

Society

WEDDING gifts have long been known to all of us, but the newest fad is the engagement gift. One of Omaha's debutantes is the recipient of a very beautiful gift given her by a young man in the set of which she is a member.

The girl is engaged to an out-of-town man, an army officer, and the announcement will be made on Saturday afternoon. As soon as this Omaha bachelor was told the secret he hid himself downtown and purchased a most lovely present for the betrothed girl.

She is a former Ak-Sar-Ben princess and attended an exclusive college in the east for a time. One of her sisters is married to an army officer. The other sister is now residing in the east.

Interesting Visitor.

Mrs. George Fingerson has arrived here from Fort Logan, Colo., to spend two months visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Donnelly. She was formerly Miss Mary Donnelly and at one time resided in Plattsmouth, Neb. Her husband, Captain Fingerson, is now stationed at Fort Logan. Miss Gretchen Donnelly, who had been spending some time in Fort Logan, returned home with her sister, Mrs. Fingerson goes Monday to Plattsmouth where she will spend two weeks.

For Mrs. Sidney Smith.

Mrs. Walter Klopp entertained at a bridge tea at her home Friday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Sidney Smith of Hartford, Conn., a guest at the John F. Dale home. Three tables were set for the game.

Mrs. A. W. Gordon will entertain at a luncheon of 10 covers at her home, Monday, in honor of Mrs. Smith, who leaves for her home the latter part of next week.

Wedding Anniversary Dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Lemere entertained at dinner at their home Wednesday evening, the occasion being their 14th wedding anniversary. Their guests were Colonel and Mrs. J. M. Bannister, Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Davis, Dr. and Mrs. Charles O'Neill, Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Casady, Miss Nannie Richardson and A. H. Richardson.

Society of Fine Arts.

The board of directors of the Omaha Society of Fine Arts entertained at luncheon at the Fontenelle Friday. Their honor guests were Sinclair Lewis of New York, who addressed the society at 4 o'clock at the Fontenelle Friday afternoon, and Frank Gardner Hale of Boston, whose jewelry is now on exhibition at the public library. Covers were placed for Mesdames Ward Burgess, C. C. George, L. C. Nash, Milton Barlow, W. J. Hynes, C. W. Russell, E. L. Burke, Alfred Darlow, F. A. Nash, John L. Kennedy, Misses Edith Tobitt and Nannie Richardson, Judge J. J. Sullivan, John L. Webster, F. M. Fairfield, Richard Stewart, Ward Burgess and Maurice Block.

Honor Mrs. Gray.

Mrs. A. F. Thomas was hostess at a tea at her home Friday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Carl Gray. Spring flowers were used through the rooms. Assisting the hostess were Mesdames A. J. Brown, A. C. Stokes, Charles O. Rich, Edgar Scott, E. L. Burke, Palmer, Findley and Miss Nannie Richardson.

Rag-a-Jazz.

The southern Rag-a-Jazz band of the University of Nebraska announces a series of five informal dancing parties to be given at the Fontenelle ball room. The first will be Saturday, April 9. Other parties will also be on Saturdays, the dates being April 16, 23 and 30, and May 7.

Clubdom

Sunday Outing.

The girls of the gymnasium department of the Y. W. C. A. and their friends will meet at Riverview park for breakfast Sunday at 9 a. m., weather conditions permitting. After breakfast a hike will be taken along the river to Camp Brewster, where lunch will be served. The walk will be led by members of the Athletic club.

Registrations for the hike should be made at the Y. W. C. A. office by Saturday noon. Hikers are requested to bring their lunch. A small fee will be charged for breakfast.

Parliamentary Law Luncheon.

One hundred and twenty-seven guests attended the luncheon, card party and kenoing given by the parliamentary law department of the Omaha Woman's club Thursday afternoon at the Prettiest Mile club.

Mrs. Patrick Gill, accompanied by Mrs. John Haarmann, gave vocal solos. Prizes were won by Mesdames Charles Hubbard, J. M. Lowe and D. B. Young.

Personals

Herbert E. Harris leaves next week for a short stay in Dayton, O.

A son was born April 6 to Mr. and Mrs. William C. Nollmann at the Methodist hospital.

A daughter, Virginia, was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Loomis at the Stewart hospital.

Miss Esther Kilpack of Council Bluffs will spend the week-end at the Kappa Delta sorority house in Lincoln.

A daughter, Mercedes, was born April 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Child. Mrs. Child was formerly Miss Lillian Byrnes.

Effie Steen Kittleson, who has been ill, is sufficiently recovered to return to her studio, which she did Friday morning. Her classes given by the will be continued as usual next week.

Dr. and Mrs. J. William Neville have returned from California to visit at the home of Mrs. Neville's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swearingen. Before her marriage last July Mrs. Neville was Miss Irene Swearingen. Dr. Neville for a time was an inmate in San Francisco General hospital, but recently has been located at Belmont, Cal. His future plans are indefinite. Dr. Neville was graduated from the University of Nebraska College of Medicine in this city.

University Institutes



Ethel Westberg

Miss Ethel Westberg is a member of the faculty of the University of Oklahoma at Norman. She was formerly a teacher at the Omaha Commercial High school. Her parents reside at Osceola, Neb. Miss Westberg writes enthusiastically to friends here of her educational work, saying: "A few years ago the head of the extension department here thought the university could be of greater service to the state if it held community institutes once a year in as many of the different towns and cities as possible. This year his dream was realized and we have just finished our 10th demonstration institutes. "The institute lasts three days in each place and consists of a staff of from seven to 10 people, a business expert who knows the business man

of today, a community expert who can see what will strengthen that community, a community and recreation worker, a woman specialist, a nurse and doctor to carry on the health survey and sometimes a "specialist" such as in agriculture. "Preceding the institute there arrives the nurse, who starts the health survey, a music specialist who "sings" gets the folks in good humor; the publicity man, and myself as field agent, who smooth the way for a successful meeting."

