

Society News—Women's Clubs, Etc.

The Crickets.
Listen to the crickets singing in the grass;
Jolly little minstrels, not a care have they;
Piping up so blithely when they hear you pass,
Whether sun is shining or the sky is gray.

Cheer up! It's their watchword, for the cricket knows
That its chirping gladdens many a weary day.
What a place to live in were the world suppose
We could keep on singing in the cricket's way.

—Nellie M. Coye.
Mrs. C. P. Keese, 409 DeMers avenue, returned last evening from Drake, N. D., where she has spent several days as the guest of her brother, Mrs. Keese also enjoyed a hunting trip while away.

Mrs. Rosa Baker of Devils Lake will soon come to this city to make her home for the winter months, in order that her sons might attend school here. A company of the neighbors in Devils Lake gathered at her home in Devils Lake last evening and gave a farewell party for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dow, 408 South Fifth street have had as their guest a few days their daughter, Mrs. Ralph Hulick (Jessie Dow) of Ada, Minn. Mrs. Hulick left last evening for her home.

Miss Lillian Dow, 408 South Fifth street went to Emerado on Sunday and yesterday morning began a term of school near that city.

Ernest Coon of this city, who has been a guest at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Anderson, at Devils Lake, has returned to his home here.

J. H. Bullis of this city was a weekend guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carpenter at Devils Lake.

Mrs. James Cross and son, Vernon, of the Neils block have returned from Red Lake Falls, where they were visiting relatives.

Miss Eva Swendiman of Dodge Center, Minn., has returned to the city and resumed her studies at the Washington school. Miss Swendiman will again make her home with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Eddy of the Dinnie bats.

Miss Theresa Hall of Gratton, who has been the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark, 603 North Fourth street, has returned to her home and was accompanied by her little niece, Miss Nora Clark, who will spend a few weeks in Gratton as the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hall.

Mrs. Ray Lally (Helen Hall) and son, James, of Minneapolis, who are guests at the Hall home, will accompany Miss Clara to the city, and they will spend a few weeks here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark before going to their home.

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"YOU'RE TOO PRETTY TO BE FINED," SINGS JUDGE TO GAIL KANE



Miss Kall Kane.

Glen Cove, L. I., Sept. 12.—"You are too pretty to be fined, but the next homely woman that comes before me for the same offense will have to suffer," said Justice Lyster of Glen Cove when Gail Kane, moving picture actress, was brought before him on a charge of speeding.

Miss Kane was arrested by a motorcycle policeman. There is a fine of \$10 for first offenders, and when Miss Kane appeared to answer the charge she pleaded guilty at once. But her beauty was too much for the judge.

On leaving court, Miss Kane expressed a desire to be arrested again. "It's certainly a pleasure to be brought here," she remarked.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Read, Alpha avenue, who have been visiting in Minneapolis as the guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jones, are now visiting with relatives in other points in Minnesota and they expect to return to the city in a short time. Mrs. Read attended the national meeting of the W. R. C. held at Kansas City, Mo., and then went to Minneapolis, where she was joined by Mr. Read.

Dr. M. Gertrude Furbush of Minneapolis, who has been the guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bacheller of the West Home farm and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bacheller, 414 Woodland avenue, will return to her home the last of the week.

Mrs. James Powers of Crookston will come to the city this evening and will spend several days here as the guest of her sisters, Mrs. Arthur Jerome, Washington street, and Mrs. J. P. Nockles of Parkhurst street.

Mrs. E. C. Johnson, 417 Cottonwood street entertained a company of children at her home yesterday afternoon in compliment to her little daughter, Edith, who celebrated her fifth birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent in games and music and at 5 o'clock the birthday supper was served. The birthday cake lighted with five yellow candles, was used to center the table and the hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. P. Nordlund.

Those who enjoyed the afternoon were Eva Johnson, Eva Seifert, Esther and Rudolph Waxvig, Gordon Nordlund, Linnea, Alma and Oscar Norlien, Sylvia Headstrom, Serdof Rusefelt, Gerald Nordlund, Alice, Velma, Dorothy and Doris Johnson.

Mrs. N. B. Black of Fargo, who has spent the past few days here as the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Klein Van Alstine of the New Hampshire block, and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman D. Black, 221 Fourth avenue, returned to her home this morning.

