

# SOCIETY AND WOMAN'S PAGE

## Dr. McClanahan Brings Back Oriental Anti-Flirt Mask

Water is harder to get and quite as expensive as wine in the "dry" countries of the Near East, according to Dr. H. M. McClanahan, who returned April 1, from a tour of Egypt and Asia Minor. Hotel guests are offered their choice of either a bottle of water or a bottle of wine, at the same price, on the bill of fare. But the wine is more likely to be in stock than the water, and a man who has not cultivated a taste for the pre-Valstead article is likely to suffer from as great a thirst as that which besets his bibulous brethren in prohibition countries.

Tips are a matter of necessity, not of choice. Americans who had grown a bit forgetful in the haphazard customs of our own country found their memories jogged, some dark night when they were alone in a narrow by-street, by a practical looking dragoman with a knife in his belt, and thereafter were more prompt with their generosity.

Among the souvenirs brought home by the doctor is a sample of the flirtation-proof face-masks forced by Egyptian husbands upon the inmates of their harems. The face-mask is made of heavy black cloth like a strong cotton crepe, and has a brass cylinder between the eyes which is calculated to discourage straying glances. At the base of the cylinder dangle large and jagged rings, which threaten damage to a delicate skin if mislaid of Cairo tosses her head or invites an illicit kiss. The whole is swathed in a heavy black veil by the demurely modest woman when she walks abroad. Dr. McClanahan visited with his cousin, Dr. Frank McClanahan, medical director of a missionary hospital in Luxor, and a personal friend of Lord Carnarvon, who first attempted the opening of Tut-Ankh-Amen's tomb.

## Society Doffs Its Coat

Four coats were hurriedly packed away yesterday and even light weight wraps were glanced at askance by their fair owners when the thermometer took a jump from winter into spring.

Lunching at the Brandeis were Mrs. V. A. Clark and Mrs. Clarence Lee Johnson, who were walking dresses, sans coats, Mrs. Clark's a Lanvin green flannel and Mrs. Johnson's a smart tan.

At another table Mrs. Robert Shirley wore a coat dress of soft green, and with it a neckerchief scarf of green and orange, which she had knotted stock fashion about her throat.

Mrs. Henry Bohling took her daily constitutional Wednesday, wearing a madonna blue broadcloth beltless trolley, sent her from Palm Beach by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Davis.

Mrs. W. A. Frayer was seen in Dundee with a brown walking costume. Miss Eleanor Burkley wore a blue twill one-piece dress, trimmed with tiny pearl buttons, with a cunning boy-line collar made of val lace wheels, to the Society of Fine Arts lecture, presenting Miss Rebecca West at the Fontenelle.

## Mrs. Little Comes to Visit Mrs. Loomis

Mrs. Herbert Little of Toledo, O., will arrive Saturday to visit Mrs. John U. Loomis. That evening Mrs. Little will be among the guests at the dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Victor H. Caldwell, Jr. Monday Mrs. Loomis will entertain for her at luncheon, and on the Friday following Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Carpenter, Jr., will entertain at dinner.

## Mrs. Redick Leaves for California

Mrs. W. Redick will leave on Friday with Mrs. Godfrey Holterhoff of Los Angeles who has been her guest for the past four weeks, and will spend a month with her touring in California.

Wednesday evening Mrs. Redick was dinner hostess in honor of the birthday of Judge Redick. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wheeler, Mrs. W. J. Foye, Mrs. Joseph Barker, Mr. and Mrs. John Redick and Stockton Heth.

## Honors Miss Barker at Tea

Mrs. Herbert French will entertain at tea Saturday for 20 of the younger set, when Miss Virginia Barker will be the honor guest. Miss Eleanor Welch, who visited Miss Virginia Barker a few weeks ago, enroute east from California, will be among the guests. Miss Welsh has returned to be with Miss Barker a short time.

## Miss Higgins Honored

Misses Bertha Mas and Martha R. Bradford will entertain at luncheon at their home on Saturday, honoring Miss Dorothy Higgins, who will leave Sunday to return to Miss Spence's school in New York City.

## Informal Luncheon

Mrs. Robert Hamilton, Jr., gave an informal luncheon on Wednesday at her home.

