

WHAT THEY ARE DOING IN SOCIETY

Kindness.

"What is the real good?" I asked in my mood. Order, said the lawyer. Knowledge, said the school. Truth, said the vicar. Pleasure, said the fool. Love, said the maiden. Beauty, said the page. Freedom, said the dreamer. Home, said the sage. Fame, said the soldier. Equity, the poet. Spake my heart full sadly, "The answer is not here." Then within my bosom Softly thus I murmured "Each heart holds the secret— Kindness is the word." —John Boyle O'Reilly.

"Made In America"



That women's work in music has reached the point of public recognition only in very recent years was the interesting fact made known to the members of the Thursday Musical club this afternoon when the regular December meeting was held at the apartment of Mrs. J. D. Bacon, at the Dacotah. Mrs. F. Wisner was in charge of the program and presented a well written and very interesting paper covering the month's topic, "American Women Composers." Mrs. Wisner brought out the fact that in olden times when some of the world's greatest men musicians and composers gained their fame and wrote their masterpieces, it was considered wrong for women to enter into such work. She was looked upon in the world of music just the same as in all other walks of life and therefore was not given a chance to show her abilities or talents.

However, since women have been given the opportunity in America, their first recognition was based to Puritan days, her work has proven very fine and equal to that of men composers. Mrs. Wisner emphasized the fact that American women composers have a great future before them for the leaders are still living and doing greater work in music every year. She also stated that American women writers have contributed more vocal than instrumental compositions and for that reason the illustrative musical program this afternoon contained only two piano selections. These were played by Mrs. L. G. Harrington and were Rive-King's "Bubbling Spring" and the "Brazilian Minuet" by Mrs. H. A. Beach, the most eminent of American women music writers.

The vocal selections were provided by Mrs. H. A. Enyart and Miss Gladys Maynard. Mrs. Enyart sang "The Garden of Paradise" composed by five by Mary Turner Salter, "October," "Winter," "The Elvies," "I Breathe Thy Name" and "Cry of Rachel," all by Mrs. C. R. Goodell and "The Awakening" by Mason. Mrs. Maynard sang a group by Carrie Jacobs Bond, "I Love You Truly" and "Just a Wee, a Little Bit You"; another by Lola Worrell, "Hush, Hush, My Baby" and "Song of the Chimes," also "Slumber Boat," by Jessie Gaynor, and "Joy of the Mornings," by Harriet Ware.

The "hard times" party given last evening by the social committee of the Odd Fellows lodge was a complete success and a company of thirty guests enjoyed the splendid time afforded. The guests came attired in the plainest and most becoming manner and some even in the kanzoo coat which was the feature of the evening was able to muster up some offense against the hostess. Dancing continued until 1 o'clock with splendid music by the Eward orchestra and following is a list of the guests: Mrs. C. R. Goodell, Messrs. and Mesdames Carl Oates, Nordlund, Hagness, R. E. Reading, S. S. Caswell, O. D. Glidden, F. A. Brown, L. W. Pratt, J. Paulson, Hopard, J. A. McElroy, and J. G. Grathie, Mesdames H. M. Fell, C. H. Wilson, Berthaume, N. J. Tannahill and Beth Lush; Misses Selma Nelson, Beth Lucas, Alice Leonard, Nyquist, Lucas, Gunda Olson, Lula Reading, Jean Redick, Thompson, Ruth Johnson, Margaret Van Dusen, Mabel Goozee, Agnes Basnes, Josie Berg, Ida Goozee, Mrs. C. R. Goodell, Evenson, Julia Johnson, Sophie Lamson, Eva Roller, Lillian Stearns, Hazel Berthaume, M. Fluke, F. Boies, Grace and Nettie Leung, Messrs. Kilstrom, Edward Hanson, John Fitzgerald, George Anderson, Gilbert Moore, Jack Craig, Fred Brown, William Paul, Bert Ellsworth, C. Redick, E. T. Beatt, Allen Scott, J. Peterson, V. W. Mosher, R. H. Mitchell, F. R. Hildebrant, Roy Benson, Fred Larson, H. Van Dusen, S. Olson, William Hallen, Herb Anders, C. R. Goodell, V. L. McHaffie, Hank Silverton, D. A. McCullum, Shirley Roller, R. Klindworth, R. J. Grumiller, G. C. Hunk, Boies, Alex Dalberg and Harry J. O'Reilly.

