

ANNUAL BANQUET.

Members of the Wednesday Club Celebrate
the Close of the Year's Work at the
Home of Their President.

From Saturday's Daily:
The annual banquet of the Wednesday club was given at the home of the president, Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt, last evening and was heartily enjoyed by members of the club and their guests, the beautiful evening, congenial company and delightful program of arrangements uniting to contribute to the pleasure of those participating. Tables were laid in the parlor and dining room, and were elegantly decorated in the club colors of green and white, the candelabra being shaded to conform to the general effect. Sweet scented cut flowers likewise lent their charm to the occasion. The club having made a study of Shakespeare during the past year, reminders of that author were numerous, among them being quotations from his works placed at each plate that were peculiarly adapted to some characteristic or event in the life of the person served. The following was the menu:

Fruit Mélange, Orange Cups	Salted Nuts	Olives
Radishes		
Veal Loaf, Mushroom Sause	Saratoga Potatoes	
Tomatoes, French Dressing	Cherry Punch	
Vienna Rolls		
Cauliflower Salad	Chese Wafers	
Strawberries and Cream	Angel Food	
Coffee		

During the serving of the banquet the following toasts were responded to, Mrs. N. A. Rainbolt presiding as toastmaster:

Our Welcome Guests.....M. S. C. S. Bridge
The Wednesday Club.....Mr. Morris Mayor
Shakespeare's Loves.....Mrs. Frank Salter
The Women of Shakespeare.....Mrs. Will Johnson
Shakespeare's Flowers.....Mrs. J. R. Hayes
Romeo and Juliet.....Mrs. Mayor, Mrs. Bucholz
Shakespeare's Wits.....Dr. Bear
Shakespeare's Wedding Feasts.....Mrs. C. H. Reynolds

Two Essentials of a Feast—Fun and Food.....W. H. Bucholz

Shakespeare's Sports, Spooks and Spinners.....Mrs. G. D. Butterfield

All's Well that Ends Well....Mrs. F. E. Hardy

The various subjects were handled very cleverly and entertainingly by those who responded and thus proved one of the most enjoyable features of the evening. In closing her toast, Mrs. Hardy, vice president of the club, took occasion to thank Mrs. Rainbolt on behalf of the members, for her efficient service during the past nine years as president of the society, laying particular emphasis upon the interest in the club taken by her, and closed by presenting her a beautifully bound and handsomely illustrated copy of Hamilton W. Mable's new book, "Shakespeare—Poet, Dramatist and Man." Mrs. Rainbolt returned her thanks to the members for their beautiful gift, and the evening's pleasures closed with short talks by guests, not on the program, who were called upon informally and passed pleasing judgement upon the club and its work.

Real Estate Transfers.
The following are the transfers of real estate in Madison county for the week ending May 18, 1901, as reported by D. J. Koenigstein, official abstracter:

Ferdinand Pasewalk to H. D. Buehner, wd lot 12, block 4, Pasewalk's 2nd add to Norfolk, \$150.

John O. Miers to C. S. Smith wd s 66 feet of lots 7 and 8, block 5, Norfolk, \$1500.

Wilson Minnick to L. M. Best wd nw 1/4 15-24-2, \$2000.

Asa K. Leonard to Leoral Wallerstadt, wd lot 5, block 5, Koenigstein's 3rd add to Norfolk, \$1500.

T. K. Ottie to Benie A. Johnson, wd sw 1/4 36-21-4.

Frank O'Shea to P. E. McKillip qd s 1/2 of nw 1/4 25-21-4, \$1.

Inge Feifar to W. A. Schwertfeger, wd s 30 feet of n 38 feet of lot 2, block 2, Pasewalk's add to Norfolk, \$175.

Pioneer Town Site Co. to Johann Zohner, wd part of outlet 4, P. T. S. Co.'s add to Battle Creek, \$200.

Pioneer Town Site Co. to Mary C. Maas, wd part of outlet 4 P. T. S. Co.'s 2nd add to Battle Creek.

U. S. of America to Amanda Pope, pd lots 3 and 4 and s 1/2 of nw 1/4 4-24-3.

C. F. VanVechten to Mary A. Larabee wd block 17, and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11 and 12, block 18, Hillside Terrace add to Norfolk, \$350.

Jerkin Hess to G. W. Randall wd lot 11, block 14, R. R. add to Newman Grove.

Albertine Drifkem to Patrick Keelty, wd w 1/2 of sel 1/4 and sw 1/4 of ne 1/4 17-24-4. Everett R. Drummond to Warner H. Daniel ne 1/4 21-23-3.