## College Club Presents Kosmet Klub Players

The Omaha College club will present the University of Nebraska Kosmet klub players in a two-act musical comedy, entitled "The Wishing Ring," May 2, at the Gayety theater.

## Circle Number Three

Circle Number Three of the First Presbyterian church will give an informal tea to which all the other circles of the church and ladies of the congregation are cordially invited, on Friday, April 11, at 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors. The special feature of the afternoon will be a Bible talk by Mrs. Carl R. Gray.

## Congregational Rummage Sale

The First Central Congregational ladies are closing their rummage sale Friday morning, offering every article, shoes, hats and garments at 15 cents.

## Birth Announcements

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lockwood announce the birth of a son at the Lord Lister hospital, March 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laursen announce the arrival of a daughter, at the Lord Lister hospital, March 31.

## Today's Club Calendar

Ladies' Aid, Dundee Presbyterian church, regular meeting in the church parlors on Friday; Luncheon at 1:15 p. m.

Try Skinner's Macaroni, Spaghetti or Egg Noodles served plain with hot butter sauce for a whole meal for either dinner or supper. Your family will be delighted.

## In April Frolic



Mrs. W. J. Traver, as Rosina Smith, the Irish maid in "The Smith Mystery," a farce, and Mrs. A. J. Jackson as Robert Baldwin in "The Confessional," a modern problem play, had prominent roles in the April frolic and matinee luncheon of the Omaha Women's club yesterday in Burgess-Nash store. Fully 188 women were present at the luncheon, while more than 200 attended the program in the auditorium which followed it.

"The Smith Mystery" deals with the complications which may arise when three unmarried ladies, all named Smith, inhabit the same house. Not last among them is the cook. The other Misses Smiths were played by Mrs. Ida Kaley and Mrs. C. H. Compton.

Mrs. Jackson stirred in the masculine role of the honest bank clerk who refuses a bribe offered him on condition that he suffer a lapse of memory about the misdeeds of his dishonest bank president. His family, who at first tremble for his reputation and later blame him because he refused the bribe, was enacted by Mesdames L. P. Roberts, A. A. Siegfried, A. H. Clarke, Joseph Lawrence, and Mrs. James Bone.

The curtain raiser, "The Other Voice," a playlet of midnight murder on London bridge, was enacted by Mesdames Harry Barton, L. A. Smith and Lawrence Hoffman.

The Phi Omega Pi sorority of Omaha university will have their regular meeting at the home of Clara Pease Friday night. Important business will be discussed.

Vassar club will hold a rummage sale at 219 South Fourteenth street, Friday and Saturday of this week.

## Personals

Miss Shanahan is home from New York where she spent the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts have taken an apartment in Miami for the month of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Galley have given up their house and have moved to The Colonial.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wickham of Council Bluffs leave shortly for Excelsior Springs.

Mrs. Harry Jordan is leaving May 1 for California, where she expects to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Fred Metz and daughter, Miss Harriet Metz, leave Wednesday for New York City where they will spend a month.

Mrs. Charles Burgess has gone to Rochester where she was called by the illness of her father, Chief Justice C. J. Smyth.

Mrs. Halstead Dorey is visiting her daughters, Misses Georgianna and Ednah, who are in school in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Reed and Mrs. Margaret Hynes leave tonight for Excelsior Springs, where they will remain 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kierstead have returned from Los Angeles after spending the winter. They are at home at 4629 Florence boulevard.

Dr. and Mrs. Clyde Roeder returned Tuesday evening from Sacramento, Cal., where Dr. Roeder was called on account of the illness of his father.

Dr. and Mrs. William N. Anderson and Mrs. Shirley H. Wilson leave Saturday for New York City. The Andersons will sail later in the month for Europe.

Mrs. Leo Wilson was hostess to Mrs. E. E. Holland, Suffolk, Va.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT. HENRY M. EATON CANDIDATE State Auditor Public Accounts Republican-Primaries APRIL 8th YOUR VOTE IS SOLICITED. Resident of Omaha, Neb. Resident of Nebraska 46 Years From Middle-West School Review—"H. M. Eaton, County Superintendent of Douglas County, Nebraska, is a candidate for State Auditor of Public Accounts on the Republican ticket at the primaries April 8, Sup't. Eaton has had wide experience as a school man, accountant, public officer and business man."

