

SOCIAL EVENTS

Ben Cable Is Elected President Alliance-Francaise

The annual meeting of the Alliance-Francaise, an organization of trilingual people who speak French and who are interested in the study of the French language and literature, held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ben Cable, 415 Twenty-ninth street. The Alliance held some very delightful meetings a year or more ago, but recently meetings were discontinued. At yesterday's meeting, a reorganization of the society was effected and the new officers were elected. Mrs. Cable of Moline, founder of the Alliance, and for some time Moline vice president, presided at the meeting in the absence of Horace Robert, the former president, and Mrs. Frank Hillway of Moline was appointed secretary pro tem. The following officers were elected for the year:

President—Mrs. Ben Cable of Rock Island.
Vice president—Mrs. James Coonan of Rock Island.
Secretary—Mrs. D. J. McCarthy of Davenport.
Treasurer—Mrs. W. H. Whitsett of East Moline.
 The old directors were re-elected as follows: Miss Mary Alsworth of Moline, George N. Peak of Moline, William J. Rosenfeld of Rock Island, Mrs. J. J. Rosenfeld of Davenport, Mrs. W. A. Johnson of Rock Island and Mrs. J. J. Rosenfeld of Rock Island.
 New directors—Mrs. William Butterworth of Moline and Howard Rogers of Moline.
Publicity committee—Miss Betty Adler of Davenport, chairman; Mrs. E. K. Putnam of Davenport and Dwight Deere Wiman of Moline.
Membership committee—Mrs. Otto Seifert of Moline, chairman; Mrs. Frank Allen of Moline, chairman, and Charles D. Rosenfeld.
 The Alliance is planning to bring Monsieur Gaston Rion, a noted French writer and lecturer here, to lecture before the members Jan. 21, the place to be announced later. At the February meeting a French play will be given by members of the Alliance.
 Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Cable at the close of the business session and a very delightful social hour was enjoyed by the members conversing in French. The Alliance now numbers 55 members.

Regular Missionary Society Meeting

The regular meeting of the women's home missionary society of the Spencer Memorial Methodist church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Williams, 831 Forty-third street. Devotional services were led by Mrs. Stocking and Mrs. E. H. Slocum had charge of the lesson, the topic being "Cooperation" from the study book. Leaflets were read by several of the members. Mrs. A. M. Stocking gave a vocal solo. The next meeting will be held Jan. 13.

Celebrate Silver Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Walker entertained at a delightful, small informal dinner party Wednesday evening at their home, 2451 Twenty-first avenue, in honor of Mrs. Walker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson, of 1233 Seventeenth street, who yesterday celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. Covers were laid for a few near relatives and intimate friends and the affair was a most enjoyable one. The after-dinner hours were spent informally. Mr. and Mrs. Robertson were presented with a set of silver teaspoons in honor of the occasion.

Cards for Dinner Dance

Cards have been issued for the first of a series of subscription dinner dances to be held next Tuesday evening, Dec. 14, at the Davenport Commercial club. The committee in charge is Julius J. Ochs and Herrin Abrahams. There will be cards for those who do not dance. The series will comprise three affairs during the winter and about forty couples of tri-city young people will compose the company.

Fred C. Shaffner Auxiliary Meets

The annual meeting of the auxiliary to the Fred C. Shaffner unit was held yesterday afternoon in Memorial hall and the following officers were elected for the new year:
President—Mrs. Lillian Bedford.
Senior vice president—Mrs. Fannie King.
Junior vice president—Mrs. Abbie Bledsoe.
Chaplain—Mrs. Matilda Hastings.
Treasurer—Mrs. Emma Shoensier.
Conductor—Mrs. Martha Mason.
Guard—Mrs. Anna Cosner.
Patriotic instructor—Mrs. Fannie Patient.
 Four comrades were present at yesterday's meeting, four applications were voted upon and four new members joined the auxiliary. Miss Hazel King, one of the color-bearers, presented Mrs. Bertha Bruhn with a remembrance on behalf of the auxiliary. Mrs. Bruhn is to leave tomorrow evening for an extended trip through the southern states. The next meeting of the auxiliary will be held Dec. 23. The installation of officers will take place Jan. 13.

