

SOCIETY SETTLING DOWN

While Informality Prevails, Things Are by No Means Dead.

ARMY SET KEEPS THINGS GOING

Initiation Week Among the Societies at the University of Nebraska Takes Many Young People to Lincoln for Finale.

Silence is Golden. When I was joined to Minnie, she, like many of her sex, was prone to talk so ceaselessly my patience she would vex.

The Social Calendar.

MONDAY—Monday Bridge club meeting with Mrs. C. W. Taylor. Monday Sewing club meeting with Miss Joan Ayerling. Daughters of the American Revolution meeting at the home of Mrs. A. P. Tukey.

TUESDAY—Mrs. Ward Burgess entertains cooking club; Tuesday morning musicale.

WEDNESDAY—Mrs. A. Martin, bridge luncheon at Hanson's cafe; Alternate Card club.

THURSDAY—Mrs. Cornelius Gardener, tea for Miss Amy Gardner and Miss Nathalie Blauvelt.

FRIDAY—Mrs. George Redick entertains Junior Bridge club; hop at Fort Crook.

SATURDAY—Lee-Kracht wedding.

ture for their revenge. During the preliminaries they had been detailed to serve as waitresses at the sorority house table. The other evening they failed to materialize when the dinner hour arrived and investigation revealed the fact that the dinner bell was also missing.

Rarely have so many social affairs been crowded into two days as there were the beginning of the week. Both young and old celebrated Washington's birthday, throughout the city.

The army set introduced another new feature in entertaining, the late afternoon tea from 4 to 7 o'clock. These hours are used so that the men may have an opportunity to attend. Formerly 3 to 5 were the popular hours, then 4 to 6 and now 4 to 7 are a welcome innovation.

Pleasures Past. Miss Mary Marston entertained the K. K. K. Friday afternoon, and six guests were present. The next meeting will be with Miss Eloise Wade.

Mrs. P. M. McMullen entertained at three tables of bridge Saturday afternoon. The guests included: Mrs. A. O. Peterson, Mrs. J. T. Buchanan, Mrs. J. E. Fradenburg, Mrs. T. N. Cockran, Mrs. F. C. Thres, Mrs. J. H. Hutchinson, Mrs. O. W. Hendes, Miss Lenore Hutchins, Miss Carolyn Conklin, Miss Nora Johnson and Miss Virginia McMullen.

Mrs. J. H. Conrad entertained a few friends informally Saturday evening at bridge, in honor of Miss Mae Balbach, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Balbach. The guests were: Miss Mae Balbach, Miss Pearl Chamberlain, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Balbach, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Englich, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Langley, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson.

Mrs. J. A. Davis gave a pretty luncheon for Mrs. Lay of Denison, Ia., cards following the luncheon. Prizes were won by Mrs. W. E. Davis, Mrs. F. Swearinger and Miss Myrtle Cole. Those present were: Mrs. Lay of Denison, Ia.; Mrs. J. M. Watson, Mrs. Joseph Allen, Mrs. James Hendrie, Mrs. E. H. Harty, Frank Fry, Lieutenant Fooks and Colonel and Mrs. Gardner.

Miss Katherine Virginia Becker gave an informal evening party Saturday at her home for Miss Florence Schwake of Lincoln, guest of Miss Jasmine Sherraden. The guests present were Miss Florence Schwake, Miss Jasmine Sherraden, Miss Clara, Miss Helen Chesney, Miss Helen Blah, Miss Marie Allen of Lincoln, Miss Lou Howard, Miss Harriet Parmelee, Miss Louise Bedwell, Miss Helena Trimble, Mr. Carroll Sears, Mr. Harold McKinley, Mr. Will Ross, Mr. Carl Nagl, Mr. Barton Nash, Mr. Philip McCullough, Mr. Eager Rice, Mr. Edgar Mitchell, Mr. Ralph Bedwell, Mr. Harry Enrtken, Mr. Donald Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rosenzweig entertained Friday evening at high five. Cut flowers decorated the rooms and a color scheme of green and white was used. The guests were Miss Frieda Lange, Miss Carrie Nagl, Miss Melchor, Miss Schmidt, Mrs. M. Harte, Mrs. M. Nagl, Mrs. W. Lange, Mrs. Hengen, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jensen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harte, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Drexel, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandt, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Rosenzweig, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schulz, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. John Harte, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Melchior, Mr. and Mrs. William Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elsassner, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Liver, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Southard.

