

Council Bluffs Society

Bridal Party Luncheon.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Stewart gave a luncheon of 16 covers, which was followed by dancing at their home Wednesday evening, honoring Miss Menie Davis and Henry Bohling of St. Louis, who were married in Omaha last evening.

Bridge Series.
Twelve guests were present on Tuesday when Mrs. Clarence Emplie entertained at her home on Lafayette avenue.

Mrs. Charles R. Hannan, Jr., won the prize for high score and Mrs. W. A. Cutler the low.

This is the second in a series of parties which Mrs. Emplie is giving.

Birth Day Dinner.
A family dinner of 20 covers was given by Mrs. and Mrs. George Wickham Wednesday evening, in honor of the 70th birthday of O. P. Wickham.

Bridge-Luncheon.
The first in a series of bridge-luncheons planned by Mrs. Thomas Green and Mrs. W. J. Heiser was given on Saturday at the home of the former in the Shugart apartments.

Sixteen guests were present and a color scheme of pink was used in the decorations.

Junior League Circle to Sew.
Mrs. H. H. Davis' sewing circle of the Omaha Junior league will meet with Mrs. Robert Turner Monday afternoon at her home on Lawton terrace.

Mrs. Shugart Entertains.
Mrs. Elmer Shugart entertained five tables of guests at a very enjoyable bridge party last Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles E. Woodbury had high score for the afternoon and Miss Agnes Wickham was awarded the "cut-for-all."

Again on Wednesday Mrs. Shugart was hostess, her guests for that afternoon numbering 20. High score and cut-for-all prizes were won by Mrs. W. A. Cutler and Mrs. C. E. Prices, respectively.

Mrs. Macrae Files.
Mrs. Donald Macrae, president of the American Legion auxiliary, piloted by Andy Neilson, flew to Kansas City Saturday, where on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week will be held the national convention of the American Legion auxiliary.

Mrs. Macrae is a candidate for the national president of the auxiliary, and everyone who knows this gracious matron with her executive ability, as well as charming personality, feels that the organization would indeed be fortunate in having so capable a leader.

Her husband, Dr. Donald Macrae, who is not only a Spanish-American war veteran, but also served as colonel in the late war, is now en route from Philadelphia to join Mrs. Macrae in Kansas City, and a large delegation of other Council Bluffs people will go from here in a special train this afternoon to attend the convention.

Bridge-Luncheon.
A luncheon followed by bridge was given on Friday by Mrs. Rose Patterson and her sister, Mrs. Welch, in honor of another sister, Mrs. Pulcher of Chicago, who is visiting in the city.

Informal Affair.
Seven guests lunched with Mrs. E. A. Wickham last Monday at her home on Third street, and the afternoon was spent with bridge.

Cabaret Dance.
The City Auditorium presented a very festive appearance Thursday night when myriads of shaded lights, autumn leaves and Halloween novelties were used to decorate the walls, stage and tables for the cabaret dance, which was given by the American Legion auxiliary.

Under the general chairmanship of Mrs. M. E. Metzger, with a corps of capable and willing workers, the affair was a decided success, both socially and financially.

The center of the spacious floor was reserved for dancing and special cabaret features, while all around the hall were tables placed for those wishing to be served by maids in gay costumes.

Dining together at one of the "ringside" tables were Messrs. and Mesdames Eldon Lougee, Thomas Metcalf and Edward Schoentgen.

At another table were Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Tinley with their house guests, Colonel and Mrs. George Stewart of New York, and Dr. M. A. Tinley.

Mrs. Angeline Brinsmaid and her father, D. J. Rockwell, entertained a party of six.

Future Debutante



Patricia Joan is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Norton. Her little Miss Patricia is now but a wee mite but some years hence will no doubt be the popular

debutante daughter of the Nortons. At that time if they run the baby photographs she may look with pride on this little portrait as everyone concedes her to be a most beautiful baby.

