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Church Advertisements. Commencing April first, THE COURIER will insert notices pertaining to societies, festivals, lectures, meetings and sermons for all churches free of charge. Advertisements for entertainments where an admission is charged will be inserted at one-half the regular rate.

Legal Notices.

In District Court, Lancaster Co., Neb., Deidrich Switzer defendant will take notice that on the eleventh day of April, 1892, John W. Gillespie plaintiff herein filed his petition in the district court of Lancaster county Nebraska, against said defendant, the object and prayer of which are to recover possession of the north half of the north-west quarter of section twelve, in town eleven north range five, east of the sixth p. m. in Lancaster county, Nebraska, and for \$400 rents and profits received by said defendant while he has held unlawful possession thereof and for costs of suit. You are required to answer said petition on or before Monday the 15th day of February, 1892. JOHN W. GILLESPIE, by Davis & Hansen, Att'ys.

Local and Personal.

Whitebreast Coal and Lime Company. Lincoln Ice Co., 1040 O St. Telephone 223. Canon City Coal at the Whitebreast Coal and Lime Co. Only the finest cuts and choicest meats served to customers of Chipman & Sheen, 1841 O Street. Phone 180. Ladies can have their party dresses cleaned by the French dry process at the Lincoln Steam Dye works 1105 O Street. Applications for rental of Turner hall for socials and dancing received at P. J. Wohlberg's cigar store, 128 S. 11th street. Financed shirts cleaned without shrinking by the French dry cleaning process, only 15 cts. at Lincoln Steam Dye works, 1105 O Street. "Not how cheap, but how good" is the motto of the new Studio Le Grande. Call and see their work, 134 south Twelfth street. Orders for piano tuning left with Young and Elder, 208 south Eleventh street, will receive prompt attention by S. C. Quick. Never order a photograph or picture of any kind until you have seen the work done at the new Studio Le Grande, 134 south Twelfth street. The celebrated Egg Shampoo removes dandruff and promotes the growth of the hair. For sale by Miss Johnston, 1114 O Street. Hotting the O Street grocer says he is human and makes mistakes but will cheerfully rectify them. That is more than some will do. The Feminine base burner is the latest improved heater in the market. Before buying, call and see a full line at Dunham & Buck, 1136 O Street. Gentlemen should now get out their hair, trim it, take it to the Lincoln Steam Dye works 1105 O Street and have it cleaned, dyed, repaired or pressed out. Ladies studios and a full line of artists materials at popular prices at the new Lincoln frame and art company, with Elite studio, 208 south Eleventh street. Original round oak stoves, the only slight round oak stove on the market, consequently the most economical in consumption of fuel. Sold only by Dunham and Buck 1136 O Street. Ladies will consult their best interests by ordering their meat and game at Chipman and Sheen, 1841 O Street. All orders either in person or over telephone 180 will be promptly delivered.



The COURIER invites its readers to contribute to this department, sending us either by mail, messenger or telephone, (No. 253, personal items, reports of parties, socials, teas, weddings, church entertainments, musicals, etc., which have or are about to occur. Never mind the language; give us the points and we will do the rest. It is essential though, that we have this information at the earliest practicable moment. Whenever an invitation to these events is extended, a COURIER representative will be delegated to attend personally. - E.D.]

G. W. Mason started Saturday for Denver. G. H. Heffy started Monday for Chicago. C. C. Stanley of Omaha is visiting in town. Mary R. Campbell left for Denver Saturday.

Mrs. E. Herbert started for Chicago Monday. A. L. Hartshorn left for Charles City, Ia. Monday.

J. F. Streeter started Monday for Pasadena, Cal. Z. R. and P. A. Eckert started Monday for Flagler, Cal.

Hon. L. L. Davis of Beatrice was in the city Monday. Hon. John Steen of Wahoo, was in the city this week.

V. O. English of the Burlington was in the city Saturday. J. S. Welty started Saturday night for Hot Springs, Ark.

Miss Mary R. Campbell left Monday for Georgetown, Colo. G. W. Gerwig left Tuesday for a three weeks trip in the east.

Dr. Taylor returned Monday from a trip through the Northwest. Mr. John B. Cunningham returned Tuesday from a trip to Texas.

Henry Verberg and F. E. Luyster started for Indianapolis Monday. G. B. Harner was among the passengers bound for Chicago Monday.

Mrs. John Zehrung has been visiting friends in Omaha this week. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robbins have returned from their trip to Illinois.

A. S. Green, of Beatrice, is in the city this week, looking up old friends. Colonel Frank Edgecomb of the Falls City Journal was in the city Tuesday.

The Thimble club met Wednesday afternoon with Miss Jennie Underwood. There will be a ladies reception at the Union club next Wednesday evening.

