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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Marie Marshall entertained her 171 friends from 5 to 10 last Saturday evening at her home, 1234 U street. The evening's festivities included a dainty luncheon, dancing and a "donkey contest." Miss Willoughby presided at the instrument for the terpsichorean exercise. The donkey caused a great deal of merriment. A figure of the animal, minus a tail, was fastened to the wall. Each member of the party was blindfolded in turn and given a chance to pin the tail to the donkey. The one placing the caudal appendage nearest its proper place was awarded the victory, and the prize, a beautiful bouquet, fell to Miss Ethel Hooper. The young ladies had a delightful evening, and on bidding their happy hostess good night found a carry-all at hand to convey them home. The favored guests were Misses Ella Raymond, May Burr, Lucy Griffith, Grace Oakley, Pearl Agey, Maud Mateer, Lothe Whendon, Daisy Bonnell, Katie Criley, Hady Burwith, Josephine Kottledge, Grace Burr, Maud Oakley, Ethel Hooper, Jeanne Bell, Osnab Imhoff, Jennie Stewart, Agnes Sewell, Stella Curtice, May Moore. The Society of the Hall in the Grove has re-organized and taken up a three-year course in history arranged by Rev. Dr. McClintock of the Chautauque college and Rev. Dr. Adams of Johns Hopkins. Mrs. T. H. Leavitt is the new president and Frank Smith the secretary. Mrs. E. G. Rollins, Mrs. Isaac Johnson and Mrs. S. C. Elliott are the program committee. The society will meet every second Friday evening. Mrs. J. K. Marlay will conduct the meeting of Oct. 4th and Mrs. James Altin that of October 18th. The program of next week's meeting will be given by Mrs. M. D. Welch, Mr. Frank Smith, Mrs. Marlay, Mrs. Rollins, Mrs. Leavitt and the members generally. A special feature will be accounts of the Paris exposition by members of the society who have visited it. Miss Kittie Closson was "surprised" by a party of young people at her home, 1709 O street, Monday evening. Being about to leave for her school at Hillsdale, Mich., her friends called to say good-bye and filled out a pleasant evening with music and games. Those present were: Misses Minnie Peckham, Etta Root, Anna Closson, Lulu Young, Alice Orr, Lacie Small, Odile Closson and Masterman, Messrs. E. L. Taylor, T. Perry, J. F. Coleman, Harry Moore, Will Herdman, Burton George and David Orr. Mr. Albert E. Betts and Miss Mabel Mendenhall were married Thursday evening at the bride's home. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. E. H. Curtis in the presence of a few relatives and friends. After a wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Betts were driven to a home awaiting them at M and Twenty-fourth streets. The groom is the confidential clerk of Hon. R. E. Moore, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. A. H. Mendenhall of the Journal company. They have a large circle of well-wishing friends. Mr. Edmund A. Pegler and Miss Lenora Howard were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Howard, 1840 M street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. S. Stein in the presence of a small company of relatives and near friends, who afterward sat down to a fine supper. The bridegroom is a surveyor in the R. & M. land department. He had prepared a home at 725 North Fifteenth streets, where he and his bride will receive friends after Oct. 10. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holm were at home to a few friends Wednesday evening in honor of Mr. Ed Holm, a visiting relative who formerly called Lincoln his home. The evening was pleasantly passed in progressive casino, and to close the occasion ices and cakes were served. It was a pleasant affair, without the customary ostentations of a party. Mr. John G. Morrison of St. Paul, Neb., and Mrs. Ella K. Smith were married at ten o'clock yesterday morning at the home of the bride, Sixteenth and F streets. Rev. E. H. Curtis officiated. They took the H & M. for a western trip. The groom is an attorney at St. Paul, but he contemplates removing to Lincoln. Mrs. Maggie Sperry entertained the Woman's Relief Corps sewing bee Wednesday. A quilt for the Soldiers' Home was made, and the hostess spread a tempting luncheon. Among those present were Mrs. Walters of New York and Mrs. Mitchell of Falls City. Miss Julia M., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Gregory of Eighteenth and K streets, was married Monday evening to Mr. Elliott W. Eaves, a banker at Lewiston, Idaho. The newly wedded couple left on the night train for their western home. The Browning society under the direction of Prof. Sherman has resumed its work. The ladies meet at four o'clock on Friday afternoons, and their leader has imparted to them a large share of his enthusiasm for Browning. Bishop John B. Vincent, Methodist, the originator and embodiment of the Chautauque idea, is expected in the city Monday and will be present at the Wesleyan university chapel Tuesday morning. Miss Mary Alger was married Thursday to Mr. W. E. Stryker of New York. Rev. J. C. Hewitt officiated. After a wedding trip west the new couple will go east and make their home at Orange, N. J. The new officers of the Willard W. C. T. U. are: President, Mrs. E. M. Cooley; recording secretary, Mrs. Joseph Bohlow; corresponding secretary, Mrs. S. P. Charles; treasurer, Mrs. Hubbard. Miss Gertrude L. Daily, niece of Mr. Henry Zehring, left Thursday for her home at Vermillion, South Dakota. She stops at Sioux City enroute to "do" the corn palace. Chancellor Creighton of Wesleyan university has received a call from the First M. E. church of Indianapolis, which offers a salary of \$2,500 and a furnished parsonage. Lewis Thiers, the visiting brother of the Musical Thiers, has returned to West Virginia with the intention of settling up his affairs and settling down in Lincoln. Mrs. W. E. Stewart left Wednesday with her friends, Mrs. A. R. Benton of Indianapolis and Mrs. Elizabeth Durphy of Rochester, for Indianapolis. Gov. and Mrs. Thayer, who have been living at the Windsor for some time, are furnishing a new home at Prospect and Nineteenth streets. Among Lincoln's visitors to Sioux City's corn palace this week were Miss Emma Gillespie, Mrs. W. H. Irvine and daughter and I. G. Chapin. Certain of the Pleasant Hour seniors are talking up a dancing party for October, and reorganization may begin within the next two weeks. J. M. Dotz, assistant cashier of the American bank at Sidney, has brought his family to Lincoln to make a home. Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Bell entertained the Congregational society of Christian Endeavor Wednesday evening. Miss Tress Wheeler was happily "surprised" Wednesday evening by young friends at her home on P street. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Burr pleasantly entertained a company at cards Thursday evening. Old trunks made as good as new or taken in trade for new ones at trunk factory 308 So. 11th st., tel. 663. Wirrick & Hopper. Also a fine line of trunks, valises, etc.

LIGHTNING'S STRANGE FEATS.

Queer and Serious Things Done in a Twinkling by the Subtle Fiend. James Craig, a Scottish servant employed by Elias Rogers, a carpenter, who resides at Allentown, N. J., was the victim of a queer prank of lightning a few years ago. He was sitting in the kitchen broiling a piece of meat over the fire, and a fierce thunder storm was raging without. A flash of lightning struck the house and the electric current ran down the chimney, knocked Craig senseless, and threw the meat and spider into another room. Craig was given up for dead, but in an hour came to and stated that he had not been insensible since the second when the shock occurred, but had been unable to move a muscle, although he had heard everything that was going on about him. His left side was badly burned and one of his shoes was torn from his foot and found nearly twenty feet from where he sat when the house was struck. Two peculiar cases of death by electricity occurred in Asbury Park a few years ago, and the story is oft told there. James Young and Henry Brooke, two house painters, were at work on the exterior of a cottage on Wesley lake when a terrific thunder storm came up. They fled to the interior of the house, and after the storm had passed and the sun was again shining they went back to their scaffold. Just as each painter touched his brush to the wet woodwork a flash of lightning came, followed quickly by a crash of thunder, and a workman in a nearby house saw both of them fall. Shortly afterward it was discovered that both men were dead, although their bodies bore no marks, save dull black lines about the fingers which held the brushes. One day a 6-year-old child in a Connecticut town was playing in the garret during a severe thunder storm. A chimney was struck. The bolt ran down the side of the house to the ground. The family were extremely frightened, but unharmed. They missed the golden haired darling of the house, but soon found him, uninjured but completely dazed. But instead of yellow curls, the child's hair was changed to a jolly black. A queer experience befell Miss Jennie Button, of Springfield, Mass., when a residence on Florida street was struck by lightning. Miss Button was standing in her room with a hat in her hand when the current shattered the door frame within a few feet of her. The shock knocked her down, and for some time afterward she was deaf in consequence. An examination of the hat showed that the lightning had skeletonized the feather on her hat completely. Miss Cora Kirtland, who was standing down stairs in the dining room at the time of this shock, held a knife in her hand, and the shock drove the knife through one of her fingers, cutting it to the bone.