

What Women Are Doing in the World

Club Calendar. WEDNESDAY—Annual meeting, Frances Willard Women's Christian Temperance union, Hanscom park; annual meeting, Omaha Woman's Christian Temperance union, Young Women's Christian association lecture room; Omaha suffrage association, lawn social to celebrate Lucy Stone's birthday, Mrs. A. P. Withers, hostess.

THURSDAY—Equal Franchise society, Mrs. E. M. Fairfield, hostess; Kensington club, Vesta chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Mrs. Pearl Welshans, hostess; McKinley auxiliary, to Paul E. Frith, Metropolitan hall; Emma Hoagland Flower mission; Benson Women's club, Mrs. K. R. Parker, hostess.

FRIDAY—Benson Municipal League, Mrs. R. S. Beasley, hostess.

SATURDAY—Suffrage Self-Sacrifice day.

SUFFRAGE Self-Sacrifice Day will be observed Saturday, August 15, by suffragists all over the country. It is the anniversary of the birth of the pioneer suffragist, Lucy Stone, who was the founder of the Woman's Journal, the suffrage paper.

On Self-Sacrifice day all suffragists are asked either to give a sum of money to the work, to make some special effort to earn it, or to get it from some one as a contribution for the campaign states.

"We must raise \$50,000," Dr. Anna Howard Shaw said. "I have decided to give 100 speeches instead of money."

Dr. Shaw said that Jane Adams would be asked to serve as temporary treasurer for that day, and suffragists would forward to her, at Hull House, Chicago, whatever sums they can raise or save.

Contributions to the local "melting pot" into which suffragists are pouring old gold and silver, will be collected and sent to Mrs. Medill McCormick, who originated the idea, the early part of the week.

The Omaha Suffrage association will celebrate Lucy Stone's birthday with a lawn social Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. A. P. Withers, 2346 South Thirty-fifth street. Mrs. W. H. Hatteroth will give a sketch of her life; Mrs. D. G. Craghead will speak on "What Suffrage Meant in Lucy Stone's Day and What It Means Today," and John L. Kennedy will speak also. Musical numbers will be given by Misses Dorothy Soszlikey, Marie Adler and Bess Adler.

The annual convention of the Douglas county Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held in the Presbyterian church at Waterloo, Friday, August 21. Mrs. C. J. Roberts, vice president, is in charge of the program and will preside at the convention in the absence of the president, Mrs. W. G. Whitmore, of Valley, who is touring Europe and has not been heard from since the outbreak of European troubles.

There will be morning, afternoon and evening sessions of the convention, Miss Marie Brehm, head of the temperance bureau of the Presbyterian church, and a speaker of national reputation, being the principal speakers at the meeting. Mrs. Brehm will be in Omaha August 16 and 17.

Reports of officers and superintendents from the nine unions of the county will be received, in addition to which the Young People's branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be represented at this meeting for the first time. The women of Waterloo will house the delegates who stay over for the evening session.

Suffrage discussion will fill an important place on the program of the meeting, according to Mrs. Roberts, acting president.

Mrs. C. W. Hayes, ex-president of the Omaha Women's club, returned Thursday evening from a two-month trip in the east, which she took following the convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs. Mrs. Hayes took the lake trip and then went to Atlantic City, where she met her son and together they visited the large cities of the east and Chester county, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Hayes' old home. On the return trip Mrs. Hayes spent a winter in Indianapolis and spent some time in Manchester, Ia. Mrs. Hayes speaks most enthusiastically of the splendid sessions of the biennial convention.

The Kensington club of Vesta chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Pearl Welshans, 5701 North Twenty-fourth street, Thursday afternoon.

Edward Simon will speak on "The Mothers' Pension Law" before a meeting of the Equal Franchise society at the home of Mrs. E. M. Fairfield, Thursday afternoon at 8 o'clock. Francis A. Brown, who was announced as the speaker for this date, will address the society at a future meeting.

The Benson Women's club will hold a called meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. K. R. Parker when arrangements for next year's program and other matters for next season's work will be discussed.

The Benson Municipal league will hold a meeting Friday at the home of Mrs. R. S. Beasley.

