

# SOCIETY AND WOMAN'S PAGE

## Affairs for Mr. Clark.

Mrs. Charles G. McDonald and her daughter, Charlotte, will entertain at the Brandeis supper dance Saturday, December 27 for Franklin Clark of St. Louis, Mrs. McDonald's nephew who arrives Christmas morning to be their guest. Miss Marian Esterday of Lincoln who is a student with Miss McDonald in Emma Willard school will spend the week end as her guest and will share honors with Mr. Clark.

Mrs. A. H. Fetters is also planning to entertain at dinner for Mr. Clark. Her son, Jack Fetters of Cornell, will be host at this affair.

## For the Goulds.

Mrs. Hugh Hipple will entertain at luncheon Monday at the University club for Mrs. Gould, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Hardings. Mrs. Gould's daughter, Miss Katherine, was honor guest at a luncheon for eight guests given today by Mrs. Maynard Buchanan, a recent bride.

## University Club Party.

The University club will give a Christmas dinner dance, Saturday, December 20, at 7 o'clock. The college club orchestra will play. Reservations are limited to 200.

## Smith Club Tea.

Mrs. Henry Pierpont and Mrs. Lloyd B. Holsapp will entertain at tea at Aquila court Tuesday, December 30, for the Smith college club.

## For Mrs. Black.

Mrs. Frank W. Robinson will entertain at luncheon at her home on Saturday for Mrs. C. E. Black who leaves late this month for Florida.

## Helen Rogers Honored.

Mrs. Herbert Rogers will give a buffet supper for her daughter, Helen, Vassar senior, on Christmas night.

## Sunday Hostess.

Miss Miriam Wylie will entertain at a tea on Sunday at her home for Miss De Weenta Conrad and her fiancé, Howard Gray.

## J. F. W. Club.

Mrs. Ralph B. Carney will entertain the J. F. W. club at luncheon at her home Thursday.

## Omaha University.

The annual Christmas party given by the alumnae for the active members of Sigma Chi Omicron sorority of the University of Omaha will be held December 29 at the home of Mary Cleland.

Bids for the Sigma Chi Omicron Christmas dance to be given Christmas night at the Blackstone hotel, will be mailed Friday, the 12th. Two hundred couples will be present.

Miss Margaret Carmichael is entertaining members of the Sigma Chi Omicron December 29 at evening bridge at her home.

The Phi Sigma fraternity of the University of Omaha has followed the example of the Theta Phi Delta organization, and has rented a house at Twenty-second and Pratt streets for their home. The boys plan to have it furnished before the new year.

## Winter "Y" Classes Open Soon.

The evening classes of the Young Women's Christian association, have closed a most successful fall term with over 600 enrolled. The winter term will open the third week in January, when classes in millinery, sewing, interior decorating, drawing, ukulele, good manners, French, business English, story-telling and social poise will be offered.

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Mrs. Raymond Nugent is chairman and seen with her assistants, both church and college, in the city. In charge of the annual sale of the tuberculosis seals in booths at local theaters and hotels, which begin Monday and continue for five days. The work is under the direction of the Nebraska Tuberculosis association of which Miss Alice Marshall is the acting head. The work has the support of Mayor James C. Dahlman.

## Charity Sewing Group Provides Xmas Cheer

Quietly, throughout the year, groups meet for charity sewing. Scarcely a church or club that does not engage itself.

One of the best known and most permanent of these groups met at the home of Mrs. Walter Head Wednesday afternoon. Each month these women meet to cut out garments for the Salvation Army Rescue home, and to distribute them among various circles, both church and college, in the city, who do the stitching and finishing on hundreds of little garments which this nursery committee provides for the institution.

At the meeting Wednesday, the members in addition to their usual tasks, tied up Christmas packages for 45 girls at the home. Those who attended and assisted were Mrs. Henry Wyman, chairman; Mrs. Charles Offutt, treasurer; Mrs. A. W. Jeffers, secretary; Mesdames Walter Head, Carl Paulson, Ralph Peters, Earl Gannett, Frank Judson, H. A. Fraser and Joseph Barker.

