The Elks gave a New Year's eve dance at the lodge room.

Mrs. C. K. Pitcher entertained the bridge whist club on Tuesday.

The Saturday night club danced at Waish hall Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Allen entertained "The Jokers," Monday evening.

Mrs. W. M. Leonard entertained Les Bohemiennes yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hays entertained the J. O. C. club Monday evening.

Miss Biossom Wilson entertained the Mnekeliceh club yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Tomson are guests of Doctor and Mrs. A. L. Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawlor entertained the Brittannia high five club last evening.

Mrs. A. L. Hoover is entertaining her aunt, Mrs. H. Knotts of Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Boggs entertained La Veta whist club at dinner Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McLucas of Fairbury are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bucksteff.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Funke gave a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Burr Wednesday evening.

Mrs. M. L. Strother has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Illinois and Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moore will give a dinner Tuesday evening. There will be twenty-four guests.

Mrs. Thomas Marsland entertained informally on Thursday for Mrs. E. B. Bowen of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Young gave a New Year's dinner for Professor and Mrs. George Porter of Peru.

Mrs. J. F. Hutchins entertained twelve ladies at whist Tuesday afternoon, for Mrs. F. M. Blish of Omaha.

Mrs. Clinton R. Lee entertained informally this afternoon for her guest, Mrs. E. B. Bowen of Boston.

Mrs. W. S. Cass of Council Bluffs is the guest of her sisters, Mrs. S. S. Whiting and Mrs. T. Miltonberger.

Miss Ruth Raymond and Miss Louise Burnham will return to Washington and to their studies next week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Foster will entertain the members of the L. A. kensington and their husbands this evening.

Mrs. D. A. Risser gave a pretty luncheon on Monday. Christmas decorations were used. Covers were laid for ten.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Hargeaves gave a seven o'clock dinner on New Tear's day. Covers were laid for twelve..

The employes of the Farmers & Merchants bank gave a dance last night at their hall. Twenty couples were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Marshall are entertaining Mr. Marshall's sister, Mrs. Rollin Miles, and Mr. Miles of Connecti-

Professor and Mrs. Lawrence Bruner gave a dinner in honor of Professor Jackman of Chicago, Wednesday even-

The young ladies of the Thursday night club enjoyed a Christmas tree and jolly evening Saturday with Miss Korsmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bowen, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton R. Lee, will leave for their home in Boston

Mr. H. T. Dobbins, editor-in-chief, will give his annual dinner to the memb of the editorial staff of the Evening News this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Burnham gave a dinner to the Burr family Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Burr of New York.

The senior girls of the high school were entertained by Misses Grace Ernst and Jessie Mosher at the home of the former on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Burr, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Burr for a month, will leave on Monday for their home in New York.

Mrs. Armstrong of Beatrice, a sister of Professor Bessey, and Mrs. W. S. Summers of Omaha, were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Bessey.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Haggard of St. Paul, Minnesota, are guests of their parents, Doctor and Mrs. J. R. Haggard and Judge and Mrs. J. H. Broady.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kelley entertained informally last evening in honor of the visiting ladies. Six-hand euchre was played at four tables.

Mr. Wesley Ewing arrived on Wednesday to join Mrs. Ewing, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Martha Enslow, and other relatives for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Ewing went to their home in Villisca, Iowa, yesterday.



SYBIL RUBY ECKLE. Little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eckle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Harpham gave a card party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Blish on New Year's eve. There were six tables at six-handed euchre, but no prizes. Old friends of the guests of honor were invited.

The Patriarchs gave a dance Monday night at Walsh hall. Each couple in the club was privileged to invite another couple, thus doubling the number of dancers. The party was a pretty and successful one as are all the parties given by this club.

Miss Ruth Jakway gave a house party Thursday night when the following young ladies were her guests: Misses Helen Laws, Marie Talbot, Edna Baker, Mary Minor, Hazel Vandenburg, Fanchon Hooper, Louise Hoover, Dorrance Harwood, Grace White and Helen Ber-

The old custom of ladies keeping open house on New Year's day, when all of their gentlemen acquaintances were expected to call, has fallen into disuse. This year, in some of the cities, ladies have given New Year's receptions, sending out invitations only to the men of their acquaintance, and differing from the older fashion only by sending the formal invitations.

