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Out of the lands beyond the sea,  
Out of their gloom the shackled cry  
For liberty—for liberty!

Master of those who gained the fight,  
Guide of the hosts at El Caney;  
Friend of the flag that waved for right  
At dawn upon Manila Bay;  
Wherever souls are scourged as slaves,  
Wherever kings are tyrannous;  
Wherever States approach their graves,  
They look to us—they look to us!

God of the Israelites of old,  
Father of Him they crucified;  
Giver of mercies manifold,  
Hope of a nation balance-ried:  
If we shall point the upward way,  
If we shall lead, as seems they will;  
If we shall end the despot's sway,  
Thy guidance still—thy guidance still!

—Ralph M. Thomson.

**Civic League Meeting.**  
The Civic league will hold its regular meeting on Saturday afternoon, Oct. 24, at three o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. building. The routine business will be transacted and Mr. O. B. Towne will speak on "A Civic View of Keokuk." The talk will be by way of suggestion of activities within the range of the women's organization. Mrs. J. J. Ayres, the president, has been in Chicago the past week and visited some of the social centers and clubs and it is hoped that she will give the league some report from these larger clubs.

**Entertained Sunday School Class.**  
Miss Margaret Aldrich and Miss Minnie Bear entertained the members of their Sunday school class of little girls on Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the First Christian church. The children brought their gifts for the Christmas ship and spent the afternoon in games. Refreshments were served and the afternoon proved a very happy one.

**Alpha Trist Monday.**  
Mrs. T. J. McGrath will entertain the Alpha Trist club on Monday.

**Miss Fry's Recital.**  
On Friday evening Miss Clara Gertrude Fry's advanced class in piano gave a pupil's recital in the Y. W. C. A. auditorium which was attended by a large company of friends of the class and of music loving people of the city. With two exceptions the pupils who had part were from out of town. The work of every one of the young pianists showed confidence, musical appreciation, understanding and technique. These qualities are only attained by study—study of the theory and history of music and by analyzing each composition presented. Every one of the performers played with individuality and their work was of a high musical order for a pupil's recital. Miss Fry has an enviable reputation as a teacher as well as a piano soloist. Some of the leading pianists of Chicago in speaking of her teaching qualities have given her highest praise. Those who heard the program, on Friday evening saw the work of the teacher reflected in the pupils.

Following was the program:  
Two Pianos—  
Rendino, Op. 162, No. 2.....Schultz  
Daisy Hosford, Miss Fry.  
Prelude, A major.....Chopin  
At an Old Trysting Place.....MacDowell  
To a Wild Rose.....MacDowell  
Mahala Soavern.

Two Pianos—  
Andante und Variationen.....Schumann  
Clara Reed, Miss Fry.  
Valse—Spring Voices.....Strauss  
Sextette from Lucia (for left hand).....Leschetzky  
Shepherd's Dance.....Logan  
Fay Cueden.  
Rondo Capriccioso.....Mendelssohn  
Clara Reed.

On the Lake.....Williams  
Goodnight, from A Day in Venice  
.....Nevin  
Daisy Hosford.

Two Pianos—  
Turkish March from Sonata for Pianoforte in A major.....Mozart  
Marshall Fulton, Miss Fry.  
Barcolle.....Nevin  
Hunting Song.....Mendelssohn  
Coral Meador.  
Etude, Op. 25, No. 3.....Chopin  
Clemence Dadant.

Minuet in G major.....Beethoven  
Spring Song.....Merke.  
Pizzicati, Scherzettino "Sylvia"  
Ballet.....Delibes  
Marshall Fulton.  
Concerto, G minor.....Mendelssohn  
Molto Allegro e vivace.  
Clemence Dadant, Miss Fry.

**Monday Music Club.**  
The Monday Music club will meet this week in the Y. W. C. A. auditorium, the program to begin promptly at 8 o'clock. The program to be presented will be:

Instrumental Trio.....Hayden  
Mrs. O. B. Towne, violin.  
Dr. J. W. Marsh, cello.  
Miss Mae Whetstone, piano.  
Song Cycle.....Alexander Matthew  
Miss Louise Klein.

Violin—  
(a) First movement from Surprise Symphony by Hayden.  
(b) Serenade by Franz Dradla.  
Mrs. Ella Marder.

Piano—  
(a) Sonata Pathetique.....Beethoven  
(b) Spinning Song.....Mendelssohn  
Miss Bell.

Vocal Solo.....Selected  
Miss Olivia Giller, Warsaw.  
Instrumental Trio Cavatina.....Raff  
Violin—Mrs. Towne.  
Cello—Dr. Marsh.  
Piano—Miss Whetstone.

**Berean Class Entertained.**  
The Berean Bible class of the Westminster Presbyterian church was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James McCahan, who was assisted by Mrs. W. S. Montgomery. Twenty members of the class were present. Miss Bertha R. Craig spoke of the garden city plan, which has been worked out in some English cities and which is being advocated in this country in city planning. The English garden city provides for a grass plot and gardens both flowers and vegetables, thus eliminating in so far as possible apartment houses and tenement districts. Following the program, refreshments were served and an hour spent socially. The November meeting of the class will mark the close of the first year's work of this class which has been a very successful organization. The November meeting will be the annual meeting for the election of officers.

