

Society Notes

February 12

Mrs. MacDowell Entertained Here.

Unique in its charm and lack of "artistic conceit" is the personality of Mrs. Edward MacDowell, widow of the great American composer, according to all who have had the pleasure of meeting her since her recital at the Young Women's Christian association Saturday evening. The chief subject of her conversation is the remarkable Peterborough colony to which she is giving all her efforts. In spite of this, her tact is so truly remarkable that each person seems irresistibly drawn into his share of the conversation and the delightful functions which were given in her honor yesterday fairly sparkled with enthusiasm.

VISITOR GUEST AT MANY SOCIAL FUNCTIONS.



MRS. EDWARD MACDOWELL

Mrs. MacDowell was the guest of Mrs. Edith L. Wagoner at dinner Sunday. In the afternoon Mrs. Myron L. Learned gave a particularly delightful tea in her honor. The house was decorated with spring flowers, violets, jonquils and freesia. Mrs. W. C. Shannon, sister of Mrs. Learned, poured tea and was assisted by Mrs. William Sears Poppleton, Mrs. Edith L. Wagoner and Mrs. Lydia Marschner. Sixty guests were present.

Following the tea Mrs. MacDowell and Miss May Robson were the honor guests of Miss Eugenie Whitmore at a cozy little gathering at her home. About fifteen guests were included in the party. In the evening Mrs. MacDowell and Mrs. Wagoner were the guests of Miss Henrietta M. Rees, musical critic of The Bee.

Mrs. MacDowell's plans are still indefinite. Because of a severe cold she has been obliged to postpone her engagement in Sioux City from this evening until Thursday afternoon. Today she is confined to her room in the hotel and will probably remain here several days to rest. Those who have enjoyed Mrs. MacDowell's stay in the city are delighted to hear that on her trip next year she may again visit Omaha in the interests of the Peterborough colony.

Announcement Tea.
Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Benton announced the engagement of their daughter, Helen Frances, known to her friends as "Nell," and Mr. Jere Van Rensselaer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer of this city, at an attractive tea at the Benton home in Council Bluffs this afternoon. The wedding will be a quiet home affair next Monday evening.

Both young people are popular in the younger set. Miss Benton is a Chevy Chase girl, having attended that school with Miss Theda Beresheim, who will be her maid of honor. Mrs. H. W. Hicks of Sioux Falls, S. D., sister of the bride, will be the matron of honor. Charles Benton, her brother, who will come home from the University of Iowa for the wedding, will be best man. Little Jack and Betty Hicks, Mrs. Hicks' children, will stretch the ribbons.

A southern wedding trip, including Dallas, Fort Worth and other Texas points, returning via Denver, is planned by the young people, after which they will be at home temporarily in Council Bluffs.

Lavender and green was the dainty color scheme carried out in the decorations for the tea. The table held small vases of sweet peas and lavender shaded candles at each end and the place cards were particularly attractive and conformed to the general decoration scheme. Heart-shaped cakes and other dainties carried out the same idea.

Honor Church Workers.
Mr. and Mrs. Bliss H. Headley were given a farewell surprise party Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Youngman by the union circle and men's department of the North Side Christian church, and friends and relatives. They were presented with a chest of silver. Rev. George L. Peters, pastor of the church, making the presentation speech. Mr. and Mrs. Headley leave Omaha March 1 to make their home in Broken Bow, Neb. Over sixty guests were present.

The Christian Mother society of St. Joseph's church assembled in the parish hall Sunday to do honor to their secretary, Mrs. J. M. Nachtigall, in recognition of her services to the society as secretary for a term of fifteen consecutive years. The president, Mrs. Joseph Lang, made the presentation speech for a gift given. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent with music and dancing. The Christian Mother society of St. Joseph's church has a membership of 200, of whom about 150 were present on this occasion.

Social Gossip.
Messrs. Lloyd Walters, Otto Sinke, Robert Carn, Theodore Philippi and E. J. Hornberger attended the Acacia fraternity banquet Friday evening and the annual formal party Saturday evening in Lincoln. Miss Amy Schaefer attended the Chi Omega sorority party last week-end in Lincoln.

