

# Society

By MELLIFICIA. Friday, October 1, 1915.

"WHAT'S in a name?" the bard did inquire. "Enough to completely befuddle our senses." We faintly would reply.

All this by way of explanation for the absolute blank of our mind when confronted by some of the names of colors used in the description of gowns to be worn at the Ak-Sar-Ben ball.

"Field mouse meter," I read with dismay. Field mouse! Why, I close my eyes and scream at sight of a plaid, ordinary, everyday mouse; then how can I be expected to know what color a field mouse is? I never saw one, and wouldn't know him if I did.

Here is one "claret cup" satin. Sounds interesting, to say the least. "Stenna!" Now what color do you suppose that could be? I looked it up in the dictionary and found that it was an orange-yellow to a reddish brown tint. I have one consolation. I don't believe you knew it, either; now, did you?

One of the modistes whom I consulted waxes quite poetical in her description of colors. Sunset, dusk, blossom, mist and horizon are some of the descriptive colors she gave me.

Veteran, nectar and spray, however, are among the colors I gave up in despair.

The origin of these names and their application have about as much bearing as the appellations of Pullman cars to their surroundings, which reminds me of the story of a well known young Omaha lawyer who wrote to a friend, telling him he had named his small daughter "Audrey."

"What did you think you were naming—a Pullman car?" wrote back the unfeeling young man, who was not a benedict, needless to remark.

**On the Calendar.**  
The Friday Morning Bridge club gave a business party at the Orpheum this afternoon.

Mrs. L. R. Wilson entertained one of the informal bridge luncheon clubs today. Three tables of players were present.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howe will entertain six guests at the closing luncheon at the Country club, Saturday evening.

The Thursday Bowling club, which has been meeting at Happy Hollow this summer, will have luncheon Monday at the Commercial club, followed by a bowling party. Fifteen members will be present.

**Club Women Return.**  
Omaha delegates to the state convention of the Nebraska Federation of Women's clubs at Norfolk, returned home today. Among them were Mesdames N. H. Nelson, president of the Woman's club; E. M. Byert, L. M. Lord, J. H. Dumont, Harriet MacMurphy, W. S. Knight, Jean Johnson, Edward Phelan, F. H. Cole, M. D. Cameron, K. R. J. Ethelm, C. W. Hayes, R. S. Laverty, N. M. Graham, O. S. Brooks and W. P. East.

**Series of Bridge Parties.**  
Mrs. Julius Dreyfuss and Mrs. Joseph Rosenfeld are giving a series of bridge parties at the home of Mrs. Dreyfuss, complimentary to Mrs. J. Weinberg and Mrs. F. M. Thorman of Cleveland. Seven tables of players were entertained Thursday afternoon, there were the same number of guests today, and tomorrow the last of the series will be given.

**Recent Affairs.**  
Mrs. E. A. Chamberlain entertained at an informal luncheon yesterday, followed by an Orpheum party, in honor of Mrs. John Grousel of Kallapel, Mont., the guest of Mrs. James W. Sharpe. Those present were: Mesdames—John Grousel, Joel Arnold, James W. Sharpe, E. A. Chamberlain.

**Persons' Mention.**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Grinnel are moving into their new home in Happy Hollow addition this week.

Mrs. J. H. Phillips has returned from St. Louis, where she was called by the death of her mother, Mrs. E. A. Fyrites. Mrs. Arthur Crittenden Smith and Miss Harriet Huntington Smith are in the east and are not expected home for several weeks.

Miss Margaret Doolittle of Greeley, Colo., is in Omaha for a few days on her way east. She is the guest of Mrs. H. A. Dodd.

Miss Katherine Lee Grable will return from New York Tuesday and will resume her dancing classes the following week.

Mrs. John Grousel of Kallapel, Mont., is spending a few days with Mrs. James W. Sharpe.

**In and Out of the Bee Hive.**  
Miss Lottie Lee Snowden will leave for Denver Monday. She will be a bridesmaid at the wedding of Miss M. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Redick, Mrs. W. A. Redick, and Mrs. Will Burns are expected back from a motor trip to Chicago this week.

