

# HOME NOTES AND SOCIAL GOSSIP

## NOTES ON OMAHA SOCIETY

### Country Club the Scene of Many Very Pleasant Parties

### WEDNESDAY EVENING IS FILLED

### Ladies' Night Promises to Be One of Most Notable by Reason of Many Dinner and Other Parties.

Wednesday, ladies' day, at the Country club, and Saturday evening the weekly dinner and dance, have in other seasons been the popular days for entertaining, with practically no dinners or luncheons given during the interval. It is different this year, as about every day a luncheon or dinner is given at the club. Tuesday evening Mr. Frank Hamilton will give a dinner in honor of Mrs. Klykondall, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart of Council Bluffs.

Wednesday Miss Flora Webster will entertain forty guests in honor of Miss Cranmer of Denver. Mrs. Charles Sweet, eight guests; Mrs. Martin, eighteen guests; Mrs. Palmer, four; Mrs. J. B. Rahn, seven; Mrs. B. T. White, twelve; Mrs. A. J. Love, eight; Mrs. D. M. Vinsonhaler, four, and Miss Balcombe, six.

Wednesday evening sixteen of the old friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Fairfield will dine together in honor of Mrs. E. M. Fairfield, who has recently returned from a few months' stay in Europe. Thursday, being the Fourth of July and a holiday, a long list of reservations have already been made. Miss Mildred Lomax will entertain twenty-four guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Connell six, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howe six, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gulou five, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gaines five, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sweet six, Dr. and Mrs. Hull fourteen, Miss Louise Peck twenty, Mr. T. C. Byrne six, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Butler six, Mr. Stockton Heth eight, Mr. Martin eight, Mr. Thomas A. Fry eight, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Kitzendall six, Mr. Joseph Baldrige six, Mr. Warren four, Mr. C. C. George four, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Vinsonhaler four, Charles P. Davis four, Mr. and Mrs. L. Doup five, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Miller five.

### Monday Night Dinners.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Moorehead were honor guests at a dinner given by Miss Ethel Tukey Monday evening at the Country club. Garden flowers adorned the table and those present were Mr. and Mrs. Moorehead, Miss Julia Higginson, Miss Gertrude Moorehead, Miss Sadie Allen of Kansas City, Mr. Lawrence Brinker, Mr. Arthur Cooley and Mr. Harry Tukey.

Mrs. C. W. Hamilton, who leaves the middle of this month for a year's absence in Europe, was honor guest at a pretty luncheon Tuesday given at the Country club by Mrs. Arthur C. Smith. The table was brightened with garden flowers. Those present were: Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. F. N. Conner, Mrs. Ben Gallagher, Mrs. J. N. H. Patrick, Mrs. Yost, Mrs. Nott, Mrs. W. H. Millard, Mrs. Deuel, Mrs. George L. Miller, Mrs. Hull, Miss Ruth Fayles of Oak Park, Ill., and Miss Lupin.

Mrs. Raymond Welch entertained at luncheon Tuesday at the Country club in honor of the Misses Bell of Nashville, Tenn. The table had an attractive centerpiece of shasta dahlias. Covers were laid for the Misses Bell, Mrs. Charles Clapp, Mrs. George Peck, Miss Marie Crounse and Mrs. Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gulou and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Brogan gave one of the most delightful informal parties of the season Monday evening at the Country club in honor of Miss de Cistue of Granada, Spain. The evening was spent in music and dancing. About forty guests were present.

### At the Field Club.

Mrs. Paul Burchell will give a small luncheon at the Field club Wednesday in honor of the Misses Windemeyer of Boulder, Colo., guest of Miss Henrietta Rees.

Mr. Arthur Jaynes will give a dinner at the Field club Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. W. H. Leavitt, guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Comstock.

Mr. Fred Hamilton will give a dinner at the Field club Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Cranmer, guest of Miss Margaret Wood.

