Society Notes
March 23 by Mellificia

Echoes of Galli-Curci Concert.

Galli-Curci came, she sang, and she captivated Omaha. (See critique of Henrietta M. Rees, musical editor of The Bee. A mere society editor's supply of superlatives is inadequate.) Society, attending in full force, sat under her spell from the first flute-like "Caro mio ben;" thundered its applause for the brilliant Bell song from Lakme and called for curtain after curtain at the close of the final number, the mad scene from Lucia.

"For many years I treasured the memory of 'The Last Rose of Summer,' as sung by Nordica. Galli-Curci's surpassed even that," spoke a critical music lover. Her wonderful voice, her winning personality and her charming old-world appearance are indeed the chief topic of conversation today.

Madame Galli-Curci appeared in a rose-colored gown with rose-colored draperies, which enhanced the effect of her dark, aquiline features. She wore but few jewels, an emerald necklace and diamond ear pendants. The gracious manner in which she bowed her way off the stage with an extra smile for those who sat on the stage, and playfully waved her handkerchief at the audience when the applause was especially insistent, are all characteristic of her own personality.

When Berenguer, the flutist, attempted to draw the hesitant pianist, Homer Samuels, to respond to a curtain call, Madame Galli-Curci made as if to pull off her brocaded silver slipper with which to chastise the backward young musician. To Mrs. C. J. Samuels, the musician's mother, who came from Minneapolis for the concert to be the guest of an Omaha friend, Mrs. Louis Kuyl, formerly Helen Sadilek, Madame Galli-Curci started to say in her broken English some words of praise, but was halted for want of words to express herself.

"Say it in German," begged the mother, whereupon the gracious singer complied. "I compliment you for your splendid son and the fine accompanist he is to me," said she.

Galli-Curci loves to sing. "I could sing two, three, four hours," she said. "But oh, these trips, I cannot stand them," speaking of the tedious traveling on her tours. She is only 27, quite young to have reached the top rung of the ladder of fame.

After her husband had thrown her wrap about her shoulders, a wonderful American Beauty colored wrap, embroidered with a huge butterfly of colored stones, the like of which has not been worn in Omaha before, she made some dubious little remark about her insufficient head-covering, which was only a chiffon scarf wound madonnalike about her head. With a laughing gesture, her husband set his own silk hat on her dark hair, both of them enjoying this playful interlude immensely.

Her husband, who is a portrait painter of note, distinctly looks the part. He is of the same aquiline type as she and wears a beard which sets at naught that of our quondam presidential candidate.

The Galli-Curcis accepted no social invitations after the concert, but departed on an early morning train for the east.

Homer Samuels, who used to accompany Emmy Destinn, made an unsuccessful attempt to get the famous singer through the German lines recently with the aid of the American consuls at Copenhagen and Vienna. Destinn is in Bohemia now, practically an Austrian prisoner of war, for the Austrians objected to the Metropolitan opera singer taking out her first papers for American naturalization. While she is abroad she has given the use of her beautiful home on Riverside drive to Mr. Samuels and his friend, Wilfred, the Danish flutist. Mr. Samuels' teacher, Lhevine, the Russian pianist, is a prisoner of war in Berlin.

Mrs. J. Wagner Thomas, who went over on the same boat with the Samuels four years ago, gave a luncheon at the Blackstone for Mrs. Samuels and her sister, Mrs. E. Jones, who accompanied her to Omaha to hear her nephew play.

Altar Guild Easter Sale.

Members of the Altar guild of Trinity cathedral met with Miss Alice Carter to continue their sewing for the Easter sale, which will be held the day before Palm Sunday, on March 31.

Tea for Visitors.

Mrs. R. E. Davis gave a large and delightful tea at her home this afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Howard Kennedy of Lincoln, and her mother, Mrs. William Cunningham of Grand Island. Pink roses and pink tulips were used throughout the rooms. About 125 guests were present.

Dinner for Prof. Fling.