**At the Boyd Theater.**  
A brilliant gathering of society folk will be in attendance tonight for the opening performance at the Boyd theater. Al Johnson in "Dancing Around" is the attraction. Mr. and Mrs. George Bradish, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nash, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burgess and Miss Marjorie McCord will entertain box parties.

Reservations for four guests have been made by Frank T. Hamilton, Paul Wern-

**PAXTON'S GAS ROASTED COFFEE**  
FOR 2 LB. CANS  
"THAT ECONOMY COFFEE"

**SERVICE—GOOD WORK**  
There are the fine possibilities which you are overlooking when you buy a cheap dress. Buy one which allows you to be properly dressed, that will show the convenience of being in position to secure a new dress when the need arises.

leader," will address the club following the luncheon, Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. George W. Sumner entertained at the University club, Thursday evening. A profusion of pink roses were used in the decorations and covers were placed for sixteen guests.

**To Honor Dr. Crothers.**  
The Unitarian church members are giving a reception this evening in honor of Dr. Samuel McChord Crothers, pastor of the First Parish church of Cambridge, Mass.

**With the School Set.**  
Miss Geraldine Johnson has left to enter Ferry Hall at Lake Forest, Ill.  
Drew Arends left Sunday to resume his studies at Culver Military academy.

**Parish Aid Society Meets.**  
The Parish Aid society of Trinity cathedral held a business meeting at the home of Mrs. James A. Tancock, Wednesday. The same officers of last year were re-elected and the members plan to begin work for the coming season next Wednesday, when they will meet at the home of Mrs. George Barker.

**Nurses' Registry Meeting.**  
The annual meeting of the Nurses' Registry was held at the Nurses' Central club, Wednesday evening. There was a short business meeting, following which a musical program was given by Jean Gilbert Jones, Miss Ethel East, Dr. Jennie Callfax, Miss Josephine Hall and Mrs. Effie Steen Kittleson.

The officers of the Nurses' Registry are: Mrs. Margaret K. Groves of the County hospital, president; Miss Beazie Randall of the Visiting Nurse association, secretary; Miss Gertrude Smith of the Birch Knoll sanitarium, treasurer, and Miss Grace Bradley, registrar.

**Kappa Psi Banquet.**  
The Beta Nu chapter of Kappa Psi entertained its pledges at a dinner party Wednesday night at the Henshaw restaurant. Following the dinner, which was an elaborate affair, the evening was given over to music, with a few informal talks from those who were present.

**Reception for House Guests.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Eaton gave a reception to seventy-five at their home Wednesday evening, complimentary to their son, Byron K. Eaton, and Mrs. Eaton of Los Angeles, and their sister, Mrs. A. J. Eaton of Salt Lake City. A profusion of salvia, cosmos, asters, nasturtiums and ferns were used in the decorations throughout the rooms. Assisting the hostesses were:

Mesdames—D. G. Craghead, Roy Calkers, H. Eader, C. C. Koon, C. C. Allen, Misses—Margorie Hume, Edna Hume, Grace Thom, Gertrude Rodman.

**To Attend Fremont Wedding.**  
A large party are planning to motor to Fremont tomorrow for the Buell-Miliken wedding. They will leave in the afternoon, stopping at Valley for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ramsey will go by train tomorrow morning. The motor party will include:

Mesdames—John K. Morrison, C. J. Claassen, Fred Eichel, Jr., E. A. Van Ordel, Clinton Brown, Will Guild, Myron Hayward, Raymond Hayward, Mr. Samuel Hess, Jr.

## WOODBURY NOTES VAST GROWTH HERE

Former President of the Omaha Water Company Notes Wonderful Progress Made.

### VISITS THE WATER PLANT

"Omaha has certainly made a vast improvement in the three and a half years since I was here last," said Theodore C. Woodbury of New York, former president of the Omaha Water company, who is looking in on his old associates and friends. "I was over in Iowa on a business mission and did not want to go back without looking at Omaha. It was May, 1912, that I was here finishing up the transfer of the water works to the city, and I am struck immensely by the progress that has been made in the building of the city."

