

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

E. A. Davis left Tuesday for Baltimore.

Miss Mary Treeman has returned from Chicago.

Oscar Funke came down from Omaha on Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Leonard went to Denver Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Hurlbut went to Belcre, Ohio, on Thursday.

Miss Nell W. Sisler started on Tuesday for Chicago.

Miss A. A. Lynch left Tuesday for Colorado Springs.

Mrs. Hal Young and son returned from Ohio on Thursday.

Miss Margaret Hallett is visiting friends in Hiawatha, Kas.

The Famous will move into their old quarters in the Newman block.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bowers are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. W. Prey.

Miss Edith Beghtol of Holdrege is the guest of Miss Jennie Watson.

Mrs. Will Sterling of Omaha, was in town Wednesday visiting friends.

A. V. Johnson is spending a few weeks at Lexington, O., his old home.

Mr. W. M. W. Wilkinson of Chicago is visiting his cousin, Ed. H. Wilkinson.

Mr. J. T. Dorgan has returned from Estes Park, Col., where he spent a few days.

Mrs. T. M. Marquette spent three days visiting friends in Omaha last week.

Miss Clara Schram, of Des Moines, Ia., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Welles.

Misses Mattie and Ida Johnson have returned from a pleasant trip to Lake Okoboji.

Miss Artie Silence, accompanied by her sisters, left Tuesday for Breckenridge, Col.

Arthur J. Weaver and John Martin of the Falls City Journal were in the city this week.

Mrs. Wirts left Monday for Geneva, where she will spend a week with friends and relatives.

Bert Weston, of Beatrice, has been in the city a few days this week, the guest of Fred White.

Mr. Geo. Grant and Mr. Willard Barrows of Omaha, were in the city two days this week.

John M. Stewart and family returned last Saturday from an outing at Union on the Missouri.

Mrs. J. M. Saxton and sister, Miss Luce, have returned from a visit to Jameson, N. Y.

Miss Katherine Creily, of Kansas City, arrived Wednesday and is visiting Miss Lottie Whedon.

Miss Mary Fairbrother, editor of The Woman's Weekly, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Goudy.

Mrs. Amelia B. Clark and Miss Bertie Clark went to Chicago on Tuesday. They returned on Friday.

Mrs. Morris Wilson has been entertaining her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. H. Tomplar, and family of Omaha.

Miss Kelley, of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting Mrs. John Fitzgerald. She will probably be here some time.

Mrs. Mary D. Manning who has been taking a delightful two months trip in the Black Hills, returned this week.

Miss Myrtle Brown, who has been the guest of Miss Jennie Leonard, left last

Saturday for her home in Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. P. Huntington left on Thursday to join a party whose purpose it is to see Yellowstone Park.

Rev. C. M. Shepherd, who delivered three addresses before the Chautauqua at Cambridge, returned last Saturday.

Some extremely young people enjoyed a straw-ride Friday night but the reporter was unable to learn their names.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Gallarneau of Alliance have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Harpham the past week.

W. Morton Smith returned Tuesday from a two weeks' outing spent in Mt. Pleasant, Iowa; Chicago and Milwaukee.

Mrs. John McWhinnie's mother, brother and sister from Valleyfield, Canada, are paying her a delightful visit.

Miss Sidney Murphy, who has been ill several weeks with intermittent fever, is reported to be much improved in health.

Mrs. John S. Glover and daughter, and Mrs. J. P. Davis of Waterloo, Ia., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Hoover.

James Putman of Lead City, S. Dak., is stopping with friends in the city. Mr. Putman was formerly a resident of Lincoln.

Mr. Culver of Milford, Neb., expects to "come forty strong" to quote his words to the G. A. R. reunion to be held next week.

Mr. J. H. Barnard, formerly of Lincoln, but now of Omaha, made a few calls on his friends in the city on Wednesday.

Miss Francis Wright, who has been the guest of Mrs. O. S. Ward and Mrs. L. F. Zeiger, has returned to her home in Council Bluffs.

