

Society Notes

April 20

Emergency Shower the Latest.

April showers for the bride are not the damp dismal affairs that the words suggest. In truth they are not the effusions of Jupiter Pluvius, but in the modern sense parties at which friends of the bride-to-be unite in pouring into her delighted hands various tokens of their affection which may prove useful to her in her new position as matron of a house.

Some people have been accused of giving showers for mercenary reasons. Not long ago a dear middle-aged madame threw up her hands in holy horror over a shower which she had attended. "Why," said she, "they didn't ask intimate friends of the young bride; they invited everybody, from the young people up to me, just to see how much they could get!" serious charge!

Some showers, however, are delightful and acceptable to all concerned. One of these affairs was the novel shower given by Miss Helen Clifton last evening after her dinner party in honor of Miss Dorothy Skriver. You have heard of kitchen and tin showers, miscellaneous and fancy-work showers, linen showers and apron showers, but have you ever heard of an emergency shower? And what do you think an emergency shower is? Not a gift of gauze, bandages, court plaster and medicine for the emergency drug case, but a shower for the emergency shelf of the pantry.

Pantries are put in modern houses, are they not? The guests brought bottles of pickles and jams and jellies in great number, so that for some time after the bride is in her new home when friends call for tea on a Sunday evening she need not fret, for safely tucked away on the shelf will be these emergency supplies.

Wedding Anniversary Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harris will give a large dinner party at the Blackstone this evening in honor of their twenty-fifth anniversary. An electric fountain in the center of the table will be massed with purple sweet peas and yellow jonquils, and purple candles will also be used.

Events of the Day.

Miss Katherine Thummel entertained seventy guests at tea from 4 to 6 o'clock in honor of Miss Mary Burkle, a May bride, and Mrs. Harold Blomfield-Brown of Honolulu, who is making an extended visit in the city. Sweet peas of various colors were arranged in a large bowl on the tea table and lavender unshaded candles completed the decorations.

Women of St. Peter's parish will give a card party at Metropolitan hall this evening. The president, Miss Cassie Riley, will be assisted by twenty hostesses.

About fifty-eight guests will be present at the Omaha-Peru club banquet and reunion at the Young Women's Christian association this evening.

Miss Katherine Gould and Miss Ruth Anderson gave a pretty luncheon at the home of the former in honor of Miss Gertrude Aikin and Mrs. Warren Howard. Five small tables, seating four guests each, were set. The tables were decorated with basket of sweet peas tied with bows of pink tulle. Single kewpies marked the places of all the guests, except at the table of the bride and the bride-to-be. There the bride and groom kewpies were place cards.

Mrs. Leonard Everett gave a small luncheon at her home in Council Bluffs for her guest, Mrs. Everett. Mrs. Ralph Kiewit had an informal afternoon kenstington in honor of Mrs. Clem Waldron of Beach, N. D., when seven members of the Roly club were the guests.

Pleasures Past.

Mrs. Jay Morgan entertained the Delta Whist club at luncheon Thursday at her home. A basket of lavender, sweet peas and pink roses formed the centerpiece and corsage bouquets of sweet peas were the favors. Three tables were placed for the game and Mrs. Morgan held the high score. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. L. W. Jaynes May 3.

Judge and Mrs. W. W. Slabaugh entertained at dinner last evening in honor of Miss Gertrude Aikin and their son, Willard, whose marriage will be an event of the next week. Decorations were in pink and white roses with bridal place cards. Covers were laid for the five members of the bridal party and for Miss Grace Slabaugh, Mr. Grant McFayden and Mr. George Engler.

Social Affairs Planned.

In honor of Miss Anna Welch, whose marriage to Mr. Joseph Mullin will take place next Saturday, many parties have been given and are to be given next week. Saturday afternoon Miss Marie Foley is entertaining at bridge; Monday Mrs. John D. Weir will be hostess at a luncheon at the Blackstone; the same evening Miss Katherine Sullivan will have a bridge; Miss Evelyn McCaffrey has invitations out for a bridge Tuesday afternoon; Mrs. Harry Welch will give another bridge party in the evening; Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Will Schopp will be the bridge hostess, and

CHARMING YOUNG HOSTESS AT AFTERNOON TEA.



