

Clubdom

Walking Club.
The Omaha Walking club will have its usual weekly outing on Monday afternoon instead of Sunday, starting at 3 o'clock from the Hillcrest station, Fort Crook and Bellevue interurbans. The walk will be through Fontenelle forest to the club shack, where supper will be served. Dale Ferguson, leader.

Miss Marie Mackin will lead the walk Saturday afternoon, December 31. The start will be made from the terminus of the Albright car line. Following the walk through the park the hikers will cook supper at the club house.

Junior Humane League.
Miss Eleanor Dickman of the educational department, Nebraska Humane society, announces a meeting of the captains and majors in the Junior Humane league salesmanship contest, Wednesday, December 28, at 11 a. m., in the Burgess-Nash auditorium. Refreshments will be served and there will be a short talk on salesmanship by Mr. T. P. Redmond.

Miss Gertrude Maloney, whose story hours in the auditorium during the past week have delighted the children, will have a new story to the juniors who come to the meeting on Wednesday.

P. E. O. Notes.
Chapter B. P. of the P. E. O. association will have a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. J. A. Hawkins, 831 South Thirtieth street, Tuesday afternoon.

The Christmas meeting of the P. E. O. Sisterhood of Shelton was held at the home of Mrs. V. L. Johnson on Tuesday afternoon, December 20. Mrs. Max Hostetter gave a talk in the Lincoln memorial at Washington, D. C., having received her information from the architect, Mr. Henry Bacon, while in Washington last summer.

W. C. T. U. Notes.
West Side W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday at 2 p. m. with Mrs. B. E. Gantz, 4021 Mason street. Rev. W. A. Bolas will speak on "America's Greatest Problem." Mrs. Frank Cockayne, who recently returned from England, will tell of conditions in that country.

Evered Willard W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday, 2 p. m., with Mrs. J. M. Talarfero, 3114 Poppleton avenue.

The Mothers' Club.
Mrs. J. E. Carnal and Mrs. J. O. Detweiler will entertain the Mothers' club at 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Carnal, 3407 Dewey avenue.

Mrs. J. F. Beard will read a paper on "Disarmament." Roll call "Elections," will be in charge of Mrs. G. E. Mickel, and recreation will be under direction of Mrs. J. H. Craddock.

House of Hope.
Rev. J. N. Hamilton will conduct services at the House of Hope Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A musical program will be given under direction of Miss Delphe Nelson.

Washington Society

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The Yuletide is being celebrated in Washington according to the custom of many decades. The congress is scattered in many directions in the homes of the various members; on pleasure-inspection trips; at some of the resorts, and also in Washington. Officials who are remaining here are making merry with the endless round of dinner parties, charity balls and private dances and by means of these manage to eke out a strenuous existence.

The annual Christmas night ball, given always on this night for the benefit of the Children's Country home, of whose board Mrs. Joseph Leiter is president, had to be postponed to January 2 as the December 26 date was pre-empted by Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh for a ball in honor of Princess Bertha Cantacuzene, great-granddaughter of Gen. U. S. Grant, and whose mother was born in the White House during the latter days of the Grant administration. The young princess is a debutante of this season and is being properly feted, as becomes a Russian princess and a charming American bud.

Impressive Custom.
This Christmas eve is an impressive one. Many residents throughout the city, in fact very generally, people responded to the hint given by Mrs. Harding of placing a lighted candle in every window of the home to burn through the evening and until after midnight, symbolic of the Star of Bethlehem. The president's wife caused it to be announced that she would thus illuminate the White House tonight, as she did every year at her home in Marion, a custom which the citizens of Marion happily followed, making Marion, O., the brightest little village in the country on Christmas eve.

Mrs. Harding made a brilliant success of the first official dinner of her husband's administration, which they gave Thursday evening of last week. There were about 60 at the table. The vice president and Mrs. Coolidge were the guests of honor with the cabinet members and their wives, except the secretary of the interior and Mrs. Fall and the Postmaster General and Mrs. Hays, who were out of town; Mrs. Daugherty, who is ill, and Secretary Mellon having no wife, was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ailsa Mellon.

Miss Mary Jordan Sings.
Mrs. Harding had decorations significant of the season, low mounds of gay poinsettia, with stevia and maidenhair fern, and after the dinner the guests were entertained in the east room by a program of lovely songs by Miss Mary Jordan and Miss Katherine Dayton, with Miss Anne Tindale and Lee Cronigan at the piano, all of New York.

