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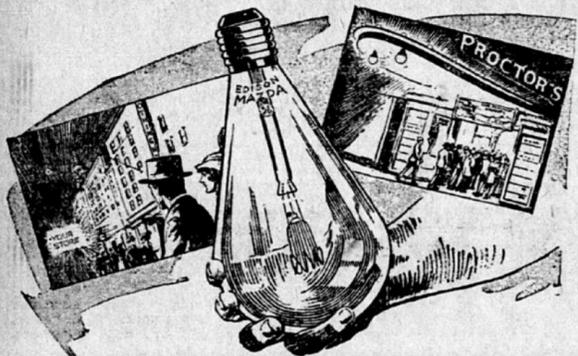
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**AN OLD VALENTINE.**  
I wandered to an attic where lacy cobwebs swayed,  
Where sunbeams, dusty golden, were dancing as they strayed;  
And as I crossed the threshold with footsteps soft and slow,  
I felt the hidden presence of ghosts of long ago.

I saw a wooden chest there with rusty lock and key,  
And when I knelt before it my dreaming eyes could see  
Initials twined together and carving almost hid  
By scratches, deeply graven upon the polished lid.

I knelt beside it, silent, and opened it with care;  
I felt as if some girl-soul were standing by me there;  
For dainty garments whispered, and perfumed laces sung  
Of maying and of springtime, when all the world was young.

I saw a folded paper, all yellow with the years,  
Perhaps the print of kisses, perhaps the mark of tears—  
Had touched it once—for, fastened with bow of faded blue,  
It whispered through the ages a message, "I love you!"

I laid it gently from me and closed the chest with care,  
And breathing through the stillness I heard behind me there  
A murmur—half a love word, and half, perhaps, a sigh—  
The phantom of a heart-beat of many years gone by.

—Margaret E. Sangster, Jr.

**Monday Music Club Program.**  
Efforts are being made by the members of the Monday Music club to secure an especially good attendance for the program tomorrow night, which will be of unusual interest and merit. The usual guest fee will be charged those who are not members of the club. The program which will be given tomorrow evening follows:  
King Rite Overture. Geo. D. Barnard  
Sight Brigade Overture.....  
.....H. Grenenwald  
High School Orchestra  
Philip C. Hayden, Director.  
Nymphs and Fauns.....H. Benberg  
O Dry Those Tears, Teresa Del Riego  
Mrs. Ethel M. Sandberg  
Marche Militaire.....Schubert-Tansig  
Miss Cecelia Walljasper  
Blow Ye Gentle Breezes Blow, Marks  
The Snow.....Elgar  
Community Chorus.....  
F. E. Fuller, Director  
Allah.....Chadwick  
Lovely Maiden Roaming (Translated from Chinese).....Branscombe  
Will of the Wisp.....Spross  
Mrs. Florence Wright Schouten  
D Minor Concerto.....Rubinstein  
Mrs. Arvilla Erdman Cooper  
(Orchestral parts supplied on second piano by Miss Walljasper.)  
O Peaceful Night.....German  
As Torrents the Summer.....Elgar  
The Soldier's Chorus (Faust).....  
.....Gonoud  
Community Chorus  
F. E. Fuller, Director  
The sponsors are Miss Fry, Miss Parsons.

The hostesses are: Mrs. W. H. Carter, Mrs. P. C. Hayden.  
The house committee is: Miss Dickery, Mr. Young.

**U. C. T.'s Entertain.**  
The annual mid-winter entertainment under the auspices of Keokuk council No. 400, United Commercial Travelers, which was given last night at Woodman hall proved a delightful occasion, and was quite successful. Dancing was the chief diversion of the evening, music for dancing being furnished by Agne's six-piece orchestra. After the dance program, supper was served. Cards were also enjoyed by some of the guests of the local council. Supper was served at ten o'clock to the members and their guests. The committee, which had charge of the entertainment was composed of the following: J. W. Clark, H. A. Bank, A. Ferris, C. R. Bryan, Frank McMillen, Ed. Wright, John Culbertson, R. P. Greaves, A. H. Cushman and C. Parrott.

**Racket Club's Party.**  
Miss Beattie Laws entertained the members of the Racket club at a valentine party on Saturday afternoon, from 3 to 6 o'clock. The dining table from which the refreshments were served, was decorated in red hearts and cupid and lighted with red shaded candles. The place cards were red hearts to which was attached an original valentine verse. Miss Edith Wahner of Montrose, was an out of town guest. Frances McGaw will entertain the club at its next meeting.

