

Special Rates For Club Women

Mrs. Felix McWhirter of Indianapolis, Ind., transportation chairman G. F. W. C. has issued the following bulletin of information for the use of club women planning to attend the General Federation council meeting at Salt Lake City, June 12-18:

Summer tourist fares will be effective generally throughout the east, south and middle states to Salt Lake City, the National Parks, and Pacific coast, on a basis of approximately a fare of one and one-third for the round trip. Tickets on sale daily commencing June 1, 1921, with final return limit October 31, 1921. Stop-overs will be allowed at all points in the west in either direction and tickets may be issued over one direct route and returning via another direct route.

Persons desiring to make the trip to the Pacific coast should purchase tickets to that destination and use stop-over privilege for Salt Lake City.

Persons desiring to go to Yellowstone National park should purchase tickets through to West Yellowstone and use stop-over privilege at Salt Lake City. Tickets to West Yellowstone will sell for less than tickets to Salt Lake City. Those purchasing tickets for West Yellowstone (this west entrance to Yellowstone park) using stop-over at Salt Lake City, may be routed to return through one of the other entrances, either out of the park at Cody, Wyo., or Gardiner, Mont.

Those purchasing tickets through to the Pacific coast may be routed via Salt Lake City and return by a northern route or a southern route with stop-overs where desired. Many will wish to stop at the Grand Canyon of Arizona. A cordial invitation has been extended by the club women of Santa Fe, N. M., to club women attending the council meeting to include a stop-over at Santa Fe.

A stop-over of 24 hours at Colorado Springs is being arranged. The invitation for a drive about the city extended by the Colorado Springs club women to the federation club women passing through will be accepted. The plan is to leave Denver at 8:15, June 9, arriving at Colorado Springs at 10:32 a. m., leaving there at 10:57 a. m., June 10, in time to see by daylight the Royal Gorge and grandeur of the Rockies that afternoon, arriving in Salt Lake City at 12:25 noon, June 11.

All Nebraska club women wishing to accept the invitation to the Colorado Springs club women should notify the state transportation chairman, Mrs. W. Leroy Davis, 1802 B street, Lincoln, before May 25, as it is important that she know exactly how many will be guests for the drive given by the Colorado Springs club women.

Awards Are Made In Poetry Contest

Miss Alice Sherry of South Sioux City won the first prize of \$25 in the poetry contest conducted by the literature department of the Third district, Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs. Miss Helen Guthrie of Central City was awarded second prize of \$16. The contest, which was open to school children, was on the tercentenary of the landing of the Pilgrim Fathers. Nearly 50 poems were submitted.

John G. Neihardt of Bancroft, well-known poet, served as chairman of the judges committee which included Miss Jessie Towne, dean of women at Omaha Central High school, and Miss Olivia Pound of the Lincoln High school faculty.

Following are the prize winning poems:

THE FLOWER OF LIBERTY.

(First Prize.)
A plant which tyrants call a poisonous weed,
Has lived since ever mankind had its seed,
Though crushed and trampled by the feet
Of war, or burned by flame or cut off close to earth,
Its roots deep down in the soil whence
man was formed,
Has grown again by every peasant's heart.

On England's rocky shores in days of old
Its stunted growth denied both sun and rain,
Kind clouds transplanted it to kinder soil,
Where it might bloom and flourish once again,
But now 'twas crowded by such heathy growth,
The hope that it might bloom seemed still in vain.

Once more 'twas lifted from the parent soil
And carried far across the stormy sea;
Watered by tears and warmed by human love,
Proudly it grows where all the world may
see its bloom—the sweetest man has ever known—
Red, White and Blue, the Flower of Liberty.

THREE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

(Second Prize.)
Long ago a band of fearless Pilgrims,
Leaving home and friends behind them,
Turned their faces west to sea,
Just a free, unhampered right to love and
serve their maker,
This alone their quest.

Year by year the magic of their love
wrought wonders,
And the God they sought for heard them pray,
Listened when they knelt together, hopeful,
parents of our first Thanksgiving day.
Anxious hours and troubled days sped by
them,
A hundred years still found them unafraid,
Axes swinging, candles flick'ring, fields
a-blooming,
Tolling on, their sons and daughters
praying.

Highways, byways, homes and fields
a-blooming!
Love and freedom! Every man a king!
Happy children "singled in his heaven!"
Wonder thou the angels sing?

