

## News of the Week in Social Circles : Activities in Women's Realm

### Sextet of Lovely Brides Who Wed in Month of Roses

WHAT broader interest in life have we all just now than the many June brides? If you do not actually have one in your immediate family, surely some of your friends are numbered among the happy young people whose nuptials form such an important topic at this season of the year. If you have neither a member of a bridal party in your family nor a friend on matrimony bent, you must out of pure human sympathy be interested in the pretty young things and list to our tale.

Miss Martha Dale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Dale, whose marriage to Mr. Alexander Loomis, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Loomis, will be celebrated June 30, is one of the most charming brides society will

have the pleasure of greeting for a long time. She is vivacious, charming and altogether good to look at and to meet.

Pretty Miss Gertrude Kopald now Mrs. Max Lowenthal, was a bride of Thursday. Everyone who saw her in her lovely wedding attire exclaimed over her engaging simplicity of manner and her beauty. Mrs. Walter Wightman, formerly Miss Nelle Cahill, was a bride of Wednesday. She is the Liberty bond bride, for instead of a wedding trip her patriotic husband made her a gift of Liberty bonds. They had planned to travel to Honolulu, but now will go only to Denver, their future home.

Mrs. Clarence Nelson until June 4 was Miss Olive Myrtle Atkinson. Her marriage day was the same as that of Miss Margaret Yocum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Yocum, who is now Mrs. Emil Hofmann.

Miss Katherine Davenport is one of the pretty brides of this present week. On Wednesday her marriage to Mr. George Lorin Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Howell will be solemnized at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Clarke. Only relatives and intimate friends will be present at the wedding ceremony which will be an evening affair.

South Side society is interested in the marriage of Miss Mary McCulloch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McCulloch, and Mr. William Nixon, which takes place Wednesday at high noon. The wedding of Miss Mildred Cooper, daughter of Mrs. George M. Cooper, to Mr. Leo Brent Bozell, is another interesting wedding on Wednesday. Miss Margaret Parks weds John R. Wilson of Portland next Saturday.



Martha Dale

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Mrs. Walter Wightman



Mrs. Clarence Nelson



Mrs. Emil Hofmann



Mrs. Katherine Davenport

### First Exodus of Early Summer Travelers On

Mountain, lake, ranch and seaside call the fashionables to their summer haunts, now that the graduates have been graduated and most of the June brides have been wedded. Each departing train carries its pleasure-seeking company, while motoring trips promise to be more than ever popular this year.

Mrs. John J. Hanighen expects to spend the summer in Virginia near Fortress Monroe, where her son, John, has been stationed in the coast artillery. He was one of a hundred chosen from Fort Logan I. Roof to enter this branch of the service and left Friday morning for his post. On June 25 he will receive the degree of M. E. from Cornell. Mrs. Hanighen's departure will be delayed until her two younger sons have completed their school work. Cleary, who graduated from high school last week, will take his Harvard exams this week. Miss Hanna Kopald accompanies her brother, Rabbi Louis I. Kopald, back to Buffalo next week to visit the family of her fiancé, Richard Desbecker. In August she will be at their summer cottage in Chemong Park, Canada. Out-of-town guests at the Lowenthal-Kopald wedding Thursday have all departed for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Saxe of New York plan to be at Londonville, N. Y., until October.

Mrs. Harry Cummings has gone to Duluth to visit her brother before going on to Bamf and Lake Louise. Mrs. Cummings will return in the autumn.

T. C. Bruner has returned from Clear Lake, where he made some improvements to his summer home on Sunset Beach. Mrs. Bruner remains here for the summer. Mr. Bruner will go again later and remain until September.

Mrs. Arthur Mullen expects to leave the middle of the week to spend the summer on the Mullen ranch in Montana.

Mrs. Frederick Krug and Miss Krug of Fort Crook, accompanied by Miss Vice Coad, left last week for Dubois, Wyo., where they will be on a ranch of Mrs. Krug's brother. Miss Coad will be gone about a month.

Miss Florence Lacy left for Butte, Mont., to visit a week with her brother, Mr. T. E. Lacy. She will spend the remainder of the summer with her sister, Mrs. P. H. Wickham, on their ranch in Boulder, Mont.

Harry McCormick left Saturday for his Wyoming ranch.

Mrs. Josephine Cotton left Thursday to attend the graduating exercises at Wellesley. She will then go to visit a friend in Schenectady for three or four weeks before going to Chicago to spend the rest of the summer with her mother.

