

## WOMAN'S SECTION OF THE BEE

Honored well are charms to all  
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## Benson Society

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## Benson's Woman's Club.

The first regular meeting of the Benson Woman's club since the holiday season closed will be held at the home of Mrs. John Kurtz, 3116 Bedford avenue, Thursday afternoon, Jan. 14. Roll call will be responded to with current topics. The lesson study will be on the subject of "Americanization." Miss Thorngate, who took a special study course on the subject at Harvard last summer, will give an informal talk. Mrs. C. C. Beavers will read a paper on "What America Means." Mrs. Joseph Abbott is leader for the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Woolman entertained the Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening at their home, 5819 Corby street. Twenty-five young people were present and a dainty two-course luncheon was served.

## Belle Rebekah.

The officers for the ensuing year of the Belle Rebekah lodge, No. 308, will be installed Friday evening, January 16. Mrs. Louise Camp, district deputy president of the Rebekah assembly of the state of Nebraska, is the installing officer.

## Mrs. Neiderheiser Hostess.

Mrs. E. R. Neiderheiser was hostess to the Larkin club at a Kensington at her home Friday afternoon. Victrola selections were enjoyed by those present. Dainty refreshments were served.

## Miss McGuire Entertains.

Miss Helen McGuire entertained Miss Edith Chantry's group of Campfire girls at her home on Sixtieth avenue, last Wednesday evening.

## Baptist Missionary Society.

The Baptist Missionary society met last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Fuller. After the lesson study refreshments were served by the hostess.

## Presbyterian Aid.

Mrs. T. J. Woolman will be hostess to the ladies of the Presbyterian Aid society at her home 5819 Corby street, Wednesday afternoon.

## Miss Anderson Honoree.

Miss Ethel Anderson, who leaves January 15 for Paducah, Ky., was honor guest at a farewell party given by members of the Benson Baptist choir and friends Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Pickard. Music, games and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, made the evening a very enjoyable one. Just before the guests departed a leather traveling bag was presented Miss Anderson.

## S. S. Board.

The Methodist Sunday school board, consisting of 30 officers and teachers, will meet with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bowen at their home, 3107 Sixtieth street. A number of guests have been invited and at the close of the business session a social hour will be enjoyed, after which refreshments will be served.

## Banquet Guests.

Members of the Benson Woman's club who attended the banquet and reception tendered Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles and other officers of the National Federation of Women's clubs given at the Fontenelle Wednesday evening by the five federated clubs of Omaha were: Mrs. W. A. Wilcox, Mrs. Charles Tracey, Mrs. John Beavers, Mrs. J. W. Welch, who is a member of the Benson club, the Omaha club and also treasurer of the federated clubs of the state.

## Narcissus Chapter.

Narcissus chapter, No. 261, of the Order of Eastern Star, will be entertained at a Kensington Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and

## Community Center.

Members of the Benson Community Center met Wednesday evening at the auditorium of the city hall and a community dramatic club was organized. A teacher in dramatic art will be furnished by the recreation board of the city of Omaha. Any person in Benson wishing to take up this branch of study can do so free of charge. The class will meet Monday evenings at the City hall in conjunction with the Community Center Glee club.

## At the Hospitals.

Mrs. Albert Knudson underwent an operation for appendicitis last Monday at the Methodist hospital. Mrs. Charles Gustason is at the M. E. hospital, where an infected hand is being treated. Four drainage tubes were inserted in the hand.

## Postoffice.

The Benson postoffice station is now located in its new modern quarters on Military and Sixtieth avenue.

## The Whistlers Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Whistler entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huber of Kearney.

## Contest.

The Kings Heralds are conducting a contest for new members, both active and honorary. All persons giving 10 cents or more to the world-saving service is put on the honorary membership roll.

## Degree of Honor.

The Degree of Honor met Wednesday evening and elected the same officers for the ensuing year save the recorder. Mrs. C. C. Williams was elected to that office. Meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month in Sorensen's hall.

## Methodist Aid.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will serve a cafeteria luncheon at noon Thursday in the M. E. church. Mrs. Burford is chairman of the committee and will be assisted by Mrs. C. O. Hurd, Mrs. J. W. Thompson and the president, Mrs. D. C. Sturtz.

## Officers Elected.

At the regular meeting Thursday evening at Sorensen's hall these officers for the Benson camp, Royal Neighbors of America, were elected: orator, Mrs. Katharine Correll; secretary, Mrs. Katherine Brumfield; recorder, Mrs. Myrtle Glandt; marshal, Mrs. Edna Johnson; inner sentinel, Mrs. Abbie Werhly; outer sentinel, Mrs. Blanche Kohlest; manager, Mrs. Inez Yarton; musician, Miss Eva Hansen; physician, Dr. Parsons.

## PERSONALS.

Mr. R. B. Croft of Denhoff, N. D., who has been visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Claud

Glandt and Mr. Glandt, is now visiting relatives and friends in Aurora, Neb. Mr. Croft will return to Benson before leaving for his home in North Dakota.

Mrs. Jennie Paddock, deputy grand marshal of the Rebekah lodge of the district, assisted in the installation of the officers of the Dagmar Rebekah lodge, No. 142, and also of the Rose Rebekah lodge of Florence.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Rivett attended the annual dinner at the First Central Congregational church. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huber, formerly of Benson, now of Kearney, are visiting among old friends for a few days.