"I was out to the water plant at Florence and noted the improvements there, too. The plant is being well kept up, and many things have been accomplished that we would have done had we had the money which the city now has without limit. The fact that so many of our old men have been kept in the responsible positions is best proof that our water company was well managed, and they are doing good work for the city too."

"We are in the midst of a suffrage campaign in New Jersey, where I live, and the active speakers on both sides are the same who took part in the campaign in Nebraska, and keep reciting their Nebraska experiences. "Since I was here last, I have practically retired from business, severing my connection with the Ludenberg-Thalmen company last April. I am 43 years old, and my children all grown, and with my wife I hope to take life a little easier and drop in on my friends here often."

## Modern Dances Are Barred in Parks by New Rules Just Out

C. S. Spooner has been appointed supervisor of dancing in the Hanscom park pavilion. The floor has been prepared and the dances will be started next week. The Recreation board announces the following set of rules for the regulation of these dances:

All reservations must be made by groups of bona fide standing in the city and are held strictly accountable for the actions of the group while on the property. Failure to conform to these rules will mean forfeiture of the use of the park property in the future and expulsion from the premises at the time of the infraction of the rules and regulations. Dances and floor committee must be furnished by groups for all dances. All questions of conduct and interpretation of the rules will be decided by the supervisor in charge. Only waltzes, two-steps, schottische, square dances, three-step to three-step music will be allowed. Modern dances are prohibited. No charges made for the use of the park and no group shall make a charge of admission or sell any commodity within the limits of the park. Hours shall be from 7:30 to 11 p. m. on week days, except Saturday, when 11:45 will be the closing hour. No dances permitted on Sunday.

## TWO METHODIST MINISTERS JUST ASSIGNED HERE



Rev. John F. Poucher

TRINITY METHODIST.



Rev. Emory D. Hull

HANSCOM PARK METHODIST.

## Dodimead Gets Good Start in Suit for Alimony

Whether Mrs. Katherine Dodimead, proprietor of a rooming house, shall pay \$3 a month for the support of her husband during pendency of a divorce suit, was not determined at a hearing held in Judge Sears court.

## Rush for Wyoming Homesteads Over

S. E. Howard of the Burlington land department has returned from the Goshen Hole country of Wyoming, where he went to be present at the opening to homestead entry of 150,000 acres of land lying just over the Nebraska state line from Scott's Bluff county.

## JUDGE BELIEVES STORY TOLD BY THE OFFICERS

Clara Mortenson, 225 Pine street, arrested on a charge of vagrancy, asserted in court that she was working and supporting her 3-year-old child as best she knew how. Juvenile officers testified exactly in opposition to her story and as a result she was fined \$30 and costs.

**THE "CLASSIC" An Extraordinary High Walk-Over Lace Boot For Women**  
who want a shoe that is different from the ordinary. The Graceful Lines and the Glove-like Way It Fits the Foot should appeal strongly to the women who seek style as well as comfort. Comes in seven colors to match the new fall suitings.  
**Phoenix Guaranteed Hosiery for men and women in all popular colors.**  
**\$5 to \$7**  
**WALK-OVER BOOT SHOP**  
317 South 16th Street

# "Come Now and Let Us Reason Together"

No, this is not to be a sermon, but a heart-to-heart talk with you for your benefit as well as ours. A few days ago we were introduced to a lady in our store. After discussing several matters she said: "I have just made a discovery." We thought we were expected to say, "What is it?" and so we did. "You are the man who writes the ads. You write just as you are going to give you, therefore, REASONS which in our judgment should draw you to the store of

**SCHOOL GIRLS' ATTENTION!**  
Peter Thompson's for you. Made from durable serges, \$4.00 to \$18.50. Gym Suits, \$4.00 to \$6.75. Serge Bloomers, \$3.00. Sateen, navy and black, 75c. Middles—never so popular—cotton and wool. GIRLS, we fixed on Saturday so you could pick em out yourselves.

