



Society

Powell's Profiles
Miss Margaretha Grimmel, beautiful young society girl, has been chosen for the first of a series of studies by The Bee's artist because of her delicately chiseled features and the poise of her head, which make this profile study a work of art.

War-Time Weddings, Though Quiet, Continue To Be of Great Interest

War time weddings, though fewer in number, continue to be events of the greatest social interest. Aside from the benefit card parties which have been given, affairs on the social calendar continue to be most informal in nature.

But with the opening of the Fine Arts exhibition of paintings at the Fontenelle Tuesday, the Tuesday Morning Musical club concert at the Boyd Thursday evening, Mrs. Anthony Merrill's second lecture at the Blackstone Friday and the lecture which will be given by Dr. Richard Burton before the Fine Arts society on Saturday at the Fontenelle, it promises to be a busy week withal.

Judge and Mrs. W. W. Slabaugh have issued cards for the marriage of their daughter, Ruth, to George F. Engler Monday evening, November 26, at the First Christian church. The wedding party will include Miss Grace Slabaugh, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, and Mrs. Willard Slabaugh, matron of honor. Miss Eleanor Slabaugh, a younger sister, and Miss Mae Engler, the groom's sister, are to be the bridesmaids, while the best man will be Frank Engler, brother of the groom. Another brother, O. E. Engler of Plainville, Neb., Harry Koch and Willard Slabaugh will be the ushers.

Miss Barrett.

Miss Nan Barrett entertained at a shower at her home Tuesday afternoon in honor of Miss Slabaugh. Original verses accompanied the gifts which were brought by the 18 guests. Several future affairs have been planned for this popular bride-to-be. On Monday evening Miss Carita O'Brien will entertain at dinner at her home in honor of Miss Slabaugh and Mr. Engler. Mrs. Frank Selby will give a tea for Miss Slabaugh Thursday and Friday Miss Mabel Allen will be hostess at an informal afternoon tea for the same honor guest.

Smith will entertain at luncheon at her home Tuesday for Mrs. Rogers.

Miss Marion Towle, who is spending a few days at Brownell Hall before leaving for Philadelphia, where she will spend the winter, will be honor guest at a luncheon Wednesday given by Mrs. James Boyle.

PERSONALS

Mrs. W. R. McKeen will be home tomorrow from the east, where she has been since August.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foye returned Thursday from two weeks at French Lick Springs.

Miss Elsie Siemssen returned this week from visiting the Rev. and Mrs. Robert Flockhart in Cincinnati, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Millard in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harding returned from the east last Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Jaques arrived Wednesday from Chicago to spend a few days with her sisters, Mrs. Arthur Keeline and Mrs. A. J. Beaton.

Mrs. Charles H. Brown and children who have been at Great Barrington, Mass., all summer, will arrive in Omaha Monday and will be with Mrs. Arthur Keeline a few days before establishing themselves at the Blackstone.

Mrs. George Brandeis returned Tuesday from a month at the Blitmore in New York, where she was with her sisters, Mrs. Harry Bosworth and Miss Rogers.

F. H. Gaines returned Saturday from the east and Mrs. Gaines, who remained in New York, is expected back within a day or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Page are in New York and will go to Norfolk, Va., to visit his sister for a few days before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Coles, who have been in Virginia all summer, have recently been visiting his brother at Bryn Mawr, Pa., and are now with another brother at Greenville, Del., for two months.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry B. Lemere are east for 10 days.

Mrs. Victor White and Miss Louise White are at Excelsior Springs and have visited Fort Riley, Sump Funston and Kansas City by motor during their stay.

Mrs. F. P. Loomis has gone to Ohio to visit her old home for a month.

Miss Blanche Burke, who has been here with her aunt, Mrs. John McShane, for several months, returned to Portland, Ore., last week.

Mrs. J. T. Stewart 2nd, left Wednesday to visit her son, Dick, who is at St. Paul's school at Concord, N. H.

Mrs. Edward Buckner returned Tuesday from Mississippi, where she has been visiting her old home for several months. Mr. and Mrs. Buckner are at the Colonial.

Mrs. E. L. Harper of Carthage, Ill., is visiting her three sons, Charles H. Harper, Hugh H. Harper and Earl S. Harper, and her daughter, Miss Lillie Harper.

Miss Lillie Harper has just returned from Chicago and Kansas City, where she spent several weeks.