Elizabeth E. Page to A. H. McNight wd lot 7, block 11, Kumball and Blair's add to Burnett, \$550.

Albert E. Edwards to Charles G. Price wd s 1/2 of lot 2, block 3, McCombs Suburban lots to Burnett.

Alice A. Mills to Rome Miller wd lot 5, block 6, Dorsey Place add to Norfolk, \$150.

W. W. Marple & Co to Rome Miller wd lot 3, block 1, Dorsey Place add to Norfolk Junction.

Carl Wilde and wife to Jesse L. Hight wd e 1/2 of nw 1/4 of nw 1/4 and part of nw 1/4 25-24-1.

Auxiliary to Y. M. C. A. A number of the ladies of Norfolk

met last Friday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. rooms and organized a permanent Ladies Auxiliary to the association electing the following officers:

President, Mrs. F. A. Bryant.
First vice president, Mrs. I. Powers.
Second vice president, Mrs. C. S. Hayes.

Third vice president, Mrs. A. L. Mamber.

Fourth vice president, Mrs. J. W. Humphrey.

Secretary, Mrs. J. C. Aid.

Treasurer, Mrs. S. F. Sharpless.

A committee was appointed to solicit members and which will visit the ladies of the city for that purpose. Any lady interested in the Y. M. C. A. work may join upon payment of the membership fee of \$1 per year.

The ladies have taken up plans which will be completed at the next meeting, for furnishing the rooms of the association.

A committee was also appointed to arrange for a reception to be given in honor of the retiring general secretary, W. W. Hughes, and the new secretary, C. C. North. This reception will be held on Monday, June 3, in the association rooms.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will be held Tuesday afternoon, June 4.

Salter—Butterfield.

From Wednesday's Daily:

A wedding in which all Norfolk has been interested, which was a quiet, yet beautiful, home affair, was the marriage this morning of Miss Ada Butterfield, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Butterfield, to Dr. P. H. Salter, both of this city.

During the gathering of the relatives and the few intimate friends who had been invited to witness the ceremony, Sassoano, the Sioux City harpist, from retreat in the hall discoursed sweet strains of music, as he continued to do during the morning hours.

Promptly at 10 o'clock Rev. J. C. S. Weills, rector of Trinity Episcopal church, entered the front parlor, followed by the bride and groom, who took their places under a floral canopy, when the impressive service of the church was pronounced, the ring being used. The responses of both contracting parties were given in an audible tone, and at the proper time Mr. Butterfield stepped forward and gave his daughter into the keeping of the man of her choice. As the benediction was pronounced, every head was bowed and a silent prayer went up from each loving heart for continued benediction and blessing upon the twain made one. As the couple turned to receive congratulations, the bride was a picture of sweet girlish beauty and womanly grace.

The home had been beautifully decorated for the occasion, a profusion of flowers adorning every room. The couple were the recipients of many magnificent wedding gifts, which were displayed in the library, and in which cut glass and silver formed a prominent part, the finest taste having been exercised by friends in selecting articles which go to grace a home.

After congratulations, which were heartily given by all present, the bride and groom led the way to the dining room where they were given places of honor, while the guests were seated with them and at tables in the sitting room and library. An elaborate four-course wedding breakfast was served, this feature being under the direct supervision of a chef and director from Baldwin's in Omaha.

The bride is well known and one of the most popular young ladies in Norfolk. She came here with her parents some eight years ago and by her pleasing manners and lovable disposition, has made friends where she has made acquaintances. Dr. Salter is one of the leading practitioners of the city, and by his ability in both medicine and surgery has made himself well known throughout this section of the state.

Dr. and Mrs. Salter took a carriage for the station, which had been decorated elaborately with white ribbons, so that people whom they passed might know that the occupants were bride and groom. A number of the guests went with them to the train, and they departed amid a shower of rice and with the blessings of their friends following them. Their wedding trip will include a visit to the Buffalo exposition and to the doctor's old home in Canada. They will be absent about a month, and after July 1 will be at home to their friends at their residence on Koenigstein avenue in this city.

Career and Character of Abraham Lincoln.

An address by Joseph Choate, Ambassador to Great Britain, on the career and character of Abraham Lincoln—his early life—his early struggles with the world—his character as developed in the later years of his life and his administration, which placed his name so high on the world's roll of honor and fame, has been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad and may be had by sending six (6) cents in postage to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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JANITORS ARE CHOSEN.

Board of Education Attended to Business of the District Last Evening—Additional Teachers are Elected.

