

Society

Brennan-Haller. The wedding of Miss Zita Haller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Haller, and Dr. Raymond J. Brennan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brennan, son of Bonner Springs, Kan., was solemnized last Wednesday morning at St. John's church, Rev. Fitz George Dineen officiating.

Miss Teresa Haller, sister of the bride, and Dr. John Chaloupka were the only attendants. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Margaret E. Budge played the wedding march and several organ selections and Mr. John J. Janieson sang two solos.

The groom will graduate from Creighton college of medicine in June.

Engagement Announced.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Bertha Krietzman to Hyman Gerber of Omaha. Miss Krietzman is a sister of Mrs. Harry Novey and also of Sam Krietzman.

LaFayette Club.

The little Misses, Harsh and McKinzie will entertain with song and dance at an informal party given by the LaFayette dancing club at Kelpin's academy Tuesday evening, February 28.

A novelty program will be used which will represent a watch with lines originating at the center and terminating at specified times for each dance. The guests will govern their program by a large master-clock controlled by the orchestra leader.

Miss Oland to Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Oland announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mollie Oland, to Dr. S. E. Ravitz. Dr. Ravitz is a graduate of the University of Nebraska college of medicine, and is a member of Alpha Omega Alpha. No date has been set for the wedding.

Travelers to Visit Great Waterfall.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Gifford, who are at Georgetown, British Guiana, have been taking a number of trips into the interior. One boat trip took them up the Demerara river, and they plan before their return to go up the Essequibo river as far as the famous Kaieteur falls, which are over twice as high as Niagara, and have worn a great black cavern in the rocks above and another below, where there is a tremendous whirlpool.

In Washington.

Mrs. Josiah Van Orsdale of Beatrice, Neb., and Washington had a large reception on Monday of this week in her apartment at 1808 Columbia road. She had assisting her Mrs. Frank W. Mondell, Mrs. William H. Lemmond, Mrs. Charles Robb, Mrs. William Sholes, Miss Starn and Miss Kathryn Sellers, both of Beatrice, and Miss Florence Berryman. The tea table was decorated with pink roses, white lilies and maiden hair ferns.

Mizpah Club.

Mrs. John Schmitz was hostess for the Mizpah club Friday afternoon. The high scores were won by Mrs. Clifford Haines, Mrs. Paul Mindel and Mrs. George Brandt. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Joseph Smith, in two weeks.

Personals

Mrs. Frank Conlin is visiting her parents in North Platte.

Frank Boyd has returned from a trip to British Honduras.

Edward Updike has returned from a several weeks' trip to Los Angeles.

Mrs. Arthur Blakeley is leaving April 1, to spend six weeks in California.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Weller have returned from a trip to Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Buchanan of Omaha are spending a few days at Excelsior Springs.

Louis Clarke and Henry Bohling returned yesterday from a trip to the western part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Van Dusen announce the birth of a daughter February 26 at Stewart hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sisek and daughter, Beverly, have returned from a six weeks' trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Towle will return to Omaha early in March from a several weeks' stay in California.

Mrs. George Thummel and small daughter, Marcia, leave next week for a six weeks' trip to Rochester and New York.

Miss Nell Ryan who has spent the past month visiting school friends in the east will return to Omaha the end of the week.

Mrs. Tom Davis and her children and Miss Elizabeth Davis leave today for Biloxi, Miss., where they will join Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davis.

Miss Ruth Jones of St. Paul will arrive the end of March to be the guest of Miss Dorothy Judson. Miss Jones is at present in Pasadena.

Mrs. Irving Benolen and son, Arthur William, leave the end of the week to visit Mrs. Benolen's brother, the Rev. Gowan Williams, of Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Thurnmond who are on their wedding trip will arrive Wednesday from the south and will occupy an apartment at the Bradford.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Field Thursday, February 23. Mrs. Field was formerly Muriel Johnson, daughter of Dr. Alice Johnson.

Showering with thousands of pink crystal beads in the rose gossamer evening gown, which has embroidered panels at either side and huge red roses at the waist.

Princess Mary, with perhaps a little of the independence and obstinacy of her great-grandmother, Victoria, has asserted herself in the matter of her wedding costume. Hitherto her mother has taken a sort of majestic pride in the fact that her daughter was about 10 years behind the decrees of fashion. But the princess has at last rebelled and is preparing to blossom out in one of the

Miss West Wed Saturday



MRS. GERALD E. LAVIOLETTE

Mr. and Mrs. George F. West announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Henrietta West, to Gerald E. LaViolette of Omaha. The ceremony was performed yesterday by Rev. Frank G. Latsch in St. Mary Magdalene's Catholic church. Miss West is a graduate of St. Berchman's academy and an accomplished vocalist. She studied voice under Mrs. Mary B. Welton and has appeared in frequent recitals in Omaha. Mr. LaViolette is one of Omaha's young attorneys, a graduate of the arts and sciences and of the law departments of Creighton university.

Card Party.

A pre-Lenten card party will be given by the women of the Altar Society of St. Anne's church at their hall at Twenty-fourth street and Poppleton avenue on Tuesday evening.

Press Club Tea.

The tea planned by the Omaha Woman's Press club for Tuesday, February 28, has been postponed until Tuesday afternoon, March 7, 4 o'clock, and will be held at the Brandeis restaurant.

Church Party.

The Young Women's sodality of Sacred Heart church will entertain at a benefit dance and card party Tuesday evening at Lycum hall, Twenty-second and Locust streets.

Card Party.

A card party will be given for the benefit of Holy Angels parish Tuesday evening in the parish hall, Twenty-eighth and Fowler avenue.

Alpha Chi Omega.

Alpha Chi Omega sorority will meet for luncheon Wednesday, 1 p. m., at the home of Mrs. John A. McKenzie, 1922 Holthrop street.

Omaha Story Tellers.

The meeting of the Omaha Story Tellers' league scheduled for Thursday will be omitted. A combined program will be given at the next regular meeting, March 16.

Patriotic Party.

North Platte Eastern Star members staged a mock colonial wedding Monday evening at the Masonic hall in celebration of Washington's birthday.

Loyal Club Dance.

The Loyal club of St. Rose parish will give a dance Tuesday evening, February 28, at the German home, 4206 South Thirtieth street.

Golden Glow Club.

The Golden Glow club will give a card party for charity Tuesday at the W. O. W. hall on Capitol avenue. The chairman is Mrs. Wade Gorman.

Sermo Club Postponed.

The meeting of the Sermo Club scheduled for Tuesday has been postponed until the next regular meeting time.

Card Party.

Mrs. William Kellogg will entertain the woman's auxiliary to the Typographical union at a card party Tuesday afternoon at her home.

Ned Connolly to Wed Eastern Girl.

An engagement which will interest Omaha people is that of Miss Mary O'Boyle of Scranton, Pa., to Ned Connolly, former lieutenant in the United States army. Lieut. Connolly was stationed at the Fort Omaha balloon school during the war and spent two years in Omaha. Since leaving here he has been living in Scranton.

Batique Demonstration.

A demonstration of the batique process will be given by Myron Van Brunt Tuesday morning, 10:30 o'clock, for the Omaha Society of Fine Arts, third floor, public library. Anyone interested is invited to attend. Mr. Van Brunt is home for a short time from New York.

Down Goes Tradition, as Princess Weds



The wedding gown itself is made of cloth of silver veiled with an overdress of silver lace embroidered in pearls. The train is four yards long and 24 inches wide.

most costly and beautiful trousseaus the world has ever known. This determination met with the approval of the English people. The above sketches show three of Princess Mary's bridal trousseaus.

Well-Kept Hands Attribute of Beauty

By ELEANOR W. STEWART.

White, well kept hands are as much an attribute of beauty as a clear, fine skin or glossy, luxuriant hair. That they receive less attention from the average woman than her complexion or her attire is a truism so obvious that it can almost be left unsaid.

Perhaps this neglect is due to a general impression that really effective treatment of the hands is a matter for the professional manicurist. The most striking results are undoubtedly obtained from regular attendance at a manicurist's, but there are certain general rules which can be observed with benefit by any woman, whether in her home or in her office, and which will very much diminish the necessity of professional attention.

Whether you choose to shape your nails in an exaggerated, long oval or in the more moderate curve, trim them with a file rather than with scissors. The effect of scissors is to coarsen and harden the nail structure. Only for a portion of a nail that is apt to break should the scissors be used, as here it is of advantage to make the nail heavier. The cuticle at the base of the nail should be pushed back regularly when the hands are damp after washing. Clipping away this dry skin with the nail scissors has a temporary advantage, but if done often it aggravates the difficulty, so that the clipping process has to be kept up permanently. A tendency to brittle, dry skin around the nails and to hang nails can be counteracted by rubbing on olive oil at night and pushing back the cuticle gently with a towel.

The white spots which frequently disfigure the nails are the result of an acid condition of the system, not of bruises, as so many women count. This reference to these spots is made only for improvement of your general condition. This same statement holds for a brittle, chipped appearance of the nails, which is usually due to excess of uric acid in the blood. Not until your system is eliminating properly will this condition clear up. And a doctor is the person to consult, rather than the manicurist.

The use of enamel in cleaning the nails and of salve in polishing is now so nearly universal with women that reference to these aids can safely be omitted. One thing, however, should not pass without special mention, although it is simple to the point of obviousness in its nature. With all your trimming and polishing and care of the cuticle be sure your hands are being kept in a more common, unfortunately, among business women, than to see highly polished, rosy nails, evidently the object of their owner's particular solicitude, by the very flash of their polish drawing attention to dirty finger-tips and knuckles! And nothing is more unattractive.

For cleaning the hands and keeping them white, any soft soap with almond oil in its composition is recommended. But be sure that you have rinsed all the soap off before drying your hands. Leaving a small amount of soap still on the skin is a common mistake and accounts for a great deal of chapping in the winter. A softening lotion may be rubbed on the hands after drying, to good effect. A good bleach for the skin can be made at home from bicarbonate of soda with a few drops of benzoin and peroxide sufficient to make a paste. The most effective bleach results from applying the whitening cream, or olive oil, at night and sleeping with gloves on.

For the housewife whose hands are often in the soap suds, rubber gloves are recommended. Stains from fruit or vegetables may be counteracted with a little peroxide or with lemon juice. Paint stains will yield to turpentine, kerosene, or alcohol. The traces of nicotine may be removed with a touch of ether. Callouses may be trusted to go of themselves. For warts use nitric acid applied with a twist of absorbent cotton on the point of a toothpick. Great care should be taken in handling this acid, as it is a dangerous caustic and may cause serious burns if it touches any but the part affected.

To clean pots and pans in which food has dried, fill with water in which a little washing soda is dissolved and bring to a boil.

Cheese paraffin, smeared with butter and wrapped in a cloth will keep soft in a cool place.

Line the heels of your slippers with velvet to save your silk stockings.

Southern Girl a Visitor



MISS GERALDINE SPRAGUE

Small Things Experience Teaches

Browned flour, useful for thickening stews and brown soups, can be made by spreading flour thinly on a plate, then placing the plate in a moderate oven and turning flour frequently until brown. It should then be bottled and tightly corked, when it will keep indefinitely.

Vanity dresser dollies of file lace 15 inches square.

Ready made sashes of satin embroidered in wool to suit any frock.

Midjet size fountain pens or pencils. These are very handy for the purse or vanity case. Also comes a writing case of tortoise which is an up to date material for purse frames, toilet sets, vanities and brackets.

The simplest way to stone raisins without a stoner is to let them stand for two minutes in boiling water, drain them and then pinch the stones out from the stem end.

If you add the oil dressing to potatoes when they are still hot, which is the so-called German method of making potato salad, you produce an excellent bacterial culture. This is a frequent source of food poisoning. Especially in warm weather the potatoes should be first thoroughly chilled before the dressing is added and the salad should be kept in the refrigerator until eaten.

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Cornmeal Batter Cakes

(Southern Style).

