Society

University Club Party Reservations Almost Filled.

Apparently the University club members feel that dinner dances are a crying need for before the cards of announcement for their Xmas party, to be given on December 16, were issued, reservations for 234 places had been made. The space is limited to 300 diners in all. The committee in charge is waiting and watching and if enough applicants beseech entertainment they will give an "overflow dinner dance" the Friday evening preceding.

Among those holding reservations are R. G. McKenzie, 4 Chester C. Wills, 6; R. A. Van Orsdale, 12; Dr. Henry Lemere, 8; A. C. Buell, 8; C. W. Russell, 20; S. R. Kirkpatrick, 16; C. P. Mason, 4; E. L. Lindquist, 6; Dr. Clarence Rubendall, 12; B. H. Dunham, 8, and Dr. Frank Conlin, 6.

Xmas Night Dance Given for Marjorie Adair.

One of the first parties to be announced for the Country club during the holiday season will be given Xmas night by Mrs. W. R. Adair for her daughter Miss Marjorie Adair who is a student at the Farmington school, Farmington Conn., Miss Adair will return to Omaha December 22 for her Xmas vacation.

Mrs. Davis to Entertain.

Mrs. Edwin Davis is planning to give a series of four parties during December. The first is to be a tea Saturday afternoon, December 16, given at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. E. Balbach. On the following Monday Dr. and Mrs. Davis will be host and hostess at an evening bridge, and again on the 21 and 27.

Visiting Mrs. Evans.

Miss Anne Armstrong of Springfield, Ill., is the guest of Mrs. John Dwight Evans. Miss Armstrong and Mrs. Evans were classmates at the Western college, Oxford, O., when Mrs. Evans was Miss Lois Howell.

Tuttle-Arbogast.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Arbogast, formerly of Carleton, Neb., and Mr. Arthur R. Tuttle, formerly of Chicago, was solemnized at the First Baptist church Thanksgiving afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Rev. W. B. Bliss officiating. Preceding the ceremony Miss Bente Aden of Carleton, Neb., sang "Because," and played the Lohengrin wedding march. The bride was attended by Miss Clara Ross as maid of honor and Miss Marie Ewers as bridesmaid, the groom was attneded by Mr. Guy Zarbough. After a reception at the home of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle left for a short wedding trip. Bess Arbogast, sister of the bride, also from Carleton, was present for the ceremony.

Frary-Spencer.

On Thanksgiving day at 4 the wedding of Miss Phoebe May Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Spencer, to Reginald A. Frary, was solemnized by the Rev. C. B. Stackenbreck at the First Christian church. The bride wore a dark blue gown with lace sleeves and her hat drooped with dark blue plumes. Her corsage was of pink sweet peas and roses.

R. M. Bunnell played the wedding march and Mrs. Helen Turley of Lincoln sang "I Love You Truly." Following the ceremony there was a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bunnell.

The young couple are prominent in church and musical circles and the groom is a student at the Nebraska Medical school.

Engagement Announced.

Mr and Mrs. Wallace C. Potts, formerly of Cedar Rapids, Ia., announce the engagement of their daughter, Love Lillith to Charles H. Larson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Larson of Council Bluffs, Ia. The marriage will take place sometime this month.

Chamber of Commerce Women Winners

The Business and Professional Women's division of the Chamber of Commerce is making a sensational success of its artists' course this season. At their first number, Florence Macbeth, a larger crowd crowded the Auditorium than has heard a singer there since Caruso made his last appearance. Prospects are as good for a record audience when the Criterion Male Quartette appears at the same place and under the same auspices, tomorrow night, December 4.

These five Chamber of Commerce women were prize winners during a two-week period of ticket selling. Miss Iona D. Mustain sold 126 tickets and was given an art mirror. Miss Mustain has charge of the credit department of the Nebraska Clothing company.

Miss Kathryn Kelly, in charge of the employment department for the Northwestern Bell Telephone company, sold 113 tickets and received a huge box of candy. Mrs. Corinne Schad, owner of the Schad Ribbon and Carbon company, won a gold pencil, Mrs. Perle Hungate, building manager for the Peters Trust company, a pair of pillows, and Miss Margaret Hoffmann, who is with the National City company, possesses a beauty chest for prowess at ticket selling.

Miss McCrann Engaged.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. McCrann announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Kathleen McCrann, to Stanley Paul Wallin, son of Mrs. C. P. Wallin. They will be married during the Xmas holidays.

Announce Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Harshack of Rock Island, Ill., announce the engagement of their sister, Doris Harshack of Omaha, to Sam Peltz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Peltz. No date has been set for the wedding.

Western Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Townsend had the following guests to dine with them Friday: Mr. A. G. Hamil of Pueblo, Colo.; Mr. Gail H. Johnson of Omaha and John W. Townsend, a student at the University of Nebraska. Mr. Hamel is visiting his old home in Omaha after an absence of several years in Colorado, where he is supervisor of the San Isabel National Forest reserve.

For Thanksgiving Guest.

Mrs. H. A. Walters entertained Friday at a beautifully appointed luncheon in honor of her niece, Miss Margaret Dudley. Miss Dudley, who attends Nebraska Wesleyan, was in Omaha during the Thanksgiving holiday.

