

Will Be in the Woman's Club Benefit Play



Thora Lefferts

Mrs. Franklin Shotwell and Mrs. Grant Williams

Frances Harrison

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What Women Are Doing in the World

Club Meetings. MONDAY—Business meeting of the Omaha Woman's club at the club rooms at 2:30 o'clock; meeting of the directors of the Omaha Woman's club at 1:30 o'clock at club rooms; meeting of the Young Woman's class in European history in the lecture room of the public library at 7:30 o'clock. TUESDAY—Meeting of the Persian history class in the lecture room of the public library at 10:30 o'clock. WEDNESDAY—Meeting of the Book club at the home of Mrs. W. H. Sherraden at 10:30 o'clock; meeting of the literature department of the Woman's club at 10 o'clock at the club rooms. THURSDAY—P. E. O. luncheon at the home of Mrs. Zachary at 1 o'clock; meeting of the Omaha Story Tellers' league at the public library at 4:15 o'clock in the lecture room. FRIDAY—Meeting of the French history class in the lecture room of the public library at 10:30 o'clock. CLUB WOMEN have directed their work toward aiding and assisting in the relief work for the victims of the tornado. The Omaha Woman's club will give a benefit performance, "The Bible of Ben-Mor," at the Brandeis theater this afternoon and evening of Wednesday, April 2. Mrs. E. M. Syfert, Mrs. N. H. Nelson and Mrs. L. J. Hendley are in charge of the affair. Mrs. Franklin Shotwell and Mrs. Grant Williams will take the leading parts. They are both assistant leaders of the oratory department of the club. Miss Lillian Fitch, leader of the department, will direct the performance and the entire cast will be members of the Omaha Woman's club. Miss Mary Cooper will have charge of the dancing of the program, as many of her pupils will give numbers. There will be no expense to this benefit and the entire proceeds will be given to the relief fund. C. W. Turner, Jr., manager of the Brandeis theater, has given the club the use of the theater at both performances. The Douglas Printing company has printed both the programs and tickets free of charge and Theodora Lieben has furnished the costumes free to the cast. The tickets have had a big sale and can be exchanged at the box office Monday for reserved seats. Following is the cast: Bridget Hegarty, Mrs. S. A. Collins, Melrin, Miss Ruth Thompson, Barney, Mrs. W. C. Nicholson, Norah McDiarmid, Mrs. F. A. Shotwell, Padraic, Miss Charlotte Graves, Four Sidha, or fairies, Miss Bernice Bromo, Miss Helen Kroner, Miss Mary Aid, Miss Eileen Edwards. Dance arranged by Miss Cooper.

Miss Sadlek will be Leon Weltman, violinist; Mrs. J. S. Horton, soprano, and Mrs. Walter Silver, pianist. Besides a paper on Xavier Scharwenka, some of his compositions will be rendered.

The literature department of the Omaha Woman's club will meet Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock in the club rooms. Mrs. K. R. J. Edholm will be the leader of the morning and will be assisted by Mrs. A. B. Somers, who will read Rosalinda's "Cyrano de Bergerac."

The Book club will meet Wednesday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. H. Sherraden, 1135 South Twenty-ninth street, under the leadership of Mrs. Ida M. Hanchett.

The meeting of the Omaha chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. Frank Crawford Tuesday afternoon, has been postponed until April 8.

The household arts department of the Young Woman's Christian association will be in charge of the vesper service Sunday afternoon in the association auditorium at 4:30 o'clock. There will be special music by members of the department and an address by Mrs. Frederick J. Burnett on a subject appropriate to this line of the work. Miss Lane, domestic science director, will be hostess at the social hour which follows. All young women are cordially invited to attend.

The Persian history class will meet Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the lecture room of the public library.

Mrs. E. B. Zachary will entertain the Omaha chapter of the P. E. O. society at a 1 o'clock luncheon. She will be assisted by Mrs. Myer. The luncheon will be followed by a business meeting.

The young woman's class in European history will meet in the lecture room of the public library Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Omaha Story Tellers' league will meet in the lecture room of the public

library Thursday afternoon at 4:15. Mrs. Dox will be the leader of the afternoon.

The French history class will meet Friday morning in the lecture room of the public library at 10:30.

The Dundee Woman's club, which was to have held its meeting Wednesday afternoon, has postponed it indefinitely.

British Ministers Involved in Marconi Wireless Scandal

LONDON, March 29.—British ministers of state were more interested than was at first thought in stock transactions at the time of the agreement made by the British government with the Marconi company for the erection of a chain of wireless stations throughout the British empire.

A second deal by David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer, and the master of Ellbank, the chief liberal whip, involving an additional 2,000 shares in an American wireless company, was revealed during yesterday's meeting of the parliamentary committee of inquiry.

