

Amateur Musicians of High Accomplishment

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Calendar of Club Doings

Monday—
Omaha Woman's club, social science department, Metropolitan club house, 2:30 p. m.
Child Conservation leagues, City Federation, Y. W. C. A., 2 p. m.
Library, 2:30 p. m.
Chautauqua circle, Tennyson chapter, public li-
Temple Israel Sisterhood, Temple Israel, 2:30
p. m.
P. E. O. Sisterhood, Chapter B. K., Miss Agnes
Livesey, hostess.

Tuesday—
Drama league, business meeting, public library,
3 p. m.; Miss Kate McHugh's lecture, 4 p. m.
South Omaha Woman's club, literature depart-
ment, library hall, 2:30 p. m.
Sermo club, Mrs. J. E. Goodrich, hostess.
Omaha Woman's club, oratory department,
Metropolitan club house, 10 a. m.; current
topics department, 2:30 p. m.; philosophy and
ethics department, 4 p. m.
Business Women's council, luncheon and prayer
meeting, courthouse, 11 to 2 p. m.
Malva White Shrine, Sojourners' club, Mrs. H.
Conant, hostess.

Wednesday—
Dundee Woman's club, Mrs. A. C. Crossman,
hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Mu Sigma club, Mrs. C. C. Belden, hostess,
9:30 a. m.
Miller Park Mothers' circle, Mrs. W. Benson,
hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Omaha Suffrage association, Lyric hall, 2:30
p. m.
Railway Mail Service Woman's club, kensing-
ton, Mrs. R. L. Frantz, hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Association of Collegiate Alumnae, story tel-
lers' section, Miss Ruth Fisher, hostess, 4
p. m.
Omaha Woman's club, committee at Franco-
Belgian relief work-rooms, 1:30 p. m.
Spanish War Veterans, Lawton auxiliary, Me-
morial hall, 2 p. m.

Thursday—
Omaha Story Tellers' league, public library,
4:15 p. m.
Benson Woman's club, Rouse Edison shop,
2:30 p. m.
B'nai B'rith, McKinley ladies' auxiliary, Lyric
hall, 8 p. m.
Omaha Woman's club, art department, Metro-
politan club house, 10 a. m.; music depart-
ment, 2:30 p. m.

Friday—
West Omaha Mothers' Culture club, Mrs. G. A.
Roberts, hostess, 2:30 p. m.
Woman's Relief Corps, George Crook, Memo-
rial hall, 2:30 p. m.

Saturday—
Daughters of American Revolution, Major
Isaac Sadler chapter, Mrs. Edward B. Gibbs,
hostess, 2:30 p. m.
P. E. O. Sisterhood, chapter M, Mrs. O. D.
Mabery, hostess.

Omaha Matrons Who Will Sing for Tuesday Morning Musical Club at Its Next Formal Session



SOCIETY

Social Calendar

Monday—
Box parties for Fritz Kreisler in the Retailers' Concert course at the Auditorium.
Original Monday Bridge, Mrs. Arthur Remington, hostess.

Tuesday—
Tuesday Morning Musical club presents Mrs. L. F. Crofoot and Mrs. A. I. Root in recital at the Brandeis.
Meeting of Christ Child society.
Bridge for Miss Regina Connell, Miss Elizabeth Reed, hostess.
Craighead-Krell wedding.
Tuesday Bridge club, Mrs. John Redick, hostess.

Wednesday—
Luncheon at I. Mrs. C. L. Hempel, hostess.
Dinner-dance of All Saints' Altar Guild.
Afternoon bridge for Mrs. Asa Shiverick, Mrs. George H. Palmer, hostess.
Trinity Parish Aid society, Mrs. A. L. Reed, hostess, 10:30 a. m.

Thursday—
Cinosam club dance at Scottish Rite Cathedral.
Luncheon for Mrs. Asa Shiverick, Mrs. Arthur Crittenden Smith, hostess.
Win or Miss It Card club, Mrs. W. B. Elster, hostess.
White Shrine Whist club card party at the Blackstone.
Original Cooking club, Mrs. Moshier Colpetzer, hostess.
Omaha Woman's Press club dinner at Hotel Loyal, 7 p. m.
J. F. W. club, Mrs. Clair Goddard, hostess.

