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WOMAN'S SECTION OF THE BEE

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Society

By MELLIFICIA.—Jan. 17

One on Miss Dinning.
Miss Louise Dinning, former society girl, now serving as a Red Cross nurse in France, was always one of the most smartly dressed girls in Omaha. She was one of the first to start the style of the black velvet tam o' shanter, and Miss Dinning always looked particularly chic in one of these dashing little hats.

The good women of a large church in town were industriously packing a missionary barrel one day for a struggling minister's family out in the state, warm blankets, coats, dresses, books, food, shoes, in fact everything that one could possibly wish for went into the spacious barre. A luncheon was being served at the church and Miss Dinning, with some other young society girls, had dropped in for the luncheon. As the room was warm the girls removed their coats and hats. Miss Dinning laid her tam down near the barrel which was being packed and then walked off to chat with some friend on the other side of the room.

About an hour later, when she wanted to leave, her tam was gone. Everyone began to search, but the chaparral was nowhere to be found. Finally, one of the women exclaimed, "I put it in the missionary barrel!" The barrel was packed and what should they do?

With her usual tact and good nature, Miss Dinning laughingly said she was willing to donate the hat to the cause. Who do you suppose was the lucky owner of the pretty tam o' shanter, and to how many spelling bees and church socials do you suppose the hat was worn, out in some little town? It would be interesting to know now the original owner is wearing a white cap adorned with a red cross.

The Lepphardt Entertain.

Captain and Mrs. A. Lepphardt entertained at an evening bridge at their home Tuesday evening, the occasion being Mrs. Lepphardt's birthday. The guests of the evening included: Lieutenant Colonel and Mrs. F. A. Grant, Major Walter Stern, Major and Mrs. John G. Maher, Captain and Mrs. E. J. Kerfoot, Captain and Mrs. William H. Faringhy, Captain H. F. Kleine, Mrs. A. R. French, Mrs. D. K. Smith, Miss Katherine Smith and Mr. Kenyon Smith.

Theater Parties.

A number of theater parties are planned for the opening night of "Miss Springtime" at the Brandeis Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stevens will entertain at a box party and Mr. H. H. Fish will have a line party of eight. C. L. Sykes will have six guests, E. W. Hart and Dr. A. D. Dunn five, and four others will be given by C. C. Allison, W. H. McCord, L. S. Clarke, O. S. Goodrich, S. S. Carlyle, F. G. Smith, J. J. McMahon, Tom Ashton, Victor Caldwell, E. A. Higgins, C. M. Craven and W. H. Lowe.

Mrs. C. E. Goddard Entertains.

Mrs. C. E. Goddard was hostess at luncheon for the J. F. W. club at her home. Mrs. Woodruff and Mrs. Harry Potter were the honor guests. Beside the regular work of the club a miscellaneous program was given.

Bridge Luncheon.

Mrs. Rose Woodworth entertained at one of the largest luncheons of the week at the Prettiest Mile club honoring her niece, Mrs. Ida Herbolt of Peru, Ill., and Mrs. John Brown of Hannibal, Mo. Covers were laid for 30 guests at the luncheon table and the afternoon was spent in playing bridge.

Mrs. Hollo Will Entertain.

Mrs. Gus L. Hollo will entertain the Dundee Woman's Patriotic club at luncheon Friday.

Woman's Press Club.

The Omaha Woman's Press club will have as honor guest at its next luncheon, January 30, at the Fontaine, Mrs. Virgil Lewis, Baltimore young woman, decorated by both French and Russian governments for her services as a war nurse. Mrs. Lewis is in Omaha while her husband is stationed at the Fort Omaha balloon school.

The Brandeis Theater Players are planning to present as a curtain raiser the latter part of next week Mrs. Martin Harris' play, "When Jenny Comes Marching Home," which won first prize in the Press club's recent writing contest.

PERSONALS

Mr. W. A. Pixley is confined to his home with an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Julian of New York have recently moved to Omaha and are staying at the Blackstone for the present.

