

What Women Are Doing in the World

Prof. Paul A. Grumann of the German literature department of the University of Nebraska will speak on "Social Life in Germany and America" before the social women's club Monday at 2:30 p. m.

Eugene May, lecturer and traveler, of Washington, D. C., will address the social science department of the Women's club Tuesday afternoon on "A Trip through Ireland."

Thomas Kelly will give "Some Thoughts on Singing" at the meeting of the music department of the Women's club Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Lazer-Allen will give "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" Wednesday at 4 p. m. at the Metropolitan building.

Mrs. Harry L. Keefe of Walthill, Neb., attended last week in St. Louis the meeting of the board of directors of the General Federation of Women's clubs.

The club women of Sioux City are organizing one large department club, while retaining their affiliations with smaller clubs.

Miss Jessie Towne will give a lecture on Shakespeare's "King Lear" before the Sigma Study club, Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. N. P. Feil.

Mrs. John W. Griffith will lead the meeting of the Society of Fine Arts Thursday afternoon in the public library.

The Benson Women's club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George W. Iredale.

The Daughters of the Confederacy will celebrate the anniversary of the birthday of Robert E. Lee Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bernard Kohn.

The Women's Christian Temperance union of Omaha, Benson and South Omaha are planning to hold memorial services for the founder of their organization, Frances Willard.

The West Side Women's Christian Temperance union will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. T. E. Brady.

The first meeting of the year of the Story Tellers' league will be held under the leadership of Miss Edna Hillis Thursday afternoon in the public library.

The West Side Women's Christian Temperance union will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. T. E. Brady.

The Women's Christian association will hold its regular board meeting Tuesday at 10 a. m. at the Young Women's Christian association.

Prof. Paul A. Grumann will lecture on "Easter and Aurora" and will interpret Wagner's "Walkure" at the Young Women's Christian association Monday afternoon.

The only woman who ever attained the degree of doctor of divinity at Heidelberg was Mrs. Agnes Smith Lewis, daughter of an illustrious Oxford don and widow of a Cambridge scholar.

Miss Wynon Churchill, wife of the author, is an active worker in the equal campaign in New Hampshire.

Miss Edlyn Swen, an 18-year-old Omaha girl, has entered the engineering department of Highland Park college, Des Moines, Ia. She is the only girl in the

Woman Head of Big Family

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia., Jan. 12. (Special.)—To be the mother of a family that numbers 102 persons is a record to be proud of. The most remarkable feature of it is that the mother is still living.



MRS. HARRIET LYON.

Thirteen of the fifteen children born to Mrs. Lyon grew to man and womanhood. Of these seven became college graduates and all of them taught school at some time in Iowa.

In this big family there were two sets of twins, twin boys and twin girls. The sons lived and each became the father of twins.

The names of Susan B. Anthony, Clara Barton, Betsy Ross, May Arkwright Hutton and other prominent women are to be perpetuated in the state of Washington by having voting precincts named after them.

department, and is enthusiastic about engineering work because she believes it affords a field for great earning possibilities.

SOCIETY WORKS FOR CHARITY

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greet of Captain and Mrs. Nuttman and the latter visiting Lieutenant and Mrs. Griffith.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Peters and family have left for Daytona, Fla., to be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mandelberg left Wednesday evening for Chicago and Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McGrew and family will move February 1 to 215 South Thirty-eighth avenue.

Mrs. Frank T. Hamilton and Miss May Hamilton returned Friday from a ten days' stay in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Kennard are home from a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Goodwin, at Newcastle, Ind.

Mrs. Arthur Laov of Milwaukee will arrive Sunday morning to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. Bergman.

Mrs. E. H. Sprague is in Chicago. Later she will be joined by Mr. Sprague and they will go south for a part of the winter.

Dr. L. B. Bushman, who has been in Vienna, Austria, for the last year, expects to leave for home about the first week in February.

Mrs. Myron L. Learned and Mrs. W. C. Shannon will leave this evening for Chicago to attend the wedding of Miss Helen Forbes and Mr. Will McPherson.

Mrs. E. V. Lewis, who has been in Chicago and Springfield, Ill., will return January 15 and will remain a short time before leaving for an indefinite stay in the east.

Captain Will Cowin has returned to Fort D. A. Russell after spending the holidays here with his parents, General and Mrs. Cowin. His wife and children will remain here until the early part of next week.

J. E. Treat, imperial potentate of the Mystic Shrine, accompanied by Mrs. Treat and Miss Frances Treat, are spending Sunday as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Urion. The visitors leave Monday for their home in Fargo, N. D.

Miss Gwendolen Wolfe and brothers, Dudley and Grafton Wolfe, who have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Joseph Baldrige, since Christmas, leave Monday to resume their studies at schools in Pomfret, Conn., and Pittsfield, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. McPherson, Miss Louise McPherson, Miss Margaret McPherson and Miss Mildred Rogers will leave Monday for Chicago to attend the wedding of Miss Helen Forbes and Mr. Will McPherson, which will take place Wednesday.

Trains Are Still Kept Back by Cold

While passenger train service in and out of the Omaha Union station is somewhat better than it was Friday, it is far from being what the railroad men would like.