### Picnic for Supper.

Miss de Cistue of Granada, Spain, guest of Miss Sam Hamilton, Miss Cranmer of Denver, guest of Miss Margaret Wood, and Miss Parks of Providence, R. I., are still pushing to keep all of the many social affairs planned in their honor. Tuesday Mr. Lee McShane will give a picnic complement to them all. The crowd will be taken out in automobiles and will start about 5 o'clock to find some attractive grove to have supper. There will be twenty-six in the party.

Miss Henrietta gave a delightful tea Monday afternoon from 3 to 5, in honor of her guests, the Misses Walmeyer of Boulder, Colo. The rooms were trimmed with garden roses and apparatus ferns. About thirty-five guests were present during the afternoon to meet these charming young women.

Mrs. Clarence L. Ross entertained informally Monday afternoon at two tables of bridge. The prize of the afternoon was won by Mrs. C. A. Pratt. Those present were Mrs. Herbert McCoy, Mrs. W. K. Foote, Mrs. Earl R. Stiles, Mrs. C. A. Pratt, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. R. W. Moody and Mrs. Leo Grotte.

Mrs. W. H. Leavitt, nee Miss Ruth Bryan, to the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Comstock, at 350 Harney street.

Mrs. Bertha Cone has returned from a visit in Kansas City.

Mrs. Morrissey and Miss Edith Allan of Kansas City will arrive Wednesday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Tukey.

Miss Sadie Allen, who has been visiting Miss Ethel Tukey and other Omaha friends, will leave Saturday for her home in Kansas City.

The Misses Bell of Nashville, Tenn., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clapp, are making a very short visit, as they leave Friday for their home, but they have succeeded in crowding in a large num-

ber of social functions, mostly given in their honor, during their week's stay. Miss Helen Walmeyer of Boulder, Colo., is the guest of Mrs. Howard Graham and Miss Edith Fisher.

Miss Ruth Fayles of Oak Park, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. C. E. Yost.

Mrs. John L. Kennedy will entertain very informally at bridge Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Bell have gone to Wall Lake, Ia.

Miss Faith Hoel, Miss Mary Morgan, Miss Mary Bedwell, Miss Zola Dellecker and Miss Ella Wirt of Council Bluffs left Monday evening for Chicago to attend the national convention of the Kappa Alpha Theta society.

Mrs. Francis C. Grable and Miss Katherine Grable are boarding at 224 Harney street.

### MODEL OF THE GUIMP FROCK

Illustration of the Surplice Lines, Showing V Front and

Simplest and most numerous of all the guimp frocks are those of surplislike lines, leaving a deep V front and back to be filled in with net or lace or chiffon or what one will. Innumerable changes are rung upon this idea and the astonishing number of inexpensive frocks in taffeta, pongee, voile, linen and cotton materials are made up along such lines. Often the effect is quite attractive, though one wears of the general idea, and this same surplice effect is to be found in some of the smartest of the French frocks as well as in the cheap, ready made jumper dresses.

Take for example a frock of the Pekin stripe black and white silk voile which has attained such pronounced popularity. Here again we hark back to the restaurant



STRIPED GOWN.

dinner, for the frock was worn there by one of a party who had evidently motored in from out of town.

The woman who wore it had a charming figure and the gown was beautifully cut and hung and draped, but the draped surplice bodice and the full skirt, plaited in tiny plaits at the waistband and pressed, not attached, were of the simplest. A narrow fold of black liberty satin bordered the surplice edges, and a fold slightly wider was set at the bottom of the skirt.

There were little bows of black satin set on the front and back of the girdle, which was of the folded voile. So much for the body of the frock, but the guimps and the undersleeves of net and lace were works of art, so fine and dainty and original were they, and the points of the V, back and front, were filled in up to the bust line with oriental embroidery and vivid barbate greens and yellows and blues and reds done on white silk mousseline.

### SUMMER BREAKFAST MENU

Some Tempting Warm Weather Dishes and How to Make Them.