Platdeutschen-Schwester Elect

The regular meeting of the Platdeutschen-Schwester was held yesterday afternoon at Math's hall and officers were elected for the new year as follows:
President—Mrs. Elizabeth Lafrenz.
Vice president—Mrs. Theresa Horst.
Secretary—Mrs. Dora Bertelsen.
Financial secretary—Mrs. Mary Kurth.
Treasurer—Mrs. Jennie Nissen.
Conductor—Mrs. Lena Gallagher.
Guard—Mrs. Helen Behn.
 In the business meeting the members planned for a bazaar to be held Feb. 10, final plans to be made by the next meeting. Installation of officers will be held Jan. 13 at Math's hall.

Tent to Hold Sale

Tomorrow afternoon at the Tri-City Electric company, Moline, Eliza Garfield tent, Daughters of Veterans, will sponsor a bazaar and it is announced that there are some decidedly worth while articles to be disposed of. Aprons, caps, towels and hand-made lace will be on display and will be procurable at a very reasonable price. The sale begins at 1 o'clock. Members who have contributions and who are unable to have them turned in before tomorrow are asked to have them

Benefit Coffee Successful

The benefit coffee given Sunday by the Workmen's circle and Ladies' Health society at Workmen's hall, was very successful. Over \$70 was collected, the money to be used for the benefit of European orphans and the committee in charge of the affair wishes to thank all patrons for their liberal support in making the coffee a success.

Reliance Club Meets

The Reliance club of the Grace Lutheran church held its regular meeting last evening at the home of David Beckstrom, 425 Thirty-ninth street. There was a good attendance. B. F. Pierce gave a very interesting address on "The Evolution of the World." A social hour was enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served.

Program for Fathers

A most delightful evening was spent at Eugene Field school last evening when Father's night was observed. After the short business session the following excellent program was given:
 Vocal solos—Mrs. E. A. Appelquist.
 Slight-of-hand performance—R. A. Pratt.
 Readings—Mrs. Faye Hough McCarthy.
 Dance—Perley Sterbeck, Solo—Meredith Smith.
 Alcoholic stunts—Clyde Cardwell.
 Address, "Educational Legislation"—E. C. Fisher.
 Refreshments were served and a social hour spent. There were some 250 parents and friends of the school pupils present at the evening's entertainment.

Entertainers for Mother

Mrs. George Pfeiffer of 1000 Eighth avenue, entertained at her home in honor of her mother who is here visiting from Lancaster, Wis., on Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments were served and games played. Mrs. Mike Mintz took the head prize and Mrs. Frank Russell the consolation favor. Those present were Mesdames John Mandel, Will Kurth, Frank Russell, Will Paulsen, Ed Matous, Nick Lentz, Adolph Jacobs and Mike Mintz.

Bring Bazaar Fund to \$1500

St. Joseph's Altar society brought the proceeds from the annual Christmas bazaar up to approximately \$1500 at the post-bazaar sale held yesterday afternoon at the school. Many articles had been ordered at the big bazaar and yesterday's affair was held to enable the patrons to secure the articles. Coffee was served during the hours and the sum taken in yesterday amounted to \$75. The sale table was presided over

Have Christmas Party

Rock Island Druggists' chapter, No. 15, held a Christmas party yes-

To Further Music Appreciation

The Parent-Teachers' association of Irving school decided at the meeting of yesterday afternoon to purchase records for the use of the school in furtherance of music appreciation study. It was decided also to buy pictures for some of the rooms which have none. Other plans for the year's work were made. The program was given as announced, followed by refreshments and a social hour. There were 35 mothers and friends of the school present. The association will hold its next meeting Jan. 13.

Hear Work Explained

The young ladies' missionary circle of the Memorial Christian church was entertained last evening by Mrs. P. H. Winans, 1810 Fifth avenue. The early part of the evening was given over to a business session, after which Mrs. W. B. Slater of Moline explained the work to be taken up by the circle. The remainder of the evening was spent with sociability and refreshments were served. The time and place for the next meeting will be announced later.

W. C. T. U. Holds Meeting

The Kingsbury W. C. T. U. held its regular meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. J. D. Warnock, 423 Second street. Regular business was transacted. The sum of \$10 was donated to the Anti-Saloon league and a donation was also made toward a fund for buying a new organ for the Rock Island jail. Papers were read by six or eight of the members on the temperance question in general and the result of prohibition in the country. After the program refreshments were served by the hostess and a social hour was enjoyed. The next meeting will be held Jan. 13 at the home of Mrs. H. Arndt, 1333 Fifteenth street.

ODD FELLOWS ATTENTION!