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The choir of the First Methodist church will meet for rehearsal at 7 o'clock this evening in the church parlors. Mrs. John Mayer has returned to the city to spend the winter after enjoying an extended visit with her sister in Devils Lake. Miss Inga Zintoo and John Loberg of Fargo were wedded in this city yesterday, the ceremony taking place at the residence of the bride's mother. They will make their home in Fargo. The Ladies Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church enjoyed a work and social meeting in the church parlors this afternoon. There was a large attendance. Mr. and Mrs. A. Andye of North Sixth street returned to the city last evening after enjoying a few days' visit in Crookston as guests of Mrs. Andye's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. Sargent, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Will Lytle. Mrs. S. G. Coulter, Mrs. George Siefert and Mrs. William Gilbreath entertained a large company of Royal Neighbors and their friends at the Odd Fellows' hall this afternoon when they were hostesses for the Golden Rod club. A delicious lunch in the small dining room followed the afternoon of visiting and needlework. A special meeting of the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters will be held this evening at the residence of Mrs. J. H. Griffin, on Cheyenne avenue. The occasion is to initiate four new members, Mrs. Elizabeth Welsh, Miss Anna Schmitz, Mrs. George Koenig and Mrs. Bushlee. A short social session will follow the initiation. The annual doll program which always is an interesting holiday event at the Grand Forks School of Music, has been announced for Saturday, December 19. The presentation of a playlet together with folk dancing will be new features this year and the complete program will be ready in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Kelsey, who will be the feature of the Grand Forks residents when Mr. Kelsey, Grand Forks superintendent, are expected this evening from Great Falls, Mont. They will be accompanied by their children and will spend several days visiting old friends and relatives. Mrs. N. R. Lincoln was hostess this afternoon at her Walnut street home to the girls of the Philathea class of the Baptist Sunday school, the occasion being the purpose of a social, with Mrs. Lester Weatherwax of Charles City, Ia., and Mrs. John Henry who soon moves to Hottinger, this state, as guests of honor. After the usual Christmas program and "table" box opening, the hostess served light refreshments. Mrs. C. J. Fisk of Bismarck, wife of Justice Fisk of the supreme court, formerly of Grand Forks, is taking a prominent part in the direction of the work of the Bismarck Women's Civic League. At a card party given this week for the purpose of raising league funds, Mrs. Fisk was a committee member, while Justice Fisk was the winner of the gentlemen's prize. Mr. Fisk, however, permitted the prize to be awarded to the holder of the second high score—Judge Cardomy. The name of Ex-Mayor M. F. Murphy has been added to the program of speakers for the Catholic old settlers' gathering. Mr. Murphy is on the program for a short talk which will be exceedingly interesting as he has been here since the city's earliest days. This will be the first affair of the kind ever given by the Catholics of St. Michael's parish but probably will be made an annual event in the future. The name of Mrs. S. V. Rowland of St. Paul has arrived in the city to enjoy a short visit as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fegan at their home on South Fifth street. Mrs. Rowland and Mr. Fegan are cousins. The Masons and their families will enjoy an informal dance this evening at the Masonic lodge rooms in the St. John block. There will be dancing from 9 to 12 o'clock and the usual good time is promised by the committee in charge. Friday evening a costume party will be given in the lower auditorium of the Presbyterian church for all young people of the city. The Young People's society of the church is giving the affair and they cordially invite all who may enjoy the pleasures of a masquerade. The hour is 8 o'clock. A discussion of the European war will interest the members of the Franklin club when they meet this evening as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitted at their Reeves avenue home. The various speakers will be president F. L. McVey of the university, Dr. O. G. Libby, Dr. R. D. Campbell and Mrs. R. T. Young. Mr. and Mrs. Allen N. McLean whose marriage occurred here yesterday, January 1, 1914, are the bride and groom. Mrs. McLean is the daughter of Mabel M. Hughes of this city, left this morning for their new home at Columbus, N. D., where they will receive after a short stay at the home of Mrs. Alex. Under Clayton, 622 North Sixth street, they left for Hoopole where they shared honors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, in celebration of their golden wedding. Thus the day was made doubly enjoyable and will be long remembered. Miss Hughes has for a number of years held the position of bookkeeper at the Getts Piano house and has a large circle of friends who will be interested in the announcement of her marriage. Rev. J. K. Burleson of St. Paul's Episcopal church performed the ceremony and there were no attendants or guests. Mr. McLean is connected with the Soo railroad at Columbus. The bride and groom were accompanied to Hoopole by Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Clayton, Mrs. Clayton being another daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Whitted. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bell, the latter being a niece. Covers for 18 were laid at the wedding dinner table, and the other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Steen, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hughes, children of the couple who reside at Hoopole, and three grand children, Johnny Steen of Hoopole, and Misses Dorothy, Elizabeth Clayton and Mabel Viola Clayton of this city. The table was adorned with cut flowers, and each of the children gave their parents a five-dollar gold piece as a gift. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes, who were wedded 50 years ago in County Arme, Ireland, and came to this country ten years later, lived until 1880 at Pakenham, Ont. That year they came to North Dakota, locating at Hoopole, and have made scores of friends who will extend golden wedding congratulations.