Mrs. Charles Marple and Miss Josephine Marple left Friday for Stead's ranch in Moraine Park, Colo., where they spent last summer.

Mrs. Harold Pritchett with her little daughter, left Thursday for Lake Minnetonka, where she has a cottage for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hundley have taken Mrs. Pritchett's house for two months, leaving the Blackstone, where they have been staying.

**Clarke-Thummel Wedding.** Mr. and Mrs. George Hamilton Thummel have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Stella Louise, to Frederick Werst Clarke at noon on Tuesday, July 3, at Trinity cathedral, followed by a wedding breakfast at Mr. and Mrs. Thummel's, when only relatives and some of the younger set are to be included.

There are to be no attendants except the maid of honor, Miss Katherine Thummel, and the best man, George B. Thummel. Mr. Clarke and his bride will make their home at Douglas, Wyo.

Mr. Clarke is expected to arrive from Douglas about the end of next week and there will doubtless be a

Mrs. Max L. Lowenthal

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### Social Calendar

**Monday—**  
Red Cross benefit bridge, Mrs. J. J. McMullen and Mrs. John T. Yates, hostesses.  
High school alumni dance at Happy Hollow club.  
Fidelis club card party at Happy Hollow club.

**Tuesday—**  
Browning-Dickey wedding.  
Women's bridge luncheon at Field club.  
Dinner-dances at Carter Lake and Happy Hollow clubs.

**Wednesday—**  
Bozell-Cooper wedding.  
Stirling-O'Connor wedding.  
Howell-Davenport wedding.  
Seymour Lake Women Golfers' luncheon.

Luncheon for Miss Martha Dale at Happy Hollow club, Mrs. Selwyn Doherty, hostess.  
Nixon-McCulloch wedding at high noon.  
Dinner-dances at Country and Field clubs.

**Thursday—**  
Le Mars club, dancing party at Keop's academy.

**Friday—**  
Carter Lake Bowling club luncheon.  
Dinner dance at Seymour Lake Country club.

**Saturday—**  
Wilson-Parks wedding.  
Dinner-dances at Country, Field, Happy Hollow and Carter Lake clubs.

Dinner for Miss Martha Dale and Mr. Alexander Loomis, given by Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gordon.  
Delta Gamma luncheon, Mrs. Coe Buchanan and Mrs. Brandon Howell, hostesses.

### Cupid's Darts

Rev. and Mrs. John Calvert of Benson announce the engagement of their daughter, Gertrude to Mr. Roy M. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Young. The wedding will take place in July. Mr. Young is a University of Nebraska graduate. Miss Calvert finished at the Benson high school in this year's class.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goth announce the engagement of their daughter, Clara, to Mr. Clarence Thrapp. The wedding will take place in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pitt Logan of Belgrade, Neb., announce the marriage of their daughter, Lois, to Mr. Alfred C. Kennedy, son of Mrs. Alfred Kennedy of Omaha, which will take place Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock. Rev. Edwin Booth of Norfolk will perform the ceremony. Mrs. Alfred Kennedy and family and Mrs. W. W. Grigor will be the only Omaha people to attend the ceremony. After a short wedding trip Mr. Kennedy and his bride will be at home in Omaha July 1.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cager announce the engagement of their daughter, Alice, to Dr. Sanford Gifford, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harold Gifford.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Malek announce the marriage of their daughter, Bess, to Mr. Charles C. Lukovsky which will take place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Church of the Assumption. After a wedding trip in the east the young people will be at home in Omaha.

### Society Enjoys Races and Masque; More Delightful Events Promised

Did you have an enjoyable time last week? With such a full week how could you have helped it? Of course, to begin with, it was semi-centennial week, featured by a sure-enough celebration down at the capital city, but then, very few of the women folks were interested in that. Men-about-town shook hands with their old friend "Teddy," a fact not particularly interesting in society, don't you know. Truth to tell, the very days that the celebrating was being done in Lincoln the crust of Omaha's social pie attended the all-absorbing canning school in the high school building. The story is in circulation, a man who vows that with his own ears he heard a woman say it, told the tale, that after her pan of peas had been cooked ten minutes (was it ten or more?) the woman asked her instructor whether she should take them off, and wash them! My, the man thought that was rank ignorance.