Mrs. E. E. Bennett gave a delightful "at home" to a few friends Friday, the 14th, in honor of her sister, Mrs. D. S. Lange of St. Louis.

Next Monday the Rev. Percy A. Silvers will take the Episcopal choir and others of the congregation to Crete for a ten day's outing.

Miss Kate Grant and Mrs. Ethel Wilkins arrived in Lincoln Wednesday. Miss Grant expects to remain a week with Miss Ruth Owens.

Miss Naomi Weaver leaves for Denver this evening to be gone ten days. She will visit her mother and sister who have been there for a year.

Miss Blanche Garten, who is having such a nice time visiting young lady friends in the east, is expected home the last of next week.

Miss Carrie Wasmer's host of admiring friends will be interested to know that she will leave today for a visit with friends in Cripple Creek, Col.

Mrs. Ransom, of 2400 P street, gave a very merry trolley party. The brilliantly lighted car could be seen at one time on all the principal lines in the city.

Miss Alice Righter left for Denver and other points in Colorado last Saturday, as the guest of Judge Kelly and family, who are travelling in a special car.

Mrs. Jennie Brownell and two children are stopping at 1206 K street for a few days. Mrs. Brownell is here on business relative to her block on Eleventh street.

J. H. Mallalieu, John Dixon of Nebraska City and Frank Lake of Omaha started Saturday for Colorado, where

they expect to stay two weeks in and around Manitou.

Rev. J. W. English of Sturgeon, Pa., with his wife and daughter, arrived in Lincoln Wednesday. They will stop with Mr. W. Q. Bell, an old classmate of the Rev. English.

Miss Walsh and Miss Leavenworth of Port Huron, Mich., and Miss Maud Vanarsdale, of Beatrice, are three very charming visitors at the home of Mrs. P. M. Hayden, Sixteenth and Maple street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Campbell left Monday for an extended trip through the east. While gone they will attend the Librarian's convention at Cleveland, O. and will visit friends in New York state.

The ladies of the Flower Mission for the visiting committee for last Thursday were Mrs. L. M. Marshall, Misses Mae Moore, Lucy Griffith, Marie Marshall, Maud Oakley and Mrs. J. A. Buckstaff.

Mrs. Ogden and family returned on Thursday from Ohio, where they have had a delightful six week's visit. Mrs. Ogden is the center of a circumference that becomes a shapeless lot of sticks when she goes to Ohio.

Miss Marie Marshall returned last Saturday from Omaha where she has for some time been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dan Wheeler. Dame rumor tells us that Miss Marie is as great a favorite in Omaha as she is at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston, Miss Elizabeth and Miss Katharine Weston, with master Bert Weston, stopped in Lincoln a few hours on Wednesday on their way to Dome Lake, Wyoming, where they will remain for three weeks.

Mrs. P. V. M. Raymond and son Frank went to Chicago on Thursday for a short vacation of a week or two. In Mrs. Raymond's absence Mrs. Will Owen Jones will be choirister at the First Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. St. John of Juniata, Neb., parents of S. T. St. John, director of Griffith's "Faust" company, arrived Thursday and witnessed "Faust" and "Richard III." at the Lansing this week. They expect to leave for their home today.

Mrs. F. S. Sheldon and fine young son, Paul, left Thursday evening for her home in New York city. During her visit with her parents Mrs. Sheldon has been especially favored with parties and dinners given in her honor. Her many friends will be sorry to have her go.

Prof. C. E. Bessey left Tuesday for Oberlin, O., where he will visit his mother a short time before going to Buffalo, N. Y., to attend the American association for the advancement of science. While there Prof. Bessey will also take part in the American botanical society.

Miss Bernice Becker entertained very delightfully a small company of young ladies for Miss Kelley, of St. Paul, Minn., last Wednesday afternoon. The invited guests were the Misses Mae Moore, Lucy Griffith, Laura Houtz, Grace Leming, Jessie Lansing, Kelley of St. Paul, Leavenworth and Walsh, of Port Huron, Mich., and Vanarsdale, of Beatrice.