Mrs. Robert E. Evans and Miss Anna Evans are nursing probably the greatest disappointment they have had in a long time. They were to accompany Representative Evans to Panama on the trip on which Representative and Mrs. Jeffers and their daughter went. The appropriations committee of which Judge Evans is a member chose the Christmas time for their most important work and he could not leave and they would not go without him, so their reserva-

Lasell Club President



Mrs. Henry T. Clark
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Mrs. Henry T. Clark is president of the Lasell Seminary Alumnae club of Omaha and Council Bluffs. Other officers are Mrs. Alexander Loomis, secretary; Mrs. W. Righter Wood, treasurer, and Mesdames Eva Wallace, Herbert Gannett, James L. Paxton and Clyde Roeder, program committee. The club has a membership of 22.

An all day meeting will be held Tuesday, January 10, at the home of Mrs. A. F. Smith, 3910 Dewey avenue, when the club will sew for the Day nursery.

Social Meeting of Foresters.
Court Omaha and Camp Moving Sun, Independent Order of Foresters, held a social meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Christie.

Columbia Club.
The Columbia club will give a card party Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 at their hall, Mrs. H. Nicholson and Mrs. G. W. Riley will be hostesses.

Old People's Home.
The regular Sunday afternoon service at the Old People's Home, Fontenelle boulevard, will be omitted today.

Plans for Christmas day were rather unsettled this week.

A number of old friends of Mr. and Mrs. Herman D. Kountz went over to attend the dinner party they gave to introduce their daughter, Elizabeth, to society. After dinner the company went to the Music Box where they occupied boxes, and after the play they went to the dance given by Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hamilton Stewart at the Colony club, for their debutante daughter, Miss Eleanor Cochran Stewart.

Miss Billy Dunn left Wednesday night for her home in Fremont, Neb., to spend a fortnight with her mother. Her sister, Miss Jean Dunn, who recently joined her sister, remained here with the family of Representative M. O. McLaughlin of York with whom Miss Billy Dunn came to Washington.

Miss Mary Hamilton left Monday to return to her home in Omaha after making a visit of about three weeks with the Misses Hamilton, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hamilton of this city, who presented their youngest daughter to society. Miss Mary Hamilton, though not a relative of the debutante was her school mate and is an intimate friend. During her stay in Washington Miss Hamilton spent one week with her aunt, Mrs. D. C. Stapleton, who being still in deep mourning for Mr. Stapleton did not entertain for her, but had a few of her girl friends in several times, informally.

Miss Drain Weds.
The marriage of Miss Marion Whitley Drain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Drain, both formerly of Nebraska, and graduates of the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, to Clarence A. Hemphill of Oklahoma, which took place last Saturday in St. Thomas church, was of much interest in Omaha and the state where the Drains have many relatives and friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. Ernest Smith, rector, at 8 o'clock and was followed by a large reception in the handsome new home of the bride's parents on Massachusetts avenue.

Social Settlement Notes
The W. I. L. L. club will meet for dramatic art on Monday evening at the Social Settlement house. On Tuesday evening the H. E. L. P. club meets for supper and dramatic art and the Royal Q. B. C. club has supper on Wednesday evening. M. A. P. club meets for dramatic art Thursday evening.

One hundred mothers and babies attended the Christmas party at the Settlement Thursday afternoon. The Friendly Visitors, Mrs. W. S. Knight, chairman, had charge of the affair. About 500 children attended the Christmas tree celebration at the Settlement house on Saturday.

Lovely ribbons for girdles and sashes are shown in the shops. They cost a good deal, but they are worth it if you have the money. Some of them, at \$10 or \$12 a yard, are made of metallic threads heavily brocaded on a thin, sheer foundation of gauze. The color as well as the texture of these ribbons is delightful.

Busy Holiday Week Planned by Overseas Girls

A busy holiday week is planned by the Women's Overseas Service league, of which Miss Helen Cornell is president.

Christmas morning its members will make the rounds of local hospitals, carrying baskets of homemade goodies to all sick ex-service men. The baskets were packed Thursday night at the home of Miss Marie Matthews, chairman of the hospital committee.

Tuesday evening, December 29, the overseas girls will give a Christmas party and dance for enlisted men at Fort Crook. There will be a Christmas tree and individual gifts of candy and cigarettes for each soldier. Miss Gladys Peters, an honorary member; Mrs. Allan Tukey and Mrs. Harry Byrne wrapped the gifts.

A feature of the entertainment will be local college women's presentation of one of the Harvard Workshop plays, "A Slitch of Bacon." Miss Anne Johnston is in charge.

New Year's day the hospitals will be visited again. Musicals are planned for several.

The Janua. meeting will be held at dinner at the Fontenelle, Friday evening, January 6.

Girls' Community Service League Entertain at Watch Party.

The Girls' Community Service league will entertain their men friends at a dinner-dance on New Year's eve in the club rooms, 210 Gardner building, 1712 Dodge street. Mrs. Mary Lydia Rowe will chaperone the party.