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Dr. and Mrs. G. J. Couvrette and children of Fargo, former residents of this city, returned to their home last evening after spending a short time here and at Michigan where they were guests of Mrs. Couvrette's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Desautels.

Dr. Couvrette and Dr. L. P. Colborn of this city have just returned from a hunting trip through the state, and Dr. Couvrette went to Michigan to accompany his wife and children home.

The women of the ninth district of the First Presbyterian church will hold a social affair, until 8 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the church parlors. Mrs. W. G. Brownell and Mrs. H. R. Brush will be hostesses for the afternoon.

Edward Hagar of Denver, Col., who has been the guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Colborn, 603 North Fifth street, for the past few weeks, left Sunday evening for his home. Mr. Hagar will visit with friends in Minneapolis and Chicago enroute.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Lagerwall, 418 South Sixth street, returned Sunday from Minneapolis where they attended the Minnesota state fair. Mrs. Lagerwall has spent the past month visiting with relatives in southern Wisconsin, and Mr. Lagerwall went to Minneapolis to meet her.

Mrs. M. V. V. Bell of Northwood visited with friends in the city yesterday enroute to her home from Hillsboro, where she has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dr. Hagenson.

Mrs. Eugene Roy and son, Billy, of Crookston are spending a few days in the city as the guest of Mrs. W. E. Handy, of Minnesota avenue.

Mrs. M. B. A. of the New Hampshire block returned this morning from Minneapolis where she has spent the past ten days as a guest at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Allen.

Miss Mabel Collins of Riverside park will entertain a company of friends at her home tomorrow evening complimentary to Miss Cassie Cummings, who will soon leave the city for her home in southern Wisconsin, and will spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Fisher, formerly of this city, before going to California, where she will spend the winter with her father. Auction bridge will be the diversion of the evening and the guests will include the intimate friends of Miss Cummings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph S. Danforth, who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Danforth's parents, Mayor Jas. A. Dinnie and Mrs. Dinnie, 811 North Third street, will return to their home in Chicago on Thursday evening. Enroute a visit will be enjoyed in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Danforth has been the guest of her parents for several weeks, and Mr. Danforth came to the city a short time ago to accompany his wife home.

Joseph C. Groat of Winchester, Ill., is expected to reach the city tomorrow evening to join Mrs. Groat (Dorothy) who is a guest at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Irwin, 522 Cottonwood street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McElroy of the Argyle block, returned Sunday as their guests for a short time. Mr. McElroy's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McElroy and baby son, Gordon, of Minneapolis, will accompany the trip here in their car, and from here Mr. McElroy will go up to the Canadian Northwest where he will look after his farming interests.

Mrs. McElroy and the baby will remain here as guests at the McElroy home.

Miss Esther Zamzow, who is employed in the law office of Attorney L. A. Chance, has gone to Portage, Wis., where she will spend her vacation visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Olson, 323 Vernon avenue, have returned from Minneapolis, where they attended the state fair. They stopped in Fargo to see their daughter, Florence, who visited in Fargo while her parents were away.

Mrs. T. E. McMillan of Wimbledon has returned to the city after visiting with relatives in the city. Mrs. Howell Basset of Victoria, B. C., who has also been visiting her, accompanied her daughter home and will remain here for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gran, 515 Alpha avenue have as their guests for a few days, Mr. Gran's brother, W. C. Gran of Gardena, N. D. Mr. Gran is enroute to Jamestown where he will attend Jamestown college.

Miss Rhoda Larmour has returned from Larimore to resume her studies at Wesley conservatory.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Leo have as their guests for several days, Mrs. Leo's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Darlton of Dickinson, N. D. Mr. and Mrs. Darling and Miss Ruby Erickson will leave on Sunday morning for Miami, Fla., where they will make the trip home. The trip will be made by auto.

Rev. and Mrs. N. J. Lohre and children, 518 Walnut street, returned from Muskegon, Mich., where Mrs. Lohre and children have spent the summer months. Mr. Lohre went to Michigan two weeks ago to accompany his wife and children home.

Miss Katherine King of Pembina, will make her home with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. King, 631 North Third street, this winter. Miss King has accepted a position in the Washington school.

Mrs. E. M. Cory of Fargo has gone to Deer Lodge, Mont., where she will visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. G. Cory, of Deer Lodge (Leone Cory). Mrs. Cory also will visit her son, Walter Cory at Butte, Mont.

