

Council Bluffs Society

September Wedding.
An event of the week is the marriage of Miss Gretchen Hess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hess of this city, and Mr. Clarence Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Peters of Omaha, which will occur next Saturday evening, with Rev. Willard Mann officiating clergyman. Miss Hess will wear an exquisite imported gown of white georgette heavily beaded in tiny pearls, and made ankle length. Her long veil is a combination of tulle and princess lace, with a coronet effect, and will be arranged in a most becoming way with orange blossoms. She and Mr. Peters will be unattended and the wedding will be solemnized in the garden of the Peters home. The going-away gown of this bride-to-be is a stunning three-piece creation of black peach-blow combined with flame-colored crepe de chine embroidered in steel beads. Black fox fur is used as a trimming and with this a small hat will be worn. Mr. Peters and his bride have planned an automobile trip through the east, and about the first of November expect to return to Omaha, where they will reside.

"After Parade Affair."
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hughes gave a supper at their home after the Ak-Sar-Ben parade last Wednesday evening when their guests were Misses Muriel Mann, Irene Kintz and Leontine Louie; Messrs. Tom Kane, Mac Goodwin and Rupert Hall.

To Entertain.
Mrs. L. L. Henniger has issued invitations to a bridge-luncheon which will be given next Wednesday at the Brandeis tea room.

Miss Key Hostess.
Miss Mary Key, who is spending the month of September at her cottage in Lakona at Lake Manawa, gave a supper there last Sunday evening, and on Thursday afternoon had two tables of guests for bridge.

For Miss Hess.
Mrs. George Van Brunt and Mrs. Charles Hannan, jr., were hostesses at last Thursday's luncheon at the Omaha club in honor of Miss Gretchen Hess, a September bride. A basket of pink and lavender asters, entwined with tulle, formed the decorations for the table, around which were seated Mrs. J. J. Hess, Mrs. Douglas Peters of Omaha, Miss Hess, Mrs. John McMillon, jr., Mrs. Eldon Lougee, Mrs. Robert Turner, Mrs. Van Brunt and Mrs. Hannan. This bride-elect was also complimented on several occasions in Omaha during the past week. Preceding the electrical parade Wednesday evening she and her fiancé, Mrs. Clarence Peters, were honor guests at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Peters, and after the parade there was a supper for them at the Brandeis restaurant planned by Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Peters.

Popular Visitor.
Miss June Davis has as her guest Miss Holly Holbert of Pasadena, Cal.

Autumn Bride



On Monday at 4 in the afternoon will occur the wedding of Miss Fern Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, and Harold Schaper of Milwaukee, Wis. Rev. A. E. VanOrdein will read the marriage lines before an improvised altar in the Clark home, and about a hundred relatives and intimate friends have been invited to witness the nuptials. Miss Clark's only attendant will be Miss Dorothy Schaper, sister of the groom-to-be, and Jack Clark has been chosen as best man. Preceding the ceremony Mrs. Donald Annis will sing "Until," accompanied by Miss Rodna Hughes, who will also play the wedding march. Mr. Schaper has planned to take his bride on an overland honeymoon and after the first of November they will be at home in Milwaukee.

pies, cookies, bread, salads and desserts in the basement of the Beno store. They are also bending every effort to the success of the Halloween card party on the afternoon of October 31, and the dance which will be given that same evening.

Luncheon.
A color scheme of pink and white was used by Miss Helen Butler Saturday at the luncheon given at her home on North Second street. One large and three small tables were attractively decorated for the 24 guests.

Personal.
Mrs. A. P. Hanchett spent the last week visiting friends in Onawa, Ia. Miss Cora Hendee, who has been the librarian here for some time past, left on Friday for Columbia univer-