At the time this paper went to press the lawn at Mrs. Hurlbut's, on Fourteenth and H streets, was the scene of a most brilliant lawn fete, which was in the nature of a bazar. Ice cream tables and prettily decorated booths dotted the grass among the trees, and gave to the entire affair a weird and fantastic appearance. The ladies in charge deserve a great deal of credit for the unlimited work required in such an affair.

Mr. Brad Slaughter and family have returned from their delightful summer outing at Omaha Beach on Lake Okoboji. Miss Alice met with an unfortunate accident to her right eye but thinks it will hardly be a serious one. Miss Grace Kingsurd, daughter of the

republican nominee for governor of South Dakota, returned with them. Miss Ringsurd expects to be here two weeks before returning to her home in Oak Point, S. D. She is a very pretty young lady.

The theatre never looks better than when the boxes are filled with ladies in light dresses, with a background of black broadcloth. At "Faust" Misses Jessie Lansing, Bernice Becker, Kelly of St. Paul, Minn., and Mr. Harry Lansing and Mrs. Oliver had a box party at "Richard III." Outside of the Oliver and Lansing private boxes, the remaining ones were occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright, Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Ladd, Misses Maud Oakley, Ella Raymond, Olive Latta and Mr. Will Raymond. Miss Grace Oakley and Harry Lansing.

A merrier, prettier crowd of young girls can scarcely be found than that which held their picnic on the lawn of Mr. H. P. Foster's home. After a very tempting lunch on the front verandas the remainder of the evening was taken up in dancing. The participants were the Misses Mary, Fannie, Elizabeth and Nancy Cunningham, Ella Harper, Laura Fiske, Emma Outcault, Blanche Hargreaves, Grace Leming, Laura Houtz, Marguerite Winger, Clara Hammond, Jane and Jessie McFarland, Winnie Hyde, Winnie Hill, Mary Hamer, Harriett Imhoff, Henrietta Hawley, Pauline Zeimer, May Honeywell, Addie Whiting, Rose and Edith Foster.

These are the days when a girl in white is a refreshing sight. When the motor man, who has our sympathy in the winter, has our envy. When the stores might as well close at 1 o'clock for all the trade they have after that hour. When we take no interest in the latest fad for the winter, the velvet gown. When the city dudes shave their heads so close that you think the operation must have been done with sandpaper. When the real summer girl always flirts. She can't help it. The germs of flirtation float on the summer breezes, and are nourished by the moon's silvery rays. When the young men, whose hearts she ensnares, will tell you she isn't to blame—even after she has jilted them she could only be a sister to them. They are glad to get her even on that basis. They like her, and will be glad to be an usher at her Fall wedding, when she marries the lucky dog who has been working in his city office all summer while they have been running after this most alluring of butterflies.

Mr. Mattson Baldwin has won new laurels as knight and hero. The sole protection of a fair lady, he lately brought his companion and himself unscathed out of what appeared to be a deadly encounter with bold highwaymen. Mr. Baldwin was driving, and the hour was not as early as it had been earlier in the evening. He was bowling along right merrily, whispering sweet nothings or somethings, as the case might be, to the beautiful lady whose escort he was. He reached the corner of Fourteenth and E streets. "Hist! What is that?" Mr. Baldwin turned pale. The lady clutched his arm. Two men sprang out of the darkness. They were desperate looking characters, and their manner was dictatorial, and they flourished long, shining guns. One man grabbed the horse. The other commenced to parley with Mr. Baldwin. Mr. Baldwin is the last man to refuse to parley; but he was in a hurry just then. Moreover, a lady's safety depended on him. Crack went the whip. The horse jumped. The man at his head was knocked down. Mr. Baldwin and the lady whirled by and the horse galloped like mad. They reached a place of safety. The lady beamed with gratitude. Mr. Baldwin settled back with a comfortable feeling of self-satisfaction. Had Mr. Baldwin stopped to examine the highwaymen he would have discovered that one looked like C. P. A.