



Society

By MELLIFICIA. Friday, January 23, 1914.

TERROR and dismay have struck at the hearts of many an American woman whose ambition it is to be fashionably garbed. The cause is the latest edict that has gone forth from the house of one of the leading French couturiers, which is nothing less than trousers and overalls for women. Gone are the tea gowns of yesterday. We are now going to wear tea trousers! Whether this is a result of the feminist movement or merely an evolution of the harem gown it would be difficult to state. For some time the fairer sex has been longing to wear the masculine fashions and has copied them as closely as they dared, first by the adoption of the masculine shirtwaists and collar accessories, sailor hats, vests, fobs and other articles too numerous to mention, and later by adopting the Turkish trousers and other oriental modes.

Now comes the tea trousers, which greatly resemble the pyjama suit, a fashion that many women have worn for a number of years. But the new style is far more elaborate than the simple pyjama suit. These are exquisitely embroidered and come in the dainty pastel shades. Of course, these costumes are reserved for bouffant wear only, as women fortunately haven't sufficient courage as yet to wear them outside of their own rooms. The other "contraption," the lingerie overall, was designed with the idea of being an improvement on the combination suits. One of their chief claims to popularity is that they are especially designed for dancing. The new creation is shaped exactly like a pair of overalls with the exception of where the bib is on the overalls; the new article has a bodice band which fastens in the back. This is not nearly so bad as the other, "but it's bad enough," declare Omaha women who have been informed of the latest innovation.

Entertains Students.

Miss Lucille Ely will entertain a number of her student friends of the University of Omaha this evening at her home in Dundee. A program consisting of musical numbers and games will be the chief form of entertainment. Those present will be:

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| Messes—
Florence Dow,
Gladys Futina,
Pauline Westfield,
Lucille Ely,
Phyllis Tobens,
Jeanette Dow,
Mable Nelson,
Maud Miller. | Messes—
Marjorie Parsons,
Edna Miller,
Lillian Walton,
Floy Yarga,
May N. Cronman,
Gertrude Smith,
Helen Johnson. |
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Luncheon for Guests.

Mrs. J. J. Kennedy entertained at luncheon today in honor of Miss Hanscom and Miss France of New York City. Places were laid for—

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| Messes—
Hanscom,
France,
Meadames—
Voss,
Charles Offut,
Frank Hamilton,
C. C. Allison,
John Patrick. | Messes—
Jessie Millard,
Meadames—
C. E. Yost,
Richard Patrick,
J. J. Brown,
J. L. Kennedy. |
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Tango Tea.

Miss Margaret Hofmann will entertain the tango club at a tango tea Friday afternoon. Those present will be:

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| Messes—
Helen Brandeis,
Clara Hofmann,
Frances Cleland,
Mary Cleland,
Onelia Moran,
Annabel Sinclair,
Helen Sinclair,
Penelope Hamilton,
Irene Rosewater. | Messes—
Olive Fraser,
Jennie Wilson,
Margaret McCartney,
Alice O'Neill,
Marjorie Frans,
Helen Hutchins,
Elizabeth Burnett,
Mrs. Harry Walat,
Mrs. Emil Hofmann. |
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Entertains at Cards.

Mrs. A. Swartz entertained at cards at his home Wednesday evening, when his guests were:

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| Messes—
Edward Rips,
Oran Rips,
Samuel Rips,
J. Rips. | Messes—
A. E. Rips,
Louis Young,
William Toland. |
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Joint Birthday Party.

The J. O. C. club was entertained on Wednesday evening by Miss Esther Nelson at her home. The party was given in honor of Misses Mary Richmond, Lillian Ashley, Lucille Mohrman, Elma Pearson, Ethel Linstrom, Mr. Cort Tansman, Gretna, Nib, and the hostess, whose birthdays all occur this month. Games and music furnished the evening's pleasure. The club members present were:

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| Messes—
Mary Richmond,
Lillian Ashley,
Elma Pearson,
Alda Utander,
Constance Helgren. | Messes—
Jan Harts,
Hilda Anderson,
Ruth Rudeen,
Ethel Mohrman,
Lucille Nelson. |
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Encagements Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Levine announce the

engagement of their daughter, Lizzie, to Mr. Morris Finkel. The date of the wedding has not been set.

Mr. Jacob Londy of Chicago announces the engagement of his daughter, Anna, to Mr. Herman L. Levy of this city.

In Honor of Bride.

Miss Nell Levin entertained at a linen shower at her home Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Libbie Kaplan, one of the January brides. Those present were:

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| Meadames—
A. Kaplan,
M. Cronman,
D. Cronson,
H. Schoenwald. | Messes—
H. Marks,
N. Cronson,
A. Levin. |
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Dinner Dance Given.