Mrs. Ida Herbolt of Peru, Ill., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Rose Woodworth.

Mrs. John Brown of Hannibal, Mo., is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Will Shriver.

Donkey and Cart Has Been Donated to White Elephant Sale, Jan. 30.

The white elephant sale which will be given in the Auditorium January 30-31 is creating interest in every section of Omaha. Mrs. N. P. Dodge, jr., has given a pet donkey with cart and harness complete. The children of her household and neighborhood declare that the donkey is no "white elephant," but the magnet drawing Dundee kiddies together.

Proceeds of the white elephant sale will go to the Omaha branch of the National League for Women's Service. During the last nine months \$7,347 has been spent for yarn and 3,437 knitted garments have been delivered up to date by this league. Mrs. Hiller, the prize knitter, has turned in 40 sweaters, but there is no more money for yarn. This sale, from present indications, according to committee chairmen, will relieve the situation and give the organization operating funds.

Spring on the Horizon



By GERTRUDE BERESFORD.

THE thought of spring clothes has already come "over the top" in the minds of women. Palm Beach clothes are being displayed everywhere. These early showings are a reliable barometer for spring and summer fashions. Foulard, combined with gabardine, is a favorite feature of the smartest street gowns. This frock shows a blouse of foulard, carrying white dots on a blue ground. A turned up border of blue gabardine splits at the side to give the blouse a chance not to "loop the loop," and the same thing happens on the deep reverse and belt of gabardine. The collar, cuffs and shield are of white pique, and the narrow skirt repeats the blue gabardine trimming of the smart little blouse.

Two Playlets Without "Stars" by Eighth Grade Graduating Class Friday

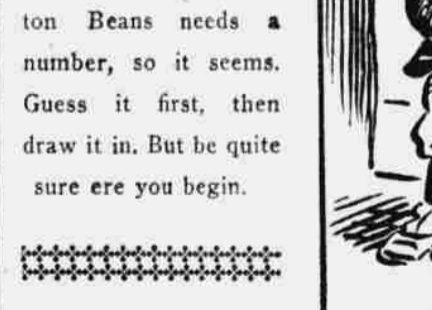
Two playlets without "stars," but in which each child actor takes an equally important part are "Nathan Hale" and "Little Pilgrims' Progress," which the boys and girls of the eighth grade graduating class will present at Park school Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Miss Julia Newcomb, their teacher, directed the productions which represent the term's work in English, reading, history, music and physical culture. Miss Clara Mason is the principal. The staging will be done after the fashion of the early Shakespearean days, with few properties and no scenery. The cast of "Little Pilgrims' Progress" includes Bessie Nugen, Virginia Ostenberg, Helen Ritchie, Marjorie Roberts, Cheryl Simpson, Margaret Willard, Virginia Duffield, Goldene DeBord, Jessie Craig, Laura Clark and Margaret Brown.

In "Nathan Hale" the actors are to be Marion Hain, Earl Kuncze, Harold Ledwick, Thomas McCarl, Phil Redgwick, Reed Tool, William Welpton, Herrick Young, VanWyck Benner and Dwight Lousdale.

Vesta Chapter. Vesta chapter, O. E. S., announces the first of a series of dinners which will be given Saturday evening at the new Masonic temple.

Philadelphia is to have a trade school for girls, in connection with its public school system, where young women wishing to enter industrial pursuits may learn a trade.



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When Milady Goes Shopping

A Word on Matching, Bargains, Skirts and Salespeople

By ADELAIDE KENNERLY.

DAME FASHION decrees that certain fabrics, styles and colors shall prevail each season. However, nothing but the God of Foolishness has ever suggested that a woman buy things because they were cheap unless she had a real need for them.

During the month of January, however, there are many lines of merchandise greatly reduced in price and by watching these sales the economical woman becomes a family purchasing agent and not merely a spender of hard earned money.

