

lunch table. The affair was held immediately after the performance of "1492" and was given in compliment of the great Stuart who did the part of "Isabella" in such a successful manner in the play of the evening. Those present at the luncheon were Stuart, Eddie Lloyd also of the "1492," company, Messrs Tibbetts and Clark of "The Real Widow Brown" company which showed at the Funke the same evening, and William Reed Dunroy. Mr. Stuart won the admiration of all by the charming manner in which he told of his varied and surprising stage experiences. He also showed the gentlemen parts of his wardrobe which proved that he has a remarkably beautiful collection of stage dresses. In displaying the garments he went into feminine raptures over his "duds," all of which was entirely pardonable in the eyes of the other men.

Miss Anne Spurck and her physical culture class of young ladies gave a dancing party Thursday afternoon in Turpin's hall. Miss Charlotte Clark presided at the piano. The party was given by young ladies to young ladies and the graceful, slender, young forms filled the hall with the beauty that belongs to buds, springtime and the beginning of things. Miss Ruth Macfarland was mistress of ceremonies. The invited guests were: Mabel Bennet, Loise Burnham, Hattie Corey, Zelia Cornell, Mabel Cox, Crawford, Elsie Fawell, Claire Funke, Gladys and Louise Hargreaves, Edna Harley, Lela Hunt, Maggie Honeywell, Margie Loomis, Ruth and Jessie Macfarland, Leah and Pauline Meyer, Jessie Outcalt, Ruth Raymond, Ethel Rivett, Edith Robbins, Alice and Edna Spears, Alberta and Charlotte Spurck, Jessie and Lillian White, Helen Wilson, Marie Weesner, Mabel Muir; Mrs. D. D. Muir, Miss Carson and Miss Harris.

The Cheese and Cracker club has revived the decadent custom of receiving New Year's calls. It is a very pleasant, albeit an old fashioned way of greeting ones friends and it is a happy thought of these young ladies to revive it. On Monday, the second of January, 1899, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lew Marshall, Mesdames Marshall, Ross Curtrice, Mallalieu, Mohrenstecher, W. F. Kelley, Fred Howe, Geo. Woods, Chas. L. Burr, Ode Rector, John Dorgan and Misses Mae Burr and Fay Marshall of the Cheese and Cracker club will receive their friends. They will be assisted by Misses McClure and Rinehart and Mrs. Dundy. Elaborate preparations have been made for callers and as these names include the most popular of the younger married set and the most hospitable the Marshall homestead will be a delightful place on New Year's day.

Chancellor and Mrs. Mac Lean entertained a distinguished company at dinner Monday evening. Those who enjoyed the occasion were: Chancellor Kerr of Omaha University, Chancellor Huntington of Wesleyan University, President Aylesworth of Cotner University, President Sutherland of Grand Island College and President Perry of Doane College. Those present represented what is known in educational circles as the College Union. Its membership consists of chancellors and presidents of those schools of the state which require a three years course in preparation for the college and offer an additional year. The dinner was preceded by a session of the Union at which affairs of the society were discussed.

Tuesday and Wednesday were days when many prominent club women of the state were present at the club meeting in the chapel of the university. Some of those present were: Mesdames S. C. Langworthy of Seward, president of the state federation of women's clubs; Frances Ford of Omaha, who was secretary of the board of lady managers of

the Trans-Mississippi exposition; Belle M. Stoutenborough of Plattsmouth, ex-president of the state federation; S. R. Towne and Heller of Omaha, Green of Stromsburg and Thomas Murty of Weeping Water.

Professor Edgren and wife, held a delightful reception Tuesday evening for those members of the modern language association who are in the city attending the sessions of the body this week. The reception was held after the evening's session when the talented host and his wife escorted the entire assembly to their home where professors of the modern languages in the university assisted in receiving. Refreshments were gracefully dispensed in both dining room and hall by Misses Edgren, Weeks, Sundean and Sherman.

The L. A. G. F. Kensington club was entertained in a delightful manner on Tuesday by Mrs. W. A. Preston. In a guessing contest which afforded much entertainment, Mrs. C. D. Pitcher was victorious and was given a nice prize. Those who didn't happen to guess so well were: Mesdames Van Brunt, Patrick, Scott, Turner, Billmeyer, Gerhart, Humphrey, Pitcher, Armstrong, Kennard, Wilkinson, Campbell, Fawell, Chapin and Davis.

A farewell reception was tendered Rey. and Mrs. Henry Dunning in the parlors of the Second Presbyterian church Wednesday evening. Mr. Dunning has done efficient work in the pulpit and those who know him best will regret his absence. He has accepted the pastorate of the Presbyterian church

at Watertown, N. Y., and will begin preaching there the second Sunday in January. In the meantime he and Mrs. Dunning will prepare for the move and pay farewell visits to their western friends.

Mrs. Cameron, the charming soprano who appeared here during the last May festival, is starting with her own concert company and we hear through her friend, Mrs. Minnie R. Herzog of this city that she is meeting with success. Mrs. Herzog's last letter from Mrs. Cameron was from El Paso, Texas, and in it she states her intention of visiting Lincoln in February and of giving a concert here.

Miss Blanche Hargreaves presided at a chafing dish party on Wednesday evening. Only a collection of intimate friends attended to enjoy the charming dainties dished up by the hostess. Those who partook of the cheer were: Misses Woods, Lansing, Raymond and Hargreaves; Messrs Haecker, Bartlett, Clark and Shedd.

Mrs. Fred Jewel received at her home Friday afternoon for Mrs. Wm. Poynter and the ladies of the State House. A large number of ladies were invited and were divided into two groups for the afternoon so that there would be no inconvenience in handling the guests. Mrs. W. F. Porter assisted in receiving the ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woodward had a home full of visitors this week. They were: Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Woodward of Des Moines, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. and Mrs. W. Woodward of Valisca, Iowa and

T. P. Woodward of Beatrice. The whole week was one large reunion.

William Reed Dunroy has been in the eastern part of the state this week looking up material for another holiday number of The Nebraska Register, a special edition having been put out for Christmas. On Thursday night he supped with Stuart, the male Patti, who was in Council Bluffs with "1492."

Mrs. Caroline Williams was the guest of Mrs. M. H. Garten Tuesday and Wednesday. She left for her home in Boston Thursday after having been called upon steadily the two previous days by those who are fortunate to know her. Mrs. Williams has been in Denver visiting her daughters, Mrs. Faggart and Mrs. Crissy.

The Lindell card club was entertained Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Harrison. Those who sat at the tables and disposed of empires, kings and queens were: Mesdames Perrin of Grand Island, Strickler of Omaha, Hoover, Humphrey, Bartruff, Mauritius, Zahn, Hirsching and Miss Louise Hoover.

On Thursday next the Lincoln Light Infantry will blossom out in a poverty social which is promised as one which will eclipse even the effort of last year. The invitations are already out. They are printed on common Manila paper—a very appropriate texture for the boys to use.

The Ada Rehan dance can be seen at Richeson's academy Friday evenings.

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