



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Ernest Low has gone to Texas.

Miss Herberta Jaynes of Omaha attended the Junior Promenade at the Lincoln last evening. She will be the guest of Miss Olive Latta over Sunday.

Last Tuesday evening Dr. and Mrs. Bailey were agreeably surprised by a party of friends dropping in to help celebrate their fifteenth anniversary. Although the surprise was complete, Dr. and Mrs. Bailey were charming hosts. The jolly intruders brought a beautiful piece of cut glass. All sorts of games were played.

W. J. Bryan returned Monday from his Texas trip.

Miss Lil Tukey of Omaha is the guest of Miss Mae Burr.

Miss Kathryn Brooks is quite ill with the grip.

The Musicals department of the Woman's club will give a musicale program next Thursday, February 18.

Miss Grace Bennet of Omaha is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. W. Brown. She attended the Cotillion club party Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jenkins with her daughter of Fairmont is visiting her husband, Col. Jenkins, a representative.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Harr's spent two days in Lincoln last week.

G. W. Bonnell returned Wednesday from his trip to New Jersey.

Mrs. Geo. W. Lowrey returned Wednesday from Denver, Colo.

Mrs. John Dowden is very ill at the Windsor hotel with a serious attack of the grip.

The Bucyrus Mandolin club will meet with Miss Mae Burr Monday evening.

Mrs. C. F. Ladd will entertain this afternoon the active members of her fraternity, Kappa Alpha Theta, and a few young ladies for Miss Herberta Jaynes of Omaha.

The renewed Phi chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta have issued invitations to the members of the old Phi chapter for her first anniversary banquet at the home of Miss Leo's Vancil, 1222 J street, this evening at 7 o'clock.

Mrs. Preston charmingly entertained her Kensington club last Monday afternoon at her home on South Eleventh street. A great deal of amusement was derived from drawing threads in the napkins which were furnished each lady. Conversation was lively and the refreshments dainty. The members and invited guests were Mesdames O. N. Humphrey, Billmeyer, Wm. Turner, M. I. Aitken, McCreery, Campbell, Patrick, Van Brunt, C. I. Jones, C. E. Wilkison, Chapin; Misses Eulass and Clara Parks.

The little bird which is popularly supposed to travel around with such items of news brings a rumor of an engagement of one of the buds, to a gentleman who lives several hundred miles from Lincoln. The bird neglected to tell when the wedding was coming off; not soon, however.

Mrs. Jno. R. Clark, Miss Clark and Miss Gertie left last week for the east. They intend to spend the winter in New York city, where the young ladies will continue their art studies. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Rodgers have rented the residence, corner of Twentieth and F streets.

Carl Funke and wife started east this week. Mrs. Funke stopped at her old home, Newark, Ohio. Mr. Funke went on to New York.

W. H. Wheeler of Stella is in the city visiting his old friends and neighbors, Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Shepherd.

H. H. Barth and wife will leave in a few days for Mexico, where they expect to spend several months.

Miss Alice Slaughter returned this week from Trinidad, Col., where she has been visiting her sister.

Mr. Harry S. Lord of Anaconda, Montana, was in the city last week visiting his friends at the University.

Mrs. Fred Howe, born Funke, came to Lincoln on Friday to visit her mother and brothers. Mr. Howe remained in the east attending to the business of a patent which has proved a great success. The patent has something to do with a tooth-brush. The whole world has been disgusted with the only tooth-brush in sight for years. The bristles come out and it gets mouldy and sour while you wait. If Fred has something that will clean teeth and hold its bristles and not fall into bad odor I hope he will bring it to Nebraska with him. They say the brush is rotary.

Miss Dora Bacheller has assumed the charge of the advertising department of The Courier. She has made a special and successful study of writing advertisements. She is at work upon a directory of physicians, a part of which appears in this week's Courier.

Mr. Albert Turpin of Omaha will open a dancing school on Monday, February 15. Mr. Turpin has taught dancing for eight years in Omaha. He came to Lincoln to instruct the lads at Worthington academy. Mr. Turpin is a pleasant, keen witted young man who looks as though he could accomplish anything he wanted to. On Monday evening he will teach adult beginners at 7:30. Children's classes at 2:30 p. m. on Saturday.

Mr. C. A. Hanna has gone to Chicago, where he will be associated with Mr. C. G. Dawes in the management of the Evanston gas plant.

Miss Jaynes of Omaha, who is visiting Miss Latta, is the daughter of Mrs. Jaynes who organized the society of "The Daughters of the American Revolution." Without Mrs. Jaynes' enthusiasm and love of what is ancient and historical, the society would never have been started. At present the society is prospering. It has frequent meetings which undoubtedly foster a respect for what has been and strengthens the *esprit du corps* of the members.

Lieut. T. W. Griffith has been transferred to Ft. Bliss, El Paso, Texas, and made regimental quartermaster.

The Cotillion club gave an exceedingly nice party last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buckstaff. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith made excellent leaders. Among the pretty and intricate figures were the "Star and Circle," "The Bag Race," and "The Rope Jumping." The favors were dainty and lent brilliancy to the occasion. Misses Grace Oakley and Florence Farwell presided over the favor table. Those participating were Messrs. and Mesdames Buckstaff, W. C. Wilson, Wright, C. L. Burr, Keiley, Burnham, W. B. Hargreaves, Brown, Lippicott, Marshall, Ogden, Beeson, F. W. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Ladd, Capt. and Mrs. Guilfoyle, Carl Funke, Geo. Woods, F. W. Houtz and Oliver Rodgers; Misses Florence Farwell, Grace Oakley, Bennet of Omaha, Mary Price and Fred White.

