

Society

By MELLIFICIA.

Monday, January 3, 1916.

I WAS asked the other day if such a thing were possible in America as an inexpensive wintering place where one might go with the children and be able to save money. The one who asked me knew of such a place in Europe, from which she had often returned the richer for her sojourn.

She doubted seriously if such a place existed in any spot in the United States.

I think there is—and I know there were such places not many years ago in Alabama, north of Mobile, extending as far as Meridian, Miss. Cottages may be rented for a reasonable rental, pine wood is cheap and plentiful, and a delightful old "mammy," who carries the basket on her head with an air of finish and style, will laundry, to Beau Brummel's own taste, a goodly washing for the amount of "four bits."

The surroundings are not luxurious, but the air is piney air and the children may play on the pine needle carpeted sod every day of the week. Fruit and fresh vegetables are plentiful. I should like to say that maids may be hired cheaply and that they are capable workers. But this is not true. They are as rare there as here and have none of the efficiency demanded by the northern housekeeper. The "help" question is the same old problem everywhere.

Class Reunion.

The C. Semcal Philathea class of the First Christian Bible school held its reunion Friday evening at the home of Mrs. J. H. Elberry, the teacher of the class. Sixty guests were present. Mrs. Elberry's brother, Prof. William Parker, director of physical education in the famous model school at Gary, Ind., gave a series of stereoscopic views. There were talks by Rev. C. E. Cobey, Dr. W. Webb, Mrs. Ruth Morris, Miss Laura Hyde, Miss Onida Moran and Mr. F. R. Cain. A musical program was given, in which Mr. Richard Kersey sang, and Miss Lois Rhoad gave a violin solo and Miss Cora Schwartz took part. Letters and telegrams of regret were read by chapter members of the class, including the former pastor, Rev. J. M. Kersey.

Rockford College Affair.

The monthly meeting of the Rockford College society was held this afternoon instead of the regular day of meeting, the first Wednesday of the month. The date was advanced so that students of the college enroute east might stop off in Omaha and attend the meeting, which was a luncheon at the University club. The decorations were holiday greens in large French baskets. Those present were:

Measurables—Archie Carpenter, Douglas of Georgia, John H. Beaton, John L. McDonald, Woodbury of Council Bluffs, C. F. Kimball, of Council Bluffs, Misses—Henrietta McCague, Gladys Goodman, Olive Ruffner of Chicago, Olga Curtis, Henrietta Medlar, Sarah Sears, Blanche Hegblade, Gertrude Aiken, Isabel Sukert, Helen Buck, Jean Douglas of Georgia, Helen Douglas, Marian Maynard, Alice Redgewick, Julia O'Brien of Council Bluffs.

Drama Class Plans.

The Monday Morning Drama class, which was to have met with Miss Kate McHugh this morning, has postponed its regular weekly meetings for two weeks, owing to illness in the families of its members.

The Midweek Drama circle, which is to meet this week with Mrs. Warren Blackwell, will hold its regular class Wednesday morning.

Leap Year Party.

The Quinceanera club will give a leap year party at the Scottish Rite temple Thursday evening, January 6. The ladies are to bring each a box of lunch for herself and partner. Nifty metal badges, with the name written in a bold hand, will be worn by each one present, and also at the dances to be held in the future.

For the Sunderlands.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sunderland of Kansas City, whose marriage was announced two weeks ago from Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sunderland gave a luncheon at the University club this afternoon in honor of the bride. The luncheon was followed by a box party at the Orpheum theater. Those present were:

Measurables and Measurables—Elmer Sunderland, R. E. Sunderland, of Kansas City, J. A. Sunderland, E. M. Sunderland, Mrs. Darwin Chesney will give a dinner at her home this evening for the Elmer Sunderlands.

Engagement Announcement.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams of Milwaukee announce the engagement of their daughter, Sophie, to Mr. Wilson Wildman Buchanan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Buchanan of Omaha.

Miss Adams, who has been assistant and acting head resident of the Omaha Social settlement, is a well known social worker and authority on playground and social welfare questions. She is a graduate of the Chicago School of Philanthropy and Civics and the Chicago Training school for playground supervisors.

