

Council Bluffs Society

Ross-Smith. A beautiful spring wedding was solemnized in Oakland, at 4 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon, when Miss Muriel Smith of this city became the bride of Mr. Lewis Ross, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ross.

To Summer in Europe



Miss Anna Z. Ross

When the S. S. Melita sails from Montreal on June 21, there will be listed among the passengers several Council Bluffs and Omaha people who are to start at that time on a tour of Europe.

Miss Anna Z. Ross of Council Bluffs is to conduct this party, which will be limited to 15, and she has arranged a most interesting itinerary including points in Belgium, France, Italy, Germany, Holland, England, Scotland, Switzerland and Bavaria, where a day will be spent at the Passion Play in Oberammergau.

Miss Ross is thoroughly familiar with all conditions in Europe, having spent a year there in travel and study after completing her college education, and on 11 different occasions since 1900 conducted parties over there.

Unlike most conductors Miss Ross gives most thoughtful consideration to all of her traveling companions, and for the benefit of any who may wish coaching on the places to be visited she will select an evening or so each week during April and May, at which time maps will be studied, guide books arranged for and general information will be given on all subjects pertaining to the trip.

Among the Council Bluffs and Omaha people who have on previous tours accompanied Miss Ross are Mrs. A. Beresheim and daughter, Miss Thekla Mary E. Dailey and daughter, Miss Adah, Mrs. P. C. DeVol and daughter, Miss Mary, Mrs. Hester Moon, Miss Mittie Pile, Miss Jennie Rice, Mrs. John N. Baldwin, Mrs. Walter Page and daughter, Mrs. Charles Shiverick, Mrs. Arthur Remington, Mr. Hochstetler and his daughter Frances, now Mrs. Fred Daugherty, Mrs. Johannes, Mrs. Ed Udeland, Mrs. H. D. Neeley and Mrs. M. J. Whitall of New York, formerly Miss Gertrude Clark of Omaha.

departed last Wednesday evening for Los Angeles to make their home. Mrs. Clifford Wolfe of Rockland, Me., is convalescing at Edmondson hospital where she was recently operated upon, and in another week will return to the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Donald Macrae.

Miss Inez Perego spent several days in Lincoln, at the Nebraska state university last week, where she went to assist in the initiation of several new pledges in the Fi-Reta-Phi society.

Miss Jane Schoentgen, who has been with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Schoentgen, during the spring vacation, returns to Davenport, Ia., tonight to resume her studies at St. Katherine.

Mrs. Earnest Johnson of Moline, Ill., who three weeks ago was summoned here owing to the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Mary Dailey, returned home Friday, and with her went Mrs. Dailey, who is now greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stillman are soon to have as guests their daughter, Mrs. John S. Brocksmit of Chicago, who will arrive some time in April with her young son to visit for a fortnight.

Supper. After the party held last week by the Tuesday Dancing club Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Ash, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sheehan attended an informal supper given by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sprague.

Purchased Home. Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Rohrer have purchased the J. C. Pryor home on Fifth avenue and will take possession about April 15, at which time Mr. and Mrs. Pryor and children plan to move to Burlington, Ia., where they will permanently reside.

"Memories of Childhood." Children's laughter brings sunshine, No matter how weary the heart, So with your joys and troubles They are easy to part. Just take a stroll 'round the corner, And watch the children at play, Keep your eyes open and listen, To see what they do and say.

CHORUS. Memories, memories, bringing back thoughts of my childhood, When me and my pal, loved the same little gal And we roared through the wildwood, Memories, memories of dear old bygone days, I'd give all I'm worth, to go back to my birth And live my childhood days, Little boys playing marbles, Are quarrelling and want to fight, And you are bubbling with laughter, It brings back memories bright, Two little girls and a jealous, Over the same little boy, And as you watch them play kid games Your heart is brim full of joy.

Personals. M. H. Green will leave this week for Creston, Ia., where he plans to make his home. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bloomer returned Wednesday morning from a sojourn of several weeks in the south.

Miss Javenta Harper, who has recently moved to Omaha from the south, will spend a few days next week with Miss Inez Perego. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Broderick and daughter, Jean, of Lincoln, Neb., who have been visiting in the city for the past two weeks returned to their home on Friday.

Miss Francina Onslor, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Genevieve Quader Miller and little Dick Miller,

Washington Society

Bureau of The Bee, Washington, March 25.

No more brilliant affair has been given this season than the luncheon on Tuesday in honor of Secretary Hughes, given by the Persian minister, Mirza Hussein Khan Alai, followed by a large reception with dancing given in celebration of the Persian new year. The luncheon company was a stag one but at the reception Mme. Jusserand, wife of the French ambassador, who is dean of the diplomatic corps, acted as hostess and received the guests with the minister. The legation which is rich in oriental atmosphere of rare rugs and hangings, embroideries and such was made more attractive with spring flowers and foliage in green, white and red, the Persian national color. The great national dish, polow, mainly of rice and chicken and made familiar to Washington society by the former minister, Ali Kuli Khan, and his charming wife, was the piece de resistance, while at the reception the well filled punch bowl which would have made Volstead frown, but over which the dry agents had no control as it was on foreign soil, was notable for weakness. All the diplomatic corps and nearly all officialdom were in the company, with a goodly number of smart resident society men and women, who celebrated fittingly the new year of the old calendar.