The choir of the All Saint's church entertained at a dinner dance in the Parish house Thursday evening. Each member was allowed a guest and about twenty couples were present. Mr. Charles Bothwell was chairman of the entertainment committee. At dinner the guests were seated at one table, which formed a hollow square and was prettily decorated with green shaded candles, green leaves and salvia. Rev. T. J. Mackay gave a short address, after which dancing followed.

Bridge Luncheon Today.

Mrs. Ira Porter entertained at a bridge luncheon at her home today in honor of Mrs. William Unsicker and Mrs. May Auld, who leave next week for Florida. Places were laid for:

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| Meadames—
William Unsicker,
May Auld,
F. R. Straight,
D. E. McCuller,
Willis Todd,
F. W. Thorne. | Meadames—
J. C. Hammond,
H. I. Adams,
M. J. Cooper,
C. E. Walrath,
C. H. Walrath,
Ira Porter. |
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For Popular Omahans.

Mrs. F. W. Thorne will entertain Saturday at a bridge luncheon for Mrs. Auld and Mrs. Unsicker and Tuesday and next week Mrs. F. R. Straight will entertain at a morning bridge and luncheon in their honor.

Good Times Club Meets.

The Good Times club was entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carrie Stener. The prizes were won by Meadames C. G. Eversman, J. L. Mullinger, Sadie Atkins, Joyce Koch. Mrs. James Wright will entertain the club in two weeks at her home.

Comus Club Entertains.

The members of the Comus club will entertain their husbands Monday evening at the home of Mrs. P. O. Jennings. Mrs. Jennings will be assisted by Mrs. J. F. Dimick.

Informal Tea.

Misses Gladys and Daphne Peters will entertain the pupils of Mrs. Mabel Crawford Welton at an informal tea at their home Tuesday afternoon. About thirty-five guests will be received.

In and Out of the Bee Hive.

Mrs. Jerome Appelquist has returned from a month's visit in Rock Island, Chicago and La Porte, Ind.

NEW MISSION IS ORGANIZED

Bishop Williams President of New Charity Enterprise.

MRS. AHLQUIST TO ASSIST

Every Effort Will Be Made to Help Unemployed Men and Women in the City to Secure Various Kinds of Work.

The Calvary Mission with the Right Rev. Arthur L. Williams, bishop of the Episcopal church for Nebraska as president, has been organized in Omaha and will immediately occupy the old city mission building located at 118 North Tenth street.

The Rev. Albert E. Selcer, social service chaplain of the Episcopal church here, will superintend the new mission. Justice H. W. Claiborne has been selected for secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. George W. Ahlquist, the well-known charitable worker, will have charge of the field work for the new mission.

In addition to the usual mission work immediate steps will be taken to aid the unemployed men and women in Omaha. For some time the mission has provided a noonday meal for some 200 unemployed men, and while this work will be continued a distinct effort is to be made to make these men self supporting. As an aid to this work a free employment bureau is to be established on the third floor of Jacobs' hall at 115 Dodge street. Here the lists of men available for all sorts of work will be kept and applications for help will be received.

An unusual feature of the situation at this time is that many men of special training and trades are out of work and the lists of men seeking employment include clerks, carpenters, painters, bookkeepers and other special trades and occupations. The public is urged to assist the new mission as much as possible, with not only jobs for the unemployed, but clothing and cash contributions which will also be received.

Neidlinger Working to Give Voice to the Dumb Children

W. H. Neidlinger, noted American composer, whose home is in New York City, is spending a few days in Omaha as the guest of Fred J. Adams and Ralph E. Sunderland.

"Mr. Neidlinger is a remarkable man in many respects," said Mr. Sunderland. "During the last three or four years the activity of Mr. Neidlinger along the line of his life work—the development of art in music—has been somewhat ordained to a special study of child articulation. His research has resulted in the development of a scientific system for causing backward, inarticulate children to successfully use their faculties of speech. The national government has sought his counsel and is undertaking to bring to the benefit of the world the result of Mr. Neidlinger's special work.

"Children of varying ages, thought to be hopelessly dumb, or at least mentally deficient, have been successfully and permanently cured. It is along this line of work that Mr. Neidlinger is now devoting most of his effort in the hope of leaving for the benefit of mankind a method by which such children may be brought into maturity unhandicapped by such a terrible affliction.