## Your Problems

Mrs. W. B. Patrick and daughter, Mrs. Miles Standish, have returned from Washington. Mrs. Patrick is much improved in health and has taken an apartment at The Colonial.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Nieman will spend the week-end in Lincoln with Mrs. Nieman's sister, Mrs. Alfred Duteau. Mrs. Duteau will entertain at dinner Saturday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Abbott, Jr., who are visiting in Lincoln.

Emil Johnson, 3509 North Nineteenth street, a resident of Omaha for more than 20 years, leaves June 1 for a two months' visit with his brother and sisters at his old home near Gontenberg, Sweden. This is his first visit in 50 years to his old home.

Miss Jane Stewart returned to her studies at Miss Master's School at Dobbs Ferry, New York, on Monday. Her brother, Gordon, who attends Andover, returned Sunday to spend his spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Stewart, second.

An Irish Miss: Yes, the man may love you and still gamble and drink if he thinks you do not care for him. That is, he loves you in his weak way. No love is better than the one who gives it. A person without any real strength of character, without any capacity for fidelity, devotion, unselfishness and kindness, may love but will not have those wonderful qualities to put into his love. Love is not a constant, perfect thing. It depends upon human beings for its expression, and the finer and nobler

## First District Has Club Convention

Pawnee City, Neb., April 3.—The annual convention of the first district, Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs met here yesterday, 20 delegates being in attendance.

Mrs. E. C. Yopt of Brock, president for the district, is in charge. Citizens of Pawnee City are cooperating in welcoming the guests. The business section is decorated in the colors of the district. The program included an address last night by Dr. L. C. Oberlies, Lincoln, a cantata by the Coterie club of Pawnee City. Miss E. Ruth Pyrtle and Mrs. W. D. Hays, Lincoln, spoke yesterday afternoon and evening. A short play will be given by local clubs under the direction of Mrs. W. S. Potts.

by Martha Allen

T. M.: How can your marriage go on the rocks because it is performed on May 1 instead of April 30, unless you invite catastrophe by keeping your mind on the dread thought that there is a superstition about being married in May?

There is a definite relationship between superstition and belief in luck or good fortune. Superstition is according to the dictionary itself, a belief founded on irrational feelings, especially of fear. And the same authorily defines luck as "that which chances to a person, whether for good or for ill."

Directly you believe that your life is a matter of chance and that things happen to you without your volition, or invitation, of course you are going to be afraid of happening to do the wrong thing and thereby offending or neglecting fortune.

Luck is generally a name given by envious or dull or lazy folks to the things they imagine just tumbled off the tree of life into other folks' laps. But what the dullard or the slight call "luck" is generally the result of thought and effort and courage combined into one tour de force for conquering mischance.

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## When April Showers.

The lion-and-lamblike attributes of March make it worth while being prepared for all sorts of conditions of weather, even for a rainy day. We may know enough to come in out of the wet, but we may not always be

able to do it, especially in April. Umbrellas have graduated from the strictly utilitarian, and are now a decorative feature, bright in tone and artistic, even though chubbily as to handle. Some handles are as highly ornamental as our mah jong sets, but no matter how Chinese they are, curiously enough they are French to their last rib.

## Sacred Heart Medals

The gold medal at the dramatic art contest of the Sacred Heart schools on Tuesday evening was awarded to Mary Grow, 7, who read "Little Dora's Soliloquy." Second place went to Florence Morrison, who read "Johnny's Pocket," and third place to Daniel Kelly, who read "Morning Call."

In the grammar division the gold medal was awarded to Catherine Moran, who read "Who's Afraid." Billy Connor won second place on his rendition of "Seeing Things at Night." Alleen Delaney third place on "St. Leon's Toast."

Miss Rosemary Conlan received the gold medal in the high school division for her reading of "The Swan Song." Second place was won by Miss Cecelia Ederer on "He Tried to Tell His Wife," and third by Miss Alice Claire Swift, who read "The Second Trial." Mrs. John Mullen is dramatic instructor.

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