

Junior League Charities

Shows Mah Jong Ball Only Frivolous Side of League Nature.

That the Mah Jong ball is an only expression of the frivolous side of the Junior League nature is evidenced by a scrutiny of their other activities.

The league is perhaps best known for its Day Nursery, which is managed by a Junior League Board under the Community chest, and which the league supported by itself until this year. A report on their efforts there is convincing of its worth.

At the University Hospital Free Dispensary where Miss Catherine Thummel is chairman of the Junior League work, nine girls have given 810 hours in which they have entered 10,569 old patients and taken histories of 1,530 new ones since the first of last October. They are on duty three days a week, three at a time. In the children's ward of the same hospital 600 youngsters have been given kindergarten work by the six Junior League members headed by Mrs. George Redick, who spend three mornings a week in the ward. The Leaguers in this work are Mesdames Ralph Peters, Jack Summers, Amos Thomas, Windsor Megeath and Clyde Roeder; the Misses Catherine Thummel, Hilda Hammer, Emily Keller, Irene Carter, Gladys Peters and Elizabeth Bruce, and in the children's ward are Mesdames George Redick, Yale Holland, John Caldwell, Lewis Burgess, Carl Paulson, John Redick, Charles Metz, Charles Beaton, Barton Millard.

One of the popular forms of service is that of the sewing groups, under chairmanship of Miss Ruth Kinsler. Fifty members are divided into four groups sew for the Day Nursery and the Salvation Army Rescue Home. They have turned in 351 garments in their 2,000 hours of work. The circles include:

No. 1. Mesdames Robert Reasner, Robert Edwards, Charles Burgess, Robert Turner, George Pratt, Eugene Holland, Charles Hamilton, Jr., Richard Maloney, Chauncey Abbott, Jeffrey and Miss Harriet Metz.

No. 2. Mesdames Denman Koutze, Harkness Koutze, Herbert Davis, Robert Storz, Ben Wood, Arthur Rogers, Milton Peterson, Harry Kelly, Milo Gates, Allen Tukey, A. Thomas and Miss Emily Keller.

No. 3. Mesdames Malcolm Baldridge, Frederick Clarke, Jr., N. C. Leary, Frederick Burcholz, Perry Hendricks, John Madden; the Misses May Mahoney, Nan Murphy and Harriet Smith.

No. 4. Mesdames George Johnston, Kenneth Patterson, Charles McLaughlin, Robert Garrett, Arthur Scribner, Victor Caldwell, Guy Kiny, Leo Herbert French, John McCague, Robert Burns, Ray Jones, Harry Byrne and Miss Ellen Creighton.

At the time of Community Chest campaign every member of the League worked, for a week, as a house to house canvasser and the league raised the quota allotted to it.

The Junior League Bulletin, published in New York, demands contributions of verse, prose and reviews and among other writers are Mrs. Macfarland, Mrs. Isaac Carpenter, Jr., Mrs. Newman Benson, Mrs. Paul Gallagher, Miss Erna Reed, Miss Emily Burke and Miss Marion Towle. Mrs. John Loomis is the Omaha City Editor.

Camp Holiday Tea on Tuesday

Misses Sara G. Holiday and Mary V. Farnum will be hostesses at tea Tuesday afternoon, April 22, from 3 to 5 o'clock on the mezzanine floor of Hotel Fontenelle in compliment to girls who have attended their summer camp at Lake Okoboji and those who will attend their senior camp this year at New Hackensack, Minn. Assisting will be Mesdames Irving Cutter, Alfred J. Brown, John H. Husse, John T. Brownlee, Henry B. Lemere, Charles W. Pollard, James E. Fitzgerald.

The guests will include: Misses Harriet Blar, Ruth Buffington, Eleanor Nossy Brown, Eleanor Baxter, Jean Brownlee, Mary Elizabeth Easton, Ethel and Frances Cunningham, Barbara Christie, Ruth Chatfield, Marian Conley, Dorothy Goucher, Emma Hoagland, Dorothy Husse, Kathryn Indoe, Lillian Jones, Mary Jane Jones, Gertrude Larson, Wilma Jones, Gertrude Marshall, Gertrude Pollard, Rosiland Platter, Helen Rogers, Polly Robbins, Jean Robbins, Georgene Rasmussen, Margaret Bix, Daisy Ryan, Doris Steiner, Selma Steiner, Marian Sturtevant, Anne Young, Rosemary.

