

# SOCIETY NOTES

## LIFE'S MAZY WHIRL

Society folk are taking only languid interest in the functions, which are not numerous enough to be wearisome, but the June days are too warm for one to be enthusiastic over anything. However, there have been some pretty affairs given this week, predominant being that by Mrs. Thompson and Mrs. Johnson. The high school students have been having reunions and at homes, and tonight they will give their alumni banquet. Next week belongs to the university.

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Mrs. Callen Thompson and Mrs. Ralph E. Johnson gave a very pretty informal reception Tuesday morning at Mrs. Thompson's home in honor of Mrs. Henry P. Eames, who left with her husband on Thursday for Europe, to be absent fifteen months. Mrs. Thompson's home, with its airy rooms and large lawn, is an ideal place for a summer party, and the dainty gowns, of many colors, worn by the guests added to the picturesqueness of the scene. The decorations were elaborate. Pink roses and palms were in the drawing room, red roses adorned the library, and the dining room was in green and white. The walls of the dining room were festooned with evergreens and a bouquet of white roses in a tall cut glass vase, reproduced in a silver rimmed mirror, made an effective centerpiece for the table. A spring luncheon was served by Mesdames S. H. Atwood, T. L. Lyon, W. B. Ogden, Mark Woods, J. F. Stevens, J. H. Gleason. Punch was served on the lawn by Mrs. E. C. Strode, assisted by Mesdames W. C. Phillips, C. W. Toevs, Reuben Grubbs and Frank Maddux. The hostesses were assisted in the drawing room and library by Mesdames E. P. Savage, R. E. Moore, A. J. Sawyer, J. H. McMurtry, I. E. Johnson. Misses Mary Eames and Pauline Thompson admitted the guests. Mrs. Thompson received in a gown of silk organdie trimmed with medallions of valenciennes lace. Mrs. Johnson wore white organdie with garnitures of black velvet and chenille. Mrs. Eames wore blue foulard. It was with sincere regret that the ladies bade Mrs. Eames farewell, for during her residence here she has made a large circle of friends. She has worked unselfishly to further the interests of the Woman's club, the city improvement and the college settlement work, from all of which she will be missed. Mr. and Mrs. Eames will return in September of 1903 and he will resume his work at the university school of music.

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Mrs. W. A. Bailey gave two delightful Kensingtons on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons. Mr. and Mrs. Bailey entertained Tuesday evening. Music and unique guessing games were a feature of the entertainment. Mrs. Bailey was ably assisted by Mrs. J. C. Ogle, Mrs. M. Caldwell, the Misses Leta, Nellie and Grace Trigg, Pearl Powers, Alice Griffen and Mable Ogle. Those invited for Tuesday were Mesdames E. C. Miller, G. W. Marsh, H. Scofield, W. B. Lynch, C. E. Sanderson, Sanderson, Henry Sanderson, Brown, Powers, H. B. Trigg, Probasco, James Tyler, Jeffries, Whitcomb, Humpe, Dana, D. H. Muir, Wilson, Randall, C. C. White, Shockey, C. G. Cone, Henderson, D. W. C. Huntington, Huntington, McBrian, F. M. Spalding; Misses Watson, Davis and Green. Guests invited for Wednesday were Mesdames Gould, Frost, Martin, Fowler, States, Moseley, Gerome, Bishop, Hester, Bivens, Betzer, Hartsell, Hutchinson, Griffen, Parke, Hunt, Quinian, Pugh, Cruickshank, Larson, Anderson, Peters, Beck, Searles, Saxon, Eldrege, Elche; Misses Macan and Simpson. Guests invited for Tuesday evening were Mes-

seurs and Mesdames Bivens, Borshell, Leonard, Wilcox, Hotaling, Violet, Ayres, Caldwell and Hawley; Misses Honierie, Leta, Nellie and Grace Trigg, Powers, Ogle, McFadden, Coder, Miller, Lila and Nell Whitcomb, Mary and Katherine Searles and Alice Griffen; Messieurs Dean Ringer, Herbert Probasco, Phil Easterday, Herbert Whitcomb, Neil McFadden, James Bailey, and Clements.