Bible Class.

During the absence of its leader, Mrs. A. F. Jonas, the Bible class was led this afternoon at its monthly meeting by Mrs. Appolquitt, Miss Isabel Milroy and Miss Lois Howell.

Postponement.

Out of deference to the death of one of its members, Mrs. S. Sugarman, there will be no meeting Tuesday afternoon of the Jewish Ladies' Relief society.

Postponement.

The Debutante Bridge club, which was to have met this afternoon with Miss Helen Ingwersen, has postponed its meeting owing to the number of members who are out of town or ill.

On the Calendar.

Mrs. A. B. McConnell will give a matinee party at the Brandeis theater and tea at the Hotel Fontenelle Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Marion Towle.

Temple Sisterhood.

The Temple Israel Sisterhood met this afternoon at a kenning and coffee at their assembly rooms in the temple.

Invitations Recalled.

Owing to the illness of the hostess, invitations have been recalled to the box

MRS. T. L. SHEVLIN and her late husband, Thomas L. Shevlin, millionaire lumber merchant, former Yale football star, who left an estate valued at more than \$20,000,000 and an insurance policy of a round million dollars, which Shevlin recently acquired.



MRS. T. L. SHEVLIN.

WINSOME WIDOW WANTS A HUSBAND

Texas Woman Writes to Postmaster Wharton to Find Her a Correspondent.

HE WILL ASSIST DAN CUPID

A new honor has been heaped upon the already laurel-crowned Postmaster John C. Wharton.

A woman in Texas appointed him special assistant to Cupid and counselor extraordinary to winsome widows.

She writes, asking him to please find her a husband, and the postmaster, who has a reputation far and wide as a champion of the gentler sex (he invariably refers to them as the "dear creatures"), loses no time in enlisting the pleasant and far-flung power of this great family daily and fireside companion.

Listen, then, to the dispatch call all ye men of 25 years and older. John C. Wharton demands your attention in the name of Dan Cupid. Hark to the call of the lonely widow in Texas.

No Change for Drinking Man.

Note, however, ye men who look upon the wine when it is red, you need not answer. You need not even listen. Go your riotous ways, for the widow is a wise widow. She wants a husband who "don't get drunk." Her letter to the postmaster is as follows:

"HOUSTON, Tex., Dec. 29, 1915.—Postmaster, Dear Sir: I am a lonely young widow of 35 years and would like to correspond with some nice young man of your town. I don't care what age, just so he is no younger than me and don't get drunk."

She is a Blonde.

"I am a blonde, height 5 feet 7 inches, weight 132. If you know of any lonely young fellow who would like to correspond I would thank you very much to let him know of me. I will exchange photos with him. Thanking you, please don't put my name in the paper. Again thanking you, I am, respectfully," etc.

In consideration of the young widow's request, her name is not given out. Postmaster Wharton has it and the address, which is on a rural free delivery route running out from Houston.

The postmaster will give the name and address to any eligible man requesting it. He shall make a personal interest in providing this dear creature with a husband. I am sure, a good husband. Bless the dear creature."

HUBBY AND WIFEY FAVOR FREE PRIVILEGE TO FIGHT

"We can fight if we want to," remarked Mr. and Mrs. G. Johnson of Council Bluffs, when remonstrated with by Officer Unger for battling at Twelfth and Douglas street. Both belligerents grew decidedly abusive toward the officer and were arrested. Judge Foster allowed them to depart when they promised to maintain "peace at any price."

JUSTICE OF THE U. S. SUPREME COURT IS DEAD.



JUDGE JOSEPH LAMAR.

Funeral of Late Justice Lamar to Be Held Wednesday

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Arrangements are being made today for the funeral of Joseph Rucker Lamar, associate justice of the supreme court, who died at his home here last night of gradual heart failure.

Arrangements were made during the day for simple funeral services about 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the church in Augusta, Ga., attended for years by the Lamar family. No services will be held in Washington.

After paying tribute to Justice Lamar, Chief Justice White adjourned court until Thursday. Decisions to have been announced today will be delivered next Monday.