"I have been in Mr. Neidlinger's home, where he has devoted himself like a father to a little group of children whose parents had despaired of the possibility that they would ever be more than drooling idiots, and I have seen them come through with a display of unusual mental activity and with a quality of speech almost, if not quite, normal.

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Hummel Discouraged With Warm Weather

Joe B. Hummel, park commissioner, is not exactly disgusted with Nebraska's "orange belt" weather, but he is considerably peeved because every time he has arranged for skating ponds in the park, the weather has suddenly turned warm, the ground became slushy and the water with which he flooded parks and vacant lots has seeped away.

"This is the third time I've flooded the parks when the weather gave promise of being cold enough to freeze ice sufficiently thick to skate on," said the park commissioner, "and darned if spring weather hasn't come down on us right after I finished the job."

While Hummel may worry, R. Beecher, Howell and his water board repeat in chorus "isn't that a pity" for the city's water bill goes merrily on—and up.

RAY NELSON VIOLATES PAROLE BY STEALING

Ray Nelson, who was recently paroled from the state penitentiary, violated his promise to be good and will be returned to prison to finish his sentence. Nelson was arrested by Officer Rinn for the theft of some window frames from Guilo & Ledwith, lumber dealers. He was implicated in the murder of Neils Lawson, 2108 Cuming street, January 20, 1906, and was convicted of the charge.

SOUL MATE CAUSES DIVORCE

Mrs. Beecher Tells Court Husband Has Confessed His Actions.

SECOND WOMAN ALSO MARRIED

Judge Troup Grants Divorce—Man Says He Could Care for Soul Mate as Well as His Wife.

Mrs. Angelina Beecher, 25 years old, who asserted that her husband, George H. Beecher, aged 33 years, city salesman for a furniture company and formerly a furniture dealer in Lincoln, has confessed that he had a "soul mate" whom he could not give up, was granted a divorce by District Judge Troup yesterday.

Mrs. Beecher, who is known as one of Omaha's most beautiful blond women, testified that her husband's soul mate was a married woman and the mother of two children, but did not name her. She said their married life, which lasted five years, was happy until last July when she learned of the other woman.

"My husband was staying out nights," she said, "and I became suspicious. I asked him if there was another woman. He finally confessed he had a soul mate without whom he could not live. He said he went to see her whenever her husband was out of town.

"I became ill, but he continued to go to see her. Then I left him. Thursday he called me by telephone and said his soul-

CHAMPAGNE HAS TERRIBLE EFFECT UPON E. C. DAVIS

Ed C. Davis, 282 Harney street, testified in police court that he had been intoxicated for the first time in his life on champagne, and that the effect of the wine temporarily unbalanced his reasoning "apparatus." The arresting officers and the proprietor of the Golden Eagle cafe, 207 South Twelfth street, confirmed the latter part of Davis' statements, and declared that he had punched a hole through a plate glass window of the place Thursday night and then attempted to whip everyone in sight. He was discharged on his promise to pay for the damage done and to hereafter refrain from further champagne.

SCHOOLMASTERS' CLUB WILL MEET HERE SOON

The Schoolmasters' Club of Nebraska will meet at the Loyal hotel here on the evening of February 6. The program for the meeting has not been announced.

Cass Graduates Hold Class Day Exercises

The graduating class of Cass school held its class day exercises Friday. The program, which was historical, was as follows:

- Song—Flower of Liberty.
- Poem—Columbus, eighth grade.
- The Turtle Class, Abraham Lach, Hiawatha's Childhood, Millie Swanson.
- Music—Indian Song, Victoria.
- Landing of Pilgrims, Fannie Seelman.
- American patriotic airs, Victoria.
- Revolutionary period: Concord Hymn, Minnie Givens.
- Grandmother's Story of Bunker Hill, Esther Blumenthal.
- Song—Washington, eighth grade.
- Preamble to the Constitution, eighth grade.
- War of 1812: Old Ironsides, Roy Bigley.
- Star Spangled Banner, eighth grade.
- Civil war: Speech of Hayne, Roy Bigley.
- Webster's Reply, Harry Brown.
- Battle Hymn of Republic, Victoria.
- Grandmother's Address, Abram Lach.
- Lincoln, Louis Cohen.
- Feeling Tonight, Victoria.
- Sheridan's Ride, Esther Blumenthal.
- Peace, Millie Swanson.
- When Johnny Comes Marching Home, Victoria.
- Poems of History, eighth grade.
- America's Vision, Josie Mena.
- Welcome to Omaha High School, Morris Washawsky.
- Guitar solo, Abram Puris.
- Now the Day is Over, eighth grade.

Two extraordinary waist specials. \$1.50 values for 50c; \$2.50 values for \$1.50. Julius Orkin, 1510 Douglas St.