Mr. E. M. Fairfield will give an informal dinner at the Omaha club in honor of Prof. F. M. Fling of the state university, who will deliver his third lecture before the Equal Franchie society this evening at the Douglas county court house.

Bandage Rolls Pass Muster.

Members of the Omaha War Relief society were highly pleased at the results of their "open house" Thursday afternoon. Not only did a constant stream of visitors call, but some were so greatly interested that they asked to join circles for active work. Several physicians were among the guests and their approval of the women's work was enthusiastic. Dr. J. E. Summers offered to buy as many roll bandages as the society could make together with the entire supply on hand. General George H. Harries and Dr. Palmer Findley also called to inspect the work.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Douglas Welpton has returned from a trip to New York City.

Miss Louise Goodrich, who returned several weeks ago from a winter's sojourn in California, is now visiting relatives in Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bradley left yesterday to join Mr. and Mrs. McLean Libbey and son Bradley, who are visiting in Kansas City. After a two weeks' visit they will bring them back to Omaha for a short stay before they go to New York City to make their future home.

Miss Helen Sturgess left this morning to spend the week-end at the Alpha Phi sorority, the guests of Miss Katherine Newbranch.

Miss Irene Langdon of Butte, Mont., the guest for several weeks of her sister, Mrs. John S. McCreary, leaves Sunday for her home. Yesterday Mrs. McCreary entertained two tables at bridge for her sister.

Mrs. F. F. Fink and daughter, Sarah, and son, Waldo, have returned from spending the winter in southern California and at Long Beach.

Mrs. J. C. Leisenring of Chariton, Ia., who has been visiting relatives in Omaha for several days, returned home this morning.

With the Social Clubs.

Mrs. T. J. Mahoney entertained members of the Amateur Musical club at her home.

Miss Hilda Hammer entertained the Vassar club this afternoon at her home, when fifteen members were present. After the business meeting the time was spent with needlework.

Jottings on Social Calendar.

Mrs. Ronald Paterson will entertain ten guests at the tea dansant Saturday at the Fontenelle in honor of her guest, Mrs. Alfred Francoeur of Chicago.

Mrs. M. F. Rohrer of Council Bluffs will entertain a party of Omaha women next Thursday at a luncheon in honor of Miss Lillian Cavenaugh of Chicago.

STATE ORACLE OF ROYAL NEIGHBORS.

MRS. CHAS. E. ALLEN

Mrs. Charles E. Allen, 2510 Corby street, was re-elected state oracle of the Royal Neighbors of America at the state meeting held at Fremont Wednesday. The Omaha exhibition drill team, composed of twelve women led by Mrs. Laura B. Hoyt, received quite an ovation.

Mrs. Allen has beeen a member of Ivy camp, the largest one in Nebraska, for twenty years, serving as oracle three terms. There are 21,601 Royal Neighbors in the state.

Women's Clubs of Sixth District Meet At North Platte

North Platte, Neb., March 23.—(Special.)—With nearly 150 delegates from all over western Nebraska in attendance, the annual convention of the Sixth District Federation of Women's Clubs opened in the Presbyterian church here Wednesday. The delegates were welcomed by Mrs. J. H. Hegarty, president of the Twentieth Century club, and Mayor E. H. Evans. Mrs. J. C. Saylor of Kearney responded on behalf of the visitors. The remainder of the morning was occupied by greetings from state officers, the appointing of committees and an industrial session, presided over by Mrs. W. N. Orris of Stanton, chairman of the industrial department.

Members of the Twentieth Century club and visiting club women were entertained at an elaborately appointed noonday luncheon, served in the church basement, by the music and art department of the Twentieth Century club.

The conservation session, in which Mrs. J. R. Evans, chairman of the conservation department, pointed out the national necessity of conserving resources, followed by a general dission of the issue, featured the afternoon meeting. Papers on "Our Liberty and How We Secured It" and "Music" were read by Mrs. J. K. Ward of Arcadia and Mrs. Helen Ponath. A short library session was led by Mrs. D. E. Wherry, chairman of the library department, followed by an address on "Federation Plans and Civic Progress," by Miss Ida Robbins of Lincoln. Various committee reports closed the afternoon meeting.