For Bride-to-Be.

Mrs. Morris Reslow entertained at a card party and linen shower at her home Wednesday in honor of Miss Anna Green, who will be married April 20 to Ellis Hassell of Milwaukee. Twenty guests were present.

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Saturday Specials. MEATS: Home Dressed Roasting Chickens, 20 1/2c; Choice Steer Pot Roast, per lb., 22 1/2c; Pork Loin Roast, per lb., 21c; Fresh Spare Ribs, per lb., 12 1/2c; Rib Boiling Beef, per lb., 7 1/2c; Choice Steer Shoulder Steak, lb., 15c; Swift's Winchester Lean Bacon, per lb., 29 1/2c; Good Breakfast Bacon, per lb., 17 1/2c; Best Creamery Butter, per lb., 46c. GROCERIES: SUNKIST FLOUR—Carry It Home—12-lb. Sack, 35c; 6-lb. Sack, 20c; Hershey's Bulk Cocoa, per lb., 17 1/2c; Baker's Cocoa, 1/2-lb. pkg., 14c; Pet Milk, tall, per can, 14c; Our No. 5 Coffee, 5 lbs., for \$1.00; Log Cabin Syrup, per can, 29c; A Special Demonstration on Olives, per can, 15c; per quart jar, 48c.

Mr. Hale Speaks On Precious Stones

Frank Gardner Hale, dean of the Arts and Craftsman society, spoke before the Omaha Society of Fine Arts Thursday at 4 p. m., his subject being the jewelry which is on display for one week at the Omaha public library.

Mr. Hale explained the various processes that precious stones are put through in varied and charming color effects.

Mr. Hale has on display 75 pieces of his own handiwork—emeralds, rubies and sapphires. Mr. Hale places at the head of the group of precious stones, beyond all question, the ruby, and when a perfect ruby of the right weight of 10 or more carats enters the market, it has three times the value of a diamond of the same weight, he says. The fact that a diamond holds second in place is the occasion of surprise to many. As most people know the diamond mines are in South Africa and they have revolutionized the diamond trade of the world and put the market entirely in the control of a London syndicate, the speaker said. Mr. Hale explained a simple test which was most interesting, in order to help the amateur distinguish a diamond. Scratching glass is not a good test, he said, as some papers will cut glass. An uncut diamond loses brilliancy when placed in water, but continues to flash with undiminished brightness. There is a saying "you cannot wet a diamond," a tiny drop of water on one of the facets remains rolled up in a ball and does not spread over the surface as it does on glass, Mr. Hale informed.

Afternoon Bridge.

Miss Betty Ringwalt will entertain at bridge at her home Saturday afternoon.

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The New Spring Shoes. May be of leather, of fabric or both, but in any case the popular styles are The Strap Pumps. Never in our many years of shoe business in Omaha has our stock been in better shape to supply the every spring wish of our host of patrons. Classy Style—Satisfying Quality are assured every purchaser here in our New Spring Pumps and Oxfords. \$6.50 to \$10. Perfect Shoe Fitting a Specialty. FRY SHOE CO. 16th and Douglas

Swim With the Tide. Are you swimming with the tide, against it, or just drifting through this life? Sometimes we meet folks who seem to follow the line of least resistance and yet are getting some place. It is because they have chosen the wisest of the three courses. They are swimming with the tide. It isn't the easiest thing in the world you know to even swim with the tide! While the tide may be going out, still the wind may be against you and breakers may be high! Swimming with the tide does not mean you are absolutely insured against derelicts, it does not protect you from the rollers that come one after another in from across the sea. of from the rapids in the river or the white-capped waves of the lake. Still meeting even obstacle, swimming with the tide lets you make the greatest progress when all is said and done.

That Boy of Yours. You work for him by day and dream of him at night. He is your incentive. You want him to miss the knocks you have had and enjoy the pleasures you missed. Making a man of that boy is the finest thing you will ever do. We have one, too, and we had our boy and yours in mind when we selected our STEEL SHOD SHOES for boys. They are the best made shoes of high grade leather on the market. They are a man's shoe in style—in quality they will outwear two pairs of ordinary boys' shoes. That is why they are the cheapest boys' shoes you can buy. Tomorrow is Saturday. That Boy of yours needs a pair of shoes. Fit him out with STEEL SHOD SHOES tomorrow. Boys' Sizes, 1 to 5 1/2... \$4.00 Little Men's, 10 to 13 1/2... \$3.50 DREXEL SHOE CO. 1419 Farnam

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New Arrivals in Moderately Priced Spring Dresses. With the return of our Buyer from the East new mid-season styles in Dresses are arriving daily. The lovely silken fabrics in many colors have been made up into wonderfully becoming frocks. \$19.50--\$24.50 Up. New Suits--- Recent arrivals show new and original treatments in line and trimming that are smart looking and in excellent taste. The prices are reasonable, too. \$24.50 UP. Spring Coats--- You will feel more at ease this summer if you have a smart coat for evening wear. Soft materials have been tailored into the most bewitching styles. \$14.75 UP. ---A SALE--- Of Spring Millinery. A splendid collection of late, midseason models in large and small shapes, on sale Saturday, at \$4.95, \$5.45, \$5.95 Up. Charge Accounts Invited. Women's Pumps and Oxfords, new spring lasts, in all the fashionable leathers and colors are here moderately priced, at a pair \$5.95 up