During the middle of the week we were treated to a little diversion in the form of driving races out at the county fair grounds. That was perfectly charming sport, you must know, with the excitement of "hosses" (they say that no self-respecting fan calls a horse a horse, it is always a "hoss"), the fun of watching the brightly garbed dark jockies, the shouting of the "Coney Island" men and all other attendant circumstances. For then society chose to grace the races with its presence more than at any previous time. The boxes were filled not only with racing men, wearing "owners'" cards, but with pretty, smartly dressed women. One of the most fetching costumes seen was the one worn by Mrs. George Brandeis, who occupied a box just opposite the starter's line. Her hat was one of the new white satin sports' creations which looked like a white flower with

tightly closed petals. Her summer furs were as appropriate as becoming, for the day was cold. A huge gray fur scarf completely enveloped the upper part of her figure. In another box Miss Eugenie Patterson was the center of a group of the younger set.

Pretty Miss Edna Peterson was very much in evidence as head usher and taker of Red Cross money, for all receipts above actual expenses, were \$1,000 in all, were turned over to the local Red Cross chapter. She and a bevy of other girls, among whom two of the most strikingly pretty were Mrs. Will Schopp and Miss Rita Chabot, acted as ushers for the boxes and later counted the pelt. The judges' stand was hung with large American flags, as befitting the occasion, and one whole side was painted in red, white and blue. Most exciting and most romantic, if not most admirable of the races, were the running races at the close. Our favorite jockey was a little bow-legged darkey with a round jolly face, who looked like a boy, but who had little tufts of gray hair sticking out from under his pink and green satin jockey cap.

Let, however, you should think that the races were the only important events of the past week in Omaha, we call attention to the artistic performance given yesterday afternoon for the benefit of the Red Cross and National League for Woman's Service, Mrs. Myron Learned's nature masque, "The Spirit of Walden Wood." Who could have failed to enjoy that pretty open air performance!

It was alive with the lightsome spirit of its charming author, whom we are proud to have in our midst. If more of us could be animated by her sweet, bright, sympathetic spirit the world would be a far happier place in which to dwell.

Society played twice this week. At

most eager to congregate, but here and there will be seen a group of old-timers who have not forgotten the ties which bind them to O. H. S.

The regular weekly benefit (you might think that we intend to make a church announcement) will be the bridge party for Red Cross and war relief which Mrs. J. J. McMullen and Mrs. John T. Yates are giving at their combined apartments on Monday. Those who have had invitations are counting themselves fortunate, because these hostesses have a reputation for delightful functions. Tuesday will be the resumption of get-together bridge parties at the Field club. Mrs. A. V. Shotwell, who managed the enjoyable parties held last year among Field club women, is again at the helm, which fact insures a successful season.

### Gossip of Visitors.

The Misses Sue and Mary Hulbut of Sedalia, Mo., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McCulloch, having come to attend the wedding of Miss Mary McCulloch to Mr. John A. Nixon.

Miss Anne Russell has as her weekend guests Miss Velona Pelcher of Long Beach, Cal., and Miss Lucile Gass of Lincoln.

Dr. and Mrs. Herman Sugarman and son, Jerome, of Los Angeles, Cal., are in the city for a few weeks. They will be at home to their friends this afternoon and tonight at the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Martin L. Sugarman. Bishop and Mrs. George A. Beech and Miss Ruth Beecher of Hastings were at the Sanford last week, having come for the Brownell Hall commencement. Miss Ruth Beecher remained here, the guest of Miss Emily Keller, while the bishop and Mrs. Beecher, accompanied by their other daughter, Elizabeth, who is a Brownell Hall student, and their son, Sanford, motored home Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Heber of Chicago and 1-year-old son left for her home in Chicago Monday night. Her mother-in-law, Mrs. H. J. McCarthy, plans to visit her soon.

Mrs. Luther P. Stewart of Fort Robinson, Neb., who has been the guest of Miss Margaret Riley for the last week, left for her home Saturday, accompanied by Captain Stewart, who came in yesterday. Miss Riley plans to spend a few weeks at Fort Riley later in the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Frank, nee Hazel Oberfelder, and Mr. Joseph Oberfelder of Sidney, Neb., spent the week-end in Omaha. The Franks were married in Denver last week and are enroute east on their wedding trip.

The Rev. W. Clinton Birmingham is at home from Taylor university at Upland, Ind. He will visit his parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. M. C. Birmingham, until next week, when he goes to take charge of a church in the western part of Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Sieg and children, Jane, Dorothy and Stanley, jr., of Des Moines, Ia., motored to Omaha Friday and are guests of Mrs. Sieg's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Twiss. They arrived to attend the wedding of Mrs. Sieg's sister, Miss Macbelle Twiss, to Mr. Harry D. Foss of Chicago.