In Social Circles

PRETTY CARD PARTY

Given by Residents of Southeast Minneapolis at the Home of Mrs. George Rose.

Mrs. W. D. Gregory of Park Avenue Entertains a Small Group at Cards.

Mrs. George Rose, Mrs. W. E. Satterlee and Mrs. Heck Merriman gave a prettily appointed card party this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rose on Ninth avenue SE. The decorations were in red and white and roses were placed through the rooms. Euchre was played at nine tables and the score cards were in red with the initials of the hostesses in white. Mmes. R. H. Hartley and James Pye assisted in entertaining. To-morrow afternoon a second group of women will be entertained at cards by Mmes. Rose, Satterlee and Merriman.

Mrs. W. D. Gregory of Park avenue, entertained a small group of women at cards this afternoon. The affair was the first of a series of informal parties which Mrs. Gregory will give.

Mrs. A. W. Armatage gave a luncheon of twelve covers this afternoon at her home in Lyndhurst. Pink tulips furnished the table decorations.

Mrs. F. H. Wellcome has issued invitations for a luncheon to be given Wednesday, Feb. 11, at her home on Groveland avenue.

Mrs. Willam Henry Condit will give her first post nuptial reception Wednesday, Feb. 11, instead of to-morrow, as was announced, at her home, 1018 Fourth street SE.

A musicale for the benefit of St. Paul's Episcopal church will be given to-morrow evening at the home of Mrs. A. R. Rogers, 923 Summit avenue. The program will be given by Miss Edna F. Hall, D. Alvin Davies, vocalists; Miss Laura Jacobi, pianist; Miss Mabel Augustin, violinist; Miss Irene Wood and Hamlin P. Hunt, accompanists.

Miss Jessie McIvor will entertain informally Thursday afternoon at her home on East Twenty-fourth street, for her guest, Miss Cady, of Dubuque, Iowa.

The annual charity ball of the Deutscher Frauen club will take place this evening in Masonic Temple. Elaborate preparations have been made for the affair and the hall has been handsomely decorated. The guests will include a group of prominent Germans from St. Paul. Allert and Perry will play a short concert program before the grand march at 9 o'clock.

The alumni of the South high school will give the first of a second series of parties Thursday evening in Malcolm's hall, Fifth avenue S.

The annual banquet and reception of the Vermont association of Minnesota was held last evening in the Nicollet hotel. An informal reception preceded the banquet, for which covers were laid for 150. Flowers and ferns decked the tables and the menu cards were in green with the Vermont state seal. Judge Willard R. Cray was toastmaster and among the speakers were Mayor J. C. Haynes, E. E. Corliss of Fergus Falls, Judge Thomas S. Buckham of Faribault, Rome G. Brown and C. J. Rockwood. Misses Gertrude Hale, Lelia Potter and Craig Walston gave a delightful musical program.

Among those present were Messrs. and Mmes. L. J. Cooke, Walter R. Brown, R. E. Brown, W. R. Cray, H. C. Akeley, J. B. Gilfillan, William Leach, E. J. Brown, G. W. Bahan, Mrs. C. M. Flint, G. T. Moulton F. D. Boutell, W. D. Boutell, R. B. Shute, Frank S. Stanley, H. F. Lappen, C. H. Smith, F. R. Woodward, F. A. Cutler, Edgar Pritchard, F. R. Chase, Lowell, Mass.; A. N. Trussell, H. B. Jackson, C. W. Hall, J. D. Blake, Windham; E. E. Webster, E. A. Hutchins, James Quirk L. A. Grant, D. C. Warden, J. C. Rockwood, J. A. Steele, Mmes. F. B. Wright, Helen Conant Wright, H. A. Flint, G. A. Spear, C. M. Flint, F. M. Chase, La Crosse, Wis.; H. P. Scott, G. D. Alger, H. C. Belden, R. C. Benton, Frances B. Patten, J. C. Robinson, Misses Jennie Corliss, Fergus Falls; Annie Jones, Frances E. Ainsters, Hastings; Ella A. Chesley, Roberta Pratt, Ellen A. Lamoreaux, Elizabeth Hood, Norma Scott, C. Holden, Scott, Hale, Potter, Messrs. F. G. McMillan, George K. Belden, George W. Batchelder, E. E. Corliss, Fergus Falls; F. M. Crosby, Hastings; Edwin Clarke, Robert Pratt, U. A. Bowman, J. G. Slafter, James C. Slafter, W. J. Jennison, C. C. Leland, W. J. Russell, Prentis C. Dodge, Gaylord W. Beebe, F. M. Chase, M. A. Moulton, F. E. Daigneau, H. B. Jackson, E. C. Lotscher, C. W. Hall, J. W. Hastings and Rev. J. M. Hulbert.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. J. G. Claphamson of the Berkeley entertained twenty-four women at cards in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Scott E. Parson of St. Louis, Mo. Six-hand euchre was played and after the games light refreshments were served. Mmes. Virgil Nichols and William Chambers assisted the hostess. Mrs. Claphamson will entertain a second group of women Friday for Mrs. Parsons, who will leave for St. Louis on Saturday.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Loretta McCarthy is home from Duluth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bruchholz have gone south.

