Comings, Goings of People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fraser will return from New York Tuesday.

F. E. Alexander and sisters are in the Buckingham hotel, St. Augustine, Fla.

Miss Minna Stedinger who is abroad, will spend Christmas at Sundwall, Sweden.

Miss Ethel Gladstone, daughter of the Victor Gladstones, will arrive December 20, from Vassar.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Beaver of Scribner will spend Christmas here with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Beaver.

James W. Morton arrives December 20 from Northwestern to visit his parents, the James H. Mortons.

Miss Byrd Craig, who has been visiting in Wilkes Barre, Pa. since the first of September, is expected home Sunday.

Miss Ruth Buffington will arrive home on Saturday from LaSalle seminary to be with her parents the J. C. Buffingtons.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Penquite (Ruth Long) of Colfax, Ia., will visit Mrs. Penquite's parents, the M. J. Longs, during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Napier and Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Napier will spend Christmas at Kearney with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Marsden.

Fred Weppner of Pittsburgh, Pa., will arrive in Omaha, December 24, to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Weppner.

Mrs. T. F. Ham (Miss Etola Kate Kennedy), has arrived with her three children from Santa Ana, Cal., to spend the holidays with relatives.

Mrs. William A. De Bord has departed for San Antonio to join her brother, George Kraft and Mrs. Kraft of Chicago for a trip into old Mexico.

Mrs. Henry Curtis Swearingen of Chicago arrived, December 20, to visit her mother Mrs. W. E. Smalls, at the Colonial, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smalls.

Messrs. and Mesdames Henry Bohling and Robert Garrett returned this morning from Detroit where they went to attend the opening of the new Ford hotel.

Mrs. Hoxie Clarke, who arrives with her two children from New York, December 23, will remain in Omaha for two weeks. She will be at Hotel Fontenelle.

Cedric C. Hornby will spend Christmas week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hornby. He has a holiday leave of absence from the Naval academy at Annapolis, Md.

Clyde W. Drew, jr., who attends Shattuck Military academy, Faribault, Minn., will return December 20 to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde D. Drew.

Guests of Mrs. Suzanne C. Carson, her granddaughter and great-granddaughter, Mrs. Elsie Marie Irwin, and Mrs. Beatrice Irwin, left last week for their home in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Mrs. Frank Hamilton and children arrive December 23 from Washington, having spent the past two years in Paris. They will probably be at Hotel Fontenelle during their stay.

Barbara and Page Christie will arrive December 19 from the University of Nebraska to spend Christmas with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Christie.

Mrs. Harold H. Elarth, wife of Captain Elarth of Manila, is expected in Omaha for Christmas to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. William J. McCrann. She was due to land in San Francisco Saturday.

Mrs. Edwin Dale White leaves for Chicago December 23, and will remain until December 26 when she will go to Beatrice for a party being given there in her honor. Later she will visit in Lincoln and Norfolk.

Truman Morsman who attends Hill school at Pottstown, Pa., arrives home today to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Morsman, jr. Edgar Morsman, Princeton student, will arrive a week from today.

Miss Vivienne Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Johnson, who is attending Monticello seminary, will arrive home December 19 to spend the holidays with her parents. She will have as her home guest, Miss Edith Mae Johnson of Fremont, Neb.

Mrs. N. O. Nickum, state chairman of the Nebraska legisative committee of the Nebraska Women's club and Mrs. Blanche McKelvey, chairman of the legislative department of the Omaha Woman's club, will go Tuesday to Lincoln to attend the conference defending the child labor law.

Mrs. Winslow N. Van Brunt of Pittsburgh (Irene Simpson) will arrive Wednesday to visit her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John E. Simpson. Mr. Van Brunt will follow her on Sunday. They will spend Christmas day in Lincoln with Mrs. Simpson's sister, Mrs. A. A. Dobson. Mr. and Mrs. Van Brunt were wed October 1.

Miss Marjorie Boyd Smith, who has been teaching at Arcadia (Neb.) High school this year, arrives next Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Boyd Smith. Orlando Smith, junior at Dartmouth, will arrive on the same day. Mrs. O. McConnaughey, mother of Mrs. Smith, is here for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Vesy are planning a new home, to be built at Fifty-seventh and Webster streets. They hope to occupy it by June.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Morris of Aztec, N. M., plan to sail about January 10 from New Orleans, La., for Yucatan, Central America, to continue archaelogical research in which Mr. Morris engaged last winter in that country. Mrs. Morris was formerly Miss Ann Axtell of Omaha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Axtell.

