

## Society

### Nebraska Delegation Leaves for Atlanta.

The Nebraska delegation to the council meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs to be held in Atlanta, Ga., May 7-11, which leaves Omaha Saturday, will include: Mrs. Edgar B. Penney, state president; Mrs. Ralph D. Brown, state chairman of applied education; Mrs. Paul C. Perryman, state treasurer; Mrs. W. E. Minier, state corresponding secretary; Mrs. James Black, Hastings; Mrs. May Kingrey, Tilden; Mrs. Brock, Beatrice; Mrs. Charles E. Johannes, Omaha, state division chairman of child welfare.

Mrs. Philip Potter, president-elect of the Omaha Woman's club, who is visiting her daughter in St. Louis, Mo., will join the delegation in Atlanta.

Mrs. Penney is the only Nebraska speaker on the program.

### Many Reservations for University Club Dinner.

The last dinner dance of the 1922-23 season to be given at the University club on Saturday will see a large share of the members as guests. Reservations are held by C. Y. Offutt, who will have 12; T. H. Maenner, 6; Chester C. Wells, 4; E. H. Kurtz, 3; Clinton Bromie, 18; J. B. Berry, 11; H. B. Lemere, 10; H. J. Weeks, 4; E. E. Gilmore, 10; J. B. Wadsworth, 4; S. R. Kirkpatrick, 4; B. Kvenild, 8; E. C. Yant, 4; R. D. Neely, 10; S. E. Davies, 4, and W. D. McHugh, 6.

### Tuberculosis Organization Meets in Convention.

Reservations for the dinner to be held in connection with the 15th annual convention of the Nebraska Tuberculosis association Thursday evening, May 10, at 6:30 o'clock at the Fontenelle hotel should be made by May 8 at the headquarters of the association, 490 Brandeis theater building.

### Mrs. Curtis and Miss Black Motor to Boston.

Mrs. William S. Curtis and Miss Elizabeth Black leave Saturday in Mrs. Curtis' car for a motor trip to Boston and other New England points where they will spend the next six months.

Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Griswold will occupy the Curtis home for the summer.

### Council Bluffs Guest.

Mrs. G. M. Barnes of Patterson, N. J., is the guest of Mrs. Robert Turner of Council Bluffs. Miss Marion Turner of the Bluffs will entertain her at dinner on Friday evening. Mrs. Barnes is the mother of Miss Harriett Barnes, who visited Mrs. Turner in Omaha when she was Miss Helen Pearce.

### All Saints Church Sale.

Mrs. C. L. Allemen, who has recently sold her home, has donated pieces of antique furniture to Auxiliary B of All Saints' church who will offer it at their sacrifice sale Saturday at 1414 Farnam streets. One hundred books have been given for sale by Miss Elder. Candy sold in the sun theater lobby next door, will be a feature of the sale. Advance orders for certain kinds will be taken by Mrs. S. S. Oakford.

### Camp Fire Bridge Benefit Nets \$325.

Proceeds from the Camp Fire benefit bridge Wednesday afternoon at the Blackstone hotel amounted to \$325. Three hundred dollars was cleared from the bridge and \$25 from the sale of candy, which was donated by Mrs. George Sumner.

Fifty-three prizes were awarded. The 10 highest scores were held by Mrs. J. H. Beard, who selected an electric iron; Mrs. O. I. Lewis, bouclier lamp; Mrs. T. J. Donahue, glass flower bowl; Mrs. A. V. Shotwell, electric lamp; Mrs. J. Berkowitz, picture; Mrs. F. S. Knapp, lamp; Mrs. Frank McCoy, silk hose; Mrs. Roger Holman, picture; Mrs. C. F. Brinkman, picture; Mrs. A. McAdams, bridge set.

The money will be used for the Camp Fire summer encampment.

## Personals

Mrs. Edward Creighton left Wednesday for Excelsior Springs.

Charles S. McConnell has gone to Washington, D. C., and New York.

Mrs. Charles Walther of Brooklyn, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. Frank H. Gaines. Mrs. Walther leaves tomorrow for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Van Dusen will move in three weeks from their present address at 3504 Harney street, to their new home at Fifty-second and Cass streets.

Mrs. John McShane and Mrs. F. A. Brogan leave Sunday for Chicago to spend a week. En route home, Mrs. Brogan will stop at Davenport, Ia., to see her son.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen McCaffrey and daughter, Miss Helen McCaffrey, who have been spending the past month at Mineral Wells, Tex., will arrive home the latter part of the week.

Miss Katherine Joslyn of Minneapolis, who has been a frequent visitor of her aunt, Mrs. William J. Bradbury, arrives in June, en route to California, to be her guest again.

Mrs. Frank Conlin is in North Platte for a week. Dixon and Harriett Conlin, who went to North Platte several weeks ago with their grandmother during Dr. and Mrs. Conlin's visit to New York will return with their mother.

Mrs. Katherine Pollard celebrated her 94th birthday Tuesday afternoon with a reception at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Casady. A family reunion when four generations were present was held in the evening.

Dr. Florence Mount will leave on June 25 for New York City to attend the National Osteopathic convention which she will be a speaker. Her subject will be "Osteopathy for Children." Dr. Mount will remain in New York for a few weeks taking post graduate work from some of the doctors who will be there in connection with the convention.

Mrs. J. W. Neville of Stromsburg, Neb., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swearingen. Mrs. Walter Gehrie was hostess at a luncheon Monday for Mrs. Neville. Mrs. Victor Ruth entertained at a luncheon Tuesday at the Brandeis restaurant, and Mrs. Louis Bilon was hostess at a luncheon Wednesday at her home for Mrs. Neville.

## Burgess Bedtime Stories

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.  
Drummer Is Filled With Pride and Joy.