Over the gleaming world dim Pilgrims
springs have,
Listening to the murmur of their children's
weal and woe,
"So the spirits smile? Aye—
The Pilgrims Fathers failed three hundred
years ago."

Omaha Walking Club.

Under the leadership of Harry Kohout the Omaha Walking club will explore new territory Sunday afternoon. The hikers will start at 3:30 o'clock from the north end of the Florence car line.

This walk will be northeast from the starting point, following for a short distance a cinder covered road, after which the route will break into the woods and hills northeast of Florence, coming out on the River road, one and a half miles south of Nathan's lake.

A Traveler Abroad



Miss Minnie Stedinger leaves Sunday for a year abroad. She will visit friends in Rockford, Ill., en route. The journey from Detroit to Buffalo and from Albany to New York City will be made by boat. Miss Stedinger has relatives whom she will visit in Germany and a friend in Sweden with whom she will spend some time.

Miss Stedinger is the daughter of Ferdinand Stedinger. She speaks German fluently and has a conversational use of the Swedish language. She will visit all the countries of Europe before her return, according to present plans. Many affairs have been given in her honor during the past week.

American Water Colors on Exhibit

The rotary exhibition from the American Water Color society's 1921 exhibition which has been brought to Omaha by the Omaha Society of Fine Arts, is open to the public and hangs in the Omaha public library. The library is open Sundays from 2 until 6 o'clock. Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm, chairman of the exhibition committee, will be in charge at this time. The hours during the week are from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m.

There are 98 water colors in the exhibition done by the leading artists of the country. Among the exhibitors are Clara MacChesney, whose work hangs in many of the leading art clubs from coast to coast. Eliot Clark is another exhibitor. His work, "Rolling Country," is owned by ex-President Woodrow Wilson and now hangs in his new home in Washington, D. C. Louis E. Bernecker, a western artist and pupil of Laurens, Paris, has three water colors in the exhibition.

Among other well known artists, who are known to the Omaha art lovers, who have work hung, are Nathilda Browne, Jane Peterson, Edward Posthast, Emily Groom, Charles Gruppe, Glenn Newell and William Starkweather. Mrs. B. B. Davis will be in charge of the exhibit Monday and Tuesday. Mrs. A. S. Rogers, Wednesday and Thursday, and Mrs. D. A. Meaders Friday and Saturday.

The exhibit will be at the library until May 27 when it will be sent to the Corcoran Art gallery, Washington, D. C.

Get Acquainted Club.

The Get Acquainted club meets Sunday evening, 7 o'clock, at the First Unitarian church, Turner boulevard and Harney streets. Mr. and Mrs. Dwight L. Cramer will receive the guests.

The program will include piano solos by Majorie Mellwain, Helen Schellberg, Phalen Shirley and Stanton Kennedy; readings, L. M. Wilkinson; vocal numbers, Mrs. R. B. Tedrow, accompanied by Mrs. W. P. Old's community singing and games. Refreshments will be served during social hour.

The club is non-sectarian and open to all strangers and lonely folk in the city.

Federated Clubs

The first year book for the season 1921-22 to reach the club editor is that of the Tuesday Review club of Lincoln, whose members will make a study next season of the "Evolution of Religion in the Poems of Robert Browning," under the leadership of Mrs. Addison E. Sheldon, director for Nebraska in the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

The Tuesday Review club was organized in 1895. Officers for the coming year are Mrs. A. W. Richardson, president; Mrs. C. P. Peterson, vice president; Mrs. H. Brownell, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. B. Stephenson, corresponding secretary, and Mesdames A. E. Sheldon, W. T. Elmore, M. E. Vance and Stephenson, program committee.

Parties for Field Club Formal Opening

Dr. and Mrs. William N. Anderson will entertain 24 guests at the opening dinner-dance at Field club Saturday evening, May 21. Charles W. Martin will have 10 guests; Allan Parmer, 12; E. Phipps, 10; Guy L. Smith, 10; Harley Conant, 10; O. M. Smith, 8; M. T. Schwartz, 6; Sam Reynolds, 6, and W. R. Alleman, 6. Foursomes will be entertained by C. Griffy Blaine Young, W. W. Drummy, Guy Williams, R. L. Hyde, M. M. Levings and Douglas Bowie. A number of Dutch treat parties are planned. William Maloney has made reservations for one of 20 covers; O. F. Goodrich, 22, and James Trimble, 14.

