

and the guests thanking their host and hostess for another delightful evening bade them adieu. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames Field, Pound, Snell, F. M. Hall, Ricketts, Frost, Watkins, Lamb, Gere, Bessey, Caldwell, W. O. Jones, Kimball, Stein, R. Pound, R. E. Moore, Whedon, Tibbetts, Weeks, Burnham, L. C. Burr, Wurzburg, I. M. Raymond, Ward, Holmes, Morrill, Lewis, Flansburg, Fling, Tuttle, Eason, E. E. Brown, Hibner, Movius, Gordon, Taylor, Miller, Freeman, Wharton, Hill, Holcomb, Johnson and Gregory. Mesdames Tibbetts, Philbrick, Taylor; Misses Butler, Brackett; Messrs. Andrews, Lowery, and Geisthardt. Miss Mary Morton of Nebraska City, Mrs. J. S. Briggs, Miss Frances Briggs and Mr. S. R. Rush of Omaha were out of town guests. A telegram from former Chancellor and Mrs. MacLean was read.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon entertained informally at their chapter house on Friday evening, December twenty-seventh. The evening was spent in playing Hearts, Miss Hargreaves and Mr. Bartlett being the most successful. Those present were Misses Hays, Houtz, Hargreaves, Louise Hargreaves, Watkins, Letha Daniels, Thorpe and Burruss; Messrs. Harmon, Green, Bartlett, Beckman, Funke, Fawell, Crooks and Edmiston.

Dr. A. Ross Hill gave a dinner on Monday evening to Professor Thilly of Missouri, Professor Patrick of Iowa, Dr. Woodbridge of Minnesota, Dr. Logan of South Dakota, Dr. McAfee of Park college, Missouri, Dr. Major of Columbia university, Dr. Bolton and Dr. Hinman of the Nebraska university, all of whom were attending the session of the philosophical convention. On Tuesday evening the same gentlemen with Professor Powers of Doane college, were guests of Dr. Bolton at a hotel dinner.

Mrs. Neal gave a birthday party on Wednesday evening to surprise her husband. It was a genuine surprise. The guests brought unique presents and when Mr. Neal arrived he was effectively surprised. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harley, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ames, Mrs. Kier, Mrs. Frankish, Miss Frankish, Miss Ames, Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Eason, Miss Harley.

Mrs. Cora K. Pitcher and Miss Cora Hardy gave a large card party last Saturday and Friday afternoons. Four large rooms and the reception hall were thrown together for the card tables and all were elaborately decorated with Christmas greens. Southern smilax and holly were festooned over doorways and on window draperies and magnolia leaves were massed on the mantles. Handsome prizes were won by Mrs. M. I. Aitken, Mrs. R. M. Turner and Mrs. Fred C. Howe. Mrs. Pitcher and Miss Hardy entertain another large company of ladies today.

The young ladies of the Browning club of the high school received their friends on New Year's day at the home of Misses Nellie and Carrie Ludden. The club colors, pink and blue, combined with mistletoe, were used in decorating. Games, music and refreshments added zest to youth and gaiety.

The members of the L. A. Kensington entertained their husbands on New Year's eve at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Chapin. The guests appeared in old fashioned costumes and powdered hair. Old fashioned dances and games were enjoyed and at midnight the Virginia reel was danced.

Mr. and Mrs. Grainger welcomed the E. E. D. Kensington club from a house embowered in evergreens and holly. Among the games the guests played was a new one called Dude, wherein prizes were won by Mrs. Whiting and Mrs.

Baldwin. Dancing and music greeted the new century. Mr. and Mrs. Haydn Myer and Miss Norbury of Chicago, were guests.

Misses Agnes and Wilma Casebeer entertained a number of their friends at their home on Friday evening, December twenty-eighth. Dancing made the hours pass merrily. Those present were Misses Butler, Whitcombe, Pauline Whitcombe, Louise Burnham, Palmer, Fawell, Bryan, Baker, Bignell, Thomas, Cornell, Florence Parks, Garoutte, States, Raymond, Gladys Hargreaves, Woodworth, Butler; Messrs. Righter, Wade, Brown, W. Kimball, C. Whedon, Hallett, States, Sherdevan, F. Hall, G. Moore, Rathburn, Rathburn, Loomis, Lahr, Crandall, Smith.

The Unity club danced the old year out and the new year in at Wajah hall. Nearly all the members were present.

The Q. A. T. girls gave a euchre party on New Year's Eve at the home of Miss Anita McKay. The house was decorated with holly and southern smilax. Prizes were won by Misses Barrick and Norris, Messrs. Morse and Crawford. At midnight about thirty young people danced the new year in.

Many friends of the Y. W. C. A. called Tuesday during the receiving hours from four until ten o'clock. The secretary was assisted by two members from each of the endeavor societies of the city.

On Monday Mrs. S. C. Langworthy, Mrs. John Cattle and a number of other ladies from the Seward art club inspected the pictures hung by the Western Art Association in the art gallery of the university.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Auld will celebrate the twentieth anniversary of their marriage next Monday evening at their home on Twenty-fifth and N streets.

Miss Whiting's violet luncheon on Monday, in honor of Miss Lathrop of New York was extremely pretty. Violets embroidered on the damask, violet shaded candelabra, and the modest fragrant flowers themselves ornamented the tables. Misses Lathrop, Pound, Olivia Pound, Kirker, Dean, Barr, Kyle and Herron were the guests.