Lady Asquith Criticized. Mrs. Herbert Asquith's departure this week for "other visits" did not cause the shedding of tears or the voicing of general regret. She did not make a host of friends. Nearly all the women in Washington resent Mrs. Asquith's comments on American society, particularly that part of them relating to the young people of the country and their behavior at parties.

Mrs. Asquith made a very distinctly bad impression as she sat in the front row of the diplomatic gallery of the United States senate one day last week, round asleep.

When she entered and sat down in the front row she proceeded to make herself comfortable by removing her neckpiece, opening her smart tweed box coat and setting her tall, fat, cut glass smelling salts bottle on the rail in front of her. It is a nice, broad, tempting rail for the setting of articles, but it is a very pronounced rule that nothing shall be set there. Not even a coat or neckpiece of any kind may be thrown over it for fear of injury or annoyance to the distinguished heads which are held proudly upon the shoulders of the statesmen beneath.

No sooner had Mrs. Asquith fixed herself in her conspicuous seat than she put her head to rest in the palm of her noble English hand. And not long afterward she was discovered by the statesmen beneath. Her head in grave danger of toppling over and touching off the bottle of smelling salts, without which no well-bred English woman ever travels. The erratic wife of the famous one-time premier of Great Britain had a good nap and shortly after she awoke, refreshed, gathered up her belongings and stalked out of the gallery. It will be interesting to read what she has to say of the proceedings of the senate.

Princess Bibesco, the pretty daughter of this aristocratic woman, and wife of the minister from Roumania, has made no friends for herself through her book, recently published.

Mrs. Harrison Entertains. Mrs. Russell B. Harrison had a "round table tea" Monday afternoon at the Washington club. She received in the main drawing room, assisted by her mother, Mrs. Alvin Saunders. The table, with several shades of red spring blossoms in mounds upon it, was laid at the back of the room. Among the guests were Mrs. Shields, wife of the senator from Tennessee; Mrs. Marshall, widow of Gen. W. L. Marshall, both of whom were schoolmates of Mrs. Harrison in Washington; Mrs. Young, wife of Lieut.-Gen. S. B. M. Young, retired; Mrs. Carter, widow of Senator Thomas H. Carter; Mrs. Burk, widow of Major John Burk, well known in Omaha; Mrs. William Haywood, a girlhood friend of the hostess; Mrs. D. C. Stapleton, formerly of Omaha; Mrs. Truman G. Palmer, Mrs. William F. Dennis, Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. Alvin Saunders.

Mrs. Truman G. Palmer, formerly of Chicago, had a luncheon at the Cosmos club last week in honor of Mrs. Harrison and had in her company Mrs. James Watson, wife of the senator from Indiana; Mrs. Charles E. Townsend, wife of the senator from Michigan; Mrs. Milton E. Ailes, Mrs. Henry T. Oxnard, Mrs. Stephen Rand, Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, Mrs. Charles Wood, wife of the pastor of the Church of the Covenant and several others in resident society.

Mrs. Harry A. Williams, Jr., arrived the middle of the week from her home in Norfolk to visit Miss Lowe and to be here during the visit of her mother and grandmother, Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Saunders. Mrs. Harrison and Mrs. Saunders were entertained at luncheon on Wednesday by Mrs. Thomas H. Carter and on Thursday evening they were entertained at dinner by Mrs. D. C. Stapleton. Mrs. Carter will sail next month for Italy to attend the eucharist conference to be held in Rome in May. She goes as a delegate to be one of the representatives of the "Work for Poor Churches." Mrs. Stapleton had expected to accompany her and spend the summer abroad, but has decided to remain on this side this year.

