Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and Miss Stewart of Council Bluffs have returned after a two months trip abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Mulford and Mrs. Pope returned on Tuesday from Lake Okoboji.

Mrs. Fiske of Chicago is stopping with her sister, Mrs. F. M. Morseman.

The Misses George of Galesburg, Ills., who have been the guests this summer of their brothers, returned home on Thursday.

Miss Doane and Miss Curtiss are home once more after the summer spent on Lake Okoboji.

Mrs. Scobi of St. Louis, nee Jordan, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Dickey,

Miss Pratt has returned from Wyoming to her country place at Bennington.

Mrs. John A. McShane, in honor of her niece, Miss Burke, gave a theatre party to see "Charley's Aunt," on Monday evening. Following the performance a supper was served at her residence. Theiguests were Miss Lovergan, Miss Yates, Miss Bessie Yates, Miss McKenna, Miss Mabel Balcombe, Mr. Wilson, Mr. R W. Patrick, Mr. John Patrick Mr. Burkley and Mr. Pierre Garneau.

The marriage of Miss Maud Wadleigh to Mr. Charles King Barton, wil occur at the bride's home, Clinton, Iowa, September 19th. Friends of the two families will be present at the ceremony.

Mr. W. E. Johnson, after a week's visit in Omaha, returned to Lincoln Monday.

Mr. Netherton Hall returned Tuesday from the east where he visited Montreal, the Adirondacks, Boston and Kennebunkport. He found at the latter place quite an Omaha colony consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Rogers, Mrs. Guy C. Barton, Mrs. Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. Yost, the Misse Kountze, Mr. Charles Kountze add Mr. Gannett.

Mr. Howland of the Bostonians was the guest this week of Mr. and Mrs. Barnard, 1919 Cass Street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Carrier are at Hot Springs, South Dakota.

President and Mrs. S. H. H. Clark and Mr. Hoxie Clark are expected in Omaha next week.

Miss Hewlitt and Miss Bergland returned on Saturday from a pleasant visit to Lincoln.

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## THE GONSERVATORY OF MUSIC.

The fall term opens Monday next, and there promises to be a full attendance in spite of the times, and contrary to expectation. An excellent omen is that all the high priced students' rooms were engaged before any of the cheaper ones.

The contest for the free scholarships in voice, elocution and violin will occur on Saturday afyernoon at 2 o'clock in Conservatory hall. Several states will be represented in the contest. and as the contests are offered for exceptional talent, it will without doubt be very interesting. Each contestant will be required to render two numbers of his or her own selection and one selected by the examining board.

Mr. S. B. Duffield, the artist of Boston who will have charge of the Art department, has arrived and is getting the studo in order. His work will embrace several features usually confined to the great art institutes. A pleasant suite of rooms have been arranged for this department and advactages will be offered for the study of art in all its branches, never before offered in this city.

An important change in the building is a large recitation room for the elocution department, and much is expected from the new instructor, Mr. George A. Williams of Boston, who comes recommended in glowing terms as an orator and teacher. The annual recegtion to new students will occur Friday evening, September 7th.

Saturday will, as last year, be childrens' day at the Conservatory. The past success of this plan has made it a permanent feature.

The elegant souvenir containing half tone cuts of the faculty and interiors of the buildings is much admired, and many requests are daily received for it.

A COURTER scribe dropped in to chat for a few moments with Mr Hallett, the popular jeweler, and during the conversation he remarked that there were a great many engagements that have not been made public as yet.

How do you know this ? he was asked.

"Well I'll tell you. You know that we carry the most complete line of jewelry in the city, and when young people become engaged the first thing the gentleman does is to buy a handsome ring for the lady of his choice. It is unnecessary for me to say that when they want anything in our line they never look any farther. After the engagement of course comes the wedding and we have a most complete line of silverware and suitable presents. Tell your readers to come in and see some of the novelties in jewelry. The number is 1143 O street.

## THE OMAHA GLUB.

The handsomest club house in the west is in Nebraska. It is in Omaha, and stands at Douglas and Twentieth streets. The striking feature of the building is its graceful construction. The style throughout is Renaissance. Bedford sandstone and St. Louis press ed brick, with terra cotta trimmings are the materials used. The entrances will be of marble—there are two—the main one from Douglas street and the ladies' from Twentieth.

The Omaha Club house will be ready for occupancy by the first of December. Then a grand reception will be held. At present, it is in the hands of the plasterers; all the windows are not in, and none of the stair-cases are up. The secretary, Mr. O'Donahoe conducted a COURTER representative through the building and there was much perpendicular ladder climbing. The working men were passing and repassing with their heavy holds of morter, and the floors were strewn with rubbish; but the imagination could see the place in all its splendor, while Mr. O'Donahoe gave his vivid descriptions of the things which are to be.

This was most felt when the main dining room or rather banqueting hall upon the second floor was reached. It was very large and the plasterers had just left, and scores of electric wires were protruding from the ceilings and walls. Mr. O'Donahoe pointed to them