

## Gabby Says-

TWO Omaha women, at least, have been pretty thoroughly frightened during the last week. Naturally timid about staying alone, Mrs. Carol Belden and Mrs. Edwin Davis decided, when their husbands both left town on business trips last week, to protect one another. Mrs. Davis was to spend several nights with Mrs. Belden and Mrs. Belden the remainder of the "night be lonesome" nights with Mrs. Davis.

All went well until Mrs. Belden returned to her home one morning to find the front and back doors open and a good many valuable articles missing. During the night a burglar had made a call.

Now Mrs. Belden and Mrs. Davis have decided that they are a protection to one another but little or none to the house left empty. Sympathetic friends and neighbors are staying with the two "widows" until their husbands return.

**I**T TAKES the Central High school girl to hurl defiance in the teeth of Paris.

A group of them, which includes Misses Virginia Harte, Helen DeVore, Ruth Schwager, Helen Bramman and Ruth Craig, have been setting a style all their own, which is rapidly being taken up by their sister students.

They have decided that there shall be no more low waistlines and the belts on their frocks in consequence are fastened about them almost under their arms.

Gabby thinks they are daunting their youth in the faces of those who cling to a low waistline because there isn't any other waistline left.

**P**oudreuses tables are the latest frivolous word in furnishings, Gabby hears.

They are just now arriving from France, slowly following summer visitors who purchased them there for themselves and their friends.

Poudreuses are charming, slender-legged pieces made of mahogany, with tulipwood, satinwood and rosewood inlay. Marie Antoinette is said to have designed the originals, which are again the fashion.

A mirror set in the flat top is raised and discloses little holders for scents, rouges and powders. One tiny cavity is said to have held the black patches with which the queen set her creamy skin off to advantage.

Mrs. Ben Wood has one in her drawing room. She brought one to Mrs. Alan Tukey, who has it placed in her living room, where it shows off to advantage in the chintz hung apartment. Mrs. J. E. Summers has one in a small reception room, for the hurried guest to take advantage of, and Mrs. Henry Bohling uses one brought her from Paris by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Davis.

**O**NE of the brand newest "Juniors" in town, the scion of one of Omaha's wealthiest families, is worth not only a world full of love to his mother, but a huge touring car and elaborate silver tea service as well, for on the little fellow's birth a week or so ago, his proud father rushed from jeweler to motor dealer purchasing gifts for his wife as a material paean of praise.

**M**ISS GWENDOLYN WOLFE, a visitor of the past week, brought with her from the east sets of necklaces, earrings and rings which were the envy and desire of her Omaha friends.

The earrings were fashionably large, so large in fact that she left them off at tea time just to give her ears a rest before dinner.

The sets were silver crystal, green and white jade and pink and white carnelian.

One set of silver had been cunningly wrought into little bells which tinkled merrily as she moved.

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## Society



Petitia Creighton — (left)  
Mrs. Ensign Otis — (center)  
Gwendolyn Wolfe — (right)

## Comings, Goings of People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hansen have gone to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Burke are at the Robert Fulton hotel in New York.

Mrs. Frank Baker will entertain her bridge club Wednesday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Burns, who are now in Florida, will sail for Europe on April 11.

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## Colonial Antiques Will Be Used at Dundee Luncheon

All Dundee is under inspection. It

is being searched for early American

table accessories to use at the colonial

luncheon given by Circle 2, of the

Dundee Presbyterian church, at the

home of Mrs. W. H. Gordon at 4830

California street, on Thursday.

Mrs. J. L. Arnold, who has charge

of the decorations, has found old linens,

some of the pieces over 100 years

old, antique candlesticks and vases,

among the congregation.

Luncheon will be served at 12:15,

and a table for business men will be

served at 12:30.

Mrs. F. E. Thomas, who takes rese-

rations (IWA, 5778), reports parties

to be given by:

**M**isses—Edgar Norris, H. E. Headland,

Gilbert Gendall, Lynn Walker,

A. C. Crossman, Walter Arthur Howes,

T. E. Walsh, Arthur Howe.

## At Kappa Sigma Dance.

Kappa Sigma fraternity dedicated its new fraternity house in Lincoln Saturday evening. John T. Thornton of Chicago was the principal speaker. A dance was given by the fraternity on Friday evening at the Lincoln hotel, and on Saturday afternoon new members were initiated.