Hints. Don't try to match materials, stockings, gloves, or in fact any apparel or fabric with a scrap of a sample that is not large enough to take on the lights and shading of a complete garment. Such economy is misdirected and often proves a foolish waste.

Silhouette. There is no question that skirts will be longer, though not as long as some advanced models shown last season. Sorry to say that the width of skirts is to be materially decreased, this being necessary where tunic and redingote effects are used, but even straight skirts with plaits will effect a slim silhouette. Stout women sigh, and

Advice to Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

The Benefit of the Doubt.
Dear Miss Fairfax: I am 19 and have been going about with a man 29, whom I dearly love, and I know my love is reciprocated. I have just learned through a friend that he is married, although he denies it. He is going on a business trip and wants me to marry him and go with him. Will you kindly advise me what I am to do.

M. B. S. H.
For purposes of friendship you must give this man the benefit of the doubt, and not believe this story of him until it is proven true. But in order to protect yourself, your good name, your whole future, you must give yourself the benefit of the doubt, and must not marry this man until it is proven conclusively that he has not a wife already. He never urged a hasty marriage before, did he? His sudden haste, now that he knows you have been told he is married, makes me a little suspicious. Do not marry him until you have thoroughly investigated the rumor. A blunder now may wreck your whole life.

Dear Miss Fairfax: I am 19 years old and had been keeping company with a young man 29. We have known each other for several years and went together two years. We broke up some time ago about a dance. He is now keeping company with a young lady whom apparently he thinks much of. He had told me several times of his love for me and always wanted to kiss me one night. He kissed me on the lips, always. I would never allow myself to care for him. Although I have learned since I really cared. Do you think he truly cared for me? I would like very much to regain his friendship. Please answer in Omaha Daily Bee.

The young man does not care for you. Do not believe all a man tells you about his great, burning love. The chances are he likes to hear his own voice in a Romeo act. His goodnight kisses meant nothing as he would probably bestow them generously upon the lips of any girl with whom he happened to find himself in a secluded spot. Transfer your affections to a man whom you have not known so long.

Dear Miss Fairfax: Being two young girls we wish to ask your advice on a few subjects. Is it proper for us to both go with one young man to the theater, as we are both in love with the same fellow, and we are in doubt as to which one of us he really loves the most? How should we wear our hair when we go out to dinner? We are girls between the ages of 16 and 18.

TWO ANXIOUS GIRLS.
Certainly it is all right for two girls to be accompanied by one man. I can make no suggestion which will help you decide where to place the real affection of this young man, but perhaps he doesn't love either of you. If he loved you he would not ask the other girl to dinners and theaters. Wear your hair in the most becoming manner.

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A Fact. The modern idea of the business of selling is service to customer—the service of safe, sanitary, comfortable, attractive store, efficient sales force, courtesy, interest, co-operation. There is a service responsibility for the customer, too. Have you ver thought about this? Your co-operation is really essential if the store service is to be truly profitable to you.

Meet the salespeople with a human sort of manner. If they absolutely refuse to be human in return, then have no qualms about turning from them to seek a more "decent" person to serve you. There are certain salespeople who carry, more or less, a grudge at the world. They argue, sneer and seem determined to sell you exactly what you do not want.

Don't Battle it Through. Some personalities mix exactly like oil and water, or, to use the very latest expression, "like cats and dogs." It is not necessary to battle it through, but turn to another with whom there is a possibility of some mutual understanding.

There is always a way out of every difficulty, if we look for it, instead of blinding ourselves with anger. And the right way makes shopping a pleasure instead of a burden.

Dear Miss Fairfax: Would you kindly publish the resident address of Miss Marguerite Clark the movie star, in the next edition of your paper. Thanking you for the same, I remain, M. DALE.

Sorry, but I do not know Marguerite Clark's home address. Movie stars work in so many different parts of the United States and other countries that the safest way is to direct letters in care of the film company for which they are playing.

Mrs. Delia I. Borden is getting out the weekly newspaper at Burchard, Neb., her husband and brother have gone to the war.

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