

OMAHA PUTS UP A RARE PROGRAM FOR MUSIC MEET

Unusual Compositions Presented by Local Musicians For the Visitors at the Convention.

By HENRIETTA M. REES.
The classical program of the Nebraska State Music Teachers' association convention was given before a large audience at the Hotel Fontenelle Wednesday morning. Special interest was attached to the concerted numbers, which were unusual classics written originally for the instruments by which they were played.

Omaha Musicians Active.
These were a concerto for three pianos and string orchestra, by J. S. Bach, played by Cecil Berryman, Jean P. Duffield and Martin Bush, pianists, and a special orchestra arranged for the occasion, under the direction of Henry G. Cox; a dextet by Bach for three violins, three violas, three cellos and double bass under the direction of Ernest Nordin and played by Ernest Nordin, Louise Shaddock Zabriskie, Madge West Sutphen, violins; Eloise West, Emil Hoffman, Will Hetherington, violas; Edwin Clark, Ralph Kovey and Mabel Donlon, cellos, and Max Fisher, double bass, all musicians from Omaha, and a Beethoven septet played by Ernest Nordin, Eloise West, Edwin Clark and Max Fisher, strings; Walter Larsen, clarinet; John Taff, French horn, and Wallace Wheeler, bassoon.

Soloists Also Heard.
Rex Elton Fair of Lincoln played a flute solo. Harold Lewis at the piano, and Charles Steckelberg, violinist, Lincoln; Mrs. Louis Ormsby Thompson, soprano, of Central City, and Mrs. Maude F. Gutzmer, contralto, of Omaha, were heard in solos.

The afternoon session brought interesting vocal solos by Joseph B. Litkowski, tenor, of Omaha, and Miss Margaret Perry of Lincoln, whose voice is unusually warm and jewel.

Illness Breaks Program.
Owing to illness, Miss Hazel Gertrude Kinsella was unable to be present to give her demonstration of "Teaching Piano in the Public Schools," which demonstration attracted much attention at the State Teachers' Association convention. Mr. Herbert Schmidt of Lincoln repeated his group of modern numbers by request. Talks on musical subjects were given by Henry G. Cox, Sidney Silber, and Nicholas de Vore of the National Academy of Music, New York City.

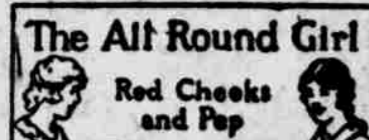
Following the program an automobile ride was taken over the city, and in the evening a banquet given at the Hotel Fontenelle. **Business Session This Morning.**
One musical number, a piano group by Miss Ruth Flynn of Omaha is on the program for this morning. It will be at 9:30, and is to be followed by the business session, when committees and officers will report, election take place, and the affairs of the organization discussed.

Cosgrove Surrenders To Police of Omaha; He's a "Salesman" Now

Salesman was given as the occupation of Jimmie Cosgrove, 1808 Grace street, at 2:30 yesterday afternoon when he gave himself up to police at Central police station on a charge of assault and battery. A warrant had been issued for his arrest on the charge three days ago. Cosgrove is charged with assault upon Thomas Johnson, proprietor of the Edwards cafe, Sixteenth and Davenport streets, last Saturday night.

On other occasions when Cosgrove was arrested for minor offenses he gave his occupation variously as fisherman, mechanic, chauffeur and peddler police records show.

For Boys and Girls



The All Round Girl
Red Cheeks and Pop
A Walk in the Rain.
BY MOLLY PRICE COOK.
"You're always starting something, Veral I do wish you'd be quiet."
"But mother, suppose I were an old stick-in-the-mud? I'm sure you'd rather have me the way I am."
"I suppose I would," agreed Mrs. Turner, "but you'll really stick in the mud if you go on that jaunt."
"What's the girl up to now?" asked Vera's father.

"She wants to go out in this pouring rain and all the mud! She'll get all wet and catch cold and maybe have the flu and worry me to death!"
"Of course I'll get wet, mother, but I'll soon get dry again. April rains are warm. The trees and animals enjoy the rain, why shouldn't I? Please let me go. The other girls are going."
"Let her go," said Mr. Turner. "Fix her up in a lot of old junk and she'll be all right."
So Vera had her way. She put on an old pair of shoes, woolen stockings, an old cloth skirt that

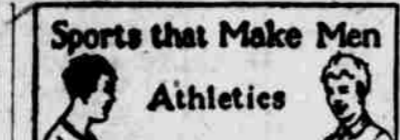


could be washed, a middy blouse and Brother Jack's old coat and cap. Five other girls in the neighborhood were decked out in the same way—and all six of them made a rare rainy day sight.

They met the doctor on the street. "Fine!" he said. "I can see some folks who won't need any medicine this spring! But don't stay in your wet clothes when you get home!"

