

write, advertising pays well, for the wealthy, educated classes are inveterate shoppers. The wealthy are very wealthy and poverty is also extreme. Wealthy Spanish-American ladies have little recreation except shopping, for Bradley-Martin balls or traveling for pleasure are unknown to them. But they spend vast sums of money on dress. They do not care to lavish much on fine houses because earthquakes are a constant menace. Although the government is autocratic the people are liberty loving and could be educated into a higher social level. The tendency is toward greater freedom of the press.

Lincoln Dry Goods Co., 1009 O street.

Miss Ada Heaton started Wednesday the 17th on a trip which will last until June. She stopped at Chicago and Niagara Falls for a few days and will be in Washington, D. C., for the inauguration. On her return she will visit her old home, Crawfordsville, and Terre Haute, Ind.

**Monday a lot of framed pictures at \$1, many of these pictures were \$1 unframed, Leming Store, 1106 O Street.**

John W. Dixon of Nebraska City was in Lincoln Wednesday to attend the Shriner's banquet and initiation.

The boxes were nearly all filled Wednesday evening at the National Flower, by pretty parties. A few of the people were: Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Thompson, Mr. Leonard, Miss Mary Price, Captain and Mrs. Guilfoyle, Mrs. Robinson, of Chicago; Mrs. C. E. Yates, Mrs. R. N. Townley and J. B. Wright.

Mrs. D. W. Murphy left last Wednesday for Columbus, Neb.

Hanna Coal for sale by Gregory, 11th and O. Phone 343.

The Shriners gave an elaborate banquet to the new initiates Wednesday evening at the Capital hotel. About fifty guests were present. Dr. Dolby played "Yankee Doodle" for the Shriners to march from the castle to the banquet hall, where the guests were seated around the banquet table. The following menu was served:

Blue Points.	Celery.
Bouillon in cups.	
Escalloped Oysters. Green Olives.	
Sandwiches.	Lettuce.
Cold Roast Turkey.	Glazed Ham.
Sliced Ox Tongue. Chicken Salad.	
Boned Capon, en Aspic.	
Capital Hotel Ice Cream.	
Kisses. Lady Fingers. Angel's Food.	
Fruit.	
American Cream Cheese.	
St. Julien. St. Catamba. Cafe Noir.	

The initiates: John W. Dixon, Fred M. Kuwisky and D. J. Sinclair of Nebraska City; Joe Mallalieu of Lincoln; J. O. Walker of Ong; Robert Tweed of Davenport; J. S. Coshonie of Hebron, and S. P. Glasgow, sheriff of Nehama county. H. H. Wilson officiated as toastmaster.

Early in the week a few fortunate little tots were sent the following invitation: Mrs. Coffroth invites her little friends on Tuesday, from 3 till daylight ends, to celebrate with joy and mirth the day of Payson Ewing's birth, February the twenty-third. No. 1300 G street.

Many and witty were the acknowledgments which were written in scrawling child's writing, and many were the happy hearts which were assembled Tuesday afternoon to enjoy the games which most delight the infant heart.

Pink was the prevailing color in the decorations. The dining room table was beautiful with La France roses, pink sash ribbons, pink and blue paper boxes, and the pink and white birthday cake adorned with seven candles.

Some of the acceptances were in rhyme as follows:

Helen Mitchell pleased will be,  
To come to Payson Ewing's tea  
On Tuesday afternoon at three,  
And try the merriest to be.

Katherine Beeson will come to the party,  
For Payson Ewing with good wishes hearty,  
And she thinks the best of all things to be,

One of Auntie Coffroth's friends. Don't you see?

Howard Brown his compliments sends to Mrs. C.,  
And he intends to be at the party Tuesday at three;  
To play with the kids, what fun it will be.

Alva accepts with joy—  
To celebrate the birth of the boy,  
Who while in years only seven,  
In mind is nearly eleven.

—Alva Clark.

I'll be with thee, right joyfully,  
To celebrate with joy and mirth,  
The day of Payson Ewing's birth,  
But school will keep me from the treat,  
Until at four I home will run,  
And get me ready for the fun.  
Hiley Wiley Hilland Wheeler.

Dorethy C. and Wilder D.,  
Accept with pleasure your invite to play  
On Payson's birthday.

