

Society

By MELLIFLOIA. Friday, November 19, 1915.

MISS MARY SHAW gave a little talk Thursday afternoon to the members of the Omaha Women's Press club and their guests. Miss Shaw in the course of experiences touched upon her career as a press agent. In relating incidents regarding press notices of a popular actress Miss Shaw gave one of her delightful asides. "The stories did not need to be true at all." It was rather a disillusion to some of the latty present and recalled to mind an Omaha girl who once adored all and everything associated with the stage.

This girl had every picture and pose of every footlight personage and she clipped newspaper articles about them by the yard, talked them over with friends and pasted them into real reams of records.

Harry was a reporter and a friend of this girl and he would laugh at her faith in theatrical press "dope," as he called it.

One of the girl's greatest objects of adoration was the late Mr. Richard Mansfield, in which Harry did not share. Mansfield's greatness, the reporter asserted, was but a case of an actor's possessing the best press agent in the United States.

Then came the notice of Mr. Mansfield's untimely death. "I wonder how Harry will find a way to deny this, too," said the girl; "but he will be sure to find some way to prove it is but the work of a clever press agent."

Thanksgiving Guests. Miss Florence Riley, with her guests, Miss Meryl Francis and Miss Vera Kelher of Plandreau, S. D., will spend Thanksgiving with Miss Riley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Riley.

Miss Edna Riley and Miss Nan Spaulding, who are at school at Chevy Chase, Washington, will spend Thanksgiving with friends in New York City and will also see the Army and Navy football game and the Pennsylvania and Cornell game.

Elks' Dancing Party. The following were present at the Elks' dancing party given in the club rooms, Thursday evening. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames—A. W. Plasmans, F. Pratt Harwood, Taylor T. Day, G. C. Winterston, Gordon J. Kyo, John J. McMahon, W. H. Hunt, H. F. L. Eckermann, W. Overstreet, Clarence E. Hall, E. A. Rose, C. A. Devita, M. E. Kent, C. E. Hall, C. E. Hall, Messrs.—Edwin Lawley, Robert J. Shields, J. Walter Doyla, W. L. Swancutt, George Steele, E. Edmondson, Uarda Scott, W. W. Preston, A. Cheek, Misses—Ann Androsen, Gertrude Cralk, Louisa Lewis, Marie Kura, Mesdames—Moore, Nieman.

Afternoon Tea. Mrs. Robert Donald Neely and Miss Margherita Burke gave a tea this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Neely. The reception rooms were decorated in yellow button chrysanthemums and large white chrysanthemums, with the dining room in red carnations. Assisting Mrs. Neely and Miss Burke were: Mesdames—Frederick Cox, Walter Hopewell, Bessie Brees, Misses—Marjorie Foote, Alice Duval, Ruth Beatty, Uarda Scott, Ruth Gould, Ruth Thompson.

Friday Bridge Luncheon Club. Miss Elizabeth Davis was hostess this afternoon for the Friday Bridge Luncheon club. The members are: Mesdames—Harold Pritchett, Ralph Peters, Fred Wood, Misses—Mary Burkley, Katherine Thummel, Josephine Peters, Elizabeth Davis, Madys Peters, Mellors Thum, Mildred Butler, Elizabeth Bruce, Louise Dinning.

Lectures Today. Walter Scott Perry of Platt Institute, of Brooklyn, will give the last lecture of his series before the Omaha Society of Fine Arts at the Hotel Fontenelle at 4 o'clock. "The Alhambra—the Fairy Palace of the Moors" will be his subject. Miss Jeannette Miriam Goldberg of Philadelphia will occupy the pulpit at Temple Israel tonight. Miss Goldberg is field secretary of the Jewish Chautauqua Society. She will be the guest of Mrs. J. N. Kopald until Monday.

For Mrs. Cole's Guests. Mrs. B. F. Cramer gave a luncheon at her home this afternoon for Mrs. Frances Oeschershausen and Miss Helen Targ of New York City. Mrs. F. H. Cole's house guests, who leave for New York this evening.

