

# Society Notes

April 16

## Fair Motor Drivers' Classes Form.

April showers, attacks of measles and other ills, as well as week-end trips, are keeping the motor-driving volunteers in their National League for Women Service from beginning active classes in their chosen field of service. Mrs. Louis S. Clarke, head of this division, has gone to Kansas City and Excelsior Springs for a week and is not expected to return before Friday.

Miss Irene McKnight, one of the members of her staff, has been ill ever since her appointment. She will not be able to do any work before Mrs. Clarke's return. Mrs. George Redick is to organize one of the classes, but did not receive a list of prospective motor drivers before Mrs. Clarke's departure. Mrs. Clarke Powell is quarantined at her home because her little son, "Jimmy," has measles.

Mrs. E. S. Westbrook has advanced farther than any other member of the staff toward forming her class. A few of her prospects, such as Mrs. Glenn Wharton, who has not yet returned from the east, are still in doubt. About twenty-five women will constitute each class according to the plan. Of this number Mrs. Westbrook has secured Mesdames S. S. Caldwell, W. J. Coad, Willard Hofford, Frank Keogh, Misses Frances Wessels, Irene Coad and Marian Langan. There is doubt in the minds of the chairmen whether 100 women can be found to form classes of twenty-five each, so that smaller groups may have to be organized.

## To Honor Captain and Mrs. Geiger.

Mrs. Harold Geiger, wife of Captain Geiger of the balloon corps at Fort Omaha and formerly Miss Frances Bridges of this city, is making an extended visit with Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Eridges. Captain and Mrs. Geiger came from Fort Ward in Seattle, Wash., where he was the commander of the balloon corps. Prior to this Captain Geiger was in the aviation corps at Coronado.

In honor of her niece and her husband Mr. and Mrs. Bridges entertained Saturday evening at a bridge party when bright colored balloons formed the decorations throughout the house and provided much merriment during the evening. Four tables were placed for the game.

Captain and Mrs. Geiger will be entertained extensively tomorrow Mrs. W. W. Waddell has asked a few of Mrs. Geiger's old friends in for a very informal luncheon and Saturday evening Dr. and Mrs. Potts will entertain for Captain and Mrs. Geiger. Mrs. F. E. Goddin and Mrs. L. H. Cook of Richmond, Va.

## Reunion of Bridal Party.

Mrs. John Jay Dickey entertained at dinner at the Blackstone Sunday for her daughter, Mrs. Harold Bloomfield Brown and Mr. Bloomfield, Brown of Honolulu. The party arrived Friday for a visit in Omaha for several months and they are stopping at the Blackstone. Yesterday was the third anniversary of the marriage of the young people and they were so fortunate as to be able to have with them all the members of their bridal party. The bride's attendants were Misses Daphne Peters, Mary Burdick, Katherine Thummel and Helen Scobie. The best man and ushers were Messrs. John Caldwell, George B. Thummel, Sanford Gifford, Ben Gallagher, Mr. Lawrence Brinker, whose marriage to Miss Mary Burdick will take place May 3, Mrs. George T. Thummel and Mrs. John Caldwell were the additions to the group.

Tongues were used on the table and Hawaiian plates with native boats marked the places of the guests. Covers were laid for seventeen. Friday Miss Katherine Thummel will give a tea for Mrs. Bloomfield Brown.

## Pi Beta Phi Celebrates.

Alumnae of Pi Beta Phi sorority, who went to Lincoln for the fiftieth anniversary banquet Saturday evening at the Lincoln hotel, returned with glowing accounts of the elaborate affair. Gold and blue formed the color scheme, the banquet table being decorated with Japanese candlesticks with gold colored shades, gilded bowls of fruit, bowls of gold fish on which reposed blue butterflies and yellow daffodils in baskets. At each place were gold baskets filled with sweets, as well as memory booklets with illustrations of campus scenes and old photographs of classmates. The favors, gold Pi Beta Phi pins bearing the fraternity crest, were distributed by Miss Dorothy Carns, who represented a golden butterfly.

During the banquet the following members responded to toasts: Mrs. Anna Raymond of Omaha, Mrs. E. M. Penny of Wharton, Neb.; Miss Eleanor Fogg of Lincoln, Mrs. Nina Harris Allen of Chicago, grand vice president of the national organization, and Miss Pauline Bush, a Universal film actress, who has frequently visited Mrs. D. M. Ederly of this city.

