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SOCIAL AFTERNOON AT COUNTRY CLUB

Such an Idea is Being Considered for the Outdoor Season About to Be Opened.

MEN MAY COME TO THE TEA

By MELLIFICIA—May 10.

It may be that the Country club will have for the season about to open a "social afternoon" every week, much on the same model as the far-famed afternoon affairs at Meadow Brook, or that still newer pattern of country club excellence, the Piping Rock club on Long Island.

The afternoon chosen will [illegible] either Tuesday or Thursday, so as [illegible] to fall upon one of the dancing days, or rather nights, Wednesday and Saturday.

If this idea of a special afternoon, especially featured in the club doings of the week, becomes a reality, all the members are to make it a point to put in an appearance, and a group of matrons be chosen each week for the Hostesses with girls to pour tea.

The only obstacle which now seems to stand in the way of social afternoons at the Country club is the question whether the men can finish with their business affairs early enough in the day to be in time for a cup of tea and a chat all around with the matrons and girls.

"Life" has facetiously referred to the flocking of men to the Meadow Brook club in day time as "meetings of the unemployed."

Omaha's unemployed do not belong to the Country club—and here is the problem to be solved.

Dundee Woman's Club Luncheon.

The Dundee Woman's club enjoyed a luncheon followed by the annual business meeting today at the residence of Mrs. T. L. Combs. Pink roses brightened the dining room and lilacs were used profusely in the other rooms. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. G. C. Edgerly, retiring president of the club, and Mesdames James W. L. Selby, J. F. Ferguson, A. L. Green, E. A. Beardsley and F. I. Elfink. Other club members present were:

Misses—	Misses—
Grace Conklin,	Olive Ferguson.
Mesdames—	Mesdames—
I. H. Arey,	G. C. Young,
H. C. Baird,	Charles McMartin,
J. E. Burton,	E. E. Magee,
E. A. Benson,	J. W. Marshell,
T. R. Braden,	Royal D. Miller,
W. L. Brayton,	M. Grayson Moore,
H. A. Colvin,	John A. Moore,
E. N. Crosby,	J. H. Morton,
A. C. Crossman,	Belle H. Oberst,
R. M. Crossman,	J. B. Orange,
W. S. Curtis,	W. O. Perry,
J. E. Dodds,	George G. Pray,
J. J. Dodds,	W. F. Rhoades,
Eugene Duval,	Stanley Rosewater,
W. H. Hancock,	Joe Roth,
Louvena Hathaway,	W. L. Selby,
W. B. Howard,	W. E. Shafer,
C. J. Hubbard,	F. R. Straight,
D. L. Johnson,	Percy Stevens,
J. B. Jones,	N. K. Sype,
Allen Koch,	E. H. Westerfield,
Charles Leslie,	G. W. Wickersham,
Leigh Leslie,	J. O. Yeiser,

For Miss Scott.

Miss Clarda Scott, a bride of next Tuesday, will have no attendants. The six girl friends of the bride, who have been chosen to stretch ribbons at the wedding, are Miss Mildred Marr of Kansas City, Miss Ruth Gould, Miss Lucile Brown, Miss Georgina Davis, Miss Florence Rush and Miss Clare Scriver. There will be a rehearsal of the wedding at the home of the future bride Monday evening.

Miss Ruth Gould gave a small informal home luncheon this afternoon for a few close friends of Miss Scott. The table centerpiece was a large basket of pink roses, tied with pink tulle.

Miss Alice Duval will entertain informally to a small party of Miss Scott's friends tomorrow. Friday, Miss Mildred Marr of Kansas City will have two tables at bridge at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Hendrickson, in Miss Scott's honor. Preceding Miss Florence Rush's matinee affair Saturday, Miss Lucile Brown will entertain the party at luncheon at the University club.

Honor Bride-Elect.

