



By MELLIFICIA. Tuesday, December 16, 1913.

EACH day brings more invitations for the school set for the holidays. Invitations are being issued this week by the parents, although most of the young people will not be home until next week.

The younger school set will be quite as popular as the college boys and girls, and nearly every evening is now filled for the young people. Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit Fort for a dinner party at the Hotel Loyal, followed by an Orpheum party, for their daughter, Henrietta, on Friday evening, January 2.

Little Miss Esther McMann will give a luncheon Monday, December 29, and the same afternoon Miss Ruth Carter will give a matinee party at the Orpheum.

Mrs. M. M. Robertson and Mrs. Henry G. Streight will give a tea New Year's day at the home of the former for Miss Helen Streight and Miss Gladys Robertson.

College Set Returns.

Miss Ida Darlow, daughter of Mrs. Alfred Darlow, will be home from Bryn Mawr college and Mr. Charles D. Darlow, who is at Cornell, will also return to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Darlow.

Miss Marian Towle, who is at Bradford, and Miss Marian Howe, Miss Marjorie McCord and Miss Harriet Smith, who are attending Miss Spence's school in New York, and Miss Virginia Offutt, who is at Briarcliffe, will arrive in Omaha December 28.

Miss Josephine Congdon and Miss Mona Cowell, who are at Vassar, are expected home on Sunday, December 21, for the Christmas vacation. Miss Clara Bell of Pasadena, Cal., returns with Miss Congdon.

The Omaha girls who are attending St. Mary's at Notre Dame, Ind., will leave Friday, December 19, for home. Miss Carita O'Brien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. O'Brien; Miss Ruth Kinsler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Kinsler, and Miss Irene McConnell,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McConnell, are among those who will return for the holidays.

Miss Dorothy Weiler, Miss Ruth Anderson, both of Omaha, and Miss Angela Shugart of Council Bluffs, who are attending Mrs. Somers' school in Washington, are expected home from Knoxville, Ill., Friday.

Misses Erna and Elizabeth Reed are expected home from California December 21.

Miss Marie Stewart of Council Bluffs, who is attending school at Briarcliffe, N. Y., leaves December 19, and Misses Harriet and Gertrude Metz, who are attending Mrs. Somers' school in Washington, leave December 17 for home.

Miss Regina Connell and Miss Alice Jaquith, who are attending Dana Hall, near Boston, will be joined by Herbert Connell, who is at Harvard, and will leave Boston Wednesday.

Among the young men who are coming home from eastern colleges for the holidays and are expected Monday are: Mr. Judson Squires, Mr. Robert Howe, Mr. Robert Loomis, Mr. Jaben and David Caldwell, Mr. Casper and Mr. Jarvis Offutt and Mr. Maurice Brogan.

Surprise Party.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dolson of 2313 California street were surprised at their home on Saturday evening. The guests were:

Misses—Anna Sullivan, Mary Cusack, Mary Oberlin, Madeline Tully, Josephine Carew, Agnes Arnold, Madeline Tully, Frank Weiner, Gus Grieb, Ben Ecklund, Mrs. Dolson.
Messrs.—Carl Sorenson, Roy Yalson, Raymond Travin, Ed Archibald, Gus Erickson.

Subscription Dance.

A large party of the high school set had an enjoyable subscription dance at Dundee hall Saturday evening. Those present were:

Misses—Nina Gerrit, Sylvia Hoover, Rachel Fitzgerald, Helen Carrier, Dorothy Chellis, Messrs.—Arno Truelsen, Eileen Edwards, Donald Kiplinger, Harold Turell, Harry Claiborne, Glen Paxton, Howard Douglas, Carlisle Allen, Rodger La Roque, Arthur Hamann, Everett Burke, Elburn Parks, Irwin Horton, Helen Keating, Marie Rowley, Herbert Klein.