Misses Maud Burr and Olive Latta enjoyed a sojourn in Nebraska City the past week. W. C. Massey, of Geneva, county clerk of Fillmore county was in the city over Sunday.

Madames C. Thompson, E. E. Brown, and C. E. Yates visited friends in Omaha Saturday. Dr. W. Reeves has removed to Denver which place will be his permanent residence in the future.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Dayton were called to Chicago, on account of the illness of relatives there, Saturday. F. L. Rheddon and family started for New York, Monday, where they will spend a couple of months.

Mrs. John I. Underwood was called to Dayton, Ohio, Monday, by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Howell. Miss Mary Burr, who has been spending the holiday vacation at home here, returned to her studies Monday.

John W. Pastgate of the Chicago Herald, is rustling about Lincoln in the interest of that enterprising sheet. Miss Ena Hearn of Auburn, Neb., is in attendance at the conservatory of music, having arrived here Monday.

Miss Mary E. Noonan, who has been spending the holidays in Iowa, has returned to her studies at Davenport, Ia. J. H. Albright and Mrs. C. E. Albright returned from an extended visit among relatives and friends in Boston.

W. S. Howell, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, is in the city on business. Professor Morse, of the conservatory, who has been spending the holiday vacation visiting friends in Illinois, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kile of Beatrice were in the city Saturday. They intend to take up their residence at this place in the near future. The monthly social of Electa Chapter, No. 1 will be held at the home of Mrs. L. W. Geroutte, 334 north Twelfth street Tuesday evening.

Miss Bessie Hall, of Omaha, returned to her home Sunday after a pleasant visit in this city, as the guest of Miss Lelia Shears at the Lincoln. Mrs. John M. Cotton left for Broken Bow Sunday in response to a message stating that her sister, Mrs. C. E. Wilkinson, was dangerously ill.

Amasa Wilson of Denver, is visiting his mother in this city. His sister, Miss Jeanette, entertained a few friends in his honor Thursday evening. The Plymouth Literary club will meet with Mrs. Allyn, 1707 Washington street Tuesday evening. The subject for the evening will be "James Fenimore Cooper."

Miss Belle Souley, who has been the guest of Miss Fannie Hawley, 1738 M Street, for several days past, returned Monday to her home in Nebraska City, after a pleasant visit. Miss Ida Tew of Beatrice, who has been the guest of her sister, Miss Helen, in this city for several days, returned to her home Saturday evening, well pleased with her reception here.

The Beta club held a very pleasant meeting at the home of Mrs. Scott, New Years' night. An entertaining program was rendered and appetizing refreshments enjoyed. Miss Ona Imhoff received her young friends to the number of about seventy at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Imhoff, New Years' afternoon between three and six o'clock. Light refreshments were served. A number of young ladies assisted the hostess in receiving.

The members of Owashtonong club, which was organized for the season, were entertained

by Mr. and Mrs. James W. Smith at their home, 1505 L Street. Card were the feature of the evening. Those present were the Messrs and Mesdames, F. M. Blish, A. M. Stewart, Thomas G. Love, James Miller and A. A. Scott; Prof. G. W. Hill, Miss Grace Knapp.

Guy B. Hurlbut handsomely entertained a large party of friends at his home, at Sixteenth and G streets, last evening. The occasion was one of much pleasure and will long exist among the pleasant memories of those present. The evening passed very enjoyably, with the various amusements offered and when the party retired to their respective homes they were unanimous in the praise of their host and the evening's entertainment they had enjoyed.

The election of officers of the Catholic Union club was held Tuesday evening when the following were elected for the ensuing year: Charles McFarley, president; James London, vice president; Ed. R. Butler, recording secretary; Patrick Strahan, financial secretary; W. C. Fitzgerald, treasurer; J. Sullivan, librarian; August Weiss, marshal; William V. Barton, Joseph Kern, James H. O'Neill, T. E. Kelly, Dr. T. F. Britt, executive committee.

Mrs. Colonel J. J. Kelly was the object of an excellently planned and well executed surprise at the family residence New Years' evening when she was the recipient of a handsome gold watch, the gift of her husband, and solid silver table ware from her children. The presentation remarks were made by W. R. Kelly, of Omaha, who was present with his family. A bountiful repast was served and the evening pleasantly whittled away. The surprise was complete and thorough.

A small company of friends were pleasantly entertained at high five by Miss Maria R. L. Marshall Saturday evening. The royal prizes were gracefully captured by Christina May Moore and Mattson H. J. Baldwin and the trophy by Grace L. I. Burr, John N. C. Lottridge. A delightful time was enjoyed by those present, including the Misses Jessiera E. Leland, Christina M. Moore, Grace L. I. Burr, F. J. White; Messrs. Mattson H. J. Baldwin, John N. C. Lottridge, Roscoe C. P. Curtice and Guy B. W. Hurlbut.