If we were to write about going gunning for business, or tell you of bagging of game, the sports only would get our meaning. When, however, we tell you of a

**BAG SALE**  
The Bag Sale then—Real Seal and Morocco—colors and black—Similar sold up to \$3.50; \$1.58 Saturday.

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**NEW FALL NECKWEAR**  
Flat embroidered and voile colors—high and low neck gumpies and vests high neck stock—Ruffs, Sport Scarfs, Collar and Cuff Sets, etc. We would use the word "ATTRACTIVE, but POPULAR and PLEASING sounds perhaps more modest. Style all the while in this department.

**TILET GOODS SECTION**  
Just a little running list of prices for Saturday to show you we always have a seat in the game—Pebecco Tooth Paste, 34c instead of 50c. Milkweed Creams, 39c instead of 50c. Santal Face Cream, 17c instead of 25c. Ricksecker's Cream, 39c instead of 50c. Palmolive Soap, 6c instead of 10c. Ricksecker's Skin Soap, 12c instead of 25c. Ricksecker's Tar Soap, 12c instead of 20c. Wright's Silver Cream, 16c instead of 25c.

We could go on and on. These, however must serve for we desire to use space to tell you of other things also.

**FURS ARE SCARCE**  
Many kinds of furs are getting scarce. Demand on fur trimmings has increased so that prices are climbing. We have a goodly assortment of Beaver, Martens, Jap Mink, Ermine, Coon, Bear.

Ostrich Feather Hoas in black and mixed colors. Special values at \$2.95 and \$3.95. Take it from us, you cannot make an error by buying NOW.

Did you ever put next to your skin Crepe de Chine? Underwear of this soft, silky material is so dainty, so delightful to the touch, gives you such a sense of elegance combined with comfort, that—well, it has become the most popular underwear with the fastidious everywhere.

**CHILDREN AND JUNIOR SECTION**  
95 PER CENT of all the devoted mothers are more interested in fitting out the kiddies than dressing themselves. This is our long suit. We have made a study of it. We have qualified as experts and our knowledge is at your service—FREE AS AIR—and we provide for all ages—all the seven of them—Babyhood to Womanhood.

We INCLUDE MATS, in Children's Section, and we have them for all ages, even to bridging that difficult period when the little miss blossoms into the full-fledged MISS. Saturday we'll sell a lot of Autumn Hats for children at 98c instead of \$1.50. MRS. SON—To draw the mothers.

*Thomas Lepatrie* on Saturday.  
Going to sell a lot of underwear for boys Saturday—50c, 60c and 75c grades for 35c.  
**CORSETS FITTED BY THOSE WHO KNOW HOW**  
Perhaps there is no make of Corset in the world better suited to most women than the Redfern. You wouldn't think that a corset had anything on earth to do with winning a bridge game. And yet here's what one woman said recently: "Unless I can forget my corset, and concentrate on my game I cannot win. That's why I wear a Redfern." Now, women will know just what that kind of comfort means. Something like a well fitting shoe, we suppose. A blessed unconsciousness as to whether you have feet or shoes. Miss Coleman, our head fitter, says: "We have a Redfern for practically every figure. Indeed with a Redfern we can produce that grace of form which you please. If you please— which cannot help but appeal to those who care — and what woman doesn't care? Style after all counts for more than a pretty face and the corset is the foundation. We expect to talk corsets for a little while. This little cut is but the thin end of the wedge—More to follow. Telephone for fitting date if you desire prompt service.  
Bon Bond! Comfits! Confects! Lollipop! Fondant!  
**OH, FUDGE!**  
What we want you to know about is **COBB'S**  
Some day we are going to give you a list of some of the Candies he sells. A good doctor who prescribes the candy counter every Saturday, says: "Cobb is synonymous with good when connected with candy." Doctor is right. You never saw more men at a candy counter than you will find visiting Cobb. There's a reason, all right. Mr. Man when he buys candy wants the best. What is Praline? Ask Cobb.