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Married, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Weston, in Beatrice, on Wednesday at half after eleven o'clock, Miss Katherine Weston and Mr. Thomas Wing of New York city. Reverend E. Lewis Marsh of this city read the service. To the music of the Mendelssohn march Miss Weston entered the drawing room on the arm of her father, and was met by Mr. Wing and the officiating clergyman. The bride wore an exquisite gown of white chiffon made en train, and a veil. She carried lillies of the valley. A wedding breakfast followed the ceremony. Both bride and groom are grad-

Shilling, Lay, E. B. Finney, A. W. Fleid, E. Hallett, D. M. Butler, J. N. Beachley, Metzger, Malone, Lee Graham, A. L. Pound, H. W. Kelley, A. E. Rogers, C. C. Quiggle, M. J. Waugh, C. E. Latahaw, W. H. Love, H. E. Peckham, L. A. Evans, C. H. Rudge, S. C. Hoover, C. R. Lee, M. H. Everett, Joseph Grainger, C. M. Herrick, W. S. Scott, R. M. LeGore, W. J. Turner, H. J. Winnett, Crandall, S. S. Whiting, Miltonberger, Fred Hallett, Charles Spangler; Misses Beth Marshall, Hallett and Ewing.

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Mrs. A. W. Lane gave a "Passing Party" Wednesday afternoon which was a success from all points of view. The guests had been requested to take with them the article they most wished to be rid of, made into as alluring a parcel as possible. When all had arrived they were seated comfortably on the lawn and each exchanged her parcel for another and kept on until she found something she was willing to take home with her. The "passing" created much merriment, but many of the parcels were left with the hostess as they contained a surprising number of articles which were not alluring. Mrs. Lane's house was adorned with roses. Mrs. F. E. Campbell assisted in serving a delicate three course luncheon. Among those present were Mesdames F. E. Campbell, C. W. Little, Wilkinson, C. L. Bowman, S. D. Hyde, A. L. Candy, Lawrence Bruner, John Hor-

Mrs. J. W. Moore gave a pleasant Kensington Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. George Schwake won a prize in a contest of needlework. The house was prettily decorated with roses, carnations and peonies. A two-course luncheon was served. Guests were: Mesdames W. J. Lamb, A. M. Davis, L. W. Pomerene, F. S. Stein, Walter Dawson, J. B. Trickey, George Haskell, Elmer Stevenson, A. L. Hoover, George Schwake, Grant Watkins, Ira Ayers, F. L. Hotaling, H. A. Babcock, O. W. Webster, John Wiseman, J. B. Harris, C. E. Sanderson, Anderson, A. E. Polk, A. L. Sullivan, N. S. Harwood, Stratton, M. M. Fogg, E. H. Marshall, H. B. Patrick, F. L. Wharton, C. H. Gordon, Eberly, W. S. Johnson, O. A. Axtell, Will Ryon, M. H. Beck, H. B. Clarkson, Andrew Jessen, Snyder, T. F. Lasch, Mary Phillips, S. R. Dalby, H. M. Howell, H. B. Thimpson, H. K. Burket, Vandenburg, Miss Ida Johnson.

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Married, at the executive mansion at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Miss Emille Maclot Savage, daughter of Governor Ezra P. Savage, to Mr. Adrian Royal Harvey, of Omaha. Reverend C. E. Bentley read the service. Miss Clara Hoover was ring maiden and carried the ring on a white satin cushion. As the bridal party entered the parlor Miss Edna Perrin, cousin of the bride, played the wedding music from Lohengrin. The bride's gown was of white tulle and lace, and her bouquet was of bride's roses. Palms, carnations, and roses adorned the spacious parlors. The dining room was in green and white. Asparagus ferns, white carnations and roses being used. Green and white ribbons crossed the circular table and terminated in bows caught with clusters of roses. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey went to Oklahoma to visit Mr. Harvey's relatives. Upon their return they will reside in Omaha.

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Les Bohemiennes picknicked Wednesday evening at Mt. Emerald. The spacious east porch was furnished with rugs, palms, settees and tables, and there the feast was spread. The fact that Mrs. Edward Fitzgerald was well enough to participate added greatly to the pleasure of all. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Leonard are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Irvine at Ithaca and the four sent a group photograph and an epistolary greeting. After supper piano music and singing were enjoyed indoors. Those present were Messieurs and Mesdames Carl Funke, Lewis Marshall, W. G. Morrison, F. W. Brown, J. A. Buckstaff, D. E. Thompson, C. G. Crittenden, W. C. Wilson, John B. Wright, W. B. Hargreaves.

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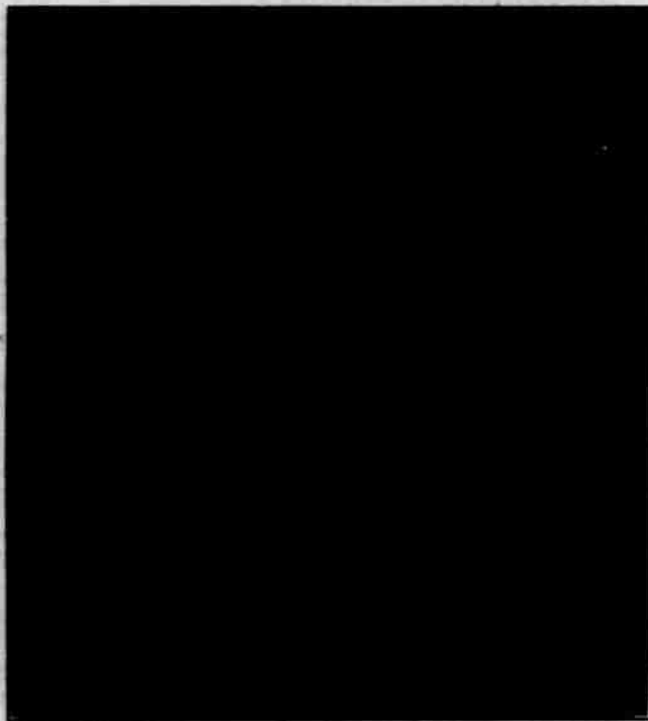
The city improvement society met Thursday morning. The president announced that no names would be received for the lawn contest after July first. Persons expecting to enter should send in their names at once. A meeting will be held this evening at the home of Mrs. Taylor, 435 North Twenty-fifth street, for members of the committee on prizes to confer with the school board committee on the care of buildings, with regard to the work of janitors on the school grounds. The ladies hope to interest people living in the vicinity of schools and secure their co-operation.

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Miss Ida M. Hoffman and Mr. Alexander H. Rait were married Monday at half after one o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. M. F. Perry, 1127 South Twelfth street. Miss Edna Harpham was bridesmaid and Mr. James Rait of Omaha, brother of the groom, was best man. A small company of relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony. The groom is a member of the firm of Eddy & Rait, insurance securities. Mr. and Mrs. Rait are spending their honeymoon in Colorado and will be at home to their friends after August first, at 1122 South Fourteenth street.

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The senior girls of the high school were at home Wednesday evening with Miss Gertrude Tyler in honor of Miss Gere. There was dancing on the lawn, other sports, and refreshments.



MRS. J. E. HURSEY,

of University Place, a member of Sorosis, of Chapter V of P. E. O., and of the Lincoln Woman's club.

uates of the state university. Miss Weston was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, and when here was admired for her intellect as well as her charming personality. Mr. Wing was a popular member of Phi Delta Theta. He has for several years been practicing law in New York, and after a short wedding journey will take his bride to Scarsdale, a suburb of that city, to reside. Mr. George Wing, father of the groom, Miss Alice Wing, his sister, and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel G. Wing came on from the east to attend the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Brace and Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Lewis were Lincoln guests, and Miss Davis of Omaha was present. The wedding was small, only relatives being present.

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Mrs. J. W. Moore gave a six-hand euchre Wednesday afternoon. Roses and carnations adorned the house and light refreshments were served. Guests were: Mesdames E. B. Green, Will Green, S. M. Mellick, A. H. Weir, Walter Davis, A. G. Davis, C. J. Guenzel, W. D. Fitzgerald, M. L. Blackburn, Lee Arnett, George Clarke, David Ewing, J. R. Bennett, Frank Harris, W. L. Dayton, A. E. Kennard, S. G. Hudson, Levi Munson, T. J. Usher, F. E. Lehr, C. F. Harpham, A. A. Scott, S. A. D.

ton, M. W. Folsom, H. T. Folsom, G. E. Hibner, R. T. Van Brunt, J. W. Winger, F. M. Fling, Abbott, Stephens; Misses Abbott, Beck.

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Gamma Theta chapter of Alpha Tau Omega gave its sixth annual banquet Saturday evening at the Lincoln. Doctor T. L. Bolton as toastmaster announced the following program:

"Young A. T. O.'s," Ira L. Riggs; "Our Fraternity," Mr. Claude S. Wilson; "Financiering a Fraternity," Dr. H. F. Helms; "The Ladies," Mr. Everett M. Swain; "Our Dead," silence, all standing; "The Alumni," Mr. Fay Rogers; "Schemes and Schemers," Mr. Chas. W. Potts; "The Goat," Mr. F. A. Sutter; "What We Intend to Do in the Future," Mr. R. V. McGrew; "The Bachelor," Mr. R. B. Morgan; "Pitch Battles," Mr. A. E. Gordon.

Those present were Messieurs O. L. Bolton, Chas. W. Potts, Ira L. Riggs, R. B. Morgan, A. E. Gordon, J. R. S. Maloney, E. M. Swain, Fred A. Sutter, R. V. McGrew, H. F. Helms, Fay Rogers, L. M. Huntington, V. J. Romigh, R. E. Smith, W. W. Graves, Gold Williams, Willard Hawley, C. S. Wilson, Frederick Windmeyer, Jack Kline, Fred Schaufelberger.