F. W. Smith and wife and C. Y. Smith spent last Sunday in Omaha.

Mr. Ed. Fairfield has returned from a ten days' business trip to Omaha.

Mr. F. D. Cornell of the Missouri Pacific was in Kansas City on business last week.

The management of the Hayden Art club has secured a collection of photographs of the wall pictures in the Boston library. They will be on exhibition in the art room in the library of the State university on the 15th and 16th of next week and perhaps throughout the week. Puvie de Chavannes, Abbey, Sargeant, Whistler and others have done the largest part of the work in the library building, which has been and is more talked and written about than anything ever erected on this side of the water, not even excepting Biltmore or the Albany state capitol splurge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Townley entertained Palmer Cox, of the "Brownies" fame, with a dinner Thursday evening, February 14th. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brown, Rev. Percy A. Silvers and Rev. Turner.

Last Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buckstaff delightfully entertained the Bucyrus Mandolin club. After a satisfactory rehearsal refreshments were served in the dining room. The remainder of the evening was pleasantly spent in the dancing hall. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Ode Rector, L. W. Marshall and F. W. Smith; Misses Henrietta Hollowbush, Laura Houtz, Florence Farwell, Grace Oakley, Jessica Morgan, Clara Buckstaff, and Olive Latta; Messrs. F. C. Cooley, C. Y. Smith, Homer Honeywell, Mattson Baldwin and Dr. Wolcott. A number of people have asked why the club was called Bucyrus. For the lack of a better one the club members decided to use the name of the first piece of music which the members learned to play, "The Bucyrus Waltz," by Guckert. There is a little town in Crawford county, Ohio, situated upon a beautiful little stream, the "Cyrus." The natives in choosing a name combined the two words beautiful and Cyrus into the euphonic "Bucyrus." We are not responsible for the truth of the story of the origin of Bucyrus.

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PRIZE.

The Courier offers a prize of a first-class round trip ticket to CALIFORNIA to the individual who secures the greatest number of cash subscribers before March 31. The price of said ticket is ninety-four dollars (\$94.00). So far the competitors are few and sluggish, so that the ticket is liable to be given in exchange for very little work. Everyone but the successful competitor will receive 40 per cent on each cash subscription.

The Daughters of the American Revolution have issued invitations for an anniversary program to be given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Welch the 22nd, Washington's birthday.

R. T. Wing of Dillon, Montana, is the guest of his brother, George Wing, of 2206 South Fourteenth street.

Mrs. M. B. Reese returned Monday from Wahoo, where she had been called by the illness of her daughter.

The Patriarchs will give a fancy dress party the 26th at Lansing hall.

The J. O. C. club held its regular meeting at the home of Miss Alta Wilson last Friday evening. Instead of the usual literary program a mock trial was the amusement. A lively interest was taken in the suit between Jones vs. Brown until 1 a. m., when court adjourned until the next meeting of the club. The officers and interested parties in the case were as follows: Judge, Richard Williams; clerk of court, A. B. Wells; sheriff, Bernice Merrill; attorneys for the plaintiff, Morris Siebmann and Claude Wilson; attorneys for the defendant, Dan De Putron and Edwin Morrison; witnesses for the plaintiff, Edith Erford, Alta Wilson, Harry Newton, Mabel Erford, Clara Leese and Ethel Cullens; witness for the defendant, Fred Cridel, Frank Hawley, Edith Jones, Hattie Cook and Harry Gage. Those also present were Mrs. Eberhart, Mrs. Gimes and Jay Kierstead.

Today Paine & Warfel have their annual Neckwear and Suspender Sale—75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 Suspenders and Neckwear at 50c. All 50c Teck ties at 40c; all 50c Bond Bows and String Ties 25c; 35c and 40c Suspenders and Ties 25c. An opportunity to buy goods at these prices does not often occur. All goods new and fresh. Come and see them. We keep the latest styles in linen collars, Perrin's Gloves, Linen Handkerchiefs, etc.

PAINE & WARFEL.

Quite a number of G. A. R. members attended the twentieth annual encampment at Hastings from the 10th to 12th. They succeeded in helping elect Fred Meyer of Lincoln as a delegate to the National Encampment at Buffalo, N. Y. Among those who went from here were Messrs. James A. Heaton, Phelps Paine, Foxworthy, Col. Pace, Joe Teeters, J. Brown, Mart Howe, Fred Meyer, H. J. Westcott and Henry Masterman.

H. H. Hart, general secretary of the National Conference of Charities and Correction of St. Paul, Minn., Burwell Spurluck, superintendent of the Mothers Jewels' home of York, and John Laughlin of Omaha were in the city Wednesday to attend the state conference of charities.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hargreaves and Mrs. Coates expect to move shortly into Mr. Benton's home, Seventeenth and G streets.

The whist club was entertained last Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hargreaves. These lovers of whist spent the evening most delightfully at the game until a late hour. Dainty refreshments were served. The members present were Messrs. and Mesdames A. G. Beeson, R. J. Greene, L. C. Burr, C. L. Burr, Carl Furka, W. B. Hargreaves, R. C. Outcalt and Capt. and Mrs. Guilfoyle.

Chancellor MacLean went to Chicago Thursday.

Professor Bessey went to Grinnell, Ia., Thursday.

The charter day exercises at the State university will begin, like the Puritan Sabbath, the night before, Monday evening, February 15th, when the Society of Electrical Engineers will receive, instruct and astonish their friends at the university. The grounds and buildings will be brilliantly illuminated. Tuesday morning, Phi Beta Kappa will give a reception at the Chancellor's home to President Carter of Williams College, who delivers the Charter day address at the Lansing on the evening of the 16th. In the afternoon of Charter day all the departments will be "at home," especially the gymnasium and the military departments.