Card Parties.

L. O. E. card party Tuesday, 2 p. m. at the Elks club, Mrs. John Martin, hostess.

Banner-Mondamin will give a card party and dance at the Swedish auditorium Tuesday, December, 16.

Ladies' Concordia society will give a prize dance Sunday evening, December 14, at the German Home. Miss Elizabeth Laux, chairman, is assisted by Anna Dohse, Lillian Laux, Mrs. H. Gust, Anna Lamp, Rose Jacobsy and Marie Mundt.

Mrs. W. A. McKay, wife of Lieutenant McKay, and Mrs. R. E. Ennis, wife of Lieutenant Ennis, will be hostesses at a tea dance to be held at Fort Omaha from 5:15 to 7:15 Friday afternoon.

Community Christmas Tree at Walnut Hill School.

Walnut Hill Parent-Teacher association will have a community Christmas tree and open house Thursday, December 18, from 7 to 9 p. m.

The entertainment is under auspices of Mrs. J. A. Henske, who has planned that the tree and presents contributed will go to a local children's home.

Miss Mary Cleland, program chairman, announces the program as follows:

A cantata, "The Village Blacksmith."

Reading, Miss Lois Lemley.

Dance number, Miss Dorothy Hope Twiss.

Dialogue, seventh grade.

The school orchestra will play for the entertainment and there will be Christmas carols and community singing.

An exhibition of the pupils' work will be given, followed by a social hour.

Christmas Seal Booth Sale Begins Monday.

The Nebraska Tuberculosis association announces that the Christmas Seals will go on sale in the theaters and hotels beginning Monday. Mrs. C. Raymond Nugent is chairman of this booth sale and has appointed as captains:

Miss Mildred Stuben, Mrs. Pansy Bean, Mrs. Herman Swoboda, Miss Margaret Windheim, Mrs. Raymond Soat.

She will be further assisted by:

Miss Mildred Klopp, Miss Frances Wahl, Miss Hazel Gant, Miss Marthena Peacock, Miss Ruth Leeder, Miss Dorothy Dahlman, Miss Adelaide Fogg, Mrs. Walter Johnson, Mrs. J. F. Sullivan, Mrs. Grant Williams, Mrs. Robert Dinning, Mrs. O. Y. Krienz, Mrs. Merritt Warren, Miss Mildred Andrews, Mrs. Frank Foley, Mrs. W. H. Sleeper, Mrs. W. W. Walt, Mrs. A. B. Biglow, Mrs. J. B. Keikenny, Mrs. E. L. Roberts, Mrs. B. C. Brodrick, Dr. Florence Mount.

Art Guild Meeting.

The Mackay Memorial house at 506 South Twenty-sixth street will be headquarters for the Omaha Art guild. The next meeting, Tuesday, December 16, will be held there. A regular business meeting will be followed by a talk on painting by J. Laurie Wallace, and a short musical program given by Mrs. Henry C. Rosacker at the piano, and Mrs. D. J. Adams, soprano.

Jay Barrett, son of Mrs. Tillie Barrett of Fremont and Miss Helen Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Johnson were united in marriage at Council Bluffs Monday afternoon and after a brief honeymoon trip returned to Fremont. Miss Johnson was formerly connected with her father's business establishment, coming here from Sioux City about a year ago. Mr. Barrett attended the University of Nebraska where he took a two-year pharmacy course. He was a member of the Delta Upsilon and Kappa Psi fraternities and is now connected with a local drug store. They will be at home in the Nearcourt apartments after December 20.

Birth Announcements.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Morse announce the birth of a son Saturday at Methodist hospital.