**Altruistic Circle Party.**  
On Friday evening the Altruistic circle entertained a large company of friends in the parlors of the United Presbyterian church at an old-fashioned "spellin' school." The national colors and American flags were used in decoration in honor of Lincoln's birthday. Refreshments were served during the evening.

**A Valentine Party.**  
Miss Katherine Tomlinson entertained the pupils of the Eighth grade of St. Mary's school at a valentine party on Friday evening, which was much enjoyed by the sixteen boys and girls present.

**Missionary Society Meeting.**  
The Ladies Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church will be entertained Friday afternoon by Mrs. McElree and Mrs. Weyer at the home of Mrs. McElree, 803 Franklin St.

**Eighty-Eight Club.**  
Thursday evening, Miss Margaret Stadler, delightfully entertained the Eighty-Eight club at a six o'clock dinner party. The decorations were red hearts. The guests were presented with their valentines and favors. After the dinner the party left for the theatre.

**Boys' Congress Banquet.**  
About one hundred guests enjoyed the annual banquet given by the Boys' Congress of Missions in the dining room of the Westminster chapel on Friday evening. Miss Hornish, Miss Hulskamp, Mrs. W. S. Montgomery, Dr. R. L. Reid and Mr. Durge, assisted the boys in receiving and entertaining the guests. The dining room was decorated in the flags of all nations, while at either end of the room were suspended large American flags. The tables were very attractively decorated in cut flowers and silver and glass candelabra. The following menu was served:  
Veal Croquettes Escalloped Oysters  
Potatoes au Gratin Hot Rolls  
Jelly Pickles  
Perfection Salad  
Red, White and Blue Ice Cream  
Cake Mints in the National Colors  
Coffee

Woodson Hulskamp acted as toastmaster and the following program was given:  
Our Welcome Guests—Simeon Eagan.  
Speech by retiring member—Sydney Collisson.  
The Boys—Mr. A. Hollingsworth.  
An Awakened Nation—Rugh Montgomery.  
The Last Trail of the First American—Paul Dysart, Jr.  
The New Patriot, a Man of Peace—Mr. Henry Strickler.  
A Modern Miracle—Connable Wills.  
Dawn in the Dark Continent—Cook Reeves.  
Heroes—Harold Wylie.  
The Greatest Hero—Mr. Geo. E. Rix.  
Lincoln Mothers' Meeting.  
Seventy of the eighty-seven members of the Mothers' and Teachers' club of the Lincoln district were present at the meeting on Friday afternoon. The kindergarten children had made decorations for the room in honor of Lincoln's birthday. The club president Mrs. Geo. Bunner, presided. Mrs. R. L. Reid gave a delightful paper on Character Building in Children, and Miss Irene Rolison gave several piano numbers. The hostesses for the afternoon who served refreshments were Mesdames Caywood, Beard and Welch.

**Mrs. Anderson's Class.**  
On the evening of February 18, Mrs. Amie Parsons Anderson's class in domestic science at the Y. W. C. A., will have for a lesson, potatoes, baked, stuffed and au gratin. She will also teach how to make hot bread and popovers. The association has a splendid equipment and these classes are among the most practical of the educational department of the association.

**Celebrated His Birthday.**  
Leo Hovey celebrated his birthday anniversary Saturday with a small party at his home, 2019 De Moines St. Those present were: Marcine Schouten, Lucy Skinner, Amelia Agne, Mildred Beckendorf, Gladys Eding, Mildred Aibel, Ralph Loewenstein, Fred Spuehler, Harold Wright, Merlin Stutenberg and Willie Agne. Refreshments were served during the afternoon. The young host received many pretty gifts, and each of the guests received some reminder of the occasion.

**Valentine Party.**  
Miss Rovilla Montague entertained the Baptist Young Peoples' society on Thursday evening at a valentine party. The decorations consisted of red hearts and streamers. A large crowd was present and the guests were pleasantly entertained by a reading by Rev. McAllister and vocal solos by Miss Grace Jester and Miss Ruby Hummer, followed by appropriate games. A most enjoyable evening was spent. Refreshments were served.

**Birthday Surprise Party.**  
The Ladies' Aid society of the Swedish M. E. church planned a surprise on Mrs. Frank Wahlgren yesterday afternoon. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Wahlgren. During the afternoon the ladies presented Mrs. Wahlgren with a cut glass dish. A large number were present, and the event proved an enjoyable one for the ladies and their guests of honor. Refreshments were served.