Friday—
Friday Night Dancing club at Druid hall.
St. Barnabas' guild sale in Bee building, two days.

Saturday—
Les Amies Whist club, Mrs. George L. Edgar, hostess.
Second lecture by Mrs. Anthony French Merrill at the Blackstone.
Delta Delta Delta luncheon at home of Miss Anne Hermansen.

PREPAREDNESS and "Early Christmas Shopping" having been dinged in the club woman's ear for so many days, the wise ones of them have gotten together and flooded the calendar with Christmas sales and Christmas bazaars where one may find loads of dainty handiwork to bestow as gifts and at the same time fatten the purse of this church society or that aid organization or this other club which needs money in order to carry on its activities.

The first week of December brings at least a half-score of Christmas sales and these will continue on up to the red letter day, besides the largest display of them all, the seventh annual Christmas sale to be held in the rotunda of The Bee building, in space donated by The Bee company. For two weeks beginning Monday, women of twenty-four different churches will have their wares, embroidered, crocheted, tatted handiwork, hand-painted china, aprons and good things to eat on sale. Booths will be erected to accommodate the articles for sale.

Two bazaars will be held at the Young Women's Christian association this week. The first one, Monday evening at 7 o'clock, will be in charge of the sewing classes of the domestic arts department. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, girls of the Koda-Wicaca Campfire circle, whose leader is Miss Nell Ryan, will hold their sale, the proceeds to help defray camp expenses next summer as well as to permit the girls to do some charitable work this Christmas-tide. The girls will wear their ceremonial costumes during the sale and will decorate in group colors.

A tea and social afternoon will be combined with the Christmas sale Chapter B. K. of the P. E. O. sisterhood will hold Wednesday at the home of Mrs. John Turner Buchanan. Each P. E. O. chapter has been asked to raise between \$300 and \$500 to entertain the supreme convention in Omaha next year, and Chapter B. K., of which Mrs. Joseph C. Weeth is president, chose this manner to do it.

The Nurses' Central club will house Thursday's Christmas sale, while Friday the scene shifts to the Society of American Widows' club rooms in the Crouse block. The Widows expect to launch a \$50,000 building fund with this bazar.

Of the large church bazaars, the first will be that of the First Presbyterian church, Friday, at the parish house adjoining the beautiful new church on Thirty-fourth and Farnam. Under the direction of Mrs. W. F. Milroy, the women of the church have been working for some weeks for their sale. In addition to fancy work there will be a market table superintended by Mrs. A. C. Arend and the women of her division and a candy table under the direction of Mrs. J. P. Slater and the sixth division. The sale opens at 10 in the morning and continues all day and at noon one of the dinners for which the Presbyterian women are famous, will be served.

The same day and also on Saturday St. Barnabas guild will hold its Christmas sale in the rotunda of The Bee building with Mrs. W. H. Jones in charge and a number of the St. Barnabas women assisting her. There will be a market table, a candy table and a special doll booth, besides many attractive novelties. Mrs. Luther Kountze, Mrs. Wilson Low, Mrs. A. D. Kline, Mrs. Joseph Barker, Mrs. Lloyd Holsapple, Miss Louise Dining and Miss Helen Scobie are some of the women who have been working for this sale and will assist Mrs. Jones. The Trinity Parish Aid sale will be on Tuesday, December 12, at Jacobs hall, instead of next Saturday, the date having been changed on account of Mrs. Merrill's lecture Saturday morning.

Another bazar and reception scheduled for Friday is that of the Parkvale Presbyterian church ladies' auxiliary. The sale will be held during the afternoon and evening and refreshments will be served.

All Saints' is not having a Christmas sale this year but the young women of the Altar guild will have a dinner and dance at the parish house on Wednesday evening.

