Horse Show Brings Closer Notice to the Proprieties in the Matter of Dress and Promises a Reform.

At the Sign of the Lonesome Capid, My heart is like a wayside inn On life's great highroad set. Clean and commodious within, lean and commodious withit With pleasant rooms to let.

I've hung a sign above the porch To advertise the place— A cupid with a brand new torch And eager, wistful face.

And when that pretty, pleasing sight Attracts the passing eye, Pair naidens often will alight, My hostelry to try.

I give them all that's in my heart;
I serve them on my knees,
And strive with deferential art
Their slightest whim to please.

My generous cheer they all enjoy, My inn they freely praise; Yet each will call her posting boy, And mount her traveling chaise.

They pause, they flit like fickle birds, My guests but for a day; And still I wait the welcome words, "Kind host, I've come to stay." KATHERINE PERRY.

The Social Calendar.

MONDAY-Miss Eloise Wood's reception
for the Misses Buckingham.
WEDNESDAY- Mrs. Francis Brogan's
luncheon; ladies' day at the Country
club; mil-week hop at the Field club.
FATURDAY-Dinner and dance at Field
and Country clubs.

Between the visiting women, the bridge clubs, the dressmaker and getting the young people off to school, society has been about as busy as other people these past seven days, and though each week brings more and more of a formal nature, it is not expected that there will be anything of particular consequence now until after the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities. Of course, there will be no end of smaller affairs during the week of the horse show, for there are to he scores of visitors in town, and the local fushionable folk will see to it that they are well entertained. And in the meantime things promise to be interesting enough in

There is a story being persistently circulated just now to the effect that the stunningest and most talked about wardrobe that is to appear at the horse show is in reality the wedding trousseau of the young woman, who is to marry an army officer, and she has cleverly used the horse show to divert the suspicion of her too-interested friends. The trousseau includes hats, gowns and wraps for every evening of the week, and these, it is said, are to eclipse everything else there. But, after all, if society has meant half it has said about this very interesting young woman ever since she has made her debut, it should not be so greatly surprised.

And speaking of gowns-the horse show promises to accomplish one result, for the winter at least, where everything else has failed. If there is one thing in which Omaha society has been democratic it has been in the matter of dress. There are few cities of its size where one finds the fashionabla set more blissfully indifferent to conventionalities in such matters than in Omaha, and while in the main such indepersence may be commendable, it not infrequently happens that it is carried too far, until the city has come to have the reputation of not being a dressy place. There is no place where this lack is more conspicuous than at the theater, though many a hostess of an affair complimentary to some out-of-town guest has had occasion to regret it, while many a visiting woman has returned to her home to shake the wrinkles out of her more dressy gowns for the first time since they were packed when she set out on her visit. But the horse show promises to change all this, for the women are doing all that could be desired in this respect, and, having the gowns, they will doubtless wear them, and the prospect is that society will be better dressed this winter than for many a sea-

The dinner parties were few and small at the Country club last evening, Mrs. Euclid Martin entertaining the largest party, which included ten. Mr. James Chambers had seven guests, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lehmer two, Mr. E. L. McShane six, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wheeler, jr., two, Mr. R. L. Creighton three, Mrs. G. W. Wattles three and Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Hull

Coming Events.

Mrs. Francis Brogan has cards out for a luncheon to be given at the Country Club, Wednesday.

Miss Eloise Wood will give a reception Monday evening at her home on Georgia avenue, in honor of the Misses Buckingham of Salt Lake City.

Omaha council, Knights of Columbus have arranged to give a card and dancing party at the Metropolitan club rooms October 20. The affair will be limited to the

knights and their women. The wedding of Miss Blanche McKenna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McKenna, and Mr. William Elmore Martin, will take place at Trinity cathedral. Tuesday evening. October 11, at half after 8 o'clock."

The Omikron Alpha Pl fraternity has taken a suite of rooms in the Bee building to be fitted up for club purposes. The young men have announced a series of five dancing parties to be given during the winter on the following dates, at Chambers' academy: October 29, December 24, January 28, March 4, April 28 and May 27.

Pleasures Past.