They will gladly assist in the mirth and the glee—  
And then please send them home to tea.  
—Dorethy C. and Wilder D. Baker.

Mrs. R. J. Green gave a luncheon on Thursday in honor of her guests, Miss Price and Miss Bennett. The latter lives in Omaha. The guests were Mrs. F. W. Brown, Mrs. Beeson, Mrs. Guilfoyl, Mrs. Coffroth.

Perfection Cooking Mixture \$4.70 per ton, sold exclusively by Gregory, 11th and O.

Next Wednesday, March 3d, is the first day of Lent, when we (of the church) repent in dust and ashes for the frivolity which has characterized the 319 days of our futile past. The official and anniversary repentance is 46 days long this season—surely not too long to remember the sins of worldliness and selfishness and worse, of the help we could give and would not, the shortness of life and our accountability.

Miss Lila Alexander came down from Omaha yesterday to attend the Patriarch's fancy dress ball. She is the guest of Miss Sadie Buhrnam.

Mrs. Georgia M. Lore left for San Diego, Cal., yesterday.

New Penn. hard coal, \$7.60 at yard and \$8.00 delivered. Whitel reast Co.

The Kensington Club, which usually meets Monday afternoon, were entertained yesterday by Mrs. W. J. Turner at her home, at 1527 L street. Delicious refreshments were served. The guests and members present were: Messrs. and Mesdames R. T. Van Brunt, A. G. Billmeyer, Leese, C. I. Jones, W. C. Preston, Chapin, Wilkinson, Walter Davis, Patrick, Armstrong, Plank, Ladd, Latta, Hayes, Tomson, MacLean, Candel, Bartruff, Aitkin, Hutchins, R. M. Turner, M. E. Van Brunt, Wolcott and Williams, with the Misses Eulass, Parks and Bessie Turner. Mrs. Wolcott and Mrs. Williams are on their way to Boston, where Mr. Wolcott is in business. They are the guests, while in Lincoln, of Mrs. Van Brunt. Mrs. Wolcott and Mrs. Williams have a great many friends here who welcome the opportunity to greet them again.

If you are thinking of getting a bicycle see our line. It is complete and can save you money. Crancer & Curtice Co. 207 S. 11th st.

The members of dissenting bodies pay little attention to the fact which rejuvenates the most brilliant part of society, and small western communities scarcely note the arrival of Ash Wednesday.

"Uni" students say our Three "Beauts" are elegant. Lincoln Coal Co., 1206 O Messrs. W. Farnham Smith and Joe Baldrige of Omaha spent Sunday in Lincoln as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith. They attended the Pleasant Hour party.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel D. Ostott of Chicago were in the city this week visiting Mrs. O's sister, Mrs. A. Lincoln Frost. Mrs. Ostott is known to Lincoln friends as Ida Bonnell.

Hubert H. Waite of Beatrice attended the Pleasant Hour party last Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Smith gave an elegant dinner, and also a lunch in the evening, to a few young people.

Miss Grace Oakley delightfully entertained Miss Tukey of Omaha last Saturday evening. The decorations were pretty and the refreshments elaborate. Although the entertainment was informal, it was thoroughly enjoyable to the eight or ten couples present.

Miss Mae Bartlett, who has been visiting Miss Alice Righter since the promenade, returned to her home last Saturday.

Mr. Russell Thorpe, of Edgemont, arrived Monday in Lincoln. He remained several days.

A merry crowd of young folks celebrated Washington's birthday by giving a bob-sled party in honor of Miss Jossie Kribbler of Seward. Those participating were: Misses Josie Kribbler, Clara Leese, Alta Wilson, Edith Erford, Anna Maryott, Dollie Shepherdson, India Bartley, Mable Erford and Mildred Parks; Messrs. George Joers, Herman Lock, Howard Rathburn, Harry Mitchell, Winthrop Rathburn, Henry Look, Gene Hancock, Vincent O'Shea and Mark Rathburn.

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Mrs. William Pennybaker and baby of Grand Island, and Mrs. Watts of Cripple Creek, are the guests of Mrs. J. White. From Lincoln Mrs. Pennybaker will go to Missouri, her future home.