Mrs. Earl J. Harper and daughter, Miss Lydia Harper, have just returned from an extended visit with Mrs. Harper's parents at Palm Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Mirian Patterson Boyce is spending a few days in Chicago but is expected home this week.

Benefit Play.

Three benefit entertainments are scheduled for the week, the first one to be a bridge given at the home of Mrs. Charles S. Elgutter by Temple Israel Sisterhood, Monday afternoon.

Probably one of the most unique benefit performances of the month will be given Tuesday evening in the Guild room of St. Barnabas church for the Red Cross. The entertainment includes a piano solo by Miss Elinor Kountze, a recitation by Miss Margaret Lee Burgess, a group of dances by the proteges of Mrs. E. John Brandeis and a one-act play, "The Doll Shop," written by Mrs. Henry Dooley.

The scene of the play is laid in a doll shop in Paris in war time. The children who will take part are Miss Elinor Kountze, who will be the French doll; Miss Katherine Dooley, Russian doll; Miss Katherine Coad, German doll; Miss Margaret Wyman, English doll; Miss Margaret Lee Burgess, Belgian hare; Miss Dorothy Higgins, Jack-in-the-box; Miss Julia Caldwell, toy seller, and the Boy Scout dolls will be Gilbert Dooley, Laurie, George and Bruce McIntyre and Harley Moorhead, jr. The chairman on arrangements for the entertainment is Mrs. Harry Dooley and Mrs. E. John Brandeis is rehearsing the dancers.

Bridge Party.

The Hanscom Park War Relief circulates a bridge and 500 party given at the Normanly Warren Kirschbraun Saturday evening. Prizes will be given and a sale of foodstuffs will hold. The tickets are 50 cents and proceeds will be used to buy pressing materials. The committee in charge comprises Mrs. G. H. Hamilton, Mrs. George Wooley and Mrs. Hamilton.

Honor Guests.

The out-of-town visitors will be honor guests at several affairs during the week. Miss Helene Rubel of Minneapolis, who is the guest of Miss Kirschbraun, is one of the most popular of the visitors among the younger set. Miss Kirschbraun was hostess at a luncheon followed by bridge at her home in honor of Miss Rubel Saturday.

Miss Marr Here.

Miss Mildred Marr of Kansas City, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Louis Loring, is a former Omaha girl and it is expected that there will be many affairs planned for her. Miss Marr was honor guest at a luncheon given by Mrs. Warren Howard for the Dundee Knitting club last week, and on Monday of this week Mrs. C. G. Robertson will give an afternoon bridge for her.

Friends Who Are Leaving.

Omahans who are moving to other cities have been the recipients of much social attention. Mrs. Warren Rogers and Miss Mildred Rogers, who leave soon to make their home in New York, have been honor guests at numerous affairs. Mrs. Arthur C.

Settlement Work.

Several of the younger girls are interesting themselves in the South Side social settlement and go down every Saturday morning to teach the settlement children how to sew. Miss Hazel Updike, Miss Helen Ingwersen, Miss Gertrude Metz and Miss Josephine Congdon are four of the girls who are giving up Saturday mornings to this work. Miss Updike has offered to go down Saturday evenings to teach the settlement girls to dance.

Mrs. John W. Towle left Saturday evening for Philadelphia to join Mr. Towle. Miss Marion Towle will remain with Omaha friends over Thanksgiving, when she will join her sister, Naomi, in Chicago and go on to Ardmore.

Miss Eugenie Patterson, who went to New York to engage in Social Settlement work, has been made assistant head resident of the Central Presbyterian Parish settlement.

Mrs. Benjamin Harrison is spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Stevens, in Fremont.

Mrs. J. E. Summers is at the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago, suffering from a broken thigh, the result of a fall. Dr. Summers, who is with her, expects to bring his wife home in a few days.

Mrs. George Voss is instructing a class in Red Cross surgical dressings at Columbus.

Lieutenant Drexel Sibbersen sailed Monday. He was ordered last week from Sparta, Wis., where he has been in training with the field artillery.

Dr. and Mrs. Pierre Colon Morey have taken Mrs. C. H. Marple's apartment at the Angelus.

Mrs. W. H. McCord is visiting Mrs. James McCord, Mr. McCord's mother, in St. Joseph this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Thomas of Chicago arrived Thursday and are the guests of Mrs. Victor B. Caldwell over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John MacFarland have taken the Manderson house in Thirty-eighth street for the winter. Miss Elizabeth Black, who has been living there since the death of Mrs. Manderson, will stay with them.