Standards of Living

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.
From whom do you get your standard of living? Do you do the things you imagine the neighbors expect of you? Do you try to run your life in accordance with the methods practiced by some one you know? Do you ape some one a little higher in the scale of society than you are? Or do you figure out where you stand today, when you want to be a year from now, and how you'll have to arrange matters to reach your goals?

I know two men who have run their lives in exactly opposite fashions.

Loren is a man whose pay has been high for several years. Every time he got a raise, he changed his method of living to keep pace or jump a step in advance of his increasing fortunes. He advanced from boarding house to a single room in a small apartment hotel. Then came two rooms in a bigger hotel. Then a suite of rooms and a car. A little shack in the country.

Loren was popular. There is no question of that. He had a host of friends come to his parties and to invite him to theirs. He had a good time and everyone he knew was delighted to share it with him, and folks were glad to contribute to it, for that matter.

Then came a slump in fortunes. Loren is back in a boarding house, and he avoids the friends who might stand by him if he gave them a chance. His firm has become convinced he is not shrewd enough. Because he never saved. They see he'll never have anything to invest in their company. They can't feel that he is important enough to keep on these days when so many firms are paring expenses carefully.

On the other hand, there's Andrew. He has lived simply for years, saving a part of his salary and permitting his friends to do things their way, while he did them in the fashion he felt he could afford. He never has been in any way influenced by what other folk did. He has held grimly to a standard he set for himself.

A few years ago Andrew went into business. He allowed himself but little money, putting back into the business all he could possibly manage to scrape together from his profits. He hasn't indulged himself in half the things permitted themselves by men with half his earning capacity. His only necessities have been to the folks he cares for. And he has undoubtedly paid for his generosity by stinting himself to make up for it.

Now that times aren't any too prosperous, Andrew's used to simple living. He hasn't any expensive habits to break. People are used to him and to the fact that he does what he thinks right and not what they tell him "every one's doing." And he's on the high road to success.

It seems simple—and obvious, doesn't it? But which are you—Loren or an Andrew?

Cleaning Cupboard Aids the Maid
A cleaning cupboard? By all means. In some of the new houses a cleaning cupboard is as much a matter of course as is a sun room or a bath at least for every two sleeping rooms.

In other words, a cleaning cupboard is one of the little luxuries, the little conveniences that go to make the modern home a palace undreamed of by Louis XIV, who revelled in his power and luxury at Versailles in its greatest days. What would he and his courtiers have said when they sat at a banquet in a huge salon heated only by open fires and jokingly chipped the ice that filmed across their wine glasses between sips—what would they have said at the comfort of a modern heated house? What would De Maintenon, sitting shivering in her chair, made especially with a framework of curtains around it to protect her from the draughts of the badly ventilated palace, have said at the comfort of a modern sun parlor? What would the cooks in the royal kitchens, swearing and sweating over their spits and cranes, have said at sight of a modern electric cooking stove? And what would the slavish servants who tried to keep the palace clean have said at a modern cleaning closet?

Well, what would they have said? Imagine for yourself. And the next time you need a book of memories just visualize for yourself the immeasurably greater comfort that most of us have nowadays than even kings and their courtiers had in days gone by.

Why just the other day a six-room house was advertised for sale—a servantless house, it was boasted—entirely equipped for easy work with every sort of electrical and other labor saving appliance—appliances in themselves that would represent the work of three or four servants in houses a century ago.

The cleaning closet, of course, is not a luxury every one can possess. But it is really a means of making life for mistress, maid and cleaning woman easier. It should, ideally, be equipped with a window letting in sun, which is the best means of purifying and drying cleaning cloths. It should, of course, be equipped with a low sink at which pails may be filled and emptied without the necessity of lifting them high to the level of the ordinary sink. It should be equipped with a rack for spreading cloths on to dry and with shelves for holding all sorts of cleaning agents, and a book on cleaning or else printed or typed lists of remedies for removing spots, stains and tarnish from wood and metal, glass, floors, carpets, plaster, paint and wall paper.

Oatmeal Scones
To one cupful of cooked oatmeal add one cupful of milk and stir until well mixed. Then add one cupful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of sugar, one tablespoonful of melted butter and one cupful of flour, mixed with two rounding teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Next stir in enough flour to make a soft dough, roll out an inch thick, cut in round or triangular and bake on a hot greased griddle. Serve with butter and orange marmalade.

