

**SOGIAL GOSSIP.**

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Mr. Zehring conducted the cotillion with the same ease and success which have signalized all of that gentleman's social undertakings. In some of the figures the gentleman shook dice. In others they fenced. Then there was the deserted gentleman figure—in all twelve. The favors were particularly pretty. Messrs. and Messdames Lew Marshall, Charles L. Burr, Henry Sutton, F. W. Brown, Oliver Rodgers, J. A. Buckstaff, W. B. Hargreaves; Misses Mame Carson, Rose Carson, Olive Latta, Mae Moore, Helen Nance, Hattie Hooper, Lucy Griffith, Mae Marshall, Grace Oakley, Wood of Kansas City, Mae Burr; Mrs. Bailey of Denver; Messrs. J. H. Mallette, Fred White, John Dixon, Fred W. Houtz, Guy Hurlbut, Harry Harley Ray Welch, Will Clarke, W. Morton Smith, Frank C. Zehring, Howell, Matt Baldwin. Among the on-lookers were: Mrs. Charles Branch, Mrs. Henry Branch, Mrs. L. C. Burr, Mrs. Howell of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson, John Lotteridge, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Baldwin, Joe Mason, Harry Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wilson, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. R. H. Oakley, Mrs. O. R. Oakley.

Miss Nellie Post and Miss Georgie Post, daughters of Judge A. M. Post, of Columbus, are the guests of Miss Alice Slaughter.

The Cheese and Cracker club met at the residence of Mrs. Beman G. Dawes Tuesday afternoon. Those present were Mrs. Chas. L. Burr, Mrs. John T. Dorgan, Miss Mame Carson, Mrs. Bailey of Denver, Miss Mae Burr.

A few friends were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Baldwin Tuesday evening in honor of Mrs. Bailey of Denver. The guests remarked upon the elegance of the lunch. Hearts was the game. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hargreaves, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buckstaff, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sutton.

This evening Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Baldwin will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Burr, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Branch, Miss Wood, Mr. Dixon.

Miss Wood of Kansas City is the guest of Mrs. Branch, her sister.

A number of small entertainments were given during the week by the younger set.

Several Germans are talked of for the near future.

Through the courtesy of Prof. R. B. Owens, secretary of the committee on arrangements, we are able to give a schedule of the program of the inaugural and charter day exercises of the state university. The events of the week will open Thursday evening, February 13, with an address by Mr. T. C. Martin of New York city, on "Development and Utilization of Power of Niagara Falls," at the Funke opera house, commencing at 8 o'clock. Mr. Martin, who is an old friend of Professor Owens, is editor of the Electrical Engineer, New York, and past president of the American institute of electrical engineers. He is well known as an author, having written "The Electric Motor and Its Application," "The Inventions, Researches and Writings of Nikola Tesla," "Electric Boats and Navigation," etc. Professor Owens considers himself particularly fortunate in securing Mr. Martin. He will speak under the auspices of the society of electrical engineers. Chancellor MacLean will deliver his inaugural address Friday morning at the Lansing theatre. There will be an invocation by Rev. O. W. Fifer and an induction into office by Regent C. H. Morrill. Congratulatory addresses will be delivered as follows: "On Behalf of the State," Governor Silas A. Holcomb; "On Behalf of the School System," Superintendent H. H. Corbett; "On Behalf of the Alumni and Students," H. H. Wilson; "On Behalf of the Regents and Faculty," Hon. H. D. Etabrook; "On Behalf of Sister Universities," President Cyrus Northrup of the university of Minnesota. There will be a collation from 5 to 7:30 p. m. and the chancellor will give a reception at 8 p. m. The same evening there will be an electrical exhibition by the university society of electrical engineers. Saturday will be observed as charter day. There will be a reception to the public by the several departments of the university, an exhibition drill by the Pershing rifles at 3 p. m. and a reception by the state federation of Women's clubs at 8 p. m.

Her friends at the university will be much interested to read the following, taken from the Chicago Inter Ocean of January 14, concerning their friend, Miss Ada Bonnell:

Society at Englewood attended a pretty wedding last evening at the First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Sixty-fourth street and Stewart bouie-

vard. The contracting parties were Miss Ida Bonnell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bonnell of No. 6422 Eggleston avenue, and Mr. Daniel Du Shane Otstott, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Ostott.

The maid of honor was Miss Martha Otstott, sister of the groom, while the bridesmaid were the two sisters of the bride, the Misses Elizabeth and Pearl Bonnell.