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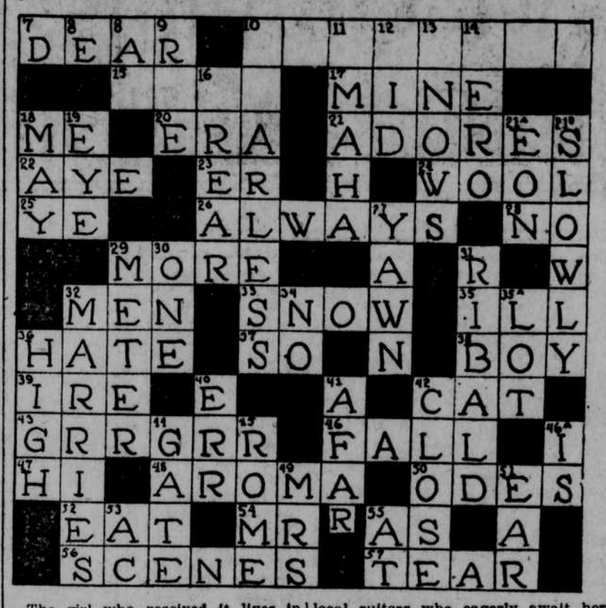
An Omaha man has devised this latest brain-twisting romantic medium. First he made his puzzle, with definitions, leaving the girl to fill in the spaces. Then he mailed her a love letter using this puzzle as a key.



The girl who received it lives in Kansas City and will be the holiday guest of a prominent matron, who, with her husband and an Omaha bachelor, are her guests this week-end. Her name appears in the blank spaces and her last name is a word of four letters meaning "Dr. Jekyll's other half."

The writer may be one of three local suitors who eagerly await her arrival. These suitors, each distinct tonsorial types, run the gamut from blonde to brunette, but Gabby hears the puzzle fan is a John Alden lover altruistically boosting a friend in the race.

The letter follows, using H for horizontal and V for vertical:

Sweetheart 17H! 8V, come to 18H. For an 20H. The 38H, who not only loves 25H, but simply 21H you, 22H, idolizes you, has been waiting to make the famous speech to you, which a bashful 38H always begins with "23H, 23H."

On the day I try to pull the 24H over your father's 19V, I will take a drink of 9V, which will make me 10V. If father says 34V, I shall be the most miserable of 32H and 35H, at heart, shall retire to the land of roses, white at 33H, full of rage, 36H and 29H.

I will be so wretched that my dog will 43H, and my 42H meow, if my glance but 46H upon them. I will "Hallo" or "47H" at noon. Perchance I shall go to 45V, the Eternal City where 14V once reigned. There amidst the sweet 48H of flowers, and among the picturesque 56H, of Italy, I shall write 50H in rhythmic 29V to you. In such a romantic place I shall 52H my heart out, thinking how 16V life will be without you when I go back to 11V. I brush away a 57H at thought of it.

But 2H, father won't say 24V when 21bV but firmly I tell of my 36V ideals for you. He will have nothing but 31V laughter for the other suitors and 27V at them, he'll be so bored.

2H, I love you a 35aV, so get 13V of Jim; give him the 44V; let 18H hold you 42V, and whisper in your 51V that you are the only 30V for me. Then the hero 32V, the heroine and they live happily for an 21aV, and earth is paradise 18V (with an "s" tagged on).

2H, although 41V from you now, I love you forever and a day; in other words, 26H.

2H. If there are any mistakes in this, remember that to 40V is human, to forgive divine.

I long for the day when we will be 54H and 49V.

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Legislative Bills of Interest.

At the political and social science department of the Omaha Woman's club, Monday, December 22, Mrs. O. A. Nickum, program chairman, Judge Howard Kennedy will speak on the proposed state legislative bill on civil service. Frank Judson will talk on the appropriation the state university seeks from the coming legislature. Mrs. E. W. Johnson of Omaha, state chairman of social and industrial conditions will talk on the Nebraska Indian problem with special reference to a legislative bill relating to narcotics.

Job's Daughters Initiate.

Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 1, will meet at Masonic temple, Monday evening, December 15 at 8 p. m., for initiation.

The grand guardian of the state of South Dakota will be a guest for the evening.

Parents of members, members of Eastern Star chapters, and all Masons are invited.

Mrs. John Douglas is the Bethel guardian.

Skansen Swedish Troupe.

At the Swedish auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock the "Skansen troupe from Sweden" will give a variety of songs, stories, accordion and violin music and a comedy, "Not Berekning." The troupe is brought here by Helge lodge, No. 43, Independent Order of Vikings.

The players are Lapp Nils, Norrlands Pelle, Elvy Johnson, Marie Dejenberg Anderson, Bernard Johnson and Pete Johnson.

Christmas Bazars

U. S. Grant Woman's Relief corps will hold an all-day bazar and noon lunch at the courthouse, Monday, December 15.

A bazar will be held at the Miller Park Presbyterian church Thursday, December 18, at 3 o'clock. Chicken dinner will be served from 5:30 until 7:30.