**Dinner for Guests.**  
John W. Clark will entertain at his home, 428 Bank street, at dinner today. C. S. Cooley, E. G. Hendershot, J. G. Buss, and Wm. Tumelty of Keokuk; Tarry Saur, E. J. Roberts and L. W. Rump of Fort Madison, J. W. Miller of Farmington, Iowa; W. T. Jones and Elroy Ross of Emporia, Kansas and J. N. Martin of Dallas, Texas.

**C. W. B. M. Auxiliary.**  
The C. W. B. M. society of the First Christian church will meet with Mrs. C. A. Jenkins, at No. 1102 Timea street, Tuesday afternoon. The speaker will be Emory Ross, a missionary who has spent some time in Africa. Mrs. E. L. Aldrich, Mrs. C. H. Caster and the Misses Dorothy and Margaret Aldrich will assist Mrs. Jenkins.

**Social Affairs to Be Fewer.**  
Lent begins on Wednesday of this week. It puts a quietus on society in many homes. A few clubs have suspended meetings and a number of societies will omit refreshments and social features of their meetings.

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**Alpha Trist Meeting.**  
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**St. John's Guild Monday.**  
St. John's Guild will be entertained on Monday afternoon by Mrs. W. C. Bonney, 611 Franklin street. She will be assisted by Mrs. Meister and Miss Walker.

**Wednesday Reading Club.**  
The Wednesday Reading club will be entertained this week by Mrs. W. G. Blood, 214 Fulton Terrace.

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**Mrs. Mason Entertains.**  
Mrs. Maynard Murray Mason entertained a company of ladies at a valentine tea on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. She was assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. Johnson Heywood of Minneapolis and Mrs. W. N. Morrill of Louisville, Ky. Tea was poured by Miss Mary Collingwood Tucker and Miss Katherine Sage. The table at which they sat had a handsome centerpiece of red tulips and red hearts were used in effective decoration in the dining room and in the parlors. Tea was served by Mrs. L. C. Hall, Miss Francis Sawyer and Miss Ada Bever, Field. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. Mason entertained at a beautifully appointed dinner.

**Mentor Reading Circle.**  
The Mentor Reading club will be entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. N. T. Wilcox. The reading will be in accord with the spirit of the celebration of Washington's birthday. Mrs. E. B. Newcomb will read of the Fathers of the Constitution, and Mrs. Wilcox will have for a reading, Historic Spots of America.

**Ruthean Class Meets.**  
The Ruthean Bible class of the Trinity M. E. church will be entertained on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Effie Carr who will be assisted by Mrs. E. B. Hinson, Mrs. C. M. Finney, Mrs. W. G. Englehardt and Mrs. W. F. Guiss. A unique program will be given beginning promptly at 3 o'clock. This is the annual meeting of the class and election of officers will be held.

**Trinity Ladies' Society.**  
The Ladies' society of the Trinity M. E. church will be entertained at a Washington tea on Friday afternoon in the parlors of the church. A musical program with several readings will be given. The following will be hostesses for the afternoon Mrs. E. S. Patterson, Mrs. A. F. Burger, Mrs. Henry Kreuger, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Lowrie and Mrs. Pool.

**Trinity Ladies' Society.**  
The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Trinity M. E. church will be entertained by Mrs. J. M. Bell, 1028 Moran street, on Thursday afternoon at half past two o'clock. Mrs. Rehmeier and Mrs. Wm. Neil will assist as hostesses. Mrs. Nell and Mrs. John Elgin will conduct the program.

**Trump Club's Valentine Party.**  
Mrs. Carl Johannes, 517 High street, entertained the members of the Trump club at a valentine party last evening. The husbands and men friends of the club were guests at the party which was a very pleasant affair.

**Congregational Society.**  
The Ladies' society of the First Congregational church will be entertained on Friday afternoon by Mrs. J. Fred Kleidisch at her home 928 Exchange street.

**Ladies Aid to Meet.**  
The Ladies Aid society will be entertained by Mrs. William Musser and Mrs. George Bunner at the home of Mrs. Musser, on Park street.

**An Informal Party.**  
Mrs. William Mac Gowan entertained a small company at a delightfully informal party on Saturday afternoon, at her home, 912 Leighton St.

**Lutheran Ladies Aid.**  
The Ladies Aid society of the Redeemer English Lutheran church, will

be entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. M. Engle, 513 South Thirteenth street.

To Welcome New Teacher.  
The meeting of the Mothers' and Teachers' club of the Wells district will not be held on Thursday of this week, but has been set for Tuesday, Feb. 23, when the new kindergarten teacher Miss Margaret Dickerson of the Chicago kindergarten college will be present at the meeting.

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