Irwin-Fawcett Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Alice Margaret Fawcett, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Jacob Fawcett of Lincoln, formerly of Omaha, to Mr. Samuel James Galley Irwin of Creighton, Neb., took place Monday, December 15, at the home of the

bride's parents, 1308 South Sixteenth street. The wedding was very quiet, only the immediate family being present. Miss Fawcett has been very prominent in Omaha musical circles for the last ten years and a well known voice teacher, having a beautiful studio in the Boyd theater. Owing to the family's long residence in Omaha she also has a very wide circle of social friends and will be greatly missed, both musically and socially. Mr. Irwin is a prominent merchant of Creighton. The couple will be at home after January 1 in Creighton, Neb., which is also the home of Judge Fawcett's other daughter, Mrs. C. C. Colby.

Apron Shower for Bride-to-Be.

Miss Leno Newens was the guest of honor at a prenuptial party given last evening by Mrs. M. J. Collins at her home on Pinkney avenue. The home was decorated in a red and white color scheme, with bells and red and white carnations. The evening was spent informally and the guest of honor was told to put a ribbon on Pinkney avenue. The home was decorated in a red and white color scheme, with bells and red and white carnations. The evening was spent informally and the guest of honor was told to put a ribbon on Pinkney avenue. The home was decorated in a red and white color scheme, with bells and red and white carnations. The evening was spent informally and the guest of honor was told to put a ribbon on Pinkney avenue.

Christmas Party.

Monday evening the members and friends of the Young Women's Christian association were entertained at a Christmas party. Guests were given costumes and the Christmas number of the Ladies' Home Journal was presented. Some tableaux were given representing typical illustrations. Prizes were given for guessing advertisements represented and dainty refreshments were served.

Pleasures Past.

Mrs. W. J. Metlin of 3013 Martha street pleasantly entertained at a luncheon at her home Tuesday. Autumn leaves were used in the decorations of dining room and place cards of autumn leaves containing verses were used to each guest. Those present were:

Messrs.—J. P. Hansen, G. Bach, John Freytag, A. Collin, J. W. Gamble, W. L. Pierpoint, S. H. Hillier, Miss Evelyn Gifford.

In and Out of the Bee Hive.

Mr. Charles Wesley Turner, sr., and daughter, Mrs. Dunn, and son, Mr. Wallace Turner, all of New York, spent the week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Turner, jr. Mr. and Mrs. Turner gave up their house the first of the week and will probably go to New York to make their home.

Miss Rose Smyth, who has been spending several weeks in New York, is expected home the first part of next week. Mrs. J. F. Coad and Miss Irene Coad will leave Wednesday evening for St. Louis to visit Mrs. Edmund Krug for a few days before leaving for New York for the holidays. Mrs. Ellen Coad Jensen and Miss Beatrice Coad will visit in Chicago and South Bend, Ind., enroute to New York.

At University Club.

Mrs. G. Alexander Young entertained at luncheon Monday at the University club for Mrs. E. H. Chambers and Mrs. Homer C. Robinson of Columbus, who spent the last week here the guests of Mrs. J. J. Sullivan, and who returned to their homes Monday afternoon. Covers were placed for seven.

Surfrage Society Meets.

An extra meeting of the Omaha Surfrage society will be held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Barlett's hall. Everyone interested in the early Christmas shopping proposition is urged to attend this meeting.

Informal Club Organized.

A new and informal musical club was started Sunday evening, when a number of musical topics were discussed and numbers rendered. It was decided to meet every Sunday evening. Those present were:

Messrs.—Charles Chleborad, Joseph Vogie, Charles Killian, Paul Rosmajal, Joseph Hudecek.

Society of Fine Arts.

Under the auspices of the Society of Fine Arts, Miss Gertrude O'Reilly of Ireland will give a talk on Irish art with stereotyped slides, Friday evening at the Young Women's Christian association. This entertainment will be free to members, active, associate and junior members of the Society of Fine Arts and others may get tickets at the door. The associate members are each given a guest's ticket.

At the Brandeis.