Mrs. E. B. Page of Leeds returned to her home this morning after spending yesterday here as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. D. E. H. Page. Mrs. Page took her son and daughter to Minneapolis where they will attend high school this winter.

Mrs. Thomas Cole, of Duluth, who is the guest of Mrs. Tracy R. Bangs, 513 South Fifth street, was honored yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. Bangs entertained a company of 12 women at a golf luncheon.

Miss Leona of Lake Plum avenue, has gone to Minot, where she will teach a term of school, near that city.

Miss Helen Ness left today over the Northern Pacific, for St. Paul, where she will attend school.

Mrs. George Aury, 1228 Belmont avenue, has returned from Merrifield, where she visited her sister, Mrs. J. D. Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Allen, Fourth avenue, have returned home from the Twin Cities, where they visited friends and attended the state fair.

Mrs. R. S. Kinnan was the winner of the high score prize at yesterday's meeting of the Monday Afternoon Bridge club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Van Voorhees, 711 South Fourth street, who have been enjoying an auto trip through Minnesota with Mrs. Van Voorhees' brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. C. L. May of Coleraine, Minn., returned home last evening.

Dean and Mrs. George F. Wells, 59 Fourth avenue, have returned from Chicago, where Dean Wells has spent most of the summer doing work at the Chicago university. Mrs. Wells and son visited at Garner, Ia., where they were guests of Dean Wells' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, 420 South Sixth street, have as their guest for a few days, Mrs. J. Cheney of Warren, Minn.

Miss Marion Bendcke left last evening for Evanston, Ill., where she will take a course in physical culture at the Northwestern university. Miss Bendcke was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. Mark Kerr of New York City, who has spent the summer at the Bendcke cottage at Maple Lake.

Miss Agnes Fosmark, 410 Cheyenne avenue, has gone to Minot, where she will be in charge of the second grade in the schools of that city.

Mr. O. A. Iverson of Bismarck, formerly of this city, who has been visiting here for the past two weeks, left for his home today.

CHINA'S GRAND CANAL.
Effort to Restore Traffic on Interior Water Routes.

China is reported to be considering the restoration of the old canal system, a less costly than that which the writers never seem to have learned anything valuable by their change from this world to the next? Would it be the same as that applied to travelers who have left home for foreign lands, often result in a belief that they could hardly be in the place from which their messages were dated? "You have read messages from the spirit world that need not fear comparison with this. Yet you would not on that account be disposed to think that Mr. McClure was in England, or that he was willing to adopt this strange method of communicating with his friends in the United States.

MR. MCCLURE'S "SPIRIT MESSAGE."
New Republic.

It is fair to doubt the authenticity of spirit messages, and that which the writers never seem to have learned anything valuable by their change from this world to the next? Would it be the same as that applied to travelers who have left home for foreign lands, often result in a belief that they could hardly be in the place from which their messages were dated? "You have read messages from the spirit world that need not fear comparison with this. Yet you would not on that account be disposed to think that Mr. McClure was in England, or that he was willing to adopt this strange method of communicating with his friends in the United States.

A POPULAR RAILROAD MAN.
For many years I have watched the career of Mr. Alexander Carlton Johnson, general manager of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company. From a "Who's Who" biography I learned the information that he was born at Cochranton, Pennsylvania, May 20, 1861. He attended college at Meadville college, at Meadville, Pennsylvania, and later graduated in law with the degree of doctor of laws. He became a member of the Phi Delta Phi fraternity. This, however, was only the beginning of his career.

Having lived in South Dakota in the early territorial days, there is naturally a fraternal feeling when I recall that he moved to the territory in early May, and in one of the pioneer days of that section. He had to build a 10x12 shack or a sod shanty; how to break a quarter section and draw the tree trunks in. In the vicissitudes of forty-cent wheat, he became auditor for a prominent grain company, and began to take an interest in public affairs early in life. He was elected delegate to the Republican state convention in South Dakota, successively from 1892 to 1898, and had the reputation of being an aggressive executive leader when president of the Young Men's

Republican League in 1892. In 1894 he acted as chairman of the Republican state committee in South Dakota, during times when such a record counted for much.