Cherries au Natural.  
Cracked Wheat with Cream and Sugar.  
Spanish Omelet. Buttered Toast.  
French Fried Potatoes.  
Broiled Lamb. Rice Muffins.  
Coffee.

Cherries au Natural—Select the finest bunches of cherries and wash in cold water; place two or three of the bunches on small individual fruit plates on which a few cherry leaves have been arranged. If the cherries are very sour a small plate containing powdered sugar may be served beside each plate.

Cracked Wheat with Cream and Sugar—Into four cups of boiling water stir one cup of cracked wheat and a small teaspoonful of salt. Boil for two hours in a double boiler, serve with cream and sugar. If desired the wheat may be cooked the day before and placed in a cool place until the next morning. If this is done serve cold with cream and sugar.

Spanish Omelet—Chop finely as much boiled ham, using fat and lean, as will fill a teaspoon, and add to this a tablespoonful of minced onion and one-half of a green chili pepper chopped fine. Cook the ham, onion and pepper in a cup of tomatoes for ten minutes. Beat six eggs slightly, add salt to taste; fry in a buttered pan until delicately brown; place on an omelet dish garnished with parsley; fold in the mixture of ham, onions, pepper and tomatoes; serve while hot.

Buttered Toast—Toast slices of bread cut an inch thick until a golden brown; put an inch thick until a golden brown; put small pieces of butter on each slice and place in hot oven a few minutes for the butter to soften; then spread evenly over the toast, taking care to not press too heavily or the toast will be heavy. Toast should always be served immediately after being prepared.

French Fried Potatoes—Wash and pare as many potatoes as required, cut in lengthwise pieces; soak in cold water one hour; remove from water and dry on a towel; fry until a light brown; drain on paper and sprinkle with salt; serve at once.

Broiled Lamb Chops—Place the chops in a double boiler and broil for ten minutes over the fire; turn two or three times while cooking; place on a hot shop dish; sprinkle with salt and pour over each chop a little

melted butter; a small amount of lemon juice improves the flavor.

Rice Muffins—One-half a pint of rice boiled, mashed into a smooth paste; add slowly to this one cupful of milk, three beaten eggs, salt; mix in flour enough to make the consistency of a stiff cake batter.

Coffee—Buy a good grade of coffee. Most large grocery stores have fresh roasted coffee, but it is best when roasted and ground at home. The water used should be boiled fifteen minutes before it is poured on the coffee. Any good granite pot will do in which to make coffee if it is kept clean and well stirred. To one cup of ground coffee add a beaten egg and the shell, which has been washed and crushed. Place in coffee pot and pour in a cup of cold water; mix the coffee and water well, then add six cups of boiling water; boil five minutes, stirring frequently. When boiled the required length of time pour a small amount into a cup and pour back into the pot to cause the grounds to settle at the bottom. Never allow coffee to get cooled before serving. Cream and sugar may be added when served.—What to Eat.

### NEW VOGUE OF THE SOUTACHE

Hand Application of This Most Adaptable Braid a Fashion Epidemic.

Soutache embroidery is, indeed, the most virulent fashion epidemic of the season, and by prodigious use of it, frocks are made not only elegant but distressingly expensive. Machine embroidery will not do for the elegant. Her soutaching must be done by hand and the designers achieve beautiful effects of intricate figure and line far removed from the ordinary soutrache braiding done in commonplace designs and by machine.

The finest of braids is used and as a rule it is applied on the edge. Usually the braiding matches in color the material to which it is applied, and that material may be anything from the finest chiffon or mull to substantial linen or satin or cloth.

Soutache embroidery upon the very sheer materials and especially upon the finest lingerie materials is considered excessively chic, and the braid embroidery is frequently combined with embroidery in silks, closely crowded knots filling in certain details of the design.