Y. W. C. A. Notes.

The local delegation to the Estes Park conference leaves Thursday afternoon for Colorado, the conference being held from Aug. 11 to 21. The secretaries who will attend are Misses Lily M. Strong, general secretary; Ora Johnson, membership; Jennie Brandon, business; and Miss Laura Hyde, of the lunch room. Miss Rose Brien is a delegate from the Athletic club; Misses Eva Norton and Mary Ammons from the Benson girls' club and Misses Hattie Pickard, Martha Frankfort and Louise Herman will go also.

Several changes in the secretarial staff of the association will take place Sept. 1. Miss Leta Bane, Miss Vera Walker and Miss Lora Hagler have severed their connections with the local association to take up work in other cities. Miss Vera Moore of Middletown, O., will arrive to be the Household Arts director and Miss Louise Curtis will be educational secretary and general assistant. Miss Laura Mulford is a new office secretary. Miss Edna George of Des Moines will arrive Oct. 1 to take up her duties as assistant in the physical department.

Miss Helen Laurence will become secretary of girls' work and Miss Laura Hyde, who has been assistant in the lunch room, will become director of the branch lunch room. Mrs. Branson, who has been in charge at the branch, will be transferred to the main building.

Some of the secretaries are enjoying long trips this summer. Miss Marie Odorine is spending some weeks in Portland, Ore., and Miss Elizabeth Brenizer will also visit relatives in Oregon. Miss

INTER-CITY WOMAN'S GOLF—On Friday the Omaha Woman Golfers met a team from the Sioux City organization at the Field club links. The picture shows the Sioux City visitors: Left to right, sitting: Mrs. H. J. Chittenden, Mrs. L. M. Lyon, Mrs. A. F. Nash, Mrs. W. H. Wirth and Mrs. O. S. Dean. Standing, left to right: Mrs. G. R. Whitmer, Mrs. J. B. Adams, Mrs. J. Wissmuth, Mrs. S. Krumann, Mrs. L. M. Conner and Mrs. E. E. Hosmer, all of Sioux City. Below, Mrs. Carl Lintinger, acting president of the Omaha club (at the left), and Mrs. A. D. Dean, president of the Sioux City club (at the right).



Johnson will take the Yellowstone trip, coming back to attend the Estes Park conference, and finishing the month of August at different points in Colorado.

Miss Gertrude Butterfield and Mrs. Horn are substituting in the absence of Miss Odiorne and Mrs. Clara Mead. Mrs. Ina Mixer is hostess at Summer Hill farm the first two weeks in August and Miss Laurence will succeed her, remaining until the farm closes, Aug. 31.

The Omaha Women's Christian Temperance union will hold its annual meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the lecture room at the Young Women's Christian association. There will be reports of committees and election of officers and delegates to the county convention which will be held at Waterloo, August 21.

The Frances Willard Women's Christian Temperance union will hold its annual picnic at Hanscom park Wednesday. A picnic luncheon will be served at noon, following which the afternoon will be devoted to the annual meeting of the society. Reports of officers and superintendents will be received and election of officers and delegates to the county convention at Waterloo will take place.

At the Miller Park Mothers' Circle Kensington held at the home of Mrs. D. S. Taylor, it was decided to hold a basket picnic at Miller park, August 28. It will be a basket picnic and after supper a musical and literary program will be given at the pavilion.

Mrs. C. R. Thiem, president of the Miller Park Mothers circle, has been confined to her home for the last two weeks with an attack of typhoid fever. Mrs. Thiem is getting along nicely, according to her mother, Mrs. Everett, "grandmother" of the circle.

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the Old People's Home Tuesday, it was decided to postpone activities for a new home until after the September meeting of the board.

The Kensington club of the Central Park Congregational church held a picnic at Fontenelle park Thursday, fifty-two members being present. Mrs. Nellie Thompson is president and Mrs. J. Kettell is secretary of the club.

Mrs. Percy Pennybacker, president of the General Federation of Women's clubs, is to be among the speakers at the National Suffrage convention in Nashville next November.

The Washington Woman Suffrage council, recently organized as an auxiliary to the congressional committee of the National Association Woman Suffrage Association, has undertaken to establish a speakers' bureau for the convenience of suffragists throughout the country. It wishes to list and classify speakers on suffrage, with the fullest possible information regarding them, in order to put that information at the disposal of all suffrage organizations which may wish to use it.

