

Society Notes

War Fund Receipts Reach \$1,522.53.

Omaha society celebrated in patriotic fashion Saturday night. While crowds in the street were witnessing the patriotic parade our most prominent men and women saw the American ambulance film at Boyd's or the juniors at Brownell Hall in their clever play for the seniors. At both places the chief form of celebration was generous giving. The girls at Brownell Hall received \$72.53 in their Red Cross fund.

OMAHA GIRL WINS PRIZE AT TARKIO SCHOOL.



MYRTLE GRAHAM

Miss Myrtle F. Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Graham, 1519 Missouri avenue, won the N. H. Brown scholarship prize of \$50 at Tarkio college, Tarkio, Mo. This prize is awarded to the senior making the highest scholarship record during the junior and sophomore years. Miss Graham's grades during her whole college course have been honor ranks. She is an A. B. graduate.

for the benefit of the Red Cross and Woman's Service league. He replaces A. W. Jeffers, Mr. Cain has had wide experience in amateur dramatics. He made an admirable "cardinal" at the rehearsal held Saturday.

Travelers' Gossip.

J. J. O'Connor is in Portland, Ore., registered at the Multnomah hotel. Miss Adele Cullen, who went to Chicago ten days ago to attend the marriage of Miss Anne Yeger of Oak Park and Mr. Robert Cantwell, Jr., leaves Chicago today for Detroit, where she will attend the marriage of her cousin, Mr. Harry Cullen, to Miss Helen Van der Hof on June 16.

Mr. Ernest Wernher and children of New York are visiting Mr. Wernher's mother, Mrs. Adolph Wernher, for a few days.

Miss Mereta Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Matthews, who has been visiting since November in Panama and Seattle, returned to Omaha Saturday.

Events of the Day.

Mrs. E. Stenger gave an informal luncheon at her home in honor of the two guests of her daughter, Helen, Miss Annette Davis and Miss Marguerite Motter of St. Joseph. Twenty guests were present. Decorations were pink. If the two visitors remain in Omaha the rest of the week several little parties will be given in their honor.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. A. F. Woodard and Miss Margorie Woodard of Shenandoah, Ia., are at the Henshaw awaiting the arrival of Masters Marion and Donald Woodard from St. Joseph's academy, Milford, Ia. The boys were pupils at Lothrop school when in Omaha. This summer they will work on one of their father's farms to do "their bit" for Uncle Sam, instead of taking an extended trip.

Mrs. Hal Brady was expected in Omaha at 7 o'clock this morning, but floods have delayed the train service so that she had to go by way of Lincoln and did not arrive until afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wortman, father and mother of Mrs. B. C. Miner, are here for a couple of months from their home in Bloomington, Ill. Mr. Wortman is 87 and Mrs. Wortman 77 years of age. This is their first visit to Omaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston Observe Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnston, 319 North Thirty-eighth avenue, are quietly observing their golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. Aimee Beyer of Washington, D. C., is visiting her parents.

These happy celebrants were married in Pittsburgh and have lived in Omaha forty-eight years. Mr. Johnston was treasurer of Omaha under Mayor Brewer and Mayor Chase. He was mayor of South Omaha during 1894 and 1895 and has been engaged in the real estate business for many years. The Mason, Chula Vista and Knickerbocker apartment houses were built by him.

Mr. Johnston is 71 years of age and his wife is three years younger. They have observed Omaha grow from a population of 16,250 in 1869 to 200,000 in 1917.

At the Country Club.

The Country club was a populous place all day Sunday, for the fine weather drew out the majority of the members. Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Kountze had in their dinner party at the club Mr. and Mrs. Hoxie Clarke, Mr. Morgan Palmer and Lieutenant Roeder of the American ambulance service. Mrs. William Sears Poppleton and Mr. Stockton Hiett.

Mrs. Poppleton entertained Lieutenant Roeder and Mr. Morgan Palmer at supper in the evening. Her other guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Kinler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Kountze and Mrs. F. S. Cowgill of Chicago. Mrs. Sam Burns, Jr., had nine guests at luncheon at the club today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Judson entertained a party of ten at the Country club Sunday complimentary to Mrs. Charles R. Palmer of St. Joseph, who came here for Brownell Hall commencement week. Her daughter, Esther, is a student at the hall.