All members of Rock Island lodge, No. 18, are requested to report at the hall at 2 p. m. tomorrow for the purpose of attending the funeral of Brother Charles H. Church.
 GEORGE HARDY,
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- FRANUT BUTTER, Simply delicious, made daily from Jumbo roasted peanuts, lb. 29c
- PEANUT CANDY, A new addition to our line, regular 45c value, lb. 25c
- JAVA SHOP COFFEE, for those who want the finest old crop coffee, regardless of price, roasted daily, 60c value, lb. 50c
- JAVA SHOP SPECIAL, A wonderful blend of high grade coffees, selected for their drinking quality. Roasted daily, 60c value, lb. 40c
- JAVA SHOP PEABERRY, The finest Inland Santos Peaberry that money can buy, 50c value, lb. 39c
- SPECIAL PEABERRY, We've had calls for a cheaper priced Santos Peaberry, and have just been able to pick up a fine line. A sweet, mellow coffee, well worth 40c lb. Special 29c
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 206 Brady St., Davenport, Ia.

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Mid-Month List Now on Sale
Van and Schenck Sing Happy Hits
 "All She'd Say Was Umh Hum" is the latest, funniest, happiest hit of this jolly pair of exclusive Columbia artists. Coupled with "In Napoli," their sunny Italian character song with its "Sole Mio" refrain. A-3319—\$1.00

Nora Bayes Has Two New Kinds of Blues
 Only this exclusive Columbia artist could sing that smiling, tearful complaint called "The Broadway Blues," and get just exactly the right expression into "Singin' the Blues," a tune that cries to make you laugh. A-3311—\$1.00

Ted Lewis Jazzes Joyful Fox-Trots
 Ted Lewis' Jazz Band, those exclusive Columbia artists, fairly sweep you onto your feet with that joyful jazz fox-trot, "The Hula Blues," and the merry, impudent harmonies of "I Love You, Sunday." A-3306—\$1.00

A Few More Mid-Month Hits
 Kentucky Benny Davis A-3228
 I'm Coming Back to Dixie \$1.50
 and You Frank Crumit \$1.50
 Old Fashioned Garden \$1.50
 Tandy Mackenzie \$1.50
 Get Up—Fox-trot Paul \$1.50
 Bice's College Inn Orchestra \$1.50
 One-step Paul Bice's \$1.50
 College Inn Orchestra \$1.50
 Kiss a Kiss—Medley Waltz \$1.50
 Prince's Orchestra \$1.50
 Louisiana—Medley Waltz \$1.50
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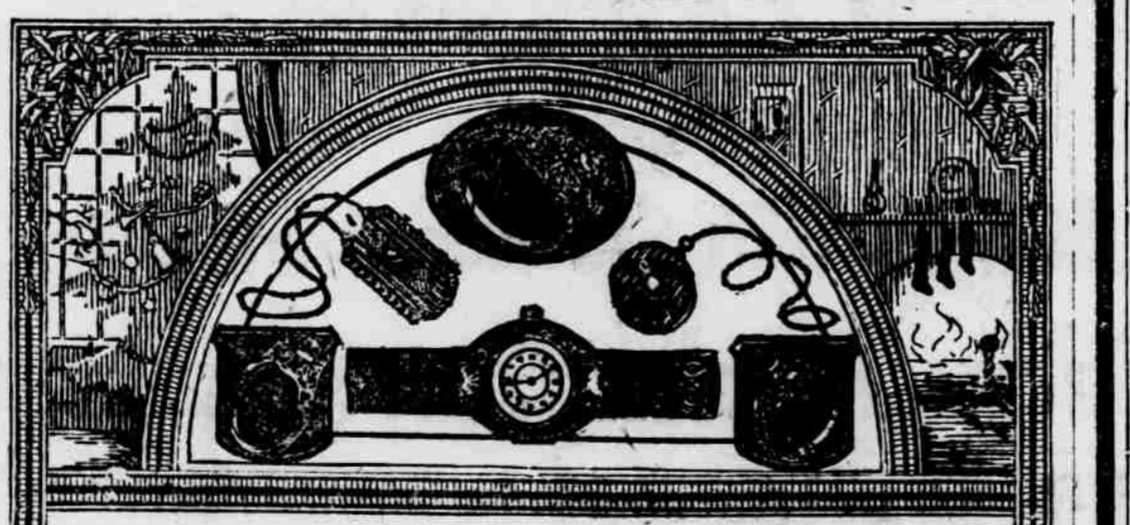
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Specials for Saturday:

Beef pot roast per lb. 18c	Beef hearts per lb. 12c
Chuck roast per lb. 16c	Sugar cured bacon, half slab, per lb. 30c
Rump roast per lb. 20c	Sugar cured bacon per lb. 33c
Rib boil per lb. 12c	Pure lard 4 lbs. \$1.00
Briquet beef per lb. 10c	Compound lard per lb. 15c
Pork butts per lb. 22c	Morris Supreme Nut oleo, per lb. 30c
Pork loin roast per lb. 23c	Delicia Nut Oleo per lb. 32c
Pork steak per lb. 23c	Good Luck Oleo per lb. 36c
Pork chops per lb. 25c	Storage eggs, per dozen 63c
Veal chops per lb. 27c	Fresh eggs per dozen 84c
Veal shoulder roast per lb. 24c	Good Fresh Dairy Butter, special 50c
Veal round roast, per lb. 30c	Pure cane sugar per lb. 10c
Veal stew per lb. 17c	Home dressed spring chickens, per lb. 32c
Veal liver, tender per lb. 20c	Quinlan quality bread per loaf 13c
Chuck steak per lb. 18c	4 small cans Carnation milk 25c
Short cuts per lb. 20c	Danish Pride tall can 13c
Spare ribs per lb. 19c	

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| Diamond Rings | Toilet Sets |
| Wrist Watches | Leather Bags |
| Sautoir Locketts | Set Rings |
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| Pearl Necklaces | Cameo |
| | Brooches |
| | Manicure Sets |
| | Photo Frames |
| | Waldemar Chains |
| | Gold Watches |
| | Diamond Rings |
| | Cigaret Cases |
| | Gold Knives |
| | Match Holders |
| | Smoking Sets |
| | Safety Razors |
| | Belt Buckles |

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 Fresh Creamery Butter, 1 lb. prints 45c
 English Walnuts, pound 20c
 Mixed Nuts, pound 25c
 Banner Nut Margarine, pound 28c
 Lenox Soap, 10 bars 39c
 Fresh Bread, loaf 13c
 Sugar, 5 pounds at 45c
- FRESH FRUITS**
 Large California Oranges, 4 for 25c
 Large Florida Oranges, dozen 29c
 Large Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c
 Fancy King Apples, 3 pounds for 25c
 Cooking Apples, 10 pounds for 25c
- VEGETABLES**
 Fancy Head Lettuce, pound 30c
 Fancy Leaf Lettuce, pound 30c
 Large Green Peppers, each 10c
 Fancy Celery, 4 stalks for 25c
 Parsnips, pound 7c
 Turnips, pound 5c
 Carrots, pound 8c
 Onions, pound 3c
 Cabbage, pound 2c
 Cranberries, 2 quarts 35c
 Large white Potatoes, 10 lbs. 25c
- CANNED GOODS**
 Corn, Peas, Tomatoes, Milk, Armour Soups, Pork and Beans, your choice, per can 10c
 Campbell's Soups, 2 cans for 25c
 Campbell's Pork and Beans, can. 12c
- CANNED FRUITS**
 3 cans Peaches, Pineapples or Pears, for \$1.00
 One can of above for 39c
 Large can unpeeled Peaches 19c
 No. 2 Green Gage Plums, can 19c
- DRIED FRUITS**
 Prunes, per pound 15c
 Seeded or seedless Raisins, pound 35c
 Lemon or Orange Peels, pound 49c
 Citron, pound 72c
 Blue Ribbon Peaches, package 22c
 Currants, per package 22c
- MISCELLANEOUS**
 Japan Tea, pound 39c
 10 pounds Navy Beans 55c
 Rice, 3 pounds 25c
 Lima Beans, 2 pounds 25c
 Jiffy Jell, 2 packages 25c
 Lux, 2 packages for 25c

Meat Department
 Buy Here and Save
 Baby Beef Chuck Roast, any cut. 15c
 Baby Beef Sirloin Steak, pound 22c
 4 pound Neck Bones 25c
 Whole Pork Shoulders, pound 18c
 5 pounds Pure Leaf Lard, pound 17c
 Pure Lard, pound 21c
 Fresh Cut Hamburger, pound 12c
 Veal Roast, pound 22c
 Jowl Bacon, pound 20c
 2 pounds Fresh Brains 25c