Miss Edna A. Baltic will leave this week for the Pacific coast.

Fred H. Gilman will leave shortly for a western business trip.

Mrs. P. M. Bennett has returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams of Duluth.

Levi Butler Sewing Society will meet to-morrow with Mrs. Ellen Smith, 2929 Sixth street N.

The New Century Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Costigan, 316 Fourth street SE, to-morrow evening.

Miss Harriet Lenox leaves to-night for Texas, to spend the remainder of the winter with her sister, Mrs. C. F. Boyce.

W. F. Decker left for Washington last evening. He will sail from New York Saturday morning for a three months' trip abroad.

Miss Josephine Mosher, who has been spending the winter at Zumbra Heights, Minnetonka, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stout, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Pope Vose left last evening for southern California, to be absent three months. They will return by way of Portland, Oregon.

Messrs. Greene, Landers, Klein, MacGregor and Rawson will give a shirt waist dance Saturday evening for the Nulli Secundus club and its friends.

The employes of the Bemis Brothers' Bag company will give their eighth annual ball on Thursday evening in A. O. U. W. hall, 15 Seventh street S.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Nickels are visiting Mrs. Nickels' parents in Washington, D. C. Mrs. W. J. Hield is with them, and they will remain in Washington about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Plumley have returned from their wedding trip to New York, Philadelphia, Washington and Niagara Falls. They are living at 721 E Twenty-fourth street.

Mrs. Florence Parks, Carl Riedelsberger and W. J. Hall returned this morning from Albert Lea, where they gave a successful concert last evening in the new Broadway theater.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wilson were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening at their new home, 3211 Fourth avenue S. Mrs. E. Britigan, in behalf of the guests, presented them with a handsome gift.

Mrs. J. G. Beck of Elliot avenue S was pleasantly surprised Saturday evening, the occasion being the anniversary of her birthday. The affair was planned by Mmes. William Miller, E. Tetzloff, A. Hillman and E. Rubbert.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grau and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Grau, have returned from a three weeks' trip to Baltimore, Md., where they have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Grau's parents. Upon their return they spent a few days in Chicago.

Miss Anna Ravicz entertained twenty of her girl friends Sunday afternoon at her home, 1921 Third avenue S. Games and music furnished the entertainment for the afternoon and light refreshments were served. There was a family gathering in the evening.

Northwestern people at New York hotels are as follows: Minneapolis—Criterion, W. D. Macready, F. Hatcher; Holland, W. T. Walker, A. C. Tourney; Waldorf, A. S. Brooks, I. S. Brooks; Broadway Central, H. Edelman; Rossmore, C. G. Laybourn. Fargo, N. D.—Navarre, H. L. Blout.

Lizzie Rice Circle, L. of G. A. R., was entertained last week at a nut social at the home of Mrs. H. C. Rickett. The weekly afternoon tea will be held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Barnum, 1102 Seventh street S. The circle will give a card party Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Mortimer, 6 Eleventh street N.

P. W. Schick was pleasantly surprised last evening at his home, 3010 Sixteenth avenue S, the occasion being his fifty-ninth birthday anniversary. Mr. Fraiken, in behalf of the guests, presented Mr. Schick with a handsome leather rocking chair. Telegrams of congratulation were received from Idaho and Iowa, from Mr. Schick's sons. Mmes. Jennie Townsend and William Wailing assisted Mrs. Schick and Miss Mildred Schick served frappe.

