

# SOCIETY AND WOMAN'S PAGE

## W. C. T. U. Asks Banishment of Normand Films

Barring from the screen all films of Mabel Normand was demanded in a resolution passed unanimously by the Omaha Woman's Christian Temperance union yesterday afternoon at its meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Miss Normand's "association" with the murder of Desmond Taylor and the shooting of Courtland S. Dines was assigned as the reason for the action.

The resolution was brought in at the close of the meeting by the standing advisory committee, L. J. Jenne, M. Laird, chairman, and passed unanimously with very little discussion. The resolution in full reads as follows:

"Whereas, The movie industry has become a leading feature in the educational school of pleasure, and has the support of the public to such an extent that it is recognized as a growing industry in the commercial world in so much that the business has the commission and supervision of a national board and a director of censorship, and

"Whereas, It is the policy of the

W. C. T. U. everywhere and always to uphold the principles of cleanliness and purity of character and particularly in the formative years of youth to protect from vice and the appearance of vice, and

"Whereas, The recent association of the film star, Mabel Normand, with the murder of Desmond Taylor and the shooting of Courtland S. Dines, brings to mind the history of these crimes, and crime in general, whenever Miss Normand appears on stage or screen, and this constant reminder with no attempt to discredit the productions seems to condone or wink at vice, only to fill the coffers of speculators. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Omaha W. C. T. U. in regular session requests the entire removal from the stage or screen all productions in which Miss Normand appears until such time as she shall have been fully exonerated from any complicity in these crimes. And, be it further

Resolved, That we register our vote requesting Mr. Hays to give the public clean actors and clean plays."

## Mrs. Coolidge and New Senators' Wives



Mrs. Coolidge with the wives of the new senators, photographed at the first meeting and luncheon of the ladies of the senate for the 68th congress. Left to right, back row: Mrs. William C. Bruce, Maryland; Mrs. T. F. Ard, Delaware; Mrs. W. N. Ferris, Michigan; Mrs. Coolidge, Mrs. C. A. Swanson, Virginia; Mrs. L. J. Frazier, N. D.; Mrs. R. B. Howell, Nebraska, and Mrs. E. B. Mayfield, Texas. Front row: Mrs. A. B. Adams, Ohio; Mrs. Samuel M. Ralston, Ind.; Mrs. Porter H. Dale, Vermont; Mrs. F. L. Greene, Vermont, and Mrs. Simeon D. Fess, Ohio.

## Woman's Club Sponsors Camp Fire at Hershey.

Hershey, Neb. — Sponsored by the Hershey Woman's club, a new Camp Fire circle numbering 36 girls was organized here on February 6 under the leadership of Mrs. Ray Morgan and Mrs. Margaret Rasmussen.

Mrs. W. J. Birkhofer, Gothenburg, for nine years guardian of the Prairie girls of that town, attended the affair as the guest of the Hershey Woman's club in the afternoon. Mesdames Morgan, Rasmussen and Birkhofer were guests of honor at a luncheon given by ladies of the First Presbyterian church. Here Mrs. Birkhofer spoke on "The Psychology of Camp Fire."

## World Court Approval Is Declared Significant.

Definite endorsement of America's entrance into the world court by the board of directors of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, representing every state and all political parties, in annual session at Washington in January, has been characterized by the Washington press as "one of the most significant steps yet taken in women's political history."

The motion, introduced by Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker of Texas, democrat, and national chairman of American citizenship, was passed unanimously. It declared the world court measure to be nonpartisan; called upon democrats as well as republicans to make it a plank in their presidential platform, and asked every woman's club in the United States "to make articulate to the senate" the desire of the 2,000,000 club women to have the country to enter the court.

Ask Club's Help.

Following the adoption at the last convention of a resolution favoring

ideals embodied in the world court, the federation appealed to its members for personal expressions of opinion. According to the report of the president, Mrs. Winter, who is also chairman of the international relations department, 20 out of 22 state federations which have met since the convention endorsed the world court, showing crystallization of sentiment among local groups which resulted in the action of the board.

## Personals

George Metcalfe left Monday night for St. Louis, where he will reside.