Mrs. H. B. Milder and Miss Anna Milder were hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given at the Hotel Rome early in the week, complimentary to Miss Anna Schecter, a May bride. Miss Ruth Goldstein, of Des Moines, and Miss Sara Markowitz of Kansas City were the out-of-town guests. Other guests included:

Mesdames—	Mesdames—
J. Milder,	J. Dansky,
Ben Milder	M. Weisfeldt,
L. Stallmaster,	S. Schechter,
Morris Milder,	
Misses—	Misses—
Nell Levine,	Sarah Adler,
Rene Brodkey,	Lottie Horn,
Ruth Cross,	Mollie Corby,
Lottie Goodman,	Eva Alpirn,
Sophia Weinstein,	Lillian Levy,
Esther Tatel,	Ethel Schechter,
Minnie Arkin,	Hannah Mushkin,
Rose Mushkin,	Marie Adler,
Bessie Stalmaster,	Florence Shames,
Mollie Wolf,	Jeannette Shames,
Lannie Blumenthal,	Anna Greenberg,
Dorette Adler,	Lillian Adler.
Pallie Adler.	

At Prairie Park Club.

The Prairie Park Needlecraft met Tuesday afternoon at the clubhouse with Mrs. [illegible] Williams, Mrs. R. L. Gilchrist and Mrs. A. A. Wedemeyer as hostesses. Mrs. Thomas Wilburn and Miss Lona Wilburn of Atkinson, Neb., and Mrs. W. R. Fiske were guests of the club. Miss Wilburn furnished a musical program. The last meeting of the season, a guest day, will be in two weeks.

For May Bride.

Miss Nell Emisor, a bride of this month, was honored by a miscellaneous shower Monday evening at the home of Miss Jessie Bellis in Benson, given by the Loyal Daughter's club.

The decorations were spring flowers. The evening was spent in hemming tea towels for the honor guest. Those present were:

Mesdames—	Mesdames—
Jessie Bellis,	Anna Campbell,
Beulah Byars,	Myrtle Emisor,
Ruby Davey,	Irene Mouthrop,
Pauline Sourwine,	Nell Emisor,
Lola Byars,	
Mesdames—	Mesdames—
M. Kroyer,	Ray Shelly.
J. Calvert,	

Kaffee Club Anniversary.

The thirty-third birthday of the Kaffee club, the oldest social club in the city and composed of German women who have been friends almost for a lifetime, was celebrated by an elaborate luncheon at the Hotel Rome today. A huge birthday cake prepared by Mrs. William Rice was a feature of the decorations for the luncheon table and covers were placed for fifty.

Mrs. C. C. Schaeffer has been president and Mrs. M. A. Nagl, secretary since the club was organized. Other charter members who attended the birthday party are Mrs. Sophie Richards, Mrs. Fanbie Fruchauff, Mrs. Margaretha Lange and Mrs. Frank Schnetz. Mesdames William Rice, Gottlieb Storz, John Baumer, Ben Jobst, H. Tebbens, Ferdinand Schmitz, Martin Tibke, August Specht and Nettie Beckman are also early members of the club.

On the Calendar.

The Thursday Bridge club will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Charles Hendrikson. The guest of the afternoon will be Miss Mildred Marr of Kansas City, sister of the hostess.

Today's Affairs.

The W. W. club gave a kensington this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Martin.

Mrs. Ward M. Burgess was hostess at her home this afternoon to the executive committee of the Omaha Fine Arts society.

The Columbian club gave an entertainment at their hall this afternoon.

Leave-Taking Affair.

Mrs. T. H. Tracy entertained the members of the Dale Bridge club Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. C. Orbeton, who leaves this week for her old home, Rockland, Maine. Highest score was made by Mrs. A. E. Orbeton and she was presented with a remembrance book filled with original poetry, written by the members of the club.

Widows to Have Picnic.

Mrs. Bessie C. Turpin and Mrs. Verustia V. Paxton will entertain the Society of American Widows, their children and friends at Mrs. Paxton's cottage, Green Gables, at Carter Lake club, Sunday. The regular meeting will be held Thursday evening at 7:45 o'clock at the Young Woman's Christian association.

University Club Notes.

An unusual interest centers about the luncheon speaker at the University club Thursday afternoon, Dr. Roland G. Usher. For the last two years no authority has been more quoted on international projects than Dr. Usher. His work on "Pan-Germanism" has a standing in Europe equal to its American, and has been much referred to, by French and British students of international affairs. Dr. Usher's talk tomorrow at the club will be upon "International Position of the United States." Among the other works of this author which have made a world scoring are "The Challenge of the Future" and "Pan-Americanism."

The club will give its closing dinner-dance Saturday, with the promise of the governors that the affair will be a party and a good one.

Immanuel Baptist Luncheon.

