

### What Women Are Doing in the World

Dundee circle, Child Conservation league, will spend all day Monday sewing at the Child Saving institute. Mending piles up at the institute so heavily that the women with characteristic energy decided to diminish the pile, as a little bit of work with the Christmas spirit.

The South Omaha's Woman's club meeting Tuesday will take the form of a Kensington at the home of Mrs. C. W. Sears instead of the regular business meeting.

Benson P. E. O. sisterhood will omit its regular meeting Monday. A children's party will be given just before Christmas.

Miss Abigail Manning will lead the program for the Wyche Story Tellers' league Thursday at 4:15 o'clock at the public library. Christmas stories and one Bible story will be told.

Mrs. W. H. Anderson will entertain Clio club members at her home Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. W. R. McFarland will lead the program of study, which is one of the Bay View courses. A social evening will be held December 27 with Mrs. Bryce Crawford.

The literature department of the Business Women's club will offer the program Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock following the supper at the Young Women's Christian association at 6:15 o'clock. Miss Cecile Lyon will lead the program, which is on Joel Chandler Harris. A biography and sketch of characters and readings of "Bre'r Rabbit as a Rainmaker" and "The Tar Baby" will be given. Stella Wilcox will report on current events.

Chapter B of the P. E. O. sisterhood will meet Tuesday at 1:30 for luncheon with Mrs. E. F. Griswold. At that time all members will bring their Christmas cheer packages to the philanthropic committee for distribution.

Frances Willard Woman's Christian Temperance union has arranged a large reception for Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the parlors of the First Christian church, Twenty-sixth and Harney streets, in honor of Mrs. J. M. Taliaferro and Mrs. M. D. Vieno, who represented Douglas and Sarpy counties at the recent national Woman's Christian Temperance union convention at Indianapolis. Members of all unions in the two counties have been invited to attend. Mrs. Taliaferro and Mrs. Vieno will give reports of the convention.

Omaha Woman's Christian Temperance union will have an important meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Young Men's Christian association. Business in connection with the national prohibition amendment will be discussed.

West Side Woman's Christian Temperance union will meet Thursday at 2 o'clock with Mrs. G. Getscher, 2943 Dupont street. Members of this union will also attend the Frances Willard union reception at the First Christian church Wednesday.

Miss Kate A. McHugh, president of the Drama League, will give the last of a series of informal lectures on drama at the public library, Tuesday at 4 o'clock. Lady Gregory and the Irish theater and "Riders to the Sea" by Synge will be her subject. The Drama League is considering bringing the Portmanteau theater here in February, or arranging for a lecture by Rabindranath Tagore, the Indian writer who won the Nobel prize a few years ago.

There will be an executive meeting of the vocational guidance section, Association of Collegiate Alumnae, Tuesday at 4 o'clock in the Vocational Bureau rooms, city hall.

The drama section meets Thursday at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Walter Abbott as hostess. Miss Ruth Thompson and Mrs. Gunner Nasburg will assist her. "A Christmas Tale" by Boucher, will be given under the direction of Miss Theresa Hove. Miss Elizabeth Mitchell, Miss Mav Somers, Miss Bess Shackel and Miss Hove make up the cast of characters.

The McCabe Methodist church women's bazaar, which has been privately viewed by women of the West Farnam district at 4215 Farnam, will be moved to The Bee building, where the articles will be placed on sale, Monday and Tuesday. A butterfly bedspread and cretonne lunch sets are featured in this sale. The committee in charge includes Mes-



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James C. C. Shimer, B. W. Barnes, George Petrie, Paul Thernanson, Olson Styles, Sam Faulkner, George Hull, George Tyler and C. C. Cole.

Tennyson chapter of the Chautauqua circle will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the public library. The lesson for the day will be the third and fourth chapters of "France Under the Republic," led by Mrs. W. A. George, and "Foundations of Modern Europe," led by Mrs. E. Benedict. For roll call items of interest about Greece will be given.

Women of Walnut Hill Methodist church will conduct a Christmas bazaar in the Bee building Wednesday and Thursday. Aprons, underwear, quilts and doll coats, hats and dresses will be on sale.

Mrs. Addie Hough was elected president of the George Crook Woman's Relief corps at a meeting held Friday at Memorial hall. Mrs. Fannie Farrell is the new senior vice president; Mrs. Mary Green, junior vice president; Mrs. Lucile Stevens, chairman; Mrs. Elene Hall, conductor; Mrs. Lula Crawford, treasurer, and Mrs. Mary Miller, guard. Mrs. Emily Beatty will represent the corps at the district meeting at Columbus next May. Mrs. Nancy Kingsbury is the alternate.