Thursday evening Miss Mae O'Brien will entertain at bridge. The illness of Miss Welch's mother, Mrs. Edward Welch, may cause change in the arrangements for the wedding dinner, which was to have been given Friday evening by the bride's parents.

Surprise for Bachelors.

Six young bachelors who recently moved into their new quarters at Thirty-sixth and Harney streets, which they have named "The House of Hope," Messrs. Grant and Temple McFayden, Herbert Hammond, Walter and Harry Byrne and Taylor Belcher, were given a surprise party Wednesday evening by twenty of their friends, who brought along refreshments. The evening was spent in taking flashlight pictures and in dancing.

Social Gossip.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hiller have given up their home and are with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hiller.

Miss Katherine Newbranch was elected to the honorary journalistic fraternity, Theta Sigma Phi, at the State university.

Mrs. Daisy Van Scoy arrived in Omaha Tuesday from Ord, Neb., where she has been visiting her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Mehny, for several weeks. She will go to Chicago soon for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Gillam, formerly Miss Edyth Van Scoy of Gillam, and Mr. Gillam. On her return he will stop with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Davis in Marshalltown, Ia.

Alpha Phi alumnae in the city who left this morning for Lincoln to attend the Alpha Phi sorority banquet this evening and the annual Nebraska alumnae meeting tomorrow are: Mesdames E. B. Drake, Merrill Rohrbough, William Locke, Charles Wright and Miss Ruth Thompson.

Mrs. O. S. Brooks leaves Sunday for Portland, Ore., where she will remain all summer.

Mrs. J. E. White has returned to her home in Lincoln after a short visit with her niece, Mrs. F. H. Myers.

Miss Erma Jones is confined to her home with an attack of scarlet fever. Mr. and Mrs. George B. Laier are now in Excelsior Springs, where they will be joined soon by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sharpe.

Two More Gifts of \$500 Each Added To Y. W. Camp Fund

Two gifts to the Young Women's Christian association fund were made by Mrs. G. A. Roberts and the General Manderson estate. Nine \$500 pledges have been made, conditional on the raising of ten subscriptions for that amount.

Mrs. John C. Wharton, Mrs. E. W. Nash, Ward Burgess, M. E. Smith company, George Hoagland, Nebraska Telephone company and an unnamed person are the other donors.

With \$23,05 added to the fund Thursday, the total is brought up to \$14,975.97. Twenty thousand dollars is required to purchase the desired tract, the old South Omaha Country club.

Butter from California Weakens Chicago Prices

Chicago, April 20.—Chicago, said to be the center of the greatest dairy district in the country, was treated to a rarity today when butter from California made its appearance on Southwater street attracted by high prices. It did its bit along with mild spring weather to weaken prices.

For the Modest Purse



The coat-of-all-ear for the spring and summer; it is of blue, green or gold chevot, with pouch pockets stitched for trimming. For softness of color and line near the face, there is a well fitting over-collar of white broadcloth. The sailor hat of lisse straw with a trimming of faille silk may be had in any color.

Just the trim little suit that has the very spirit of the spring is this of wool poplin. The skirt has fullness in the back under a belt, and the belt of the coat can be drawn in to fit any figure. Beige, navy or Copenhagen blue; hat with lisse straw crown and peanut straw brim, all one color, or natural peanut straw brim with crown any color.

Parisian's "End" May Be Near, and Are Fighting Off "Wreckers," To The Last!

Ammunition (Stocks), Still Plentiful Enough for a Victory (Complete Close-Out)



\$13.75

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Choice new Serges, Poplins and Gabardines, many in the prevailing new Empire back models, belted effects, etc. Shades are entrancing. It's a lot of 100 suits ordered made up just before we received notice to vacate the building. If you seek a Spring Suit and have an eye to economy—and style—make the most of these on SATURDAY, for there will most likely be NONE left Monday.