Ladies Aid society of Central United Presbyterian church, Twenty-fourth and Dodge streets, will have a chicken dinner and apron sale in the church parlors Tuesday evening, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Ak-Sar-Ben Kensington club, Eastern Star, will have a bazar at the Flatiron building December 17 and 18, with home prepared food and fancy articles for sale. Mrs. C. A. Tennant is president.

Preparations are complete for an elaborate bazar to be held the nights of December 14, 15 and 16 in Holy Angels Parish hall, Twenty-eighth and Fowler avenue. For the last two months the ladies of the parish have been meeting each week doing fancy needle work for the bazar.

School children, under the direction of Sister Romona, assisted by the sisters, have made numerous attractive articles.

The Alumni association will have charge of the popularity contest. Several girls have been chosen and each has selected two colleagues to help in obtaining votes.

Prizes amounting to nearly a thousand dollars will be given away to lucky persons during the nights of the bazar. Dancing will be part of the entertainment.

The entire affair has been planned by the Rev. Father P. A. Flanagan, assisted by Father James O'Brien and the men and women of the parish.

Mr. Maupin Will Speak to Business Women

"Sunnyside Up," is the title of the address to be given by Mr. Will M. Maupin at the meeting of the Omaha Business Woman's club on Tuesday evening, December 16, in the auditorium of the Y. W. C. A. building, following the dinner hour. Reservations and cancellations for this dinner must be made at the Y. W. office not later than 8:30 Monday evening.

Music for the evening will be given by Dr. Ralph D. Conkling, baritone, accompanied by Flora Sears Nelson.

Miss Mozelle Thomas will read.

During the social hour preceding the dinner, some of the members will participate in the rehearsal of Christmas Carols while others will complete 300 bags in which will be given the club's Christmas gifts to the needy.

Miss Kate Kemper will be leader for the evening. Mrs. Doris Gray is director of programs for the current year.

Carter Lake Club Bridge.

Carter Lake club ladies will entertain at a bridge luncheon at Wellington Inn, December 17.

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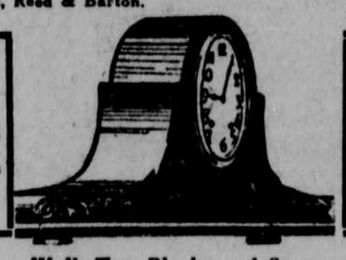

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South Omaha Club Christmas Party

Home economic and house and home departments of the South Omaha Woman's club will give their annual Christmas party Tuesday, December 16, at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Byron Clow, 2501 E street. The party will be in charge of Mrs. Frank McGavren, chairman of home economics, and Mrs. Reh Slate, chairman of house and home, and their committees. A group of songs by the South Omaha Woman's club chorus, directed by Mrs. A. E. Simonds, will be given, and a reading by Lewis Leigh. Miss Dorothy Lush will sing a Christmas song and Miss Erma Clow will give a harp solo.

Social Settlement.

Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 22, 23, are Christmas party days at the Social settlement. The Christmas tree will be lighted Monday afternoon for the younger children.

A Christmas program will be given on Christmas day at 5 o'clock at Parish hall, St. Francis school, Thirty-third and K streets. The Omaha College club will direct a Bethlehem tableau. Father Gluba and the Sisters of St. Francis will procide carols between the tableau and a Christmas play, "Why the Chimes Rang." Miss Barbara Tagatz of the settlement is directing the play.

Introducing South Omaha to itself, the Social settlement has issued an attractive 45-page booklet called "South Omaha Almanac." It contains complete information on organizations of interest and available to residents of the South Side. A history of South Omaha, educational facilities, the larger industries, the Y. M. C. A., Red Cross, recreational parks, libraries, clubs and welfare organizations.

The purpose of the publication is to acquaint resident of that locality with the privileges open to the public.

Miller Park Mothers Meeting.

Miller Park Mothers' circle will hold its monthly meeting Wednesday, December 17 at 3 o'clock at Miller Park school.

Mrs. Howard Saxton, president of Yates school Parent-Teache association will speak. Her talk will be followed by the annual Christmas party.

Past Events

Mrs. Jack Webster entertained her bridge club on Friday.

Mrs. Frank Robinson entertained her kensington club at luncheon Saturday.

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