On Sunday morning attending were:

Ralph E. Smith, Cyrus Mason,

H. B. Bergquist, H. B. Bergquist,

H. C. Frost, H. C. Frost,

D. A. Frost, D. A. Frost,

H. A. Polley, Harry Byrne.

**Washington Party.**

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brink will enter-

tain Saturday at a George Wash-

ington party at their home. This is

the second of a series of parties the

Brinks are giving, the first being a

Valentine party at their home Val-

entine's eve.

**North Side Wedding.**

The marriage of Miss Helen Ethyl

Rose, daughter of Mrs. Nellie Rose,

to Rev. Wm. H. Stewart, son of Mr.

Mrs. W. M. Rose, was solemnized

Saturday evening at the North Side

Christian church. Miss Rose is a

Miss Gwendolyn Wolfe, Mrs. Ensign Otis and Miss Letitia Creighton of Rockland, Me., who were guests last week at the J. M. Baldwin home, left Friday evening for Minneapolis, Minn., where they will visit before going to California. They will return to their homes via New Orleans and Florida.

They were widely feted while in

Omaha by friends of Miss Wolfe, who is the daughter of Mrs. J. M. Baldwin.

Mrs. C. A. Ranney may be seen speed along the high roads, these first warm days in the car left her by her uncle, Gould Dietz, during his absence in South America.

Mrs. Ranney came to Omaha in October with Mr. Ranney and her son, Robert, and Carlton, Jr. This week they have Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCarthy of Duluth as their guests and will entertain in their honor.

"Punch," the Boston terrier, loves motorizing and is seen in the picture begging to be allowed to ride on the rear traveling boxes.

**M**rs. Warren Howard will be one of the waitresses to assist at the pancake tea, which will be given at All Saints church on Shrove Tuesday.

She is the mother of two beautiful children, Suzanne and Buster. Her little daughter has inherited her pretty brown eyes.

Mrs. Howard takes an active part in alumnae work of Delta Gamma sorority.

Miss Jean Field, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Frank D. Field, is one of

Omaha's few harpists. She is a mem-

ber of the Matinee Musical Club,

which met at her home February 11

and for which she is a member of

the nominating committee. The club was organized in the fall and its members are all talented musicians.

Miss Field is a graduate of Lasell seminary, Auburndale, Mass., and secretary of the Omaha and Council Bluffs Lasell club. She is a member of the Emma Hoagland Flower mis-

sion.

## Supper Party Tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hansen will entertain this evening at their home, when their guests will be:

Misses and Mesdames—

Misses—Helen, Glenn, Ralph, R. T. Hamilton.

Mesdames—C. R. Hamilton, Glenn D. Whitecomb, Ralph R. Rainey, R. T. Hamilton.

**P**an Cake Tea Feb. 24

In planning the second annual pancake tea which will be held in All Saints parish house on Shrove Tuesday, February 24, the committee has decided to adopt the slogan "Give them what and all they want."

Pancakes, sausages, real Vermont maple syrup donated by Judge W. A. Redick, and marmalade given by Charles Trimble, will be there to be eaten, from 12 noon until 8 in the evening. Any one with the capacity is welcome to stay and eat for these eight hours on one ticket.

A famous corps of waffle makers among the members has been chosen as kitchen committee, which includes:

Mesdames—Charles Gyner, A. E. Woodman, C. W. Heiter.

Mrs. S. S. Caldwell will be treasurer and Mrs. Conrad Young will arrange a musical program. Farman Smith promises to assist at the door with those who have eaten so much as to be unable to leave without aid. Other strong men will be there.

Mesdames—T. L. Davis, Fred Daugherty, and G. A. Meyer will decorate the tables, and Mrs. Alvin Johnson will design the waitresses' costumes.

Miss Emma Hoagland, queen of Ak-Sar-Ben, has selected 20 of her friends to be waitresses and she will be captain of the dining room.

Those taking reservations include: