

# Society

**I**n these busy days when the formal call on new residents in the neighborhood has been almost crowded off the mat, and with it has gone much of the informal neighborly "dropping in for a chat," one hostess has found a solution, and a delightful one.

Every year Mrs. Jantje Nicholson entertains, on or near the first of April at neighborhood tea, for all the inhabitants of the blocks bounded by Cass and Chicago streets and Fifty-first and Fifty-second streets. Just eight years ago on the first of April Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson moved into their new home on Cass street, and the first party in the nature of an anniversary celebration was repeated until it has now become an annual affair, and one of the most popular of the season. The party took place Tuesday, April 4, and some 30 guests were present.

Mrs. Nicholson has the honor with roses, and sweetpeas each year, and even the refreshments have become an institution, particularly her maple mousses, to which the guests are informally allowed to help themselves.

Anyone building a house within the charmed area is, of course, invited, but dire is the penalty for anyone who sells or moves out. Mrs. Nicholson is inexorable. They may not come, for they are no longer neighbors.

### John Howard Payne Marries

**Former Omaha Girl at Chicago**

John Howard Payne, 23, son of H. B. Payne of the Payne Carnaby company, and Gertrude Peckel, 22, former Omaha girl, were married in Chicago Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Clarke, former Omaha minister.

The couple are expected to arrive in Omaha this morning. Mr. Payne is secretary of the Payne & Carnaby company and a member of the Omaha Real Estate board and the Junior Chamber of Commerce. His parents live at 323 South Fifth street.

The bride has been taking training at the Cook county hospital in Chicago.

### B. P. O. Does Benefit.

The Benevolent and Patriotic Order of Does will give a benefit dance at the Elks' club rooms Saturday evening, April 22. Proceeds will be added to the benevolent fund.

Mrs. Robert L. Gilmore, assisted by Mrs. Harold Landervog, will have charge of the entertainment, and Mrs. E. E. Stanfield and Mrs. A. H. Allerhelgen are arranging for the music.

### For Miss Hagedorn.

Mrs. W. A. Sinclair entertained Wednesday noon at the Athletic club for Miss Helen Hagedorn, the guest of Mrs. W. P. Haney. Covers were laid for eight.

Friday Mrs. Erdmann Brunner will be hostess at a luncheon for Miss Hagedorn, and on Saturday Mrs. Fred Aldous will give a luncheon for her.

### Y. W. C. A. Delegate



In recognition of her long service as a Y. W. C. A. worker Mrs. Edward Johnson was elected a special delegate to the seventh annual convention of the Young Women's Christian association which meets in Hot Springs, Ark., April 20-27. Mrs. Johnson has been active in the work for 25 years.

Mrs. Johnson and Miss Joyce Barnes will represent the membership; Mrs. Palmer Findley, president; Mrs. A. W. Bowman, the local board; Mrs. Carrie Ada Campbell, general secretary, and Miss Elizabeth Camm, the staff; Mrs. W. D. Metcalf and Mrs. J. Alice Stewart, the colored branch; Mrs. Margaret R. Richardson, girls work secretary; Miss Florence Dunlap, industrial secretary, and Miss Beatrice Swanson, employment secretary, will attend as visitors.

Mrs. M. D. Cameron, vice president, is the president's alternate.

### Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm Heads Tuesday Musical.

The entire slate of the Tuesday Musical nominating committee was accepted at the annual meeting of the club Tuesday afternoon at the Fontenelle hotel. Mrs. C. M. Wilhelm is the new president; Mrs. C. T. Kountze, vice president; Mrs. A. L. Reed, recording secretary; Mrs. O. T. Eastman membership secretary; Mrs. A. D. Dunn, treasurer; Mrs. Louis Clark, auditor; Mesdames Lucian Stephens, S. Hoist, Clark and Barton Millard, directors.

### Methodist Foreign Missionary.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Grace Methodist Episcopal church will meet for luncheon in the church social rooms Thursday at 12:30 p. m.

### Things You'll Love To Make



You may find when you come to put little Dot's summer dresses on her that she has sadly outgrown some of them. Here is a darling way to make one frock out of two. Use material of one frock for the bands and knickers; the other for the body of the frock. A little stitching in wool or mercerized thread in black will contrast prettily with almost any colored material. By making one frock out of two you can have as well some stunning little dresses.

### Program Outline First District Convention

The 19th annual convention of the First district Nebraska Federation of Women's Clubs, will meet in Humboldt at the Christian church April 10-12 by invitation of the Alpha Woman's club.

Governor S. R. McKelvie of Lincoln will speak on "American Citizenship" at the opening session Monday evening. Welcoming addresses will be given by Mayor Alvin Gensch, F. J. Papp, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. O. A. Cooper, president of the hostess club. Mrs. W. L. Morrill will give the response.