Personals

Mrs. J. L. Kaley is home from a two months visit in Ohio.

The Misses Loretta Conway and Lucina Wimmer are spending the week end in Pender, Neb.

Mr and Mrs. Max Blotcky have returned from their wedding trip and are stopping at the Blackstone.

Mrs. Alice McIntosh of Fort Wayne, Ind., is the guest of Mrs. M. Preston and of Miss Elizabeth McClure.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight L. Cramer leave Monday with their small son, Bryant, to make their home in North Holsten, Va.

Miss Marjorie Adair who is in school in Farmington, Conn., will return December 22 to be with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Adair.

Max Gottman who is in school in Ann Harbor, Mich., will return to Omaha December 16 to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. Gottman over Xmas.

Mrs. A. H. Crocker left Saturday for San Bernardino, Cal., to spend the winter with her son, Herbert. Mrs. S W. Crocker accompanied her and will stop in Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Karl T. McElrath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Townsend, left for St. Paul, Minn., Wednesday evening to join her husband, who moved recently from Omaha to St. Paul.

Miss Marie Schram is spending the weekend in Columbus, following a visit in Lincoln, where she attended the Lincoln-Notre Dame game on Thanksgiving day.

Miss Josephine Schurman leaves Smith college, Northampton, Mass., December 15, and will be in Omaha December 17, to spend Xmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pegau.

Mrs. F. J. Stack and daughter, Miss Florence, will return the first of the week from Chicago where they spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Stack's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Cowles.

Miss Marie Millet and her brother, George Millet of Otumwa, Ia., are visiting Thomas Kuhn and Jack Welpton at the home of Mrs. Isaac Kuhn. The hosts and guests made a party to Lincoln Thursday for the Notre Dame game.

Mrs. John S. Culkin returned Wednesday from San Francisco, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Grundy, who has been seriously ill and is recuperating. Mrs. Pauline Delaney, mother of Mrs. Grundy, is with her now.

Announce Birth.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin F. Thompson of Dallas Tex., announce the birth of a son Robert Edson Thompson Friday, December 1, in Dallas. The boy is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hamilton of this city, his mother was formerly Miss Edith Hamilton. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton are in Dallas.

For Miss Kinney.

Friday evening Miss Maude Kinney of the city hall was honored by 15 of the young ladies at a farewell party in the art department of the city hall. Miss Kinney will make her home in Los Angeles, Cal.

To Winter in West.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell and daughter, Miss Almarine, will leave today by motor for Los Angeles, Cal., to spend four months on the Pacific coast. John Campbell, a son, is in the Harvard Military school in Los Angeles.

Benefit Card Party.

Reservation for the benefit card party to be given by the Benevolent and Patriotic Order of Does Thursday afternoon, 2 o'clock, in the Elks' club rooms, may be made with Mrs. James Craddock, Walnut 2387, or Mrs. W. H. H. Walker, Harney 0329.

Among the prizes are a silk sweater, genuine walrus shopping bag, tinted satin finish compote, hammered brass fern basket, two hand-embroidered card table covers and one dozen American beauty roses. There will also be a door prize and free for all.

Proceeds will be used for benevolent work.

Benefit Bridge a Success.

Approximately $100 was cleared from the bridge party given Friday afternoon at the Conant hotel for the benefit of the new building, which is being erected by the National Kindergarten school in Evanston, Ill. Mrs. Richard Giller was chairman of the committee in charge of the affair, which was sponsored by Omaha alumnae of the school.

Miss Dorothy Weller, president of the Omaha Alumnae association, left Friday evening for Chicago to attend a meeting at the school, when plans for the new building will be made.

Card Party and Bazar.

The women of St. Margaret Marys parish will conduct a bazar Friday evening and all day Saturday at the school hall, Fiftieth and California streets. On Friday evening a card party will be held in connection with the affair and dancing will be a feature on Saturday evening. Handmade articles suitable for Christmas gifts will be on sale.

St. Bernard Parish.

The ladies of St. Bernard parish will entertain at cards Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the city hall in Benson.

The Woman's View as Seen in London

(London fashions are interestingly described by a correspondent in a daily paper there, and here reprinted. —Editor.)

There is one thing certain about the new fashions, and that is that neatness is going to be de rigueur this winter.

Some kind of trim waistline will be seen, for when the straight dress is still worn it is no longer shapeless and floppy, but banded tightly round the hips. There are no eccentricities, no outrageous shortness of skirts, no floppy, uneven hemlines. The heads of some of the big French houses have set their faces against the floating scraps of chiffon, the unevenly hanging panels and scarves, and the general "bunchiness" of appearance which marked last season's models. And that means that England will presently follow where Paris leads.

The fashion was never, in the opinion of the writer, a pretty one, and always looked untidy. When a skirt is full it will be frankly full; where it hangs straightly it will nearly touch the ground, and its draperies will fall into a definite train, or even into a double train. A good model on these lines was shown a week ago in a heavy black crepe, embroidered with the fashionable sea-blue glass beads. Floating away from the skirt, and resting in two long points on the floor, was a hanging drapery that divided itself into two. The effect was graceful and height-giving, and the gown had nothing eccentric in its design, but was marked by quiet taste and reticence.