Omaha letter carriers' wives, too, will have about 500 articles for sale during the closing days of The Bee display, December 15 and 16.

All femininity seems imbued with the spirit of Christmas sales! The choice for patronage is wide.

TWO EXCELLENT musical attractions will draw society audiences the first days of this week. Monday evening the Auditorium boxes have all been taken for the Fritz Kreisler concert, which is the third number of the Associated Retailers' opera and concert series. Society music lovers figure largely in the list of subscribers for the entire course of attractions and so many others have taken seats for tomorrow evening's performance that a large attendance of fashionables is assured. On Thanksgiving evening Kreisler played before a society audience at the Odeon in St. Louis, where he was received with the enthusiasm everywhere accorded the master violinist.

Box holders for this concert are the same as for "Carmen" and "Il Trovatore," with a few additions. They are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Grittenden Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Nash, Mr. and Mrs. Ward M. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. George Brandeis, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Redick, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foye, Mr. and Mrs. William Tracy Burns, Mrs. T. L. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas Kountze, Dr. and Mrs. B. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. George Bernhard Prinz, Mr. and Mrs. Luther L. Kountze, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hoagland, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Redick and Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Summers.

Seldom does society have such a pleasure and privilege as will be theirs Tuesday afternoon when the Tuesday Morning Musical club presents two of our city's best known matrons and a popular Lincoln musician in recital at the Brandeis theater. Mrs. Alanson I. Root and Mrs. Ludovic F. Crofoot are two of the best known and most talented of Omaha's non-professional musicians. Mrs. Root was formerly Miss Augusta Lehmann of this city and her voice was discovered when she was about 18 years of age. In Chicago where, among other places, she studied, she created a sensation in the musical world. Hers is one of the finest contralto voices in the city. Mrs. Root is a devoted wife and mother, although as a concert singer she might have attained great prominence, had she chosen to devote her life to that work. She rarely sings in public, but prefers to share her gift with her intimate friends.

Mrs. Crofoot, as Miss Mary Nash, also of Omaha, gave great musical promise and had she so chosen might have distinguished herself as has her talented sister, Miss Frances Nash. She has played for the most part before audiences composed of members of the Tuesday Morning Musical club and at the Academy of the Sacred Heart.

Mrs. Lillian Helms Polley of Lincoln will be remembered with pleasure by Tuesday Morning Musical club members, for she sang here before the club several years ago. Her voice is soprano.

Saturday afternoon the Junior Musical club will give its first little musicale of the year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. White, when their daughter, Virginia, will act as hostess. Miss Virginia Pixley daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pixley, a pupil of Miss Emily Cleve, is president of the club, and Miss Gladys E. Mickel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Mickel, a pupil of Henry Cox, is secretary. These young people are probably the most faithful music students in the city, for membership in their club requires a certain amount of regular practice and participation in their frequent recitals.

So much talk of Christmas things minds us that the holidays draw on apace. Two more dates have been added this week to the list of Christmas gayeties planned for the young folk home for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Kinsler will give a dancing party at the Fontenelle on Friday evening, December 29, for the members of the younger set. The same evening the Maltese club of Central High school is planning a party at the Blackstone. The Saturday before Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barker will give a dancing party at the Blackstone for their daughter, Elizabeth, who returns from school in Los Angeles, December 18.

The Franco-Belgian Relief society card party is already a glorious thing of the past. Over 500 tickets for the big affair were sold. Women came from all the neighboring hamlets to help the worthy cause and to take their chance at the beautiful prizes which Mrs. John A. McShane had solicited from the generous merchants of the city.

Last week was a dancing week. All the dancing clubs of the city had Thanksgiving affairs, the Omaha club supper dance on the eve of Turkey day, the Junior club dance on the following evening, the University club dance Saturday evening, the Week-end Dancing club's party and others too numerous to mention were notable events. It does seem too bad that one can say so little about a dancing party in a brilliant occasion, but what more, pray tell, can one tell? This week one of the pretty dances will be given by the All Saints Altar guild at the parish house Wednesday evening.