J. M. Baldrige left Friday evening for Florida, where he will remain for a month.

Mrs. Naasson Young left Friday for Los Angeles, where she will spend two months.

Mrs. George Woodruff is convalescing from a serious operation at St. Joseph hospital.

Miss Elinor Kountze was a guest this past week end at the Yale junior prom at New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. John Murphy of Kansas City is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen McCaffrey.

Mrs. Frank Judson is expected home from New York Wednesday. Her daughter, Miss Dorothy, returned Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thummel and small daughter, Marcia, have arrived home. Little Miss Marcia, who has been seriously ill, is much improved.

Mrs. Xenophon Smith has gone to Topeka, Kan., where she will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Seery, for the remainder of the month.

## Writes Pageant for B. P. O. Does Banquet

A pageant, "Turning Back Life's Pages," written by Mrs. O. W. Mahstrom, was the feature of the third anniversary banquet of the B. P. O. Does last night at the Chamber of Commerce.

The pageant was written for a mother and daughter banquet at Kountze Memorial church a few weeks ago, but the author has received so many inquiries about it, that she plans to enlarge and copy-right it. As the sketch opens, the old grandmother is shown asleep in her chair. Before her dreaming eyes unrolls the pageant of her life—scenes from her childhood; the friends



of her youth, who entered various professions instead of choosing to make a home; herself as a bride; her own children and her problems with them. The closing scene shows her married daughter with the grandchildren coming in and awakening the sleeper. The little tots run into the grandmother's arms for a final tableau. The part of the grandmother was taken by Mrs. E. J. Hatch.

About 80 mothers and daughters were present at the banquet. Mrs. James H. Craddock, supreme president of the grand lodge, B. P. O. Does, acted as toastmistress. Mrs. Edward Johnson spoke for the mothers, and Miss Eunice Nelson, daughter of Mrs. W. H. Nelson, replied for the daughters. Mrs. John H. Drexel, sr., had charge of the banquet arrangements.

## Community Building Annex Florence Plan

Women of the Florence Improvement club want the boys of their community to play basket ball in the assembly room of the Florence Community building, which is owned by the city.

The men of the club are against this proposal and to circumvent such use of the building, they are endeavoring to "sell" City Commissioner J. B. Hummel the idea of erecting an annex on a tract 21x55 at the rear of the community house.

A delegation of 15 men of the club conferred with Commissioner Hummel yesterday in city council chamber. Hugh Suttley disclosed the differences between the women and men of the club. President A. E. Lewis of the club urged the annex and he was backed by Jack Bringle and R. H. Olmstead.

The city commissioners are to meet with the club at Florence next Tuesday night when the whole situation will be gone over. It is estimated that the proposed annex which would be used as a community gymnasium, would cost about \$10,000.

Commissioner Hummel told the improvers that he will do all he can to promote the project. The first formally will be to have the jurisdiction of the building transferred from the department of Commissioner John Hopkins to Mr. Hummel's department.

To clean kid cloths put them in a screw-top glass jar with enough gasoline to cover and shake well. Let stand over night, and in the morning shake again, rinse in clean gasoline, shake and hang out to dry. Any small articles can be cleaned in the same way.

## Sons Entertain Elks at Banquet

Fathers, several hundred of them, proudly led their sons to the Elks' father and son banquet at the Burgess-Nash tea room last night. Some fathers bore their offspring to the table in their arms. Others had to look up to talk to sonny. Many fathers were accompanied by a small squad of sons. Others, just as proudly, presented the lone male heir of the family.

However, the sons did all the talking on the program. Hawthorne Arey of Omaha Central High school gave many of the fathers something to think about when he told them "What a Boy's Father Should Do for His Son's School." Edward Smith, Lothrop school, explained to the dads "What Kind of a Man I Want to Be." "What a Boy Should Do for His City" was the topic of Sam Zacharia of Technical High school. Leland Arnett, a student of South High school, painted Abraham Lincoln as his ideal and a fit model for every boy in his talk on "What I Have Learned From the Life of Abraham Lincoln."