The Tri-Deltas and a few of their friends were informally entertained at the home of Miss Frankish, Saturday afternoon. That which gave the greatest pleasure to the meeting was the opportunity of having with them Mrs. Manahan and Miss Sara Vore Taylor, '96. Miss Taylor is teaching in Omaha this year, and Mrs. Manahan returned from St. Paul only a short time ago.

Mrs. W. S. Sumner, an alumna of an Iowa college, and also of another chapter of the Pi Beta Phi, has invited the local chapter of the Pi Beta Phi to spend the afternoon with her Saturday, February 27.

The Sigma Chi fraternity initiated three members Thursday evening, February 8. They are Frank Rainey and Ralph Rainey of Brownville, Neb., and Cleo Tishue of Seward, Neb.

Bert S. Langworthy has left school to accept a position in the Seward National bank. Mr. L. will be greatly missed by the members of the Sigma Chi fraternity, of which he was an active member.

The February number of the Botanical Gazette affords some exceedingly interesting information concerning

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the botany in the fifteen or sixteen leading universities and colleges of the country. From this article it is seen that the botanical seminar of the university of Nebraska easily holds first rank among botanical societies connected with institutions of learning. Its uniqueness is shown by the fact that it is the only such society, which publishes its reports and monographs or carries on an extensive, systematic survey, and which requires candidates for membership or for successive degrees to pass a severe examination in practically all the departments of botany.

"The Periodicity of Flowering," Mr. Clements.

"Herbaceous Vegetation Forms," Mr. Pound.

"The Karyology of the Ascomycetes," a review; Mr. Shear.

"The Organogeny of the Genus Prunus," Mr. Bell.

The American Chemical Society is a national organization of which there are nine local sections. The Nebraska section is the farthest west. Meetings are held quarterly, at which lectures or papers on original investigations are presented. The subjects recently discussed before the section were "Mineral Constituents of Some Nebraska Waters," Miss Bouton; "Conservation of Moisture in Soils," Prof. Lyon.

"Starch Manufacturing and Chemistry as Applied therein," Mr. Hibbard.

These meetings are held in the lecture room of the chemical laboratory.

The Chemical Journal Club meets every Saturday at 8:30 a. m. The principal articles of the current chemical journals are reviewed and discussed. The instructors and the advanced students take active part in the work.

Mr. Rising, the father of Charles Rising, has recently deposited in the State Historical rooms a piece of board of considerable size that was given to him in 1844 by two of the Standish family. It was given to them by their grandfather, one in direct descent from Miles Standish. The board was part of a dinner chest of Miles Standish, and came over in the Mayflower.

Prof. H. A. Senter of the class of '93, who has been studying chemistry in Heidelberg, Germany, for the past two years, and who took his Ph. D. examination last November, returned home the first of the month and is at present located in the chemical department of the university.

The Pleasant Hour club gave its customary Washington anniversary party last night in Courier hall. Quite a number of visitors were present from out of the city. The evening was passed delightfully in dancing. The young ladies looked charming in their beautiful gowns. The music was excellent, and the party proved to be one of the most enjoyable given by the club. Joe Mallalieu made an excellent master of ceremonies for the eighteen dances. The guests were: Miss Tukey, of Omaha; Misses Enlass, Marie Marshall, Henrietta Hollowbush, Olive Latta, Jessica Morgan, Sadie Burnham, Florence Farwell, Maud Oakley, Kathryn Brooks, Alice Slaughter, Mae Burr; Messrs. and Mesdames George and Frank Woods, L. W. Marshall, Ed Fitzgerald and F. W. Smith; Mr. Black of Chicago; Mr. Waite of Beatrice; Messrs. Baldrige, Clough and W. Farnham Smith of Omaha; Messrs. Honeywell, Baldwin, Mallalieu, Morrison, Zehrung, Evans, Kennard, Hurlbut, Clark and C. Y. Smith.

Miss C. J. Guilmette started for New York last Monday. She will be gone about three weeks.

The scholars of St. Theresa's parochial school displayed their patriotism Monday night in a way that left no doubt in the minds of the audience as to their loyalty to the country of Washington, and that they are all true blue American eaglets was forcibly demonstrated before the close of the exercises.

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