

# SOCIAL EVENTS

## Mr. and Mrs. Littig Silver Anniversary of Their Marriage

A dinner party marked the occasion of the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Littig of 2339 Ninth avenue yesterday. Covers were laid for 20 relatives and intimate friends at a table on which the Christmas season suggestions were used, and which was centered with a huge wedding cake. The holiday decorations were used about the other rooms of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Littig were married 25 years ago yesterday at St. Mary's Catholic church by Rev. Mr. Koch, then pastor of the church. Mrs. Littig was Miss Agnes V. McFarland of Davenport. There are five children and two grandchildren, Mrs. Arthur Rudin of Chicago, John J. Oren, James and William at home, Agnes and Arthur Rudin of Chicago are the grandchildren. Mr. Littig is a foreman at Rock Island arsenal, and has been at the arsenal for 22 years. Many congratulatory messages were received yesterday by the couple, as well as handsome gifts of silver.

During the evening cards were played, Mrs. Leo Rylands and William Armstrong taking the first prize.

## Service Circle Clears \$75.

Over \$75 was cleared by the Service circle of King's Daughters at the Christmas tea sponsored by the circle Saturday afternoon at the home of the president, Miss Miriam Walker, 616 Twentieth street, and the members are very enthusiastic over the success of the affair. Over one hundred friends of the circle were present during the afternoon and were received by Mrs. C. L. Walker, Miss Miriam Walker and members of the circle. The rooms were charmingly decorated with wreaths of holly, etc., carrying out the Christmas idea. In the dining room the table centerpiece was a large basket of red roses and narcissus. Mrs. Joe Tuckis, president of the King's Daughters' union, and Mrs. George Davis, who was on the committee in organizing the Service circle, presided.

Home-made bakery goods and candy were on sale in connection with the tea and a variety of Christmas novelties in the forms of Dutch dolls, boy and girl dolls, rabbits, cows, etc., and filled with candy, proved very popular over one hundred being sold.

Central W. C. T. U. to Meet.  
Mrs. R. L. Baird is to be the leader for the meeting of central branch, W. C. T. U. to be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the parlor of the Masonic temple. All the members are asked to be present.

Second of Dance Series.  
The second of the series of dances sponsored by the drill corps of Rock Island commandery, No. 18, will be held Wednesday evening at the Masonic temple. White's orchestra will furnish the music. Proceeds from the affair will be used for sending the drill corps to the state convalesce next year.

Social Announcements.  
The Daughters of the Covenant of the First Methodist church will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. E. H. Dunavin, 1639 Fifteenth street. A Christmas missionary offering will be taken.

Tea Attracts Crowd.  
Mrs. Maria March of Chicago exhibiting her collection of Batik told an interesting detail something about the costumes and different articles at the Saturday afternoon tea of the Tri-City Art league held in the league studios from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Edna Wiese was the chairman of the afternoon. Mrs. C. R. McCandless presided at a charmingly arranged table which had rose buds in artistic decoration, and assisting about the studio were Mrs. Henry Horst of Moline, Miss Edna Robeson and Miss Roberta Hostetter.

Miss Irma Kohn, who is at home from Chicago on a brief visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kohn of this city, was a special guest at the tea.

Give Dinner Party.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard L. Williams entertained a very delightful party of Saturday evening at their home on Mississippi avenue, covers being laid for 20 at the large table in the dining room. Fragrant narcissus with yellow chrysanthemums were used as the table center and dainty cards directed the guests to their places. The evening was enjoyed with bridge games.

## COUPLE MARRIED FOR FIFTY YEARS



Supervisor J. B. Johnson.



Mrs. J. B. Johnson.

The above pictures of Supervisor and Mrs. J. B. Johnson of 2423 Thirteenth avenue were taken Saturday, that day being the 50th anniversary of their marriage. The day was spent quietly by the bridegroom and bride of half century ago, receiving congratulations and many beautiful bouquets of flowers from their many friends.

Louisa A. Davies and Mr. Johnson were married on Dec. 11, 1870, at Sweden, by the late Rev. A. A. Andren, father of Dr. G. A. Andren of Augustana college. It was a church wedding, the large number of guests coming from the country side having difficulty in getting to the church because of the deep snow and cold weather. Mrs. Johnson was born in Moline July 6, 1851, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Davies, who were pioneers in Rock Island county, settling in Moline in 1844. Mr. Johnson is a native of Norway and was born Dec. 23, 1848, in Stavanger. He came to America in 1867, settling in Chicago. Later he moved to Kewanee and then to the home city of his bride-to-be. Three children were born to this union, a son, Edward Oscar, dying in childhood, and two daughters, Mrs. Bertha L. Assay of this city and Mrs. Clara M. Peckham of Athens, Ohio, being the daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have lived in Rock Island 44 years and have seen the city's growth and progress, and watched with interest one improvement after another. Mr. Johnson has served the city in various offices and is now serving his second term on the board of supervisors.

The affair will be held Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 28, and will be for all college young people who are home for the holidays. The hours are from 2 until 5 o'clock. Miss Ethel McKown of Davenport is chairman of arrangements. Details as to the sale of tickets and where they may be purchased will be announced later.

To Give Better Speech Program.  
Last week was Better Speech week in the public schools, and because of that fact, the Parent-Teachers' association of Lincoln school will give a Better Speech program at its regular meeting at the school tomorrow afternoon. The program will be given as follows:

Christmas playlet and song—Pupils of Miss Martha Huesting.  
Recitation—"Little Owl in the Glen"—Katherine Ward.  
Better Speech songs, words composed by pupils of the eighth-second grade—Eighth-second grade pupils.  
Piano solo—Katherine Stapp.  
Talk on Better Speech—Miss Jennie Sturgeon.  
Better Speech playlet—High school students under the direction of Miss Faye Hanna.

A very interesting exhibition of Christmas toys and Better Speech posters will also be on exhibition at this school tomorrow afternoon. A large attendance is desired.

Eliza Garfield Bazar Big Success.  
The bazar sponsored by Eliza Garfield tent, No. 22, Daughters of Veterans Saturday afternoon at the Tri-City Electric company, Moline, was a great success and over \$1700 was cleared from the affair. Aprons, caps and hand-made lace were among the articles on sale, and proved to be very popular. Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, members of the tent will meet at Swedish Olive hall. A very interesting program will be given.

featuring the ninth anniversary of the tent which will be observed at the time. Refreshments will be served. All members holding numbers of the basket are requested to bring them Wednesday afternoon. A large attendance is urged as this will be the last meeting of the year.

## To Vote On Important Matter.

A very important matter of business will be taken up at the meeting of the Music department of the Rock Island Woman's club to be held tomorrow afternoon at the Masonic temple. The constitution states that no one is eligible for office unless she has attended a majority of meetings. Because of this clause it has been necessary for someone to take the names of each person attending. The department has become so large that this is now impossible, and at the last meeting the board recommended of this clause which made this necessary be struck from the constitution.

All the members are asked to attend tomorrow's meeting. A splendid program has been arranged by the leader, Mrs. Ben C. Benson to include the following numbers:

- Piano, March Winds—MacDowell
- Miss Bernice Hanley
- Voice, Angel Voices—H. W. Petrie
- Song of the Chimes—Lola Worrell
- Roses—Frank Lynes
- Mrs. Samuel Hunt, accompanied by Miss Irma Rahn
- Reading, "A New Lease on Life"—Mrs. F. E. Sudlow
- Duet, Barcarolle, "Tales of Hoffman"—
- Goodbye—Tooti
- Mrs. John Cunningham and Mrs. John McGreevy
- Violin, Melody in F—A Waltz—Master Ivern Dowe, accompanied by Miss Jessie Fries
- Voice, "Stars Brightly Shining"—Emily Bronie
- To a Messenger—LaForge
- My Little House—Seneca Pierce
- Mrs. Herman Staakof, Davenport
- Reading, "A Christmas Play"—Alice Rice
- Miss Margaret Falk
- Violin, Canto Amoroso—Misha Elman
- Polish dance—Drake
- Elvire Seipting
- Trio, duet and solo dances—Alvina Jones, Eleanor Thompson and Kathleen Dora
- Duet, selected—Misses Laureen Asplund and Leona Westerland

Refreshments will be served at the program by the following hostesses, of whom Mrs. Charles E. Bryan is chairman. Mrs. L. D. Austin, Miss Hulda Brandenburg, Miss Emma Brandenburg, Mrs. E. W. Boomer, Mrs. Lizette Beckwith, Mrs. Charles Brady, Mrs. Morris Cook, Mrs. Minnie Campbell, Mrs. J. M. Cleaver, Miss Eleanor Cleveland, Mrs. Fred DeLong, Mrs. George Hinderer, Mrs. A. H. Heimbeck, Mrs. Anna Hanna, Mrs. Ben Koch, Mrs. J. N. Kerns, Mrs. Morris Lister, Mrs. Richard Litt, Mrs. R. B. Miller, Mrs. A. Mosenfeldt, Miss Bessie Nofstaker, Mrs. Charles Oswald, Mrs. Fred Poller, Mrs. E. J. Propper, Mrs. William Paulsen, Mrs. L. G. Richardson, Mrs. J. Ramser, Mrs. Eugene Ramser, Mrs. Sam Switzer, Mrs. C. H. Scherer, Mrs. Vern Stevens and Mrs. William Volk.

Hendrickson-Anderson Wedding.  
Miss Esther C. Anderson, daughter of Mrs. Charles Anderson of 1242 Thirty-seventh street, and Glenn D. Hendrickson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hendrickson of 914 Twenty-second street, were quietly united in marriage Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the parsonage of the Swedish Free Evangelical church of Moline. Rev. A. F. Nelson, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony. The bride couple was attended by Miss Nellie Anderson, sister of the bride, and by Edward Engman.

The bride wore a gown of ivory white satin trimmed with white embroidered silk net. She wore a long veil, fastened with a wreath of orange blossoms and her flowers were a corsage of bride's roses. The bridesmaid was in pink organdy and she wore a corsage of pink roses.

A wedding dinner was served at the bride's home following the ceremony, covers being laid only for the immediate families and a few intimate friends. The rooms were decorated in the colors of the bride, pink, lavender and white. Mr. and Mrs. Hendrickson left on a short wedding trip, the destination of which is unknown, and after their return they will be at home at a new home on Fifteenth street and Ninth avenue. Mr. Hendrickson is employed in the tank department of the Rock Island arsenal. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hendrickson attended the public schools. The bride before her marriage was employed on the Rock Island arsenal.

Charming Pre-Nuptial Tea.  
Miss Florence Livingston of 1200 Second avenue was hostess yesterday afternoon at a charming pink and white tea as a pre-nuptial courtesy for her sister, Miss Rose, whose marriage to Dr. A. G. Fleischman of Des Moines, will take place Dec. 4. Elaborate decorations of streamers and pink and white candles were used, and the luncheon further carried out the dainty color scheme.

Three tables of luncheon were surrounded, Miss Ida Sosna taking the first prize, Miss Charlotte Lewis of the second and there was a handsome Madeira centerpiece for the bride-elect. Other affairs to be given during the week for Miss Livingston include three evening parties. Miss Shirley Levenstein will entertain tomorrow night, the Misses Ida, Bess and Goldy Sosna Wednesday night and Miss Lewis on Thursday evening. Miss Florence Goldman of Chicago, a cousin of the bride, was an out-of-town guest.

To Wed in Omaha.  
The marriage of Louis Rich of 214 Ninth avenue, and Miss Ida Fox of Omaha, Neb., will take place tomorrow at the home of friends of the bride, J. Frazier, 2187 Lincoln

## DEBUTANTES LIKE WHITE FOX FOR DRESS



every color of complexion and hair and there is no face they do not soften. They set out the color of the young face and soften the harshness of an old one. There is nothing more becoming for the young face than white fox furs, but the older woman, unless her hair is white and she is very light, will look better in a darker colored fur. Sets like this one picture are extremely popular with the debutantes. The animal scarf and muff are both trimmed with long bushy tails and sharp little heads. These furs are charming when worn with frocks or suits for afternoon or evening wear, and they are even suitable for wear with wraps.