Miss Leah Lebo of 722 Fourth street N entertained a group of young people last week. Games and music were followed by refreshments. Present were Misses Esther Swiller, Rose Silesky, Fannie Krohn, Dora Saxe, Dena Silber, Rebecca Epstein, Etta Morris, Inez Wickham, Bessie Linch, Jennie Weinberg, Florence Rose, Clara Frudeifeld, Messrs. Jake Feinberg, Max Yager, Albert Bank, Louis Frudenfeld and Ray Wickham.

The people of Lake Calhoun had an old-time spelling bee last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Forbes, 3133 Calhoun boulevard. The guests were all in costumes, the men in overalls and the girls in gingham dresses and aprons and with braided hair. E. G. Gray won the prize, a tin wagon load of anthracite coal. The class included Messrs. and Mmes. J. F. George, William Chapman, Philip Woerner, J. D. Hatcher, J. W. Penberthy; Mmes. Fred McFarland, H. S. Ray, A. Moohr, G. P. Cross, S. H. Clasin, Gedney, E. D. Gray; Mr. A. E. Gage. Misses Clissy Gray, Lillie Woerner and Harriet Forbes, as Puritan maids, served refreshments.

HAMLINE.

Mrs. R. Benham is in Owatonna.

Mrs. F. W. Hoyt is in Red Wing.

Miss Robinson has gone to Red Wing.

Miss Kraft has returned from Farmington.

Miss Gleason has returned from Brainerd.

Mrs. C. I. Humphrey gave a luncheon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Miller have returned from Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Flint entertained at cards Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney White entertained Thursday evening.

Mrs. John Craig has returned from a three weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meacham, of Edgerton, spent the week in Hamline.

Mrs. E. E. McCrea leaves for California this week for a stay of two months.

The Glee Club of Hamline university sang at St. Paul Park Saturday evening.

The Mothers' Club will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hackney.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Montgomery left for California to-day to stay until April.

Miss Lucy Rich leaves this week for California, to remain the rest of the winter.

Miss Florence Shove and Miss Koch visited Miss Sarah Noltimier, of Newport, Sunday.

Professor and Mrs. Ylvisaker, of Hewitt avenue, have been entertaining guests from South Dakota.

The Fortnightly Club luncheon was postponed on account of the illness of several prominent members.

SThe Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday with Mrs. Reed Johnson.

The Philomathean Society entertained the Browning Society at a sleighing party and oyster supper Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheelock will be guests of their sister, Mrs. Walter Ryan, this week. Mr. Wheelock will attend the whist congress.

The graduating exercises of Hancock school were held Thursday afternoon and the annual party was given Thursday evening There were twelve graduates.

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Corn	Good pack, per can	8c
Tomatoes	Large cans	10c
Port Wine	5-year-old California, per gallon	$1.00
Claret	A good table wine, per gallon	60c
Whiskey	Old Crow, full quarts	80c
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Sirloin steak, per lb	12c
Round steak, per lb	10c
Rib lamb chops, per lb	12½c
Loin lamb chops, per lb	15c
Lamb shoulders, per lb	4c
Salt pork, per lb	12½c
McMillan's hams, per lb	13½c
McMillan's bacon, per lb	15c
Select oysters, per quart	45c
Mince meat, per lb	6c
Sauer kraut, per quart	5c

SHE DEFIES OLD AGE

Madame Yale Confides to Willing Ears the Secrets of Youth and Beauty.

Diet, Exercise, Bathing and Mental Control Are the Features of Her Prescription.

Madame Yale, always beautiful, always young and always exquisitely gowned, talked to many hundred women in the Metropolitan theater yesterday afternoon on the methods which have enabled her to defy age and to retain the youth and bauty of a girl. Madame Yale is always well groomed and from the crown of her golden hair to the tip of her daintily shaped foot she presented a charming picture as the curtain rose yesterday afternoon. Her gowns are always beautiful, and she wears them with a grace and charm that but increases their beauty.

She appeared in four different costumes during her talk and was equally charming in each. When she first came on the stage she was a gleaming vision of silver embroidered lace over gray crepe de chine that swirled in glittering folds over ruffles

MADAME YALE.

of chiffon which in turn half concealed a deep accordion pleating of black. The low bodice had a girdle of black chiffon and the sleeves were of black and white chiffon. A many-plumed black picture hat crowned her golden hair and enhanced the delicate tints of her complexion.