Few of the trains were on time, generally being from one to three hours late. The Twin City Limited over the Omaha road, due to arrive at 7:30 yesterday morning, was nine hours behind its schedule, delayed by severe cold in Minnesota.

HEIRS OF COL. PRATT MUST PAY INHERITANCE TAX

Inheritance tax of \$1,128 must be paid the county by Jerome Magee and Wayland W. Magee of Omaha, Mrs. Margaret Pratt Olson of Sweden and other heirs of the late Colonel James Harvey Pratt, according to a ruling made by County Judge Bryce Crawford.

Resistance to the assessment of the inheritance tax had been made by the heirs on the ground that the property, the "Summerhill farm," was devised to them before Colonel Pratt died.

Aged Man Injured When Hit by a Car

While crossing the street car tracks at Twenty-fourth and Sprague at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Isaac Bonner, 34, Ames avenue, 23 years old, was struck by a north-bound car and badly bruised about the face and head.

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MISS JONTZ CALLS FOR HELP

Asks for Fifty Volunteers to Help Her Sunday.

CHARITY OFFICE OPEN SUNDAY

Dr. Allison Offers to Provide a Ton of Coal to Each Needy Family Whose Name is Furnished to Him.

Swamped with work because of the suffering and misery incident to the present long drawn out spell of cold weather, Ida Jontz, secretary of the Associated Charities, has today brought and are still coming to her notice that she is putting in nearly eighteen hours a day and apparently making but little headway against the great number that are constantly pouring in.

The charities office will be kept open all day Sunday and arrangements have been made with the county commissioners to have the county store open also.

COAL SITUATION IS SERIOUS

Submerged Pit at Electric Light Plant Has Helped Many.

COAL PRICES ARE ADVANCED

General Manager Walters Hopes Special Train of Coal from Wyoming on Passenger Time.

A huge submerged pit built last summer by the Omaha Electric Light and Power company, holding thousands of tons of steam coal, is saving the day in Omaha.

During the last few days, when the railroads have been unable to get coal into Omaha in sufficient quantities to keep all supplied, the electric light company has been furnishing coal to various dealers who had demands from apartment houses where large numbers are housed.

While dealers are not predicting a coal famine, they all admit that the stocks are rapidly becoming dangerously low.

As a result of the short supply, dealers, although they declare they are not in any combine, have raised their prices 50 cents per ton all along the line.

Hard coal that a week ago was selling at \$10.50 per ton, has been advanced to \$11. The same advance has been made on all the grades of soft coal.

The dealers are taking care of all their old customers, but are not taking on any new ones, nor are they selling in large quantities.

Another thing with which the local dealers have to contend is the appropriation of coal en route. They say that as coal cars pass through the small towns of Iowa and Kansas, farmers who are in town with their teams, load up their wagons and haul the fuel away, regardless of the protests of the trainmen.

So far as the situation is concerned, dealers say that the supply of steam coal is practically exhausted and that there is not enough to last more than another week.

Women's \$12.75 Coats Reduced to \$5.00

Women's \$18.75 Coats Reduced to \$10.00

Women's \$22.50 Coats Reduced to \$12.75

Women's \$30 Coats Reduced to \$15.00

Women's \$25.00 Plush Coats Reduced to \$12.75

Misses' \$12.75 Coats Reduced to \$5.00

Children's Coats, Your Choice, Worth Up to \$15, Monday, at \$5.00

Women's \$5.00 Skirts Reduced to \$2.98

Women's and Children's Underwear Reduced

Women's 35c knitted vests and pants reduced to 19c

Women's 50c and 75c vests, 39c

Women's 75c and \$1.00 combination suits reduced to 59c



January 14, 1912—Mr. Joseph R. Lehner and Miss Carrie Congdon were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. W. J. Haraha being the officiating minister.

Elks Make Merry After Initiation

Following the initiation of a class of twenty candidates Friday night members of lodge 3, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, enjoyed a social hour of the "Dutch lunch" type.

Message from Dead Cast Up by the Sea

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 13.—A message from the dead was cast up by the sea at Ocean Park, today, when P. C. Peterson found a bottle in the surf which contained a yellow slip of paper with these words:

"Daniel Simpson committed suicide October 18, 1891. Had luck forced me to do it. San Francisco, Cal."

MANY WOMEN NEED CLOTHING

More Appear at City Mission Than Can Be Cared For.

WARM UNDERWEAR RUNS OUT

Splendid Donations Have Come In, but the Clothes Given Were More for the Men Than the Women Folks.

Several women, blue-tipped and bent with the cold, clad only in thin outer garments and utterly lacking any underwear whatever, were turned away from the City Mission yesterday morning, for the supply in warm underwear is exhausted while the calls for it are as urgent as ever.

There have been many donations of food from generous citizens. Yesterday afternoon one woman sent in twenty cans of condensed milk and a beefed ham which gave a great boost to the City Mission kitchen.

Mrs. Ryan, Miss Nellie Jones's assistant at the City Mission, is planning to keep a poor family in the south part of the city from returning to the cold weather. The mother is a widow who supports five children, the oldest of whom is 12 years, by going out washing.

MR. AND MRS. MUTT ARE PARENTS OF A BABY GIRL

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Key to the Situation—See Advertising.

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