Worth Coming to See

Saturday Specials in Our January Sale

It is not too late yet to take advantage of our January Clearing Sale, where you can get hundreds of items in furniture, draperies and rugs at very marked reductions. We wish to call especial attention to a few items for Saturday's selling, any one of them worth coming down town for.

Only One to a Customer

RUGS

We mention three very attractive specials for Saturday.

\$1.25 Rag Rugs, special, 75c

\$1.50 and \$2.00 Rag Rugs, special, ... \$1.00

\$1.25 Door Mat, 18x30, special, 90c

\$50.00, 9x12 Rugs at \$37.50

Light Weight Card Table

This is a regular \$3.50 table. Folding. Felt or imitation leather top, whichever you prefer. Special Saturday, one day only, each \$1.95

We have about thirty dozen Dining Room Chairs that we are offering at about one-half their regular value. They are in lots of one to six of a kind.

Drapery Specials Saturday

50c and 75c Hand Made Window Shades, made from odd colors of cloth; special, each, 19c

25c Colored Bordered Scrim and Net; special, per yard 12 1/2c

Extension Rods, each, 2 1/2c to 10c

Our tables are filled with special values in Net, Curtain and Overcurtain Goods.

Special Prices on Oriental Rugs During Our January Sale.

Beaton & Laier Co.

415-17 South Sixteenth Street Payments if You Wish

KILPATRICKS WRITE THE FINIS

on the Price Tickets of Many Items

Absolutely the Last Word--the Final Reduction, and so low that Out the Goods Will Go Saturday

We have discharged what Huxley calls the Merchant's NECESSARY Duty—a duty which he also says is not always SATISFACTORY—viz.: that of TAKING STOCK.

This is what we find:

111 CHILDREN'S COATS AND COATS FOR JUNIORS—all sizes represented, from 2 to 17 years. The Juniors are adapted to **SMALL WOMEN**. These coats are similar to many sold by us at from **\$7.50 to \$20.00.**

\$2.50 for pick Saturday at 10 a. m. **BUYERS KEEPERS**, as we used to say when we were boys—in other words, none exchanged. No take backs. No alterations. **AND YOU CANNOT TAKE THEM OUT ON APPROVAL.** We hope we have made ourselves plain.

Never before such a price on good merchandise.

69 WOMEN'S COATS AND SUITS. THESE ALSO AT 10 A. M. And if you knew as much about the worth and value of these garments as we do **THEY WOULD NOT LAST ONE HOUR.**

Sold previously similar Suits and Coats at prices ranging from **\$15.00 to \$25.00.**

\$5.00 EACH on SATURDAY, but not before 10 A. M. Same rules govern here—no exchanges, no changes, no swapping afterwards.

Price so absurd you could buy **UNSEEN, UNSEEN.**

HERE'S A MAN'S AFFAIR: Union Suits, many different numbers. Some cotton, others wool mixed. Again others of fine worsted; sizes **ALL RIGHT.** Similar priced and sold before up to \$3.00. **SATURDAY AT 8 A. M. \$1.37 each;** timed, you will notice, for the opening hour.

AND, LADIES, HERE IS AN EARLY ONE FOR YOU, ALSO. At 8 A. M., in west aisle, a sale of Vests, Pants and Unions; small lots, dug out of the corners, taken from the stock room, etc. Cotton, wool or mercerized. \$1.50 many sold at previously; on Saturday at 8 o'clock, **59c EACH.**

Cast your eagle eye over the Sta-

tionery section—4 regular racket lots—**5c, 10c, 15c, 25c**, formerly some sold at **TWO, THREE, FOUR and FIVE** times as much.

WE ARE NEARING THE END OF THE BIGGEST LINEN SALE we have ever known, and ours is an experience gained in **CITIES MUCH LARGER THAN OMAHA.** Saturday we intend to close out the **TAIL ENDS.** \$3.50 and \$4.00 Napkins will go at **\$2.49** per dozen. \$3.00 double Damask; **BEAUTIFUL** is the descriptive word; Saturday **\$1.98** per yard, and Napkins that match at **\$5.98** dozen, instead of \$8.50 dozen.

Round Cloths, 72-inch diameter, formerly \$7.50, Saturday, **\$3.98** each.

Towelings at **11c** per yard which was 15c.

75c Turkish Towels at **59c.**

35c Turkish Towels at **25c** each.

\$5.00 Damask Cloth (round) will go at **\$3.49** each.

\$3 Hemstitched Cloth at **\$1.98** each.