For Eileen Jeffers In honor of Miss Eileen Jeffers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jeffers, who is home from St. Mary of the Woods, for her spring vacation, Miss Ann Young will entertain 19 students of the Sacred Heart academy and college Monday at her home at a buffet luncheon.

Today's Affairs

One of the largest affairs for Easter Sunday the tea which Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davidson will give at their apartment in the St. Regis to honor Miss Dorothy Judson and Wallace Shepard.

Major and Mrs. Lawrence Churchill will entertain at supper at their home Sunday evening.

MAH JONG BALL FIRST BIG AFFAIR TO FOLLOW EASTER



Miss Ruth Wallace

Mrs. Amos Thomas

Mrs. Lewis Burgess

Mrs. Harkness Koutze

Mrs. Clarence Peters

Fraternity Men Give Tea-Serve in Dining Room and Work in Kitchen

If a Woman's Falsetto, "Sugar or Lemon in Your Tea?" Is Fatal, What Casualties Will Follow the Same Query in a Tremolo Tenor.

NOVELISTS, put it to it for scenes of romance, have always fallen back with a sigh of relief on the good old tea table scene, where woman, lovely woman, presiding under the soft glow of rose shaded lights, can husk softly the momentous question: "Tea or lemon?" at an always enraptured male.

Those days will soon be gone forever, Gabby predicts, when the world hears of the really convincing variation on the old theme furnished by a fraternity at the Nebraska Medical college, for if a woman's falsetto is fatal, what will the casualties be when a tenor tremolo begins to query: "Will you have one or two sugars and a dash of cream?"

The plan is to be given a fair trial by the Phi Rho Sigma fraternity, which is planning a tea for Sunday next, when the guests will be the faculty, their wives and—wonder—their daughters.

Since only a few can play the part of tea dispensers, Gabby wonders if they are having tryouts daily, competing for the best tenor and baritone voices, who can murmur the conventional question as they slip the fair guests a cup of brew.

This would be a simple way of arranging things, for those with a crack in their laugh or a squeak in their speech could be relegated to the kitchen to build sandwiches and arrange the cakes on trays for those more fortunately located at the tea table.

Others, still worse vocally, could officiate in the orchestra (which will play during the affair), where they can tune in on instruments instead of their own faulty pipes.

Since they are planning this and carrying it to completion, alone and unaided, Mrs. Irving Cutter, wife of the dean of the university, considered the invitation extended to her by the fraternity to preside over the tea things a very great honor, indeed. She will be assisted by Mrs. G. Alexander Young.

A GOOD part of the newer books on etiquette is given over to discussions on behaviour of persons after they are divorced, or separated.

Rightly, Gabby thinks, for sailing on matrimonial seas, rough though it is reputed to be, is as nothing to the voyages of those who have crossed the shoals, into the uncharted seas beyond, where as yet custom is in the making.

Chapters are devoted to remarriage.

Phi Rho Sigma to Give a Tea

Phi Rho Sigma fraternity of the University of Nebraska, college of medicine, will give a tea Sunday afternoon, April 27, from 4:30 to 7 o'clock, for faculty members and their wives.

Mrs. Irving C. Cutter, wife of the dean, will pour. She will be assisted by Mrs. G. Alexander Young.

The fraternity orchestra will play. Violin and saxophone solos will be featured.

Bridge Parties. Mrs. F. S. Martin will be a bridge hostess on Tuesday. Mrs. W. S. Stryker will entertain at bridge on Wednesday.

the form of the invitation, what should be done with first husband's rings, and a hundred or so other points.

However, Gabby hears that a prominent young couple here are going to give the smug authors of these guides to social perfection, a poser to solve. Divorced a short time ago, they have been seen lately in each other's company, apparently head over heels in the business of refilling in love.

Their friends say they will soon remarry, and wonder how they will do it, if they wait until after the 10-day license law goes into effect in Iowa. How sad it would be should an unsolved question of etiquette stand in their way.

SPEAKING of books of etiquette in regard to weddings, Gabby wonders what chapter will deal with a groom who sprains his ankle just before the ceremony, necessitating a trip to the altar on a cane.

It opens a maze of avenues of query.