sity, where she will take some post-graduate work. Miss Nancy Stillman leaves tomorrow to enter the University of Chicago. W. S. Cooper is expected home Wednesday from Los Angeles, where he spent the last two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Connor and son Jimmie of Denison, Ia., were Council Bluffs visitors during the past week. Miss Lorene Hammel leaves this evening for Chicago, where she will take a two-year course at the Chicago Art institute. Monsignor F. P. McManus is expected home today from the eastern part of the state, where he spent the last two weeks. The Misses Katherine and Eleanor Ittner of Oklahoma City spent the last week in Council Bluffs with their cousin, Mrs. Fred Baumester. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Binder and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark plan to leave about October 10 for a three weeks' trip to New York City and other eastern points. On October 14 they will attend the Iowa-Yale football game at New Haven. Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Schaper and daughter Miss Dorothy arrived Friday from Milwaukee for the Schaper-Clark marriage Monday afternoon. The trip was made overland and Mrs. Schaper, an aunt of Harold Schaper accompanied them. Mrs. S. L. Etnyre is anticipating the arrival of her father, W. L. Patterson, and her sister, Mrs. W. P. Patterson, who will come on Wednesday from Philadelphia. Mr. Patterson will celebrate his 88th birthday this week at the Etnyre home. Miss Charlotte Lovelkin made a brief stay in Council Bluffs the early part of last week, en route from the east where she has been visiting, to her home in Los Angeles. Miss Lovelkin is a tennis player of some note and was a classmate of Miss Julie Davis at Marlborough school. Mrs. Charles Test Stewart is expected home this week from Estes Park, Colo., where she has been since the latter part of June. At the same time Mr. Stewart will also arrive from his ranch in western Nebraska. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Macrae and young son returned early in the week to their home in Des Moines after a brief visit here.

Old People's Home.
Residents of the Old People's home, on Fontenelle boulevard, will attend the morning service today at the First United Presbyterian church, of which Dr. Paul Calhoun is pastor. In the afternoon at 4 o'clock the association quartet will conduct a vesper service at the home. The quartet includes George Campbell, Hugh Wallace, Dean Smith and E. E. Williams.

Drifting Into Temptations Needlessly

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

"I meant no harm," cried James. "I was lonely and bored. I didn't know which way to turn. I had sent my wife and children to the country and was fighting an uphill fight and trying to save the pieces of my business, which looked as if it were doomed. Most of my friends were out of the city. And I got sick and tired of dining alone night after night and sulking over my troubles. So I asked my little stenographer to come out to dinner with me. She was such a demure, quiet little thing in the office that it never occurred to me she'd have so much pep and charm. "And now I'm more than halfway in love with her. It wouldn't be fair to her to put her out of my office. She's been there three years and has worked up to three thousand a year as general secretary to the executives. She isn't likely to get as good a job soon again. But I'm afraid to keep her around. She doesn't know how to get along with me. Now, in fairness to myself and my wife—don't I have to get rid of the girl?" "My husband is off touring the country for a series of golf tournaments," writes Mrs. B. W. "And I'm trying to amuse myself in town. There isn't money enough for me to go anywhere I'd like, so I prefer staying at home. My husband's cousin came to town a month ago, and my husband asked me to let him live at the apartment. He thought Fred would be a nice companion for me. "He felt our place would give Fred a good home for less money than he'd have to spend any other way. And neither of us is averse to taking in a little extra money while business is so poor. But I'm growing too fond of Fred. He doesn't know how dependent I'm growing on him. But I'm drifting into caring. I feel that in order to protect myself I must ask Fred to go. "I wished as I finished reading these letters. For there is something pitiful in the dramatic instinct which makes a lonely man or woman drape in romance the first person who comes along to relieve the monotony and boredom of their days. "Most of our marriage triangles happen just in this fashion—and the lonely husband or wife starts out, meaning no harm but ready to dramatize the companionship of any one who comes into their drab days bringing a little sunshine, a bit of relief from monotony. "We place altogether too much

stress on our casual reactions to stimuli. We fancy things means far more than they do. In our own imaginations we construct romance and tragedy out of elements which are pitifully inadequate to cause all the emotion we potentially feel. Every time a wily man or woman is thrown into the society of some one of the opposite sex the situation need not be fraught with high explosive properties. "There need be no trouble in situations such as the letters I've quoted disclose. The trouble lies in the weakness of the man or the woman who insists on stressing his gratitude for a little attention and making a thrilling situation out of it. "If James is a weakling and a coward and a yellow car to boot, he'd better find another job for his stenographer—and a new viewpoint for himself. If he's a man, he'd better stop asking the girl out to dine with him and get himself back on a sensible business footing with her. "And if Mrs. B. W. knows that she is weak and potentially faithless, she'd best ask Cousin Fred to move at once. She is in a difficult position for a high-strung, imaginative and none too loyal wife. "But neither she nor her friend James need be in the stress in which they find themselves. We needn't drift into temptation—we needn't. We make situations dramatic because the longing for drama is within us. And it is to our own strength and common sense that we must look for the solution. "The most trying situation of loneliness on the one hand and of proximity on the other—can be dealt with by the man or the woman who is strong and decent and sane and normal. We don't have to go about falling in love with everyone who is

congenial or falling into dangerous situations. Let's get out of the habit of fancying that we can resist everything but temptation, and recognize that we make temptation out of our own reactions to situations harmless in themselves.