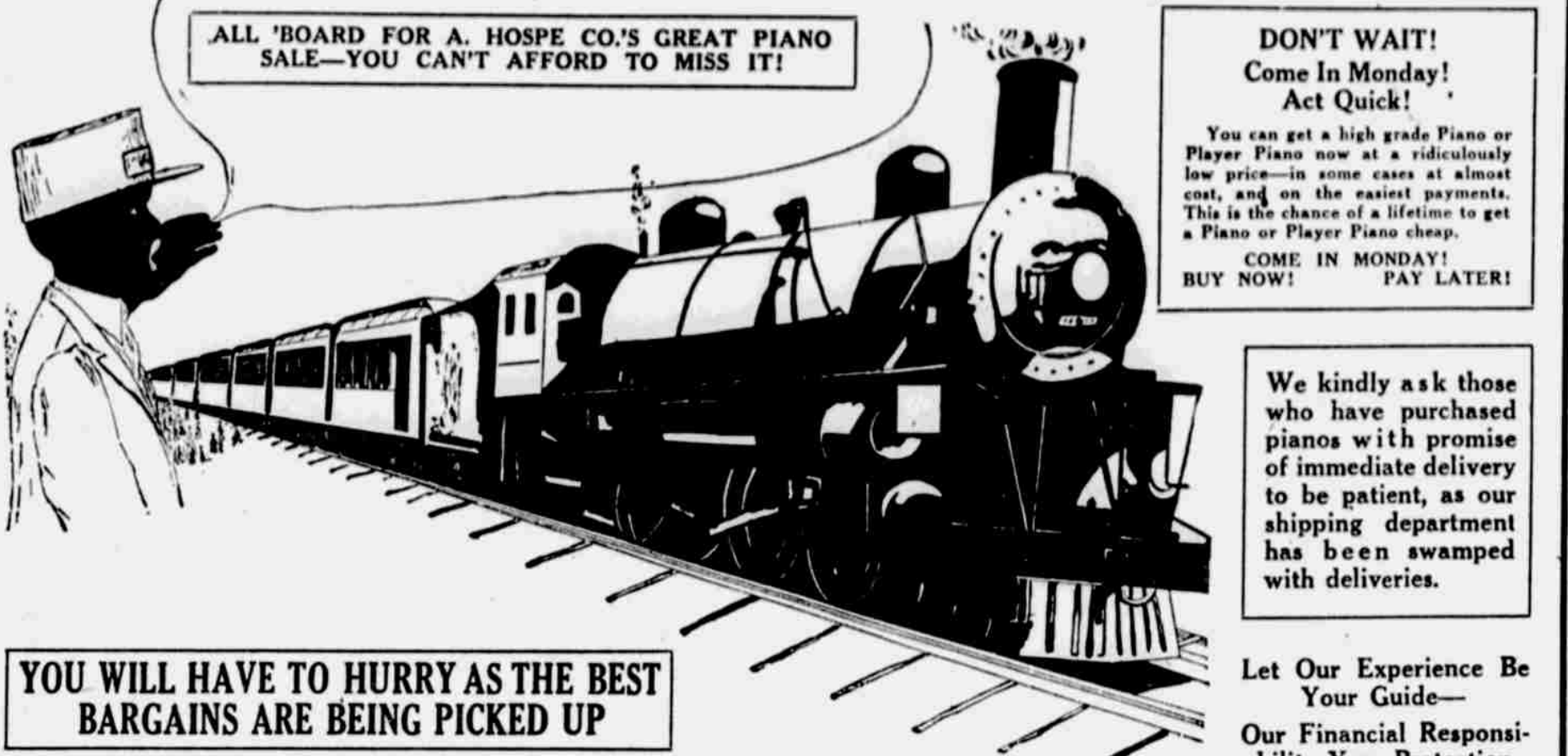
Mrs. Frank Hamilton, sister-in-law of Mrs. Stapleton, returned to her apartment at Wardsman Park Inn for a few weeks. She has been in Omaha for some time and is sailing on May 6 for France where she will spend the summer.

Mrs. Charles Barton of Omaha, and her sister, Mrs. Markell, who have been at Wardsman Park Inn through the winter have gone to 2029 Connecticut avenue where they have taken one of the apartments "de luxe" for the coming year.

When water or milk is added to baking powder carbonic acid gas or carbon dioxide is given off, just as it is given off from fermenting yeast. This causes the dough to rise. The residue of the baking powder left in the cake is rochelle salts.

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A Few of the New and Used Bargains for Monday

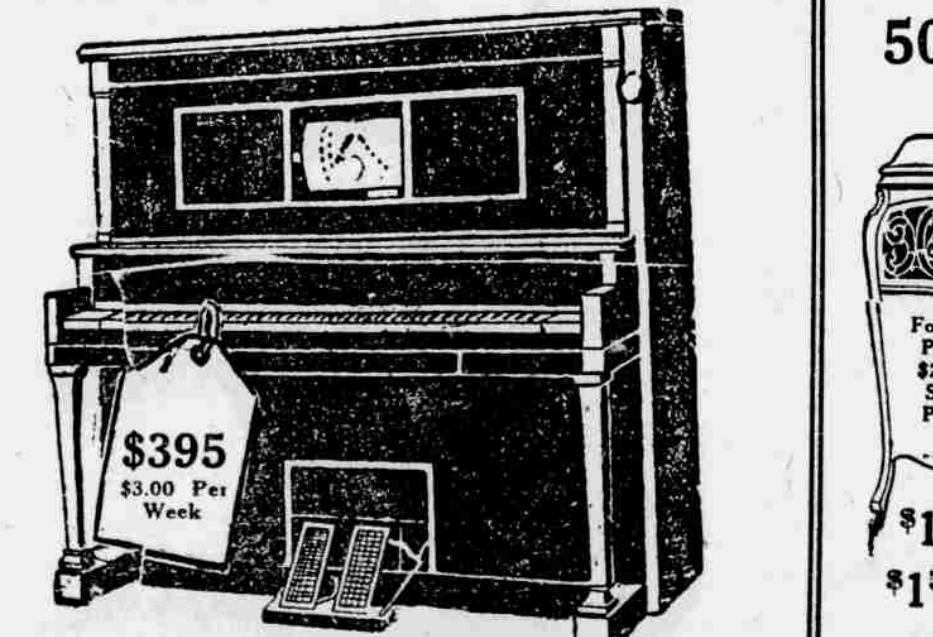
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