## Your Problems

By Martha Allen

### Wants to Leave Husband.

Dear Miss Allen: When I was very young I married a man with whom I have lived for nearly 20 years and he has abused me in every way. We have 220 acres of land and I never get any money from it. I get some chicken money occasionally. I have \$1,000 of my own.

Can you refer me to employment outside of kitchen work? He tells me nearly every day that if I don't like his treatment to go somewhere else.

I've just had one team when we were married. I feel like a worn-out farm implement which he would like to discard. I am not old, however, but terribly worn.

Would it be safe to answer an ad and go to the city to nurse an invalid or children? There is nothing but quarrels at home and to think of being away from it makes me so happy.

Since you are so unhappy and your husband tells you to go if you do not like his treatment, it seems to me it would be a good idea to go, for a short time at least. Very often a farmer does not realize how much of a partner his hard-working wife is.

Your idea of taking a position as practical nurse to an invalid or child, is very good. Instead of answering an advertisement it might be wiser to advertise for such a position. In that way you could take the pick of answers and also get an idea of how much demand there is for your kind of nursing.

I presume that after you have been away a month or two your husband will realize what you have meant to him and he will want you to come back. He might not, however, and so the only way for you to lay your plans is with the prospect of supporting yourself from the time you leave the farm.

### Big Sister Is Overbearing.

Dear Miss Allen: I am a girl of 10. My sister, who is 14, is treating me so badly that I am going to leave home. My girl friend is having the same trouble. Please give us advice about leaving. It is a shame the way we are being treated.

Although you and your girl friend are suffering because you have older sisters who are overbearing, there is no use in planning to leave home. In the first place you would be miserably unhappy because girls of your age could not support themselves, and in the second place you would be returned to your parents because you are minors.

Talk to your parents about your unhappiness. They may also improve the situation when they understand it by insisting that your sisters cease to be overbearing.

### The Housewife's Idea Box

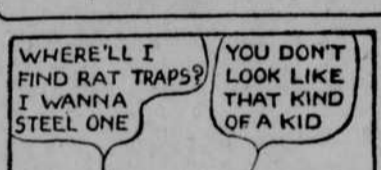


### Instead of Lingerie Ribbon.

If you have been annoyed by the wearing out of lingerie ribbon when used for strings, try this: Crochet a chain of six-strand embroidery floss. It will last longer than the ribbon, will not mure in the washing and will pass through the smallest lace beading.

THE HOUSEWIFE.  
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## Miss Information



WHERE'LL I FIND RAT TRAPS? I WANNA STEEL ONE.

YOU DON'T LOOK LIKE THAT KIND OF A KID.



## Apollo Club Will Furnish Vesper Program.

On Sunday afternoon, December 14 at 4 o'clock, the Apollo club will give a musical program at the Young Women's Christian association.

Rev. George H. Dorn of Kountze Memorial church will be the speaker of the afternoon, and Mrs. A. E. Van Fleet will be the hostess for the social hour following the Vesper service. The public is invited to this service—especially girls who are away from home.

## Emanons Entertained.

Miss Evangeline Agnes Duffy entertained at a bridge luncheon at her home on Tuesday. The guests were members of the "Emanon" bridge club.

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## A Wife's Confessional

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### The Several Problems Mother Graham Presented to Madge.

At Mother Graham's ultimatum concerning her coffee, the hospital nurse hauled down her colors—there was nothing else for her to do—and prepared to make her retreat in as dignified a fashion as she could manage.

"Unfortunately, I cannot wait for the coffee," she said frigidly, turning to me. "I must get back to my patients. May I count on you to explain to Dr. Quinlan that I did my best to get a report for him?"

"Of course," I said heartily, but my mother-in-law struck into the conversation irritably.

"You'll not be blamed for anything," she said. "I shall talk to Dr. Quinlan myself. Margaret, I didn't order a status of you as Hebe. Get busy and pour me that coffee."

With a look upon her face which spelled extreme annoyance with my autocratic mother-in-law, and sympathy for me, the nurse went out of the door, closing it after her, and my mother-in-law drew a deep breath of relief.

"Starched up gas-pipe," she muttered, pulling herself up in bed and avidly seizing the cup of coffee I had promptly poured for her even as the nurse was leaving. Then she drank, thirstily, deeply, leaving the cup empty.

