THE BEE: OMAHA, THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1916.

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OMAHA CHILDREN **AIDING ORPHANS**

Local Society Has Already Sent Over Thousand Dollars to Aid Little Sufferers.

WANTS ORPHAN FOR BIRTHDAY

By MELLIFICIA-March S. The Omaha branch of the Society of the Fatherless Children of France has received over \$1,000 in contributions to its treasurer, Mrs. August M. Borglum, "Aany letters accompany these contributions, proving there are people in our midst who are willing to make telling sacrifices to help the most helpless in a war-stricken sister republic," says Mrs. Borglum.

Following is a lotter received from a young woman who is earning her own iving.

"I have been much interested in the newspaper accounts of your project to care for the French orphans, and I want to help the little people left orphans by this cruel war. I think this appeals to me particularly, because my mother was left a widow with five small girls to raise and I know something of the hardships she endured in raising and educating us. I am inclosing my check for \$36,50, and if it is allowable to choose, I prefer a little girl as my protege."

Wants an Orphan.

When the little daughter of a rich and cominent Omaha family was asked the ther day what she wished for her birthtay she replied promptly, "Oh, please, other, give me a French orphan!" Nine-year-old Elinor Kountze, the only daughter of the Charles Thomas Kountzes, asked for a war orphan when Mina Schofield first came to Omaha on her mission of mercy. The contribution was sent in the child's name with her request that It be a girl.

It was only recently that little Elinor learned that the orphan was not going to be sent to her in Omaha-she had formed her own childish conception of what was involved, and she was bitterly disappointed to discover that a little French girl was not going to be raised by her, under her own cars and super For Mrs. Coffey. vision, "just as if she were my own little sister." the child expressed it.

The youngest contributor is now Stellita Stapleton, daughter of the Daniel C. Stapletons.

Chicago Guest Honored.

Mrs. Fred C. Hill gave a tea from 3 to 6 o'clock this afternoon at her home for | for Mrs. Coffey. her mother, Mrs. Henry Hardy of Chicago. A very pretty spring effect in Social Gossip. flowers and shaded candles was produced in the decorations. In the dining room Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Baldrige and Mr. Grafton Wolfe will leave next Tuesyellow fullps and yellow shaded candles day for Atlantic City, intending to make

were used, with pink and white sweet peas in the living rooms with pink and white variegated candle shades. Assisting the hosetess were: Mesdames-C. M. Wilhelm, Earl Edgecomb, Percy Stevens, Minses-



The wedding of Miss Anna Groh, daugh-

ter of Rev. Leonard Groh, to Mr. John first week in April for the east. At Ithaca



By LA RACONTEUSE.

The extreme turned-up brim as shown wide turned-up brim is softened by the en many of the dressy hats created by ripples that are evident. The hat is de-Georgette, affords a charming frame for satin in a matching tone. Clusters of the face of the wearer, possessing piquant ostrich tips in flesh color afford a smart features. The hat illustrates with its note.

Keller and John J. Nugent.

Engagement Announced.

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street. Forty guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Libal wish to an-

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Baldrige will

dine informally at home this evening

with a few guests in honor of Mrs. Titian,

J. Coffey of Los Angeles, guest of Mrs.

Coffey's sister, Mrs. Howard H. Bal-

a sojourn of four weeks on the New Jer

comb, and Mrs. Fred C. Hill.

from a short visit to Chicago.

Mrs. J. O. Russell of Falls City is the

Mrs. Charles A. Hull will go to Lincoln

Mrs. Frank H. Myers returned Tuesday

in a few days to visit with her mother,

Mrs. E. T. Holmes, for two weeks.

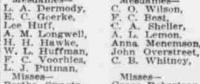
Simmons of Valley Junction, Ia., took | Excelsior Springs. Mr. Dahlman is meetplace Tuesday afternoon at the Grace ing many old friends from Lincoln who Head Barber. "Sometimes I think some Lutheran church parsonage. Rev. C. N. are now at the Springs. Swihart, pastor of the church, officiated, Mr. E. O. Hamilton is at the Elma and the attendants were Mrs. Lenore

hotel, Excelsior Springs, Mo. Miss Nell Dudgeon, daughter of Mr. In the evening a wedding supper was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. at her home with scarlet fever.