Tuesday morning Mrs. H. H. Wheeler of Lincoln will speak on "Legislation"; Mrs. W. E. Barkley, Lincoln, will discuss the "Disarmament Conference"; and Miss Ruth Pyrtle, Lincoln, will speak on "Americanization." A talk on "Education" will be given by Mrs. W. E. Ingersoll of Tecumseh, and Miss Nellie Williams of Lincoln, state home demonstration leader, will speak on "Extension Service for Women." Miss Nellie Williams, Lincoln, secretary of state library commission, on "Libraries," and Mrs. T. J. Gist of Falls City, state historian, will speak on her work.

Club reports will be given Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. F. Radke of Tecumseh will speak on "Fine Arts." Other speakers will be: Mrs. W. L. Davis of Lincoln, state chairman of press and publicity; Mrs. W. M. Widener, Lincoln, who will speak on the endowment fund, and Mrs. Florence A. Parks of Greenwood, "Our Homes and Communities." Mrs. Edgar B. Penney of Fullerton, state president, and Mrs. Addison E. Sheldon of Lincoln, director for Nebraska in the general federation, will be the principal speakers Tuesday evening.

At the closing session Wednesday morning the speakers will be Mrs. James T. Lees of Lincoln, state vice president, and Mrs. Emily Hornberger, Lincoln, of the state bureau of child welfare.

Officers of the First district are: Mrs. S. P. Cresap, Nebraska City, president; Mrs. E. C. Yont, Brock, vice president; Mr. H. A. Coaling, Syracuse, secretary; and Mrs. O. A. Cooper, Humboldt, auditor.

### Lenten Musicals.

Miss Harriet Metz, soprano, and Miss Ruth Bieber, contralto, will give a Lenten musicale for the benefit of St. Anne guild of St. Martin church, Thursday evening, April 6 at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. O. Beck, 3709 South Twenty-fifth street. They will sing two groups of duets and each will sing five numbers alone. Mrs. Walter Silver will play the accompaniments. Members of St. Anne guild will assist. Receiving with Dr. and Mrs. Beck will be the Rev. and Mrs. C. Edwin Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stewart.

### Birthday Party.

Mrs. Bernard Moehring entertained 24 small guests at a birthday party for her son, Bernard, this afternoon. Master Bernard is celebrating his fourth birthday.

# My Marriage Problems

Adelé Garrison's New Phase of "REVELATIONS OF A WIFE"

### How Midge Found Dicky.

With my heart pounding violently against my chest, I stepped quickly to the door and opened it. Dicky's car and I were alone. I saw him in the distance, and I was visualizing his body hidden in the forest nearby, beneath which he evidently had been lying. Dicky arose with an air of deliberation that would not have deceived Junior.

"Well! What do you think you're doing now?" he blustered. I paid no attention to his words, noting only the flash of unutterable relief in his eyes and the hoarseness of his voice with a touch of tremor in it. The next second I was round the car, wildly clinging to him.

"Oh, Dicky! You're alive! You're alive!" I cried, gratefully. At the first touch of my hands he made a slight movement as if to thrust me away from him—patently the last flaring of his furious wrath—but the next instant his arms went around me roughly, crushing me in so tight an embrace that I could scarcely breathe.

"You're alive!" I murmured again, but he said nothing. He had been with me for a second or two with an expression that I had seen only a few times upon his face, and then only when he was greatly moved.

"Dicky's Indictment." "Let me tell you something, my dear," he said slowly. "Of course, I realize that I was an unparadiseable, abysmal brute, and all the rest of it when I got out of the car and yelled to you, but, bad as it was, it wasn't one, two, three to that insane performance of yours. Why didn't you get out of the car and knock me for a goal with the starting crank, if you had let it off steam? Why did you drive recklessly, dangerously away?"

He shut his eyes, drawing a deep breath, and then: "I'm not talking about any effect on myself or my own soul," he went on, "but I've never known you to go completely off your trolley before—you've always had a marvelous amount of self-control—but I want you to stop and think hard right now what it would have meant to Junior if anything had happened to you. It would have meant not only the loss of his mother, but possibly disgrace." "Oh! I know," I had wailed contritely before he uttered the last three words, and I stopped, gazing at him in open-mouthed astonishment.

"Why, what do you mean?" I stammered.

"Just stop and reflect a minute," he said, judiciously. "We leave the house, presumably for a pleasant little drive together, and you don't get off with a scratch, with no idea of

where you are, pass out some plausible yarn about a breakdown somewhere, get my car, and start out after you, and find you dead beside the road. Do you suppose people would have believed that I had nothing to do with the accident? It might, of course, never have come to any public trial—although there are men in

prison today on less evidence—but it would always have been an ugly scandal about me. Nice inheritance for Junior, don't you think so?"