Mrs. Bactens entertained a party of musical friends at dinner last evening in honor of Miss Mary Munchoff. Miss Faith Potter was hostess of an in

formal gathering Thursday evening in honor of Miss Moore of Kansas City. Mrs. Joseph Barker entertained informally at bridge Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Sam Caldwell being the guest of

Ar. and Mrs. Hugh McCaffrey celebrated their silver wedding anniversary last evening at their home, 720 South Thirtieth street. A large number of friends gathered and enjoyed the occasion in a pleasant manner The I. C. Dancing club gave the first of its season's parties on Tuesday evening at Metropolitan hall, which was prettily dec-

crated with palms and cut flowers. The membership of the club was fairly represented at this opening session. A very pretty luncheon was served in the rooms of the Young Women's Christian association at noon Saturday in honor

of Mrs. Smith of Los Angeles, Cal., president of the association of that city, who is the guest of Mrs. Euclid Martin, the members of the board of directors being

Anderson by a number of her young lady friends at her home on Monday evening. Many dainty and beautiful pieces of china were presented to her in anficipation of her approaching marriage. Those present were: Misses Joe Lyman, Fay Lyman, Ethel Smith, Adah Harte, Bessie Harte, Lens Nelson, Iva Blake, Grace Blake, Jennie

Weddings and Engagements. At Trinity church, San Francisco, by Rev. Dr. Champett, on Thursday, September 8, Mr. Horace C. Burr, ir., formerly of Omeha, was married to Miss Georgia M. Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. TOGS AND TOGGERY GETTING ATTENTION | Read of San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Burr will be at home at San Jose after Septem-

> The marriage of Mr. Edgar J. Arnott and Miss Mae C. Peterson was solemnized at Grace Lutheran church Wednesday evening, Rev. J. E. Hummon officiating. The church was filled with friends and reiatives that were later entertained at a wedding supper at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Peterson. Mr. and Mrs. Arnott left Thursday for a wedding trip, after which they will make their home at Port Huron, Mich.

On Wednesday afternoon, September 14, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, the Rev. P. M. Lindberg, occurred the wedding of Miss Mollie Anderson to Peter M. Madsen. The bride wore a simple but effective gown of white silk mousseline and carried bride's roses. She was attended by Miss Susie Madsen, sister of the groom, as bridesmald. Severt Anderson, brother of the bride, acted as best man. Following the ceremony a reception was given at the Modern Woodmen of America hall, which had been beautifully decorated street for the occasion. On the stage an orchestra had been stationed, which rendered delightful music during the evening. An elaborate wedding supper was served to a large number of invited guests. The punch bowl was presided over by Miss Jennie Madsen, sister of the groom. Many expressions of congratulations and good will were tendered the newly wedded pair,

Social Chit Chat.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ross and family have taken apartments at the Madison for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Umsted are occupy-

ing their new residence at 3646 Lafayette Mr. and Mrs. Ward Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Kountze are touring Eng-

land and France together. Mrs. Guy Howard has left Burlington, Vt., and taken up her residence at Ithaca, N. Y., to be with her son, Mr. Otis Howard,

who will enter Corneli college. Mrs. F. P. Kirkendall and Miss Kirkendall arrived in New York last week and were met there by Mr. Kirkendall. They are now visiting the World's fair and will arrive in Omaha the latter part of the

The annual election of the Winfield club, on Friday night, resulted in the choice of E. P. Boyle, Ray Staley and Charles Beaton, as the executive committee for the coming year. The parties of the club will be held at Metropolitan club, beginning in

The class of '97 of Lasell seminary, Au burndale, Mass., will give a Lasell tea at the Massachusetts building. World's fair grounds, on the afternoon of October 4, from 3 to 5 o'clock, for all members of the alumni or students that chance to be vis iting the fair,

The last of this week will see the last of the college set off for school again, and that will be the end of them-until Christmas. Among the young men who go are Messrs. Jack Baum, Frank Wilhelm, Denise Barkalow, Dick Baum. McPherson and Will McPherson, all of whom go to New

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McWhorter and sons will leave Omaha the first of October to visit the St. Louis exposition, and will go from there to New York, from where Mrs. McWhorter and sons will sail for Bremen After visiting Berlin they will go to Leip zig. where Mrs. McWhorter will review her plano study, and the boys will study languages and the violin. Mr. NeWhorter expects to join his family in about six months and they will spend some time traveling abroad. Previous to her marriage Mrs. McWhorter spent two years in study in Leipzig, being a pupil of Herr Dr. Oscar Paul, who gave her a letter to Listz, whom she visited at his home at Weimar.

