

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Benton are at Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burr's.

John B. Cunningham was an Omaha visitor this week.

Mrs. E. Bignell and Mrs. J. Bartley returned Tuesday from a most delightful three weeks' visit at New York and the popular summer resorts on the Atlantic.

Rumor of a matrimonial character has attached itself to another young couple. The young lady is very popular in musical circles and is at present visiting in the east. The fortunate young man is a decided blonde and a teller in a bank not far from Twelfth street.

Mr. Bowman, who has been making soil collections for the university in the western and northern part of the state, returned to the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Rachel Lloyd, Ph. D., late professor of chemistry in the university, has accepted a position in the Hillside Home school at Hillside, Wis. She will have charge of the scientific instruction in all the grades. Mrs. Lloyd's friends will be pleased to learn that her health is greatly improved.

Crowded in a large hay rack, drawn by four horses, a jolly party of young folks drove to Cushman Park on Tuesday evening. The hay rack was decorated with sunflowers and amusing signs, while the air was filled with merry voices, tin horns and locust whistles. After their arrival at the park the usual picnic amusements were indulged in. The party was composed of Misses Georgie Lovell of Covington, Ky., Mary Glover of Chicago, Jeanette Underwood, Mary Louise Underwood, Grace Griffith, Lottie Clark, Helen Welch, Bertie Clark, Maragret Clark, Lena Deweese, Dena Loomis, Thyria Holman, Blossom Williamson, Ena Picketts, Mabel Picketts, Carleton Morley, Messrs. Harry Barber, Will F. Meyer, C. Y. Smith, Earl Bridgeman, Gene Brown, Ned Brown, Harry Hicks, Ray Welch, Will Clarke, Charley Clarke, Claire Young, Howard Picketts. Mr. and Mrs. Cornell chaperoned the party.

Mrs. George Clarke entertained a few friends informally at the Lindell hotel Tuesday evening. The following ladies were present: Mesdames Davison, Munson, Hoover, Stephen Hoover and Vincent Miller.

Mrs. Wade of Omaha is the guest of Mrs. Frank W. Brown this week.

Professor L. A. Sherman has returned from Chicago.

Mrs. Price and daughter, Miss Mame, of Chicago are visiting friends in the city.

One of the most charming affairs that have brightened the recent summer days was a luncheon given Thursday by Mrs. Walter Bunting Hargreaves. Her pretty home was effectively adorned with roses, ferns and palms. Covers were laid for Mesdames W. M. Leonard, C. C. Burr, L. C. Burr, C. L. Burr, F. W. Brown, Frank Ladd, Frank Little, J. A. Buckstaff, A. G. Beeson, A. B. Cofforth, D. E. Thompson, Ed Ewing, J. E. Houtz, Wade of Omaha, Chas Lippincott, Ed Holmes, Mark Tilton, Sutton. Price of Chicago, Misses Bertie Burr, Mae Burr, Price and Henrietta Hollowbush.

Prof. C. D. Rakestraw has returned to Washington, D. C.

Dr. Stanhope has returned from a visit to Colorado Springs.

Miss May Daubach has returned from a visit of a month with relatives in Chicago.

Prof. Barber, Mrs. Barber and sister, Miss Carrie Barber, have gone to Colorado where they will spend a couple of weeks.

Miss Gertrude Yates returned Wednesday from Neponset, Illinois.

Rev. A. L. Fleming of Louisville, Neb., will move to Lincoln in a few days. He has been selected as editor of the Nebraska Baptist.

Hayden White, formerly in R. Cunningham's law office, left Monday for Gretna where he intends entering upon the practice of law.

S. A. Foster and family left Monday for a three weeks' trip to the Black Hills and Sheridan, Wyo.

Mrs. Martin and daughter, Miss Fannie of Harvard, are being entertained by Mrs. J. J. Cox.

The ladies of the Christian church gave a very enjoyable lawn fete on Tuesday evening. The grounds around the church were brightly illuminated with Chinese lanterns.

The teachers of the public schools held a picnic at Lincoln park on Monday.

One of the delightful informal functions of the week was a watermelon party given on Wednesday evening by the Misses Underwood in honor of their guests, Miss Lovel of Covington, Ky., and Miss Mary Glover of Chicago. Those present were: Misses Dena Loomis, Nellie White, Grace Griffith, Hallie Hooper, Helen Welch, Bertie Clark, Lottie Clark, Georgie Lovel, Mary Glover. Messrs. Will F. Weyer, Fred W. Houtz, C. Y. Smith, Earl Bridgeman, Max Westerman, Will Clark, Emery Hardy, Ray Welch, Harry Hicks.

Miss Lottie Whedon entertained a bevy of pretty girls at the Sanitarium on Tuesday morning. The plunge was well filled with bathers in pretty suits and judging from the merry voices and happy faces the young girls certainly enjoyed every moment. Among Miss Whedon's guests were the Misses Maud Shaw, Ella Raymond, Florence Winger, Ellen Gere, Ena Ricketts, Georgie Campe, Sallie Groh, Libbie Seacrest, Maud Risser, May Whiting, Agnes Sewell, Nellie Lau, Blanche Garten, Alice Maitland, Dora Harley, Muriel Gere, Ellen Gere and Josephine Winger.

The reception tendered the Rev. Arthur Frost Newell, pastor of the Vine street Congregational church on Wednesday evening was a very pleasant affair. Miss Ella Jackson recited in a very pleasant manner, and Miss Edith Risser rendered several vocal selections which charmed her hearers.

The members of the First Baptist church celebrated the silver anniversary of the organization in a very fitting manner on Wednesday evening.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Currier of Neponset, Ill., was the scene of a simple but pretty wedding August 15th, when their daughter Grace was united in marriage to Mr. Ernest G. Yates of Chicago. Miss Currier is a very attractive girl and will be remembered by many of the young people of Lincoln. Mr. Yates was for several years a member of the firm of Yates Bros. At present he is a salesman for Wallace Elliott & Co., of New York. After an extended tour which will include Macinac Islands, Camden, Me., New York city, Buffalo, Lincoln, Denver and Salt Lake, they will be at home in Chicago.