

SOCIETY NOT VERY ACTIVE

Visiting Women Will Occasion the Majority of This Week's Affairs.

THANKSGIVING SENTIMENT PERVADES ALL Family Dinners, the Foot Ball Game and Theater Are Principal Events Scheduled for Thanksgiving Day.

Cupid's Victory. "Ah, Cupid, you are sad," I said; "Perchance you've found a love victim. What circumstances unite same this? Can bring this dainty phase to view?"

Then Cupid clenched his little fist and fiercely struck his chubby knee. "Oh, some reformer," he replied, "has been investigating me."

"A widow and a widower. My every act and charm discussed, and subsequently both agreed that I was just a common trust."

I inter met the little elf. Who cried aloud in roughish fun: "Oh, say, I married those fresh folks and their investigation's done." Purrito Lambert, in Woman's Home Companion for September.

Social Calendar. MONDAY—Qui Vive club dance at Chambers' Mrs. J. J. Gibson, children's party; Omaha guards, medal drill and dance; Miss Ella Mae Brown, luncheon for Mrs. Moorehead, luncheon for Mrs. Moorehead, Mrs. J. M. Cuddey, luncheon for Mrs. Patrick.

TUESDAY—C. T. club meets with Mrs. R. L. Young, Mrs. J. M. Metcalf, luncheon for Mrs. Day; Mrs. J. J. Brown and Miss Brown, luncheon for Mrs. Patrick.

WEDNESDAY—Park Side Euchre club meets with Mrs. J. J. Brown, Mrs. W. West, luncheon for Mrs. E. C. West; Metropolitan club masquerade.

FRIDAY—Hanscom Park Dancing club party at Chambers'; Mrs. Clinton Miller, Klatske Place Euchre club; Mrs. J. L. Kennedy, bridge club.

SATURDAY—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dale, Harmony club; Mrs. J. Mahoney entertains for Mrs. Jaques.

The last week, while one of the most uneventful societies has been for some time was not quiet. There were but few functions of consequence and not many small affairs, the one notable event being the reception of Mrs. Arthur Brandeis, which was largely attended and which will be counted among the most brilliant functions of the year. The dance of the Hamilton club Monday evening attracted the younger set and was a most successful party, suggesting well for the future dances to be given under the management of the younger contingent. This debutante set were guests of Miss Westwell at a delightful bridge party Friday evening. Luncheon for Mrs. D. M. Yinschaler and Mrs. J. F. Brown and Miss Brown were also numbered among the leading events of the week, and then there were several club lunches and dances and many informal Klatske theater and bridge parties given in honor of Mrs. Louis Jaques and the guests of Mrs. Del Strober, all of which, although small, were very enjoyable.

Thanksgiving interferes considerably with the social doings of this week, for most of the women are too busy planning their dinners for that day and getting ready for the young people who will come home for the holiday to pay much attention to social functions. Consequently the outlook for the week is not brilliant, no large affair of any kind being on the calendar. The presence in the city of Mrs. Louis Jaques of Chicago, formerly Miss Annie H. O'Connell and Mrs. John Patrick of Wyoming will occasion several luncheons and card parties and Mrs. Clarence R. Day will also be the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. J. M. Metcalf Tuesday. Another luncheon of the week will be that of Mrs. J. W. West complimentary to Mrs. C. West Wednesday. Outside of these affairs there is little else except club meetings and dances.

One of the novel affairs of the week was the baby party given by a young matron who invited half a dozen friends to lunch with her and to bring the babies, all of whom were under 6 months old. The occasion was very interesting and the mothers spent a most enjoyable and profitable afternoon comparing children, relating experiences, exchanging advice and recommending remedies and helps in the rearing of children.

The usual manner of marking the places of guests at a luncheon was varied by one of the hostesses of the week in a clever and original manner. When issuing her invitation, she styled and out her friends' seats in the matter of dress, and when her guests were ushered into the dining room they were informed that their lobby in dress indicated their places. A woman noted for her pretty collar found at her plate a miniature collar of lace and ribbon with an ornamental and shimmery white tulle whose feet are always perfectly shod. Located her seat by means of a dainty little slipper. At other places were tiny hats, skirts, pretty little dresses and other articles.

The calendar for Thursday is a blank and in the main society will make the Thanksgiving dinner the chief event. The foot ball game in the afternoon will undoubtedly attract many and several parties of enthusiasts have already been made up to attend and cheer themselves hoarse, while the theater also promises a favorite piece of amusement.

The sudden death of Mr. Herman Koutze this week was a great shock to his many friends, and will cause the withdrawal from society of many families who occupy a prominent place in the social activities of Omaha. Mr. Koutze, while not taking part in society for several years, was nevertheless interested in everything, and his beautiful home at Forest Hill, so admirably suited to entertaining, was the scene of many brilliant gatherings.