The weekly schedule is as follows: Sunday—Open house, 3:30 p. m.; Monday—Open house, 3:30 p. m.; Tuesday—Wamm club supper, 6:30 p. m.; games and open house, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday—Lafayette club supper, 6:30 p. m.; design class, 7:30 p. m.; Mrs. M. L. Rowe, leader.

Thursday—Cluga club supper, 6:30 p. m.; French class, 7 p. m.; Miss Bess Bossel, leader; gymnasium class, 7:30 p. m.; Mrs. Charles Musselman, leader.

Friday—D. A. T. club supper, 6:30 p. m.; chorus club, 7 p. m.; Mrs. Noel S. Wallace, leader; gymnasium class, 7:30 p. m.; Mrs. Charles Musselman, leader.

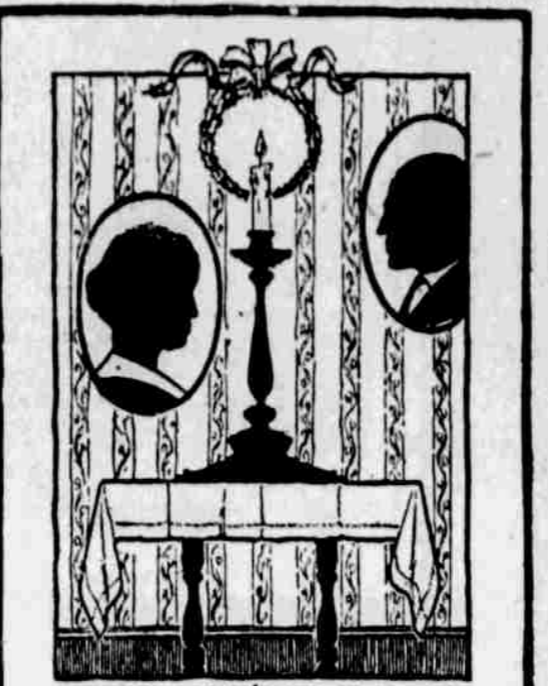
Saturday—Dinner-dance and watch party, 7:30 p. m.

Sunday—Open house, 3:30 p. m.

W. R. C. Notes.
George A. Custer Woman's Relief Corps meets Tuesday afternoon, 2 o'clock, in Memorial hall, court house.

Individuality Shown in Christmas Cards

Do you remember the Christmas cards you received last year? Perhaps out of the several dozen that came fluttering in from the postman's pack you remember



MERRY CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR FROM MARK & MARY LEVINGS

distinctly two or three. Those two or three had something about them which made them different. In some way they carried to you the personality of the sender.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Levings (Mark and Mary Levings) have unusually clever cards this season. Their silhouettes with words of greeting, done in brown on a tan card, have carried intimate and cheery Christmas wishes to their friends. The idea was originated and the art work done by Mr. Levings himself.

Maurice Block, director for the Omaha Society of Lincoln for many years have written some timely original verse for their season's greetings. There is strength and courage in the lines this year, which read:

Christmas bells—yes, Christmas hammers,
Gray World, this Christmas time—
Music that transcends all rhyme—
Ringing how on high,
Blowing over land and sea
For the Carpenter of Nazareth,
And his peace that makes men free.

Mrs. Halleck F. Rose is among the Omaha women who delight in the beautiful. She reached distinction in her cards this year by securing them from Mrs. Frances Mumaugh of Maplewood, N. J. Mrs. Mumaugh

designed a striking creation last year in red, blue and green. The figure, as shown in the accompanying picture, is supposed to be Mr. Block himself. The little bird is his "Iphigenia," which features in much of Mr. Block's personal work. He and three of his classmates in art school each adopted a sort of mascot for artistic purposes. The Iphigenia was Mr. Block's choice. The bird appears again on his more conventional card this year holding a piece of holly in her beak. She is rather old and decrepit in the 1921 version. Mr. Block is considering her demise during the coming



CHRISTMAS 1920
BEST GREETINGS
MAURICE BLOCK

year, but Iphigenia's friends hope she will prove to be a "tough old bird," refusing to pass on.

and beneath was the engraved name of the sender. Mrs. Clyde Roeder's choice was quite similar, except that robins formed the central figure.

An orchid card with a design in black, rose, gold and ever so many colors! It sounds modern and a modern girl liked it. Miss Peggy Reed used this stunning combination of color. Miss Erna Reed preferred gay colors, too, using a pink card with a petite miss all dressed up for winter winds, featured in exquisitely contrasted colors.

Mrs. Yale Holland and Mrs. Miles McFayden were among those who found beauty in the ivory and taupe folders carrying original steel etchings on the cover.

The beautifully simple white cards which friends of Mrs. Myron

learned have received were painted by her cousin, Elizabeth Ferguson of Chicago, whose studio is in the Fine Arts building. Miss Ferguson formerly lived in Omaha. According to Mrs. Learned, Louise Closser Hale, who appeared here recently in "Miss Lulu Bett," writes little personal letters to her friends, using red ink on white paper and enclosing the letter in an envelope lined with red.