Omaha members present were: Mesdames Henry Cox, Anna Raymond, Glenn Reed, Bryce Crawford, George Seabury, Riffle, Dunham, Charles Lane, R. V. Gould, William Vaughn, D. M. Ederly and Misses Georgina Davis, Marie Rowley, Florence Rush, Clara Scriver, Mittle Pile, Florence Nason and Mary Phillips and her sister, Mrs. Frank Wilkins, of Detroit.

## Wedding Announcements.

Clifton D. Anderson of Dunlap, Ia., and Miss Virginia Marshall of Omaha were married at Dixie Methodist parsonage Saturday morning, Rev. C. N. Dawson officiating. The witnesses were Mrs. C. N. Dawson and Miss Cleo Terhune.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Donahue announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, and Mr. Elmer P. Carmichael of Lohrville, Ia., which took place at 9 o'clock this morning at St. John's church, Rev. Edward Copping officiating. Miss Louise Solars and Mr. Thomas Canavan were the only attendants. The young people will make their home in Omaha after May 1.

## Social Engagements.

The Misses Katherine Gould and Ruth Anderson will entertain Friday at a luncheon in honor of Miss Gertrude Aikin, whose wedding to Mr. Willard Slabough will take place next week.

Mrs. M. C. Peters will entertain the women's auxiliary of All Saints'

## FIRST VISIT HOME FROM HONOLULU RESIDENCE.



Mrs. HAROLD BROMFIELD-BROWN

church Tuesday afternoon at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. John Brandeis will entertain eight guests at dinner at the Blackstone Wednesday.

Mrs. George B. Thummel is planning a party for Miss Mary Burdick, a May bride, next week.

Mrs. Harold Rose will entertain at a luncheon Thursday in honor of Miss Mildred Marr and Miss Gertrude Berry of Kansas City, who are spending this week with Mrs. Charles U. Hendrickson. Today the visiting girls were guests at the Monday Bridge Luncheon club, which met with Mrs. Paul Wadsworth. They will leave Sunday for their homes.

## Personal Mention.

Mrs. James A. Griffith and Miss Vivian Griffith leave Tuesday for a six week's sojourn at Excelsior Springs.

Miss Dorothy Sanford arrives in the morning from Chicago and will take Master Robert Nieman home with her to Lincoln for the remainder of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Nieman will motor down for their son Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Potts have as their house guests Mrs. Pott's mother, Mrs. F. E. Goddin, and her sister, Mrs. L. H. Cook of Richmond, Va., who arrived this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Howard returned this morning from their honeymoon trip to Chicago and are moving into their new home at Thirty-eighth and Hamilton streets.

Dr. Philip Sher returned this morning from Reading, Pa., where he was called by the illness of his father.

**Stork News.**  
A daughter was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Myron C. Buck of Waterloo, Ia. Mrs. Buck was formerly Miss Edith Lyon of this city.

## Feeding the Child of Four

During the fourth year milk still remains an important part of the child's food, but much of it may now be given in the form of bread and milk, milk soups or milk puddings, or it may be poured over the cereal. Some children object to drinking milk and in such cases it is wise to offer it under some disguise. The cereal need no longer be strained, but must be very thoroughly cooked.

The diet at this time should include all the articles advised for the two earlier years, with the addition of more meats, vegetables and fruits. Baked potatoes, with a little butter, are a staple food at this period. Bread and butter or toast and butter and plenty of hard crusts or zwieback are important. Eggs or meat, such as roasted, boiled or broiled beef, mutton, chicken or fish, should be given at least once a day.

The child of 4 will probably thrive on three or four meals a day, the heaviest being taken in the middle of the day. If he appears to be hungry a light lunch such as milk may be given in the interval between breakfast and dinner or between dinner and supper, but no nibbling should be permitted between meals. A child should be taught to come to the table with that vigorous appetite for his food which leads to good digestion and assimilation.

Food should be carefully prepared to fit it to a child's powers and should be served in an appetizing fashion at proper intervals. Young children should not be offered "tastes" of the family meals, as this habit tends to destroy the appetite for the simple, rather restricted diet adapted to their need.