Omaha at Excelsior Springs. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tunna are at the Hotel Excelsior Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Timms are spending two weeks at Excelsior Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Cusaden returned Monday from a visit to Excelsior Springs. Mrs. R. Young is at Excelsior Springs.

Engagements Announced. Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Evans announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Ruth, to Mr. Hugh Henry Harper. The wedding will take place the latter part of December. The engagement of Miss Fannie Rothchild of Davenport, Ia., and Mr. Maurice

Block of Rock Island, Ill., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Block of Omaha, is announced.

St. Mary's Alumni Organize. Fourteen alumni of St. Mary's college organized Wednesday evening to form an Omaha branch of the St. Mary's College Alumni association. Dr. P. T. Conlan was appointed temporary chairman. Mr. John J. Gallagher was made secretary pro tem. The meeting was devoted to discussion of ways and means of organizing, and each member was to consider himself a committee of one to look up other graduates and bring them into the society.

Among the speakers were Dr. P. T. Conlan, Messrs. B. Wickham, J. P. Ford and L. Philbin, Jr. Other alumni present were: Messrs.—H. B. Byrne, Leo Delblack, Charles Russell, Chester Gligannon, Michael Hill, Leo Tiche, Porter M. Munson, Bradford Murphy, George Campbell. The next meeting of the alumni will be on Wednesday evening, December 1.

Personal Mention. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Abercrombie and children of Houston, Tex., who visited Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Rich last winter, have taken rooms at the Colonial.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Brown and their son, Master Charles Henry Brown, Jr., are expected in Omaha next week to spend Thanksgiving with Mr. Brown's mother, Mrs. J. J. Brown. They are now touring in the east, and if they don't come next week they will arrive within a few weeks.

Mrs. W. D. Cousman, who underwent an operation at the Lord Lester hospital nearly two weeks ago, is doing as well as possible. Her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Steele of Kansas City has been here for three weeks.

Byron Oberst of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Oberst, spent the week end here on his way home from North Platte. Mr. Oberst and his family will move to North Platte December 1.

Concordia Club. Mrs. I. H. Aray entertained the Concordia club Thursday afternoon, which was the first fall meeting. This party was a "welcome home" for Mrs. Martin Oberst and Mrs. Helen Morton, who had

been away all summer. Fifteen members were present, and Mesdames Raymond Crossman, T. N. Crosby, J. E. Dadds, J. J. Dadds, D. L. Johnson, J. M. Dow, H. B. Foster, A. L. Green and G. G. Gunter were guests of the club.

Pleasures Past. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Amish entertained at dinner Thursday evening for the Jolly Seven club. Covers were laid for: Messrs.—J. Johansen, L. Kerbel, S. Butler, Mesdames—A. Allen, G. Raush, P. S. Sorenson, E. Christensen, Misses—E. Schlicher, Dorothy Peterson, Messrs.—L. Anderson, C. H. Nelson, Miss Anna David entertained at dinner Thursday evening, when covers were laid for six guests. Miss Alta Anson was honor guest.

Mrs. George S. Johnston entertained informally at luncheon Thursday. Covers were placed for: Mesdames—A. E. Elliot, Fred A. Cusaden, J. A. C. Kennedy, W. H. Wheeler, W. E. Bonds, Helen Robinson, Arthur T. Ash, George S. Johnston, Messrs.—

For Miss Funkhouser. Mrs. Edgar Armstrong and Mrs. Will Guild entertained the Dundee Kensington club at the Hotel Royal this afternoon at an informal tea in honor of Miss Mildred Funkhouser, whose marriage will be solemnized on Thanksgiving day.