John J. Nugent, 2033 North Twentieth **REESE ENTERTAINS WOMEN**

C. E. Reese, the jewely man, is taking nounce the engagement of their daughter, advantage of the fact that his wife is on Anna Frances David, to Lester P. Wes- a visit to the cast and gave a theater cott of Omaha, formerly of Creston, Neb, party at the Orpheum yesterday followed

The wedding will be solemnized in June. by a dinner and dance at the Henshaw. Following are the twenty women who were the guests of Mr. Reese: Mesdames-Mesdames-L. A. Dermody, E. C. Goerke,



Mrs. Howard H. Baldrige will give an Misses informal luncheon at her home tomorrow Grace Robertson, Armeta Anabrough Bertha Swartz, Laura Cottmire ence Cottmire

Mrs. Booth Will Not Come to Omaha Now

Major McCormick of the Volunteers of America has received a wire from Genguest of her daughter. Mrs. Earl Edge- eral Ballington Pooth saying that Mrs. Booth is at the bedside of a life-long friend and has been compelled to cancel all of her speaking engagements, including the one at the Boyd theater in Omaha March 16. Major McCormick, however, has received assurances that Mrs. Booth

Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Davis will leave the will visit Omaha later. Dr. and Mrs. Davis will be joined by ONE DIVORCE GRANTED

The Manicure Lady She Tells the Head Barber How-

the Picture Show Impressed Her By WILLIAM F. KIHK.

"I was to see a picture show last night," said the Manicure Lady, "and it was so sad that I cried right in the theater. My escort looked kind of cheap because he didn't bring no handkerchief. and mine got so damp I couldn't use it no more.

"It ain't no disgrace to have a tender heart." said the Head Barber. "I wish my landlord was galted more that way." This picture was about a young girl that was jilted at the last minute." said the Manicure Lady. "She read them cruel words which he wrote to her, and then she put on her bridal dress and tried to kill herself. Her mother came in just in time and saved her."

"If I was a girl I wouldn't kill myself for no gent," said the Head Barber. "Gents is too easy to get if a girl is wise, and of course if I had been a girl would have been a wise one."

"Of course!" said the Manicure Lady, freezingly. "Of course you would be a wise girl. I don't see what keeps your brains from cozing out of your cars, George. If you had been living in them days, Mister Sockrates would have been working for you.

"I'll tell you one thing, though. If a young man ever trifled with my young heart and I got wise to it. I would make a awful tramp out of him before I got through. I think that kind of a man is a awful low sort, George, even if he happens to be a rich aristocrat. As Master Fennyson once said, 'Kind hearts is more than coroners."

"This is a funny old world," mused the of us gets more than our share, the same as I did when I married the Missus. never deserved no such grand girl. And when I think how I've got her and then and Mrs. D. W. Dudgeon, is guarantined think how lots of better fellows gets stung, it seems to me I'm a pretty lucky dog even if my horses don't always win for me.'

"Of course you're lucky, George, but AT THEATER AND DINNER not no more than you deserve to be. I only hope that when I have whispered yes and walk up the aisle of the church I will be walking along side as true a gent as you are, only more handsome."

"I never was much on looks, I know," said the Head Barber. "When I was a kid they used to call me Frogface. That sin't no pet name, no way you figure it, because nobody ever seen a frog that you could call handsome. Their eyes is big, but too bulgy, and they ain't got no expression. Their faces never lights up.

"No, frogs certainly ain't handsome," agreeed the Manicure Lady, "but whoever started the nickname on you must have been kind of jealous. You ain't the handsomest man in the world, George, but goodness knows you are above the average, and when a man gets too handsome he ain't usually a good provider.

dereag% ivrd., k.ls iCk., oth.k etoain ta "One of my neighbors uptown is married to a man that looks like a Greek god and provides for her like a Greek peddler. There is Greeks and Greeks, and she got a little of both kinds.

"My nature is one of them gentle kind, George, like a rippling river, but when it overflows everybody usually takes to the high grounds.

"I've noticed that," said the Head Barber, admiringly. "Nobody gets very gny around you. At least, I never seen nobody."

"No, you never seen anybody," said