Children should have an abundance of pure cool drinking water. This is especially important in summer when they are perspiring freely. If there is any doubt about the purity of the water it should be filtered or boiled, or both.

Since it is always difficult for children to chew their food properly it should be finely minced, mashed or softened for them throughout these early years.

Never under any circumstances should children be given coffee, tea or strong cocoa. They should have no highly seasoned or spiced foods, rich pastries, raw vegetables, onions, corn or cabbage. Bananas and all partly ripened fruit are apt to make trouble.

If children are inclined to be constipated they should have plenty of laxative foods. These are cereals, particularly oatmeal; the coarser breads, such as graham and whole wheat; fruit or fruit juice, particularly oranges and prunes, and vegetables like string beans, asparagus and spinach.

Many children suffer from malnutrition; that is, they fail to secure the food materials they need for development and growth, and consequently they are undersized, pale, often slow and listless and do not show the eager, alert habits of healthy children. Malnutrition may be due to lack of sufficient food of any kind, to improper food, bad cooking or to some fault of digestion or to illness

## 'Twixt Cloak and Cape



The woman who isn't quite sure that she likes the capes which promise to be so popular this spring will find here a very smart compromise between the capes which are approaching and the coats to which she clings. Of tan jersey in this simple yet most effective model, with its coat front and sleeves and plain straight back. There are three seams in the back, one straight down the center and the other two coming just inside the shoulder line. From them the wing-like capes fall in graceful fullness, which may be used to cover the figure when extra protection against dust or cold is desired, or which may be allowed to float in graceful fullness when they are needed merely for ornament.

## Annette Kellerman Takes Up Trap Shooting; Seeks New Record



ANNETTE KELLERMAN.

## Boys and Girls May Now Easily Earn a Quarter

Health Commissioner Connell desires that every baby born in Greater Omaha shall be registered in the health office as provided for by law. Doctors and accoucheurs occasionally fail to report births. All births reported to the health office are printed in The Bee every day. Mr. Connell states he will give 25 cents to any boy or girl who will advise him of a birth in his or her neighborhood which does appear in this paper after three weeks from date of the birth.

## Couples Wait for Coming Of Marriage License Clerk

Several couples were waiting when the marriage license clerk arrived at the court house. The widespread publicity given to the rush of so-called slackers at the marriage license desk last week seemingly had no tendency to dampen the ardor of engaged couples, for nearly a score of certificates had been issued up till noon. It was a noticeable fact that prac-

tically all of the bridegrooms-to-be were of military age. Also, large numbers of the marrying males took pains to tell the marriage license clerk that "they were not getting married in order to evade draft for military service."

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## RATIONS ARE SPECIFIED

How the war in Europe is affecting people in neutral countries over there is described in a letter written to an Omaha friend by a young married woman living in Berne, Switzerland, who, in her girlhood days, was Miss Clara Heimrod of this city. An extract from the letter reads: "You ask how living expenses are over here. Well, not only living, but all other expenses are sky-high. We paid 75 cents a dozen for eggs last winter. How high they will get before the wholesale slaughter and complete bankruptcy of all nations is over no one can surmise. "Around Christmas time we had to go begging for one-fifth of a pound of butter, and cream was out of the question. "Today is the last day the law permits the sale of freshly-baked bread. Experts have testified to a considerable saving in the daily supply of rather consumption of bread if it is not put on the market until it is twenty-four hours old. Woe to me. I hate stale bread. "Within a few days everybody will be given specified rations for a month of rice and sugar. Also there probably will come a new law forbidding the sale and consumption of meat two days in the week, and on the other days of the week only one meal with meat per day. "The supply of gas for cooking purposes has been reduced for every household. If you exceed the amount of your allowance you are fined. This is because of the limited amount of coal Switzerland gets from Germany. For all the coal it gets it has to give something Germany wants, like milk or cheese, in return. In the meantime, the prices of milk and cheese for home consumption are steadily climbing the ladder. "Oh, I tell you it is a joy to live on an oasis of peace in the midst of a warring, stormy sea."

## Tries to Kill Herself Because Called Fat

Because other girls teased her for being fat, Marie Sherman, aged 17, an employe of the Nebraska Telephone company, attempted suicide Monday afternoon at her home, 1711 Jackson street. She drank poison. Police Surgeon Shook says she will recover.

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