Mr. J. Frank Dietz, accompanied by his daughters, Miss Nina and Miss Louise, left Friday evening for a two months' stay in California, where they will visit Los Angeles, Coronado Beach and San Francisco.

Miss Lenore Burkett of Lincoln is spending a few days in the city visiting school friends.

Mr. Charles T. Kountze returns in the morning from a two weeks' stay in the east. Mrs. Kountze is not expected until later.

Mrs. Lee Huff is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sidles in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brandeis returned this morning from New York. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bosworth of Chicago are expected the latter part of the week. Upon their arrival the party will start for a winter trip in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Vail of Poughkeepsie returned to their home Wednesday evening. Mrs. A. B. Jaquith expects to go east to visit her daughters some time during the spring.

Miss Amy Gilmore writes from Louisville, Ky., where she is the guest of Mrs. Arthur Krock, formerly Miss "Eggy" Polley, of the delightful time she is having. Before her return to Omaha she plans to visit New York, Philadelphia and Chicago, thus prolonging her trip for several weeks more.

While Washing Windows Woman Finds Dead Man

Dead for twelve hours, George B. Kelly, 62 years old, a magazine solicitor, was found lying on the floor of his room at 1909 California street. Evidence convinced the police that the man died of laudanum poisoning, a suicide.

The dead man left a note, which reads: "Give my satchel to A. R. Kelley, 308 Paxton block."

Little is known of the man who killed himself. The landlady, who discovered the body while washing windows, believes he was unmarried.

Monument to Commemorate Heroism of the Belgians
(Continued from The Associated Press.)
Paris, Jan. 20.—A monument, designed by Corporal George Hendrick of Brussels and erected by the Belgian army on the battlefield of the Yser, will commemorate the heroism of the Belgian soldiers who fell there in defense of the last little corner of free Belgium.

A massive wall, symbolical of the rampart that opposed the German advance in Flanders, will rise from the center of the semi-circle of parapets, so arranged as to recall the trench life on the Yser front. Thirty-four small columns will be erected at the base of the ramparts to bear the engraved names of men who died on the Yser.

A block of uncut stone bearing on one face the verses that the late poet Verhaeren consecrated to the young Belgians who died for their country, will be placed in the front of the wall.

Ernst Thinks Cowell Will Not Reconsider Resignation
President Ernst reluctantly stated that there seems little chance that Robert Cowell will reconsider his determination to resign from the Board of Education. The resignation will be presented to the board next Monday evening.

Among the men being considered for the prospective vacancy are: G. W. Sumner, treasurer of the Fairmont Creamery company; W. A. Foster, former member of the board and defeated for re-election last fall; S. C. Bekin, another defeated candidate at the last election. Other names will be considered by the committee of the whole Friday afternoon.

Sues On Accident Policy For Ptomaine Poisoning
Whether a death which occurred as a result of ptomaine poisoning can be regarded in the eyes of the law as an accident will be determined in district court when the suit of Mrs. Ida A. Orton against the Illinois Commercial Men's association comes up for hearing. The plaintiff's husband, the late Hubert M. Orton, held a \$5,000 accident policy with the insurance company. Mrs. Orton alleges that her husband came to his death as a result of eating contaminated food.

Horse Steps On Roland Hannan, Ducking Motorcycle
In attempting to avoid a motorcycle at Fifteenth and Dodge streets, Roland Hannan, 627 South Twenty-seventh street, collided with a coal wagon driven by H. Grossman, 518 North Twentieth street, and received painful but not serious injuries. One of the horses stepped on the messenger boy's arm and leg but no bones were broken. After first-aid treatment by Police Surgeon Shook he was sent to his home. His bicycle was smashed.

Will Dance to Drive Away That Lonesome Feeling
"Lonesome Jones" and "Lonesome John" will not be lonesome Tuesday evening. That is the date set for the first party of the "Friendship club," which was organized last Thursday on the occasion of the second party given this year at Metropolitan hall for lonesome folks.

