

SOCIETY KEEN FOR BIG BALL

Leaders Actively at Work on the Various Committees.

MANY FAMILIES IN REUNION

Young Folks Are Returning from Eastern Schools to Spend the Holidays in This City with Their Parents.

(Continued from Page Two.)

Mr. Bol Goldstrom will entertain Sunday evening and the best man, Mr. Warner Lewin will entertain Monday evening.

Subscription Dance.

Those who attended the subscription dance at the Rome hotel Saturday evening were:

- Dr. and Mrs. Edward Bruening, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Krig, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mikosell, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Huff, Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Pagan, Mr. and Mrs. Altek Fricke, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Storz, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Storz, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Metz, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Penner, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Krug, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rahm, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Arsen, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. O'Brien, Mrs. Cannon of Salt Lake City, Louise Storz-Ledy, Misses—Fiona Armstrong, Goodrich, Alva Storz, Opheila Hayden, Nell Neeb, Messrs—George Starr, Clinton Stuart, J. C. Waugh, Doctors—H. M. Fitzhugh, Urich, W. N. Anderson, A. Sachs.

Etacaba Society.

Mr. Robert Patten entertained for the Etacaba society Friday. The evening was spent with games and music. Prizes were won by Mr. Warren Morris and Miss Katherine Hayes. Those present were:

- Misses—Louise Craighead, Gertrude Lee, Katherine McMillen, Irene Robinson, Katherine Hayes, Messrs—James Longwell, Warren Morris, Oliver Nickum, Misses—Edith Murry, Catherine McCrann, Alice Boyd, Messrs—Joseph Rhyan, Frank Cumings, John Schall, T. Oberreuter, Dudley Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Swift.

Milton Club.

Miss Irma Swift entertained the members of the Milton club at her home Wednesday evening. The club colors, white and yellow, were carried out in the decorations. Her guests were:

- Misses—Mildred McCrann, Mary Easterman, Alice Boyd, Messrs—Joseph Rhyan, John Schall, Dudley Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Swift.

Wedding Guests Arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Fridstein, Mr. Abe Fridstein and Mrs. Dave Degan and daughter, Henrietta, all of Chicago, have arrived for the wedding of Miss Evelyn

On Musical Program for Woman's Club



Miss Adah Klapp

Miss Helen Mackin

Bergman to Mr. Mayer Fridstein, which takes place Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

For Bride-to-Be.

Miss Ruth Morris entertained Saturday in honor of Miss Maude McArdie, one of the future brides. The evening was spent in playing children's games. One feature was a spiderweb, each guest being given a thread of the web and told to follow it till they found the end at which favors were placed. Those present were:

- Misses—Dorothy Sunfield, Ida Schipper, Eess Malek, Ludmilla Grieb, Nell Rourke, Olive Griffith, Johanna Gutschmann, Misses—Beth Hunsaker, Jean Matters, Katherine Muegen, Maude McArdie, Ruth Morris, Helen Morris, Messrs—Harley Conant, Carl Buck, Frank Haskell, Doctors—H. M. Fitzhugh, Urich, W. N. Anderson, A. Sachs.

Howard-Dorrance Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Dorrance announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Tina, to Mr. William Howard, jr. of Ralston, Neb. The wedding will take place on December 18.

Adler-Cherniss Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cherniss of Council Bluffs announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Goldie Virginia, to Mr. Nathan Adler, Mr. and Mrs. Cherniss will be at home Sunday evening, December 21.

For the Future.

Miss Erma Armstrong of Nebraska City arrived Saturday, to be the guest of Mrs. J. F. Anson. Several affairs have been planned in honor of Miss Armstrong, among them an Orpheum party given by Mrs. Anson Sunday afternoon. Dr. H. M. Fitzhugh will entertain at a dinner for her at the Royal Sunday evening and Monday evening Mrs. Le Roy Pagan will give a tango dinner for Miss Armstrong.

Et-A-Virp Club.

The Et-A-Virp club will give its Christmas party at Chambers' Thursday, December 18. A Christmas tree with appropriate Christmas favors will be used.

O. H. S. 1910 Class.

The Omaha High school class of 1910 will hold its reunion at the home of Miss Marlon Carpenter, December 21. All class members are invited. New class officers will be elected and a good time is planned.

Entertainments.

Miss Richardson gave a small and informal bridge Thursday afternoon for her guest, Miss Caroline Johnson of St. Joseph.

Announces Engagement.

Mr. Robert L. Batley announces the engagement of his daughter, Miss Ethel Batley, to Mr. William V. Krepps. The wedding will take place Christmas eve.

In and Out of the Bee Hive.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Horrigan leave Monday for their winter home in Tampa, Fla. Mrs. David Degan and daughter, Henrietta, of Chicago, have arrived to visit Mrs. Degan's father, Mr. Albert Heller. Mrs. Charles Marsh and small daughter, Gertrude, have returned from a visit of two months in Dayton, O., and Chicago. Mr. O. C. Ellis and niece, Miss Josephine Wilk, who spent last week in Chicago visiting Mr. M. P. Carey, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walte Squier are in Washington and will also visit New York before coming home.