Among the Visitors. Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Smith have as their guests for a few days Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Hill of Burlington, O. Mr. Paul Cooley of San Francisco is the guest of his brother, Mr. Arthur Cooley and Mrs. Cooley. The Misses Margaret and Mary White

of Des Moines have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dadds and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dadds for two weeks. Miss Mary Kirk and Mr. Laurence Avery of Sioux City, are coming today to spend the week-end with Miss Myrre Gilchrist. Miss Gilchrist will give a theater party for them this evening.

Future Affairs. The Week-End Dance club will give a dance Saturday evening at Chambers' academy. Mrs. W. G. Templeton and Mrs. R. D. Miller will entertain the Thimble club Tuesday. Miss Esther Graff will entertain the Junior Bridge club Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Conrad will entertain one of the informal evening bridge clubs Saturday. Three tables of players will be present.

Today's Events. Miss June Abrams gave a luncheon this afternoon at the Hotel Fontenelle. After the luncheon the party went to the Orpheum theater. The Unitarian Junior club will have a social meeting this evening at the club house.

Wedding Announcement. Mrs. Anna M. Dunn will be married on Saturday, December 4, to Mr. Thomas J. Morgan of Portland, Me. The marriage will be solemnized at 7 o'clock in the evening by the Rev. Dr. Balch of Kountze Memorial church.

In and Out of the Bee Hive. Miss Helen Chesney returned Wednesday from a visit in St. Joseph and Kansas City. Mrs. Raymond Hayward is spending a week in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fort and children and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Fort will leave

tomorrow to spend the winter in California. Mrs. Robert Hollister is visiting in Boston, Mass. Mrs. F. R. Straight and Mrs. J. A. Johnson left Wednesday to spend a week in Carthage, Mo.

Honor List at the Commerce High. The girls of the High School of Commerce led the boys on the honor roll of the midterm marks which was announced by Principal Adams Thursday morning in an assembly of the students. The girls received twenty-four honors, while the boys received twenty-two. The freshmen, who usually seem more inclined to work harder than the other students, lead the classes by having twenty on the list.

To be on the list the students could not be tardy once and must have at least three "A's" and no study below "B" in their midterm marks. Those who are on the list are as follows: Ethel Adler, Gladys Larson, William Albert, Lillian Lawson, George Berger, Floyd McElroy, Abe Meyer, Joseph Bernice, Lemert Millberg, Doris Boardman, Thomas Miller, Clifford Bogus, Wilfred Brownfield, Edna Morgan, Edith Castleman, Beatrice Olson, Leota Hippen, Wilbur Olson, Ruth Ellington, Rose Pascal, Mabel Elmquist, Hilma Peterson, Stella Peterson, Helen Forster, Gertrude Redman, Edith Frieden, Mildred Sandberg, Aho Greenberg, Evelyn Sandberg, Edna Grossman, Beulah Siltzer, Mary Grove, Georgia Tuma, Gladys Hanson, Hazel Weaver, George Hanson, Sadie Weber, Hazel Homestead, Lawrence Wells, Ruth Holman, Sarah Washner, Irving Horton, Wilbur Wolf, George Kowalewski, Elmer Krebe.

A "For sale" ad will turn second-hand furniture into cash.

Holdups Get Small Returns from Their Night's Activities. Nora Myrtle, 1311 William street, was stopped Thursday evening at Ninth and William streets by two armed men who commanded her to hold her hands up. Her purse containing \$13.50 was taken. E. L. Lohner, 1227 Seventh avenue, Council Bluffs, railroad brakeman, was held up near Sixth and Pacific streets during the evening by three men, who supplemented their demands by holding revolvers close to Lohner's body. After taking the victim's watch the trio returned the timepiece upon a plea that it was valued for sentimental reasons. James Keller of Fremont and R. G. Corrigan of Battle Creek, Mich., reported to the police that their pockets were picked at Fourteenth and Douglas streets, the former losing \$5 and a watch and the latter \$4 in cash and a check for \$50. Phillip Weinehl of 3301 Leavenworth lost his automobile, which had been parked at a downtown location. A. P. McLaughlin and Mrs. S. C. Schavel, officers of the Methodist hospital, requested the police to investigate the theft of jewelry from the hospital.