Come and Go Gossin. Mrs. Isaac Carpenter is at Excelsion Springs.

Mrs. Wappick returned home from Bear Lake, Minn., on Friday. Mrs. Pauline Murphy is friends at Sunrise, Wyo. Miss Katherine Cook of Brooklyn is the

guest of Mrs. G. P. Dietz. Mrs. W. B. Meikle has gone for a month's visit in Chicago and Toronto. Miss Adelaide Fagan will go to Chicago Monday to resume her study of art.

Messrs, Will Williams and Larratt Smith will leave this week for Racine college. Mrs. Phillip Reed of Bridgeport, Neb. is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Reed. Mrs. Berbank and sons have returned after a ten days' visit at the St. Louis

Miss Mae Mount will be back in town from her father's ranch in Colorado this

Ann Arbor, Mich., where she will attend school Mrs. S. V. Moore is in Creston, Ia., where

she will be the guest of friends for about Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton are back from three weeks' outing in the mountains of Colorado.

Mrs. Martha Heth has returned from Kentucky, where she has spent the past two months.

Miss Florence Lewis has returned from the east, having spent the summer in and about Boston. Miss Hortense Clarke, who has spent the

past few weeks at Orchard Beach, has returned home. Miss Marion Haller will leave Sunday afternoon for Boston to enter school at Quincy Mansion

Mrs. H. Lowendrund and two girls from Philadelphia are visiting Mrs. B. Kohn at 2012 Mason street. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Allen have returned from a visit to Mr. Allen's former home in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Haney and daughter are spending a fortnight at the St. Louis exposition. Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Henry have returned

to their Omaha home after fifteen months

SOCIETY DAMES KEEP BUSY Madsen, Neilte Winn; Mesdames Boyer, spent in Europe, mostly in Vienna, where Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomas are spending

a fortnight with a party of Chicago friends fishing in Wisconsin. Miss Wayne, who has been the guest of Miss Edith Dumont, has returned to her home in Des Moines.

Mrs. N. R. Encell has returned after spending three months visiting Denver and other Colorado points. Mrs. Bishop, who has spent the summer guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. W.

F. Allen, has gone east. Mrs. Alfred Darlow and children returned Monday from their summer's outing on the New Jersey coast. Miss Elizabeth McConnell and her guest, Miss Grace Bennett of Hartford, Conn.,

are visiting the World's fair Misses Mae and Helen Hodge of San Francisco, formerly of Omaha, are visiting friends and relatives in this city. Mrs. W. E. Guthrie, who has spent the summer on a ranch, has returned home.

She passed the week in Denver,

Miss Edith Dumont, Miss Abba Bowen Miss Fannie Cole and Miss Robinson spent part of last week with Lincoln friends. George L. Hammer leaves tonight for New York, accompanied by his daughter, Hilds, who enters Vassar college this fall. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Uhleny and daughter of Norfolk, Neb., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris, 3114 North Twenty-fourth

Miss Georgia Erwin of Lead, S. D., is the guest of her uncle, Mr. Jack Royce, until the opening of the State University. D. Howard Wareham starts for the east Tuesday morning, where he will take up the study of law at Cornell university Ithaca, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Brailey have returned from an extended trip to the Pacific coast, stopping at Denver and Salt Lake City enroute, Miss Louise VanGlesen is visiting friends

n Pennsylvania, New Jersey and New York and is expected to return to Omaha about the middle of October. Mrs. Edward Rosewater and Miss Blanche Rosewater return today from the St. Louis fair. Edward Rosewater came up a day

ahead on account of business engage ments. Mrs, A. C. Mark has returned from New York, where she has purchased the latest importations, which she will exhibit at her

pening Tuesday and Wednesday, September 20 and 21. Mrs. John Stubben, Mrs. George Swoboda. and Mrs. A. Lange, sisters, accompanied by their husbands, have just returned from a pleasant outing in the Rocky mountains. Mr. and Mrs. A. Lange will proceed to their home in Chicago on Monday, after

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