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each report.

State chairmen of correspondence will report number of clubs in G. F. W. C., number admitted since last biennial, lines of work adopted by clubs federated since last biennial.

Three minutes will be allowed for each report.

These reports will be published in the official proceedings of the biennial. It is desired that a condensed account of the work be prepared in order that it may go out to the federation in this form, if there should not be sufficient time for full report at the afternoon meeting. These reports should be type-written.

The following is the list of hotels, with terms:

Plankinton house. Manager, W. G. King. Rates, American plan, three dollars per day upwards, two in room; European plan, one and a half to three dollars per day.

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Schlitz hotel. Managers, Pleiss & Heck. Plan, European. Rates, per day, one dollar, single room; seventy-five cents two in room.

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Hotel Aberdeen. Managers, Randall & Hadfield. American plan. Rates, two dollars per day, two or more in room.

Globe hotel. Manager, B. J. Bourda. Plan, European. Rates, rooms, one and a half dollars per day; two in room, seventy-five cents.

Kirby house. Manager, Frank Cole. Plan, American. Rates, two dollars per day. No single rooms.

Lake View house. Manager, G. W. Garrett. Plan, American. Rates, two dollars per day, two in room.

Hotel Fizette. Manager, William Fizette. Plan, American. Rates, one and a quarter to one and a half dollars per day, two in room.

Any person desiring board in private homes at from one and a quarter to two dollars per day may secure the same by addressing the committee on hotels, Mrs. H. C. Barnard, 2002 Grand avenue, Milwaukee, chairman of committee.

The regular meeting of the Self Culture club of St. Paul, was held at the home of Mrs. Shaastrom on last Friday the following lesson being conducted by Mrs. Jeffords:

Quotations about children.
 Paper—"Mothers the True Reformers," Mrs. Fletcher.

What Shall We Read to Our Children—Discussion led by Mrs. Bell.

Reading—selected, Mrs. Stevens.

Little Nellie Jeffords sang two sweet songs and Margaret Shanstrom recited a Mother Goose rhyme.

The F. W. C. of Wayne, conducted a very successful bazar on the 29th and 30th of March, for the benefit of the library fund, during the session the North Nebraska Teachers' Association which began on the 27th of March with

an enrollment of 400. The ladies of the federation divided the work so that each club here was in charge of a particular line of labor connected with the display, and each served one meal, and were the hostesses in turn. The clubs have been very active for some time arranging for this event, and this enthusiasm induced the business men to contribute liberally of merchandise, and the housekeepers to prepare foods. The old court house building was used. The proceeds are about \$200 and will be donated to the library fund of the city.

Mrs. E. S. Buchwater, chairman of the program committee for the biennial women's club convention, announces the following list of speakers:

Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, Pasadena, California; Mrs. Lyda Coonley Ward, Chicago; Mrs. W. W. Belknap, Louisville; Mrs. W. H. Kistler, Denver; Miss Alice French, Davenport, Iowa; Mrs. Kate Upson Clark, Brooklyn, New York; Mrs. Alice Williams Bretherton, Cincinnati, Ohio; Miss Margaret J. Evans, Northfield, Minnesota; Mrs. William Line Elder, Indianapolis, Indiana; Mrs. J. K. Ottley, Atlanta, Georgia; Mrs. William C. Herron, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mrs. William N. Neal, Helena, Arkansas; Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, Amherst, Massachusetts; Mrs. Esther Frothingham Noble, Newark, Connecticut; Mrs. Anna G. Whitmore, Denver; Mrs. Florence Kelly, New York city; Mrs. Frederick Nathan, New York city; Miss Edith M. Howes, Boston; Mrs. Corrine S. Brown, Chicago; Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Stetson, Chicago; Mrs. Herman J. Hall, Chicago; Mrs. Hamlin Garland, Chicago; Dr. George Kriehn, Chicago; Mrs. Paul Hemphill, Chester, South Carolina; Miss Mira Lloyd Dock, Miss Anna W. Williams, Mrs. Caroline Bartlet Crane, Kalamazoo, Michigan; Mrs. O. M. E. Rowe, Boston; Mrs. Frederick Hanger, Little Rock; Mrs. Charlotte Coffyn Wilkinson, Syracuse, New York; Mrs. Emily E. Williamson, Miss Dotha Pinneo.

This does not include the speakers for the press afternoon in charge of Mrs. Mary Lockwood of Washington, who has not yet announced her complete list of speakers.

The condescending distinction made by critics who have failed in the world of letters, between "newspaper English" and literary language, between the journalist and the author, is vanishing into the same limbo as astrology and perpetual motion, according to the Kansas City Star. In the last ten years many of the great successes in literature have been made by workers in, or graduates of, the daily press. In England five names stand out pre-eminent in this respect: Stevenson, Kipling, Barrie, Barr and Stevens. In the United States the newspaper press has contributed at least the following successful writers to literature: James Whitcomb Riley, Richard Harding Davis, William Drysdale, Stephen Crane, Lafcadio Hearn, Kirk Monroe, Edward E. Townsend, Peter Finley Dunne, Anna Nicholas, Carolyn Wells, Ida Tarbell, William Dean Howells, Jeanette Gilder, Julian Ralph, Harold Frederick, Roy McCardell, Benjamin Northrop, William Allen White, Elizabeth Jordan, George Horace Lorimer, James L. Ford, Norman Hapgood, Bliss Carmen, George Ade, Alfred Henry Lewis, Helen Watterson Moody, J. I. C. Clarke, Poultney Bigelow, Kate Master-son, Emily Lafayette McLaws, Anne O'Hagan, Cynthia Westover Alden, Henry Guy Carleton, Viola Roseboro, Edward Fales Coward, Vance Thompson, N. A. Jennings, Florence Brooks Emerson, Eugene Field, Jesse Lynch Williams, Dr. William E. S. Fales, Eliza Archard Connor, James Jeffrey Roche, E. D. Pierson and Elizabeth

Bisland. Bronson Howard, Augustin Daily, Augustus Thomas and Henry Guy Carleton, dramatists, were newspaper men.

In preparing the program for the fifth biennial, Mrs. Buchwater, chairman of the committee, says it has endeavored to give the clubs an opportunity to report upon the effects of the ideas generated at the earlier biennials. The three standing committees on education, art and industrial conditions have given much time and thought to their respective departments, and each will conduct most attractive and comprehensive sessions. The other sessions are in the hands of those well fitted to report upon and show progress in their several departments.

The biennial program committee has secured a room in the Alhambra building as permanent headquarters for state presidents and ex-presidents. As the meetings of the federation are held in the Alhambra theater, those for whom this room has been provided will find it very convenient for conference or for more formal meetings.

There is no danger of a dearth of candidates for the presidency of General Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Tod Helmuth, a well advertised New

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