

# SOCIETY NOTES

## LIFE'S MAZY WHIRL

In many eastern cities the social season does not begin until the middle of December, but in Lincoln it has been in full swing for a month, and some ladies have been compelled to change their dates because of so many conflicting ones announced. This week has been a busy one. Miss Hollowbush's wedding, although small, was quite the most important event, but many have been very enjoyable. Mrs. Harley is a charming hostess, and her series of card parties have been among the distinct successes. Mrs. Metcalf's reception was pretty, indeed, and although it had no rivals this week, as it was the only large reception given, it would have compared favorably with any. The fact that the guest of honor was on the briny deep instead of being present to greet the callers, of course, disappointed those who were eager to meet her. The smaller parties of the week were equally as pleasant as the large ones. An unusual number of large affairs are announced for next week.

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On Wednesday at high noon at Holy Trinity Episcopal church was celebrated the marriage of Miss Henrietta Hollowbush, daughter of Mrs. M. S. Hollowbush, and Mr. Homer Honeywell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Honeywell, the anniversary of whose marriage was celebrated by this wedding. Before the bridal party entered the church Miss Stella Rice played the following organ numbers: "March," Dudley Buck; "Love Song," Nevin; "Offertoire," Wely; "Pastorale," Gregy. For a processional Miss Rice played a nuptial march by Gullmant, during the ceremony Elsa's bridal song from Lohengrin, and after the service Medelssohn's march. Rev. Francis W. Eason, the rector of the church, read the service. Miss Hollowbush and Mr. Honeywell entered the church together and unattended, and Mr. R. H. Keener, uncle of the bride, gave her in marriage. The bride's gown was a triumph of the tailor's art. It was of the handsomest broadcloth in a light biscuit color, so light that it looked cream by the gas light. The skirt flared at the bottom and had cut work over panne velvet in the form of a yoke. It was made over a white taffeta petticoat. The Eton jacket was entirely of the cut work in a graceful design over the panne velvet of the same shade and the waist was of white crepe meteor trimmed with duchesse lace. The bride wore a perfect love of a hat. It was an imported affair, rather large, created of white moleane in an indescribable manner and over one side drooped a long, white ostrich plume. This exquisite costume was completed with a white ostrich feather boa, a lace handkerchief which was carried by Mrs. Hollowbush on her own wedding day and a harvest moon crescent set with twenty-three diamonds, the gift of the groom. The church was decorated with palms in the chancel and at the rood screen, the altar was banked with yellow and white chrysanthemums, and bows of yellow and white ribbon were on the ends of the pews. Only a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. At the home of the bride's mother a family wedding breakfast was served. The bridal gifts were very handsome. The traveling gown was of hop-sacking in an old blue shade. The skirt was tucked in the form of a yoke and had three flounces, the blouse was trimmed with cut work in a conventional design over blue velvet. The bride has resided in Lincoln for a number of years and is a popular member of the smart set. She is an accomplished musician and has met with considerable success as a composer. The

groom is treasurer of the Lincoln Gas company and has flattering business prospects. Mr. and Mrs. Honeywell left Wednesday afternoon for the south. They will visit New Orleans and other cities. They will reside at 2141 A street and will receive their friends after January sixth.

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One of the prettiest card parties of the season was that given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. C. H. Warner and Mrs. F. D. Cornell at the spacious home of the former. The house was decorated profusely with roses, chrysanthemums and carnations. The score cards were in the form of booklets, the covers of which were painted in violets in water colors and they were tied with violet ribbons. The prizes were pieces of hand painted china. Both score cards and prizes were painted by Mrs. Barker, of Kansas City, a sister of Mrs. Cornell. A luncheon was served after the games. Guests were Mesdames P. H. Holm, J. L. Teeters, J. H. Stephens, E. E. Spencer, R. M. Le Gore, C. D. Traphagen, W. L. Fairbrother, F. H. Barnes, A. A. Scott, A. Field, L. Arnett, W. B. Richardson, J. C. Harpham, C. F. Harpham, C. M. Crandall, E. W. Nelson, F. Harris, C. C. Quiggle, W. T. Stevens, A. G. Davis, Gerhardt, J. S. Finch, H. J. Winnett, M. L. Blackburn, L. W. Garroue, E. E. Hallett, S. A. Foster, R. D. Stearns, P. Dierks, Metcalf, F. W. Helwig, H. T. Dobbins, H. W. Hebard, A. E. Kennard, A. O. Faulkner, S. Wessel, M. W. Woods, Z. Dwigings, C. H. Sharp, J. H. Jarrett, F. E. Lahr, T. Usher, P. Widener, H. Kelley, E. Baker, W. C. Phillips, F. Smith, C. H. Rudge, J. E. Barker of Kansas City, Kas.; Misses C. Clark, Winifred Bonnell, Daisy Bonnell, J. Smith, Erb, Bailey, Howland.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Warner and Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Cornell gave a second card party last evening. The decorations were similar to those of the afternoon. The score cards bore exquisite roses in water colors and were tied some with pink and some with green ribbons. The prizes were pieces of china, the decorations being from the brush of Mrs. Baker. A luncheon was served. Following were the guests: Messrs. and Mesdames E. E. Spencer, R. M. Le Gore, C. D. Traphagen, P. H. Holm, J. L. Teeters, J. H. Stephens, Will Hardy, F. M. Fling, M. W. Folsom, C. R. Lee, D. A. Risser, C. D. Gibbs, R. T. Van Brunt, J. C. Seacrest, C. H. Rudge, H. B. Ward, I. G. Chapin, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Wilkinson, H. T. Folsom, O. M. Stonebraker, T. Usher, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Walcott, E. E. Henkle, V. Noland, Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Cook, J. H. Jarrett, R. Sine, C. T. Neal, F. Hutchins, C. J. Guenzel, Don Love, J. L. Horton, Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Dayton, Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Wentz, Mrs. J. E. Barker of Kansas City, Kan.