Another black dress which falls in completely straight lines, has a very wide band (six inches wide or more) of brilliant steel round the waist, or just below the waist. This forms the sole trimming. A dignified gown has a black satin foundation, covered with sand-colored lace, used in conjunction with a black lace which forms the sleeves. The use of a colored lace and a black lace together is much favored.

A Fashion of the Moment.

Another fashion of the moment is that the backs of dresses are often more ornamental than the fronts. A plain black velvet gown has a hanging cape of black lace from the shoulders, and a hanging panel of black lace over the back of the skirt, while a semi-girdle of red roses crosses the waistline at the back only, and shows through the transparency of the hanging cape. From the front, the gown looks severely simple, with a mere suggestion of a cape falling over the arms.

Arms are once more covered in the evening—a sensible fashion when winter days are coming in. Sometimes two long, straight, narrow panels of material are put in across the top of the shoulder, and fall loosely over the arm. Sometimes a removable sleeve is used, and this gives variety to an evening gown. The upper part of the arm is bare, but six inches below the shoulder a band set in elastic is slipped on the arm, and from this depends a soft, flowing drapery which falls to the wrist. The band may be of lace or embroidery, and the drapery is of the same material as the dress itself.

One must chronicle again the fact that a kind of suggestion of a bustle is seen on many models. Whether this fashion will penetrate from the dressmaker's salon into the private house remains to be seen. Many skirts are caught up into a full bunchy drapery at the back, whence depends a small square train resting some inches on the ground. Often a very large bunch of looped material is placed to one side of the hip, and this is stiffened inside with muslin, while the rest of the gown is tightly swathed to the figure.

The Draped Dress.

Draperies are always difficult to describe in words. The draped dress is one that requires great nicety of taste and a good sense of proportion and line to achieve. Almost any dressmaker can make the straight bodice and bouffant skirts of the present day semi-Victorian frock, which conceals the silhouette. But the draped dress requires a touch of genius, and an eye for the lines of the human form.

I have seldom seen one more beautiful than an English model, shown last week, in pale grey satin, arranged with a pointed tunic in front and a short square train at the back. The draperies were gathered on one hip, and from this clustering point long lines of softly shining sequins radiated outwards like the rays of the sun, upwards and downwards and around until they lost themselves in the folds of the material. This gown was inspired not in Paris, but in London, and is eminently suited to the tall slenderness of English women.

If this dress drew its inspiration from the sun's rays, another owes a debt to the sky at night. It is a deep soft blue crepe, absolutely simple in cut. It is diamante all over with tiny points, which shine like the stars of the firmament. The bodice is crossed plainly over, and is girdled in silver. Each tiny spark of diamante is let into the material, not merely worked on its surface. One is always amazed at the simplicity of some entirely new effect which apparently has never been thought of before. And this is the effect which the well dressed woman must achieve at present, when elaboration and eccentricity have been banished from the realm of fashion.

For "Hello Bill" Cast.

Miss Hazel Nichols entertained several members of the cast of "Hello Bill" at luncheon at the Brandeis restaurant Friday when her guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Aldrich, Mrs. M. Donahey, the Misses Ethel Nunn and Mildred Dennison and Messrs. Ike Miner, Ralph Riechelieu and George Begerow.

Bazar and Luncheon.

Ladies of the G. A. R., Garfield circle No. 11, have made arrangements to hold a bazar and luncheon on December 4, 5 and 6 in the basement of the court house to secure funds for Christmas donations. Members and friends will be provided for on those days.

Church Bazar.

The Woman's Aid society of Lowe Avenue Presbyterian church will conduct a bazar Friday afternoon and evening in the church parlors. Mesdames J. A. McClain and Robert McLennan will be in charge. The bazar will be preceded by 1 o'clock luncheon.

Dollar Party.

A "dollar party" will be a feature of the social meeting and card party of Ak Sar Ben kensington Friday evening, 8 o'clock at Masonic Temple. Members are asked to earn a dollar and relate their experiences in accomplishing it.

Turkey Dinner.

A turkey dinner with English plum pudding will be served at the First Methodist church, Twentieth and Davenport streets, Thursday evening at 6:15 o'clock. Reservations may be made with Mrs. W. H. Woerner, Kenwood 4102.

L. O. E. Club Entertainers.

The L. O. E. club will entertain at a luncheon and card party Tuesday, 12:45 o'clock at the Loyal hotel. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Ray Goodrow or Mrs. John L. Niederst before Monday, 6 p. m.

Episcopal Party.

St. John's Episcopal church women will give a card party Tuesday at 2 p. m. at the parish rooms, Twenty-fifth and Brown streets.

Crescent Dancing Club.

The Crescent Formal dancing club gave a party at the Scottish Rite cathedral Friday evening to 100 couples.

Overseas League.

The Women's Overseas league will meet for dinner Tuesday evening, 6:30 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. Dinner will be followed by a business meeting.

Church Bazar.

The women of St. Andrews Episcopal church will hold a bazar in the court house Monday and Tuesday.

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