Inability of some of the justices to go to Georgia, led the court to appoint a committee consisting of Justices Van Devanter, Pitney and McReynolds to represent it at the funeral.

It was believed here today that because of the important cases now awaiting decision before a full court, President Wilson will make an appointment at once to fill the vacancy caused by Justice Lamar's death. Last fall when Justice Lamar's health became impaired and when a movement was started to retire him on full pay, Secretary of the Interior Lane and Solicitor General John W. Davis were mentioned in discussions as his possible successors.

Don't Be Constipated.

All kinds of ailments result from constipation. Dr. King's New Life Pills are mild and effective, prevent constipation. See all druggists.—Advertisement.

SUDDEN WEDDING STARTLES SOCIETY

First Surprise Bomb of Year in Marriage of J. E. Fitzgerald and Edith Van Kuran Marsh.

RECEPTION IS IMPROVISED

The first surprise bomb of the new year exploded in Omaha society circles in the announcement of the marriage Sunday of Mrs. Edith Van Kuran Marsh and Mr. James Edward Fitzgerald, both popular in the exclusive set, which, however, had not the slightest pre-advertisement of what was impending. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Harry B. Foster, pastor of the Dundee Presbyterian church, at the home of Mrs. Marsh, where she has been living with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell C. Van Kuran, and only the relatives of the bride and the intimate friends of the groom were present.

The bride was attended by her little daughter, Gertrude Jane Marsh, and two little nieces, Edith Mary and Florence Louise Ware, daughters of her sister, Mrs. A. G. Ware of Dayton, O. The attendant of the groom was Mr. Lawrence Brinker.

Mrs. Fitzgerald was the widow of Mr. Charles Marsh and the groom is one of the head officers of the Woodmen of the World, who has been living at the Omaha club, having come to Omaha from Kansas City, where he formerly practiced law.

When the word reached the club that one of the jolly inmates had become a benedict the crowd there all jumped into taxis and drove out to the Van Kuran house to extend congratulations, where they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Vraser and other friends and associates of the Woodman order. Learning that the new couple were to be quartered temporarily at the Fontenelle and wanting to make sure of their suitable reception the women hastily assembled the necessary ribbons and other ornaments and decorated the hotel hallway leading to their rooms.

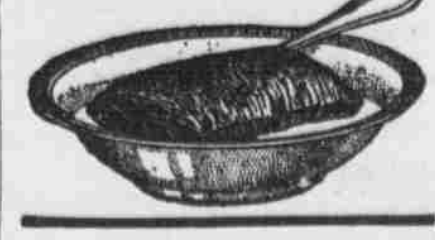
Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald will be at home after April 1 at 5021 Capitol avenue.

A "For Sale" or "For Rent" Ad placed in The Bee will accomplish its purpose.

NIGHT SCHOOL TONIGHT Y. M. C. A.

All kinds of ailments result from constipation. Dr. King's New Life Pills are mild and effective, prevent constipation. See all druggists.—Advertisement.

A Five Cent Breakfast in five minutes! What a boon to the busy housekeeper! Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits, heated in the oven to restore crispness and served with hot milk, make a complete, perfect meal, supplying all the strength needed for a half day's work at a cost of four or five cents. The richest man in America can buy nothing better. Contains more real nutriment than meat or eggs and is more easily digested. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.



Pyro Coke

(Certified) Made from Colorado's Best Bituminous Coal

No special instructions needed for satisfactory use. Keep the firepot full, that's all.

Use "Pyro" alone in Hot Air Furnace.

Mix it with Economy Egg (\$6.50) or with Cherokee Nut (\$5.00) for a Hot Water Heater.

Lots of heat. Smokeless. Sootless. Very little ash.

SUNDERLAND BROTHERS CO.

Main Office, Keeling Building, 17th and Harney. Phone Douglas 252.

Bargains in practically new articles in "For Sale" column; read it.

Taggart Resigns from School Board

F. J. Taggart, former proprietor of the Loyal hotel, has resigned as member of the Board of Education. A letter has been received from Mr. Taggart, who has been at Kansas City for several months. Perry Wheeler is being considered to fill the vacancy. He was city clerk of South Omaha at the time of the merger and served as principal of the South Side High school for three years.