When she gave her graceful exhibition of physical culture, Madame Yale donned a stunning short-skirted gown of cream silk appliqued with great purple flowers, and the bodice gleamed with green and purple spangles.

Madame Yale is an actress as well as a lecturer. Her imitations of incorrect walking and standing were received with peals of laughter and every woman present registered a vow to learn to walk properly. For this exhibition Madame Yale appeared as a charming Greek boy in white tights, graceful peplum and high, white boots.

Her last appearance was in pink taffeta veiled with gold embroidered lace, which was inset around the foot with a band of black lace which widened to form the train and which fell over many flounces of pink and black chiffon. The bodice was of pink chiffon with a garniture of lace and rose leaves, and the dainty hat was of pink panne velvet with deep pink-hearted roses.

Madame Yale declares that it is every woman's duty to be beautiful, and that she must learn to care for her beauty with the same diligence and practice which she gives to her education and her accomplishments. She emphasized the important part which the mind has over the face and said that a woman should learn to control her emotions. Nothing mars a woman's beauty so much as a scowl. Happiness is the best beautifier, and it must be cultivated before beauty can be attained.

The value of proper diet, exercise and frequent bathing were dwelt on, and the suggestions were based on such common sense that they found an echo in every listener. Tea and coffee are fatal to beauty, so are fried foods, stale vegetables and greasy meats. "Women lack perseverance," said Mme. Yale, with a sorrowful shake of her golden head. "They will follow my rules possibly for three days, and if they can see no improvement on the fourth day they grow careless and finally return to their old habits. One cannot become beautiful in twenty-four hours, but beauty is worth all the time and work that it takes a woman to attain it. Beauty does not mean that one should be artificial, but that one should live correctly and naturally. It is the natural grace which one admires in a child, and this same ease and lack of self-consciousness should be characteristic of all women."

In her exhibition of proper exercise, Mme. Yale showed that her muscles were as supple and flexible as those of a child. She was grace itself as she moved in rythm to the music and her exercises showed how a woman might regain her girlish charm. There were throat and chest exercises, movements for the arms, legs and waist, all necessary if one would preserve the youthful contour of the figure. In this part of her lecture Mme. Yale laid great stress on deep breathing. "Deep breathing and correct walking have more to do with the preservation of a woman's beauty than any tonic," she said.

In the third part of her talk Mme. Yale acted the part of a mirror and showed women how they looked after they had dropped into careless habits and no longer held the body in proper poise. She gave examples in correct and incorrect walking, showed how to move, to sit and rise with grace and took a number of artistic poses which showed her well developed figure.

The concluding half hour was devoted to directions for removing facial blemishes, wrinkles and other signs of age which are sure to gather on the face of the woman who is careless of her personal appearance and who has failed to put mind and muscles to the best uses, the preservation of her beauty.

MINNEAPOLITANS IN TUCSON.

Judge Holt has returned from Tucson, Ariz., where he has left his family for the winter. Quite a number of Minneapolis people are in Tucson. Mrs. C. H. Harrington has recently joined her husband, who has been there for some time. Mrs. Harrington arrived in Tucson the day before the railroad accident. Her baggage was delayed a day and was completely destroyed in the wreck. (The family of Dr. J. W. Bell is also in Tucson for the winter. Dr. Bell was with them for some time, but has returned to Minneapolis.

MUSIC FUND BENEFIT.

A concert will be given to-morrow evening in Bethany church hall, Franklin and Twenty-sixth avenues S, for the benefit of the music fund of the church. The program will be given by Miss Eulalie Chenevert, pianist; Mrs. Marie Gjertsen Fischer, reader; F. Melius Christiansen, violinist, and Carlo Fischer, 'cellist. Mrs. Fischer will read Bjornsen's "Bergliot."

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CLUBS AND CHARITIES

Club Calendar.

WEDNESDAY—

Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church, Mrs. James Pye, 1003 Sixth street SE, 3 p. m.

Woman's guild of Grace Episcopal church, Mrs. Baker, 1029 Third street N, afternoon.

Woman's Foreign Mission Circle of the First Baptist church, church parlors, 3 p. m.

