

Society

By MELLIFICIA. Monday, June 14, 1915.

THE Flag is today's first thought. With the sun this morning the patriotic members of Omaha society hoisted their flags.

We may boast of a goodly number of flag lovers among our society matrons.

Mrs. Arthur Crittenden Smith owns one of the most beautiful flags in the city. It is of silk and has been in the family for years.

Mrs. F. P. Kirkendall is another matron who sails the national colors from her home. She has a small flag pole on the roof of her house and the colors can be seen from a great distance.

Mrs. George A. Joslyn for years had a flag pole of an immense height. The tornado of two years ago destroyed this time-honored piece of the Joslyn grounds and since then the Joslyn flag waves from the roof.

The Star-Spangled Banner association has just published in its ritual a special exercise for the observance of Flag day to encourage a more systematic celebration of the day.

At Happy Hollow.
The Omaha chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution gave a luncheon this afternoon at the Happy Hollow club. Among the members present were:

At the Country Club.
Mr. Willard Butler entertained at dinner last evening at the club. His guests were:

At Carter Lake.
Mr. Harry C. Edwards entertained at the Orpheum club today for Mr. Harry Coffey, who has just returned from Jacksonville, Fla. Other guests were:

La Plasmata Club.
Mr. Arthur Schermerhorn will entertain the members of La Plasmata club at his home Tuesday evening. Those present will be:

With the Wayfarers.
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hobbes and daughter, Miss Etel, have left for a three months' trip to California. They will spend the time in Los Angeles, San Francisco and a few weeks on a ranch in northern California.

Fortnightly Bridge Club.
The Fortnightly Bridge club was entertained this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Wallace. Those present were:

For the Future.
Mrs. Charles F. Crowley will entertain at luncheon Thursday at the Field club.

For Miss Higby.
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradford will give a dancing party this evening at their home in honor of Miss Helen Higby of Chicago, the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Kinsler.

With the Visitors.
Mrs. Brady of Davenport, Ia.; Miss Susan Silverman of Sioux City, Mr. A. Fines and Miss Kate Fines of Livingston, Ill., have arrived to attend the Steinberg wedding of Tuesday evening at Chambers' academy.

Tuesday Bridge Club.
Mrs. John Redick was hostess at the regular meeting of the Tuesday Bridge club this morning at the Country club. Two tables of players were present. The members had luncheon together following the game.

Personal Mention.
Mrs. Warren Switzer is expected the middle of the week from a short stay in Minnesota.

Mrs. John Madden, Mrs. Adolph Storz and Miss Ophelia Hayden are spending a few days in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bergman have returned from their wedding trip and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bergman.

Mrs. Lee G. Kratz returned Sunday from Galva, Ill., where she went to attend the funeral of her father, Mr. F. J. Curtiss.

At the Field Club.
Among those dining at the Field club Sunday evening were: F. P. Field, who had two guests; L. R. Metz, two; R. H. Manley, four; A. B. Rutherford, three; C. C. Hutchinson, two; D. V. Sholes, three; Paul Werner, four; L. J. Millard, two; L. H. Drishaus, two; C. H. Conant, two; C. C. Foster, four; M. H. Dunham, five; H. J. McCarty, two; H. J. Dinning, nine; N. P. Uppilo, two; W. H. Garrett, two; M. Cunningham, seven; D. J. (J.) Brien, two; A. T. Peters, four; James Trimble, three.

The Omaha Woman Golfers' association played their regular game, followed by luncheon at the Field club. Twenty guests were present.

Birthday Party.
Miss Norma Kopp celebrated her thirtieth birthday anniversary at her home Saturday afternoon. The time was spent in music and games. Prizes were won by Misses Katherine Schubert, Beale Spert and Frances Spert. Those present were:

Original Monday Bridge Club.
Mrs. A. B. Beeson was hostess at the regular meeting of the Original Monday Bridge club this afternoon at her home. The guests of the club were Mesdames J. E. Bixler, F. P. Kirkendall, Glenn Wharton and Jack Webster. The members are:

Surprise Party.
Mrs. Ostergreen was honor guest at a surprise party which was given at her home, Friday afternoon, June 11. The rooms were ablaze with Killarney roses and peonies, and the guests present were:

Afternoon Tea.
Mrs. Thomas Brown entertained at tea yesterday afternoon at her home, in honor of her daughter, Miss Dorothy, who returned in March from London, England, where she attended school. The drawing room, where the hostess received her guests, was decorated with Dorothy Perkins' roses and the dining room was ablaze with crimson rambles. Assisting Mrs. Brown were Mesdames Lena Ellsworth Dale, Martin, Bush; Misses Gladys Chambers and Myrtle Brown. About seventy guests called during the hours of 3 and 5.

Class Reunion.
The class of 1890 of the Omaha High school held their twenty-fifth annual reunion at the Field club yesterday. Twenty-five guests were entertained. Among the out-of-town members who came for the affair were: Mr. George B. Haynes of Chicago and Mr. Thomas A. Creigh, also of Chicago.

Ramer-Cahow.
The wedding of Miss Emma Ramer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Ramer, and Mr. Norman Cahow, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cahow, was celebrated last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. Mr. Cabbey of the First Christian church performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate relatives.