ARRESTED AS SUSPECT IN SALOON HOLDUP CASE. On suspicion of being mixed up in a recent holdup occurring at Dan Headdress' saloon, 428 South Thirteenth street, John J. Clark, Thirteenth and Dodge streets, is being held at police headquarters. It is asserted by Detectives Rich and Pazanowski, who made the arrest, that Clark stole several revolvers from Harry Lucas, 230 O street, on November 15.

Walk-Over The Shoe For You \$3.50 to \$7.00 For MEN - For WOMEN Phoenix Guaranteed Hosiery

The New "Camille" Two-Tone Velour Boot Colors—black, brown, Russian green, blue.



Walk-Over Boot Shop 317 South 16th St.

Read Them Every Day. It Will Pay! The Bee Want Ads in The Bee.

Read! Think! Act!

The other day a very delightful gentleman stopped at our desk to tell us about ASURERETURN method of advertising. He was a good talker—exceedingly gentlemanly—and we were almost ready to capitulate and say "Almost though persuades me," when he said: "Now Cobbs would be a splendid thing for you to try this method on. Do you know," said he, "I never knew you had a Candy department before." Now, he had

visited us several times, we have advertised Cobb considerably, so we were ready to exclaim: "What in Sam Hill's the use, if people don't read ads and won't use their eyes. What does it profit a man"—Perhaps we better put a brake on our phraseology or we'll be accused of trailing—THE PUZZLE IS AFTER ALL TO GET YOU TO READ THOMAS KILPATRICK AND CO.'S MHELLIAH IS NOW ON.

In This Ad

We tell of remarkable Linen Bargains Saturday. We tell of wonderful Suit Selling Saturday. We tell of Annual China Sale Saturday. We tell of Last of the Season Shoe Cleanup Saturday. We tell of astonishing Hat values Saturday. ALL IN ALL, should draw the biggest crowds of the year.

We Will Start on the Second Floor and Work Downwards

UNUSUAL SUIT SALE. We have grouped together the cream of the stock—most of them exclusive models—ordinarily this is the sort of pricing you expect the week after Christmas—this year we have decided to have a sort of SUIT MHELLIAH.

PARTICULARS: One Suit of Panne Velvet, fox trimmed, \$115 instead of \$150. Hat and Stuffs included.

Two Suits, one Velvet, the other Broadcloth, \$95.00 instead of \$120.00.

One Brown Broadcloth, beaver trimmed, \$78.50 instead of \$95.00.

One Dark Green Broadcloth Suit, \$69.50 instead of \$87.50.

One Tailored Sheep's Gray Cloth Suit, \$67.50 instead of \$85.00.

One Black Broadcloth, Marten trimmed, \$67.50 instead of \$82.50.

One Green Cloth Suit, \$62.50 instead of \$80.00.

8 Suits, \$59.50 instead of \$75.00.

3 Models, were \$69.50, for \$55.75.

4 Clove Garments, were \$67.50.

12 Very Gentle Suits, were \$65.00.

All even \$50.00 for the pick.

Hundreds of Suits—made for our kind of trade—combining elegance and usefulness—all priced to cause excitement—and then we will show a group of Staple Serges and Poplins, usually \$25.00, for \$13.50.

SECOND VERY IMPORTANT SALE FOR SATURDAY—Tailored Skirts in two lots—\$4.98 and \$7.95. Black Skirts and Navies—Coverts and Mixtures, formerly up to \$7.50, at \$4.98.

Exclusive designs in Taffetas, Velvets, Broadcloths, etc., formerly up to \$16.50, at \$7.95.

Don't gloss this over—no fancy story—facts should interest skit wasters.

Wonderful what changes occur in one short week. Seems but yesterday when we could sit outdoors, when we were careful to shut the screen door to keep the flies out. Now fires are burning brightly—and we are snuggling up to keep warm. UNDERWEAR TIME THEREFORE—OURS IS AN EXPERT SERVICE—Women of experience in the women's section. Men of knowledge in the Men's department. Specials every Saturday in Men's Section.