Even in Paris hand embroidery whether in soutache or in other materials, is no longer cheap. The French work girls of today set aside the traditions of their class and instead of plying the needle as their mothers and grandmothers did before them they prefer to go into shops and factories.

So the Parisian dressmakers must pay more for embroideries than they once did and their customers must pay more for their frocks in proportion; yet even now such hand work is much cheaper in France than it is here.

First class soutache work is difficult to obtain here even when one is willing to pay the price; and for the woman who longs to follow the dictates of the fashion, yet cannot afford to have her frock embroidered by hand, the soutache embroideries on chiffon, which are among the high class trimmings, will prove a boon. These are made by machine, but the manufacturers have been happy in their designs and the work is carefully done. Bands of various kinds and separable motifs in great variety are offered in this trimming, and by clever use of this embroidery on self-tone chiffon on net an effect closely resembling that of embroidery on the frock material may be obtained.

Federal Courts are Quiet

Clerks Making Out Reports and Closing Up Records for Fiscal Year.

Matters are at an unusually quiet stage in the federal courts at Omaha at the present time, being the close of the fiscal year. The entire clerical force of the United States marshal's office is at work upon closing up the various reports for the fiscal year and getting ready for the new fiscal year beginning July 1.

The next term of court will begin the fourth Monday in September, at which time a federal grand jury will be called to investigate all offenses against the federal laws transpiring in the Omaha district since February, the date the new judicial division bill went into effect.

Several land cases are scheduled for trial at the September term of court and for which indictments are now pending, the indicted parties being out on bond. The most important of these is the Chicago Ranch company case in which a number of Chicago parties figure as promoters of a big ranch scheme in Sheridan county involving some 20,000 acres of land, wherein attempts were made to secure title by fraudulent means and fictitious entries. The bulk of the remainder of the land cases involve small tracts of land running from 3,000 to 15,000 acres of lands in Sheridan, Cherry, Box Butte, Thomas and Hooker counties, in which the general allegation is conspiracy to defraud the government out of title to public lands, and embrace some thirty or forty defendants.

### LIKE DAVY CROCKETT'S COON

Woman Tells Woodbridge Not to Search for She Will Come Down.

Sanitary Officer Woodbridge had a novel experience Tuesday morning when called to 322 North Twenty-eighth avenue, where a case which was thought to be smallpox existed. The suspect was Mrs. Nellie Olmstead, the mother of a young family. She was not seriously ill, but did not desire to keep her out of the house, but he insisted on making a thorough inspection. He said that he was particularly anxious to visit the upstairs rooms and started in that direction, when a voice from the cellar said:

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### LINING UP FOR ELECTIONS

City and County Clerks Are Making Preliminary Plans.

### VOTING MACHINES TOO SMALL

Room for Only Forty Candidates and Forty-Three Will Be on the Ticket to Be Voted For.

The first step looking to the fall campaign will take place Wednesday, when the county clerk and city clerk will begin to make contracts for places wherein to hold the primaries and registration of voters for the fall election.

There is some doubt as to the practical enforcement of the primary law this year, as that law provides that the day of the primary shall be the first day for the registration of voters and does not in terms repeal the old registration law, which fixes three other days for that purpose. Under a somewhat similar condition a year ago it was decided that registration on primary day was not sufficient and those who registered that day were compelled to perform the duty a second time. An opinion has been asked from the attorney general and he has replied that he must give the question greater consideration than now possible before rendering a decision.

The second year for the use of the voting machine finds that device inadequate for the purpose. At the coming election in Omaha there will be forty-three candidates to be voted for, including members of the school board. The machine is only equipped for forty candidates and the election officers are in a quandary as to method of procedure. It has been suggested that candidates for the school board be voted for by ballot, but the objection is made that this would require the construction of a number of booths and available space in buildings in some of the voting precincts will make such an arrangement difficult.

Under the new law the county clerk is compelled to issue his notice of primary election July 15 and before that time must have contracts for all voting places in hand.

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