Helen Salisbury Y. W. C. T. U. Mrs. Parker, 2741 Stevens avenue, evening.

Woman's Missionary society, Park Avenue Congregational church, Mrs. F. R. Woodard, 2104 Park avenue, 3 p. m.

The Missionary societies of Hennepin Avenue M. E. church, Mrs. M. A. Gedney, 121 Highland avenue, 2 p. m.; mite box opening.

Woman's Foreign Missionary society, Simpson M. E. church, Mrs. Martin, 2705 Pillsbury avenue, 2:30 p. m.

Woman's Foreign Missionary society, Fowler M. E. church, Mrs. G. D. Taylor, 1929 Aldrich avenue S, 3 p. m.

Ladies Aid Society, Thirteenth Avenue M. E. church, Mrs. Overholt, 1112 Franklin avenue.

Friday History Club.

The Friday History club gave its annual party Friday at the home of Mrs. N. A. Sprong, 914 Seventh avenue S. The members of the club, with their invited guests, numbering about sixty, assembled at 10 o'clock and the morning was spent informally.

The drawing-room and hall were draped in flags and the dining-room was in the club colors, yellow and white. Yellow and white bunting draped one side of the room while a rope of yellow and white chrysanthemums was gracefully festooned over the windows. A large bouquet of yellow tulips was placed on a mirror centerpiece, and bands of smilax extended to the corners of the table where they were caught by large bows of yellow and white ribbon. Silver candelabra with yellow and white shades lighted the table. Frappe was served in the dining-room through the day, and, at one o'clock, a course luncheon was served, accompanied by music.

Miss Edna Chamberlain Randall sang a group of songs after luncheon. The entertainment for the afternoon had been arranged by committees, one for each hour. Interesting and amusing contests, in which the successful contestants won prizes, were pleasant features.

After the contests, the hostess served cocoa and Dutch sweetmeats. A large wooden shoe held little souvenirs of Holland. Mrs. Grace Kingsley contributed several piano solos.

The club is a study club of twenty-five members, meeting on alternate Friday afternoons at the homes of its members This year the program is on Holland and the Netherlands.

Work Room at Bethel.

A new department, a work room, will be opened at Bethel settlement Saturday. Mrs. C. D. Smith will have charge of the work and will prepare old clothing that it may be remodeled and repaired by the women of the neighborhood. Mrs. Smith had charge of similar work at Unity settlement and with the Associated Charities and she has had considerable experience in making over garments. Clothing will be needed for this department and donations will be received most gratefully. The work is all arranged by Mrs. Smith, and a woman who wants to obtain, possibly a cloak for her little girl, will visit the room, consult with Mrs. Smith and take home what work is given her. Payment for the sewing is made in neat, wholesome clothes and when the woman has an account with the room equal to the value placed on the coat it becomes her property. Mrs. Smith teaches the women to sew and cut out garments and while they are learning in a practical way they are also working for the possession of some desirable and necessary article of dress.

Sunday School Work.

The Sunday School Officers' association of Minnesota met last evening in Plymouth church. The regular program was preceded by a dinner and covers were laid for 200. Rev. John E. Bushnell led the table talk.

Dr. Leo M. Crafts presided at the evening meeting. Mrs. John E. Hobart, secretary of the State Sunday School association, spoke on "Junior and Intermediate Work," and recommended a varied program, Bible reading and study, regularity in church attendance and intelligent benevolence as desirable features to teach the children from 9 until 12 years of age. John Orchard, state field worker, spoke of the state association work, outlining the purpose which is to interest every man, woman and child in some denominational church.

For the Authors' Study Club.

Mrs. R. S. Keeler will give a card party on Saturday afternoon at her residence, 1627 Hennepin avenue, for the Needlework Guild section of the Authors' Study Club.

MERRIAM PARK.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Still have gone to Florida.

Mrs. George Kuhles entertained at cards Friday afternoon.

Miss Louise Cotman will give a sleighing party Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. McDougall and son, Eugene, have gone to California.

Miss Bessie Coykendall has returned from an extended visit in the south.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Allen have left for a long tour of southern Europe.

Mrs. Anderson entertained the Young Ladies' Souvenir Club this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraklin Menefee left Thursday for their home in Dalles, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Irwin have returned from a two weeks' visit in Iowa.