A Recent Bride



Mrs. Thomas D. Boler, nee Miss Genevieve Dennison, became the bride of Dr. Boler, Wednesday morning at Sacred Heart church. Dr. Boler and his bride will reside in Omaha following a two weeks' honeymoon trip.

Coconut Dainties.
Two egg whites.
One-half cupful of corn syrup.
One-half cupful of flour.
Two and one-half cupfuls of finely ground coconut.
Beat the whites of the eggs until stiff. Add the corn syrup, fold in the sifted flour, and add the coconut. Drop by the tablespoonful on greased baking sheets and bake in a moderate oven for about 20 minutes.

BOWEN'S Value-Giving Store

It is the quality-values people secure at the Bowen Store that makes for greater home comforts.

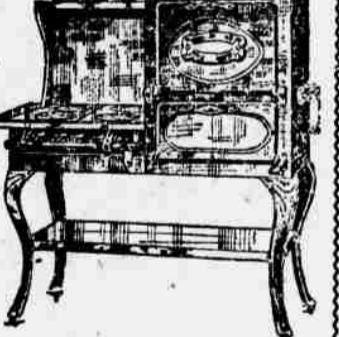
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Hours saved each week by having a Kitchen Cabinet in the house. Cooking and baking done quicker and easier. A Kitchen Cabinet is not alone a time saver; it is a money saver as well. Bowen's Kitchen Cabinets are priced at—

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And up to \$70
All You Need Do
Pay Us \$1.00 a Week
and Have a Kitchen Cabinet in Your Home to Use.

Sun Ray Gas Ranges



are the pride of the kitchen. Splendid bakers, economical in gas and price, they readily commend themselves to the ever-busy housewife.

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Have a new Roaster, but have it of aluminum, in which to roast your meat and fowl. 15 and 18-inch sizes, priced from—

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Minute Meals Easy to Fix

It sometimes happens in these days of high prices, when, like everything else, is a costly luxury, that the home caterer is a wage earner as well, and meals have to be carefully planned, not only from a nutritive and economical standpoint, but so that they may be prepared in as short a time as possible.

It is here that a good delicatessen steps in, and although it is not a wise plan to depend upon them entirely, still they may help out materially in the preliminary cooking and leave the housekeeper free to add the home touches that make it a real meal after all.

Of course, the price of the cooked meats are much higher than if bought and cooked at home, but the fuel used in cooking, as well as the waste and shrinkage, must all be taken into consideration, as well as the time expended in the cooking.

These have been planned with the idea that cooked meats and salads are employed:

Breakfast.
Baked Apples.
Creamed Salt Cod With Eggs.
Buttered Toast. Coffee.

Luncheon.
Escalloped Beef Loaf With Corn.
Finger Rolls.
Iced Tea. Pear Salad.

Dinner.
Vegetable Soup (canned).
Boiled Slice of Virginia Ham.
Champagne Sauce. Boiled Potatoes.
Lettuce Salad.
Escalloped Beef Loaf with Corn.
Purchase half a pound of beef loaf and use the edible pulp from five ears of corn. Cut the meat in tiny dice, moisten with a little tomato sauce or catsup and arrange in a buttered baking dish, with alternate layers of corn. Season the corn slightly with

salt and paprika and dot liberally with butter. Cover the top with crushed, dried bread crumbs, mixed with melted butter, and brown over in a quick oven.

Boiled Ham With Champagne Sauce.
Most shops sell what is known as plain boiled ham and the Virginia baked ham. The latter, although a little more a pound, is well worth the difference in price, as it is more tender and of much better flavor. Broil as for ordinary ham. For the sauce blend together three tablespoonfuls

of hot pork fat with two rounding tablespoonfuls of browned flour. Then add gradually a cupful and a half of cider, an inch piece of stick cinnamon and four whole cloves. Stir constantly until the sauce boils, add a quarter of a teaspoonful of salt, a pinch of paprika and a tablespoonful of brown sugar. Set over hot water for 10 minutes, remove the spices and serve, poured over the ham.