The Woman's Social club was gracefully entertained New Years' night at the cozy residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Sticland, corner of Eleventh and G streets, where high five and luncheon were enjoyed and a delightful evening spent. Those present were: Messrs and Mesdames R. O'Neil, C. E. Van Dusen, James Miller, Hal Northam, Dr. Trogen, R. Reilander, E. H. Pegler, Myron E. Wheeler, Douglas Shilling, Nate Cambridge, Barber, and Miss Doran of Mattoon, Ill. The trophies were awarded to Mrs. Shilling and Mr. O'Neil.

A Schilling of the Order of the World was organized here this week with fifty-two charter members. The following officers were elected and installed: Past president, Prof. D. R. Lillibridge; president, Dr. J. R. Haggard; vice-president, A. L. Manchester; secretary, Harry Fletcher; treasurer, I. L. Lyman; chaplain, Rev. John Hewitt; marshal, L. W. Emery; sentinel, Frank P. Folsom; guard, Mrs. Susie Folsom; trustees, J. E. R. Miller, Dr. T. C. Kern and Rev. T. F. Stauffer. The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening, January 30th at Young's hall, 1519 O Street.

The "Larking Club" was very pleasantly entertained at the home of Miss Helen A. Bain, on south Twenty-seventh street, East Lincoln, Tuesday evening. About twenty guests were present and enjoyed to the utmost the pleasures of high five, the torchpichon festivities, and, last but not least by any means, the appetizing refreshments provided. The party dispersed about one o'clock after a most enjoyable evening. Those present were the Misses Amber Bartley, Florence Hale, Jennie Baucher, Peterman, Margerita Hallett, Blanche Skidmore, Helen A. Bain, and Vivian; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Pace; Messrs Fred Hallett, Guy Hale, Fred Kimball, William McShane, Eugene and Thomas Hollister, George West, and Bert Campbell.

Mr. R. Binford, general agent for the McCormick harvesting machine company, left for Chicago Tuesday to make the annual report for the company's 1891 business. Mr. Binford goes to head quarters with a report that is certainly creditable to his judicious management. It shows that during the past year—one of the dulllest seen in the west in years—the business done was even far better than any year previous. Collection for, notwithstanding the very stringent times has been better the last four months of the old year showing more than double the amount of receipts than any other four months business during the company's existence in this state. This certainly speaks well for Mr. Binford and his regime. Mrs. Binford and Mrs. Frank Stewart, a visitor from Marsh-town accompanied Mr. Binford to the World's Fair City.

A very enjoyable occasion was the reception tendered by the Catholic Union club to its lady friends New Years' night at Lyceum hall. Over seventy-five couples participated as well as the Right Rev. Bishop Bonanum and Revs. Nugent, Loughran and McShane. The musical program was excellent, consisting of vocal and instrumental music by the Misses Fitzgerald, May Halberlan, Halter and Annie McGiave and Messrs Butler, Lawlor and Smyth. Mrs. Alexio Halter acted as accompanist. The address of welcome was delivered by the president, Mr. Charles McGiave, and short talks were indulged in by the Right Rev. Bishop Bonanum and Nugent. At the conclusion of the program, the company adjourned to the club rooms on the first floor, where light refreshments were served, and the remainder of the night passed in card playing and kindred amusements.

The Tuesday evening club was entertained at the home of Miss Gertrude Laws, 1113 H Street, Tuesday evening and a pleasant time enjoyed. It was intended to produce a theatrical at this meeting, but a combination of circumstances made it impossible, so the time was pleasantly spent at cards and literary exercises, each member present contributing a recitation or other interesting reading. One of the features of this portion of the entertainment was an original poem by W. Morton Smith, in which the name of each member of the club was happily mentioned. Refreshments were served during the evening. Those present were the Misses Clara Walsh, Ann Barr, Grace Griffith, Lelia Shears, Cora Hardy, Alice Cowdery, and Maud Miller; Messrs Will Still, Frank C. Zehrung, W. Morton Sam Low, Oscar Funke, Pershing, and C. D. Mullen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McDonald were treated to a pleasant surprise at their cosy home, Twenty-sixth and O streets, Tuesday evening when a large party of friends called upon them unannounced. The evening was rendered more enjoyable by games and cards, and the bounteous luncheon which was served, and the party dispersed at a late hour with the kindest of remembrances of the event. Those present included, Messrs and Mesdames, W. C. Roberts, Alvin Smith, C. R. Stevens, L. L. Lyman, George Spenser, J. C. Sealsberg, J. C. Calkins, L. O. Paces.

Bain, Tiffany, Benton; Dr. E. L. Holyoke, Mrs. H. M. Rice, Miss Bertha Rice, Mrs. Bowers, Mr. Griffith, Miss Long, Miss Peterman, Miss Helen Bain, Miss Gillum, of Cheyenne; George Hall, Raymond Hall, Miss Florence Hall, Charles Clark, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Jacobs, Hallock Rose, Miss Maud Rose, Mrs. Rose, Mr. Hoike of Sioux City, Miss Kate Young.