Dancing and cards will be the entertainment. Each club member will be permitted to bring a friend to help dissipate the lonesomeness.

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SUFFRAGE WOMEN NAB OPPORTUNITY

Quote Lincoln to Rouse Sympathy for Cause Among Senators and People.

WILL INVADE THE CAPITOL

Omaha suffragists are by no means asleep at their post these days while the antis are making trips to Lincoln. Twenty prominent women took advantage of the municipal patriotic celebration at the Auditorium to show their spirit and, incidentally, to do some effective campaigning. A committee of women, among whom were Mesdames H. C. Sumner, R. B. Howell, J. M. Metcalfe, Charles Sherman, Rudolf von Lutgen, James Lee, Ada Atkinson, Helen Foote, J. H. Bligh, D. R. Mills, C. S. Stebbins, A. J. Love, Draper Smith, T. E. Brady, Myrtle Kelley, James Richardson, E. L. Burke, and the Misses Helen Sorenson, Gladys Shamp, Mona Cowell, Gretchen McConnell and Grace Thomas, distributed before the program copies of the petition which will be presented Thursday before the senate at Lincoln.

A large number of enthusiastic suffragists will go to the capital then to lend support to the passage of the suffrage bill. The petition is prefaced by a quotation from Abraham Lincoln, as follows:

"I go for all, before all, sharing the privileges of government who assist in hearing its burdens, by no means excluding women." Agreeing with this sentiment, we urge your support of Senate File No. 78, giving presidential suffrage to Nebraska women."

Woman Should Boom Her Husband

By DOROTHY DIX.

There is one subject upon which every woman's lips should be fastened with a Yale lock, and that is her husband's weaknesses.

Unfortunately, so far from this being the case, the main diversion of many a wife is descending upon the things she has to endure in her lord and master; and, where two or three married women are gathered together, you may hear a catalogue of masculine frailties enumerated that would make a police blotter look like the good-conduct record in a Sunday school.

This is bad principle, bad faith, bad taste—and bad business. As long as a wife lives with her husband she should keep silent about his faults.

The first public criticism that she is justified in making of the man whose name she bears is when she files a bill of complaints in her divorce.

Perhaps women would be more careful in criticizing their husbands to outsiders if they realized that, as a general thing, it is the wife who writes her husband's price tag and that people take him at her valuation.

If a woman thinks her husband is great, if she respects his opinions, and quotes his views; if she has faith in his winning out and making a place for himself in the world by reason of his intelligence, enterprise and thrift, before we know it we are all speaking of him as a coming man, and giving him our support.

We have no better authority for it than that of his wife says. And we feel there could be no better, for if a man's wife doesn't know him through and through, nobody else on earth does.

On the other hand, if a woman is always calling attention to her husband's faults, although she may merely do it for self-glorification, and to show what a meek Christian spirit she has, she creates a prejudice against him that nothing he can do dispels.

How did we get the impression that Jones is a slack and inefficient business man? From Mrs. Jones, who is always complaining about the things she can't afford, because her husband is not getting along well in his business, is always unlucky in his ventures.

Where did we get the idea that Smith, whom we have never seen to be anything but a model of sobriety, is drinking, and gambling and carousing around every night? From his wife who is a rabid Puritan and prohibitionist, and whose tears and lamentations over a glass of beer or a game of bridge lead the public to believe that her husband comes home with delirium tremens and breaks up the furniture.

What makes us think that Tompkins, who seems a good fellow, is a hypocrite, who conceals a cruel and malevolent nature behind a smiling mask? Because Mrs. Tompkins asked advice of the Mothers' Meeting about how one should deal with a man who used his superior strength to maltreat a young and helpless child, the day after Tompkins whipped Bobby for running off to join the Indians.

It is his wife, almost always his

Alexa Stirling Shines as Golfer



MISS ALEXA STIRLING.

"Class never fails to reach the top sooner or later," is an axiom of golf that is as old as the royal and ancient game itself. It proved the deciding factor in the women's national championship golf tournament, held over the famous Belmont Spring Country club course last October. Miss

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wife, to whom a man owes his reputation, and considering that a man's success depends on how he stands in his community, it does look as if his wife might be a little more careful of it.