What does one do with the cane, when he is clasping his fair bride's hand as they are about to be made one? At that deliciously nervous moment when he must find the ring and slip it on the cold trembling hands of his little wife, what does he do with his visible means of support? Shall he prop himself down the aisle during the return trip on the bride or will he be so happy he'll just naturally throw the cane away with a glad whoop, and nod merrily away from the chance of the injured hoof.

All this and much more will Floyd Smith, who weds Miss Beatrice Bayne of New York on Wednesday, have to decide, for this past week as he himself admitted he stepped in a hole and sprained the offender. Nevertheless, it isn't every day one gets the bride he wants, so never a plan would be changed, and he embarked last evening on a cane (and the train to make it correct), accompanied by his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith. He hopes for complete recovery ere the happy day, however.

The ceremony will be solemnized April 23 at the Park Avenue Baptist church of New York. Robert Shiverick of New York City, uncle of Mr. Smith, Jr., will be best man, and the ushers will be Wolcott Hooker, John Pirie and Edgar Lee of New York, and John Easton of Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Creighton Prom

One of the interesting events of the post-lenten season will be the Junior and Senior prom given April 25 by the students of Creighton university at the Creighton gymnasium. A king and queen will be chosen from the student ranks, and their coronation will take place that evening.

Gerald Quinlan, president of the senior class, and Bernard Jacobberger are in charge of arrangements.

Miss Brodegaard Honored.

Miss Katherine Less will entertain at bridge luncheon on Thursday, honoring a sorority sister in Alpha Beta Chi, Miss Anna Marie Brodegaard, who recently returned from a trip to California.

The very pert chick who has just jumped out of the Easter egg is, as you all will recognize, Mrs. Lewis Burgess, who is surrounded here by her cohorts in the "Daddy" chorus, Miss Ruth Wallace, Mrs. Amos Thomas, Mrs. Harkness Koutze and Mrs. Clarence Peters. They will perform on Friday and Saturday evenings at the Junior League Mah Jong ball, in the Brandeis restaurants.

When this chorus was chosen, naturally the most petite leaguers were in line. Costumes were an easy matter, for all of them can wear real little girls' dresses, and Mrs. Burgess herself, is able to don, and wear very fetchingly, the frocks of little Jane Peters, 7-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Peters.

Mrs. Clarence Peters is seen here clad in the cunning dress which Harriett Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelley, sometimes wears. Mrs. Amos Thomas wears a dress belonging to her sister, Elizabeth Owens, her small sister, Mary Clarke's frock. Margaret Higgins, youngest daughter of the E. A. Higgins, gave one of her new dresses to Ruth Wallace for the affair.

Many Reservations for Musicale Tea Tuesday

Mesdames A. W. Bowman, W. F. Milroy, Edgar Baird, Miles Standish, W. W. Davenport, Hird Stryker, Charles Beaton, Charles Olsen, Ed Boyer, J. R. Murtugh, Earl P. Ellis and Miss Kate McHugh have made foursome reservations for the tea to be given on Tuesday by the women's ways and means committee at the First Presbyterian church.

The committee chairman is Mrs. Clair Baird, who is assisted by Mrs. Palmer Findley and Mesdames Frank Engler, Righter Wood, Mel Uhl, Jr., Howard Kennedy, Virgil Hagart, Byrner Holmquist, Rodney Bliss, George Johnston and Harry Hundley.

For Col. and Mrs. Kinney.

Major and Mrs. O. E. Engler will give a dinner of 10 covers at Hotel Fontenelle on Wednesday night for Colonel and Mrs. C. C. Kinney of Fort Crook, preceding the Reserve Officers' dance at Fort Omaha.

City Concert Club.

City Concert club luncheon Monday, 12:15 at Hotel Fontenelle. Reservations must be made in advance through Hester Bronson Copper, Blanche Sorenson or Edith May Miller.

Miss Lineburg Betrothed

Miss Katherine Lineburg is a graduate of the Westlake school for girls in California and served as a princess in the court of Ak-Sar-Ben when Miss Helen Murphy was queen.

Lieutenant Meyer is from Mound City, Mo., and was a graduate in the class of 1922 from the United States Military academy at West Point. He has been stationed at Fort Omaha for the last year and a half.



Miss Katherine Lineburg's photo.