The executive committee of the woman's organization of the Immanuel Baptist church met this afternoon with Mrs. Charles A. Sherwood for luncheon and to make plans for the work of the coming year, an annual event. In the year just closed the women studied home and foreign mission work and sewed for the Visiting Nurse association. The officers of the committee are: Mrs. Charles A. Sherwood, president; Mrs. J. E. Almy, vice president; Mrs. Charles W. Simon, recording secretary; Mrs. J. W. Moore, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles T. Rodman, treasurer.

Orpheum Party.

Mrs. Beulah Sinclair was hostess this afternoon to a party of ten guests at the Orpheum and later at tea in the Cricket room.

Original Cooking Club.

The Original Cooking club was entertained at luncheon at the home of Mrs. George Bernhard Prinz this afternoon at the regular fortnightly gathering.

Personal Mention.

Mr. Mark A. Pollack of Havana, Cuba, arrived this morning to be the guest for a few days of his mother, Mrs. Alexander Pollack, and sister, Mrs. Charles Stanford Elgutter. Mr. Pollack is en route from San Diego, Cal., to New York, and expects to return to Havana in a few weeks.

Mrs. Thomas Wilburn and Miss Lona Wilburn of Atkinson, Neb., are the guests of Mrs. James Morris.

New arrivals from Omaha at The Elms hotel, Excelsior Springs, are: Effie M. Hagrafe, Mr. J. Hayden and Miss Hayden.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Daugherty leave tonight for an extended western trip. They will visit Arizona, New Mexico and California and will be gone a month.

Timely Fashion Hint

By LA RECONTEUSE.

A charming garden fete frock is shown in white embroidered batiste. The lines are simple and youthful. Narrow ruffles are arranged on the bottom of the skirt, which is distended by a hoop of boning. Long sleeves and a V neck are features of the bodice. A crushed ribbon girdle in Joffre blue affords a smart note. The broad-brimmed hat with ribbon streamers is a distinctive novelty.

OMAHA CLUB WOMEN TO VISIT GOTHAM

Good Representation at the Biennial Convention of the General Federation.

JOURNEY ON A SPECIAL TRAIN

Omaha club women will have a creditable representation at the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs in New York City, which opens May 25. The delegates from the Omaha Women's club include the president, Mrs. E. M. Syfert, Mrs. Edgar Allen, Mrs. F. J. Birss and Mrs. L. M. Lord. Miss Katherine Worley, Miss Rose Guggenmos and Mrs. George W. Munger will go as alternates, and Mrs. J. T. Johnston and Mrs. Lois Cochran are also planning to attend. Mrs. E. E. Stanfield will be in New York about that time and if possible will attend the meeting.

There are other Omaha women who attend by virtue of national or state offices. Mrs. Frederick H. Cole, chairman of civil service reform for the general federation, and Mrs. C. W. Hayes, Mrs. K. R. J. Edholm and Mrs. M. D. Cameron, who hold state offices, are other members of the local club who will go to the biennial. Mrs. Hayes heads the legislative committee; Mrs. Edholm, health, and Mrs. Cameron is state secretary.

From the Benson Woman's club, Mrs. O. S. Brooks, the president; Mrs. Robert Beasley and Mrs. J. W. Welch will go. The Dundee and South Side clubs have no delegates this year. The delegates join a special train from the west Saturday, May 20.

Suffs Plan Work Among Club Women at Big Convention

NEW YORK, May 10.—The National American Women Suffrage association is making arrangements to spread suffrage propaganda among the 15,000 delegates expected to attend the convention of the General Federation of Women's clubs here from May 22 to June 2. Suffrage leaders announced today that the delegates will be invited to attend a mass meeting, at which Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the association, will preside.

John D. Rockefeller will open his estate at Tarrytown on June 2 and give 600 of the members of the women's clubs an opportunity to see his Japanese, Alpine and Italian gardens. Other delegates will be entertained at the homes of Mrs. Helen Gould Shepard and Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont. The Chamber of Commerce will take 500 on a trip to West Point.

Bishop Bristol Speaks at Ashbury Memorial Service

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 10.—After a brief business session of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church today the remainder of the time was devoted to a service in commemoration of the centennial anniversary of the death of Bishop Francis Asbury of the pioneer leaders of the church. Bishop Asbury, speakers said, during his life traveled annually approximately 6,000 miles, principally on horseback, and during each year preached from 300 to 600 sermons. Among the speakers at the service was Bishop Frank M. Bristol of Omaha, Neb.