The Golden Glow club was entertained by Mrs. M. H. Johnson at her home, 2823 Wirt street, Thursday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. C. E. Winquist, Mrs. M. C. Cockrell and Mrs. S. S. Rice. Music by Mr. and Mrs. W. Kramer of Fillmore, Saskatchewan, Canada. The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. E. Rice of Benson. The members present were: Madames J. J. Brown, W. H. Karls, W. S. Wiggs, L. J. Withrow, G. R. Rathbun, M. C. Cockrell, J. Benlah, W. S. Weaver, W. N. Gorman, J. S. Gates, F. Gates, A. Holmberg, C. E. Winquist and L. S. Rice. Guests of the club were: W. F. Hill, F. S. Vestner, W. W. Friedrichson of Osceola, Neb.; M. W. Schneider, Mrs. Charles Wetmore of Florence, and Mrs. C. E. Carter.

Prospective Pleasures. The Lenten Sewing club will meet this week with Mrs. Harry Willis. Mrs. M. A. Marten will give a bridge luncheon party at Hanson's cafe. Mrs. David Garratt will be hostess for the meeting of the Comis club, Thursday. Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm will be the hostess for the Monday Bridge Luncheon club this week.

Mr. Wylie Hater of Council Bluffs will entertain at dinner Wednesday evening at his home. Mrs. S. S. Caldwell will be hostess next Wednesday at the meeting of the Amateur Musical club. Mrs. Ward Burgess will entertain the members of the Original Cooking club Tuesday at her home.

Temple Israel Sisterhood will give its regular monthly party next Monday at the vestry room of the temple. Mrs. M. Spiesberger and Mrs. Louis Wolf have issued cards for a bridge party for Thursday at the Metropolitan club. Captain and Mrs. Joseph Debo will entertain the Fort Crook Bowling club Tuesday evening at their quarters at the garri-son.

The comedy, "The Elopement of Ellen," which was to have been given at the First Congregational church last Friday evening, will be given Friday of this week. Miss Grace Edwards will give a linen shower Monday evening for Miss Carolyn Kracht, and Wednesday evening Miss Anna Vapor will entertain in Miss Kracht's honor.

A field meet will be held at Fort Crook Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons of this week if the weather is propitious. The event will begin at 1:30 and a number of guests from Omaha will attend. Mrs. Cornelius Gardener will give a tea Thursday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at Fort Crook in honor of her house guests, Miss Nathalie Blauvelt of Kansas City and Miss Amy Gardner of Michigan.

The wedding of Miss Carolyn Kracht to Mr. Lael Charles Lee of Arizona will take place Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Kracht. A wedding reception will follow the ceremony.

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expects to return to her home the early part of next week. Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sprague, who have been staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Balch this winter, will move Monday to their summer home, "The Hedge," near the Country club.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Howe and two children, who have been traveling in Europe since last October, are now in New America and have written friends that they are having a delightful trip. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Reed opened their home, "Aloha," near the Country club Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Koenig and two children will leave some time in April for an extended stay in Europe. They will spend most of the time in Germany. Miss Ruth Riehart, who is attending the University of Nebraska, will join Mrs. Koenig in June.

Among the Omaha people in San Antonio, Tex., last week, were Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Magee, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Coad, Mr. and Mrs. G. Edwards and Miss Bernice Edwards. Mr. and Mrs. Coad left the latter part of the week for a trip to Mexico.

Miss Kate Moores and Miss Allee Kenard left Thursday evening for Indiana. Miss Moores will visit in Logansport for a short time, and Miss Kenard will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. John C. Goodwin, in New Castle, Ind. She will remain until about April 1, when Mrs. Goodwin and small daughter, Kathryn, will return to Omaha with her.

Mr. LaBook, the ladies' tailor, has returned from the east with a most exquisite assortment of the season's foremost fashions and novelty materials.

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