Miss Lulabelle Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Turner of North Third street, honored the occasion of her fourteenth birthday by entertaining a group of her young friends with a party at her home. After the ride the company returned to the Turner residence where a delicious supper was served by the hostess' mother. A number of games were played before the evening's merriment came to a close, and the ladies who assisted Mrs. Turner in caring for the young people were Mrs. Frank Morse, Mrs. J. F. Morse, Mrs. J. C. Sheppard and Mrs. Fred Westlein. The little girls who were Miss Lulabelle's guests, included Misses Margaret Dow, Bergljot Lindelle, Ruth Hoover, Marion Stinson, Marion Ferguson, Marion Merrill, Mary Kelly, Adelaide Collins, Merle Gertrude, Gertrude Dunlap, Arabella Brunning, Edna Peterson, Peter Peterson, Lenore Carpenter, Florence Bach, Josephine Lynch, Maxine Wright, Mildred Harrington and Blanche Turner. The marriage of Miss Alice Lewis, daughter of former Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. R. S. Lewis, was a magnificent social event in Fargo today. Mr. James Chesley Beale of Franklin, Va., is the man of her choice and the wedding vows were spoken at the residence of the bride's residence in Fargo at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. Peterson of the First Baptist church officiated at the ceremony and the bride was escorted by family members and house guests followed by the bridesmaids. Last evening Miss Lewis and her fiancé were guests of honor at a beautiful reception given by her parents. A large number of musical society girls of that city assisted during the evening and the home was profusely decorated with cut flowers and greenery. There were musical numbers and voice and instrumental numbers and in the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lewis, Miss Alice Lewis, Mr. James Chesley Beale, Mrs. W. H. McCuller, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Braisted and Mr. G. W. Garpenster. CLUB NOTES Fargo suffragists held a very live and enthusiastic meeting yesterday afternoon in the Civic center. The conditions in North Dakota were discussed and a very sanguine feeling prevailed over the future light. Mrs. Darrow and Mrs. R. E. Weible spoke at some length upon the Nashville convention after which Miss Jeanette Rankin told of the work in Montana, and the ways and means employed. She explained also the origin and meaning of the two federal committees and the purpose of each. The new suffrage map, showing the whiteness of Montana and Nevada was displayed for the first time since the campaign conducted by prominent out of town guest was Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson, leader of the W. C. T. U. in the state. St. Mary's court, No. 312, W. C. O. F. of Jamestown held the annual meeting and re-elected by acclamation its officers and the purpose of each. Chief Ranger—Winnifred Flannigan. Vice Chief Ranger—Rose Willmart. Recording Secretary—Mary A. Spickard. Financial Secretary—Sadie Tracy. Trustees—Ellen I. Wicks, Julia Rulon and Sarah Walsh. Medical Examiner—K. Wink. Pianist—Mary C. Mason. FINANCIAL CALAMITY NARROWLY AVERTED (Continued from Page 1.) Heved to have had a beneficial effect upon the situation. Mr. McAdoo's report is devoted largely to a review of the activities of his department for the fiscal year ending on June 30, before the war began, but he included detailed statements of the treasury's participation in various post-war problems. Extended to a change in the secretary's office, he says "The secretary makes several recommendations. He suggests to congress that the war revenue tax law should not expire December 31, 1915, but that its operation should be extended until the end of the European war, by proclamation of the president. Discussing the income tax law the secretary advocates a change in the law so that persons having a gross income of \$3,000 be required to make a return instead of those persons with a net income of that amount or over. "Such a change," he says, "would simplify the administration of the law, assure more complete returns and materially increase the income tax revenue and save an immense amount of expense to which the government is now subjected in maintaining a sufficient corps of inspectors and investigators to hunt out the people who have failed to make returns." He recommends also the repeal of the provision by which taxes do not accrue until ten days after the close of the month and would make them accrue July each year. Income Tax. Although the law did not produce the revenue expected, the secretary says, it has had a satisfactory and explains the administration of a law of that character has many obstacles to overcome at the outset and that folk are unaccustomed and must be educated to it. Taking the tables of returns Mr. McAdoo infers that there must be many who failed to pay the tax. "It is clear," says he, "that there were thousands of persons who failed altogether to make a return as required by law. The remedy for this, of course, is to have the collectors of internal revenue in each district make an assessment upon those who, in the opinion of the collector, are liable to the tax, and in addition, to make such investigations as may be necessary to determine who in each district have failed to make proper returns. The experience of the past year shows that many erroneous and faulty returns have been made." The work of discovering such cases, he adds, is being pushed forward with all possible rapidity. "The collection of revenue for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1914," says Mr. McAdoo, "showed the success of the tariff act of Oct. 3, 1913, as a revenue measure." He goes on to show that this act was estimated as the producer of \$270,000,000 in its first year and that there was actually collected \$282,320,014. That, however, included nine months under the new law and three months under the Payne-Aldrich law. He shows that the total raised under the new law with its corporation and income tax features was \$363,701,239 or \$9,503,538 in excess of the previous year's receipts under the preceding revenue measure. Revenues Affected. "The European war," said the secretary, "seriously affected the revenues of the government from imports. The revenue from customs for October 1914, was \$16,371,829 and for October, 1913, was \$18,055,049, a decrease of \$1,683,220. The reduction is solely due to the falling off in importations. The estimate made by the department indicated a yearly decrease of between \$1,000,000 and \$100,000,000. It is obvious that these estimates cannot be accurate as no one can forecast the course of events while the Titanic struggle in Europe is in progress. To keep the treasury in strong condition in these abnormal times was obviously the first duty of the hour. Upon this I have depended the safety of business and industry in this country." Consolidate Service. Mr. McAdoo again recommends to

