

Council Bluffs Society

November Nuptials.

Wednesday was a popular day for weddings in Council Bluffs, three ceremonies having engaged the attention of society folk.

Miss Viola Allis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Allis, was an attractive bride of the morning, when she was united in marriage to Harold Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Hughes. She wore a modish suit of black broadcloth trimmed in fur with a hat of gray duvetyn and a mixed corsage to complete her costume.

The ceremony, which was performed at a nuptial mass in St. Francis Xavler church, with Monsignor F. P. McManus, the celebrant, was marked with religious dignity, and the bride's only attendant was Miss Norma Tyler, who was becomingly robed in black satin with a bright monkey fur trimmed turban. She also wore a corsage. John Kimball served as best man.

Miss Rodna Hughes accompanied Miss Marjorie Powers when she sang during the ceremony and also played the wedding marches as the bridal party entered and left the church.

The celebration of the marriage was concluded with a breakfast served at the Allis home for the immediate relatives.

Mr. Hughes and his bride are on a short honeymoon and upon their return will live in the new home they have just built on Hyde avenue.

Kruse-Barstow.

Miss Gertrude Barstow became the bride of Ferdinand Kruse at 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, the nuptials being pronounced by Rev. R. Burton Sheppard in the Methodist church before the relatives and a few intimate friends.

Ralph Mason Hix at the organ, rendered Lohengrin's wedding march as the bridal party entered, and also accompanied Miss Lillian Kruse when she played "Because" on the violin during the ceremony.

In her afternoon gown of brown satin crepe, with small hat to match, and wearing a corsage of sweet peas and lilies of the valley, the bride was a girlish lovely figure.

Miss Flora Kruse, as bridesmaid, wore a frock of black satin with her corsage was of roses.

Dr. Lewis Barstow of Fullerton, Neb., attended as best man.

A wedding dinner for the relatives was served at the Barstow home and later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Kruse left on their honeymoon.

The young couple will be at home in Treynor, Ia., where Mr. Kruse is cashier of a bank.

Herrick-Nichols.

Miss Cecel Nichols and Harold Herrick surprised their friends by being quietly married last Wednesday evening. Only the immediate families knew of the plans and the ceremony was a very simple one.

Thanksgiving Dinners.

But few social affairs were included on last week's calendar as all interest centered around Thanksgiving, the day which to so many is set apart for family reunions.

Gathered at the home of Mrs. E. M. Sargent for dinner were the various members of the Hannan and Van Brunt families.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Douglas had with them Judge and Mrs. A. S. Wilson of Galena, Kan., Mrs. William Oppock and son, John; Mrs. H. V. Moore of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wickham and son, Bernard, and Miss Elizabeth Douglas.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hess included Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Peters and daughters, Miss Gladys and Miss Daphne; Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Peters and son, John Milton; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peters and son, Clarence Hess.

Dining with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bloomer were Mr. and Mrs. John P. Davis and daughter, Miss June and J. P. Davis.

A dinner at the George Mayne home included Mr. and Mrs. Mayne, their children, Marjorie and Frederic; Mr.

Thursday Guest



Mrs. George Dailey

Mrs. George Dailey and her husband, Major Dailey, who is stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., motored to Council Bluffs last week to spend Thanksgiving with Miss Adah Dailey.

Sarah Benton Knapp, Mrs. F. H. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lefferts and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Pollack of Omaha, Mr. and Mrs. William Moore and daughter, Miss Shirley, dined in Omaha with O. D. Kiplinger family.

Dr. and Mrs. Donald Macrae, Jr., spent the day in Des Moines with their son, Donald, and his wife and Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Tinley had a family gathering at their home with covers placed for 19.

Included in the list of guests at the J. A. Clark home were Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riker and daughter, Frances; Mrs. F. J. Day and daughter, Miss Elizabeth; Mrs. C. D. Trigg and daughter, Miss Mary; Mrs. George Robinson and daughter, Helen Louise of Fort Worth, Texas, and Dr. and Mrs. Wagner of Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner had dinner in Omaha with Mrs. Turner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pearce, and later went to the R. D. M. Turner home to join Mr. and Mrs. Turner, T. G. Turner and daughter, Miss Marion, who had dined together at noon.

At the W. E. McConnell home were Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jennings and son, Henry Jr., Miss Adah Dailey and Major and Mrs. George Dailey of Fort Leavenworth Kan.

One of the largest gatherings was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perego. For this event from Sioux Falls, S. D., came Dr. and Mrs. F. I. Putnam and children, Marjorie and Frank Jr., and from Scranton, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed and children, Hayworth and Linnie, to join the Perego and Reed families of Council Bluffs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rigdon motored to Lincoln for Thanksgiving and Mr.

and Mrs. Reed Flickinger spent the day in Glenwood.

The Clarence and Fred Emplke families had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Emplke and the Frank Garretts had a few of their intimate friends with them for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilcox went to Des Moines to be, for the day, with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hughes, the parents of Mrs. Wilcox.

Dining with Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Hanchett were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Baxter of Omaha, Miss Ruth Sylvius and Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Hanchett.

Marjorie Mayne Has Box Party.