The cooked beef loaf will cost about 40 cents a pound and the baked Virginia ham 75 cents a pound. The breakfast for four will cost 70 cents, the luncheon for three 78 cents and the dinner for four \$1.80 cents.

On Rainy Days

You can save all the bother and trouble of washing at home if you

Have your laundry done the Wet Wash way by the Laundry with a Prestige.

We send the washing home ready for your iron. The flat work is finished.



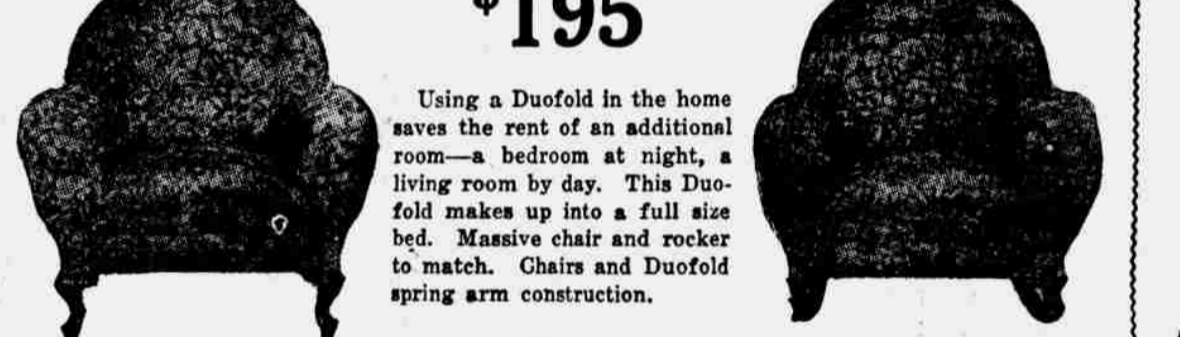
Bowen's Value-Giving Store.

Fall Furniture Savings

that are a revelation at the ever busy Bowen store

Those who admire fine furniture and want it in their home, yet at the same time when buying wish to practice economy, will find Bowen's the quality, value and service store of Omaha.

Three-Piece Duofold Suite

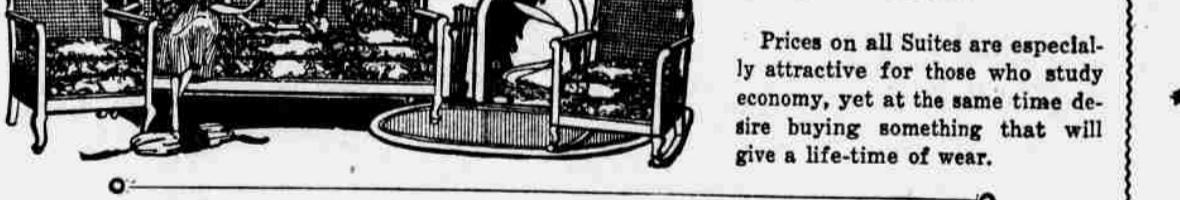


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Many other three-piece Cane Living Room Suites you'll appreciate at \$135, \$125 and \$110.

Prices on all Suites are especially attractive for those who study economy, yet at the same time desire buying something that will give a life-time of wear.

Davenport Tables Values in Floor Lamps

in mahogany; 66-inch tops—Queen Ann or William and Mary period.
For another week this store offers exceptional values in Floor Lamps. About 321 Lamps, including base and shade; lamps equipped with double sockets, are offered at only—
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27-inch Axminster Rugs—beautiful patterns, and of a size that make them desirable in any home. Bowen's ever lower price, \$3.65
Each Shade and Standard harmonize in color, and will make a nice addition to any home.
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Howard St., Between 15th and 16th
It will always pay you to read Bowen's small ads.

Commonplace Vegetables for Good Salad

There are a number of commonplace vegetables that with clever manipulation can be made unusually tasty.