The deal was first divulged in the evidence of Sir Rufus Isaacs, the attorney general, and was confirmed by Mr. Lloyd-George. He added that beyond the two deals which were now known he had never directly or indirectly bought or had an interest in any wireless concern. He asserted that there was nothing about the investment except what was perfectly reputable and creditable for anyone and took occasion to remark that he was sorry, in spite of the rumors as to his prodigious fortune, that he was a comparatively poor man.

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MANY NEW CASES ARE FOUND

Soldier Who Had Been on Duty Since the Tornado Struck Asks for Assistance for His Wife and Daughter.

School teachers greatly assisted the relief workers this morning when a thorough canvass of the territories covered by the several relief stations was made by them and those of the sufferers who have been too proud to come out and ask for help were sent clothing, ration and given orders for furniture.

A corps of teachers went out from the Fortieth and Farnam streets station and reported several new cases which were unknown to those at the relief station. As soon as a teacher found a place where help was needed she came direct to the station and placed an order for the supplies. In this way a number of persons who had been living at the homes of neighbors were discovered and the neighbors relieved of some of the burdens of helping them.

At the Forty-sixth and Leavenworth streets station the corps of teachers sent out from relief headquarters found their work already done. The teachers of the Deans school already had made a canvass of the district and the station had been supplying the needs since Monday of the work there, as was also the case at Fortieth and Farnam streets, consisted of getting orders for necessary furniture.

At station No. 6 a soldier who had been doing patrol duty since the tornado applied for help. His home in another district had been destroyed and his wife and daughter were beginning to feel the need of additional clothing. Being on

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duty in No. 6 district he applied at that station and was given immediate relief. A girl about 15 years old made her first appearance at the station. She was well dressed, evidently wearing the Sunday clothes she had on at the time of the storm. She asked for "something to work in and wanted a coat for her mother." Her family was left without a home by the wind.

INQUIRIES STILL COME FROM ANXIOUS FRIENDS

Inquiries are still pouring in for persons whose whereabouts have not yet been learned by friends since the tornado. Mr. and Mrs. August Kirschstein, 2121 Hamilton street, are being sought by W. T. Graham, who says he has a \$500 tornado insurance policy for them when they call for it.

Jerry Clifton, an employe of the Union Pacific, is being sought by Union Pacific people. Charles Morton has inquired about him and has asked that any word of him be reported to relief station No. 2.

A letter has come to the Commercial club addressed to Miss Virginia Peterson, Cyclone Victim, Omaha. She has not been found. Another letter was received inquiring about Mark Carroll and wife, 67 South Twenty-fifth street. J. J. Carroll, 333 East 133 street, New York, wrote the letter saying that he had sent several special delivery letters to these people and had received no reply.

MRS. CRONK UNDERGOES OPERATION AT LINCOLN

LINCOLN, March 29.—(Special)—Mrs. Cora L. Cronk, who has resided at the Lindell hotel for the last year, was yesterday operated upon at a local hospital. Because of the serious illness of Mrs. Cronk her son, R. A. Patterson, has come from his home in Virginia to be at the bedside of his mother.

Five Hundred from Woodmen Camp to Help Their Friends

B. & M. camp, No. 946, Modern Woodmen, will have a working force of 500 to 600 members doing relief work in the tornado zone Sunday. The camp has a membership of 1,000 in the city. Of these members, a large number lost heavily by the tornado, and to aid them the other members are to rally to their relief. At today noon 150 of the members had volunteered their services and it was expected by Clerk Devol that this number would be trebled by night.

All members of B. & M. camp who are to join in the relief work will report to Same Haynes, 1407 Lothrop, or P. I. Devol, 206 Miami street, not later than 8 o'clock, armed with saws, planes and hammers and clad in working attire. Under the direction of E. T. Bralley, H. E. Izard, P. I. Devol, E. A. Traynor and J. J. Lamareux, this army will start out on the work of repairing and building homes for their lodge brothers and putting premises in order.

Members of the camp needing assistance are urged to notify the clerk or any member of the committee.

Hastings Sends Check for Tornado Victims

The Chamber of Commerce of Hastings has sent The Bee a remittance for \$51.50 for the relief of the tornado sufferers. It is the result of a hurried canvass made there after the news of the calamity reached Hastings, and besides extending the town's sympathies, advises that there is a probability of other contributions coming in.

Says Husband Led Her by the Nose One Day Through Street

That her husband led her by the nose from Twenty-second and Howard to Twenty-fourth and Farnam streets one day, when he was angry, is alleged by Mrs. Edward Riggs in answer to the divorce suit brought by her husband. Mrs. Riggs says she and her husband had been visiting at the home of her mother and that after a severe quarrel they started home. After they had gone part way, she alleges, he seized her by the nose and thus led her for several blocks.

Mrs. Riggs also asserts that last December, after her mother died, Riggs refused to give her 10 cents car fare that she might put flowers on the grave.

Aged Man Donates Money Due to Him

Guido A. Volkers, an old man of probably 80 years, has donated \$10.25 to the relief for tornado sufferers. The donation is made under circumstances which Mr. Volkers' letter to the Omaha Printing company explains.

