

# Society Notes

May 25

**Finish at Eastern Schools.**  
Closing of eastern schools for girls is taking some parents east to attend graduation exercises or to bring the young people home. One of the interesting features of the closing days at these schools is Red Cross work of various kinds. At Mount Vernon seminary in Washington the commencement exercises this week were held as usual at the Willard. The class play, which was given at the same place, took on the form of a benefit to the Red Cross and all proceeds were turned over to that organization. All arrangements were simple.

Miss Gertrude Stout, a member of the graduating class, returned this morning with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Stout, who went last Friday to attend the exercises. Mr. Robert Stout, who is in the National Bank of Commerce in New York, attended the exercises.

National Park seminary in Washington will close Thursday of next week. Miss Irene Piel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Piel, who is the only Omaha girl attending that school, will go for a visit with Miss Jean Peden in Cleveland before returning to Omaha for the summer. The girls at National Park have been showing their patriotism by knitting scarfs for sailors and have given a sale at which they made \$500 for the Red Cross.

## SORORITY GIRL ENGAGED TO YOUNG LAWYER.



HELEN SORENSON

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Brown, to Mr. Guy Cabell Kiddoo, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Kiddoo of the South Side. The wedding will be a small affair early in June, but the exact date has not yet been set. They will make their home in Dundee. Miss Sorenson is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. She has been active in the work of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae and was doing suffrage work in New York City when illness obliged her to come home. Mr. Kiddoo is a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity and was a member of honorary fraternities at the University of Nebraska, from which school both he and his bride-to-be were graduated. Both young people are members of old and prominent families in this city. Miss Sorenson is a graduate of Central High school and Mr. Kiddoo of the South Side High school.

## Dress of Marked Distinction



As dusky blue and lovely as a summer night full of stars is this dress out of black, blue and white foulard under blue chiffon, and fringed out a little at the edges of underskirt and sleeves. To add the one crisp touch the season demands, the vest and collar are of white organdie, with a row of pearl buttons. In the back there is a loose panel of chiffon.

## Graduation Modes

Net, chiffon, Georgette crepe, organdy and the various thin white cottons are the chosen materials for the graduate, the first three mentioned cutting in upon the popularity of the long-favored muslins.

Among the net frocks there are some that are decidedly youthful and charming. One particularly girlish and attractive model was trimmed with tiny ruffles on the skirt, at the wide hip-line and again at the lower part of the skirt. The bodice, at the bust line, was also trimmed with the tiny ruffles.

Round neck, U neck, V neck, square neck, high neck, all are to be found among the dainty white frocks suitable for graduation wear; so any girl may find something becoming, and for the girl with pretty arms there are short sleeves, frilled, felled, tubular or puffed, though long-sleeved models are numerous.

Georgette crepe long sleeves are occasionally introduced into a frock of crepe de chine, or silk or other material heavier than the crepe. One distinctive frock was formed of Georgette crepe and taffeta. The crepe composed the long sleeves, filled in the V at the neck and formed a long plaited tunic which fell over the taffeta underskirt. The bodice was of the always becoming surplice sort.

One question of the collar is more vital than the average girl realizes, and the unbecoming collar is a thing to be avoided, no matter how new or modish it may be. Many of the new collars thicken the neck line or conceal the shoulder line in a fashion extremely trying to the girl of short neck or high shoulders or too full figure.

Waist garnitures are of Georgette, of chiffon and of cotton net with a round or V-shaped neck opening ornamented with soutache embroidery or some other device. The trimming edges the little tunic at the hip and there is a sash or girdle of beads or cord which draws in the soft fabric at the waist line. There are very deep armholes, sometimes reaching quite to the waist line, and the garniture, or tunic, shows off effectively over a simple guimpe.

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## Pre-Nuptial Affairs.

Miss Geil Charles, who will be married May 31 to Mr. Robert Mitchell, was honor guest at a miscellaneous shower given by members of the W. I. A. N. club Tuesday evening at the home of the Misses Joyce and Leola Barnes.

The Misses Mae, Clara and Anne Dworak will entertain at a fancy apron shower this evening in honor of Miss Margaret Parks. The decorations will be entirely in American flags. Twenty-four guests are invited.

Mrs. Arthur Daly will give an apron shower for Miss Parks Tuesday.

## To Honor Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murray will entertain at a dancing and card party at their home this evening in honor of Mrs. Murray's sister, who is visiting here from Pueblo, Colo. The decorations will be in red, white and blue, with tiny American flags.