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"BEING A MERMAID ISN'T SO EASY AS IT LOOKS," SAYS EMILY STEVENS

New York, Dec. 10.—It isn't necessary to have a little fish tell you that playing a mermaid is the hardest kind of work. Just ask Miss Emily Stevens, who is playing Swanhild, the mermaid daughter of the King of the sea, in "The Garden of Paradise." Miss Stevens has played many difficult roles in her career on the stage, but they were child's play compared with what she has to do as a spectacular mermaid. "In these days of rather nights of stage realism playing a mermaid requires the strength and endurance of a circus performer as well as the technique of a dramatic actress," said Miss Stevens after she had resumed her human shape one evening last week. "There have been many plays, 'Peter Pan' for instance, which required a little wire work, but in this production I am suspended for nearly forty minutes in two scenes in the first act. During some of the rehearsals—and they lasted nine weeks—I was in suspend two or three hours at a time, which is not altogether comfortable for one without wings. "Of course, I fasten myself in a sort of harness to which the wire is attached and nothing short of a break in the wire can dash me to the stage. Still, it was some time before I got accustomed to being swung around in space. "When one is literally as well as figuratively up in the air in a new play it is disconcerting to put it mildly. My harness—technically it is called a cradle, I believe—prevents me from changing my position. But even mermaid must feel like scratching her nose once in a while. "To make matters worse, my legs are encased in a mermaid's tail, which is no doubt correct as to detail, but it is not altogether comfortable. Compared with it the tightest hobble skirt would enable an actress to walk through the part. "But even this is not all. My mermaid role requires not only tail-butights. When I learned that I was almost ready to give up, but Manager Tyler reconciled me to the wire work and finally persuaded me



Emily Stevens.

to sacrifice my personal feelings for the sake of the production. "Playing a mermaid is not as easy as it looks." "The Garden of Paradise" is a dramatic version of the same fairy tale that was the basis of "Neptune's Daughter," in which Annette Kellerman appeared.

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