Y. W. C. A. Offers Varied Courses in Bible Study

Three different Bible courses are offered by the Y. W. C. A. this winter. The Rev. Thomas Casady will conduct a class on "The Message of the Prophets," every Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, beginning October 19. In anticipation of the Stuart Walker performances of "The Book of Job," to be presented in Omaha in January under Drama League auspices, Dr. Frank G. Smith will give a series of Thursday evening talks on "The Book of Job," beginning October 24. The third course, "The Gospel by Matthew," will be given by Professor V. R. Vartanian commencing Friday evening, September 29, under the Omaha University extension course, Registration for credit must be made at the University of Omaha. The religious-educational committee of the Y. W. C. A. is headed by Mrs. A. W. Bowman, assisted by the Mesdames A. C. Kennedy, C. A. Musselman, D. E. Jenkins, Carl Gray, Carrie Ada Campbell, general secretary, and Miss Elizabeth Howard.

Y. W. C. A.

Sunday—Central building open from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. At 3:30 in the afternoon Mrs. Florence Spencer Duryea of New York will speak in the auditorium on "The Crisis in Smyrna." Monday—6 p. m. banquet and opening rally of federation of clubs, followed by reports of summer conferences at Lake Okoboji and Lake Geneva. 8:10 p. m. rally night for all members and friends of the association. There will be general registration for classes, also program in the auditorium, a tour of the building giving everyone an opportunity to see some classes in session, a volley ball game staged in the gymnasium by the Athletic club, a jolly good social time. Class in Millinery starts Monday evening, Miss Anna Jetter, instructor. All interested in cooking classes are invited to come to the building Monday evening to meet the instructors and register for classes. Tuesday—The cabinet of South High School Student Girl Reserves will meet at Library hall. Wednesday—Technical High School Student Girl Reserves cabinet will meet in Girl's club rooms at Y. W. C. A. to complete plans for the semester's work. Friday—Alumnae club meets for dinner. New millinery class, Miss Anna Jetter, instructor, first lesson, Friday evening. Saturday—Setting up conference of employed and volunteer workers from associations in Sioux City, Council Bluffs, Des Moines, Lincoln and Omaha at Camp Brewster.

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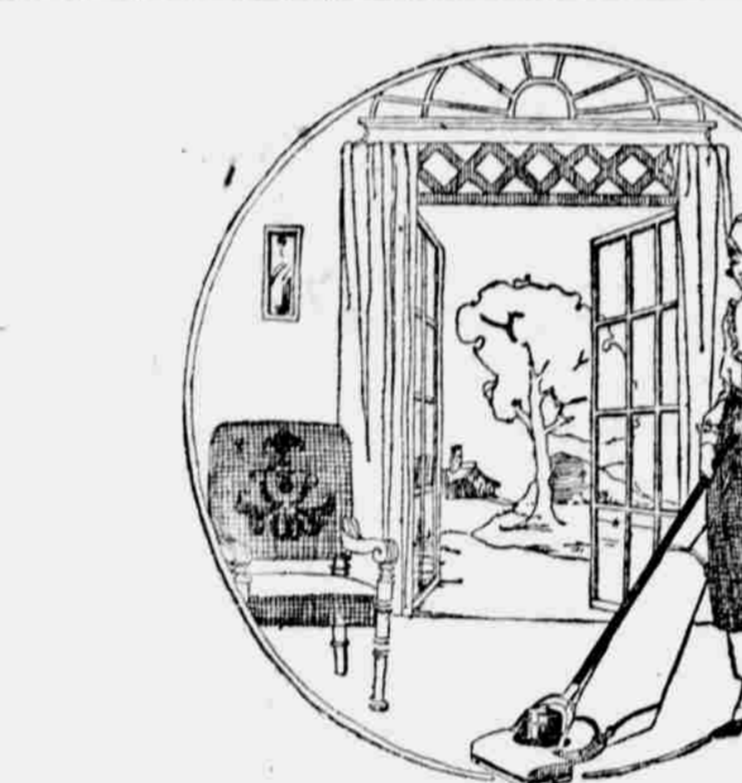
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