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The Corunna club, an organization of six young ladies who have delightful times together, gave a pleasant party Monday evening in honor of Miss Emma Foote whose marriage occurred on Tuesday. The table was laid with white, decorated with red roses and lighted with twenty-four red candles. Red roses were at all of the plates except that of the bride where white was substituted. A shower of cups and saucers was given Miss Foote. When all were seated at the table with the bride at the head and the pretty china suspended over her a photograph was taken of the room. An elaborate menu was served. After the repast music and dancing were enjoyed until it was time to disperse. Those present were Miss Foote, Miss Etta Foote, Misses Emma and Bessie Fisher of Hastings, Misses Gale Malone, Gertie Kelley, Etta Zeh, Grace Lester, Sanders and Mrs. I. W. Sharpe.

Mrs. A. P. Metcalf gave a beautiful reception Thursday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock in honor of Mrs. J. M. Metcalf, of Omaha, and Mrs. A. J. Cornish. Mrs. Metcalf was not present, as she and her husband sailed on Thursday for Europe, an event entirely unexpected when the reception was planned. Mrs. J. C. Seacrest presented the guests to the receiving party, which consisted of Mrs. A. P. Metcalf, Mrs. A. J. Cornish, Mrs. J. C. Derby, Mrs. F. W. Hill and Miss Tibbetts. Master Gladstone Derby opened the door for the callers, and Miss Kathryn Manahan, in a dainty white frock, received the cards. Mrs. F. W. Eason and Mrs. A. A. Scott did the honors in the hall, and Mrs. Underwood and Mrs. Finch showed the ladies to the dining room. The drawing room was decorated with palms, ferns, pink roses and carnations. Mrs. Metcalf wore white French batiste over pink taffeta; Mrs. Cornish, black velvet, point lace and diamonds; Mrs. Derby, black silk trimmed with applique; Mrs. Hill, blue silk; Miss Tibbetts, white broadcloth. The ladies assisting in the hall and drawing room wore white or pink gowns. The dining room was presided over by members of the Henry Eames musical club, of which the hostess is a member. Mrs. James Manahan, president of the club, poured coffee, Miss Risser served ice cream, and they were assisted by the Misses Houtz, Auld, Poynter, Kettering, and Mesdames Rector and Fisher. All of these ladies wore either pink or green gowns, and the decorations were in those colors. The table was laid with renaissance lace from the centre of which glorious American beauties towered to the chandelier, from which ropes of smilax over pink satin ribbon dropped to the corners of the table. Pink candles in crystal sticks lighted the room. The brick ice cream, bonbons and other refreshments were in pink and green tints. In a Turkish room upstairs furnished with oriental rugs and hangings, Mrs. Fred Houtz, in a red Swiss gown, assisted by Mrs. C. H. Sharp and Miss Marie Hoover, both in yellow, served punch. The floral decorations in this room were magnificent "Golden Wedding" chrysanthemums, and the lights dim and red came from Turkish lanterns, and from red candles in candlesticks of Russian brass. An orchestra played in an upper room during receiving hours.

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Fortunate indeed were the ladies who were bidden to the card party given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Harley and Mrs. H. H. Harley, for it was one of the most enjoyable of recent months. Six-handed euchre was played. Mrs. Ray Edmisten received a box of confections for the highest score. Mrs. E. P. Ewing a similar reward for shouting and Miss Cowdery the same for a consolation. The house was decorated with chrysanthemums and carnations. A dainty luncheon was served. Invitations were extended to Mesdames T. C. Munger, Clinton R. Lee, Albinus Nance, C. F. Harpham, J. C. Harpham, A. A. Scott, C. H. Rudge, W. L. Dayton, M. A. Newmark, M. Ackerman, N. C. Brock, George Woods, Callen Thompson, Moore of Chillicothe, O., George Crancer, John Dorgan, J. W. Winger, E. E. Brown, R. E. Moore, C. E. Yates, S. H. Burnham, I. M. Raymond, A. Putnam, W. C. Wilson, John B. Wright, George Fawell, Ross Curtice, M. I. Aitken, C. F. Ladd, W. A. Green, F. W. Helwig, R. H. Wolcott, A. P. Metcalf, F. D. Levering, E. H. Barbour, S. G. Dorr, S. C. Wilson, W. G. L. Taylor, H. H. Wilson, H. B. Ward, Hollenbeck, M. L. Blackburn, C. G. Crittenden, A. W. Field, O. M. Stonebraker, W. F. Kelley, C. H. Gere, E. P. Ewing, J. H. McMurtry, T. J. Usher, R. J. Guenzel, L. W. Garoutte, Kay Edmisten, F. B. Righter, J. J. Cox, W. A. Lindlay, F. W. Brown, Robinson of Chicago; Misses Price, Nance, Saunders, Putnam.

