Mrs. Frank Ladd gave a charming Kensington on Wedn sday afternoon to a number of lady friends. Misses Nan Lillibridge, Mae Burr and Marie Hoover added much to the afternoon's enjoyment by giving several musical selections. Dainty refreshments were served during the afternoon and many stitches were added to the pretty pieces of fancy work which the ladies had carried with them.

Mrs. A. L. Hoover assisted by Mrs. Steve Hoover gave two delightful Kensingtons during the weck at the Lindell Hotel. The first occured Wednesday afternoon and the following ladies were present: Mesdames Geo. Clark, Ed. Ewing, F. C. Ladd, H. B. Patrick, A. L. Billmeyer, F. H. Woods, H. Branch, A. Humphrey, W. Davis, E. Baker, F. W. Brown, L. Clark, Biedel, Munson, Vinsonhaler, Davison, Strickler England, Kirby, Allen, Elliott, Miss Scoffield and Miss Bedilion. Friday afternoon Mesdames Shaw, G. A. Neeley, J. C. Kier, Norval, Reese, W. Smith, B. Gibson, H. Ecker, Lambert, E. P. Hainer, N. Scofield, R. D. Sterns, Caldwell, Witter E. Moore, Cochran, Ed. Yates, Horton, G. Cultra, Sherman, Lasch Hewitt, Ewing and Sherman were the invited guests.

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Very pretty was the Squires-Chapman wedding which occured at the residence of the bride on Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The maid of honor was the sister of the bride, the best man being Mr. Cochran. After the ceremony supper was served and then Mr. and Mrs. Squires departed for the east.

Mrs. William Tupper-Wyman entertained at luncheon on Monday in honor of Mrs. Holterhoff. The guests were Mrs. Holterhoff, Mrs. Redick, Mrs. McKenna, Mrs. Newman, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Wilbur, Mrs. Wheeler, Mrs. Charles Stuart, Mrs. Wyman.

Miss Cady will entertain at cards this afternoon.

The Misses Nash left for San Antonio Sunday where they will join Mr. and Mrs. Nash.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hitchcock gave a very delightful dancing party last Thursday evening in honor of Miss Crounse.

Last Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. William Tupper Wyman entertained at dinner Miss Curtiss, Miss Pugsley, Mr. Hamilton and Mr. Doane.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Webster will be "at home" next Friday evening.

This evening Colonel and Mrs. Wm. S. Worth will entertain at the post hop room, Fort Omaha.

Mrs. Nave and Miss Ware of St. Joseph, were the guests this week of Mrs. Joseph Garneau.

This season, so far, has been one of teas, and such delightfully informal ones, too, that prove such a relief after the stiff receptions of past years. On Tuesday Mrs. Garneau started the ball rolling when she entertained for Miss Jentie Yates and bridal party and Mrs. Nave of St. Joseph, between the hours of four and six. Mrs. Nave received with Mrs. Garneau, while Mrs. Jack Ringwalt, Miss Hoagland and Miss Ringwalt poured tea.

The same afternoon Mrs. Babcock, assisted by no end of charming women, was "at home."

Miss Sterling of St. Paul, will be Miss Hoagland's guest next week.

The Misses Gardner of Clinton, are the guests of Miss Colpetzer. On Friday in their honor Miss Colpetzer entertained between the ho rs of four and six, followed by an informal dance in the evening.

Mrs. Henry Wyman will entertain the Saturday Night club this evening.

Mrs. R. R. Ringwal formally introduced her daughter. Miss Gertrude Ringwalt, to society last Saturday afternoon. Miss Crounse assisted in receiving. Later in the evening the younger people were invited and remained for dancing.

Miss Cady entertained the Cooking Club on Thursday.

Mrs. John R. Brooke invited in a number of the young people Thursday afternoon to meet Mrs. J. T. Thompson.

Lieut. J. J. Pershing spent Thanksgiving day in Omaha, having come up to witness the football game.

Mrs. A. L. Reed gave a box party Saturday afternoon to see Nat of Herpolsheimer & Co.

SHIP DOLL SERVE

Goodwin in "A Gilded Fool." The guests were Miss Jackson, Mrs. Balch, Mrs. Coles, Mrs. Gifford and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Miss McKenna gave, on Tuesday afternoon, a luncheon in compliment to the prospective bride, Miss Jentie Yates, which presented some artistic and lovely features. In the first place there was a large heart-shaped table on which covers were laid for twelve. In the center was another heart formed of blue satin ribbon and forget-me-not's in the middle of which stood a tall lamp of blue por celain; blue shaded and dainty Dresden lamps, candlesticks and silver bonbon dishes were here and there. At each plate were heart-shaped favors with guest's name and date in gold and tiny, hand-painted sprays of forget-me-nots. These contained apt, pretty quotations. Miss Yates' souvenir was a large, heart-shaped frame of blue satin, containing photographs of the bridesmaids, while for the latter were small frames, cut heart-shaped, with border of forget me-nots and containing a photograph of Miss Yates and bearing the words forget-me-not in different languages. The guests were Miss Jentie Yates, Miss Sterling, Miss Lemon, Miss Brittain, Miss Johnson, Miss Bessie Yates, Miss Kountze, Miss Dundy, Miss Steee Miss Webster and Miss Doak.

Last Saturday Mrs. Joseph Barker entertained at luncheon Mrs. Brooke, Mrs. Newman, Mrs. Redick, Miss Dundy, Mrs. Holterhoff and Mrs. Wood.

Swell society turned out en masse Wednesday evening to witness the marriage ceremony of Miss Jentie Peabody Yates and Mr. Edward Calhoun Smith.



William Dustin Robinson and Miss Fay Marshall will be married Wednesday, December 19, at 12 o'clock noon, at Holy Trinity chusch. They will be at home after February 1st, 1895, at 1320 P street.

W. E. Hardy and Miss Gertrnde Laws will be married at the latter's home, Enid, Okla., January 9.

Advices from Quincy, Ill., are to the effect that Miss Kespohl, Mr. Mohrenstecher's fiancee, is improving. Mr. Mohrenstecher is still in Quincy.

There are now five live dancing clubs in the city, the Patriarchs, Pleasant Hour club, Empire, Cotillion and Ravola—and all are flourishing.

People are still debating as to whether Nat Goodwin was under the influence when he appeared in "A Gilded Fool" Monday night. However that may be, there is evidence that he took a drop after the show.

The COURSER was in error in stating that the Omaha minstrel show cleared \$1 from the performance in this city. There was a profit of a dollar or so for a time, but the ladies kept finding new items of expense, and our latest information is that there is a deficit of \$4.

Mrs. Walter B. Hargreaves has undertaken a large sized contract. She is interested in the charity concert to be given at the Lansing theatre, December 18, and she is determined to make the concert a gala society event—but that is not the big part of her undertaking, which is an effort to induce all of the ladies to appear without their hats. Men have been willing to almost lay down their lives to accomplish what Mrs. Hargreaves proposes to achieve by moral suasion.

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