Entered the service of the Chicago & Northwestern at this time as general agent at Watertown, South Dakota, he began the study of the relation between the public and the railroads. He was promoted to the general agency at Winona, Minn., in charge of the freight and passenger business in the state of regard for South Dakota and North Dakota. This was in 1900, and during the next ten years, when the tide of public opinion was running strong against the railroads, his constructive work naturally attracted the attention of the officials. He was accordingly promoted to the position of passenger traffic manager in 1910, and in May of this year, 1916, was made general traffic manager of the Northwestern system.

THE ART OF OPTIMISM.
William De Witt Hyde.

Live in the active voice; intent on what you can do rather than on what happens to you; in the indicative mood; concerned with facts as they are rather than as they might be; in the present tense; concentrated on the duty in hand; not regretting the past or worrying about the future, in the first person; criticizing yourself rather than condemning others; in the singular number; not seeking the approval of your own conscience rather than popularity with the many. Whoever lives the life of such unselfish devotion to the good of others and of all, and lives it in the active voice, indicative mood, present tense, first person, singular number, is bound to find his life full and rich and glad and free; is bound, in other words, to be an optimist.

As the Boy Understood.
A certain English foreman in one of the Kensington textile factories is in the habit of having an apprentice heat his luncheon for him. The other day he had a new apprentice.

"Go down stairs and 'eat up my lunch for me,'" ordered the foreman. The boy—a typical young American, with knowledge of no foreign English—obeyed with alacrity, says the Youth's Companion. He was hungry.

Ten minutes later the foreman came down. He also was hungry. "Where's my lunch?" he demanded. The boy gazed at him in amazement.

"You told me to eat it up—and I eat it," he stated.

"I didn't tell you to eat it up!" roared the irate foreman. "I told you to 'eat it up.'"

"Well, I didn't eat it up," maintained the youngster stoutly. "I eat it cold."

"ANTICIPATING" TIMES.
Yea, verily, these are anticipating times. You pick up a newspaper at five-thirty and you find the eleven o'clock edition in your hands. You look at the newstand incubator in July and you find the September magazines already hatched. Automobile models for 1917 are proudly shown in the plate glass windows of 1916. You try to buy summer clothing in the sweltering days of the latter part of August, and you are told that summer stock has been sent away to make room for the display of winter furs, felts and footwear. This looks like discounting life at a furious pace, and where is it to end? Can you conceive of the gardener selling his 1917 crop in 1916? Are we to gather before we sow? Is this pre dating of products and their uses, or is it a matter of the time that we are moving swifter than the speedometer shows we are?

Why not get back to sanity and call a spade a spade? Why not have the time clock register in accordance with the calendar? Is not this premature of things inviting death and extermination? Father Time can't be deceived. He may have mathematical skill, but it would not seem inconsistent to predict that "time anticipators" may be the first to come in contact with his scythe. This modern hysteria and restlessness in which we are burning up the future must seem to the philosophy of the old as if we were inventing and early decay of the nation unless we come to our knitting and proceed stitch by stitch.—"Affairs at Washington," Joe Mitchell Chaplin in National Magazine for September.

HOMES FOR TEACHERS.
In the usual country school district, no residence is supposed to be beyond walking distance from the school house. However, it is very largely a matter of choice as to whether any of the scattered farm houses are close enough to the school to be convenient for the teacher, and a still greater matter of choice as to whether a farm house so located has room enough to take care of a teacher, or occupants who desire a boarder. Many farm houses have no accommodations whatever for a teacher, and often kitchen, living room and dining room are combined in one, with no heat in any other room in the house. The farmer and his family have to spend most of their time working indoor or out, eating and sleeping. Their occupations and hours of labor in no way correspond to the duties of the teacher, which increases the difficulty of fitting the teacher's necessary habits to those of the farmer with any satisfaction to either. A good teacher must spend a considerable amount of time

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almost every evening upon school work, for which a quiet, comfortable room is essential. If she insists upon such a room when she goes to board in the country, she is likely to be considered "stuck-up" and exclusive. If she gets a room by herself, it is often unheated and too uncomfortable for study in cold weather. On the other hand, if she is forced to spend her entire time in the living room with the rest of the family, she has no opportunity to prepare property for her school duties, and is also very likely to be drawn unavoidably into neighborhood gossip and factional disputes, of which unfortunately there are altogether too many. Many of the better situated families in the country districts who have the facilities, do not care to take a steady boarder, so that if a teacher gets a place to board all, she may be forced to go to farmhouses where only the barest accommodations can be secured.—"The Era of Teachers' Cottages," Warren B. Bullock, in National Magazine for September.

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