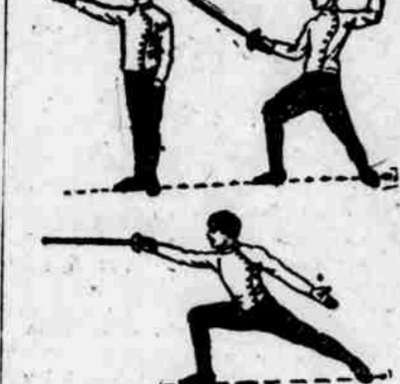
And their clothes were wet! They walked eight miles in the rain, through the suburbs and into the country. When they got home they left their shoes at the kitchen door and undressed on newspapers spread over the bathroom floors. A warm tub, a shampoo and dry clothes, and six rory-checked girls set the dinner tables in their homes, none the worse for wear, and with ferocious appetites. Each and every one declared that walk in the wettest kind of rain is the best April sport for girls.

Tomorrow: Railway Block Systems.



Sports that Make Men
Athletics
Francis Rolt-Wheeler.
The Lunge, in Fencing.
A foil should be held as lightly as possible, principally with the thumb and forefinger, the thumb lying flat on the hilt. The other fingers should lie flat on the left side, but should not grip. A foil should not be held any more tightly than the bow when playing the violin.
The first position or "salute" is made in two different ways: (a) Place both feet at right angles, the heels touching, the right foot in front and pointing to the opponent, legs straight, both arms down, the point of the foil nearly touching the ground. (b) Same as above, save that the right hand holds the foil at the height of the head, knuckles upward and slightly to the right, the arm straight.

The second position or "guard" from (b) is taken by dropping the right hand, knuckles downward, to the left hip. Take the blade lightly in the left hand, raise both hands level with the head, let go the blade with the left hand, and place the left



hand, half extended, rather backwards, keeping the hand in front, slightly lower than the breast, the arm bent, the elbow near the body, the point of the foil at the height of the eye. Advance the right foot two soles' length in front of the left heel. Bend both knees, poising the weight of the body equally between the two legs. This is the position for all guards. Almost everything depends on a good guard, attack and defence, swift advance and sudden retreat. The poise must be perpendicular. To lean forward shortens the reach and exposes to danger. To lean back causes the lunge to become a jump.

The third position or "lunge" is the attack. From the second position stretch out the right arm, without any jerk, on a level with the shoulder, finger nails upwards, advance the right foot a sole and a half further, stretch the left leg in the loins and left hip, and lower the left hand to a few inches above the left thigh. The right knee must be perpendicular to the instep, the feet flat on the ground. Balance must be perfect.
Control of these two positions was what made the great swordsmen of old.

Tomorrow: A Fisherman's Fly Book.



TWIN STORIES
BY
LUCY FITCH PERKINS
Dutch Twins Decide Not to Marry.
The Twins looked very solemn and went out into the yard. They sat down on the bench by the kitchen door together. Then Kat said:
"Kit, do you s'pose we've got to be married?"
"It looks like it," said Kit. Things seemed very dark indeed to the Twins.
"Well," said Kat, "I just tell you I'm not going to do it. I'm going to stay home with mother and father and you and the ducks and everything!"
"What will they do with the linen then?" said Kit. "I guess you'll have to be married."
Kat began to cry.
"I'll just go and ask mother," she said.
"I'll go with you," said Kit. "I don't want to any more than you do."

So the Twins got down from the bench and went into the kitchen where grandmother and Vrouw Vedder were.
Their mother was spinning flax to make linen thread.
"Mother," said the Twins, "will you please excuse us from being married?"
"O my soul!" said Vrouw Vedder. She seemed surprised.
"We don't want to at all," said Kat.
"We'd rather stay with you."
"You shan't be married until after you are four feet and a half high and are called Christopher and Katherine anyway," said Vrouw Vedder. "I promise you that."
The Twins were much relieved. They went out and fed their ducks. They felt so much better that they gave them an extra handful of grain, and they carried a bun. Father Vedder, who was hoeing in the farthest corner of the garden. He ate it, leaning on his hoe.
When they went back to the house, it was late in the afternoon. Grandmother was rolling up her knitting.
"I must go home to grandfather," she said. "He'll be wanting his supper."
The Twins walked down the road

as far as the first bridge with grandmother. There she kissed them good-bye and sent them home.
When their mother put them to bed that night, Kat said:
"Has this been a short day, mother?"
"Oh, very short!" said Vrouw Vedder, "because you helped me so much."
Then she kissed them good-night and went out to feed the pigs, and shut up the chickens for the night.
When she was gone, Kit said:
"I don't see how they got along before we came. We help so much!"
"No," said Kat, "I don't think—" But what she didn't think, no one will ever know, because just then she popped off to sleep.
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Pershing Voters—You have only three more days to register. Register today and vote for PERSHING OF NEBRASKA AT THE PRIMARIES, APRIL 20.—Adv

WHY?