A secret's safe only with those whose feelings no one ever knows.—Old Mother Nature.

When Drummer the Woodpecker peeped in at the doorway of that new home in the maple tree in Farmer Brown's dooryard and saw for the first time the white egg which contained his joy and pride knew no bounds. There wasn't a prouder bird in all the Great World unless



They began to congratulate him, poor Drummer.

it was Mrs. Drummer. He wanted to fly right away to the Old Orchard and tell all his friends about it. Yes, sir, that is just what he wanted to do. He was so proud that he just couldn't keep it to himself.

But Mrs. Drummer understood just exactly how Drummer felt and what was in his mind. As he made ready to fly over to the Old Orchard she stopped him. "One minute, my dear," said she. "You know you are not to tell a single soul about this egg or about this nest."

"But—but I want to tell. I am so happy I just must tell. Why shouldn't I tell now that the home is finished?" retorted Drummer.

"Are you quite crazy?" demanded Mrs. Drummer. "The longer we can keep this home a secret the better. What people don't know won't hurt them. As for telling any one about that egg, don't you dare think of such a thing! News like that travels. Sooner or later some one with a fondness for eggs would be sure to hear it. Now promise me, Drummer, that you won't say a word."

Drummer promised. There was nothing else for him to do. Then he flew over to the Old Orchard. But he didn't stay long. He just couldn't keep away from that maple tree. He had to be where he could peep in as often as he pleased to see that wonderful egg. The next morning when he looked in there were two eggs. Drummer tried to think that he was twice as happy, but as he had been just about as happy as he could be over the first egg there, he couldn't be twice as happy. On the third morning there were three eggs, and the next morning there was a fourth. Perhaps you can guess how Drummer

hurried over there on the fifth morning.

But this time there wasn't another egg there. Drummer was disappointed. He said so. Mrs. Drummer chuckled. "You may be disappointed now," said she, "but when you have four hungry mouths to keep supplied with food you will be very thankful that there isn't a fifth. Four will make just a good sized family. Now I have got to sit on those eggs. I do hope, my dear, that you will have sense enough to keep our secret. When the babies hatch out we will not be able to keep the secret very long, but until then there is no reason why the secret should not be kept. Whenever you come over here be quite sure that no one is watching you."

Drummer promised that he would be very careful. He promised that he would keep that secret, and he really meant to. But joy and pride are hard things to keep from showing. Drummer was so proud and so happy that he was fairly puffed up with joy and pride. It wasn't long before it was known all through the Old Orchard that Drummer the Woodpecker had a nest and eggs. He hadn't said a word about them, not a word. It hadn't been necessary. His friends and neighbors had known just from his appearance. They began to congratulate him. Poor Drummer! He didn't know what to say.

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The next story: "Drummer Hears Some Bad News."

### Dancing Party.

The Le Mars club will entertain at a dancing party Saturday evening at the Hyland academy.

## Legion Auxiliary Names Committees for Bridge Benefit.

Four more committees have been named in connection with the benefit bridge to be given by the American Legion auxiliary on Saturday afternoon, May 12, at the Burgess-Nash tea rooms.

The committees are: Table arrangement: Mrs. Harry Hough, chairman; Mrs. Sam Reynolds, Mrs. Oscar Engler, Mrs. W. P. Mettlen, Mrs. Paul Lewis, Mrs. H. H. Dudley, Mrs. E. E. McKnight, Mrs. Carl Kraus, Mrs. John Kilmartin, Mrs. Ben Conrad, Mrs. Adrian Mayer, Mrs. Leo Crosby, Mrs. Kendall Hammond, Mrs. James Hanbury, Mrs. H. R. Jaeger, Mrs. Anna Mullen. Supplies: Mrs. Jennie Devine, chairman; Mrs. Leo Crosby, Mrs. H. H. Dudley, Mrs. Margaret McKnight, chairman; Mrs. Marie Rhode, Mrs. William D. Kelom. Committee assisting the president: Mrs. Jennie Devine, chairman; Miss Alice Ketcham, Miss Rose Shestak, Miss Agnes Ketcham, Miss Clara Arndt, Miss Vera Husted, Miss Margaret Kennedy, Mrs. W. P. Mettlen, Mrs. Leo Crosby, Mrs. Harry Hough, Mrs. Marie Rhode, Mrs. E. E. McKnight, Mrs. Kendall Hammond, Miss Sidney Stebbins.

The ticket selling committee will meet Monday noon at the University club to make final arrangements for completing the ticket sale. The benefit is being given to raise money to assist the auxiliary in carrying on its welfare work among wounded and needy ex-service men and their families.

## Many Luncheon Parties Follow May Music Festival.

Following the first concert of the May Music festival sponsored by the Omaha Woman's club at the Orpheum theater Wednesday morning several luncheon parties were given at the Brandeis restaurant. Among the

hostesses were Mrs. G. J. Henderson, Mrs. M. C. Warren, Mrs. J. Stanley Hill, Mrs. Gilbert S. Brown, Mrs. Gell White McMonies, Mrs. H. E. Bennett, Mrs. Willis J. Redfield, Mrs. G. Farish Jones, Mrs. Raymond C. Austin, and Mrs. Frank McDonough, Mrs. L. C. Dorsey of Chicago, Miss Marie Niesman and Miss Adelaide McManus. Mrs. Guy C. Cramer, Mrs. James

Allan, Mrs. O. C. Willis, Mrs. LaVelle and Mrs. Charles F. Gruenig also made up a party of five at luncheon at the Brandeis. Among those entertaining at box parties were Mrs. Avery Lancaster, who had six guests; Mrs. Sam Dresher, 10, following with luncheon at Athletic club; Mrs. G. J. Henderson, six.

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