

to many not to hear the foreign speakers. "A prophet in his own country" etc. The speakers that made the afternoon's program were brilliant, clear-headed women, and nobody missed Mrs. Henriotin or Mrs. Spottiswoode while they were speaking. Mrs. Elia W. Peattie presided with exquisite grace and tact.

MRS. FIELD'S ADDRESS.

The pleasantest duty that has fallen to me during a year's work in our City Federation of Women's Clubs is the welcome which my office allows me to extend to you today. Some of you have already been received into some of the hospitable homes of Lincoln and have been given a cordial welcome from your hostess. The City Federation is nearing the close of a prosperous year and this state convention of federated clubs seems a most appropriate finish to our first year's work. We have seventeen clubs in our city federation with a membership of over 400, and each and all of them have taken a personal interest and pride in your convention. Our city federation has been a source of so much pleasure and profit to us that we cannot afford to miss so good an opportunity of commending this plan to others who may be hesitating what course to take. It tends to bring out the best that is in each club for the benefit of all. It enlarges the views, softens the prejudices, and lifts out of the rut the woman who joins it. At each of the three open meetings we have held two papers have been read by ladies chosen from their respective clubs; there has been music, two-minute reports from two or three clubs and light refreshments served at the close. Although the papers presented have been most entertaining, not a little of the pleasure of these meetings has centered about the social hour. It is most gratifying to us to round out these meetings of the year with this splendid convention of federated clubs of Nebraska. So you are very welcome to our house. It must appear in other ways than words, therefore I scant this breathing courtesy."

The reception given by Mrs. A. J. Sawyer to the delegates of the federation of woman's clubs was in every respect a most brilliant affair. Mrs. Sawyer's beautiful residence was crowded to the uttermost. The short musical program commanded breathless attention. It was the first opportunity Lincoln people have had to hear the wonderful little Dovey girls, who sang "I Know a Bank" and "Hear Me, Norma." Ices were in great demand and it took both valor and persistence on the part of the gentleman to get through the crowd that surrounded the punch bowl's.

Presidents of Clubs.

Harriet C. Towne, Omaha Woman's; Francis A. Nichols, Beatrice Woman's; Louise A. Fuller, Crete Round Table; Belle M. Stoutenborough, Plattsmouth Woman's; M. R. McConnell, Lincoln Lotus; Mrs. L. L. Ricketts, Lincoln Fortnightly; Phoebe L. Elliott, Lincoln Woman's; Mrs. Frank Johnson, Crete Sorosis; Mrs. J. B. Foss, Crete Mutual Improvement; Mrs. George E. MacLean, Lincoln University Faculty; Mrs. W. H. McCreery, Lincoln Century; Mrs. D. A. Campbell, Lincoln Matinee Musicale; Margaret E. Thompson, Crete Social and Literary; Katharine P. Dunham, Weeping Water Zeletic; Mrs. D. C. Mann, Wayne Monday; Mrs. H. E. Corbit, Wayne Acme; Mrs. M. D. Carey, Seward Nineteenth Century; Mrs. Oliver Rodgers, Lincoln Book; Mrs. E. L. King, Osceola Literary; Mrs. R. O. Fellows, Auburn Mental Culture; Mrs. Augusta E. Ehrhardt, Stanton Sorosis; Mary B. Bryan, Lincoln Sorosis; Minnie D. Meisner, Lincoln Junior Sorosis; Mrs. Jean Shuman, Aurora Nineteenth Century; Mrs. E. M. Cobb, York Ladies' History; Mrs. S. C. Langworthy, Seward; Mrs. John A. MacMurphy, Beatrice Woman's.

Club Delegates.

Mrs. Amelia B. Clark, Lincoln Lotus; Mrs. F. A. Welton, Auburn, Woman's; Mrs. May Greene, Criswell, Johnson Woman's; Miss Edna Naylor, Johnson

Woman's; Mrs. J. L. Rose, Nineteenth Century, Aurora; Mrs. Lottie Hungate, Weeping Water, Zeletic; Mrs. John Cattle and Mrs. D. C. McKillup, Seward History of L. Art; Mrs. Nettie McLennan and Mrs. H. D. Travis, Plattsmouth Woman's; Mrs. A. U. Swan, Seward Nineteenth Century; Mrs. L. A. Gonzales, Crete Columbian Circle; Mrs. Sarah Renling, and Mrs. A. B. Pirie, Wymore; Mrs. Jennie Serviss, York; Mrs. R. L. Rehlaender, Lincoln Woman's; Mrs. Jennie E. Keysor, Omaha Woman's; Mrs. N. W. Norris, Crete Mutual Improvement; Mrs. M. E. Wing, Lincoln Lotus; M. Camilla Harrison, Grand Island Progressive; Mrs. Belle G. Stemley, Humboldt Harmonious Compa; Mrs. E. H. Barbour, Lincoln Sorosis; Mrs. L. W. Pomerene, Lincoln Woman's; Mrs. J. M. Lindsey, Auburn Mental Culture; Mrs. W. H. Bradford, Wayne Acme; Mrs. A. A. Welch, Wayne Monday; Miss Mamie Stockwell, Shelton Nineteenth Century; Minnie C. Jay, University Place Woman's; Mrs. W. F. Kepner, Osceola Round Table; Mrs. W. E. Jillson, Crete Social and Literary; Mrs. James W. Adams, Lincoln University Faculty;

Visiting Club Members.