A regular meeting of the George A. Custer Woman's Relief corps will be held at Memorial hall Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The annual election of officers will take place.

North Side Mothers' club will meet Tuesday with Mrs. F. C. Rich, 2579 Manderson street. Roll call response will be on famous composers and the question box will deal with "Revolutions for 1917." Miss Stella Holmquist will play the piano, Mrs. J. R.



Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis

Cain, jr., will sing; Miss Gertrude Thiem, violin numbers, and Miss Maud Roys, a reading. Following the musical program the gift-box will be opened.

The high cost of living problem will be tackled by the Omaha Woman's club Monday, when Mrs. F. J. Burnett, leader of the home economics department will report her investigations along this line. The matter will be open for discussion afterward.

For the art department's open program following the business meeting Mrs. C. J. Roberts, the leader, has arranged for Mrs. Anna Riordan Morey of Hastings to bring her American pottery exhibit to Metropolitan club house that Omaha women may view it. Mrs. Morey is chairman of this special section on the art committee of the General Federation of Women's clubs and collected this exhibit for the New York biennial. She will give an art talk. A reception and tea for Mrs. Morey will be given after the club adjourns. Mrs. Morey arrived today and is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Grigor. Mrs. Hugh Wallace will sing. Smiley's poem, "Say, Hello!" will be given for practice work in unison by the oratory department of the Omaha Woman's club Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Breathing exercises and fundamental work will precede the concert work.

"Motions," with Mrs. Mary L. Creigh as chairman, will be the lesson for the parliamentary practice class Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. C. L. Hempel, Joseph Duffy, F. A. Howard, Mrs. Charles A. Lotz and Miss Minnie Jensen will participate. E. P. McDonald directs the class. Parts will be assigned for the department's open program, which will take the form of a mock political convention. This promises to be an interesting diversion.

B. L. S. club of Benson will give a large card party and social at Moose hall Thursday evening.

Robert Herrick's "The Common Lot" will be studied by the literature

department Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Mrs. D. M. McGahay, leader of the program, will tell the story. Mrs. F. H. Wray will review the book and Mrs. Grant Williams will read selections from it. Miss Loa Howard will give a lesson on ribbon flower-making to the home economics department Thursday morning at 10 o'clock. This is a useful Christmas-tide art. A box luncheon furnished by the members will follow the lesson.

A butter-making demonstration by Mrs. W. A. Smith will be the feature of Monmouth Park Mothers' club Tuesday at 3 o'clock in the school auditorium. A program on "Child Study" will be given also.

Benson Woman's club held its last meeting before the holidays Thursday at the Rouse Edison room. The program was "Drama," with a paper on the "Philosophy of Ibsen" and a review of the story, "A Doll's House," by Mrs. W. A. Wilcox. Mrs. H. Rivett gave an interpretive reading of Rostrand's "Chanticleer." Mrs. Armstrong was leader.

Benson Baptist Missionary circle will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Park Sheffer.

Leaders of neighborhood Bible classes will meet Monday at 2:30 o'clock at the Young Men's Christian association to study under the leadership of Mrs. D. A. Foote. The topics will be "Abraham's Separation and Victory," and "The Covenantant," chapters 13-15 of Genesis.

The Association of Collegiate Alumnae will hold its December general meeting Saturday at 2:30 o'clock at the South Side social settlement. The afternoon will be spent making Christmas bags to fill with dainties for children of the settlement, an annual custom. There will be two talks, one by Mrs. J. W. Robbins, president of the settlement board, who will tell about the reorganization; and one by Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis, new head resident, who will tell her plans for local work. In the absence of the collegiate alumna president, Mrs. H. E. Newbranch, Mrs. Roby Maxwell, the vice president, will preside.

Mrs. Cuthbert Vincent was Friday elected president of the Scottish Rite Woman's club, succeeding Mrs. Z. D. Clark. Mrs. A. M. Smith is the new first vice president; Mrs. E. L. Dodder, second vice president; Mrs. H. B. Crouch, recording secretary; Miss Adelia Stine, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Charles Graden, treasurer, and Mrs. F. C. Patton, auditor. The new officers will be installed the first meeting in January.