Mrs. J. N. Paul, president of the State Federation of Women' Clubs, addressed the evening session on "Echoes from the Biennial." The evening was closed with a reception to club women and visitors at the home of Mrs. G. T. Field.

Assistant to Mr. Mackay To Have Parish of His Own

Rev Robert S. Flockhart, who has been assistant to Rev. T. J. Mackay at All Saints church for the last three years, has tendered his resignation to the vestry of the church in order that he might accept a call to a church of his own. He has three churches to which he might go, one in New Jersey, one in Washington, D. C., and one in southern Ohio. Mr. Flockhart says that he does not like to sever his connection with All Saints, where his association has been so pleasant, but that he feels that he ought to accept a call to a church of his own.

Miss Nellie Wakeley is Stricken With Paralysis

Miss Nellie Wakeley, daughter of Mrs. Eleazer Wakeley, was found stricken with paralysis at the family residence. She is a sister of Judge Arthur Wakeley and Lucius Wakeley.

Mrs. C. E. Crain of Springfield, O., a sister, who is visiting in St. Louis and Kansas City enroute to Omaha, has been sent for.

E. M. Morsman Seriously Ill On the Pacific Coast

Word has been received of the serious illness of E. M. Morsman of this city, who is wintering in California. Robert Morsman left Thursday night at midnight. Edgar M. Morsman, jr., left at noon and Frank Morsman and Joseph Morsman of Chicago will probably leave soon for the west.

Announcement.

Miss Fox will show her collection of imported model gowns, tailor suits and blouses, also some perfect copies of the originals, beginning Monday, the 26th. 328-40 City Nat'l Bank Bldg.—Advertisement.

New German Coal Tax Expected to Yield Big

(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)

Berlin, Feb. 21.—The new coal tax which the government plans to put in force shortly is expected to yield about $250,000,000 a year, this amount being figured on a basis of 500,000,000 tons output.

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Wyoming in Grip of A Heavy Snowstorm

Laramie, Wyo., March 23.—Wyoming again is in the grip of a heavy snow storm, the Union Pacific railroad being blocked virtually all the way from Laramie to Green River, local officials of the road said today. Several westbound trains are held in the yards here and those eastbound are tied up at points beyond Rawlins.

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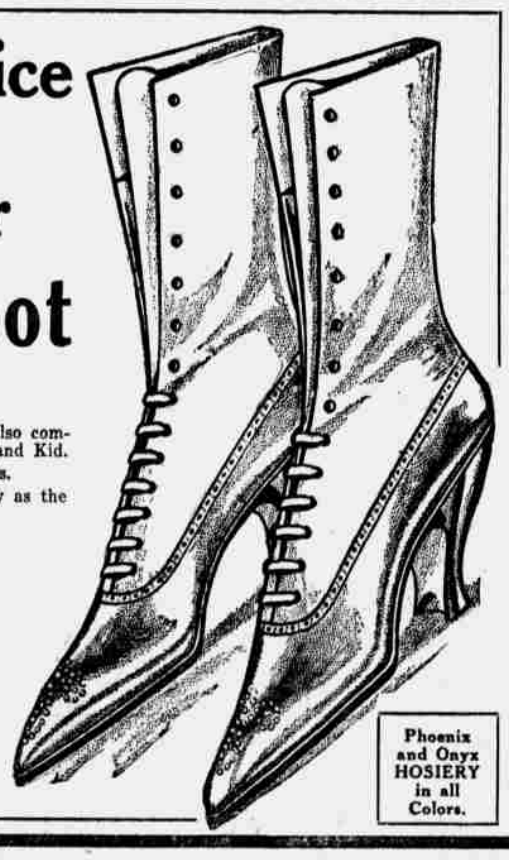

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