Get in line. Join the happy throng of those who always prefer the Kilpatrick Standard—Quality—Fit—Price.

GLOVE SALE SATURDAY

To absolutely rid the stock of all imperfect—soiled—damaged or tried-on gloves, we have gathered together in lots and divided into classes all the odds—

10c 29c 49c and 89c per pair.

JUNIOR SECTION—Upstairs again, please. Saturday Sale on the fine Hats for little ones, 3 to 12 years: Hats which sold up to \$5.50, for \$5.90 each. Hats which sold up to \$6.00, for \$3.95 each.

Small—Slim women in large numbers have expressed their gratitude to us for calling attention to our readiness to serve them with Junior sizes in Suits—Saturday we offer 2 specials—

A very attractive gathering, which includes Suits up to \$20.00, at \$12.75.

An extra fine collection, which sold to \$27.50, at \$18.50.

LAST Shoe Sale of the Season SATURDAY—300 pairs or thereabouts were thrown on the counters—Friday we sold a great many—we have now gathered all the odd lots left from a busy season's selling. The finer shoes for women—sold at \$6, \$6 and \$7, Saturday, all that are left, will go at \$2.65.

EXPERT Shoe men to aid you in getting a FIT.

And Now What is a Mhelliah?

On Hillan Vannin (with its green hills by the sea), they have a custom or a festival known as the Mhelliah—After the summer is past and the harvest is ended they hold a sort of harvest-home. Originally they gathered in the fields after the grain was harvested and engaged themselves eating and drinking—their drink was called jough—a sort of mild home brewed ale. Later they gathered in the barns and sat up to tables weighted down with the fullness of the earth and feasted to their heart's content. Afterwards tables were cleared and to the music of the fiddle—the concertina—the Jews' harp, etc., danced till break of day and sometimes kept it up all the next day. This then is what Mhelliah means. A sort of forerunner of our Thanksgiving, isn't it? Never in the history of this nation was there such reason for a Thanksgiving as this year.

The Cobbs have prepared wonderful good things for you. Let us quote a little list. First, for the hostess, a box of Cobbs' Candy. That will give you the proper entree as it were, so to speak.

High grade Chocolates and Bon Bons, 60c the box.

Salted Almonds and large Texas Pecans (new crop), \$1.00 the lb.

Candied Fruits from bleeding France—erstwhile so sunny, 80c the lb.

Black Walnut Croquettes, 60c the lb.

Creamed stuff Dates, 60c.

Chocolate Roman Nougats, 60c.

Creamed California Grapes, 60c. Usually 80c and rarely found in the ordinary shop.

CAKES—You remember what Will says—"Dost think because thou art virtuous there shall be no more cakes and ale?" We haven't the ale, but we surely do have the Cakes—that rich Black Fruit Cake, which keeps but which is rarely allowed to remain long—80c the lb. And we don't know of any finer.

And then the Plum Puddings. Do you remember how 2 or 3 months before the eating time, mother used to make the Plum Pudding? In our boyhood days after it was made they used to hang it up on the ceiling near the open fire—and somehow or other, few puddings taste as mother's did. Try Cobbs' this year all ye doubting Thomases, who dream of the past; good things—rich with fresh fruits and raisins—60c. You can have a stick in the sauce if you like—and this is Cobbs'.

ICE CREAMS—What novelties; no place like America for dainty concoits of every kind. Individual turkeys, pumpkins, Horns of plenty, roses, nesselrode pudding, frozen egg nog, Tutti Frutti. Order early to be sure of best service.

May we mention a few specials for Saturday? Black Walnut Pillows, Crispy the interior of Black Walnut bernal, chevy, lasting and delicious; 30c the lb. box.

Scores will buy 2 boxes, one for Sunday and t'other for Thanksgiving.