Mr. Warner H. Lewin of Buffalo, N. Y., who will be best man at the wedding of Miss Dorothy Meyer and Mr. Harry S. Cohn arrived Saturday.

Mrs. Olive Watson of Lincoln spent the week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gould Diets and has been the honor guest at numerous social affairs during her stay.

Miss Rose Orkin, daughter of Mrs. Max Orkin, who is attending the Martha Washington seminary in Washington, D. C., will return home to spend the holidays with her mother.

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CHARITY BALL IS ASSURED

Rousing Meeting Held by Newly Appointed Committees.

TICKETS FOR SPECTATORS

Big Event on New Year's Night is to Raise Money to Help Carry On the Work of the City Mission.

There was a whirlwind of a meeting of the various committees and promoters of the Charity Ball Saturday noon at the Commercial club for luncheon. Sixty attended and the meeting was called to order by George Kelley, and Joseph Barker was made chairman. Gould Diets told of the needs of the City mission, for which the Charity ball will be given. Mrs. Clement Chase announced the committees as far as the lists had been completed.

Harry Tukey, chairman of the ticket committee, distributed 50 tickets and plans will be made shortly to canvass the city. The tickets are \$5 for two seats for the main floor and the box seats are \$5 a person. There are six or eight seats in each box and nine of the twenty-five boxes are sold.

Enthusiasm over the ball is widespread and the sale of tickets has already reached proportions which indicate that society will be out in full force for the New Year's event.

The committees, as far as completed, include:

- GENERAL ARRANGEMENT COMMITTEE: Mrs. Clement Chase, Mr. Gould Diets, Mrs. H. H. Burges, G. H. Seely, Mrs. Charles T. Mr. G. W. Watliss, Kountze, Mr. Joseph Barker, Mr. W. H. Buehler, Ward Bures.

TICKET COMMITTEE: Mr. Harry Tukey, chairman, Roy Wilcox of Council Bluffs, George Van Brunt of Council Bluffs, Harry Koch, Mrs. Ben Cotton, Charles Metz, Jr., Mrs. George Doane, Cub Potter, Mrs. Jay Foster, O. C. Redick, Mrs. Louis Nash, E. H. Ward, Miss Edith Thomas, Mrs. E. S. Westbrook.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE: Charles C. George, D. A. Baum, Charles M. Wilhelm, H. H. Baidrige.

DANCING COMMITTEE: (Order of Dancing and Music.) Mr. T. Stewart, 2d, chairman, Mr. T. F. Kennedy, Mrs. J. T. Mrs. W. T. Burns, Stewart 2d.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE: Mrs. Lawrence Childs, chairman, Mrs. D. A. Baum, Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE: Mr. Clement Chase, chairman, Miss Belle Dewey, Mr. Harry Doory, Mrs. Victor Rosewater, Mrs. Warren Rogers.

REFRESHMENT COMMITTEE: Mrs. W. A. C. Mrs. Charles Metz, Johnson, Mrs. Warren Rogers.

DECORATION COMMITTEE: Mrs. F. B. Cowell, Mr. D. J. O'Brien, Miss Lynn Curtis, Mr. Louis Nash, Mrs. J. A. McShane, Mrs. O. C. Redick, Mrs. Robert Manley, Mrs. J. E. Summers, Mrs. J. W. Towle.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE: Mr. Ben Warren, chairman, Mr. R. K. Brown, Mrs. E. H. Scrague, Mr. Willard Howell, Mrs. Charles T. Mrs. Jerome Magee, Stewart.

CLOAK ROOM COMMITTEE: Mrs. Charles Offot, chairman, Mrs. M. T. Barlow, Mrs. F. W. Judson.

BOX COMMITTEE: Mr. Lawrence Brinker, chairman, Mr. Ward Bures, Mrs. T. L. Davis, Mr. Sam Burns, Jr., Mrs. G. C. Wharton, Mr. Luther Kountze, Mrs. Joseph Barker.

FLOOR COMMITTEE: Robert Burns, Carroll Lord, John Caldwell, Ray Lowe, Elmer Cope, Charles Metz, Jr., Moshier Colquhoun, Reid Peters, LeRoy Crumner, Elmer Redick, T. L. Davis, George Redick, Lake Duvel, Charles Saunders, F. M. Kitchfield, W. Farnam Smith, George Plack, Rosa B. Towle, Ben Gallagher, Ben Warren, Ware Hall, Jack Webster, Harry Kelly, Gerald Wharton, Clifford Wolf.

HER ENGAGEMENT HAS JUST BEEN ANNOUNCED.



MISS TINA DORRANCE.

SALE OF RED CROSS SEALS REACHES A LARGE TOTAL

Over 25,000 Red Cross Christmas seals have been bought in blocks of 500 or more by Omaha firms and individuals during the last three days. Some of the companies which purchased seals will use them on their product, while the rest will seal their mail matter with the little red stickers. In addition to the sale of seals in large blocks, thousands of them have been sold in smaller quantities by retail merchants and other workers who are helping in the anti-tuberculosis campaign.