Of course women say that they never talk about their husbands to anyone but their mothers, and their dearest friends, whom they can trust.

As for thrashing over John's faults with mother, that way lies disaster, for seen through mother's magnifying glasses, a husband's tiniest weakness looms up as big as an elephant.

And the queer part of this disloyalty that so many women show to their husbands is that they don't mean it. They complain of their own particular John, but they wouldn't trade them off for any other man living. They berate their husbands because they can't resist the temptation to represent themselves as martyrs who endure awful persecution with a calm sweet smile that hides their real sufferings from the world.

To sustain this heroic pose, a woman is bound to have a living sorrow, and as the handiest person around the house, the husband is forced into supplying the role of villain.

But no woman should deceive herself into thinking that her complaints of her husband do him no harm. They are fatal, for just as no general could win a battle if he had traitorous troops at his back, just as no merchant could succeed in business if his junior partner was always calling attention to the poor line of goods the firm carried, so disaffection of the wife brings about the downfall of many a home and family.

All of which teaches us that it is a wife's place to boom her husband. Leave the knocking for other people to do. There will be plenty of them to attend thoroughly to the job.

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BOY SCOUTS IN UNIFORMS

An unusual spirit of patriotism animated 25,000 public school children Monday and the same may be said of the children of the parochial schools. The birthday anniversary of Abraham Lincoln was observed and this occasion was made the basis of patriotic exercises in which the flag was a prominent feature.

The kindergarten tots at Edward Rosewater school proudly wore three-cornered caps and tri-colored paper badges of their own making. They marched and sang "America," and received simple stories of Lincoln and what he did for his country.

Lincoln's Gettysburg address and "The Perfect Tribute" were read in most of the rooms where children were old enough to comprehend these impressive compositions. At Cornhusker school the children of fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades gathered in the auditorium of the school for joint exercises. Stereopticon views of the civil war and events in connection with that great conflict were presented at Windsor school.

Posters of Lincoln and essays were features of the day at Park school. Salutes to the flag and singing of "America" also marked the programs at this school.

Many school children wore tiny flags. The schools were open as usual. Pupils of the high schools were excused in time to attend the Lincoln-Washington program at the Auditorium and all Boy Scouts were dismissed in time to get home, don their uniforms and get to the Auditorium in time to serve as ushers.

According to the rules of the Board of Education, janitors at the schools are required to raise flags on Lincoln's birthday anniversary.

Mme. Charlotte Lund to Sing at Y. W. C. A. Soon

Mme. Charlotte Lund, the Norwegian soprano, will sing at the Young Women's Christian association auditorium on the evening of February 24.

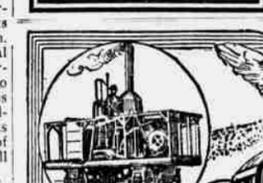
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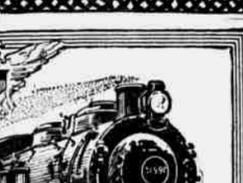
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Couldn't Straighten Up.

Mrs. J. M. Spinko, of Ben Hur, Va., says that Cardui cured her permanently of her troubles: "About two years ago... I got into awfully bad health... I was going down hill in health, could only drag around... My friends recommended that I try Cardui... so I began using Cardui, and in a short time I was greatly improved... Before starting it I couldn't straighten up to save me... suffered great pains in the abdomen, sides and back worse than anywhere... After the use of one bottle I had no more pain at all... The cure has been permanent... neither had to have a doctor or take any medicine since." If you suffer from any of the ailments common to women, try Cardui, The Woman's Tonic. Your druggist sells it. 8-33

Plan War Relief Benefit.

At a meeting of Jewish women at the home of Mrs. Charles S. Elgutter yesterday it was decided that a large card party will be given at the Blackstone Wednesday, February 28, at 2 o'clock for the benefit of the Jewish war relief fund. Committees will be