Marjorie Mayne celebrated her 11th birthday on Saturday and in honor of the event was presented with a box at the Brandeis theater by Miss May Robson, the comedienne, who starred last week in "Rejuvenation of Aunt Mary."

Miss Robson is an old friend of the Mayne family and on her annual trip to Omaha, which is usually at Thanksgiving time, always remembers Marjorie's birthday in this delightful way.

The young hostess and a few of her intimate friends were chaperoned on this occasion by her mother, Mrs. George Mayne, and grandmother, Mrs. F. H. Hill.

Mrs. Turner Entertains.

Mrs. Robert Turner was a hostess of the last week entertaining on Saturday at a bridge-tee in honor of Mrs. Harry Marsh, a recent Omaha bride.

To Sail Next Week.

Miss Anna Z. Ross expects to leave Council Bluffs next Sunday for New York to join Mrs. Matthew John Whittall of Shrewsbury, Mass., and with her sail on the Conte Rosso, December 12, for Europe, to pass the winter months on the Riviera.

Miss Ross plans to be away until about the first of April and during her stay abroad will make hotel and other reservations for the party of Americans whom she will conduct there from June until September.

The itinerary of her summer trip has just been completed and during her absence preliminary arrangements will be made through her home address. This will be the 15th tour made by this conductor, who is thoroughly familiar with all traveling conditions in Europe.

Miss Nan Murphy entertained at dinner last Tuesday evening complimentary to Miss Ross.

Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Will H. Maurer entertained at a family dinner on Monday evening, the occasion being the birthday anniversary of Mrs. W. A. Maurer.

For Miss Dohaney.

Lunching with Mrs. W. S. Keeline at her home on Glen avenue Saturday were 12 intimate friends of her sister, Miss Adele Dohaney who formerly lived here and is now residing in Detroit, Mich.

Bridge-Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlie Norris entertained at their home last Monday evening for 36 guests. The dinner was followed by bridge with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Rosenfeld and Mr. and Mrs. L. Barnes prize-winners.

Saturday Hostesses.

Misses Nan and Grace Murphy had a dinner of 26 covers followed by bridge on Saturday evening at their home on Park avenue.

Katherine Capell Honored.

From Stanford university has come word of the election of Miss Katherine Capell to the Honorary Journalism Sorority, Theta Sigma Phi, which is a national organization.

Such honors are usually not given

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until the junior year, but Miss Capell, though only a sophomore merited this distinction.

Bridge-Luncheons.

The first two in a series of bridge-luncheons planned by Mrs. C. E. White and Mrs. Theodore Saam were given last week at the home of the former.

On Friday 28 guests were present and on Saturday, 30.

Thanksgiving Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Reed had as guests, last week, their son, Frank, and his wife and children, Hayworth and Linnie of Scranton, Pa., and their daughter, Mrs. F. I. Putnam and husband, Dr. Putnam, and their children, Frank, Jr., and Marjorie, of Sioux Falls, S. D.

The Putnams returned to their home after Thanksgiving but the Reeds will remain for a short stay in Council Bluffs.

Musical Events.

Council Bluffs is making tremendous strides musically this season, and the great crowd of opera lovers which greeted the San Carlo company when they appeared at the Broadway last Tuesday in "Madam Butterfly" is evidence that appreciation is felt for the opportunities which are being given this winter to enjoy the best.

The Community course opened its

series of five concerts last Wednesday evening with a record breaking crowd at the Auditorium to hear Sousa and his band with their assisting artists, and close upon the heels of that event comes Ricardo Martin, celebrated tenor.

In January an opportunity will be given to hear Telmanyi, violinist, who was so enthusiastically received when the Tuesday Musical club presented him in Omaha recently, and an event well worth while for March is the Flonzaley quartet.

The Chicago Opera Trio on April 7 closes the Community course, but the Lions club is sponsoring another event which will undoubtedly attract a great throng of music lovers.

December 19 they will bring to Council Bluffs the famous Rhonda male Welsh singers, and a great treat is promised all who will be privileged to hear them.

Bridge Luncheons.

At the home of Mrs. Frank Garrett bridge luncheons will be given on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week by Mrs. Garrett and Mrs. Walter Stephan.

Bazaar and Chicken Dinner.

A booth for miscellaneous articles, one of candy and pastry, a grab bag and a chicken dinner from 5:45 until 7:30 will be features of the bazaar to be held in St. Francis auditorium on

Tuesday, December 11 under the auspices of St. Francis Alumnae association.

Dinners.

John Allen and John Wadsworth were dinner hosts of the last week, each having foursoomes at the University club Thanksgiving dinner-dance on Tuesday evening.

Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Tinley have

returned from a visit in Baltimore, Md.

Dr. F. Earl Bellinger spent the past week at Excelsior Springs.

Junior Hennessy, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Hennessy, is recovering from a recent illness.

John Tabor of Des Moines, Ia., spent Thanksgiving in Council Bluffs, renewing old army acquaintances.

Mr. Tabor was captain of K company

of the One hundred sixty-eighth infantry during the war.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cutler are expected home Monday from Los Angeles, Cal., where they have been visiting their son, Howard, and wife.

Friends of Miss M. Edith Kruckenberg, who left Council Bluffs about five years ago and has since lived in Hawaii, China and the Philippines, (Turn to Page Five, Column Three.)

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