BLACK WITHDRAWS IN FAVOR OF LOU ADAMS

M. F. Black, candidate for the republican nomination for county surveyor, has withdrawn from the race, leaving a clear field to Louis Adams, present holder of the office.

TOO OLD FOR THE GAY LIFE

Aged Kansas City Couple, Who Inherited Fortune, Come to Grief.

When fate tipped the horn of plenty and poured \$20,000 into the lap of R. M. Frazier, 65 years old, it had waited too long. The curse of a fortune after so many years of poverty and toil led Frazier and his wife to the North municipal court.

Now the couple are inmates of the municipal farm, sentenced to 300 days there by Acting Judge Charles H. Clark.

"The old man went as he sat in court and told his story. Beside him sat his wife. 'Up until six months ago my wife and I were happy,' Frazier said. 'We have been married twenty-two years and, although it was hard sometimes, I always managed to make both ends meet.'

"Then I learned one day that my mother had died and left me \$20,000. The money was a little too much for us in our old age and we were not used to prosperity. We started out to enjoy it the way we would have done twenty years ago. We took in the cabaret and the cafes. My wife learned to drink, something she had never done before. It was my fault and almost broke my heart.

"I told her she must stop. We quarreled and I gave her \$200 and told her to go her way and I would go mine. She left me, but came back.

"Last night we went back to the 'life' that is too young for old people."—Kansas City Star.

swap anything in the "Swappers" column."

Huge Quantities of Good Eatables at Newsies' Picnic

Seven hundred pounds of spring chicken, eighty watermelons, 500 ice cream bricks, fifty cases of pop, sixty-three chocolate cakes and candy and fruit are on the menu for the newsboys' picnic to be held at Krug park next Wednesday. These quantities of food are to be devoured in two meals, first at 1 and the second at 3:30 o'clock.

A parade in the morning will be participated in by Omaha and South Omaha newsboys, headed by a musical union band, directed by George Green. Prizes to the amount of \$200 will be awarded in a wide variety of contests, the generosity of Omaha merchants and citizens and the police department making these as well as the dinner possible.

The committee in charge of the affair consists of Chairman Mogy Bernstein, Mike Barto of The Bee, Tony Costanzo and Harry Graceman of the World-Herald and Sam Zizman of the Daily News. The public is invited to witness the picnic and, according to Mogy, as an exhibition it is superior to any vaudeville or burlesque show.

MANY SALESMEN TAKEN OFF ROAD ACCOUNT OF WAR

As a direct result of the European war, Omaha and the middle west is experiencing an unusual absence of traveling salesmen, according to hotel clerks. While many druggists generally begin to cover this territory in August of each year, they are conspicuously absent now.

WIRELESS OUTFITS TO BE SOLD BY GOVERNMENT

Amateur wireless telegraph experts will have a fine chance to get good equipment cheap Tuesday, when a government auction of discarded material from the army signal corps will be held at the quartermaster's depot. Twenty-second and Hickory streets. Besides eighteen complete radio-telegraph sets, a number of reel cars, storage batteries, generators, lanterns, typewriters and other discarded equipment will be sold to the highest bidders. The sale begins at 10 a. m.

OKLAHOMA WOMAN SEEKS RELATIVES IN OMAHA

Mrs. M. J. Deitrich, 1212 West First street, Oklahoma City, Okla., has written to local postoffice authorities inquiring for the address of her brother, John Harr, and stepbrothers, Curtis and Allen Parker. When last heard from they were in Omaha. However, at this time there is no record of them or their addresses at the postoffice.

HEBREW SCHOOL TO GIVE FIRST ANNUAL PICNIC

Members of the free Hebrew school of the B'nai Israel congregation will celebrate their first annual picnic Saturday at Concordia park. At noon there will be automobiles to take the youngsters out to the park from the school at Eighteenth and Chicago streets, while the grownups will ride on West Leavenworth street cars to Sixtieth street, and will be taken from there to the picnic grounds in auto trucks.

THIS WEEK'S BILL AT THE EMPRESS THEATER.



Hong Fong At The Empress—this week

The progressive policy of the Empress is being pursued with renewed vigor these days and in consequence this week the management has secured two separate shows to run alternately with the vaudeville throughout the week.