"Let's Forget It." That Dicky was absolutely right in his indictment I knew, and was crushed with remorseful humiliation at the remembrance of my own folly. Yet, deep within my heart—too deep for drawing forth—was a little barb of resentment against Dicky for the manner in which he was magnifying my offense and minimizing his own.

He had referred to my "marvelous self-control," and had said that he had never known me to "go completely off my trolley before." Could he not see, I asked myself hotly, that my

poise where he was concerned had been well nigh worn out by his explosion of temper, and that while I was greatly to blame for what had happened, he was equally culpable? But if I read his attitude aright, he held his explosion to be no excuse or reason whatever for mine. He had apologized, because, as a gentleman he was ashamed of his brutality, but he judged my action as absolutely independent of his.

Even if I had wished to voice my thought, which I did not, I would have had no chance to do so, for Dicky, when he finished talking, crushed me in a rough embrace again. "We'll not talk of it any more," he said a bit hoarsely. "I've been

through something, I don't mind telling you, since you careened around that curve. And I imagine you have, too. So let's forget it, and figure out what's to be done about this car."

But even as I yielded to his impetuous embrace I knew that the little barb of resentment was still embedded in my heart, and that even Dicky's kisses could not banish it today nor keep it from festering.

Wedemeyer-Brinker. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. H. Brinker announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Marie, to Frederick C. Wedemeyer, eldest son of Captain and Mrs. A. A. Wedemeyer. The wedding will take place this spring.

## The Store of Thomas Kilpatrick Co

Established in 1870

### Just a Word About Comparative Prices

—the custom of quoting former price and sale price.

Some stores abuse this custom by using fictitious values or by quoting an old price that the market has long discarded.

Because of this false practice other stores won't quote comparative prices at all, urging that it is unjustified to do so. It seems to me that the essential question is not whether the custom is or is not dignified, but—

Whether prices quoted are TRUE.

We shall continue to quote comparative prices when accurate information can best be conveyed in that way.

### A Dual Period Fashion Displays and Price Reductions

Our Garment Section teems with fashionable apparel collected for Easter wearing. Market conditions have enabled us to acquire fabrics and sell them at reduced prices. Both of these opportunities we present to you.

Thursday

## The Silk Sale—by the Yard

- First we gave you the reason. Then the demonstration. Business since Monday morning has been a constant thing in this section. We indicated persistence and so we promise for Thursday new developments and new prices.
- 33-Inch All Silk Jap Pongee - - - - 95c
  - Colored Shantung at - - - - \$1.45
  - 36-Inch Chiffon Taffeta - - - - \$1.59
  - 40-Inch All Silk Crepe de Chine - - - \$1.49
  - 40-Inch All Silk Canton Crepe - - - \$3.25
  - 36-Inch Foulard (Figured) - - - - \$1.69
- Continuing Our Great Underpriced Sale of Silk Undergarments

- The response to this sale which commenced Monday was a great tribute to the extraordinary values offered. Indeed, it was like unto an endless chain—on the enthusiastic purchaser carrying the good news to another until our sales force—many borrowed from other departments, was taxed to the limit. The stocks have been refreshed with immaculately new garments from reserves. For Thursday:
- SILK JERSEY BLOOMERS—In street shades, Navy, Black, Rose, Taupe and Blue. These high-grade garments formerly sold at \$4.95 to \$8.75. Sale price—**\$3.95**
  - SILK ENVELOPES—Tailored and lace trimmed in good quality crepe de chine, silk and well made, all colors. Price—**\$2.75**
  - SILK NIGHTGOWNS—Slightly soiled through handling. They are of Crepe de Chine, lace trimmed. Notable values. A small **\$2.98** lot. Sale price—
  - SILK CAMISOLES—At less than half price. They come in Crepe de Chine, Wash Satin and Radium. White, Flesh, Navy, Black. Sold up to \$2.95. Sale prices—**50c 75c \$1.00**

## Women's Tailored Suits for Easter Wear

Nothing quite equals, in charm, dignity and style, one of Kilpatrick's tailors of Poiret, Twill Cord, Tricaffins or Tricotines. Each suit was specially made for us even to the specifying of the fine quality and harmonious colorings of linings. A special grouping at—

- \$75
- \$29

### Sport Skirts

Of extraordinary beauty, developed in Kasha Cloth, Krepe Knit, Bubble Cloth, Basket Weaves and Homespun. Fringe is an important Spring style development, while plaid and stripe effects are much in evidence. The colorings are unusually soft and "different," including orchid and sand shades and, of course, white—

- \$12.95 \$16.50 \$24.50
- SKIRTS FOR THE LARGER WOMAN—(Waist bands to 36 inches)—Beautifully tailored Prussellas in attractive spring color combinations and self-stripe Poble Cloth—**\$12.95 \$16.50 \$19.75**