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Organize Guild Of Fourteen Seals

The Guild of Fourteen Seals, an honorary chautauqua society, will be organized Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. B. Howard, 4722 Capitol avenue. The seals are awarded for regular and special chautauqua work. Members of Omaha circles who are eligible to membership in the guild include Mesdames Howard, C. R. Harper, George Condon, Fred Elliott, Jr., and the Misses Abigail Manning, Mary Ellen Wallace and Gertrude Bailey.

The guild, which plans to meet bimonthly will probably study Shakespeare next season. Mrs. Walter T. Loomis of Des Moines, Ia., formerly of Omaha, will be honor guest at the meeting Saturday. Mrs. Loomis is a member of the Des Moines chapter of the Guild of Fourteen Seals.

The Clio club, of which Mrs. Charles Powell is president, will take up chautauqua work next year and will be known as the Clio Chautauqua circle. The club, which was organized 21 years ago, is one of the oldest study clubs in the city.

The Roosevelt circle will hold its annual picnic and election of officers Saturday afternoon at Miss Jessie Stitt's cabin near Child's Point, on the river. J. T. Morey will give a talk on "Chemistry" at the High School of Commerce, Eighteenth and Jones streets, Monday afternoon for members of the Tennyson circle. The circle will hold its regular meeting Monday, 1:30 p. m., at the Y. W. C. A.

The following books will be studied in the chautauqua circles next season: "Common People of Ancient Rome," by Frank Frost Abbott; "Greece and the Aegian

Weekly Club Calendar

SUNDAY.

Camp Brewster—Sunday, formal opening of Y. W. C. A. summer camp, American Women's Overseas League, Omaha Unit—Sunday, 1 o'clock, with Mrs. C. T. Kountze, 3955 Dewey avenue. Omaha Theological Society—Sunday, 3 p. m., 215 Leffing building, Sixteenth and Capitol avenue. Winfield S. Marr will speak on "Fundamental Principles of Theology." Old People's Home, Fontenelle Boulevard—Sunday, 2:30 p. m., Rev. Ezra Dunbar, 215 Leffing building, Sixteenth and Capitol avenue. Open to the public. Exhibit of Water Colors—Sunday, 2 to 6 p. m., work days, 9 a. m. to 5:30 p. m., public library under auspices of Omaha Society of Fine Arts. Omaha Walking Club—Sunday, 2:30 p. m., from north end of Florence car line. The walk will be through the woods and hills north of Florence. Harry Kohout, leader. Get-acquainted Club—Sunday, 7 p. m., First Unitarian church, Turner boulevard and Harney streets. Program of music, residence and games. Open to all strangers and lonely folk.

MONDAY.

Royal O. B. C. Club—Monday evening, Social Settlement house, supper and entertainment. Bishop Vincent Chautauqua Circle—Monday, 7:15 p. m., thro floor conference. Dundee Woman's Patriotic Club—Monday, 7 o'clock luncheon, with Mrs. B. Lady, 2611 Chicago street. Miss Lusa Chautauqua Circle—Monday, 2 p. m., with Mrs. William Schoolman, 2527 North Twentieth street. Mrs. E. L. Flatter, leader. P. E. O. Sisterhood, Chapter B. S.—Monday, 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. Cecelia Townsend, 1218 South Twentieth avenue. Topic, "Rugby Kipling." Mrs. B. R. Vanderlippe, leader. Tennyson Chautauqua Circle—Monday,

Islands," Philip F. Medden; "New Map of Asia," Herbert Adams Gibbons; "Psychology and the Day's Work," Edgar James Swift.

To Entertain Husbands.

Members of Chapter B. K. of the P. E. O. Sisterhood will entertain their husbands at a 7 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. W. W. Kynett, 24 Bluffs street, Council Bluffs.

TUESDAY.

