

## Clubdom

## Missionary to Speak.

Dr. Belle J. Allen, a missionary from India, will spend the week in Omaha visiting Mrs. M. B. Griffiths and Mrs. F. W. Stallard. Dr. Allen will speak in the Hanson Park Methodist Episcopal church, Twenty-ninth and Woolworth avenue, Friday, following a luncheon which will be given at 12:30 o'clock. An invitation is extended to all who may be interested.

## Biennial Affair.

One of the happy events planned in connection with the biennial meeting, General Federation of Women's clubs at Des Moines, June 16-23, is a "Flag Bearers" reunion dinner. The "Flag Bearers" are the state presidents of 1910. Mrs. F. H. Cole was the Nebraska president that year. Miss Georgia Bacon of Massachusetts, Mrs. Thomas Reilly of North Carolina and many others of equal prominence, are in the group. The dinner will be given at 6:30 p. m., June 17, at Hotel Fort Des Moines. Mrs. Philip N. Moore and Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles are honorary presidents of the organization.

Mrs. Le Roy Davis of Lincoln, Mrs. Dale Boyles and Mrs. Charles Edwards of Alvo are late addition to the Nebraska delegation to the Des Moines biennial, June 16-23.

## Omaha Walking Club.

Omaha Walking club will meet Sunday afternoon, 3 o'clock, at Fourteenth and Farnam streets. The walk will begin in Council Bluffs, Ia., at the end of the Manawa carline.

If plans work out as expected, the club will have an opportunity to view its summer camp site on this occasion. Members are looking forward to a "dip in the lake" at the end of the walk. Lewis M. Whitehead is leader for the afternoon.

## Reception for President.

Garfield Circle No. 11, Ladies of the G. A. R., will hold an informal reception in honor of Mrs. Martha A. Carmony, newly-elected department president of the order, on Wednesday evening, June 16, at the home of Mrs. H. Johnson, 1612 Willis avenue. All members of patriotic organizations are especially invited.

## Catholic Women Elect Officers.

Mrs. Arthur F. Mullen was elected president of the Omaha Council of Catholic Women at a meeting Thursday in the chapter room of St. Cecilia's cathedral. Other officers are Mrs. J. B. Whitaker, vice-president; Mrs. Charles Burke of Columbus, Neb., vice-president of outlying districts; Miss Lora Power, secretary; and Mrs. John M. Mullen, treasurer.

The next meeting will be held the second Saturday in September, when plans for the year's work will be outlined.

## American War Mothers.

American War mothers will hold a special meeting Tuesday morning, 11 o'clock, in Memorial hall, court house, in honor of Mrs. Alice M. French of Indianapolis, Ind., national war mother, who will be in Omaha for the day.

A luncheon will be given in the Quick Serve Blue room, City National bank building, following the



## Nebraska Club Leaders

With the biennial convention, General Federation of Women's clubs, being held in Des Moines, Ia., June 16-23, interest in the Nebraska federation is greatly stimulated. Mrs. John Slaker of Hastings is the Nebraska state president. She will go to Des Moines on Monday, June 14, to attend the preliminary meeting, remaining for the entire session. Mrs. M. D. Cameron of Omaha, general federation director for Nebraska, and Mrs. A. E. Sheldon of Lincoln, general federation state secretary and director-elect, will be prominent figures at the national gathering. Mrs. E. M. Syfer is one of a committee of three elected by the General Federation board from the United States at large, to control platform arrangements during the Des Moines meeting. Mrs. F. H. Cole will attend the sessions as adviser to the general federation department of civil service reform, as well as delegate from the Omaha Woman's club, railway mail service. Mrs. J. W. Welch of Omaha, state treasurer for the Nebraska federation, will not attend the biennial. Other state officers are: Mrs. Edgar R. Penny, Fullerton recording secretary; Mrs. S. E. Dewey, Fairmont; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Paul C. Berryman, Ord; auditor, Mrs. Elizabeth O. Smith.

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## Are Americans of Today Impolite Or Careless?

A woman who travels considerably by herself about the city reports that occasionally she is startled by hearing men who answer her queries as to directions address her as "ma'am." It is a custom, she says, she had thought had been forgotten entirely until circumstances caused

her to make repeated inquiries of strangers. According to this woman the use of the old-fashioned form is a sure sign that the man using it was raised on a farm, or at least in a small community, where mothers used to have quilting parties and cook delicious pies.

Children she finds are the most impolite of all. Even the earnest youngster who is anxious to help and intends no disrespect uses the mandatory or at least highly declamatory form of speech and a strong admixture of slang in replying to questions. Young girls, she says, are either hopelessly ignorant of general directions about the city or positively impertinent.

It is a sheer delight to her to meet one of the fast vanishing remnants of an old American race who answers the question of a strange woman by lifting his hat and ends

## Spring Thoughts

By LOUISE DRISCOLL.

Sunrise over the marshes, the marsh grass dried and brown.  
Sunrise over the brown roofs of a little town.  
Sheen of the dark marsh water, smoke from the chimneys where  
The morning fires are sending a word to the morning air.  
Smoke, the soul of the houses that with-out fires are dead,  
Food and warmth and a pleasant place to lay a weary head.  
I am far, far from the marshes and far from the little town,  
But I know that a gleaming mist of green is creeping through the brown.  
I can see the willow fringes and see the low roofs where  
The smoke comes out of the chimneys, and I wish that I were there!  
I can see the path that the plow leaves and catch the scent of loam;  
I am far, far from the marshes, and I wish I were at home.  
—Contemporary Verses.

## Booklovers

A bibliography of the writings of state university alumni and faculty members was begun by the alumni of the institution. This has grown through the past year and now numbers several thousand titles. The latest contribution to the bibliography is a list of the prolific writings of Dr. Edwin Maxey who has contributed between two and three hundred articles to magazines of standing in addition to writing six books. Articles in leading magazines of Europe and Asia; The Law Quarterly Review (London), the leading law magazine of the world; The Archives of Diplomatie (Paris), the leading diplomatic magazine in the world. The articles in the latter are in French.

Among the American magazines in which Dr. Maxey's articles are found are—The North American Review, Review of Reviews, Outlook, Forum, Arena, World's Work, World Today, Political Science

Quarterly, American Law Review, Yale Law Journal, Michigan Law Review, Virginia Register, Minnesota Law Review, Albany Law Journal and others. Articles in Asiatic magazines, Tai-yo and The Circle, Tokio. Article on Porto Rico in Guntton's reprinted in the Making of America. Article on Monroe doctrine and Venezuela reprinted in volume 20 of Great Events by Prominent His-

torians with the following note by the editor: "So we give here President Roosevelt's official statement of what was done. This is followed by an explanation of the part which the Monroe doctrine played in the dispute, the account of this being by Professor Edwin Maxey of the University of Nebraska who ranks among our foremost authorities on international law." Vol. XX, page 82.

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