Cabbage Salad.
Make a dressing of two tablespoonfuls of butter, a tablespoonful of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, a teaspoonful of mustard, one egg, one cup of sweet milk or cream, one cup of vinegar; mix thoroughly.

Cook in salted water until tender a small head of cabbage and chop it very fine. Drain, add the dressing and cook for five minutes.

Potato Salad.
Mix and boil together four tablespoonfuls of butter, eight tablespoonfuls of sugar, one tablespoonful of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of mustard, one cup of sweet milk or one-half cream and one-half milk, one-half cup of cider vinegar, three beaten eggs.

Boil for five minutes, then add four large cold boiled potatoes, cut up small.

Boil all together for three minutes at the back of the stove, then take from the fire and set aside until very cold. Put into a cold bowl and garnish with slices of hard boiled eggs.

Green Pepper Salad.
Green peppers may be made entirely wholesome and digestible if they are parboiled before being used for salad. They should be chilled after they are taken from the boiling water and left on the ice until needed. The green will not be so brilliant as that of the fresh peppers, but they will be very much more wholesome.

If endives are scalded and then chilled before using for salad, it is said that they are very much more wholesome than when eaten raw.

son, who was a college friend of Mr. Turner at Ann Arbor, Mich.

Mrs. Finley Burke is ill at the home of Mrs. J. M. Barstow.

Mrs. John Melhop, Jr., has returned from Duluth and Chicago, where she has been visiting.

Mrs. Richard Bennett left Wednesday for her home in Lincoln, Neb., after a visit of five weeks with her mother, Mrs. Lyman Shugart.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spooner of Des Moines, Ia., are dividing their time at the Emmet Tinley and George Spooner homes in this city.

Mrs. A. M. Jackson returned Tuesday from a short stay in Sioux City, Ia., and on next Thursday will leave with her sister, Miss Mollie Rice, for California, where they plan to remain until April.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett left Thursday evening for Chicago and Valparaiso, Ind., where they plan to visit. Before returning home in December they will go on to New York, Philadelphia and other eastern cities.

Col. and Mrs. George Stewart departed Friday for New York City after visiting for the past few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Tinley, Mrs. A. M. Jackson and Miss Mollie Rice.

Good Usage and Meaning of Words

Just at present the word party passes in good usage for anything from the hospitality you offer one or two friends in a cooling glass of lemonade or a cup of tea when you invite them to pass an afternoon hour with you to all the complex and elaborate formality of an inauguration ball or the wedding reception that takes place when an American millionaire's daughter marries a European nobleman.

The word may lose caste through being overworked, just as lots of other once acceptable words have done before it, but if you want to be on the safe side now use this word rather than such words as "affair," "function," "gathering" or "entertainment."

If you have attended a large dance and wish, on leaving your hostess, to express your appreciation for the pleasure you have had don't tell her that it was an "enjoyable affair" or that you have enjoyed her "ball" immensely. Say rather that you have had a charming time at her party.

And speaking of this very useful word party, it is not out of place to mention another use of this word that is in rather ill repute. That is the use of party when we mean simply a person. Those who choose their words carefully avoid this use.

Sometimes when a young woman wants to refer to a friend and does not want to indicate the sex of the friend she uses this word, as for instance, "I had dinner last night with a party from New York," or "I am sorry that I can't come, but I am expecting a caller." How much better to have said, "I had dinner last night with a man from New York," or "an acquaintance of mine has asked to call."

Will Be Liberty



Mrs. Mable Reed, who will take the part of Liberty in the pageant, "Nebraska," to be given November 10 at the Brandeis by the pupils of the Omaha public schools, is an actress of unusual ability. The publishing schools are fortunate in numbering among their corps of teachers a woman who has played with Minnie Madden Fisk, Francis Wilson, Robert Edson and others of note.

The role of Liberty calls for one of the few spoken parts in the pageant, and the only adult part. The dignity of the lines demands a speaking voice of unusual beauty and an exceptional stage presence, both of which the committee in charge of the pageant feel that Mrs. Reed possesses.