Mrs. J. E. Dodds is visiting in Des Moines, Grinnell and Monmouth for a few weeks.

Mrs. L. J. Herzog will arrive Sunday to be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Katz, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Louis Leng of Portland, Ore., was in the city Saturday enroute to Baltimore, where she will spend a couple of months. Mrs. Leng was (Continued on Page Two, Column One.)



Miss Margaretha Grimmel
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Plea for the Half Soldier

By-products of human energy going to waste, when they should be easing the suffering American boys in hell-ridden Europe.

In the Red Cross work it is the custom, I believe, to have all the work done in the Red Cross shop. No part of the accomplishment is allowed to occur in one's home. For the rank and file of strong and healthy women this rule makes no particular difference, but to the really large company of women who reckon their vitality in small doses, and who find that the daily rounds of "musters" uses up nearly all the life force at their disposal, this makes the question of "how can I do my bit" loom pretty large. If, after the household tasks are finished, the husband off to his business, and the children at school, it is necessary to dress and take a trip on the street car—many women will find it impossible to make the added effort. Some days they might be able to go, but what is to become of all the half hours when work might be done at home. After these minutes to be thrown away as of no consequence? Are these women with their enthusiasm to be lost to the great cause? Is the amount that they can do to be overlooked?

The Half Soldier.

I am one of the half soldiers myself, and I realize how bitterly these women mourn that their health bars them from the 100 per cent class, and from promising their full share of relief work. For that reason I have interested myself in what it is possible for a physically handicapped woman to do, and I have discovered that it is a most amazing lot when broken up into short periods of effort. I have one friend who never leaves her chair; she is obliged by illness to remain in it; what she accomplishes is simply stupendous. Another friend is troubled with headaches—fearful ones, but what she manages to turn in between these attacks will ease many a suffering American boy in hell-ridden Europe.

Consider the By-Product.

It seems to me that no sincere effort should be rejected. We can't afford to reject the thousands of garments and gauze dressings that these "home-tied" women could hand in. A successful business man considers by-products. He lets nothing go to waste. How appallingly foolish to throw away odds and ends of human energy which might be utilized for such glorious achievement.

Everything nowadays can be sterilized, so the danger of infection is nothing.

This is a big war and its vast ramifications include a humanitarian management. It is not kind, nor is it the interest of efficiency to discard the worker at home

Fine Arts Society To Exhibit Famous Paintings in the City

The Omaha Society of Fine Arts announces an exhibition of paintings by foreign and American artists, to be held in the ball room of the Fontenelle hotel, for one week, beginning Tuesday, and closing the evening of the 13th. Tuesday, from 4 until 7 o'clock, there will be a private view for members of the Society of Fine Arts, the Friends of Art, the Art Guild, and representatives of newspapers and educational institutions.

After 7 o'clock the exhibit will be open to the public, and each day until the close, from 10 a. m. until 10 p. m. Sunday the hours will be from 2 p. m. until 10 p. m. A small admission fee will be charged.

The group of pictures will contain selected examples by Sir David Wilkie, Sir Peter Lely, Sir Godfrey Kneller, Corot, Daubigny, Rousseau, Dupre, Richet, Bondin, Bonnat, L'Hermitte, Dieterle, Weiss, Israels, De Bock, Bernard De Hoog, George Inness, Blakelock, Fuller, Martin, Keith, Ranger, J. F. Murphy, Dougherty, Dangerfield, Davis and George H. Boughton.

What Society Has in Prospect.

Trinity Parish Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Arthur L. Williams Wednesday. The members are taking orders for aprons, fancy and kitchen aprons both.

B'nai Beshurun society will give a dance this evening at the Auditorium for the benefit of the Hebrew school at Twenty-fourth and Indiana streets. Mrs. J. Lintzman is chairman of the committee.

Alpha Phi sorority will entertain at luncheon at the Blackstone Friday.