The best man was Mr. Frank Hill, and the ushers were the Messrs. Arthur Woods, Edward Flood, Schuyler Scholenberger, Thomas Ostott.

The bride wore white duchesse satin, with a train, trimmed with duchesse lace. No jewels were worn, the bridal bouquet being of lilies of the valley and orchids.

The maid of honor was attired in white silk and organdie, and carried bride roses.

Miss Elizabeth Bonnell wore yellow silk and white organdie, with bride roses, while Miss Pearl Bonnell was in blue silk and organdie, with yellow roses.

In the four years that it takes to get through the university there is always some one member of the class whom all know and like, without whom no party or picnic is complete. In her time this one was Ida Bonnell. The last four years Ernie Houghton filled the place that requires an unusual endowment of camaraderie, cheerfulness and lack of self-consciousness to fill. If the ceremony had taken place in Lincoln the church would have been crowded with friendly faces from the university and city anxious to see the young woman in all her bridal bravery. Mr. Otstott has secured one who will lessen the inevitable burdens of his and her life by smiles and cheerful words. All of Lincoln who know the bride sincerely wish her and her husband a long and happy life.

Mr. Joseph S. Brown, the manager of the Lincoln Newspaper union, was married on Wednesday to Miss Amy West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer West. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Lewis Gregory at the bride's home, 1418 F street. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have gone to Chicago for a few days. They will return to make their home in Lincoln.

Mrs. Gullfoyle left for Ft. Robinson on Thursday to visit her sister.

Five or six couples met at Mr. Buckstaff's house as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Marshall on Thursday evening. It was a chance meeting, quite informal, but merry as merry could be. They went upstairs and danced to the music of a piano.

Mrs. G. M. Lambertson will give a German in the near future at the Lincoln hotel in honor of her guests, Miss Allan and Miss Taylor of Omaha.

The pretty rooms of the Nebraska college of oratory in the Y. M. C. A. building were the scene of a happy party on Thursday evening. It was a masque party given by the young ladies of the Tableaux d'Art company. The court of the building had been curtained off to afford a good place for a promenade and when the company of about fifty young people arrived in all sorts of gay costumes, the scene was a brilliant one. The first part of the evening was spent in an endeavor to find out who was who. Games were played for amusement during the greater part of the evening. After unmasking, dainty refreshments were served in the college rooms. The young ladies who comprise the company, are: Misses Young, Gillum, Maryott, Mowbray, Stuart, Peebles, Walker, Macken, Robertson, Crawford, Watson, Hosford, Marie Hosford, Smith, Fleming, Melinda Stuart, Kate Walker, Boyle, Davis, Rutherford, Fulmer, Callahan, McCrae and Mrs. Rutherford.

Miss Nance, Miss Fehet, Miss Slaughter and Miss Riser gave a dancing party last night in Lansing hall. One hundred invitations were issued. The hall was beautifully decorated with palms and the flower of Lincoln's youth.



At the Universalist church the most noticeable number was Mr. August Hagenow's solo, the "Prize Song" from the Meistersinger, arranged for violin by Wilhelmy. It is a wonderful song, full of youth and passion and daring unconventionality. It sang finely from the strings. Mr. Hagenow seemed at his best and put into it the feeling from his demands. Next to a surprising voice, the violin best carries pure melody. And most violins, in the hands of fairly good players, can do far more than the average voice, under the control of the average singer. The "Prize Song," sung by a great singer, is at its best. But I cannot say that it has ever given me more pleasure than as it came from Mr. Hagenow's violin, losing nothing, it seemed its lyric yet riotous sweetness.

The Rubenstein number, from opus 17, No. 2, I should like to hear again.

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It was too unusual to grasp completely at one, or even at several hearings. It is wonderfully complex, full of capricious deviation, with soft choral strains that mingle with wildest of revel. It is music that one should hear often, music to study. The Loure from Bach's third suite is charming. It has been played before. It should be played oftener. It is short, but it is wonderfully composed. Every note has its significance. It is full of rugged delicacy, of rich frivolity. Like Shakespeare's songs and sonnets, it is a small masterpiece of a great master. The dreamy vision of Fauconier, a soft shimmering of chords with no striking subject, made a good introduction, pleasing, yet not demanding too close attention. The closing number, Hayden's "The Heavens Are Telling," gave the proper triumphal close. It is strong, healthful music, yet by no means slight. Whatever other music may be new, it will be long before Haydn's virile music, with its thoughtful originality, grows old.

Miss Adele Simons, the vocal soloist, sang Marsh's "The Lord is My Life." She shows musical taste and excellent phrasing. Her chief hindrance is timidity before an audience. But that one can get over. There are other things that one cannot get over. There are some singers who—but comparisons are unprofitable.

About a dozen children in the front of the south balcony disturbed many by their chattering. I suppose their parent sent them there to keep home quiet. Certainly their antics suggest ill-breeding somewhere.

Mr. Hagenow is working wonders with his orchestra. I hear he has in mind to give a concert soon. It should be well supported. And that the more, since it will be a treat. Everybody should go—except the people that talk at concerts. Lincoln needs an orchestra. Much music, the great bulk of great music, cannot be performed except by orchestra. How many in Lincoln have ever heard Beethoven symphony, except in attenuated piano translation? How many, for that matter, have ever heard any symphony? How many have heard the greater overtures and marches, the greater symphony poems and suites? These an orchestra and only an orchestra can give. Mr. Hagenow is able to train up an orchestra that can give us classical music in a worthy rendering. He has gathered good players, chiefly professional. He has the temperament, the ear, the judgment of a good conductor. Already the orchestra does well. With support and interest it should do far better. But to get good music we must give interest. We must get over this apathy. No place will get to be an "Athens" unless it shows a little of the spirit of Athens. We have frozen out one pianist and innumerable visiting soloists. We must take care not to freeze this orchestra, which is just taking root among us. Musical education is an important part of education. And no one's musical education can approach completeness till he has heard the greater works of music rendered by an adequate orchestra.

**IN PRIME CONDITION.**

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Union Savings bank held Monday night it was decided to increase the paid up capital stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000. J. J. Imhoff, J. D. Macfarland and J. W. Dewese retired from the board of directors and J. G. Taylor, assistant treasurer of the B. & M., and F. M. Hall were elected members of the board. Plans for a new bank building were discussed, and it is probable that building will be put up and made ready for early occupancy. The Union Savings bank was never in such a satisfactory condition as now, and it is preparing to meet the demands of a largely increased business. Its directors and executive officers are thoroughly confident in Lincoln, and the bank will be conducted on the liberal, progressive plan as in the past.

First publication Dec 28. To H. E. Hackman, first real name unknown and Mrs. — Hackman, his wife, first real unknown, non-resident defendants.

You and each of you are hereby notified that on November 2nd, 1895, August H. Edgren as plaintiff, began an action against you and other defendants in the district court of Lancaster county Nebraska the object and prayer of which is to foreclose a certain mortgage on the following land in said county, to-wit: Lot number 13 in block number 101 in the city of Lincoln, according to the recorded plat thereof made by Lincoln lodge No. 35, Independent Order of Good Templars, dated April 3, 1891, to secure the payment of a promissory note of said Lincoln lodge, No. 35, Independent Order of Good Templars, to said August H. Edgren for \$350 on which there is now due \$350 with interest from April 3, 1895.

Plaintiff prays for decree of foreclosure and sale of said land to satisfy said liens as aforesaid, for deficiency judgment and general relief.

You are required to answer plaintiff's petition on or before the 3rd day of February, 1896.

August H. Edgreen, Plaintiff.  
By S. L. Geisthardt, Attorney.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

In, county court, within and for Lancaster county, Nebraska, January 13, 1896 in the matter of the estate of Rezin Welch, deceased.

To the creditors of said estate: You are hereby notified that on the eleventh day of May 1896, and again on the eleventh day of August 1896, to receive and examine all claims against said estate, with a view to their adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is six months from the Tenth day of August A. D. 1896 and the time limited for payment of debts is one year and six months from said Tenth day of August 1896.

Notice of this proceeding is ordered published four consecutive weeks in The Courier a weekly newspaper published in this state.

Witness my hand and seal of said county court, this Thirteenth day of January 1896.

[seal] S. T. Cochran, County Judge.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale issued by the county court, within and for Lancaster county, in an action wherein Uriah Gault is plaintiff, and Davis & Rankin Building and Manufacturing Company is defendant.

I will, at 2 o'clock P. M. on the 29th day of January A. D. 1896, at the east door of the court house in the city of Lincoln, Lancaster county, Nebraska, offer for sale at public auction the following described personal property to wit:

One note of Davis Bros to defendant for \$160.00. One note of H. P. Blanchard to defendant for \$100, one note of James Douglass to defendant for \$50 one hand cream separator.

Given under my hand this 10th day of January A. D. 1896.

John Trompen, Sheriff.

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