

A most enjoyable Christmas party was given in the Y. W. C. A. home on Thursday evening. Each young woman, on entering the parlor, was given a bag filled with hickory nuts to be used instead of money in purchasing fancy articles which were offered for sale. A grab bag also furnished much amusement. Later in the evening the hickory nuts were cracked and eaten.

On Tuesday evening the members of the First Baptist church and Sunday school were treated to a stereopticon exhibition by Mr. N. K. Griggs. Two solos furnished the musical part of the program, after which Christmas gifts were distributed among the children. Next Sunday evening a cantata will be given at the church by the Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Phelps have for their guests this week Miss Ruby White of Minden, Miss Florence Guyer of Saltillo, Miss Elizabeth Williams of York and Mr. Earle Morris of Kansas City. In honor of the visitors Mr. and Mrs. Phelps gave a dinner on Christmas day, after which a basket of Christmas gifts furnished appropriate entertainment.

On Wednesday evening an elaborate Christmas entertainment was given in St. Paul's church by the Sunday school. Recitations and vocal and instrumental music made up the program, followed by the appearance of Santa Claus laden with gifts for the little ones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. F. McKesson, of Emerald, celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary with a Christmas banquet at which many of their Lincoln friends were present. Among the guests were Governor and Mrs. Savage.

The Sunday school at Holy Trinity held a genuine Christmas celebration on Friday evening. A Christmas tree laden with candy, oranges and other good things was followed by a little play in which the children took part.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Harrison, who have been spending the last two months at Managua, Nicaragua, have started for the United States and will come to Lincoln by way of Washington, D. C.

On New Year's night Mrs. Frank E. Lahr will give a dancing party for her son, Mr. Albert Lahr, and Mr. Scott Hallett. About seventy-five invitations have been issued.

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WOMAN WHO BRAVES CONSUMPTION



The eyes of the whole world are now centered on Miss Emma H. King, the New York nurse, whose heroic self-sacrifice is exerted to prove either the falsity or correctness of Dr. Koch's famous theory of the non intercommunicability of tuberculosis between man and beast. In the interest of science Miss King has permitted Dr. Barney, the experimenter, to inoculate her with the tuberculous serum of a stricken cow. She has been made to realize that in the event of Dr. Barney's views being correct, she will surely be affected with consumption, but she puts her faith in Dr. Barney's pledge to stay the progress of the disease in its initiatory stage.

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Mr. W. B. Ogden spent Thursday and Friday in Chicago.

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Miss Helen Welch has returned from an extended eastern trip.

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Bert Whedon is home from Harvard law school for the holidays.

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Dr. Charles Yungblut is spending the holidays in Wheeling, West Virginia.

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Miss Grace Salisbury is the guest of friends in Sarpy county during her vacation.

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Mrs. Atwood and family spent Christmas with relatives in Platts-mouth.

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Miss Claire Funk is spending a few days in Omaha, the guest of Miss Jennie Orcutt.

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Miss Henrietta Bankson spent Wednesday and Thursday at her home at Table Rock.

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Miss Elsie Fawell gave a chafing-dish party to a number of friends on Christmas evening.

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Mrs. George Schwake is entertaining her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Newton, of Kansas City.

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The Lincoln librarians will entertain the visiting librarians at dinner at the Lincoln hotel on New Year's day.

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Mrs. G. L. Burkhalter and family of Perry, Iowa, are the guests of Mrs. Burkhalter's brother, W. M. Maupin.

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Dr. John Graham of Lead, South Dakota, is spending the holidays with his father, R. B. Graham of this city.

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Miss Lillian Fitzgerald is home for the holidays. She is a student at the Sacred Heart college at St. Joseph, Mo.

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Miss Ruth Jakway, who is attending school at Ferry Hall, Lake Forest, Ill., is spending the holidays at her home in Lincoln.

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Next Tuesday Mrs. Lahr will entertain twelve ladies at breakfast. In the evening she will be hostess to the Levita whist club.

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Mrs. N. C. Brock will give a large card party this evening in honor of Miss Reinhardt. Four-handed euchre will furnish the entertainment.

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Next Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sawyer will give their eleventh annual reception to members of the family and a few other guests.

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Mrs. J. R. Webster and Miss Joy Webster are living in Mrs. Polk's house, 1607 L street, during the absence of Mrs. Polk and Miss Edna Polk.

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Mrs. W. B. Ogden gave a dinner party last night at which the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Levering, Miss Harris and Mr. Berger.

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Miss Watkins, who is spending the year in Lincoln with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hall, left on Tuesday for her home at Julian, where she will spend the holidays.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Slater gave a family dinner party on Christmas day. A Christmas tree furnished entertainment for the children, of whom ten were present.