Mrs. W. A. Wilcox, president of the Benson Woman's club, went to Lincoln Thursday to be in attendance at the conference of the delegates of the Federated Clubs of Nebraska, which was called by Governor McKelvie to discuss ways and means to reduce the H. C. of L. Mrs. Maud Catterton, sister of Mrs. O. McGuire, left Wednesday evening for California. Mrs. Catterton will visit her brother, who lives near Los Angeles.

Miss Floyd Clippard, niece of Mrs. R. Burford, returns today from a month's visit in St. Louis.

The Misses Helen and Jessie Nason were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fenoy.

Mrs. F. E. Young entertained at dinner Wednesday evening for Mrs. Will Gridley and son, Calvert, of Humboldt, Neb.

Mrs. Charles Hooberry of Pine Bluffs, Ark., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Parker, leaves today to join Mr. Hooberry in St. Louis, Mo.

## School Forum.

The adjourned meeting of the Omaha School Forum will be held Wednesday, January 14, in the Central High school auditorium at 4. Community singing from 4 to 4:15, preceding an important business session. Reports will be given by chairmen of various committees and plans will be presented for the coming year. The membership committee, composed of one member from each school in the city, recently met its chairman, J. A. Savage, and Miss Martha W. Christianity, president of the forum, and exchanged valuable suggestions.

South American women are entering the professions and trades in ever-increasing numbers, but everywhere, including the large cities, the business or professional woman is obliged to carry a cold luncheon because there are no restaurants or cafes where women may go alone and get a noonday meal.

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## Back-Stage With Mary

Mary Miles Minter  
Reads Pictures

By FRANCES L. GARSIDE.

These are precocious times. Not so many generations ago if a man at 70 reaped the harvest of fame for which he had struggled all his life, the world thought it a wonderful thing that it came while he still lived.

And now along comes Mary, who has not only made her name famous at 17, but who has two names in electric lights to her credit! The name by which you know her

now is Mary Miles Minter; she began her stage career as soon as she could walk, and when she was approaching her teens her appearance was heralded as "the wonderful child actress, Juliet Shelby." That is her honest-to-goodness name. The stage folk change their names for various reasons; some because Bierbaum doesn't sound as well as Janis, or Koerber wouldn't stick in memory like Dressler, and Mary Pickford, because Gladys Smith might mean any girl in any town.

None of these reasons influenced Juliet Shelby. She changed her name

to defeat a very tiresome law, and succeeded.

This is the story: The child labor commission ruled that no girl under 16 could appear on the stage. The stage was this child's life, her career, and also her bread and butter. She simply had to appear on it, but how?

She was under 16; for a time there seemed no way of adding a few years to her shoulders. Then her mother, a clever woman, found a way out.

Juliet had a cousin named Mary Miles Minter. She had died at the age of 15, a year before. If she had lived she would now be 16. She would live, Juliet's mother decided, in the person of her cousin, Juliet Shelby.

So the name of Juliet was put on the tombstone, and Juliet took the name of Mary Miles Minter, and there you are. Simple, of course. Gruesome? Well, that depends on how you feel about it. One who has seen the Mary Miles Minter we know today cannot associate gruesomeness with the proceeding.

Mary Miles Minter (the one who adopted the name) was born in Shreveport, La., April 1, 1902. She made her debut on the stage with the late Nat Goodwin in "Cameo Kirby" and later appeared with Dustin Farnum in "The Squaw Man," with Robert Hillard, Mrs. Minnie Madden Fiske and Madame Bertha Kallich.

It was after this that she appeared in vaudeville in a playlet of the civil war. It made such a hit that the play was elaborated into "The Littlest Rebel." If you saw it you remember that you cried so hard, and others around you cried so hard, that you caught cold and wondered if you might not have to wade home.

She toured four years in this play, and while she was appearing in it as Juliet Shelby, the child labor commission necessitated the change of

name and it was up to the little girl to make the second name as well known as the first. She has succeeded.

The contract which her mother recently signed for her with a picture corporation is most unusual. She cannot appear in public enterprises; she cannot eat in public restaurants nor hotels nor attend a dance with so many guests it might be called a public affair.

She cannot have a sweetheart or accept attention from any man; of course, she cannot marry or fall in love. She cannot have social gatherings at her home. She must, in brief, lead as retired a life, when away from the studio, as if she were 30 and had lost the power of her limbs.

In return she is to be paid a handsome sum.

"It is not so much," she said. "Listen: This morning I was fitted for five dresses. They will cost me \$3,000, and I will not be permitted to wear any dress the second time."

"I take my money to a dressmaker; she charges me twice what she would charge a woman who hasn't the reputation for having so much. I have my dresses made thinking of how some man I don't love will make love to me in them, with the director telling us to make love as if we really meant it when neither of us means it at all. On the contrary, these forced courtships finally make us hate each other. I have no dreams of romance connected with my clothes."

"I wonder why the mothers want their children to get into the movies. There is a school room scene in 'Anne of Green Gables,' and we need 30 children for the scene. My dear, we turn away hungrily. Some of the kiddies feel so badly that I have them paying for them out of my own pocket. This is against my better judgment for I do not think the life of a moving

picture actress is a desirable one by any means.

"But the mothers! They do these little girls' hair up on rages; they hang ribbons and ruffles and laces on them till they look like Christmas trees; they even, occasionally, rouge their cheeks, and then they bring them to the studio door, and expect, in mother's pride, that the director will go crazy over what their efforts have produced!

The world is fickle, as everyone knows. There is a rumor among motion picture fans that it has taken to itself a new sweetheart, and that Mary Miles Minter is the girl.

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