The Thimble club, which has been in a state of innocuous disuse for several weeks past, met with Miss Fannie Hawley, 1738 M Street, Saturday afternoon, and spent the time very pleasantly in sewing and conversation. At 6 o'clock refreshments were served to the members and invited guests and during the evening a peanut hunt was indulged in, in which the royal prizes were won by Miss Anna Funke and John Dorgan, and the booby prizes by Miss Hattie Hooper and Frank Burr. Those present were: Misses Anna Funke, Fay Marshall, Jeannette Wilson, Ruby Jones, Cora Hill, Maud Miller, Hattie Hooper Jennie Underwood, Nellie Kelly, Fan S. Hawley, Florence Hawley, and Miss Belle Souley of Nebraska City; Messrs Frank C. Zehrung, R. W. Joyce, Mr. Wilson, Will Clarke, John Dorgan, E. J. Fitzgerald, W. Morton Smith, Frank Hathaway, Frank Burr Fred Houze, Bert Wheeler, and C. Y. Smith.

The comfortable residence of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Morrison, 1631 F Street, was the scene of a happy gathering New Years' evening, when Miss Clara K. Smith entertained about fifty of her friends, who whiled away a pleasant evening at cards and dancing. Refreshments of a superb character were served and when the party dispersed about midnight there were none who had anything but words of praise for the host's successful efforts. Those present were the Misses, Della Scofield, Helen Hoover, Lizzie Smith, Sarah Graham, Bessie Turner, Ery Ricketts, Winnie Beach, Dora Harley, Mary Thiel, Louise Fowler, Nellie Newman, Florence Hale, Marie and Emerald Jones, Stella Hoyt, Ella Raymond, May Moore, Lizzie Buford, Alice Maitland and Rose Higgins; Misses Alexander, Bartlett, Sloan and Jones of Omaha; Messrs Arnd Chapman, Fred Cooley, I. H. Marsland, J. A. Barrett, Dudley Cook, Edgar Rosgan, Will Raymond, Guy Hale, Woodward Jones, Eb. Mockett, Park Garoutte, Albert Seybolt, George Steiner, Harry Radmore, Ernest Ames, Ernest Folsom, Fred Woodward, James Snyder and A. R. Hall.

[Additional society on fifth page.]

Everybody knows Eugene Hallett, the jeweler and everybody knows or ought to know that he has the largest and best selected stock of diamonds, etc., in Nebraska. Along with that, he is selling these goods at a mere nominal profit and under a strict guarantee that they are all they are represented. When Hallett says a stone is so many karats you can rest assured it is or you don't pay for it. It's so with everything else he handles. That's a pleasant rule he practices in his business, and that's one of the prime reasons his business is so large and his patron so well satisfied. It's an open secret, which the public are invited by experience to learn. It is said that "The Mills of the Gods grind slowly but they grind exceedingly fine." It would be impossible for them however, to grind stones of a finer brilliancy than those displayed by Hallett.

SOCIETY CHATTER.

The pleasant faced little cherubim, Cupid, has been unusually industrious during the closing days of the old year, and more than one pair of hearts in Lincoln have been pierced by his golden arrows. There is no resisting his onslaught, it seems. He is as invincible as the rock of ages, and with twanging bow forever keeps bringing them down.

The rumored engagement of a well known society young lady, one of Lincoln's fairest daughters, was wafted to my ears by a gentleman's zephyr Wednesday evening. I understand the event will shortly be announced and you and I will have our curiosity gratified.

As might be expected immediately after the close of the holiday season, the week has been an exceedingly quiet one in Lincoln social circles. Beyond the meeting and entertainment of some of the clubs at the homes of their members, there is little or nothing to chronicle, even the usual number of visitors having apparently concluded to remain at home and settle down to business. It may be that that unpleasant guest, the gripe, has something to do with the peaceful calmness in which the city is clothed, or it may be attributed to the New Year resolutions of the young men. Both are likely to have a bearing.

The ducky birds tell me that a well known and prominent young dog clerk will become entangled in the matrimonial net within a couple of weeks. The ceremony will be a quiet one, in keeping with the manner in which the secret has been guarded. I may be able to tell you all about it next week.

"It is a wonder to me that a leap year party has not been arranged for in Lincoln before this," said a society acquaintance Wednesday. "Such affairs are always enjoyable. There is something unique in a fellow being invited to a ball by a nice, sweet girl, and having her order the carriage and the flowers and call for him and take charge of him during the evening, and she can do this without making herself at all forward or bold. The novelty is one that both will greatly enjoy." Girls, you have the hint. Will any of you take advantage of it?

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