

SOCIETY IS PHILANTHROPIC

Charity Organizations Enlist Attention of Omaha People.

FORT CROOK OFFICERS ENTERTAIN

Number of Local Young People Journey to the Military Post for the Opening Dance of the Season.

Miss and quite a passion for white. And few were the trials that she missed. If you chanced to get heated And claimed that she cheated, She smiled so you couldn't resist!

T. E. M.

Social Calendar.

MONDAY—Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kennedy, dinner; Mrs. Harry Trumble, bridge afternoon for Miss Daisy Rogers; Mrs. E. L. Swartz, evening bridge for Miss Eunice Howell; Mrs. J. N. Kopald, afternoon coffee for Temple Israel Sisterhood.

Partly because of tradition, that is a custom well established, but more largely because the season and its suggestion of cheer touches all the generous springs of the world's nature, this fortnight which leads to the Thanksgiving day is observed by society throughout the country as one in which charitable enterprises shall receive thought.

Important in the plans of many of Omaha's young people are the dances given by the officers of Fort Crook and the opening dance given last evening was therefore an event important in social chronicles. It was enjoyed by a goodly number of Omaha people and also people from Fort Omaha.

This week the annual donation day of the Old People's home has likewise its social feature, for during the afternoon the members of the board of directors are at the home to receive visitors.

To her visitors Omaha uniformly extends a real hospitality because Omaha people feel a hospitality and finds those social events pleasant which have as their incentive an interesting guest. During the last week two strangers, one in reality a citizen of another land, and the other an American whose interest in and study of another country has, in a sense, made him a citizen thereof, have been quite largely entertained.

Count Vannutelli, a nephew of Cardinal Vannutelli, has been spending the week as house guest of Right Rev. Richard Rosnell. Mr. Jerome Barker Landfield of New York, formerly of the faculty of the University of California, spent several days in Omaha visiting Mr. Charles Rosewater and other college friends from the University of Cornell at Ithaca, N. Y. Mr. Landfield is a well known authority on Russian history.

Pleasures Past

Mrs. Carl Oehlert entertained at a children's party Saturday afternoon at her home to celebrate the birthday of her son, Master Frank Oehlert. Miss Cora Rothchild entertained at luncheon Saturday at her home for members of one of the sewing clubs. Pink roses were used in decoration and twelve guests were present.

For the Future

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm will give a bridge dinner Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kennedy will entertain at dinner Monday evening. Complimentary to Miss Eunice Howell by Mr. Harry Pollard, whose wedding will take place Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Howell will entertain at supper this evening and Monday evening Mrs. R. D. Pollard will give an evening bridge party.

MRS. GEO. A. HOAGLAND AND HER NINE GRAND-CHILDREN



Mrs. George A. Hoagland and her nine grand children, who recently enjoyed a family party together. The grand children include Emma, Helen and William, Jr., children of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Hoagland; Jack and Stuart, sons of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Summers; Iastine and David, Jr., children of Captain and Mrs. David Stone of Fort Bill, Okl.; George A. Second, and Jackson, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Hoagland.

Thomas Kilpatrick, Mrs. George Voss and Miss Sara Bourke. About fifty guests were present.

Mrs. Warren Morgan Rogers entertained Saturday afternoon at her second of a series of "at homes" complimentary to her daughter, Miss Mildred. Assisting today are Mrs. John Baldwin, Mrs. J. R. Scobie, Mrs. J. E. Baum, Mrs. Clement Chase, Mrs. F. D. Kirkendall, Mrs. John A. McShane, Mrs. C. W. Lyman, Mrs. Arthur Hemington, Mrs. E. A. Cudaby, Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm, Miss Jean Cudaby, Miss Francis Nash, Miss Mary Alice Rogers, Miss Helen Cudaby and Miss Alice Cary McGrew.

Mrs. George M. Nattinger entertained at luncheon at the Delft tea rooms Friday in honor of Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Holden of Norfolk, Neb. Mrs. Holden was formerly Miss Mildred Richards of this city. Yellow chrysanthemums decorated the table and the guests were:

- Meedames—H. T. Holden, E. S. Freeman, Charles S. Hayward, Cecord T. Eastman, George H. Payne, Charles M. Richards, G. M. Nattinger.

- Messrs.—H. T. Holden, G. M. Nattinger, Charles S. Hayward, J. A. Jenkins, George H. Payne.

- Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Rogers gave a dance last evening at the Sanford in honor of Miss Daisy Rogers and Mr. Charles Olson. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rogers, Paul Werher, Austin Collet, H. H. Fish, Wayne Hemphill, Huff, Guy Bailer, George Later, Frank Engler, Bothwell, C. B. Helmer, W. M. Giller, E. M. Hays, George Radick, F. D. Faha, Southern, John A. Harriman, W. H. Fetter, A. H. Fetters, Charles Hicks, Robert, Lester Driehaus, Adair Field, Will Manchester, Hill, Robert Manley, Charles Armstrong, John B. Roberts, Charles Baird, John Johnson, of Chicago, Frank Harwood, New York Bryson, J. Sullivan.