Mrs. Draper Smith, Omaha; Mrs. S. M. Chapman, Mrs. Elizabeth Streight and Mrs. S. H. Atwood, Plattsmouth; Mrs. D. B. Perry, Crete; Mrs. C. E. Wescott, Plattsmouth; Mrs. J. H. Blair and Mrs. W. H. Garratt, Omaha; Mrs. Ida P. Ingersoll, Weeping Water; Mrs. I. J. Tidball and Mrs. Mary B. Fuller, Crete; Mrs. Ross Anderson, Seward; Mrs. Cleveland Hoyt, Beatrice; Mrs. Dr. Stevens, Lincoln; Mrs. Dr. Marsh, Seward; Mrs. F. W. Brown, Lincoln; Mrs. C. F. Burkett, Schuyler; Mrs. D. D. Potter, Mrs. A. F. Anderson, Mrs. J. C. Mulfinger and Mrs. Joel Tishne, Seward; Mrs. W. B. Fisher, Auburn; Mrs. J. Chase, Weeping Water; Mrs. B. F. Weaver, Omaha; Mrs. A. Allee, Beatrice; Mrs. Wm. Morris and Mrs. F. H. Connor, Crete; Mrs. A. W. Wellman, York; Mrs. A. A. Reed, Crete.

Among the visitors is Miss Mary Fairbrother, formerly of this city, who is now editor of the well-known Woman's Journal published at Omaha.

C. Y. Smith has returned from Maine.

Ira D. Higby's family are visiting in Milwaukee.

John Willoughby and wife are in Rutland, Ill.

L. E. Nicholson has gone to Chicago where he will work at telegraphy while he is studying law.

Miss Anna Barr was married to Mr. Sol. Berkson at her home, 1218 Q street, Thursday evening. Misses Sophie and Tillie Berkson acted as bridesmaids.

Miss Stella Rice will resume her position as organist at Holy Trinity church Sunday morning, Oct. 6, and Mr. Seamark will again become choir master.

Dr. Charles E. Walker and wife, of Denver, were the guests of Dr. W. L. Dayton Thursday. They are en route for New York and from there will go to Italy, where they will spend the winter.

The ladies of Holy Trinity will give an entertainment next Friday night in Representative Hall. It will be in the nature of a Library Sociable. The ladies, seventy-five in number, of the society and church ladies of Lincoln, will represent in costume seventy-five popular books. They will be masked for one hour, doing the grand march and a few dances to give the audience an opportunity to guess their "titles." At the close of the march the gentlemen will take the books out to dance, obtaining them from the librarian. At the end of that hour the "books" will unmask and the dancing continue, while the auditors are guessing the titles.

THE COURIER'S correspondent in Omaha sends the following:

Mrs. R. K. Ringwalt and Miss Ringwalt are expected home tomorrow.

Miss Deane returned home Tuesday after a very delightful summer spent visiting her cousin, Miss Thrawl, at Gros Isle.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tupper Wyman and Miss Dewey are in from the country and have taken rooms at the Paxton for the winter.

Miss Fritzta Barnard returned home last week after spending the summer in and about New York and Boston.

Miss Emily Wakeley went east on Sunday to meet her sister and Miss Dundy, who are expected to land tomorrow. She will be the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Worth on Governor's

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Mrs. L. M. Bennett entertained the six-handed euchre club Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Belden Lyman, who were married at New Haven, Conn., on Wednesday, are expected in Omaha today. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Lyman for the coming month.

The engagement is announced of Miss Kountze to Mr. Meredith Nicholson of Indianapolis. Miss Kountze, who has been spending the summer at York Harbor, is not expected home until the middle of December, and I hear the wedding is to take place shortly after Christmas.

Miss Free and Dr. McMullen were married at high noon on Wednesday.

Major N. H. Comegys has left the club and taken his old rooms at the Bachelors Quarters for the winter.

Mr. Netherton Hall spent the latter part of the week in Lincoln.

Corporal O. G. Osborne was the fortunate winner on Monday night of the individual gold medal now held in competition by the Omaha guards.

Miss Montgomery, of Council Bluffs, and her guest, Miss Homan, of New York, went east on Monday afternoon.

Miss Adelaide Nash returned to school Sunday.

Miss McKenna and Miss Rodman left Tuesday afternoon for Governor's Island, New York harbor, where they will be the guests of Capt. and Mrs. Ayres for the next three months.

Miss Curtiss gave a very enjoyable tea yesterday afternoon to about thirty young women.

Mrs. Clement Chase and children left for California on Wednesday where they will remain for several months.

Lieut. George C. Barnhardt, of Fort Leavenworth, spent the early part of the week in Omaha, returning to his post on Wednesday.

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