Mrs. Joseph Baldrige and Mr. G. W. Wadley have taken boxes and will entertain guests to see the play "Hamlet" given Wednesday at Brandeis theater for the benefit of the Omaha Woman's club house fund. The Dundee Woman's club has also taken a box.

Orpheum Party.

The four-year seniors of the High School of Commerce held an Orpheum party Friday. Three members of the faculty, Miss Hock, Miss Nelson and Mr. Wood, attended, and a very enjoyable time was reported.

CITY DADS WILL DINE WITH Y. M. C. A. IN JANUARY

City commissioners have accepted an invitation to a banquet at the Young Men's Christian association building January 28.

Petitions asking the city council to extend the street railway company to extend its lines in Kenwood and Fairfax additions have been filed with the city clerk.

The request of the City Planning association for \$10,000 has been referred by the city council to the legal department.

WIRE THIEVES RISK THEIR LIVES FOR SMALL GAIN

For the purpose of stealing about \$10 worth of heavy copper wire, thieves risked their lives Monday afternoon when they cut down 25 feet from poles of the Omaha and Council Bluffs Street Railway company, between Eighth and Ninth on Jackson street. The cable carried a voltage rated at 60,000 and the work of cutting it was done expertly.

Recognized Advantages.

You will find that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has recognized advantages over most medicines in use for coughs and colds. It does not suppress a cough, but loosens and relieves it. It aids expectoration and opens secretions, which enables the system to throw off a cold. It counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. It contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult. For sale by all dealers. Advertisement.

SAYS SLAVERY DOES EXIST

Deputy County Attorney Says the Carabao Are Right.

TRAFFIC IN BOYS AND GIRLS

System of Slavery is Chiefly a Matter of Tribes and Families—Family Relations Are Extremely Loose.

That slavery openly exists in the Philippine islands, though knowledge of the system has been kept from the American public; that Filipino character and customs are elements with which no person can deal who is a stranger to them, and that President Wilson and his advisers "do not know what they are talking about," is Deputy County Attorney Charles Haffke's comment on the satirical performance put on in Washington by the Military Order of the Carabao. As a result of amusing criticisms of the government's Philippine policy heard at the banquet, at which army and navy officials were present, threats of court-martial have come from the White House. Mr. Haffke is not a member of the Order of the Carabao, but spent several years in the islands in the employ of the American Department of Justice there. From men who recently have been there he has learned that slavery still exists.

"There is a large traffic in boys and girls," said Mr. Haffke, "the price varying from 50 cents to several dollars each. I was frequently offered opportunities to make such purchases. I never bought a human being, but a Filipino father gave me a boy about 11 years old, called 'Gyp.' In return for what services he did for me I sent him to school and bought him clothing, of which he was sadly in need. When I left the islands he was in a position to earn his own living."

"The system of slavery is chiefly a matter of tribes and families. Family relations are extremely loose and the marriage relation amounts to little. A leader among the Negritos, one of the inferior tribes, for instance, accumulates a considerable following and is never averse to disposing of some of the supernumeraries by sale."

"I never heard of a slave attempting to escape. I suppose if he did he would be recaptured, but the system is so much a part of the islands that nothing else is expected."

"It is this kind of people, divided into hundreds of little tribes or families, without any bond of unity, that the administration is trying to make self-governing. It can't be done safely for many years."

STANISLAUS SOCIETY DEDICATES ITS NEW GYM

A big booster entertainment was held at the Immaculate Conception school at Twenty-fourth and Bancroft streets Monday night, when the Stanislaus society of the church celebrated the formal opening of the gymnasium, which has just been completed, and is fixed out with brand new and complete equipment. It is the plan to develop the young men of the society into expert turners.

W. P. Lynch delivered the opening address, and was followed by W. Mike Kalamago, who spoke on the raising of funds for the gymnasium. After the speaking, athletic events comprised the activities of the evening, including such as wrestling contests and gymnastic drill work.

Rev. Theobald Kalamago is pastor of the parish.

ARGUMENT! EVIDENCE! VERDICT!