I am shocked at the calamity which I read overtook your city. I have a bill against your firm for \$10.25 (March 10). I don't want the money. Please take this money and give it to some destitute family to buy coal or apply this little the best you can, it may do some good to some one who needs it more than I. I am only regretting that I cannot make it a thousand times more in amount. The Omaha Printing company at once notified the commission that they would pay the bill into the relief fund.

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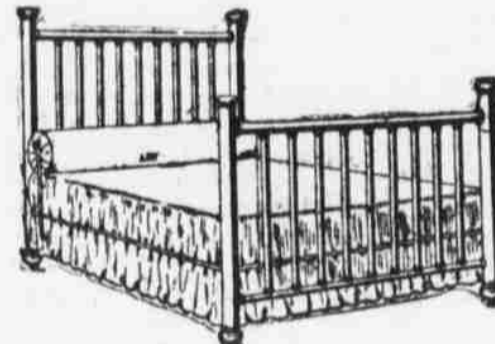
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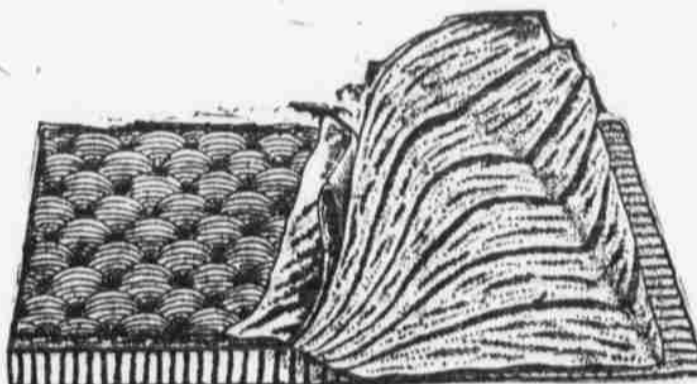
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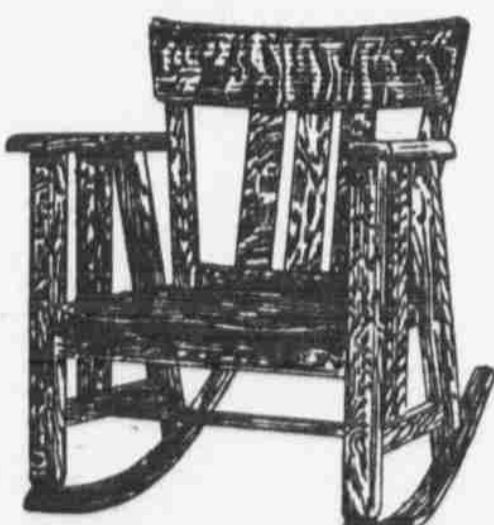
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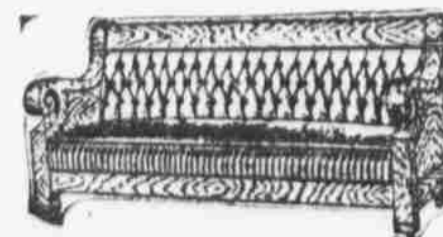
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\$3.50 Dining Chair, \$2.75. Genuine quarter-sawn, full box seat Dining Chair, continuous post construction, upholstered in genuine leather, frame highly polished. Regular price \$3.50 at any store. Sale price \$2.75



Mission Rocker, \$5.00. Strong, solid oak Mission Rocker, suitable for living room or den; dull, golden or fumed finish; has three wide panels in back; saddle seat; one-piece construction from arm to rocker. An extra good value at \$5.00



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\$5.00 Curtains, \$3.00 pair
\$6.00 Curtains, \$3.50 pair
\$7.00 Curtains, \$4.50 pair
20c Curtain Swiss, 36 inches wide, all styles, your choice, 12 1/2c
30c and 40c Fancy Nets, extra special, 20c per yard
75c Curtain Net, in white, cream and Arab, per yard, 49c
\$5.00 Couch Covers, 60 inches wide, 3 yards long, your choice, each, \$3.75
\$3.50 Couch Covers, Roman stripes and Oriental effects, 60 inches wide, 3 yards long, \$1.95
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Portieres, large assortment to select from, \$2.95

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\$5.50 Royal Wilton Rugs, 36x63 inches \$6.75
Saxony Rugs, room size, 8-3x10-6, special \$45.00
Saxony Rugs, 9x12, for \$50.00
Axminster, 8-3x10-6, at \$21.50 to \$24.00
Axminster, 9x12, at \$25.00 to \$27.50
Royal Wiltons, 8-3x10-6, at \$39.00
Royal Wiltons, 9x12, at \$41.50
Extra fine Wilton, 8-3x10-6, \$43.00
Extra fine Wilton, 9x12, \$46.80
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