Pleasure Part. Mrs. John Patrick, Mrs. Joseph Barker, Mrs. Arthur Huntington, Mrs. J. H. Lehman, Mrs. W. A. Heald, Mrs. Isaac Cole, Mrs. A. L. Heald, Mrs. David Baum, Mrs. J. E. Baum, Miss Sharpe and Miss Ida Sharpe were guests of Mrs. Warren Rogers at a luncheon Friday. Mrs. Ben Holdoux was hostess at a party and party Saturday afternoon at her home, 220 Spencer street, six-handed euchre being played at seven tables. Pink carnations were used about the room and assisting Mrs. Holdoux were Mrs. John A. Wakefield, Mrs. John A. Nyler and Mrs. F. H. Croft.

In compliance to Mrs. John Patrick of Wyoming Mrs. J. J. Brown and Miss Jeanie Brown gave a delightful buffet luncheon Saturday at their residence, 101 South Thirty-second avenue. The table was attractively decorated with red carnations and red candles. Assisting Mrs. Brown and Miss Brown were Mrs. Ward Burgess, Mrs. Henry Wynan, Miss Jeanie Millard, Miss Helen Millard, Miss Neenie Richardson, Miss Marie Cronan and Miss Faith Patten. About fifty guests were present, the hours of the luncheon being 1:30 to 3:00 o'clock.

One of the enjoyable affairs of the week was the tea and dance given at Fort Crook Friday afternoon by the women of the Thirteenth infantry, about 150 guests being present, among whom were many from Omaha. The hall was attractively decorated with flags and bunting and light refreshments were served. The guests were: Mrs. E. B. Pratt, Mrs. Abernethy, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Ayres, Mrs. Stogsdill, Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Welch. The Thirteenth infantry band played throughout the afternoon, making the occasion most delightful. Mrs. Charles F. Meek entertained the Indian club at the Meridian Wednesday evening. Those present were: Mrs. Cramer, Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. Goulding, Mrs. Hurford, Mrs. Knapp, Mrs. Stanberg, Mrs. Weigel, Mrs. Seidlin, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Seligke, Mrs. Shoelke, Mrs. Hansen, Mrs. Salvator, Miss Fryer, Miss Barman, Miss Slight, Miss Neely, Miss Hollis Waugberg and Miss Frick. Prizes were won by Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Weigel, Mrs. Seligke and Miss Neely.

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In honor of her sister, Mrs. Louis Jaques, Mrs. A. J. Beaton gave a pretty luncheon Saturday, the decorations and menu being appropriate to Thanksgiving. In the center of the table was a basket of yellow and white chrysanthemums, and around the table, at alternate places, were small yellow pumpkins holding red candles, and about the room were many candles also. A large box of yellow satin ribbon, through which sprays of wheat were thrust, adorned the ends of the table, and marking the places of the sixteen guests were small figures of Puritan maids, leading turkeys.

Coming Events. Miss Ella Mae Brown will entertain at the O. T. Bowling club Monday.

Mrs. J. W. Chapek will entertain the Social Dessen club next Tuesday.

The Qui Vive Dancing club will give a party at Chambers' Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dale will entertain the Harmony card club Saturday evening.

Mrs. T. J. Mahoney will entertain Saturday in compliment to Mrs. Louis Jaques of Chicago.

The second party of the Hanscom Park Dancing club will be given at Chambers' Friday evening.

Mrs. Frank Crawford has issued invitations for a euchre party Wednesday afternoon, December 5.

The Park Side Euchre club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Eric T. Johnson, 103 South Thirtieth avenue.

Miss Ella Mae Brown will entertain at bridge Tuesday, complimentary to Mrs. Louis Jaques of Chicago.

The Omaha Guards will give a medal drill, followed by an informal hop, Monday evening at their armory.

The C. T. Euchre club will meet Tuesday with Mrs. R. L. Young. One o'clock luncheon will precede the game.

Mrs. J. J. Gibson will give a children's party Monday afternoon for her little daughter, Miss Hazel Gibson.

Mrs. J. J. Brown and Miss Jeanie Brown will give a luncheon Tuesday in honor of Mrs. John Patrick of Wyoming.

The Bridge club will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. John L. Kennedy at her home, 204 South Fortieth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Miller will entertain the Klatske Place Euchre club Friday evening at their home, 1223 Wirt street.

An enjoyable affair of the week will be the masquerade to be given Wednesday evening by the Metropolitan club at its club rooms.

Mrs. J. W. West will give a buffet luncheon Wednesday in honor of Mrs. George Cowles West, who was formerly Miss Henrietta Bartlett.

Miss Gertrude Moorhead will be hostess at a luncheon Monday, given in honor of Mrs. Louis Jaques of Chicago, who is the guest of Mrs. A. J. Beaton.