Truth versus Falsehood! Honesty versus Fraud!

Professor Wallace, who died recently, whose name has been everlastingly linked with that of Darwin—gave it as his judgment that, notwithstanding the marvelous material prosperity of the world, its wonderful inventive genius and development (greater during the last century than all the centuries preceding it) no advancement had been made along the lines of Honesty, Truthfulness and Fair Dealing. The opinion of this great nonagenarian is entitled to careful consideration. His conclusions are supported and buttressed by the judgment of the most profound thinkers of the age.

For 20 years or more THOMAS KILPATRICK & CO. have from time to time called attention to the Fraudulent Methods and False Statements of a few merchants in this community. Facts were presented and evidence offered many times—which we could not get before the court of public opinion. The people are waking up. They have seen the evidence—and by their verdict are saying: "Never again in Omaha will it be possible to build up a business on Falsehood, Fake and Fraud." Here are 36 Reasons why you should visit Kilpatrick's Wednesday:

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SILK STOCKINGS—2 specials, **85c** and **\$1.19**, and a magnificent collection to display Wednesday at **\$1.00**, **\$1.25**, **\$1.50**, **\$2**, **\$2.50**, **\$3.00**, **\$3.50**. And still higher prices if needed.

EMBROIDERED PILLOW CASES—Basement Wednesday. Initials, **\$1.29** per pair. You know who will appreciate a pair.

MARABOUT SCARFS and **MUFF SETS**—Others Ostrich trimmed, black, natural and Taupe, from **\$15.00** to **\$35.00** per set. Lighter than furs, cozy and comfy.

SHOPPING BAGS from **\$1.00** to **\$2.50**. Address Books, Trip Abroad, Visiting Lists, Engagements, Cooking Lists, Vacation, etc., **25c** to **\$3.00**.

FANCY BOXES—Framed, writing pads, glove boxes; priced specially for Wednesday, at **50c**.

FOR STREET WEAR—Jersey top skirt and messaline flounce. Specially good value at **\$3.50**; others, **\$5** to **\$11.50**.

PETER THOMPSON DRESSES—13, 15 and 17 years, at **\$7.90** Wednesday instead of **\$10.00**.

We place handkerchief orders in February of each year for the holiday trade. Initialing and embroidering executed specially to our order.

Ireland, France, Switzerland and the Madras, drawn on for handkerchiefs: wide hem; embroidered, novelty, at **25c** and **50c** each.

AT DRESS GOODS SECTION—About 300 yards of exquisite Broadcloths, 52 in. wide; full measure, **\$1.59** instead of **\$3.00**. Chiffon, silky finish, 12 to 15 colorings to select from; some lengths are short.

EVERY CUSTOMER who buys any article at the Stationery Section on Wednesday morning will receive free for the asking a Spence Cartoon Calendar. We do this to encourage shopping in the morning.

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THE PROVERB SAYS—"There's Naught Like Leather; our Ancestors were not so Clever." Novelties in Bags on Sale Wednesday.

NECKWEAR—Fichu collars in net and shadow lace latest novelties, ranging in price from **50c** up to **\$16.50**.

BRASS DESK SETS, special at **\$1.50**, very complete. Smokers' articles and many other attractive novelties in brass, under the regular prices, **\$2.25** to **\$25.00**.

DOLLAR DOLL SALE WEDNESDAY—Dressed and undressed. Some sold at **\$3.50**, choice at **\$1.00**.

FUR SETS for Big Girls and Small Women. Badger, Raccoon, Fox, etc., large muffs; sets sold up to **\$35.00**, Wednesday, **\$22.50**.

A few high priced suits, that is, from **\$45** to **\$67.50**, to sell on Wednesday at, each, **\$29.50**.

Fancy Embroidered Handkerchiefs, at **10c**, **15c**, **25c**, **50c** and up to **\$10**, and Gents from **25c** to **\$4.00** each. Handkerchief Headquarters. Women say, and they know.

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