Judge Crouse and his daughters, Miss Crouse and Miss Marie Crouse, went to Lincoln Thursday to take up their abode for the winter. Judge Crouse's position as state senator requires his presence there. His charming daughters will be sincerely missed in society here.—The Excelsior.

Mrs. Cora K. Pitcher and Miss Hardy gave large card parties on Friday and Saturday afternoons of last week. Mrs. Pitcher's home was prettily decorated in holly and evergreen.

Mrs. Charles Mayer and Mrs. Henry Mayer entertained about fifty ladies on Wednesday afternoon at the home of the latter. The decorations were pink roses and hyacinths. German whist was played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Wright, Misses Putnam and Saunders.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas have issued invitations for a card party to be given on January ninth, in honor of Major and Mrs. Stoney and Mrs. Lawton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas give card parties next Wednesday evening and Thursday afternoon for Major and Mrs. Stoney and their guest Mrs. Lawton (born Heth). Mr. Thomas has just returned from Washington.

Married at Beaver Falls Pennsylvania at the residence of the bride's parents Dr. Joseph Scroggs of Lincoln to Miss Annie Shoemaker. Dr. and Mrs. Scroggs will be at home to their friends after January 5 at 407 South Fourteenth street.

Miss Lucy Green, who is teaching this year in Keokuk, Ia., is spending the holiday vacation with her parents in Lincoln.

Dr. and Mrs. Cosford entertained the High Five club New Year's eve. The house was beautifully decorated in southern smilax, holly and cut flowers. Music was furnished by a phonograph. Mrs. Martin, Mr. Douthett and Mrs. Scott were the prize winners. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames Martin, A. T. Peters, Van Ferguson, W. A. Lloyd, A. Church, H. M. Scott, and George Smith; Mesdames Dye and Anderson; Miss Anderson; Messrs. T. B. Lowery, George Lowery and Douthett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jarrett, Miss Norris of Creston, Ia., and Miss Barrick, received on New Year's day from three until seven o'clock. About sixty friends called. Mrs. George Evans and Mrs. D. P. Sims assisted.

Mr. John H. Farwell, consular agent of the United States and stationed at San Luis Potosi sends a new year's greeting to some of his very particular friends in Lincoln. The greeting is in the form of two cards, one is a conventional American gentleman's carte de visite, engraved on a smooth, small card. The other is in Mexican style and the name, address and greeting are printed upon an embossed square in the centre of the card in red and black on a large, rough deckled edge card. The latter reads:

1901 John H. Farwell.

*Desea a ud. Feliz año Nuevo.*

San Luis Potosi Enero 10  
Mr. Farwell has fulfilled the duties of his office in a very acceptable manner and is known in Mexico as an official of good sense and dignity.

Gregory, The Coal Man, 11th & O.

Mrs. H. C. Hartley entertained a few ladies last Saturday in honor of Mrs. Clark, wife of the president of the state normal school, and Miss Clark, a teacher in the same school. A delicate luncheon was served in three courses.

Mrs. O. J. Collman of Beatrice, the daughter of Senator Paddock, is the guest of Mrs. Cora K. Pitcher.

Mrs. Frank Brace of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting Miss Cora Hardy.

Dr. and Mrs. Hindman gave a luncheon on Tuesday to Miss Campbell and Dr. Majors.

Mr. L. C. Richards is recovering from an attack of the grippe.

Mrs. Dennison of Kansas is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles O. Whedon.

Mr. Wm. Reed Dunroy edits a column on the Sioux City Tribune, called Salad Dressing. It has a various savor; pungent oils, aromatic herbs, pepper and a crisp sauce he knows the secret of. His friends in Nebraska, whom he forgets, are rejoiced to know of his popularity in Sioux City. The Tribune says: "He is called around the office the poet laureate of the force. Readers of this paper may have wondered who was putting his thoughts into rhyme at the head of the 'Salad Dressing' column. His various topics treated—some lightly, some seriously—witness his resourcefulness and a distinct versatility. From the local chansonnette to the really ambitious effort he shows the spirit of the poet. His daily metrical story is dashed off with amazing speed and, quite naturally, there sometimes appear weaknesses, if not in rhyme and meter, in unweighed expression. Quick writing and poetry are not on very intimate terms. Thought, deep, profound mental cogitation is the price of a lasting song."

"We Give Thee Praise" was the sub-

ject of a poem written for the Tribune and published last Thanksgiving day. It brought the author much cordial praise. Two stanzas are here reproduced as an example of the grander, mightier sentiment which finds expression in Mr. Dunroy's well chosen words:

Behind us like a noisome fog  
the past uprears  
With hideous pictures wrought  
in blackest gloom,  
Of famine, gaunt and grim,  
of hate and all the spawn  
Of hell, that bides in  
war's prolific womb;  
Of wrong triumphant  
in its pride and insolence—  
Of peace and truth expunged,  
of hope denied,  
Of love despoiled,  
despoiled and crucified.

The century's gates swing outward  
with sonorous clang,  
Disclosing, all unsullied  
and untrod,  
A gleaming threshold,  
like the steps that slope beyond  
The veiling mists to touch  
the throne of God;  
And from the heights invisible  
there comes a chant  
Of angel singing,  
luring men to holier things,  
As higher up the steps  
the glad world swings.

What's in a Name?

The following, from Punch, might well have been taken bodily from an American periodical:

He—Oh, pray, Miss Dalrimple, don't call me Mr. Brookes.

She—Oh, but our acquaintance has been so brief. This is so sudden—  
(Sweetly) Why shouldn't I call you Mr. Brookes?

He—Oh—only because my name's Somerset.

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