From Tuesday's Daily:

A special meeting of the board of education was held last evening. The full board was present and was called to order by President Salter. The president announced the following committees for the ensuing year:

Di discipline, course of study, text books and teachers—Matrau, Bear and Salter. Grounds, buildings and supplies—Brueggeman, Roland and Dean. Finance, claims and salaries—Bear, Matrau and Brueggeman.

The following teachers were elected by ballot, viz: Mr. Arthur Sims of Lincoln, Neb., and Miss Laura Bridge of Fremont, Neb., as teachers in the High school. Miss Hattie Albery of Norfolk and Miss Margaret Carr of Bancroft were elected grade teachers.

The salaries of teachers for the ensuing school year were fixed as follows: The two teachers in the High school to receive \$55 per month each, Miss Mathewson and Miss Carr \$47.50 per month each, and all grade teachers receiving \$35 per month during the past year were advanced to \$37.50 per month, the other teachers to receive the same salaries as at present.

The salaries of the janitors of the various schools for the ensuing school year will be the same as are at present paid them until changed by further action of the board. The following janitors were elected, viz: High school, August Hellerman; Grant school, C. S. McGinnis; Lincoln school, S. F. Adams; Washington school, W. H. Livingston.

Mausers and Lee-Enfields.

The chief distinction between the Mauser and the Lee-Enfield is this: that while the Lee-Enfield has a magazine which is inserted underneath the body through the trigger guard and secured by a catch and is provided with what is called a "cut off" to prevent the cartridges from rising, so that it can be used as a simple breechloader for single firing until the magazine, which contains ten cartridges, is ordered to be used, the Mauser has a magazine which, though not absolutely fixed, is only intended to be taken off for cleaning. It does not need a "cut off" to use as a single loader.

The magazine contains five cartridges, but whereas the cartridges for the Lee-Enfield have, when the magazine is charged, to be each put in separately, the magazine of the Mauser is filled at once by placing against the face of the magazine a set of five cartridges held in a clip which falls off when the cartridges have been inserted in the magazine.

Thus if each weapon were at the beginning of a fight empty, the Mauser would permit of more rapid fire because it could be loaded five cartridges at a time, while the Lee-Enfield would take a cartridge by cartridge, as long to load as a single breechloader. On the other hand, the times when a very rapid discharge of fire is desirable are not numerous, and for these the Lee-Enfield has ten cartridges ready against the Mauser's five.—Nineteenth Century.

Key, Kee, Kay.

Professor Skeat wishes to know when can the pronunciation of key as kee can first be clearly detected. It occurs in Milton, "Comus," line 13:

To lay their just hands on that golden key
That opens the palace of eternity.

And a little later in Marvell's "Fleeceno."

Now as two instruments to the same key
Being tuned by art, if the one touched be,
The other opposite as soon replies.

These instances are curious, for both before and after this time the prevailing pronunciation was evidently kay. Herbert rhymes the word with way. In "The Secrets of Angling" (1613) culverin is rhymed with rays. In Withers' "Mistress of Philaret" (1622), key with day. Dryden, too, and Swift have the same pronunciation, and not till I come to Green's "Spleen" (1737) do I, after an hour's search, find the other. There pleas rhymes with keys. This pronunciation must, however, have become common soon afterward.

In Duncombe's "Imitation of Gray's Elegy" it is rhymed with me, and Garrick rhymes it with fea, which would, I suppose, be pronounced then as it is now. Nares, in his "Elements of Orthography" (1764), says of the diphthong ey, "its proper sound should be that of the long e. This, however, is given to it only in the word key, for lay—a field—is constantly written lea."—Notes and Queries.

The Turkish Autocrat.

The sultan of Turkey rises at 6 and after devoting the whole morning to work with his secretaries breakfasts at noon. After this he takes a drive or a row on the lake in his vast park. At 8 he dines and amuses himself during the evening with his family, listening while his daughter plays on the piano. He is extremely fond of music. The sultan dresses like an English gentleman, but invariably in a frock coat, the breast of which on great occasions is richly embroidered and blazing with decorations. There are over 400 cooks and scullions employed in the imperial palace.

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THE EXPOSITION SPORTS.

SPLENDID PROGRAMME FOR THE PAN-AMERICAN.

Schedule of Some of the More Important Events at Buffalo This Summer—There Will Be a Continuous Carnival.

Buffalo will be the great center for sports the coming summer. There will be a continuous carnival throughout the summer in the magnificent Stadium of the Pan-American Exposition, which has a quarter mile track and a large field and will seat 12,000 spectators. Following is the schedule of events as far as arranged by the Committee on Sports:

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