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saying she had come expecting to find a small audience in a small room and in the presence of such vast numbers she now felt like the figure of President McKinley in one of the buildings looked—scared stiff. She opened the subject with the kindergarten, the nursery phase of the school. Kindergartening was real good mothering and that was all there was to it. She advocated a domestic phase of education in the introduction of cooking and sewing into the schools. This had been done in Philadelphia.

"Art in the Home, the School and the Community" was the subject of a practical paper read by Mrs. Herman Hall of Chicago, the founder of the Central Art association of that city. At its close Mrs. Thomas Keiley sang Goring Thomas' "Summer Night." Her beautiful voice and artistic rendition gave a new charm to the familiar song.

Mrs. Kate Thannett Woods, of Salem, Mass., was announced to speak on "Club Courtesies," but her trunk containing the manuscript, had not arrived. She gracefully declared the paper a superfluity since Omaha, in the courtesies extended, had shown a full knowledge of the subject. Mrs. Woods' informal words were most pleasing.

The Lorelei quartet sang "Stay With Me" by Lob, and then Mrs. Ellen A. Richardson of Boston, closed the program with an exhaustive paper on "The Keystone of the Educational Arch."

A large number of the members of the Deborah Avery chapter of the D. A. R. attended the banquet given at Omaha by the Nebraska Sons and Daughters of the Revolution on Friday evening in commemoration of the twenty-second anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill.

More than one hundred persons, tracing their ancestry direct to some combatant in the revolution, were seated at the tables. The dining room of the Paxton was handsomely decorated with American flags and potted plants and an orchestra played national airs during the banquet. The menu cards bore handsome engravings of the battle of Bunker Hill and General Washington and beneath the courses on the bill were appropriate quotations taken mostly from the sayings of revolutionary heroes.

Hon. L. D. Richards of Fremont acted as toastmaster.

"The Men Behind the Rail Fence," meaning the little party of men who defended their comrades retreat at Bunker Hill, was replied to by Edmund M. Bartlett of Omaha.

Mrs. Elizabeth H. Lowrie of Omaha spoke on "The Women of '76—Their Spirit Still Lives." "The names of the

heroines who stayed at home and furnished the supplies for the troops have not been written in history as have those of the heroes who went into the field," said Mrs. Lowrie, "but they were the inspiration of all the great victories won and it was they who made the war possible. And in our present crisis it will be found that the spirit of the women has been inherited by the women of 1898, who will rise to meet any emergency they may be called upon to face."

"Our Former Opponents" was the subject treated by Fred W. Vaughn of Fremont. Mr. Vaughn said that 100 years was long enough to husband an injury and that the United States is now in a position to accept the right hand of fellowship which England has extended.

"The Minute Men," was the sentiment Mrs. Elizabeth C. Langworthy of Seward responded to. After eulogizing the heroic minute men Mrs. Langworthy expressed the belief that just such heroes live today as was shown by the haste with which 100,000 men answered the president's call for troops.

"Our Two Talents," in the opinion of William H. Alexander of Omaha are liberty and union. We have not allowed them to remain in the dark, but have made good use of them, and as a result have produced the grandest nation the world has ever known.

In speaking on "Anniversaries, 1776-1898," Mrs. Winona S. Sawyer of Lincoln, contrasted the two years, each being a time of war. The righteousness of the war of the revolution is beyond dispute. In the present crisis it is to be hoped that Columbia did not put to her lips the cup of war for the sake of conquest; if so, it will prove like Circe's enchanted cup. But the momentous crisis of the present is not the trouble with Spain but a waiting for a virtuous citizenship. The United States is not in need of territory, but it is in need of individual character building.

John R. Webster of Omaha, president of the Nebraska Sons of the Revolution, spoke on "The Unexpected Always Happens," and after a brief review of the battle of Bunker Hill, introduced George D. Hale, president of the Kansas Sons of the Revolution, who made a short plea for the protection of the American flag from all abuses.

Before leaving the entire company rose and sang "America."

The Nebraska Sons and Daughters met together for the first time last week. All over the country there seems to be a growing desire to have some bond of union between the two organizations.

The Daughters here have acquired such enthusiasm that the Sons cannot fail to feel its stimulating effects, and as the

object of both organizations is identical, some co-operation would seem appropriate.

BURLINGTON ROUTE EXCURSIONS FOR SUMMER OF 1898.

Denver, Colo., and return \$18.25, for meeting of American medical association. Tickets on sale June 5 and 6. Return limit July 6. For same meeting tickets will be sold on same dates and limits, to Colorado Springs at \$18.85 and Pueblo at \$19.00.

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Omaha national electric medical association, \$2.20 round trip. Dates of sale, June 19, 20 and 21. Return limit, 30 days.

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Omaha trans-Mississippi teachers' association, \$2.20 round trip. Date of sale June 26 to 30. Return limit 30 days.

San Francisco, Cal., and return, \$60.50, North American Turners' union. Date of sale, June 28 and 29. Return limit, August 31.

Salt Lake City, Utah, and return, \$32.00, international mining congress. Date of sale, July 3. Return limit, July 21.

Portland, Ore., and return, \$60.50, national council of Congregational churches. Date of sale, June 30 and July 1. Return limit, August 31.

Washington, D. C., and return, \$35.30, national educational association. Date of sale, July 3, 4 and 5. Return July 15. Limit can be extended to August 31 on payment of 50 cents.

Buffalo, N. Y., \$27.80 round trip, Baptist young people's union convention. Date of sale, July 11 and 12. Return limit, July 19. Extension to September 1 on payment of deposit fee.

Omaha, Neb., and return, \$2.20, national republican league. Date of sale, July 20 to 30. Return, 30 days.

Rock Island, Ill., and return, \$13.45, national encampment union veterans' union. Date of sale, August 8 and 9. Return limit, August 20.

Indianapolis, Ind., Supreme lodge Uniform Rank K. of P. Date of meeting, August 22. Limit, September 10. Rate to be announced later.

Nashville, Tenn., Christain endeavor annual meeting, July 6 to 11. Limits and rates to be announced later.

Omaha and return, \$2.20, national

congress retail liquor dealers. Date of sale, August 20 to 27. Return limit, 30 days.

Omaha, Neb., and return, \$2.20, national convention Bohemian turners. Date of sale, August 25 to 30. Return, 30 days.

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