Mrs. E. M. McCallahan will entertain her daughter, Miss Katherine McCallahan, at a tea on the afternoon of December 4, from 4 until 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Joseph M. Metcalf will entertain at a luncheon Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Clarence Richmond Day, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith.

The household economics department of the Women's club will give a Kensington Wednesday afternoon, December 5, at the residence of Mrs. H. L. Beard, 848 South Twenty-eighth avenue, in place of the regular meeting which would occur Thanksgiving day.

Weddings and Engagements. Mrs. E. H. Hoffman announces the engagement of her daughter, Lena E. Hoffman, to Mr. Frank H. Ware of Norfolk.

The wedding of Mr. Clarke Powell and Miss Janet Chambers, daughter of Mr. J. K. Chambers, will be one of the events of January.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Smith have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Phoebe Smith, to Mr. Henry Warner Pierpont.

The wedding of Miss Lella Scribner and Mr. Paul Werner will take place December 11 at the new residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Scribner, at Thirty-fourth and Woolworth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rothchild announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss May, to Mr. Lou Verwee of Des Moines, Ia. They will be at home to their friends Sunday, December 9.

At St. John's church on Thursday morning occurred the wedding of Dr. J. H.

Tobbin of Lindsay, Neb., and Miss Ella E. Chace of South Omaha. Dr. Fred Laughton attended the groom as best man, while Miss Agnes Hilly acted as maid of honor. The bride was gowned in white tulle and carried a bouquet of bride's roses and smilax, while the bridesmaid wore a costume of pink cashmere and carried pink roses. In the evening a reception was tendered the young couple by Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Baker at their home in South Omaha. Dr. and Mrs. Tobbin will be at home after December 10 at their new home at Lindsay, Neb.

Social Chat-Chat. Mr. and Mrs. William Coburn have taken apartments at the Georgia for the winter. Mr. W. B. Meikle expects to leave early in December for an European trip of three months.

Mrs. E. V. Lewis and Miss Lewis are expected home from New York the first week in December.

Miss Eugenie Whitmore will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wiswall in New York over Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Herbert E. Gates will leave the first week in December for New York to spend the winter. She has engaged apartments at the Georgia hotel.

Major and Mrs. R. S. Wilcox and family have moved from Kountze Place, where they have resided for a number of years, to 200 St. Mary's avenue, the new house recently erected by Mr. Warren Switler.

Come and Go Gossip. Mrs. Hugo Brandeis is expected home from a visit in New York.

Mrs. Wilson Low is expected to return from the east this morning.

Miss Juliet Morris has returned from a visit of six months in the east.

Mr. Lou Clarke, who has spent the week in Denver, will return Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Percival has gone to the Pacific coast to spend the winter.

Mrs. F. H. Gaines has returned from a visit of several weeks in the east.

Mrs. Harry Wilkins will leave Sunday evening for a short stay in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Fort expect to go to Chicago Tuesday to spend Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Longwell have returned from a week's trip in the Black Hills.

Mrs. E. Eisenman of St. Louis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. Newman, 1214 Park avenue.

Mrs. Hugh McCaffrey and son left Wednesday for Texas and Mexico to spend several months.

Mrs. Ellen S. Avery of Petersburg, Neb., was visiting her sister, Mrs. M. M. Martin, of South Omaha.

Miss Harriet Paul of Henderson, Ia., returned home Saturday after a visit with Miss Mary Hedwell.

Miss Minnie Riley of Tacoma is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Brunner, 41 North Nineteenth street.

Mrs. Pettit, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Del Strober, will return to her home in Milwaukee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. La Pache of Denver are the guests of their mother, Mrs. M. M. Martin, and Mrs. J. D. Clancy.

Mrs. Clarence Richmond Day has returned from Cincinnati and is again the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith.

Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Owen and two children, Master Donald and Miss Gertrude, left Saturday for California to spend a month.

Mrs. M. R. Smith and little daughter, Miss Helen Cushing Smith, of Roanoke, Va., have arrived to visit Mrs. Cushing's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cushing, at 70 North Fortieth street.

Miss Louis Jaques of Chicago arrived Wednesday to spend a fortnight with her sisters, Mrs. A. J. Beaton and Mrs. Arthur Keeline, and Mr. Jaques will come Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving.

Miss Marion Connell leaves Wednesday for Chicago to be one of a house party of five Yassar girls, who will spend Thanksgiving with Miss Dorothy Eckhart, who was recently the guest of Miss Connell. Miss Eckhart will make her debut Friday.

Miss Sadie Herrick is expected home from the State university Monday evening to spend Thanksgiving with her parents.

Mr. Luke Deuel, who is attending school at Lawrenceville, N. J., will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morton in New York.

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