A pleasant little progressive whist party was given Tuesday evening by the Misses Craig at their home, Twentyfifth and T streets, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Baxter and Mr. Norman Baxter of Halifax, Nova Scotia, who are spending the winter with their sister, Mrs. A. Ross Hill. Three tables accommodated the players. Dainty refreshments were served.

CLUB NOTES

THE WEEK'S REVIEW

Mrs. W. A. Green entertained the Athenea club yesterday. Mrs. E. B. Green talked of Vienna.

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The city improvement society will hold its annual meeting next Thursday, when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

The Century club will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday, and on the twentieth will give an open meeting at the home of Mrs. S. H. Atwood.

* * * The Saturday Night club of Butte, Montana, was organized for the promotion of oral speaking, and papers are not admitted in the meetings. Both men and women are admitted to membership.

Mr. M. D. Welch entertained the Round Table at dinner Monday evening. After the repast Reverend F. L. Wharton led in a discussion of the Monroe doctrine.

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Members of a Canadian woman's club, organized for literary and sociological study, with a college woman as president, are said to have become so interested in the servant problem that they have resolved to raise the standard of domestic service by going out to service themselves. The authority also states that these clubwomen have found their own town too conservative to carry out their plan in, and the president and five members have decided to go to New York and take places.

The arts and crafts committee of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's clubs are preparing an exhibition for next April which shall cover the handiwork of women all over the country. This is in charge of Mrs. Ada M. Tillinghast of New Bedford and Mrs. Alice E. Whitaker of Winthrop. Home industries in the mountain regions of the south, in Tennessee, North Carolina, northern Georgia and Alabama, and Kentucky, are to be sought for, and Berea college will be called on to show the industries of its vicinity. Work in wood, leather, metals, stained glass, etc., will be shown. The federation has the serious purpose in this display to stimulate honest and substantial work, and to inspire higher ideas of art. For example, they will discourage kitchen ranges ornamented with Raphael's cherubs in castiron. The aim for simplicity and beauty, fitness and honesty in construction, will be held in view, and should make the exhibition of importance. The rug industry started in Maine and New Hampshire, the various Deerfield industries, work of the same sort in Greenfield and elsewhere, will be illustrated. The coming exhibition will be held with the Dorchester Woman's club.

The annual reception of the Woman's club was given Thursday afternoon from three until five o'clock in the library

building. The receiving line stood in the auditorium. Mrs. J. W. Johnson presented the guests to Mrs. F. M. Hall, Mrs. F. M. Gibsen, Miss Jeanette Green, Mrs. George Schwake and Mrs. H. M. Bushnell, the officers of the club, who were in line, and Mrs. Lobingier of Omaha, a prominent club woman, was with them. By the lavish use of oriental rugs, screens, draperies and pillows the large room was given a homelike look. At a table adorned with red roses and candles, ices were served by Mrs. C. E. Yates, assisted by members of the reception committee. A mandolin club played during the receiving hours. The parlors were converted into oriental apartments decorated with many umbrellas and lanterns. Tea was poured from a samovar by Mrs. W. C. Phillips and was passed by little maids in Japanese costumes. They were Misses Marie Talbot, Margery Atwood, Ruth Lahr, Helen Phillips and Edna Baker. The members of the club were out en masse to exchange New Year's greetings and a few of the husbands shed the radiance of their faces upon the scene.

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The Ethical Culture club of Butte, Montana is made up entirely of women, who are breadwinners, any woman in the business or professional world of Butte being eligible to membership.

The club has three departments, one devoted to mental training, one to physical training, one to morals and manners.

Each member is working earnestly to obtain a wider knowledge of all things pertaining to right living and an understanding of the finer things existing, the conditions and environment in which each Hyes

The club was organized by a few working women for the purpose of making a center for those who desired to climb toward a higher standard of living by a better understanding of the morals and manners of the world.

There are many delightful conditions existing in the club and each member is made to feel that she is a necessary part of the work therein. The feeling of sympathy, of harmony, of mutual helpfulness that everywhere prevails in the club makes it a little haven, and its influence on the character seems full of power, of hope and moral strength. During the time since the club was organized many of the members have married, and without exception each one has expressed herself as entering upon her new duties with a better understanding of the small and great things of life than could have been hers had she not been a member of the club.

The Social Economics club of Chicago will devote the next two years to the study of the marriage customs of all nations, and of all times. Doctor Frances Dickinson, the president of the club, advocates a contract plan regarding marriages, which she thinks will adjust all disturbances, She says:

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"When people marry they should have two contracts-one to satisfy the de-

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