The Merry Makers club will give a dancing party at Keep's academy Wednesday evening

Social Calendar

- Monday—**
Dinner party for Miss Ruth Slabaugh and Mr. George Engler, Miss Carita O'Brien, hostess. Afternoon bridge given by Temple Israel Sisterhood at the home of Mrs. Charles S. Elgutter. Bridge party for Miss Mildred Marr of Kansas City, Mrs. C. G. Robertson, hostess.
- Tuesday—**
Pancratz-Engellander wedding. Thimble Club, Mrs. A. L. Patrick, hostess. Luncheon at the Blackstone given by Mrs. Charles Kirschbraun, Mrs. Morris Levy and Mrs. William L. Holzman. Luncheon for Mrs. Warren Rogers, Mrs. Arthur C. Smith, hostess. Red Cross benefit children's entertainment at St. Barnabas church, 8 p. m.
- Wednesday—**
Cinosam Dancing party at Scottish Rite Cathedral. Trinity Parish Aid, Mrs. Arthur L. Williams, hostess. Luncheon for Miss Marion Towle, Mrs. James Boyle, hostess. Marry Makers dance at Keep's academy.
- Thursday—**
Tuesday Morning Musical Club season opens at Boyd theater. University of Chicago alumni luncheon at Commercial Club. Tea for Miss Ruth Slabaugh, Mrs. Frank Selby, hostess. Fidelity club card party at St. Cecilia's auditorium.
- Friday—**
Le Mars Club dance at Keep's Academy. Amateur Musical Club, Mrs. George Barker, hostess. Informal afternoon for Miss Ruth Slabaugh, Miss Mabel Allen, hostess. Alpha Phi sorority luncheon at Blackstone.
- Saturday—**
Week End Dancing Club party at Fontenelle. Benefit bridge of Hanscom Park War Relief circle at the Normandy.

Preaching Now Followed By a Cooking Class

The women of Circle 110 of All Saints parish, Mrs. E. L. Burke, chairman, have hit upon a happy way to raise their share toward paying off the church debt. They have secured Mrs. O. L. Moulton of Kansas City to give a course of four lessons in war-time cooking at the parish house, beginning Monday afternoon. Mrs. Moulton will demonstrate how to use various cereals as a substitute for flour and give recipes for good, wholesome wartime dishes. The first lesson Monday afternoon will be on breakfasts; Tuesday, on luncheon dishes; Wednesday, on dinner, and Thursday on miscellaneous recipes. The newest and most up-to-date gas stove is to be installed for the demonstrations, and Mrs. Moulton will have an assistant. All the lessons will begin at 2:30 in the afternoon, and tickets for the course are \$1.50 and may be procured from any member of the circle or at Matthews' book store. The members of the circle are Mrs. E. L. Burke, Mrs. Reed Talmadge, Mrs. Albert Noe, Mrs. F. W. Clarke, Mrs. W. H. Garrett, Mrs. Edith Waerner, Mrs. Alfred Darlow, Mrs. Victor Caldwell, Miss Gertrude Young, Miss Grace Oddie and Miss Helen Hibbard.

For Red Cross Officials.

Mrs. Charles Kountze gave a luncheon at her home Wednesday for the Chicago women who came over to the Red Cross conference. They were Mrs. John Glass, Mrs. Charles King, Miss Ina Taft and Miss Ahrens, all of whom hold official positions in the central division of the Red Cross. Those asked to meet them at luncheon were Omaha women prominent in Red Cross work, Mrs. Z. T. Lindsay, Mrs. A. W. Jeffries, Mrs. O. C. Reddick, Mrs. Luther Kountze, Mrs. Howard Baldrige, Mrs. Frank Judson, Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm, Mrs. A. L. Reed, Mrs. Joseph Barker, Mrs. J. de Forest Richards and Miss Nellie Calvin.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. de Forest Richards gave a dinner at the Omaha club for the Chicago women, Clarence Hough and J. J. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kountze, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Judson and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barker were the other dinner guests. They attended the Orpheum and were then guests of Mr. and Mrs. Judson at supper at the Fontenelle.

Sunset Club Party.

The Dundee Sunset club was entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Joseph C. Lawrence Friday evening. It was called a "swap party," as each guest was requested to bring some article to exchange with another guest. Box luncheon was served, couples being obliged to find a box corresponding to a drawn number. These boxes, daintily filled and wrapped, were hidden in odd places from third floor to basement.

Gilgoly-McKenna Wedding.

Miss Ella McKenna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. McKenna of the South Side, and Mr. Ray Gilgoly were quietly married on Monday at St. Mary's church by Rev. Father Hallahan.

After an elegantly wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Gilgoly will be at home at 3221 Q street, South Side.

Friday Night Dancing Club.

The Friday Night Dancing club gave its fourth party last week at Metropolitan hall with 40 couples present. The club's schedule for the remainder of the 1917-1918 season now changes to the fortnightly plan and parties will be given on alternate Friday evenings until late next spring. The next party will be November 16, at Metropolitan hall.