Mr. Cain is Cardinal. Robert J. Cain, Jr., vice president of the State Bank of Omaha, will take the part of the "cardinal" in the nature masque, "The Spirit of Walden Wood," which is to be given Saturday afternoon at Hanscom park

An Argument for Midnight Blue



THIS dress is a fascinating adaptation of a French model. Blue faille is used for the main issues of the garment, while sleeves and the quaint little jerkin are of blue Georgette heavily embroidered in soutache. The gown gains added distinction from its flaring collar and the smart lines made by the sash belt, as it cuts its way through the little jerkin. The back of the gown falls in a straight panel and gives length even while it subtracts breadth.



Fashion Notes

Spring evening wraps for restaurant wear are of satin in brilliant color with wide, turnover collars and a deep trimming band of gold lace. The fullness is corded at a low waistline.

An unusual combination for a simple three-piece suit of blue serge and blue and white foulard. The blouse is fashioned from the silk which is used also for the coat lining.

All sorts of fancy braids trim, tailor-mades, blouses and tussore dresses, for braid, like all trimming, can be easily over-done, and it is safer to have one bit of good embroidery in the right place than yards of braid put on without discrimination.

Buttons are used with much discretion, and they are stuff-covered, not brilliant, as a rule. They may trim a skirt or a voile gump in small, close rows, but, on the whole, buttons play a less important part in connection with dress this season than do braids.

Semi-made sport skirts are a boon to women who love smartly tailored clothes yet must economize in tailored smartness. One buys such a skirt all ready to wear—except for the altering of a hem and the stitching of one seam. Bel, pockets and other details of finish are perfection.

Sun and rain umbrellas are truly practical affairs; but for all their practicality they are attractive, too. This is because they lean more toward the parasol idea than the umbrella idea—as the old-time sun-umbrella never did. In shape and appearance they are parasols; in sturdiness of material they are rainproof umbrellas.

Oxford shoes for trotabout and sport wear are of tan Russian calf, with the low English walking heel and very long, pointed toe. Wing tops and lines of perforated trimming make these oxfords very "sporty," and if a long enough shoe is selected the narrow toe will not cause discomfort even in tramping.

This year's smart bathing suit has a very short tunic and knee trousers or balloon pantaloons shirred into narrow frills. Satin is the favored material in combination with black checked silk, though there are many good-looking suits of mohair, cut on simple lines and trimmed with fancy silk or rows of stitching. Ready-made bathing suits come in attractive models, but one must look carefully to the finish, which is more important than lines or mere prettiness.

Middy pajamas are fetching affairs, with loose, baggy trousers, gathered into frills at the ankle and an upper garment in middy style, with a V-shaped neck opening, soft, knotted tie and long sleeves with turned back cuffs. The middy slips on over the head. These pajamas come in striped satin and the brighter the colors, the better—from a modish standpoint. Another favored style shows satin trousers and coat of chiffon with collar, cuffs and pockets of the satin. White satin and chiffon seem the favorite combination.

Advice to Lovelorn By Beatrice Fairfax

The Wrong sort of Mother. Dear Miss Fairfax: I have a daughter 19 who has a girl friend 24. They go out together nights and stay till late, never coming in any earlier than half-past 11. When my daughter stays out very late she says she stays at the girl's house. I do not know what to do, so I am asking your advice. N. Y. Z.

Out of just such suspicion and harshness as you show in your letter grows the lack of understanding between mothers and daughters today. Staying out until half-past 11 is not a startling or dreadful thing for a girl of 19 to do, provided that she is in good company and conducts herself properly. Of course, if a girl were to do this six nights out of seven she might not be fit for work the next day, and she would get foolish "gad-

about habits." It is easy enough to imagine that if your daughter happens to go to a perfectly respectable party and to be kept out a little late, she will go home with her girl friends rather than return to face the suspicion and anger and unjust accusations you are prone to make. The member of your family who needs reforming is you.

Hair Often Ruined By Washing With Soap

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rings out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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