A resolution was unanimously adopted requesting congress to enact a law prohibiting the sale and manufacture of spirituous liquors in the Hawaiian Islands. The same proposal was referred to a committee yesterday after criticism had been expressed of a phrase in the resolution which was characterized as reflecting on the morals of United States soldiers. The reference was eliminated in the resolution adopted today.

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It will eat dandelion seeds. No, you don't have to shell them, thresh them, run them through a cotton gin and a fanning mill to refine them and then serve them in a glass tumbler in a bird cage.

He's not a bit particular. He's very democratic, in fact, this sparrow chap. He will hop right down on the green lawn and eat the seeds, cotton and all, when they are ripe. He catches them just before they get a chance to shake themselves to the winds, and scatter their breed over the lawns of the fellow who has punched their cousins out of the ground with a dandelion puncher.

This sparrow, if you disturb him not, and watch him well, will be found to devour great mouthfuls of the dry flimsy cotton-like substance that carries the seed of the dandelion. Neither will he eat the flower when it is really pretty and would delight the heart of even a Villiats. He waits patiently until the flower is dead, until the seed is dry and about ready to be blown about.

Then he feasts.

This is the sparrow vindicated and redeemed.

The greatest length of the German empire, measured from northeast to southwest, is 830 miles.

Woman Delegate Reaches Chicago

CHICAGO, Ill., May 10.—Among the first arrivals of delegates to the republican national convention to be held here June 7 is Mrs. Louise F. Lusk of Missoula, Mont., who is here today to stay until after the convention. Mrs. Lusk is one of the eight delegates elected in the Montana state-wide primaries out of a field of twenty-two candidates. The delegation is instructed to vote for Senator Cummins for president.

Observe Mothers' Day at Omaha Uni

Mothers' day will be observed at the University of Omaha Friday afternoon with a joint program given by the Young Men's and Women's Christian associations. The Rev. Charles Cobbey of the First Christian church will be the principal speaker. All male students of the school will wear red carnations in honor of the event while all co-eds will wear roses.

PRIZE WINNERS IN CONTEST AT ST. MARY'S SEMINARY

Miss Mary Lowry won the gold medal and first prize at the annual elocution contest of Mount St. Mary's seminary, which was held at St. Berchman's academy. Miss Dernodette Martin carried off second honors.

Sure Thing.

"Healthy place? I should say so! We'd have a perfect record of no deaths if it were not for the doctors."

"So it's the doctors, not the place, that is the cause of mortality?"

"Nope—place."

"But you said—"

"Yes—place does it. It's the doctors that die off—starve to death."—Judge.

German Sailor Lad Walks Across the Country for Health

Walking from New York to San Francisco to regain his health, Walter Wadderwel, a 21-year-old German sailor, with a recital of a series of highly-colored adventures in the last few years, is making a short sojourn in Omaha.

He has a letter from the German consulate in New York to the German consul in San Francisco, and while in Omaha visited representatives of local German societies.

The young Teuton's wanderlust and spirit of adventure have taken him to widely scattered parts of the world. The lad—for he is but a lad—was arrested as a spy by the British authorities at Santa Lucia, British West Indes, shortly after the outbreak of the European war, according to his story. He was released after twenty-six hours' imprisonment, after having resigned himself to his expected fate—to be shot as a spy.

Young Wadderwel, which, by the way, isn't his right name, has papers to show that he has been in the merchant marine service of Germany, England, Norway and the United States. He was on the British steamer Clumberhall when the world war started.

Wadderwel's father died recently after twenty-nine years' service in the German army. A younger brother is in the trenches at Verdun. The family home is in Posen.

In his wanderings the German youth has been through Europe, Africa and South America. He intends to sail from "Frisco" to China and the orient. He speaks seven languages.

His "field equipment" on his transcontinental tramp consists of a German regulation army knapsack and a walking stick. He wears knee pants and goes hatless.

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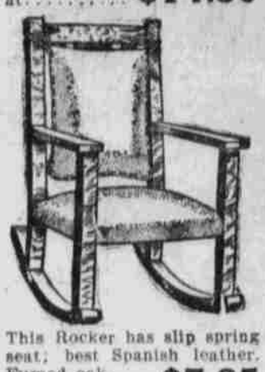

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