Is the Balance Wheel of a Watch Made of Different Metals?
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The balance wheel is the heart of a watch. Upon it depends the operation of the other parts of the complicated mechanism. Unless this wheel is perfectly constructed and made so as to withstand varying changes in temperature it will not pulsate accurately and will soon cause the watch to vary so that it loses or gains time.
On account of the different temperatures which the ordinary watch must withstand, it is necessary that the balance wheel be made of metals which expand and contract at rates which offset each other. For this reason the wheel itself is made of finely tempered steel, while, set around the rim in such a manner as to preserve perfect balance, are bits of brass which act as a check upon the expansion or contraction of the steel. When it is remembered that the balance wheel of a watch pulsates back and forth some 432,000 times a day and that the delicate mechanism must be so adjusted as to withstand changes of temperature ranging from body heat to a number of degrees below zero, it will be seen that precautions such as the use of at least two metals are essential to the operation of a watch which will keep perfect time.
Tomorrow's Question—Why Is Wood Alcohol Fatal?

What Do You Know?

(Here's a chance to make your wit worth money. Each day The Bee will publish a series of questions, prepared by Superintendent J. H. Beveridge of the public schools, which you should know. The first complete list of correct answers received from an Omaha reader of The Bee will be rewarded by \$1; the first from outside of Omaha will win the same. The answers and the names of the winners will be published on the day indicated. Be sure to give your name and address in full. Address "Question Editor," Omaha Bee.)

1. Who discovered the Mississippi river?
2. By what body was Jefferson elected president the first time?
3. Name the publisher of Poor Richard's Almanac.
4. In what year was Fort Sumter fired on?

- (Answers published Monday.)
Monday's Answers.
1. Pennsylvania.
2. Thomas Jefferson.
3. Period covered by the administration of James Monroe.
4. Rutherford B. Hayes.

Man Sentenced for Reckless Driving of Auto Appeals
Assessed a fine of \$25 and costs in Central police court yesterday on a charge of reckless driving, Charles M. Anderson, 2452 Young Street, seventh street, appealed his case to district court.
Anderson was arrested Tuesday afternoon after running into Miss Gretchen Hart, 905 North Thirty-third street, at Twentieth and Douglas streets. Miss Hart was slightly injured.

Empty Crate Arrives When Recipient Expected Pedigreed Airedale Dog

Somewhere in Omaha is a heavy set, pedigreed Airedale dog, who escaped from the crate in which he was being shipped from Canada to H. A. Russell, Hillsdale, Ore., by a friend.
Instead of the canine buggle he expected to receive from Canada-land, Mr. Russell was presented with an empty crate at the end of the journey. He has offered the Humane society in Omaha a reward of \$50 for the recovery of his dog.
A. C. Watkins, messenger for the express company, told Humane society officials that the dog chewed his way to freedom from the crate.
"He just worked a board loose and trotted down the street," says Al Lipinsky, loader for the firm. Anyway, Mr. Russell wants his dog.

Lecture by Commercial Attache at Pekin Planned

Julian Arnold, commercial attache at the United States embassy at Pekin, may give an illustrated lecture at one of the Omaha high schools, on "The New China" during his stay in Omaha, arranged by the Chamber of Commerce and the Omaha Manufacturers' association.
Mr. Arnold expects to arrive in Omaha this morning, and will remain until the end of the week.

General Electric May Put Up Fixture Factory Here

A survey of employment conditions in Omaha was conducted Tuesday by H. H. Haines of New York City, representing the General Electric company, and J. M. Gillan, manager of the industrial bureau of the Chamber of Commerce.
According to Mr. Haines, the company may locate a fixture factory in Omaha, providing a suitable site can be found.
His investigations Tuesday convinced him that a sufficient number of girls to operate the proposed plant, can be found here. About 400 will be required, he said.

Labor Party Victorious in East St. Louis Election

East St. Louis, Ill., April 7.—Complete official returns today showed that the recently organized labor party was victorious in yesterday's municipal elections here and in Belleville, Harrisburg and Eldorado.
Reports from five other counties in the southern Illinois mining district indicate that the labor party is in the lead.



Thursday—a Great Sale of 500 New Spring Hats at \$7.50

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In addition to a wide variety of late Spring styles that bespeak Fashion's most approved modes, you will find that high character of tailoring and quality of fabrics found only in suits at much higher prices.
The season's leading materials are shown in all the favored shades at—

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Are as Popular as

Taffeta Dresses

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\$24.50 Up

Lovely Waists

Blouses that have "atmosphere" are here in all the lovely Springtime shades, showing original treatments at collar and sleeve with dainty silk, bead or yarn embroidering, at..... \$4.50 Up

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Our ironclad guarantee of satisfactory wear in Boys' Suits is making this the fastest growing Boys' Department in Omaha.

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With high tops and thick, durable soles; we guarantee satisfactory wear or a new pair free. Prices are moderate. The pair..... \$3.25 Up

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The vital mineral salts so much needed for repairing daily wear and tear and for building sound body tissues, abound in this food of fine flavor.

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