"Atlantis" in four parts, is the double attraction that will alternate with the usual vaudeville program. "Atlantis" is the film adaptation of Gerhart Hauptmann's novel of the same name, by the Great Northern Film company, and is said to be a reproduction of the Titanic and Empress of Ireland sea disasters. The vaudeville offerings consist of two headliners, Mello. Davenport's European Models, a novelty posing act, and Hong Fong, the Chinese Harry Lauder. Eldridge and Darlow will present "The Law," a comedy sketch, and Dresser and Fox are billed as Instrumental Musical Boys. The vaudeville shows will be at the usual hours. The Empress will open an hour earlier than usual this week and "Atlantis" will only be exhibited daily at 11 a. m. to 2 p. m., again at 5 p. m. to 7 p. m. and 10 p. m. to 11 p. m. The usual prices will prevail.

REV. MACKAY SAFE IN LONDON

Rector of All Saints' Episcopal Church Expects to Return Soon.

OTHERS IN BRITISH CAPITAL

Colonel and Mrs. J. H. Mithen and George F. Reim Safely Housed in England—Others Also Heard From.

Following the rush of tourists to European seaports and to London, when the war broke out, and the reopening of a limited cable service to America, numerous cablegrams are being received telling of the arrival of the tourists at places of safety. Rev. Thomas J. Mackay, rector of All Saints church, was one of the prominent Omahans who have been heard from. He is safe in London and in good health, according to a message received by Mrs. Mackay. It was feared that he was in Germany or Belgium when the fighting began. He is expected to return to America at the first opportunity.

Colonel and Mrs. J. H. Mithen of Omaha, who have been touring continental Europe this summer and were in the war zone when hostilities broke out, finally reached London in safety, and their friends are quite relieved to hear from them. Harry K. Rastion, Colonel Mithen's business partner, received a cablegram stating that they were safe at Hotel Cecil in London.

Glad to Be in London. George R. Reim, manager of the Cadillac Auto company of Omaha, has sent a message to his associates here that he has safely arrived at London from continental Europe. He intimated nothing as to the disturbed conditions, except that he was glad to be where he was.

Among Omahans abroad, who have not been heard from since hostilities began is Miss Luella Pegau, who landed at Antwerp about July 20, and was going to Wetter, Ruhr, Germany. Her sister, Mrs. Julia Pegau Hahn, 2420 Templeton street, is anxiously awaiting a cablegram. She fears Miss Pegau may have been unable to reach London because of her nearness to the seat of war.

A telegram to The Bee from Susseid, Lorch & Co. of New York states that they have received word from Julius Hartmann, American consular agent at Lucerne, Switzerland, that Jull Porter of Omaha is safe and well there at Hotel Montana.

SOCIALISTS PLAN TO HAVE BIG STATE ENCAMPMENT

The annual state encampment of the socialists will begin Sunday. The camp will be pitched on the Elkhorn river near Waterloo, and a large number of socialists will spend the week there. It is planned to have the socialist candidate for governor, G. C. Porter of Morrill, and Fred J. Warren, socialist candidate for congress, address the encampment some time during the week. A suffrage day will be held, when speakers will boost for equal suffrage in this state.

BEN FRANKLIN CLUB PICNIC NEXT SATURDAY

Members of the Tri-City Ben Franklin club will hold their third annual picnic at Elmwood park next Saturday. Conveniences will meet the picnicers at the end of the Leavenworth street car line and convey them to the grounds. There will be a live schedule of events and a hand concert in the evening.

SHE WILL BE A BRIDE IN SEPTEMBER.



Katherine Mullin

Omaha Tennis Men Beaten at Wayne on Lobbing Game

Clarke Powell, one of the flock of tennis sharks who invaded the state tournament at Wayne the first of the week, returned to Omaha Friday night after he and his partner, Harry Koch, were properly trimmed by Oldham and Isaac of South Dakota. While Powell is yet to figure out how the Omaha players lost so much, he is enthusiastic over Wayne and the state tourney.

"They have three of the fastest courts I ever played on," quoth the vanquished Powell; "these courts in Omaha aren't in it with the courts at Wayne. And the fellows who participated in the affair were all the finest kind of chaps. The lobbing game beat the Omaha boys. None of us was prepared to smash lob and do nothing else, so we failed miserably against players that shouldn't have otherwise won. Still it's all for the best of the game and the boys out in the country deserve a big batch of credit for their interest and skill in the court game."