## Betrothal Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Harrow announce the engagement of their daughter, Fay, to Paul J. Beard, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Beard of this city. The news is not a surprise to the friends of the couple, as their romance dates back to freshman days at Omaha High school. Both are graduates of that school. Miss Harrow is now teaching at Howard Kennedy school. Mr. Beard is an Ames college man and a member of the Delta Upsilon fraternity. No plans are being made for the wedding, as Mr. Beard has enlisted in the Iowa state college medical unit and expects to be sent to France very shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Coffey of Nebraska City announce the engagement of their daughter, Bertha, to Mr. Charles Asmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Asmann. The wedding will take place early in June. After a northern bridal tour the young people will be at home in Omaha.

## Notes of Interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mattes, whose marriage took place in St. Joseph, Mo., Saturday, May 12, are the guests of Mrs. Fred Severling of this city. They will be at home in Nebraska City after June 15, at which time their new home will be completed. Mrs. Mattes was formerly Miss Blanche Redfield.

Miss Fay Harrow has gone to Ames, Ia., to spend the week-end. The auto picnic which Mrs. J. Stewart White had planned for this evening in honor of Mrs. Arthur Livermore of Yonkers, N. Y., may be called off because of the rain. The party may go to Manawa instead. Tomorrow the Wellesley club will entertain for Mrs. Livermore at lunch.

## Strike of Women Workers In Paris is Spreading

Paris, Thursday, May 24.—The strike of women workers spread rapidly today and is meeting with considerable success.

The milliners, furriers, lace makers, embroiderers, water proofers and feather workers are now on strike and during the day male and female employees of several department stores approached the managements and asked for a Saturday half holiday and extra pay on account of the high cost of living.

The stores were closed at 1 o'clock, but were reopened at 4 o'clock, an agreement having been reached.

Similar demands by bankers and brokers' clerks were accepted by a number of houses, but are being resisted in other cases. The butchers', waiters' and grocers' unions are considering joining the strike. Representatives of the employers and workers of the fur trade reached an agreement tonight and work will be resumed tomorrow.

## To Raise Flag at Miller Park on Decoration Day

Decorations day will be celebrated by the Miller Park Mothers' club with the raising of a silk flag, eighteen by twenty-two feet, at Miller park.

The flag will be unfurled at 12 o'clock noon and will be the occasion for a patriotic program.

Children of Miller Park school will start the program by singing America. Rev. J. Williams will deliver the prayer and S. I. Gordon a patriotic address.

While the flag is being raised the gathering will sing the "Star Spangled Banner." Mrs. J. W. Evans will then give a reading on "Old Glory." The program will conclude with bugle calls by a soldier at Fort Omaha and the singing of the "Red, White and Blue" by children of Miller Park school.

The flag pole on which the flag is to be raised is said to be the tallest in Omaha.

## Protest Against Women Running Local Elevators

Resolutions against employment of women as elevator conductors were adopted by the Elevator Operators' and Starters' union No. 671. "We vigorously protest against employing female persons to operate these elevators" is one of the statements of the resolutions. The resolutions are signed by George F. Sheehan, V. L. Kinnarmon and J. B. Van Boskirk.

## SCHOOLS WANT INK THAT WILL WRITE

Poor Writing Fluid Causes Protest and Better Grade is Now Sought by the Board.

"Ink that will not write is not the right kind of ink," facetiously remarked a member of the Board of Education.

He had in mind the ink which has been used in the public schools since last September. Complaints have been received from several schools against the ink supply. Principal Doyle of Columbian school reported the matter and a new supply was sent to her.

The supplies committee is experimenting with writing fluids and hopes to have better luck when ordering the supply for the next school year.

A year ago the board entered into contract for "ink," instead of writing fluid. The year's supply was received and placed in the store house for distribution to schools as ordered by principals.

Complaints against the ink are that it is sticky and gums the pens. Chairman Fry of the supplies committee explained that the complaints were not general, but he realized that more thought must be given to the ink supply before a new contract is made.

In the experiments being made is an ink in tablet form, the plan being to dissolve the tablets at the schools. It is believed, however, that a grade of writing fluid which will stand any test will be selected for next school year.

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## Jury is Hearing the Gering Slander Case

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## Gering Slander Case

Henry R. Gering company, prominent lodge man and former mayor of Plattsmouth, Neb. Mrs. O'Brien alleges that at a meeting of the Degree of Honor, February 2, Gering slandered her in the presence of other members of the lodge.

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