- Dr. and Mrs. R. A. McDermott, Misses Mable Hicks, Ida Doughough, Snell, Mrs. Dale, Martha Dale, Alice Switzer, Milans, Weber, Conrad, of Grand Island, Donahue, June Young, Jessie Nason, Messrs. Homer Conant, W. H. Wood, Bryant Rogers, Ray Besell, E. Baird, George Nuellins, James Allen, George Engler, Walter Tillotson, Jack Sharp, Harry Reed, Alex. Rutherford, Robert Russell, Charles E. Olson.

Wedding Bells

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ramona Taylor, to Mr. Clement Waldron, the wedding to take place in the spring. Mr. Waldron is an attorney and a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity of the chapter at the University of Nebraska.

The marriage of Miss Hazel Smith and Mr. Oliver Eldridge was celebrated at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. G. F. Epeneter, Rev. T. J. Mackay officiating. The living room where the marriage lines were read was decorated with white chrysanthemums, ferns and palms, and in the dining room yellow blossoms were used. Preceding the ceremony, Miss Hazel Loveland of Topeka, formerly of Omaha, sang "All for You," (Guy H. Hardist), and Miss Adalinda Thomas of Takamah presided at the piano. Miss Mildred Funkhouser was maid of honor and wore a pretty gown of yellow silk poplin, draped and trimmed with lace, silk tassels and silk fringe. She carried yellow chrysanthemums.

The bride was attractive in her wedding gown of cream cashmere de sole, trimmed with panels of hand run Japanese lace of chrysanthemum pattern. The long tulle veil was held in place with a bandeau of four strands of pearls, with a pearl ornament on either side. She carried a shower bouquet of orchids and bride's roses. Mr. Ray Eldridge, brother of the groom, was best man, and about seventy-five guests were present. Dr. and Mrs. Eldridge will reside in Dundee.

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fit of the Temple Israel Sisterhood Monday afternoon, November 14, from 3 to 5 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to the members of the sisterhood and their friends.

Mrs. George Sumner will give a luncheon Wednesday for Miss Elizabeth McConnell, whose marriage will be celebrated in the near future. Mrs. J. H. Dumont and Mrs. Arthur Draper Smith will entertain at luncheon Saturday in the home of the former, for Miss McConnell.

Personal Gossip

Miss Gertrude Whinnery, who was in Omaha for a visit after returning from the

Philippines where she was with her brother, Dr. Jean C. Whinnery, at his death, went to Philadelphia several days ago.

Miss Gassetta is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Baldrige.

Mrs. Heriman Munchhoff, who recently was operated upon, is slowly convalescing.

Miss Mary Jenkinson of Salt Lake City is the house guest of Mrs. Katherine Purdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Lehmer are in New York this week and will not be home for several weeks.

Mr. Al Gordon has gone to Chicago to spend a fortnight and to attend the wedding of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bedwell have gone to Dallas, Tex., to attend a convention of

the National Druggist association. They expect to visit in New Orleans before returning.

Lieutenant Watson has arrived from Fort D. A. Russell to succeed Captain Christie, as aide to General Smith.

Mrs. George W. Linniger and Mrs. E. Wakely have returned from a two weeks' sojourn at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Mrs. F. L. Armstrong and mother, Mrs. Miller, left Wednesday for a two weeks' visit with friends in Bureau, Kan.

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Ryer of Seattle, Wash., is spending the winter with her niece, Miss L. C. Harding at Seven Oaks, Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Thomas have returned from their wedding trip to the City of Mexico, and will move shortly to their new home.

Mrs. Pauline Wheeler is spending the winter in New York with Mrs. Dundy at the latter's apartment on West Ninety-seventh street.

Mrs. B. F. Prince of Pueblo, Colo., is in the city last guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Wilcox of 617 North Thirtieth street.

Mrs. J. M. Guld and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Howe, have gone to Excelsior Springs, where they will spend a month there at the Fowler inn.

Miss Helen Taft will be the guest of honor at a large ball on January 2, which will be given by Mrs. L. Z. Letter and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Letter in their residence in Dupont circle.

There will, however, be no scarcity of coming-out parties. A charming group of girls, about 30 in number, according to announcements so far made, will be introduced at Washington this year.

Among them are the daughters of professional men, of bankers, and financiers, and one, Miss Adeline Culp, is the daughter of a prominent railroad man, Mr. J. M. Culp, vice president of the Southern Railway. Three are daughters of prominent physicians—Miss Charlotte Festus, daughter of Dr. William J. Pettus; Miss Amy Richardson, daughter of Dr. Charles R. Richardson, and Miss Elizabeth Collins, daughter of Dr. Charles R. Collins.