The Old People's Home association will hold its annual meeting Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Young Women's Christian association. Associate members have been requested to attend as well, since new trustees are to be elected and reports of chairmen of the building committees will be given. The new building is under construction in Fontenelle park.

Friday evening at the Masonic temple the Maple Leaf chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, at the invitation of the Fontenelle chapter, gave a demonstration of their initiatory work before an audience composed of members of those two chapters, Vesta

chapter and chapters from the South Side and Council Bluffs. A program of music and readings, which included numbers by the Will Hetherington string quartet, followed. Supper was served in the dining room after the program. The pillars were twined with maple leaves and other emblems of the chapters and Christmas decorations were used on the tables.

Fontenelle chapter of the Eastern Star will meet Thursday at 12:30 o'clock with Mrs. D. C. Eldridge for luncheon and a Kensington. Assisting the hostess will be Mesdames E. M. Reynolds, F. M. Pond and C. E. Walrath.

The Society of American Widows will continue their bazar and sale of candy until Christmas, at their headquarters, 206 Crouse building, opposite the postoffice. The proceeds are intended to start a building fund.

Omaha chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. James B. Adams, 3429 Hawthorne avenue. The program will consist of an address by E. O. Mayfield, a piano solo by Miss Marguerite Carnal and a vocal number by Miss Myrtle Wyatt.

### Ralston Social Gossip

Miss Sophia Miller, formerly of this village, is in St. Joseph's hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Malstein returned from a trip to Kansas visiting relatives.

Miss Mayola Propst and little sister, Roberts of Plattsmouth, spent Wednesday evening with relatives.

Mrs. Miller of Valley, Neb., is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis while her daughter is in the hospital.

Mrs. Dave Ham returned from a visit with her husband in the western part of the state.

### Dundee Society Notes

Mrs. George H. Payne, who has been visiting her son, Philip Payne and Mrs. Payne at Amherst, Mass., is expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Holyoke, jr., of Madrid, Neb., are the guests of Mrs. Holyoke's sister, Mrs. Robert Hollister, and Dr. Hollister.

The Dundee Woman's club met Wednesday with Mrs. A. C. Crossman. Mrs. W. H. Hancock, leader.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Dun-

dee Presbyterian church met Friday with Mrs. D. B. Chesney.

Mrs. D. L. Johnston was in St. Edward, Neb., part of the week attending a missionary conference.

Mrs. D. B. Van Emburgh and Miss M. E. Ross of New York City, who have visited Mrs. Van Emburgh's sister, Mrs. Mary E. Van Gieson, and other friends, the last week, left Wednesday for southern California.

Dr. and Mrs. L. S. McMartin of Madison, Wis., formerly of Omaha, were guests of Dundee friends the last week en route to Los Angeles, Cal.

The Bible class led by Mrs. D. L. Johnston, which met Thursday morning with Mrs. Royal D. Miller, will meet this week with Mrs. R. C. Peters.

Mrs. Robert R. Hollister gave a reception at her home Thursday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Edward A. Holyoke, jr., and Mrs. Robert F. Leavens.

### Bellevue Social Notes

Miss Helen Andrews, former Bellevue student, is the guest over the week end of Miss Mattie Cassel, Miss Marguerite Diddock, Miss Chapman Runney, Miss Bernice Schlottfeldt and Miss Melissa Davidson.

Miss Luella Carter, professor of German, and Miss Viviane Miller, professor of French and Spanish, entertained Wednesday evening for the

members of the Young Women's Christian association cabinet. The guests included the Misses Ruth and Susan Jillson, Chapman Runney, Mattie Cassel, Bernice Schlottfeldt, Melissa Davidson, Marguerite Diddock and Frances Keller.

The Young Women's Christian association girls of last year who are in college this year are planning a tea for the freshmen girls, to be held sometime before Christmas.

The Misses Marguerite Diddock, Chapman Runney and Melissa Davidson are planning a candy pull for tomorrow morning in the home economics rooms in Lowrie Hall.

With the completion of the work of enlarging the central heating plant, which makes it possible to heat the water in the swimming pool at all times, Miss Miller, instructor in swimming, is beginning several classes in swimming.

### France Will Stop All Importations Of Print Paper

Paris, Dec. 9.—The government has decided to prohibit the importation of printing paper, according to a semi-official announcement. The object of the step is two-fold, to help raise the exchange rate and to encourage the French paper industry, which, it is considered, in view of the local resources in lumber, should be independent of foreign supplies.

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