MRS. E. W. NORRIS.

One pint cornmeal, Three-fourths pint buttermilk, One small teaspoon baking soda, One-half teaspoon salt.

Mix cornmeal, flour and salt, add buttermilk into which soda has been dissolved, add melted butter, well-beaten yolks of eggs, and lastly fold in well-beaten white of egg. Bake on well greased hot griddle.

Problems That Perplex

Answered by BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

"I have almost nothing to help me in my ambitions," writes Jane. "I'm not good looking enough to attract men easily. I haven't a home into which I can ask them. Girls don't care a lot for me because they know I won't make much of a hit in mixed parties. I haven't much education. I don't earn much money. My family is nothing to boast of. I like to read and I don't mind working. But can you, in all honesty, see how I'm going to get anywhere in this world? I'm willing to make a real effort, and I'm reconciled to making my own way. Nothing to do with."

The world is full of girls like you, Jane. But I hope not many of them undertake the real gift that is yours. You have the power of expression. You can analyze and express your conclusions with a certain whimsicality and originality. This means that you can easily become a charming conversationalist. If you will train yourself also to listen well, you'll find that folks will enjoy your society. They are bound to.

How many great women of history emerged from elaborately set backgrounds? How many clever or interesting individuals count on the props of family or wealth or beauty? It's easy enough to drift lazily with the tide, and that is about all that is required from those whose lives are trimmed up like Christmas trees.

Be the folks who recognize their handicaps and have the strength and

Winner at Bridge Will Be Princess in Fairyland

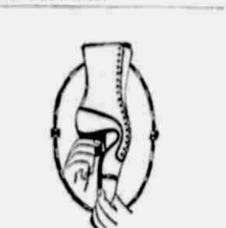
The winner of the first prize at the benefit bridge of Tuesday afternoon, Burgess-Nash auditorium, under auspices of the National League for Women's Service, will probably feel like a fairy princess. She will find herself among a bewildering array of beautiful gifts, including not only "everything for the home," but many dainty and enticing accessories for lady's personal adornment.

Among the donors are: Madamess Charles Beaton, Charles E. Metz, Myron Learned, Charles Offutt, A. B. McConnell, Barton Millard, A. B. Currie, Burdette Kildall, Arthur Crittenden Smith, A. L. Reed, Walter Page, Joseph Polcar, William Archibald Smith, Ward Burgess, Charles T. Koutze, George A. Joslyn, E. F. Folds, Louis Clarke, Milton F. Barlow, Charles T. Platt, Edgar M. Morsman, Jr., Edward Porter Peck, William Tracy Burns, Otis M. Smith, Clyde Roeder, L. J. Healey, E. S. Westbrook, E. M. Syiert, Robert Reasoner, Howard H. Baldrige, Alvin E. Johnson, Glenn C. Wharton, Walter Selby, Luther Drake and Misses Fanny Brown, Marion Towle, Helen Smith and Gladys Peters.

The Gatchell studio is offering a cameo portrait, 16 by 20, done in oil and, handsomely framed, or a dozen photographs, the Kinehart-Marsden studio dozen photographs, the Heyn studio a beautiful frame, Mrs. W. R. Matthews, a Bohemian glass fruit dish, and equally desirable gifts from the Eldridge Importing Co., Eldridge-Reynolds company and Mr. H. P. Whitmore.

Benson Community Center. The Benson Community center program committee announces the following program to be given Friday evening, March 3, in the auditorium of the city hall. Community singing led by Mrs. L. J. Sprecher, Mrs. Hershel Rowe, pianist, Messrs. Bert and Fred Davis, A. Johnson and John Lutz, members of the Sterling Male quartet, will render a number of vocal selections. The Misses Katherine and Ruth Gutting will furnish a violin and piano duet. H. J. Kiddo will entertain with a number of character sketches. A guitar trio number will be given by Messrs. S. Davis, J. R. Hughes and Pike. Other numbers on this pro-

gram will be readings furnished by members of the Benson school and vocal and piano selections. Children unaccompanied by parents will be refused admission.



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