—New York Press. Young but Humorous. "When two little girls put their heads together," said a Yonkers lady, who knew very well what she was talking about, "they can usually concoct and carry out a scheme of pure mischief that neither of them, alone, would have thought of. If they happen to have a brother a few years their senior, he is likely to be made an unwilling factor in the plot. My 12-year-old boy, Bertie, seems to have a natural taste for gardening. This year he laid out a small plot of ground behind our house and set a row of beans. He planted them too late, and though they grew very rapidly, I did not think they would reach maturity. I told him so, but he was reluctant to adopt this view of the situation, and every morning he took his twin sisters, Nora and Fannie, five years younger than he is, to see how his beans were getting on. They grew tired of this daily inspection, and yesterday Nora tauntingly told him that if he had begun his husbandry earlier in the season, as she and Fannie had done, he would have had a better chance of success. The little girls led him to a distant part of the garden, where they showed him two neat vegetable beds, one containing a full grown cabbage, and the other a blooming onion plant, evidently ready for uprooting. The wondering boy, mortified that his sisters should have shown forethought so much greater than his own, and convinced at last that his beans would be rotten before they were ripe, pulled his plants out of the ground and threw them away, rebuking his sisters as he did so for their unseemly and apparently meaningless laughter. His temper was not improved by my telling him that I missed a cabbage and an onion from the cellar, and that the little beds at the foot of the garden did not look as though they had been more than an hour under cultivation. When he was going to bed last night he found the onion in his trousers pocket and the cabbage resting between the sheets."—New York Sun. An Accommodating Prisoner. One of the most accommodating prisoners lately heard from is named Jack Meeds, and he is now a resident of Alfred for a limited period. He and another prisoner named Dalton were taken to Alfred jail in a wagon, the other day, by one George Haley. On the way the driver found his road blocked by two work teams and the driver whose team was on the right hand side refused to budge; Haley tried to drive by him with the result that the wagon was overturned. While the driver's attention was occupied in holding the horse, Dalton started on a run across the fields. Meeds, instead of showing a disposition to follow, held the horses while Haley ran Dalton down and brought him back, helped patch up the broken harness and finally offered to walk up if Haley would give him his mittimus. The team was repaired at last and the trio reached the jail without further mishaps.—Lewiston Journal. "Show me a man who rides a velocipede or bicycle, and I'll show you a case of spinal complaint," says Dr. Agnew.

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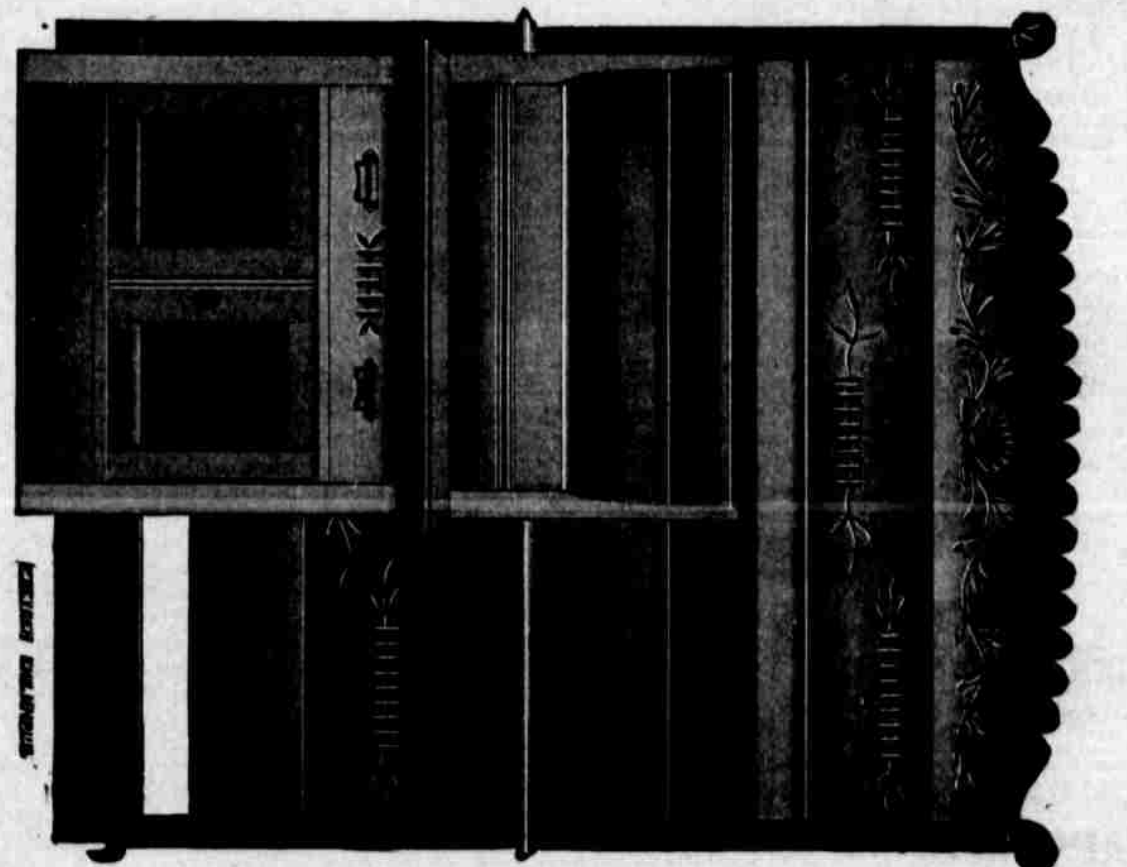
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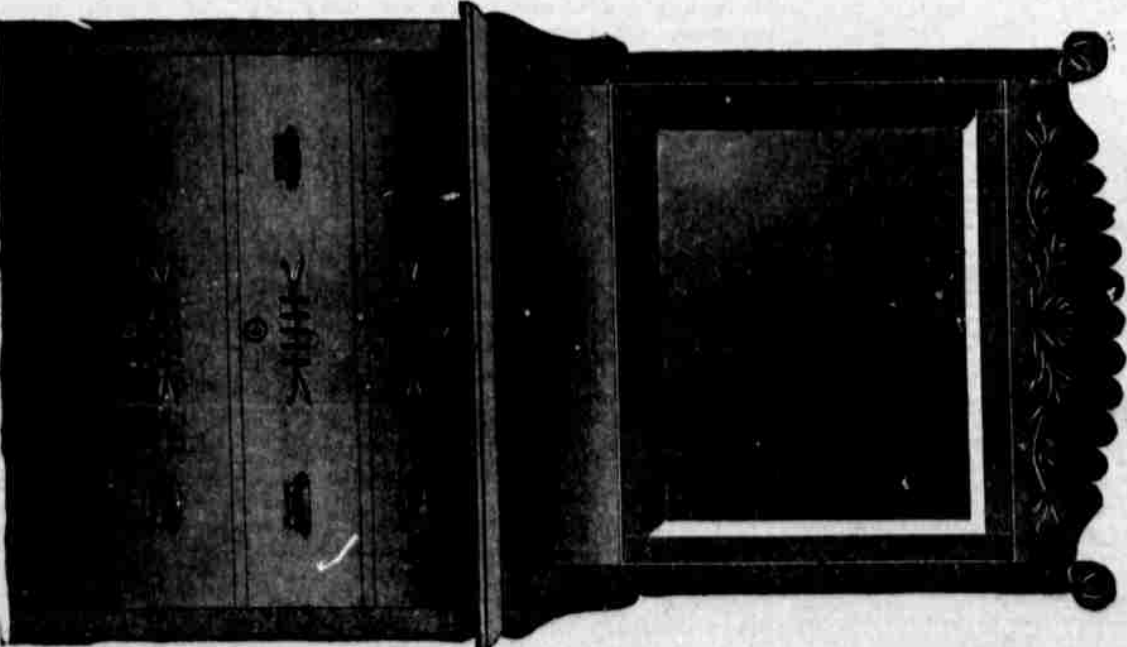
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