MANY STATE TEACHERS EXPECTED THIS YEAR

The preliminary arrangements for handling the Nebraska State Teachers' association in Omaha in the fall are already being made. The bureau of publicity is making some arrangements. Some 5,000 are expected to attend this year. The convention will be held during the first week in November.

Looking in the Window -AT- 1513 Douglas St. We Find the SMALLEST GRAND PIANO

made today. It is only 4 ft. 8 in. long (shorter than an upright). It should sell for \$650, but it is only

\$455 (TERMS)



IT'S A Brambach A. HOSPE CO.

Headquarters for the world's best pianos, including the famous Kranich & Bach, Kimball, Bush & Lane, Cable-Nelson and Hospe instruments.

THE HOME PAPER. THE OMAHA BEE—

Where Your Dollar Will Buy Most BEATON & LAIER CO. Reliable Goods at Lowest Prices

White Enamel Furniture for Your Bedroom Moderately Priced

We want you to see this new furniture, fresh from the factory, beautiful in design, specially well finished in white enamel—beds, dressers, chiffoniers, toilet tables, chairs and rockers—making it possible to furnish a dainty sleeping room, artistic in effect at very small cost.

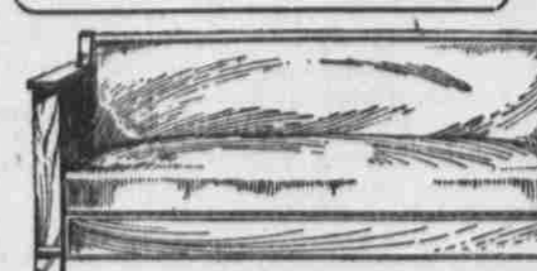
- Beds, \$12.00 and up. Dressers, \$18.00 up. Chiffoniers, \$12.00 up. Toilet Tables, \$13.00 up. Chairs, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.50. Rockers, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00.

45-Pound Elastic Felt Mattress, ART TICK, With Roll Edge \$6.50



Made from cleanest, purest, felted cotton, built in layers as the cut shows. A soft, elastic felt mattress, covered in specially selected art ticking with a heavy French roll edge. A splendid value at \$6.50.

COMBINATION FELT MATTRESS Covered in art ticking, has roll edge, filled with carefully selected material, heavy felt top and bottom and sides; a mattress that will give you good service. Full size or 3-6 \$3.90



Pullman Style Revolving Seat BED DAVENPORT Genuine Leather \$39.75

This bed has a solid oak frame, full paneled ends, genuine leather, no imitation, upholstered seat and back, opens out into large comfortable bed, with non-sagging tubular frame-spring. We can furnish mahogany finish or golden oak frames if desired—in real leather, only \$39.75

This Massive Mission Rocker—Solid Oak Genuine Leather \$15.75



One of the greatest values ever offered at anywhere near this price. Built of solid oak, a very massive frame, genuine leather seat and back with wide arms, finished in genuine fumed color. May be had in Early English or golden oak also.

Craft Hand Made Rugs, Hearth Side Rugs Special Prices

These are like the rugs grandmother used to make, made from new cretonnes in old colonial designs and colorings. Suitable for the best homes. This week we offer some special values in these popular, attractive, washable rugs.

- 27x54 size, regular values 90c, special 75c 30x60 size, regular value \$1.25, special 90c 27x54 size, regular value \$1.75, special ... \$1.25 30x60 size, regular value \$2.00, special \$1.50

New Patterns in Summer and Fall Draperies

The new Sunfast over-drapery cloth will appeal to you because of its beauty and durability. It looks better longer than any other material of similar nature.

- 50-inch Sunfast, all new patterns and colors, special offering for a few days only, per yard 95c 36-inch plain Ames Cloth for bungalows, all colors, a splendid new drapery material, per yard 50c 50-inch Kirtle Cloth, the new shadow effect material, most artistic, adding greatly to the appearance of your decorative scheme, fine for over-drapery, per yard \$1.50 SPECIAL PORTIERES MADE TO ORDER These are velvet portieres. We are making them up special during August only. You may select the colors desired to match your decorations. We will make and hang them during August, per pair \$25