"There! That's something like!" she exclaimed. "Pour me another, Margaret. What's this? Katie's toast? Well, this is very nice, I'm sure!"

Her good humor was returning rapidly, augmented by her glee in having vanquished professional authority as represented by the nurse, and when she had despatched the coffee, she declared herself ready to get up and be dressed.

"But, Mother," I expostulated, "the doctor—"

"I can't wait!"

"But, Mother, nothing!" she ejaculated with such vigor that my fears for her strength promptly vanished.

"It's just because I don't want the doctor hemming and hawing over me that I'm going to be up and dressed when he gets here. Then he can't order me back to bed."

There was a feverishness in her manner which made me suspect that there was something more than her natural disinclination to remain in bed behind her autocratic ultimatum, and her next words confirmed the thought in my mind.

"I can't wait around on doctors and nurses," she said. "They'd keep me here for a week if I let them alone, and I must be in shape to go out of doors by tomorrow, or Tuesday at the latest."

"Tuesday! The day she already had named to me as the latest date upon which I was to bring her secretly one hundred dollars!"

Was her insistence upon these things born of some hallucination resulting from her fall in the shrubbery back of our old home next door to the Durkee place, or was there something real behind her wishes? If the latter—I drew a quick breath of alarm. Something furtive, sinister, must have come unexpectedly into her life, something which she was trying to combat by herself.

"That, of course, I could not permit her to do. With a sudden warm rush of sympathy for the indomitable spirit housed in her frail old body, I resolved that I would watch over her secretly—I knew better than to betray any open interest in her plans—and be ready to step in between her and any real or imaginary difficulty which would confront her on Tuesday."

For the present, however, there was nothing for me to do except to humor her, and I murmured a soothing assent to her ultimatum.

"If you're as strong as your voice indicates," I said laughingly, "you surely will be able to do anything you wish by Tuesday."

A Demand for Junior.

She permitted herself a reluctant grin.

"There never was anything the matter with my lungs," she said. "And there isn't anything else the matter with me, if you'll only help me get out of here."

"I'll do that, right now," I said, making a virtue of necessity, and during the next half hour I performed the duties of a hospital nurse and a lady's maid in a fashion that thought not professional, at least elicited commendation from my mother-in-law.

"There!" she said at last, when I had ensconced her in a chair between the window, through which the morning sun was gleaming, and the old-fashioned fireplace in which a fire of which I was proud, was crackling cheerily. "Now I'm thoroughly comfortable. Please bring that table a little nearer, and give me my glasses. I'll read while you dress Richard Second and bring him in here."

I hoped she did not see the look of dismay that came unwittingly into my eyes at her words. I did not wish her to see Junior while his face still bore traces of the inflammation and swelling which he had so mysteriously received upon the beach.

I knew that excited over his condition, Mother Graham never would rest until she had gone over every incident of that excursion, and it would be odd, indeed, if she did not discover the fact that the mysterious Chinese, Lee Chow, had made himself a factor in the beach party.

Mrs. W. R. Wood is in the Methodist hospital for a short time.

**"Y" Clubs' Christmas Bazar.**  
The annual bazar of the Federation of Girls' clubs of the Y. W. C. A. will be held Saturday, December 13, from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. in the Y. W. lobby.

The bazar will feature booths offering practical and artistic holiday gifts. Equiliste voile lingerie and homemade candies will be other specialties.

Miss Clara Arndt is chairman of the bazar. She is being assisted by the treasurer of the club, Ruth Bethards. Graduate Girl reserves: Georgia Williams, Fellowship; Fern Nell, I. O. club; Bertha Eiltz, Lo-hache; Julia Kubovy, W. D. T. club; Lou Eckstrom, Kip. club; Marie Peterson, Busy Circle, and Claire Nelson, G. P. C. club.

**Pearl M. E. Bazar.**  
The ladies of the Pearl M. E. church, Twenty-fourth and Ogden, will hold their Christmas bazar in the church all day Friday, December 12. In connection with the bazar a luncheon and chicken pie dinner will be served.

Central Park Congregational church will hold its annual Christmas bazar on Friday and Saturday at the courthouse.

Mrs. Walter Fraser Burrell of Portland, Ore., who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Crosby Shevlin, leaves Friday for Santa Barbara, Cal.

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