-inch Bleached Pillow Slips, good grade, soft finish, 10c value, at 7c	<b>Underwear</b> Children's Vests and Pants, old lots, worth 15c, quality 19c
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