Cream Caramel Roll—Made just as you make a jelly roll—a layer of buttery delicious caramels with Vanilla Cream fondant rolled up in an toothsome candy as ever melted in your mouth; 1/2 lb. box for 15c.

Scores of other delightful delicacies—but as Byron said: "Why go on, I'm almost sorry that I've begun," for mouth is getting moist and I must stop to sample. Please get your orders in on Saturday morning.

HAT SALE

Extraordinary

We read a monograph the other day written by Oscar Wilde in which he bewailed "THE DECAY OF LYING"—Now Oscar has been gone to the great beyond these several years. If he were living today his regrets would be greater, for there is a change—A VERY DECIDED CHANGE—and we hope we may be pardoned if we claim some of the credit. We have tried always to keep within the limit of truth and today we have to confess that we are curbing ourselves—limiting our adjectives—for if we were to convey nothing but the simple unvarnished truth about the next item—some who do not know us, might accuse us of EXAGGERATION.

LISTEN—Our connection is very close with one of the BIGGEST MILLINERY MEN IN AMERICA. He shipped us a lot of HATS A FEW DAYS AGO and wired us: "I have shipped you hats worth at retail from \$7.50 to \$30.00. Sell them at—

—Ornaments — Black — White — Large — Small — Every Hat fashionable—New and splendidly put together. Sale starts as soon as the doors open Saturday morning. Whatever else you neglect DON'T MISS IT, that is, of course, if YOU WEAR A HAT.

We have much to be thankful for this year. Every reason why we should have a Mhelliah. When the poet wrote: "Better fifty years of Europe than a cycle of Cathay," or words to that effect, he did not vision the Europe of today. Perhaps after all, the people of Cathay are happier than their white brother. We are led to this dissertation on the Celestial Kingdom because we next mention CHINA.

Every year, just before Thanksgiving, we have a—

China Sale

While but little of the China sold nowadays comes from the Flowery Kingdom—he of the erstwhile pigtail TAUGHT EUROPE THE ART.

Saturday Special Sale on Dinner Sets—Many popular lines must be discontinued. Heaven only knows when business will be normal with Allies or Central Powers. Several beautiful Dinner Sets will be offered at—

\$5

AND YOU'LL SET THE LADIES WILD. We waited till the hats arrived and found our friend was easily within the limits of truth. Marvelous as some of our Hat Sales have been—wonderful as the Values have been, we never presented such an attractive lot.

Hats of all kinds—beautiful plumes worth three times the price asked—Plush — Velvets

Thomas Kilpatrick & Co.

Saturday Sale

Fresh, Delicious Candies

Every Saturday we offer several special bargains in sealed-at-the-factory Candies. It will pay Candy purchasers to see our assortment first. We are agents in Omaha for the famous LIGGETT'S ELECT CHOCOLATES.

Some attractive features in our Candy Department are:

Liggett's Elect Chocolates..... 1/2-lb. 40c; 1-lb. 80c

Fenway's Dainty Dutch Delights..... 1/2-lb. 30c; 1-lb. 60c

Liggett's Butter and Milk Bittersweets..... 1/2-lb. 40c; 1-lb. 80c

Liggett's Fruit Cordials..... 1/2-lb. 30c; 1-lb. 60c

Guth's Bonbons and Chocolates..... 1/2-lb. 40c; 1-lb. 80c

Berry's Original Saturday Candy, sold fresh each Saturday, only, 1-lb. 25c

6c Maxine Cherries for..... 30c

6c Trifles Sweets for..... 30c

Full Pound Guth's Caramels, Saturdays, at..... 50c

Guth's Creme of Peppermint, in Chocolate, lb..... 35c

Uncle Joshua's Old Fashioned Hourbound, lb..... 80c

1-lb. Jordan Almonds..... 30c

1-lb. Marlan 5c Chocolates for..... 30c

1-lb. Galvan Ripe Pineapple Chocolates for..... 30c

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