Mrs. Frank Stevens entertained Tuesday evening in honor of her son, Norman.

Miss Madge Adamson entertained at luncheon Tuesday. There were ten present.

The Woman's Club will meet to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kingsbury.

Mrs. Frank Matson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Al Zahn, in Mason City, Iowa.

The Cosmopolitan Club will meet to-morrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sumner.

Mrs. Arthur Gooding, of Rochester, will be a guest of Mrs. George Williamson this week.

The Ladies' Guild of the Episcopal church will meet Friday afternoon in the choir rooms.

Mrs. D. H. Eastman and Mrs. Graham Torrance will entertain at cards Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Adamson and Mrs. Willis Pierce have gone to Devils Lake to visit Mrs. W. H. Lackey.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Hugh Dickey Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cowles entertained at luncheon Wednesday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Menefee.

Professor and Mrs. Clinton Backus gave a matinee party to a group of children Saturday afternoon, to hear "Robin Hood."

Mrs. George Williamson entertained the officers and program committee of the Cosmopolitan Club at luncheon Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Evans, of Northfield, addressed the midminter meeting of the Congregational Missionary Union, in Olivet church, Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Dufresne, of St. Anthony avenue, entertained at cards Monday afternoon. Favors were won by Mmes. Dufresne, Welz and Thorne.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Canfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cowles, with Mr. and Mrs. Menefee, were guests of Judge and Mrs. Williston, of Red Wing, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crandall entertained at cards Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Menefee. Mrs. Menefee, W. H. Crandall and Mrs. Canfield won favors.

The Twin City Clericus was entertained by Rev. Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ten Broeck, Monday. The ladies of the parish assisted Mrs. Ten Broeck in serving luncheon at the rectory.

Misses Amy Flinn, Hattie Chadler, Clarise Whittlesey, Corinne Smith and Ina Loux have issued invitations for a masquerade valentine party to be given in Woodruff's hall, Feb. 14.

Professor and Mrs. John A. Hartigan have issued invitations for a dancing party to be held in Woodruff's hall Friday evening. Mrs. Hartigan will entertain at cards Saturday afternoon.

The graduating class of Longfellow school was entertained at dinner Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Muckle. Miss Putnam and Miss Blackman were the guests of honor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Rand gave a large reception Thursday evening in honor of their twentieth wedding anniversary. Mmes. Hillman, Jacobson, Barwise and Chaffee assisted in receiving. Miss Doak and Miss Wood assisted in the dining-room.

READING OF BEN HUR

Elaborate Preparations for Presentation of Stirring Scenes of Book at Wesley Church.

Wednesday evening at 8 p. m. an elaborate dramatic reading of "Ben Hur" will be given at Wesley church. Since the recent presentation at the Lyceum theater there has been an awakened interest in this remarkable story, and in arranging for this illustrated production great care has been taken to keep close to the text of the book and so far as possible, within the two hours devoted to its rendering, all the principal events will be splendidly illustrated by specially prepared colored slides and motion pictures. So completely has this been accomplished that over 150 scenes will be presented during the reading.

The story of Ben Hur is full of thrilling events: the coming of the wise men, Ben Hur's rash act and his brave deeds while a galley slave; the magnificence of the groves of Daphne, the great chariot race, the home coming and search for his mother and sister, the stirring scenes of Christ's entry into Jerusalem and healing of the lepers, also the sublime portrayal of Christ's rejection and crucifixion and the closing acts of Ben Hur's life touching the Christians in Rome, all call for the greatest efforts to reproduce the scenes as best understood.

Josephine Bonaparte Rice is well known as a reader and great care has been taken in condensing the book for an evening's reading. Her rendition of the chariot race scene will be a feature of the evening and will be fully illustrated.

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Tomatoes	The famous Red Ripe brand—whole tomatoes—extra large cans, worth 20c, per can	15c
Tomatoes	Fancy Standards, hand packed, per can	10c
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Spinach	Cowdrey's Bay State, each can equals one peck	14c
Peas	Those delicious Lakeside Champion of England. Special, per can, 13c; per dozen	$1.50
Soups	France American, 35c can. This sale	29c
Presto	Per package	8c
Pancake Flour	Aunt Jemima, per pkg	8c
Prunelles	Special, per pound	16c
Buckwheat	New York, 10-lb. sack	38c
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