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- \$15.00 Coats, now at... \$ 8.75
 - \$17.50 Coats, now at... \$11.75
 - \$19.50 Coats, now at... \$13.75
 - \$22.50 Coats, now at... \$16.75
 - \$25.00 Coats, now at... \$18.75
 - \$29.50 Coats, now at... \$21.75
 - \$35.00 Coats, now at... \$26.75
 - \$39.50 Coats, now at... \$28.75
 - \$45.00 Coats, now at... \$31.75
- \$ 6.75 Skirts, now at... \$ 4.95
 - \$ 7.50 Skirts, now at... \$ 5.95
 - \$ 8.50 Skirts, now at... \$ 6.95
 - \$10.00 Skirts, now at... \$ 7.95
 - \$12.50 Skirts, now at... \$ 8.95
 - \$15.00 Skirts, now at... \$10.95
- \$4.95 Petticoats, now at... \$3.88
 - \$5.95 "Klofits," now at... \$4.88
 - \$3.95 Petticoats, now at... \$2.88

Little Girl Awakens to Find Negro Near Her Bed

Fannie Levinson, aged 10 years, was dreaming at 4 o'clock this morning. She awoke from her dream to find a black man bending over her. The girl screamed and awoke her mother. Mrs. Levinson shouted for help and the negro leaped out of the window and got away.

Although police scoured the neighborhood no trace of the daring intruder was found. They had only a meager description—a short, stocky-built negro with a very ugly face. The Levinson girl was not unduly excited by the incident.

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PERCOLATORS Seven-Cup Vamco Ware, made of Pure Aluminum; sale price... **89c**

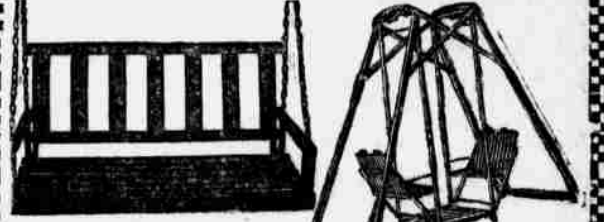


Berlin Kettles Vamco Ware, made of Pure Aluminum, with Aluminum cover and heavy handles; 6-qt., sale price... **89c**

Sauce Pans Vamco Ware, made of Pure Aluminum, six-qt., with Aluminum Cover; sale price... **89c**

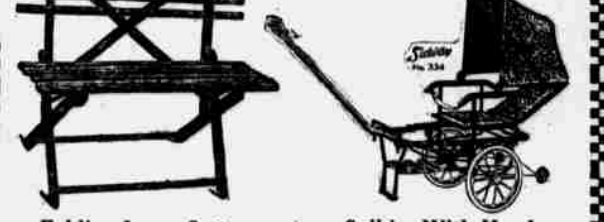
Double Cookers, Vamco Ware, Made of Pure Aluminum; Sale Price, 89c

Saturday Furniture Values Large Assortment of Porch and Lawn Furniture at Low Prices



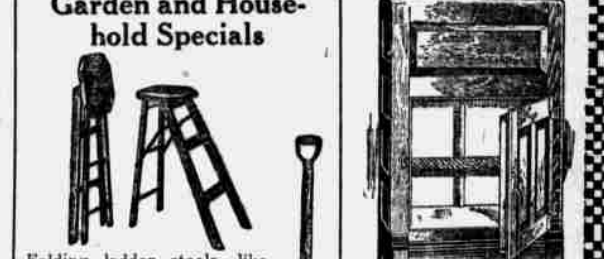
Large Porch Swings Like illustration, made of solid oak, complete with chains for hanging; our price... **\$1.85**

Large 4-Passenger Lawn Swings Just like illustration; strongly made and bolted; holds four passengers; just the thing for the children or grown-ups; our price... **\$4.95**



Folding Lawn Settees Just like illustration, with slatted seat and back; strongly made; folds compactly; our price... **85c**

Sulkies With Hood Just like illustration, fold compactly with one motion; full steel construction, rubber tire wheels; our price... **\$4.95**



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Folding ladder stools, like cut, 75c.
Five-foot step ladders, 65c.
Spading forks, our price, 59c.
Garden Rakes, good quality, for 24c.
Garden Hoes, strong blades, for 24c.
50-foot lengths molded garden hose, guaranteed for the season; complete with couplings, our price, \$4.95.

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