Thousands of Tulips Bedeck Callfas and Storz Lawns

There's no denying the joy of spring. And perhaps the greatest pleasure in the season comes with the flowers which bloom out of doors. Very few Omaha homes where spring flowers are not a feature of the landscaping. And even a goodly number of our residents go in for the early blossoms on a magnificent scale.

Last year, the tulip beds of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Storz in Fair Acres were the cause of comment for their profuse beauty. Thousands of the gay blossoms in crimson, purple, yellow and white were banked on either side of the walk leading up to the front door. The bulbs have already pushed their slender green stems through the top of earth and are bursting into bloom again to delight those who view them this year. Four deep, they line the walk.

Two thousand five hundred, guaranteed count, is the number of tulips, Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Callfas have on the lawn of their beautiful Mercer Park boulevard home. They have also a very interesting plant called the Jerusalem Lily. It blooms at Easter time and on each petal is a drop, said to be a tear for the death of Christ.

At Grey Rocks, formerly the George Roberts home, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dorney, tulips are part of the plan for a spring landscape scene.

The G. L. E. Klingbell home presents a gay yellow front, with hundreds of daffodils in blossom in the front yard. Tulip beds of the dark red and yellow flowers abound in the back yard.

Mrs. Brown Honored

Mrs. W. H. Taylor will entertain at a large bridge-luncheon on Tuesday, April 23, at home in honor of Mrs. Hugh Brown of Kearney, who will arrive on Monday, April 22, to visit at the Taylor home.

Mount St. Mary Girls Give Play Next Week

Twenty-one juniors and 10 seniors of the Mount St. Mary convent will present a three-act original play on Thursday evening at 8, April 24.

The Bohemian orchestra will play for the affair.

Annual Candle Light Tea for U. O. Sororities.

The second annual inter-sorority tea will be given by the Phi Omega Pi sorority of the University of Omaha next Sunday, and invitations have been sent out to all sorority members, feminine faculty members and wives of all faculty members who because they are male are not so fortunate as to be included in the invitation.

The home of Beatrice Bell, 4911 Underwood avenue, will be the scene of the affair, which this year will be a candlelight tea. Spring flowers will furnish the decorative embellishment.

A receiving committee, four presidents of the sororities—Alice Ruff, Pi Om; Doris Reiff, Phi Delta Psi; Agnes Bragg, Kappa Psi Delta; and Ann McConnell, Sigma Chi Omicron—will make the guests welcome.

Claire Powers and Frances Cady, Phi Omega Pi freshmen, together with Mildred Busman and Pauline Horn, pledges, will serve tea.

Guest of Mrs. W. R. Wood Honored at Affairs.

Mrs. Frank G. Hoge, guest of Mrs. W. R. Wood, who arrived a week ago from Fort Russell, Wyo., to spend the winter here, will be honored by her hostess at a party Wednesday afternoon. On Saturday Mrs. Jack Sharpe entertained informally at tea for Mrs. Hoge and on Friday Mrs. George Payne gave a tea for the visitor.

Progressive Breakfast.

The home economic department of the South Omaha Woman's club will have a progressive breakfast Tuesday, April 22. The first course at the home of Mrs. Bruce McCulloch at 12 o'clock, the second at the home of Mrs. N. M. Graham at 1 o'clock, followed by a musical program. There will also be a talk on "Conservation" by Mrs. L. M. Lord.

Miss Dow Lovely as a Bride

A simple but beautiful service was the ceremony last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dow, which united in marriage their daughter, Florence, and Rex Fernald, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fernald of Minneapolis, formerly of Omaha. Rev. Donald MacLeod of the Dundee Presbyterian officiated.

Miss Jean Dow, sister of the bride, and Dr. Frank Carman of Madison, Neb., were the only attendants.

Miss Mary Miller of Lyons, Neb., played the wedding march.

The bride was gowned in a lovely blue headed chiffon frock, an imported model, fashioned on straight lines. She carried a large bouquet of Russell roses and lilies of the valley and wore the gift of the groom, a diamond and platinum bracelet.

Mr. Fernald was a student at the University of Nebraska, and his bride attended Northwestern and Oberlin conservatories of music, each two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Fernald left immediately for an eastern wedding trip. They will be at home in an apartment in Minneapolis after May 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow plan to visit their daughter this summer on their way to Canada.

Lansing Brisbin to Wed Kentucky Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brisbin and their son are making plans to motor to Ashland Ky., the latter part of May for the wedding of their son, Lansing, to Martha Russell of that city, which will be solemnized June 4.