MRS. MARY A. BEATON'S CONDITION IS UNCHANGED

Mrs. Mary A. Beaton, who suffered a stroke of paralysis Wednesday morning, is reported as being in about the same condition. Owing to her advanced age not much hope is being held out for her recovery from the shock.

Four Generations Celebrate Birthday



LOWER ROW—"UNCLE" JOE REDMAN AND JOE REDMAN. TOP ROW—GEORGE REDMAN AND GEORGE L. REDMAN.

Uncle Joe Redman is 84 years old today and it is also the first birthday of his great grandson, Joe Redman. Uncle Joe was born in Pennsylvania eighty-four years ago today and came to Omaha in 1856, where he has resided ever since. His son, George Redman, also shown in the picture was born in 1884, in Pennsylvania, and his grandson, George

"Must Vacate" Upon OUR Part Means "Must Buy" Upon YOURS!

YOUR Christmas opportunity shaped itself the moment the U. S. National Bank decided to tear down this structure; when they notified us that we MUST vacate February 1. We realized that a complete close out of our stock was imperative; it had to be closed BEFORE the holidays, for there is little or no jewelry buying done during January. Haven't WE a bona fide REASON for a hurried, FORCED clearance?

SELDOM, Indeed, Such Jewelry DISCOUNTS!

Everything (excepting only a VERY FEW contract lines) is reduced in price. The Reductions range from 10% to 50%.



Please Note—Brown's Christmas Stock is extraordinarily complete, having been purchased BEFORE the "must vacate" notice was served.

20% Off All Solid Gold Jewelry, 25% Off All Gold Filled Jewelry, 10% Off All of Brown's Loose Diamonds, 15% Off All of Brown's Mounted Diamonds. Your ENTIRE Christmas Gift List May Be Chosen at a Decided UNDERPRICE!

- Take 20% OFF ANY WATCH in this establishment, excepting only the "Hamilton" and "Howard" watches. Take 25% OFF ALL Clocks, Leather Goods, Cut Glass, Umbrellas, Silver Plated Hollow Ware and similar lines. Take \$50 Lavallieres at \$42.50. Take \$15 Full Dress Sets at \$11.25. Take \$10 Silk Umbrellas at \$7.50. Take \$12 Traveling Sets at \$9.00. Take 225 Cameo Brooches at \$20.00. Take 25 Photograph Frames at \$4.00. Take 15 Shopping Bags at \$1.00. Take 150 Gold Lockets at \$2.00. Take 125 Vanity Cases at \$12.00. Take 125 Coat Chains at \$2.00. Take 150 Wrist Watches at \$2.00. Take 125 Chafing Dishes at \$2.00. Take 25 Toilet Bottles at \$2.75. Take 125 Coral Rings at \$12.00.

C. B. Brown Co. JEWELERS - SILVERSMITHS - DIAMOND MERCHANTS. Now in the U. S. National Bank Bldg. at 16th and Farnam Sts., which is to be entirely demolished, commencing February 1st

WALK-OVER Shoes and Slippers for CHRISTMAS. You will never know how much real Christmas spirit a pair of feet can enjoy until you have them fitted to a pair of Walk-Over shoes or slippers. They're your best friends. Treat them the Walk-Over way. FOR MEN FOR WOMEN Walk-Over Boot Shop 317 South 16th Street

Ideal Xmas Gifts At Your Own Price. Great Auction Sale Japanese Goods and Fine Arts. The most remarkable collection ever shown in this city. The entire collection is to be sold to the highest bidder regardless of cost or value. Handsome Souvenirs will be Given to All Visitors Sale Daily 10:30 a. m., 3 and 8 p. m. JAPAN ART CO., 1620 Harney Street. OMAHA, NEB.

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HOSPE'S JUST BEFORE XMAS SPECIALS. Cordova Leather Bags, Bill Books, Etc., ranging from \$1.00. Brass Jardiniere, ash receivers—other useful pieces...\$7.50. Candle-Sticks in mahogany, bronze, brass and enamel, up from each \$1.50. Electric Lamps in natural wood, gilt and bronze, up from \$4.50. Flowers Artificial, up from \$35c. Trays in mahogany, gilt and walnut, up from \$1.00. Picture-Frames, largest selection in the west, up from \$25c. Desk Sets Bronze, brass and leather, up from \$4.00. Cards Den and wall mottoes, range from 1c to 35c. Statuary You will be proud to place in your home or use as a gift, up from \$50c. Mirrors Shaving Sets, sterling and cut glass pieces, up from 50c. If it's artistic or Musical, Hospe Has It. A. HOSPE CO. 1513 Douglas St. "Framer's Craft Shop"

The Gift of Gifts. A portrait of yourself, being a characteristic, almost speaking likeness of yourself, it will be the most appreciated of all gifts. Realize the better qualities of a portrait by Lumiere. Prices \$4 to \$35 per dozen. Lumiere Studio New Location 1517 Farnam St. All sittings by Dec. 18 will be finished for Xmas. ART Hospe's Cards and Xmas Mottoes. No to 25c. "Let's be a Neighbor" 1513 Douglas St.