Loomis Chautauqua Circle—Tuesday, 2 p. m., Y. W. C. A. Omaha Business Women's Club—Tuesday, 8:15 p. m., Y. W. C. A. U. S. Grant W. R. C.—Tuesday, 1:30 p. m., Memorial hall, court house. 21 Club Zanzibar—Tuesday evening, with Miss Jane Bowen, 2417 Dodge street. H. E. L. P. Club—Tuesday evening, Social Settlement house, supper and dramatic art. Omaha Spanish Club—Tuesday, 8 p. m., 222 Atterton block, Seventeenth and Barnum streets. Alice B. Howard Chautauqua Circle—Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., with Mrs. Howard, 4722 Capitol avenue. Dundee Morning Chautauqua Circle—Tuesday, 9:15 a. m., with Mrs. R. A. McFarlane, 6516 Miami street. P. E. O. Sisterhood, Chapter B. S.—Tuesday, 1 o'clock luncheon, with Mrs. W. A. Gordon, 4520 California street.

WEDNESDAY.

La Salle Club—Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Chamber of Commerce, Parlor A. Alpha Tau Omega—Wednesday, 12 to 1:30 p. m., luncheon, Chamber of Commerce. N. X. A. P. P. Y. Club—Wednesday evening, sewing class, Social Settlement house. Omaha Club—Wednesday, 2 p. m., with Mrs. E. K. Williams, 4219 North Twenty-first street. Omaha Business Women's Club Annual May Breakfast—Wednesday, 7 to 9 a. m., auditorium of Y. W. C. A. Dundee Chautauqua Circle—Wednesday, 2 p. m., with Mrs. Helen K. Morton, 1062 North Forty-ninth street. P. E. O. Sisterhood, Chapter B. K.—Wednesday, 7 o'clock dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kynett, 24 Bluffs street. Council Bluffs. Husbands of members will be honor guests. Lecture on Modern History—Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., Dueschne college and Convict Sacred Heart, Thirty-sixth and Burr streets. The Rev. Alfred Kauffman, of Creighton university, speaker. The public is invited. Omaha Women's Club, R. M. S.—Wednesday, 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. J. G. McNichols, 2157 Webster street. Mrs. G. E. Leach, leader. Annual contribution to Omaha High school scholarship fund will be made at this time. Miller Park Mothers' Circle—Wednesday, 3 p. m., school auditorium. Teaching

THURSDAY.

W. I. L. Club—Thursday, 7 p. m., Social Settlement house. Liberty Chapter Kensington—Thursday afternoon, Red Cross rooms, Masonic temple. Leavenworth Heights Chautauqua Circle—Thursday, 2 p. m., with Mrs. J. C. Lawton, 2945 Harris street. West Side W. C. T. U.—Thursday, 2 p. m., with Mrs. E. O. Groom, 1325 South Fifth street. Topic, "Social Meeting and Red Letter Days." P. E. O. Sisterhood, Chapter E.—Thursday, 1 o'clock luncheon, with Mrs. G. W. Harvey, 1118 North Fortieth street. Mrs. R. Scott, assistant hostess. Mothers' Guild for Homeless Boys—Thursday, 2 p. m., members will see during the afternoon at Father Flanagan's Boys' home, 4266 South Thirtieth street. New Chautauqua Society—Saturday afternoon with Mrs. W. R. Howard, 4722 Capitol avenue. Guild of the Fourteen Seals will be organized. Seals are awarded for regular and special chautauqua work.

FRIDAY.

Federal Art Club—Friday, 8 p. m., Y. W. C. A.

PHI KAPPA PSI—Friday noon luncheon, University club.

Round Table Chautauqua Circle—Friday, 1:15 p. m., Y. W. C. A. Longfellow Chautauqua Circle—Friday, 1:15 p. m., court house, Ella Council, leader. Lecture on French Literature—Friday, 4 p. m., Dueschne college and Convict Sacred Heart, Thirty-sixth and Burr streets. The public is invited. Lowe Avenue Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society—Friday, 2:30 p. m., with Mrs. G. W. Harvey, 1118 North Fortieth street. Mrs. J. M. Patton, devotional leader. Mrs. A. P. Ernst will have charge of session, "Latin America." Omaha Walking Club—Saturday, 3 p. m., end of Albright car line over walking club trail to cabin at Wiley Point. Leq. Bostel, leader. Kappa Sigma Club of Omaha and Council Bluffs—Saturday, 12:30 to 2 p. m., luncheon and meeting, University club. Roosevelt Chautauqua Circle—Saturday afternoon picnic and election of officers, at cabin of Miss Jessie Stitt, near Child's Point. Association of Collegiate Alumnae—Saturday, 1 o'clock luncheon, followed by musical program at Happy Hollow club. Annual business meeting and election of officers will be held preceding musical.



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