Dr. and Mrs. Elmer James Sunderland of Kansas City, now on their wedding trip, arrived in Omaha Sunday evening to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sunderland for a few days.

Man Who Escaped from Hospital Dies from the Exposure

George Lodge of Hebron, Neb., who escaped from the Methodist hospital, where he was confined, last Saturday night and came down town and registered at the Merchants hotel before he was discovered and taken back to the hospital, died Sunday night. It is thought, from the effects of the exposure. Lodge made his escape from the hospital while in a semi-conscious condition and did not realize what he was doing. Lodge has a wife and family at Hebron.

Why Was It

that the

Milk Inspectors

at their convention in Washington last October

Passed a Resolution

recommending that in addition to inspection

All Milk Should be Pasteurized?

It was because their experience has shown that no matter how efficient inspection is

Raw Milk Is Not Safe.

To avoid danger to your families, especially when epidemics are abroad, you should buy the most statistically controlled

Pasteurized Milk

Record charts for your inspection. Ask your Doctor.

FOR SALE only by the

Alamito

An Exciting Clearance Sale at the Benson & Thorne Co.

Quite a rush for bargains characterized the opening day. Every department had a crowd, while in the women's cloaks and suits where the stocks are exceedingly heavy and the reductions very sharp the rush started as soon as the doors were open and kept up in a steady stream all day.

In the men's shop the fact that Sam Peck and Stein-Bloch clothes were included in the clearance made buying very heavy.

The sale continues throughout the week.

WHITE KID GLOVES

Specially Priced for the January White Sale

Women's Real French Kid Gloves, 2-clasp style, also 1-clasp. Full plume gloves, plain white or white with black backs. Extra special. Perry's 34-Button Real Kid Gloves, white only. Usually sold at \$2.35. Extra special. L. & L. Guaranteed Washable White Leatherette Gloves, usually priced 65c and 85c. Sale price, 59c. Main Floor.

Billows Upon Billows of Snowy White, Fresh From the Mill, Ready Made Sheets, Slips, Sheetings, Muslins, Domestics, Etc., Etc.

The Genuine "Wamsutta" and Dwight Anchor Bleached Sheetings, Casings, Tubings, Etc.

Direct from the "Sayless" Bleachery. These wonderful fabrics are considered the best made American sheeting. Their value is known from coast to coast; the nearest approach to linen for wear, weight, perfect weave and durability. We carry them in all widths; not stamped, but otherwise genuine.

Width 8-4, actual value 30c. Sale price, yard.....22c
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A pretty morning glory pattern, ten-yard bolts, at—

No. 1 No. 1½ No. 2 No. 3 No. 5

18c 25c 28c 35c 6c yd.

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Embroideries

Battiste Embroidery Edges, up to 3 inches wide. Just the thing for trimming baby clothes. Regular 5c values. Sale price, yard.....2c

Embroidery Edges and Insertions, Swiss, nainsook, cambric and long-cloth. Extra good quality, fast edges. 12½c values, yard.....6c

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Lilly White Corset Covers, semi-made, handsomely embroidered. 55c values, special.....39c

Fancy Goods Enter the White Sale

Stamped Linen Centers, on pure Irish linen. Neat designs, floral and conventional. 36-inch size, \$1.25 values.....75c

45-inch size, \$1.75 values.....\$1.00

54-inch size, \$2.25 values.....\$1.25

Japanese Print Lunch Cloths, 72-inch size. New designs, \$1.50 values. Sale price.....89c

Stamped Scarfs, on pure Irish Art linen. Size 18x54 inches. Neat designs. Special.....50c

Third Floor.

Something New and Interesting Every Day of the White Sale

Brandeis Stores' best efforts greet you in this January White Sale. The two main features are wonderful assortments, which mean variety, completeness of sizes and quantities; and the other main feature is Wonder Values. Surely our ability to buy never proved more powerful in securing special prices for our customers.

Each day of the White Sale different sections will be advertised, new lots will be brought into the sale and special values offered. There will be reason for following the sale carefully from day to day, for these special features may be exactly that which would interest you.

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