Miss Louise Rayne is the sister of Dr. Brockbridge Rayne, Miss Edna Snyder is the daughter of the Rev. Dr. William Taylor Snyder, rector of the church of the Incarnation. Miss Alice Wright is the youngest daughter of Justice Daniel Thew Wright. Miss Dorris Haywood is the granddaughter of the late Judge Jeremiah Wilson, and will have her coming-out festivities in the home identified with her mother's brilliant girlhood.

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Senorita Maria Villegas, daughter of the

Argentine charge d'affaires and Mrs. Villegas, will be the one exotic bloom among the season's debutantes, and Senorita Villegas, following the custom of her country, will have no formal debut function. She will appear at the dinner parties given by her father and mother, and will assist her mother in receiving on her days at home, dividing unostentatiously over the line that divided her days as a school girl from those of a possible helpmeet in the world of society. She is an accomplished young woman, having several languages at the tip of her tongue, and is a skilful musician, with the harp as her instrument. As is usual with the children of diplomats, she has traveled much and has had glimpses of life at several capitals, under delightful circumstances.

The charge d'affaires and Mrs. Villegas arrived in Washington in the spring, from Portugal. Senorita Villegas played the harp on one occasion last winter before their recently deposed royalties at Lisbon, and was warmly congratulated by the king and the queen dowager on her graceful performance.

At the annual election of officers of the Robert E. Lee chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, the following women were elected: President, Mrs. Harry L. Wheatley; first vice president, Mrs. Belle Riley; second vice president, Mrs. John L. Gallagher; recording secretary, Miss Isabel Sinclair; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ambrose Timberlake; treasurer, Mrs. Eugenia Rollins; historian, Mrs. Gertrude Lee Babcock; parliamentarian, Mrs. Harry L. Wheatley; chaplain, Mrs. Stephen H. Ford; custodian, Mrs. George Coalington, and registrar, Mrs. Archibald Young. The members of the chapter were enthusiastic over plans for the future.

Arrangements have been made for placing a portrait of Mrs. Taft, wife of the president, in the White House, following the time honored custom of having the pictures of the women who have presided over the executive mansion hung upon its walls. The likeness has just been finished by Eror Kronstrand, a leading artist of Sweden, who recently came to this country for a brief stay.

Mr. Kronstrand has painted portraits of the king of Sweden and of members of the Swedish aristocracy, as well as many persons of title in England. He has a studio in Stockholm and another in London. He spent two months in Massachusetts this summer and Mrs. Taft gave him twelve sittings at Beverly.

Mrs. Taft is shown in the grounds of the White House. The president and all the members of his family were much interested in the progress of the painting and were much pleased with the work. The portrait has an air of easy naturalness, which the painter says is characteristic of the subject.

Mr. Justice and Mrs. Lorton, who are recently established in their new home in J street, will have with them for the winter their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Lorton, Jr.

Washington Social Gossip

Miss Helen Taft to Take an Active Part in Official Life at the White House—Many Coming Out Parties Being Arranged for Young Girls at the National Capital—Thirty on the List of Those to Be Presented.

BY CONSTANCE CARRUTHERS.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12.—(Special to The Bee.)—While it has been definitely decided that Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the president, will have no formal coming out party, it has been definitely decided that she will take an active part in the social life of the capital this winter, and her social duties and pleasures will begin as soon as she returns from the Panama trip which she is taking with her father. Society hoped that Miss Taft's coming out would be marked by a notable White House function, but the president and Mrs. Taft decided it is not necessary. In fact, Miss Helen is not unlike the girls of the old south, who "never come out," because, as that delightful historian of its social life and institutions, Mr. Page, tells us, "they had never been in."

Miss Taft has shared her parents' life. Their world has been always more or less her world. She has traveled the earth over with them. When Pope Leo received the governor of the Philippines and Mrs. Taft he also received the young Tafts, and many times thereafter expressed his admiration for the American family.

When Mr. Taft, as governor of the Philippines, made his tour of the islands, regarded as hazardous in view of the unsettled condition of the natives, with him went not only Mrs. Taft, but the children and their presence without guard did much to bring about a better understanding between the United States government and its new possession. Miss Taft will accompany the president and Mrs. Taft on their trip to Panama next month. These experiences have given her poise, which, combined with a natural dignity, will enable her to fill gracefully the conspicuous position which is her lot in the world of today.

Mrs. Taft has entertained frequently for her at the White House during her vaca-

tions from college, and she has already met the greater number of the young people with whom she will be associated this winter. Last spring she took her mother's place at a state dinner in honor of a visiting Japanese prince, and this season she will be present for the first time at state receptions.

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