\$6.00 Battenburg Table Covers at **\$3.98** each Saturday.

\$7.50 set of **SHEET and CASES** at **\$4.98** Saturday.

\$17.50 set of Embroidered Sheets and Cases, **\$10.98** set.

\$2.50 Embroidered Linen Cases at **\$1.69** each.

98c for Bleached Damask formerly \$1.25.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating," is a trite proverb. You have tested ours, and here again we can draw upon another wise saying: "Search all things, but hold fast to that which is good."

Tersely put: **KILPATRICK'S IS A SAFE PLACE TO TRADE.**

BUSINESS IS GOOD.

THOMAS KILPATRICK & CO.

Public School Roll of Honor

CHILDREN RECEIVING THE HIGHEST MARK IN MORE THAN HALF THEIR SUBJECTS LAST WEEK:

<p>SARATOGA.</p> <p>Eighth A. Lillian Colberg, Blanche Dooley, Ethel Lindner.</p> <p>Eighth A. George Alaman, Nina Bell, Mildred Daley, Lucille Dooley, Colonetta Lear, Susie McLaughlin.</p> <p>Seventh B. Ralph Coulter, Grace Donahay, Oliver Pierce.</p> <p>Seventh A. Verna Bryant, Gladys Martin, Margaret Thompson, Louise Wood, Mabel Bell, Albert Krause, Gerald Kyle, Walter White.</p> <p>Fourth A. Edith Anderson, Lillian Croighton, Opal Harger, Marie Loutig, Robert Nickles, Lucinda Panabaker, Irene Roberts, Zelma Westberg.</p> <p>Fifth B. Viljan Barnes, Vernie Coy, Carla Fredrickson, Ruth Hailer, Marguerite Heas, May Irving, Elizabeth Johnson, Martha Thornton.</p>	<p>Fifth A. Richard Elster, Carmelita Gerzman, Helen Hoham, Lonia Hunt, Delbert Pierce, Leo Wilson, Irene Weatherford, Edmund Wood, Jessie Baxter, Kenneth Bunell, Irene Carroll, Margaret Wiskovaki, Ruth Madden, Gertrude Sanford, Minerva Trowbridge.</p> <p>Third B. Douglas Sughardt, Ethel Waldner.</p> <p>Third A. John Bittenger, Lucy Endres, Cecill Gauger, Edith Hodges, Mary Panabaker, Harvey Pinney, Adrian Westberg.</p> <p>Fourth B. Charles Sandler.</p> <p>Third B. Reva Kulakofsky.</p> <p>Third A. Mildred Green, Louise Hunter, Mosele Thomas, Herbert Wood, Jessie Brandell, Dorothea Brunner, Oliver Bullis, Hazel Kelley, Harriet Myers.</p>	<p>DUPONT.</p> <p>Fifth A. John Kovalewski, Martha Krupa, Frances McVee, Sobiasny Pestal, Savannah A., Esther Geischer, Myrtle Witt, Alice Keffner, Mary Ham, aek, Margaret Wiskovaki, Fourth A., Agnes Housander, Lawrence Hug, Irene Nelson.</p> <p>Third A. Dorothy Nelson, Robert Nelson, John Riley, John Frouha, Lily Vlock, Willie Wavra.</p> <p>COLUMBIAN.</p> <p>Eighth A. Ann Astell, Eva Kornacker, Elizabeth Perrygo, Elsie Schmidt, Frances Paulkner.</p> <p>Seventh A. Camilla Edholm, Nevada Jones, Donna MacDonald, Wilbur Olson, Harold Paffenrath, Elsie A., Elsie Drews.</p> <p>Third A. Marvite Treiler, Dorothy Wess.</p>	<p>COLUMBIAN.</p> <p>Seventh B. Dyce Jamison, Edna Lincoln, Josephine Platner.</p> <p>Sixth B. Mabel Rhodes, Anna Newman, William Bell.</p> <p>Sixth A. Mary Clark, Walter De Waal, Louise McAnany, Louise Riley, John T. Stewart.</p> <p>Fifth A. Mabel Clark, Katherine Davis, Ronald Gladstone, Helen Rogers, Jean Palmer, Margaret Wattles.</p> <p>Fourth B. Lester Anderson, Dorothy Rich.</p> <p>Fourth A. Tony Leermakers, Herbert Olson, Harriet Rosewater, Helen Turpin.</p> <p>Third B. Anna Arnold, Beulah Miller, Helen Nelson, Caroline Probstanz, Gordon Smith.</p>
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ROLL OF HONOR WILL BE CONTINUED IN TOMORROW'S EVENING BEE.