The bride wore a gown of ivory crepe de chine made round length with a very full skirt and pleated bodice. Her tulle veil was caught with a spray of lilies of the valley, and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies roses and lilies of the valley. Her only ornament was a diamond and pearl lavalier, the gift of the groom.

There were no attendants. A wedding dinner for the guests followed the ceremony. The house was beautifully decorated with pink and white. Pink and white sweet peas and large bunches of the deep peonies were used throughout the rooms. The young couple left last evening for Denver and Colorado Springs. The bride's go-away gown was of cream silk tulle. With this was worn a white hat. Mr. and Mrs. Cahow will be at home after August in Omaha.

Apartments, flats, houses and cottages can be rented quickly and cheaply by a Bee "For Rent."

MISS BEATRICE ANITA BALDWIN TURNBULL, who, in 1911, brought an unsuccessful suit through her mother for one-third of the \$11,000,000 estate left by Elias J. ("Lucky") Baldwin, the California horseman, is now the Baroness de Patterson.



SAYS WIFE SAT ON TOM HOCTOR'S LAP

McNeill Testifies He Had Forgiven Her—Says Real Quarrel Was Over South Omaha Mayor.

SHE HAD ON HER NIGHTGOWN
George H. McNeill, a young business man who declared under oath that he had forgiven Mayor Thomas Hoctor of South Omaha and his pretty wife, Mrs. Lila Jewell McNeill, for an alleged indiscretion of which, he said, he was an eye witness, testified Monday in district court his wife was garted in night clothing when, he asserted, he found her sitting on Mr. Hoctor's lap two years ago.

in evidence by counsel for Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Jewell, Mrs. McNeill's parents whom McNeill is suing for \$5,000 damages for alleged alienation of her affections, on the ground that they induced her to leave him. Attorneys for the defense questioned McNeill during cross-examination concerning the occasion in an attempt to show that the husband and wife had quarreled about Mr. Hoctor. In re-direct examination McNeill's attorneys went into the subject in detail.

Forgave His Wife.
McNeill testified that his first real quarrel with his wife had concerned Mayor Hoctor.

"I afterward forgave my wife," he declared.

A letter written by McNeill to Mayor Hoctor referred to a "scar upon our friendship," but said "old friendships are best after all."

"My wife and I were living in the rear of 523 North Twenty-fourth street, South Omaha, where Mr. Hoctor and I both had offices," said McNeill, who is a real estate salesman.

through the office and through two rooms into the large living room in the rear. There was no carpet and I made no attempt to approach stealthily.

On Hoctor's Lap.
"I went into the living room. My wife was sitting on Mr. Hoctor's lap. They were in a chair. She had on her night gown. His arm was around her waist. He had on his street clothes.

"They did not hear me until I spoke. I asked them what was the reason for what I saw.

"I got no answer. Mr. Hoctor jumped up and ran into the bath room. My wife went into another room. I followed her. Mr. Hoctor then went right out, without stopping to talk to me."

Witnesses for the defense will deny Mr. McNeill's statements regarding the Mayor Hoctor incident, according to attorneys. These witnesses, it is said, will include

RUNS DOWN THIEVES WHO STEAL HIS AUTOMOBILE

The spry ability of C. A. Sherwood, proprietor of the Sherwood Press, saved him the loss of his new automobile Saturday night. While visiting at the home of E. G. Eldridge, 315 North Thirtieth street, Mr. Sherwood left his machine standing out in front. A couple of daring thieves came up in another machine, tied a rope to Sherwood's machine and started off. When Mr. Sherwood discovered his loss he started in hot pursuit, with Mr. Eldridge close behind. When the miscreant who tried to steal the machine saw the speed Sherwood was making they cut the rope and made a getaway, leaving the machine behind.

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32-inch Finest Underwear, White Plisse Crepe—Genuine pebble weave, soft and clingy lingerie finish. 15c value. Special Tuesday, a yard..... 9 1/2c

Beautiful Tango Chiffon—36 inches wide. Bookfold. Choice assortment of dress and kimono colorings and designs, 15c value, Tuesday, 7 1/2c yard

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Plain White Crepe—Fine, soft quality for undermuslins. 27 in. wide. 15c value, yard 10c

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The picture of the coaster will be in The Bee every day this week. Cut these all out and ask your friends to save the pictures in their paper for you too. See how many pictures you can get and bring them to The Bee Office Saturday, June 19.

The coasters will be given free to the boys or girls that send us the most pictures before 4 P. M., Saturday, June 19.



J. A. Swanson is Treated to a Surprise by Friends

While John A. Swanson, president of the Nebraska Clothing company, was speeding to North Omaha Sunday in response to an urgent telephone call from a friend who was "awfully, awfully sick," about 100 friends assembled at his laund street residence for a surprise party, the occasion being Mr. Swanson's fiftieth birthday.

Imagine Mr. Swanson's surprise upon returning from the "burry call" to find a score of autos parked in front of his residence and a garden party in possession of the lawn, tables cleverly arranged and a seat at the table awaiting him.

The cause of all this was Mr. Swanson's fiftieth birthday and he was presented with a heavy gold watch.

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