comber. Haecker, Daniels, Hamilton, that one found one's way to Mrs. Wilson, Harley, Kenney, Margaret Hon- Wright's. The house was a garden of eywell, Woods, Welch and Gregory; blosaoms and fragrance, there being Messr3. Tukey, Sherman, Paul Weeks, red roses and carnations and asparagus Raymond, Louis Korsmeyer, Clark, Mc- ferns in the Turkish room and in the Oreery, Sheldon, Harry Shedd, Seacrest, library, snow balls, fringed flower and Crandall, Holt, Fitzgerald, Culver, iris in the raception room, and pink and Haecker, Pearse, Rainey, Hugh Edmie- white roses and carnatione, and asparten, Von Mansfeld and Dr. White. Mr. agus fern in the dining room. A clever,
and Mrs. Peter Lau were the chaper- musical guessing game was the afterand Mrs Peter Lau were the chaperones.
Mrs. A. E. Fowler gave an informal afternoon on Tuesday. There were lovely Jurquis roses in various vaees Mise Young sang charmingly and Mise Persion recited the "Ruggles" from the Bird's Christmas Carol in an effective manner, bringing out the true Ruggles' epirit.
Mr. and Mrs. John B. Wright gave a card party to a large number of people on Monday evening in hovor of their tenth anniversary. The house that night was a conservatory not only of flowers and lovely bric-a-brac, but of pretty women in charming frocks. In the drawing room vere great jardinieres of snow balle, fringed flower and purple iris. The oriental room, which is al ways soothing and refreshing had for its presiding thowers red roses, red carnations and afparagus ferns. In the library was the same flower scheme. The dining room was pretty with pink and white carnations, and roses with asparagus terns. There were seventeen tables. Mrs. Griffith and Mrs. Curtice cut for the royal prize, Mrs. Griffith beirg the successful one. S.e was presented with a Queen Louise in a Florentine frame. Mrs. Buckstaff who took the part of a gentleman during the game bore off the macculine laurels. Her reward was a picture of the Countees Potocka, framed in black and gold. Mr. Crancer had the best lone-hand record and was awarded with a matchceiver in the shape of crossed pipes. Mre. Rector and Judge Irvine cut for the consolation gift, a pair of silver manicure ecissors. The ecore cards were of clever design, being tin hearts with the dates $1890-1900$ and the lettere R. W. A few of Mrs. Wright's intimate friends presented her with a Rookwood vase of graceful contour. A supper of three courses and of many things was served after the game.

Mrs. Charles M. Keefer gave a chafing dish luncheon on Tuesday in honor of Mrs J. W. Chamberlain of Denver. Fach cover was diatinguished by viole and white ribbons at the end of which red and white roses were tied. On the white ribbon was engraved in red letters, "Mrs. Charles M. Keefer at home Tuesday, May 15, 1900. Comphmentary to Mrs. J. W. Chamberlain." On the violet ribbon were the names of the guests: Mrs. J. W. Chamberlain Mrs. D. B. Cropey, Mrs. J. L. Teeters, Mrs. H. P. Eamee, Mrs. D. D. Muir, Mrs. G. W, Lowrey, Mrs. O. M. Stone braker, Mrs. H. A. Lee, Mrs. J. A, Rudd, Mrs. E. E. Bennet and Miss Gertrude Bradt of Beatrice. The tabie centre was a bowl of splendid red and white roses with a reflector as a background Mre. Keefor anđ Mrs. H. A. Lee presided at the chafing dishes and as a result a fine lobster Newberg was produced. The menu consisted of the Newberg, olives, pickies, lettuce sandwiches, fruit salad and waters, ice cream in moulds, cake coffee and smal cakes.
The annual banquet of Kappa Kappa Gamma will be given this evening at the home of Mrs. Emory C. Hardy.

Mrs. John B. Wright entertained on Tuezday afternoon. There were about ne hundred and thirty-five invitations and about one hundred guests present. A long rain always gives a particular stimulus to be out and about and hence on Tuesday it was with special pleasure
noon's amusement. The guesta were seated six at a table, and each woman was allowed a partner with whom to confer concerning the conundrums offered:

A support for the shoulders-Brace. Twenty-Score
A story in an apartment house-Flat. Not artificial-Natural.
The beginning and end of one of hakspere's plays-Measure,
Oxygen and nitrogen combived-Air. A measure used-Foot.
What bread is-Staff.
Represented by hour-glass and sickle Time.
To observe-Note
Av army officer-Major.
Neces.ary condition for surgical in-rumente-Sharp.
A promise to pay three days after due Grace Note.
Three times as much-Treble.
A quiver of the voice-Trill.
To filter-Strain.
A vegetable-Beet.
A topic-Theme.
Remedy for fatigue-Rest.
Material that defiles-Pitch.
Name of one of Milton's finest poems L'Allegro.
The table of a shop-Counter.
The stone which binds an arch-Key. Four-fifthe of an Athenian law giver Syncope
What children do in winter-Slide.
By chance-Meter.
A war-like defenso, and the letter most used in printing Forte-Forte.
Mise Oakley and Miss Hollowbush won the first prizes, Miss Oakley receiving a Caproni head of Mozart and Miss Hollowbush a picture. Mrs, Mitchell and Mrs. Highland Wheeler cut for the second prize, Mrs. Mitchell being the winner. She received a Madonna picture in an open work black frame. pair of silver embroidery scissors was the consolation gift

Miss Cochrane left on Sunday for Schnectady, New York, where she expects to remain for the summer as the guest of Mrs. Willetts Sawyer, born Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbsrt Marsland are in the Lincoln this week. Mr. Marsand has accepted a position with a publishing firm in the east.

Mrs. Cropsey of Fairbury is the guest

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Mr. Frank King Clarke and Mr. Whedon reaches Lincoln this morning They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Oakley.

Mrs. D. E. Thompeon entertained Les Bohemiennes at luncheon on Wednesday, in the ordinary of the Hotel Lincoln. Six courses were served. The guests lingered for a time and then went to the reception given by Mrs. William Fitch Kelley.
Mr. and Mrs. Ewen of Saginaw, Michigan, arrive in Lincoln this morn ing. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mre. W. C. Wilson.
Mesdames T. F. Bartlett, C. L. Troyand Robinson entertained th Woman's Auxiliary of the United Travelers, in honor of Mrs. Marshall, who goes soon to Buffalo to make her home. Mre. Marehall has made mady friends here, and it is with particular gret that the members of the club there were white carnations. The din there were white carnations. The din

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## THE WEEK'S SPECIAL VALUES IN READY-

 TO-WEAR GOODS.Crash skirts upwards from ................49c New wash waists in white and colors, ruffle cuffs and bolero jachets, upwards from.. $\qquad$ 100 dozen new wasts in all the new styles and colors, upward from.

49c
New lawn wrappers, fast colors, sleeves, neck and bottom of ruffle t-immed with polka dot border, each
A lot of new suits on sale this week at HALF OFF Two piece wash suits at.
. 81.25 and $\$ 1.47$

## Special Values in Fashionable Millinery.

Women's black or white sailor hats, Canton straw, ach.

25 c Crash hats, each

15c
Children's mull hats, regular 50 c and 85 c values, our price, each. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 25c and 49c Children's Mountain Leghorn hats, each.......15c Women's sailors in plain or fancy rough straw, each.
.49 c
All of our pattern hats on sale now at HALF OFF A handsome line of trimmed hats for children at.
$75 \mathrm{c}, 97 \mathrm{c}$ and 81.47
Excellent values in women's hats, prices range upward from.

75c, 97c and 81.47

Domestics.
Good dark prints, per yard.
.......
Cotton Covert for summer suits and skirts, 27 in . wide, per yard..
$121 / 2 \mathrm{c}$
Light summer percale, per yard.
per doz., from 69c to $\$ 5$
All linen crash for towels, heavy, per yard

Cotton foulards, 32 in . wide, for dresses and waists, look
like silk foulards, per yard $27 \mathrm{in}$. lawn, dark and light colors, per yard 30 in. dimity, all uew patterns, per yard

## Underwear.

Women's ribbed vests, sleeveless, without tapes, each

Women's ribted cotton vests, taped neck and arms, 9c or 3 for 25.
Women's summer union suits, each . . 19c

Children's sleeveless knee length union suits, each

## Hosiery.

Women's black and $\tan$ cotton hose, spliced heel and toe, double sole. a pair
Misses' fine ribbed cotton hose, seamless, double heel and toe, a pair. 10c Men's black cotton socks, seamless, double heel and toe, 3 pairs for 25c.
Women's and children's, side elastics, pin top, all colors, a pair

Ribbons and Belts.
Fancy ribbons in stripes and checks, suitable for ties, per yard
New and choice styles in plaid and striped taffeta ribbons, exquisite colorings, per yard
A beautiful line of hemstitched taffeta ribbons in the new spring shades, per yard
An immense line of patent and morocco belts black, tan and brown, splendid quality, worth 35 c and 40 c , each
Superior quality patent and morocco pulley belts, also black taffeta pulley belts, each .- 50 c -Black double faced satin ribbon pulley belts, exceptional values, each