Father Flanagan's Boys' Home band furnished music. Barton Ford sang. Florence Alexander Steunberger, a whistler, was presented in several numbers. William Hinington, in the role of magician, also entertained.

## Bishop Postpones Visit.

Bishop and Mrs. John Neulson of Lucerne, Switzerland, did not arrive in Omaha yesterday to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nicholson, as they had intended. A telegram from Mrs. Neulson was received by Mrs. Nicholson yesterday, saying that their visit must be postponed until a later date.

Bishop Neulson, whose diocese includes the Methodist churches of Switzerland, Germany and Italy, was bishop of the Omaha area for eight years.

## Beauty

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Girls! Try this! When combing and dressing your hair, just moisten your hair brush with a little "Danderine" and brush it through your hair. The effect is startling! You can do your hair up immediately and it will appear twice as thick and heavy—a mass of gleamy hair, sparkling with life and possessing that incomparable softness, freshness and luxuriance.

While beautifying the hair "Danderine" is also toning and stimulating each single hair to grow thick, long and strong. Hair stops falling out and dandruff disappears. Get a bottle of delightful, refreshing "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter and just see how healthy and youthful your hair becomes.

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## Forhan's FOR THE GUMS



## Artist Praises Cubist Exhibit

Is it ugliness as old as chaos; or is it a new beauty so subtle as to appeal only to the elect?

The old question about modern art rages among the rather thin file of observers, who have trickled past Miss Sally Lewis' exhibit in the art museum of the public library, which will remain on the walls for four days longer.

Ralph M. Pearson of New York, six-foot sketcher of small but powerful etchings, in Omaha to gather up his work that has been on exhibition here, says that Miss Lewis' exhibit is beauty, and that of no mean sort. Omahans, he vows, are missing the opportunity of their lives by not swarming to the art gallery at the rate of 2,000 daily while these canvases are on display.

"Every school child and every art lover in Omaha ought to see these paintings," he proclaims earnestly. "Many people will not like them, it is true, but it is an education to study them. Their sincerity and power are proved by the strength with which people react to them. Observers either thrill to them or hate them; there is no middle ground."

Design, says Mr. Pearson, is the secret of these paintings. They must be looked upon as patterns, not as reproductions of objects. "We are used to demanding basic structural design in our rugs, hangings, plaques, baskets and so forth," he continues.

"In paintings, the same quality has been demanded from the old stone age down to about 300 years ago, when art got sidetracked onto the blind alley of trying to reproduce nature. These paintings by cubist and other schools of art represent a return to the old idea of design."

"Music is the only thing with which they can be compared. Music is a repetition with variation of pleasing sounds arranged in a tone pattern. This art takes lines and masses, and arranges them in a pattern, with many skillful repetitions and variations. If the result is pleasing, it is besides the mark whether or not it exactly resembles anything in nature."

Paintings by Pablo Picasso, the French originator of cubism, and by Cezanne and Redon, who with him are included in the exhibit. Two paintings by Maurice and Charles Prendergast are especially admired by Mr. Pearson, together with a landscape by F. G. Applegate.

Many will take issue with Mr. Pearson in his estimate of the pictures. One casual observer, while admitting the interest of the design in many of the paintings, is troubled by the color, which is all too often dull, muddy, or carelessly handled. Some of the black and white drawings show up to better effect than the paintings.

Whatever their ultimate value, the exhibit forms a curious and absorbing study, which is worthy of considerable attention. Often it is only after smashing the old and recognized forms of beauty, as is done in these paintings, that people's minds are opened to perceive new beauty.

An inexpensive but good looking Windsor chair is birch with an antique mahogany finish.

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## Today's Social Gaieties

Mrs. John L. McGurk, informal bridge this afternoon at her home for Mrs. Jess Thurmond of Eugene, Ore.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Callias, dinner for Bishop and Mrs. John L. Neulson of Switzerland, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Nicholson.

The plaid mode has left its stamp in both taffeta and washable frocks.



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Out of my ovens they came last night—rows and rows of beautiful golden pies! My special Wednesday baking.

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## Raisin bread special on Wednesdays