A zinc etching of their home gives distinction to the cards of Mr. and Mrs. Carleton H. Woodward of Council Bluffs. The dainty white cards sent out by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stott were designed by Mr. Stott who did the lettering in Old English. A touch of gold and a bit of red add cheer to the conventional greeting.

Gaar Williams, cartoonist on the Chicago Tribune, sketches cards for each of his friends individually. Anita Willets, another Chicago artist, has sent friends here a card showing her family in silhouette, sitting around a fireplace.

Central High school typewriting students have worked out a most interesting Christmas folder, using plain white paper and red and green typewriter ribbon. The cover carries a conventional Christmas tree design made of asterisks and exclamation points, which look like tiny candles. Beneath the tree are the words "A Merry Christmas." The folder is tied with green ribbon and inside is the verse:

I pray the prayer the Easterns do,
May the peace of Allah abide with you;
When the angels of Allah come,
May the beautiful palms of Allah grow,
Through the days of labor and nights of rest,
May the love of sweet Allah make you
So I touch my heart as the Easterns do,
May the peace of Allah abide with you;
An exquisitely tinted hand drawing with an original hand-lettered verse is the equipment Miss Alice Anderson pays each of her friends to whom she sends a card at Christmas-tide. The verse varies for each individual, being something appropriate in each case.

The Chinese Lily

The Chinese sacred lily is a very ornamental flower for indoors and easily taken care of. The bulbs can be bought at any florist's at a trifling cost. Place the bulbs in a large glass dish filled with water, surrounding the bulbs with pebbles and shells to keep them in an upright position.

In from three to five days the little shoots begin to show and grow very rapidly and in six weeks the lily will bloom.

A few bits of charcoal hidden among the pebbles will keep the water pure. The water absorbed by the plants should always be renewed at least once a day. Have the dish containing the lilies about four inches deep. These lilies in their dainty setting are a joy forever in an invalid's room.

Christmas Pageant At Christ Child Center Monday

A Christmas pageant will be a feature of the program to be given at the Christ Child Center Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The cast will be as follows: Chorus of Angels, Fina Caniglia, Fina Roneri, Rosie Monica, Mary Catalano, Frances Juliano, Josephine Tobacco, Josephine Landro, Lena Aletta and Mary Bondie; shepherds, Tony Milone, Delphi Caniglia, Sebastiano Marino, Paul Cattano and Mike Di Gosta; wise men, Sebastiano Girruccio, Joe Comore and Joe Palermo; mother of Christ, Palma Cortesi; St. Elizabeth, Elizabeth Barston; St. Joseph, Frank Sierazzo.

Christmas songs will be sung by a chorus of children, accompanied by a violin trio. After the program Santa Claus will arrive and take charge of affairs.

Breakfast will be served on Christmas morning at the center to the communicants.

The public speaking class will give a program on Wednesday evening under the direction of Mrs. John Mullin.

Mrs. E. W. Nash has donated a ping pong table to the center.

Miss Elizabeth Witt, assisted by several of her pupils, gave a very entertaining program on Friday for the class in piano, which Miss Witt conducts at the center.

Club Women Fill Many Stockings

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provided clothing, toys and Christmas dinners to the poor of the city.

The Omaha College club as in former years provided the tree at the Social Settlement and also gave a musicale for the children of the district last Sunday afternoon.

A "White Christmas" program was given at the Y. W. C. A. Friday evening when members and their friends brought Christmas packages which were distributed through authorized charitable organizations among the poor.

The small tots at the Day Nursery enjoyed a wonderful Christmas party which was sponsored by the League for Women's Service. Christmas parties were also given at the Christ Child Settlement and the Omaha Social Settlement. Children of the Christ Child society gave Christmas programs at four centers—St. Anthony's, St. Michael's, East Locust and St. Benedict's colored center.

On Thursday afternoon the Friendly Society of the Omaha Social Settlement assisted by Junior league members gave a delightful Christmas party for the mothers of the settlement.

These are but a few of the many little kindnesses that Omaha women are doing in keeping with the teachings of the Christ child.

Business Woman's Club.

The Omaha Business Woman's club will entertain at a Christmas party Tuesday evening at the Y. W. C. A. Reservations for dinner, which will be served at 6:15 o'clock, should be made before 6 p. m. Monday at the Y. W. C. A. office. Members and their guests are requested to bring a gift costing not over 10 cents.

Christmas baskets were distributed to needy families by a committee appointed by the club.

Comis Club.

The Comis club has postponed its meeting until Wednesday, January 11, when a 1 o'clock luncheon will be served at the home of Mrs. W. A. Smith, 105 South Forty-first street.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

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