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Nuptial high mass was celebrated at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning at St. Theresa's pro-cathedral for the marriage of Miss Jennie E. Foote and John G. Wolf. The altar was decorated with white chrysanthemums and palms were ranged on the altar steps. The Lohengrin march was played at the entrance of the bridal party and the Mendel-

sohn march at the close of the ceremony. The bride was attired in a lovely white Scotch organdie gown and wore a large white picture hat. She carried an ivory-bound prayerbook. She was attended by her sister Miss Etta B. Foote, who wore a dress of pale green. William Wilson, served as groomsmen. The rector, Rev. J. M. J. Reade, read the mass and pronounced the nuptial blessing. Two beautiful vocal numbers were introduced in the service. Miss Sarah Mullen sang "The Heavenly Song" and Miss Mullen and Miss Weckbach sang "Ave Maria Stella" in duet.

A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's mother after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Wolf went to Omaha for the week. They will return today and will reside in one of the Barr terraces on South Eleventh street.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Scott entertained with a Hallowe'en card party on Wednesday evening Oct. 30, that being Miss Scott's birthday.

Weird faces peered out from corners in every room.

The ladies were all dressed as ghosts and a prize was awarded to the gentleman guessing the most ladies correctly. Mr. Church was the winner. The friends of Mrs. Scott presented her with a beautiful china dinner set.

The Misses Daisy Meredith, Florence Townsend, Helen Koontz assisted Mrs. Scott in serving refreshments. Miss Gertie Brower presided at the punch bowl.

The prizes at cards were won by Miss Florence Townsend and Mrs. L. Anderson. Dr. Cosford and Mr. Bowman. Mrs. James Martin won the largest number of games during the evening. Those invited were: Dr. and Mrs. Cosford, Dr. and Mrs. Tefft, Messrs. and Mesdames E. Jackson, Lloyd, Martin, Smith, Perkins, Shepherd, Townsend, Bowers, Ritter, Kenyon, Kolbother, Ford, Church, Dye, Anderson, Warren, Waters, Hood; Misses Daisy Meredith, Florence Townsend, Gertie Brower, of Nebraska City, Helen Koontz; Mrs. L. Anderson; Messrs. Charles Berkes, Jacobs, Lindley, Pitman and Dr. Risser.

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Mrs. Harry Howell Harley gave a six-handed euchre party Thursday afternoon. The house was adorned with ferns and roses. Boxes of chocolate were given to the successful players. After cards a luncheon was served. Mrs. Harley was assisted by Mrs. Frank Perkins, Misses Lindley, Finley and Harley. Guests invited were Mesdames W. O. Thomas, W. J. Turner, J. C. Seacrest, M. W. Folsom, H. T. Folsom, S. A. Holcomb, Elias Baker, Harry Evans, H. B. Brooks, W. E. Kirker, R. M. Le Gore, J. F. Hutchins, A. R. Holyoke, A. W. Lane, A. C. Ricketts, R. O. Williams, John Williams, Spangler, J. L. Kellogg, Fowler, John Reed, C. L. Hooper, Finney, D. A. Risser, George Risser, R. M. Turner, C. I. Jones, H. B. Patrick, Wendling, A. G. Billmeyer, J. T. Lees, Ellery Davis, C. E. Bessey, T. M. Hodgman, G. M. Lambertson, R. H. Oakley, L. A. Bumstead, Morse, Perry, Tait, E. C. Hardy, H. H. Everett, Frank Perkins, John Fawell, Lansing, B. F. Bailey, A. W. Green, H. P. Lau, Atwood, Crandall, M. F. Meeds, Giffen, W. G. Morrison; Misses Stella Kirker, Dewese, Graham, Lindley, Finley and Tukey.

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Mrs. Peter Dierks gave a very pleasant card party Wednesday afternoon at her home, 1748 B street. The house was decorated with white roses and ferns. A rose was given to each guest as a souvenir. The score cards were tied with green ribbon and bore the hostess' initial in silver. Euchre was played and after the games a two course luncheon was served. Mrs. Frank Woods had the highest score. Guests were Mesdames George Hibben, Thompson, M. A. Newmark, Lewis Marsh, Dunn, Woods, Allen, Risser, Risser, Wentz, Lees, Spencer, Stephans, A. L. Hoover, Barber, Marshall, Compton, Richardson, Searles, Quiggle, Suter, Herman Dierks, Carrie Dierks.