Harry Brisbin, brother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. John Brisbin, his uncle and aunt; Mrs. R. H. Olmstead and Robert Olmstead will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Brisbin.

Lansing Brisbin has been a resident of Omaha until the past two years, when he moved to Ashland. He is a graduate of Dartmouth, where he took a great many honors, and is a member of Sigma Chi.

Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. Grant Benson will be hostess at bridge luncheon at her home on Thursday.

Saturday Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ross Newkirk entertained at bridge at their home last night.

Open Season for Picnics

Easter Sunday besides being the traditional spring fashion opening will, in all probability, be the official opening of the spring picnic season, too.

Many a flapper is wondering whether she had best give up the thrills of the spring parade, in her smart new suit and little cloche, for the flannels and sweaters of country wear, and the pleasures of a day in the open.

Mrs. Helen Chapin Burnham of Lincoln, who is the guest of Mrs. Chauncey Abbott and Mrs. George Seaman, will be honor guest at a picnic Sunday afternoon. Friday Mrs. Burnham attended a meeting of the Lincoln picnic club at the home of Mrs. Lynn Storey, and Saturday she will share honors with Mrs. Abbott at a luncheon given by Mrs. Guy Kiddoo and a dinner given by Mrs. Max Miller.

Omahans with country places will open them today. Mr. and Mrs. Byrner Holmquist, who have a delightful lawn at their west Dodge street home, will be at home Sunday to their families, who last week picnicked on its gentle slope.

Another group who motored out North Seventy-second street to a picnic spot last Sunday and who will probably go again this Sunday includes Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Clarke, Miss Dorothy Norton, Miss Willow O'Brien, Miss Ridy Swift, Messrs. Tim Webb, Ed Shoemaker, George Murphy and Don Smith of Rochester, N. Y.

Mrs. Clarence Lee Johnson and Miss Peggy Reed will give a Sunday picnic in the near future. They had made tentative plans for an Easter picnic, which had to be postponed because of rehearsals this afternoon for the Junior League Mah Jong ball.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kiewit gave a picnic Saturday night, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Roger Holmap who leave soon for a South American trip.

Swimming Classes Become a Social Institution

Swimming classes at the Nicholas Senn pool, became a decidedly social institution last summer when they were inaugurated.

This year his classes are forming early.

Miss Emily Keller and Mrs. Amos Thomas are canvassing a group of 16 and have almost completed their list, for a class which will meet at 2 on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays during June. Among those who have joined their ranks are Mrs. Yale Holland, Mrs. Lewis Burgess, Mrs. Crosby Shelvin, Mrs. Guy Kiddoo, Misses Elizabeth Elliott, Josephine Schurman, Ruth Wallace, Dorothy Norton and Virginia Barker.

Others who have signed up for classes include Mrs. W. C. Simpson, Verne Ruth Knott, Frances Swan, Lettie McKinney, Edith Hansen, Inez Selander, Ella Hansen, Uwendolyn Boyle, Ann K. Wyman, Elizabeth Dinlon, Ethel Koutze, Emma Kment, Alberta Lynch and Frances Morley.

Kosmet Klub Play Here May 3

Omaha will be well represented in the cast of "The Wishing Ring" at the Gayety theater the night of May 3. The play will be presented by the Kosmet Klub of the University of Nebraska, under auspices of the local College club, as the college night attraction for 1924.

Cyril Coombs, author and director, was formerly an Omahian, and the president of the club, Oliver Maxwell, is an Omaha boy.

Kenneth Corler, Delta Tau Delta, and H. Stephen King, Phi Gamma Delta, both of Omaha, are members of the chorus.

Misses Eleanor Newbranch, Alpha Phi; Ione Gardner and Glee Gardner, Alpha Xi Delta; Arlene Rosenberg, Phi Omega Pi, and Dorothy Payne, Alpha Phi, are chorus maidens.

Dolly Larson, Marguerite Menger, Ted Morris, Ward Wray, Timothy Ryan, Arlin West, Lord Alig, Orville Andrews, Mrs. E. Pyster, Helen Cowan, A. Handson Stranger, John Dibbe, Jimmy, Dorothy, Katherine Saylor, Betty, Dorothy, Herbert Yeau, Dancers, Donna Justin, Herbert Yeau.

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