There has been a strong tendency this season to revive the former popularity of white fox furs. These sets have always been the envy of many young girls and it is the younger set and the debutante who is wearing them this year. They are expensive, but much more durable than some of the other popular furs, such as squirrel. Of course they need frequent cleanings but they are never worn for ordinary wear and so that item does not mean a great deal. Furs are said to be the most becoming frame any human face, old or young, can wear. There is a fur for every woman, a fur for

class of the Broadway Presbyterian Sunday school will sew at the Sunday Claus shop at the Y. W. C. A. tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. The Harriet Anderson Memorial class of the First Methodist church will meet tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Charles Stevens, 346 Seventeenth street. Election of officers will be held.

**TWO WIVES SAY HUSBANDS WERE CRUEL TO THEM**  
Two divorce cases were filed in circuit court today. Frances Law charges her husband, Loyal Law, with cruelty. They were married June 2, 1915, and separated April 1, 1920. They resided in East Moline. Daisy Talbot charges Orley Talbot with cruelty. They were married July 11, 1902, and separated March 1, 1920. The home is in Rock Island.

**START RED CROSS CLASS IN NURSING**  
(Special Correspondence.)  
Erie, Dec. 13.—Miss Clara Louise Stewart, a Red Cross nurse instructor, has organized a class in home nursing and hygiene numbering 31. The class is composed mostly of high school girls at present, but should it be found necessary a second class will be organized later. A very interesting time was spent and great enthusiasm was shown in the work. Miss Stewart is from Chicago, and will come to Erie every Thursday and Monday to give instruction for the eight weeks' course.

**FUNERAL SERVICE FOR MRS. PEARSALL**  
(Special Correspondence.)  
Hillsdale, Dec. 13.—Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Pearsall of Port Byron were held Friday at 10 o'clock at the Congregational church, Rev. John C. Stoddard, a former minister, officiating. The choir, composed of Mrs. J. C. Golden, Mrs. Harry Nicholson, Louis Hauberg and William Riewert, sang appropriate selections. The pallbearers were Charles Ashdown, Arthur Genung, Harry Nicholson, Charles Ziegler, J. C. Golden and Arias Sadoris. A large number of relatives and friends followed the remains to the cemetery at Pleasant Point.

**DRIVING TO TOWN, CAR CATCHES FIRE**  
(Special Correspondence.)  
De Witt Quist of Bowling had the misfortune to have his auto catch fire while on his way to Rock Island, Friday afternoon. He secured help from a nearby farm house and after quite an exciting time was able to extinguish the blaze before very much damage was done to the car.

**ZUMA AID ELECTS.**  
(Special Correspondence.)  
Port Byron, Dec. 13.—Zuma Aid society held an all-day meeting at the home of Mrs. Edgar Walther Thursday. An election of officers was held. Mrs. Fred Schwieger was elected president, Mrs. Minnie Wainwright vice president, Mrs. John Schwieger, Jr., secretary and Mrs. Lauren Allsbrow, treasurer.

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Tourist Cases ..... \$4.75 to \$30.00  
Military Brushes, pair \$1.25 to \$9.50  
Manicure Sets ..... \$3.00 to \$15.00  
Playing Card Cases ..... 50c to \$5.00  
Cribbage Boards ..... \$1.00 and \$1.25  
Diary and Address Books \$1 to \$1.85  
Poker Sets ..... \$2.75 to \$14.50

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Table Lamps with metal and pottery bases, richly finished in Ardu Bronze and Loubuda Green Bronze and Brass, priced from \$9.50 to \$22.50

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Mahogany Floor Lamps, large variety of styles, equipped with cord and plug, priced from \$12.50 to \$25.00

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Women's Initial Handkerchiefs, splendid qualities, each 25c, 20c and ..... 39c

Boxed Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, embroidered corner, some with colored border. 3 in a box, 35c, 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00 and ..... \$1.25

Women's Lawn Handkerchiefs, embroidered corners, each 15c and ..... 19c

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, colored border and initial, each ..... 65c

Men's pure linen Handkerchiefs each 50c, 85c and ..... 95c

Men's Cambrie Handkerchiefs, each 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and ..... 50c

Children's Handkerchiefs, box of 3, 30c and ..... 65c

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