Women's and Misses' Section Second Floor—North

## A Sale of L'Aiglon Gingham Dresses

While dresses at this price are usually expected to be worn at home, these are so attractively made and trimmed that it will not be unusual to see some of them worn for street use. They come mainly in small, medium and large checks, with organdie, pique and other attractive trimmings. Some of these dresses were formerly priced to \$8.75. Sizes 16 to 52. Sale prices—

- \$2.98 \$3.98 \$4.98 \$5.98

House Dress and Apron Section—Second Floor

On the Square Thursday

## A Most Unusual Array of Sport Hats

Unique, fashionable, comfortable and youthful. A great variety of Milan Hemp Straws, Sailor and Touque shapes and dozens of others. All tastes suited from a ribbon streamer to an intricate yarn embroidery. The real value is much more than Thursday's price. It is because of an unusual quantity purchase we are enabled to offer them Thursday

- \$2.50 \$2.50

## Problems That Perplex

Answered by BEATRICE FAIRFAX.

### Defeating Himself.

Dear Miss Fairfax: May I also beg for some advice? I have been going with a lady whose husband died some 20 years ago. She has 2 girls and one boy living. I am a divorcee with 4 children. She is Catholic and I do not belong to any church, but I told her I would join her church for her hand. I dearly love her and she said she did me, so I gave her the ring and we were to be married last March. When the time came she said no, not now. So I asked for the ring and she didn't want to give it to me, so I had to tell her a story to get it. So I went away from her home heartbroken on account of her saying no, not at this time. But she said we can still be engaged and go together. I spent some money on her for a good time and also bought her presents. Don't you think she is fooling with me? I have a good job, and so has she.

Please Advise. Heartbroken

P. S. Does she love me? I have no way of knowing whether this woman is sincere with you or not, but I certainly wouldn't accuse her of insincerity because she is reluctant to marry. It is quite something middle-aged people with children to marry, and get along. It can be done, but it is not an easy thing. This woman probably realizes that more clearly than you do.

Now you have made a big mistake, but you don't know it or you wouldn't have told me about it so simply. Why did you ask for the return of your ring when you dearly loved the woman and when she was still engaged to you? Don't you see that you showed great distrust of her? Unless the woman cared tremendously for you, her regard would turn to disgust when she felt you

suspicion of her motives. And why did you lie to her? Happiness is not built on deceit. From the little I know of your affair, my sympathies are with her, just for the rather small feeling you seem to have about a bit of jewelry and more particularly your attitude of doubt and suspicion. Why not take a chance on the woman you love. Trust her, and trust in her. You may lose, but at least it won't be your own pettiness that defeats you.

Asks Her to Wait. "Dear Miss Fairfax: I have been keeping company with a young man for over a year and love him dearly. We were to be married in a short time from now. But he always spends money foolishly until his money stopped him of his privilege of cashing checks. Now he can't receive money till he is 21, and he asked me to wait till then and he would marry me and would buy his own home under my name. T. C. I'd wait until he was 21 before entering the marriage question seriously. And, in the meantime, with your influence, persuade him to make a man of himself.

Mable: Walking four miles a day would naturally burn up quite an amount of fat, to be sure. But if one goes right back home and eats it back on again, it is not so good. Combine it with a moderate diet and you will show results in a month or so that will please you.

E. M. F.: We have made a thorough investigation of the matter you referred to us. If you will send me a stamped address envelope, I will forward you the report of our Washington representative.

### The Purple Martin Comes.

By JEAN TRUE.

Would you like to have a Purple Martin near your window to wake you with its song? If so build a Purple Martin house, and encourage this bird to entertain you. The martin's song is sweet and clear. It is a delight to have this bird for your neighbor, besides he will rid your premises of mosquitoes that might infest your lawn and garden.

Jenny Wren and her companion are good insect eaters. Wrens you know live upon grasshoppers, beetles, caterpillars, bugs and spiders. A pair of wrens has been known to devour 600 insects in a day. Set up a modest little wren house soon as these birds are due about the middle of April.

Oh you chattering little Chickadee, with your acrobatic ways we will build you a home and you may decide to stay all winter with us. The Chesty Robin Redbreast is here. He is very proud of his waistcoat and his melodious voice. He comes early and leaves in November, but is a faithful insect catcher during his stay. The warbling Bluebird with that wonderful bit of a rift from the sky on his back will abide with us until October. He fills the air with happiness and should win a handsome home. You may look out for the Crested Fly Catcher, who gets them as they "fly." He will visit us from May to September. The Nuthatch and Titmouse are not to be forgotten among our favorite birds. They will thank you very much for the little homes you are willing to furnish them.

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