**Pretty Birthday Surprise.**  
The members of the M. L. club gave Mrs. Theodore Moll of 526 South Fifth street a very happy surprise yesterday afternoon. The ladies went to her home with well filled baskets and in the evening enjoyed a supper together. A large birthday cake graced the center of the table. Each club member took Mrs. Moll a gift as a reminder of the happy occasion.

**W. R. C. to Entertain.**  
The members of the local organization of the Woman's Relief Corps will entertain their friends on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elmer



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**Entertains for Mrs. Kilbourne.**  
Mrs. Geo. E. Rix entertained twenty ladies on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock in honor of Mrs. Louise Kilbourne of St. Joseph, Mich. The guests were for the greater part long time friends of Mrs. Kilbourne. At 5:00 o'clock a beautifully appointed luncheon was served, the guests seated at small tables. The house was decorated in baskets and jars of dark red dahlias and zinnias in many beautiful shades. The afternoon was one of special pleasure to the guests in meeting again Mrs. Kilbourne who was a Keokuk resident years ago.

**Couple Wed Here.**  
On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, the Rev. F. B. McAllister of the First Baptist church officiating, occurred the marriage of Miss Lillie M. Gray, of Good Hope, Ill., and Mr. George Clarence Canfield of Walnut Grove, Ill. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hemenway, 405 South Sixth street, an aunt and uncle of the bride. The young people are well and favorably known in the community in which they reside. They will make their home at Good Hope.

**To Attend Convention.**  
The first district convention of the Degree of Honor will be held this week in Burlington. Mrs. Ufa Buss, Mrs. Bethel Tweedy and Mrs. O. D. McMains will attend the convention as delegates. About twenty visitors will go as visitors from the local lodge.

**Hostess to P. E. O.**  
Mrs. H. E. Ratcliff and Mrs. R. I. Reid will be hostesses to the P. E. O. chapter on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ratcliff. Mrs. Moore will give a history of the life of Wagner. A program of selections from Wagner's operas will be given on the victrola.

**W. C. T. U. Meeting.**  
The W. C. T. U. will hold a parlor meeting on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. T. A. Wilson, 216 South Thirteenth. An informal program will be given by the members, to be followed by a social hour.

**To Entertain on Thursday.**  
Mrs. E. G. Summers and Miss Weaver will entertain on Thursday afternoon at a bridge tea.

**Auxiliaries to Meet.**  
St. Andrew's Woman's Auxiliary and the junior auxiliary will meet on Wednesday afternoon in the parish room.

**Missionary Society Meeting.**  
On Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the chapel of the First Westminster church will be held the regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary society. The study of missions in Africa will be the topic with Mrs. Wm. A. Loeffler as leader. Assisting on the program will be Mrs. H. J. Bonham, Mrs. W. S. Montgomery, Mrs. B. C. Kellogg and Mrs. A. J. Leake. A special feature of the program will be a solo, "The Resurrection," by Mrs. D. J. Glascoff, with piano accompaniment by Miss Baldwin.

**To Entertain Auxiliary.**  
Mrs. Geo. E. Rix and Mrs. Collingwood Tucker will entertain the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's church on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rix. The topic for the day is "Mission Work Among the American Indians." Miss Smith will speak of the North American Indians and Mrs. Edgar Cochran will speak of the tribes found in Alaska.

**Are Occupying New Home.**  
Mrs. Clara Perdue-Sheldon and family have moved into their new home, "Kinderhook," which was built on the site of the former homestead at Fourteenth and Fulton streets. The name "Kinderhook" is from the old family home in Maryland.

**Entertained at Dinner.**  
Mrs. J. O. Boyd entertained a small company at dinner last evening at her home, 307 Franklin street. The Rev. and Mrs. E. B. Newcomb, Rev. and Mrs. Wm. M. Baker and Rev. and Mrs. H. B. McElree were the guests.

**Eagles Auxiliary Banquet.**  
The auxiliary of the Eagles will enjoy a banquet on Monday evening, October 19, at the Eagle's hall. The banquet will be for the members of the auxiliary, only.

**Guest of Mrs. Majors.**  
Mrs. E. M. Majors spent last week in St. Louis, and on her return Saturday was accompanied by her cousin, Miss Frances Green who will visit here.

**Ruthless Class Meeting.**  
Mrs. W. R. Smith, 1128 Times street, will entertain the Ruthless Bible class of the Trinity M. E. church on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Lowery, Mrs. W. O. Francis and Mrs. Pool will assist as hostesses.

**Whist Club to Meet.**  
The League Whist club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Ralph Brownell Tuesday afternoon.

**Brotherhood on Friday.**  
Next Friday evening the Westminster Brotherhood will have a supper

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and social at the chapel. Several of the city pastors will speak, after supper, on "Some Unusual Ministerial Experiences." The ladies of the Sewing society will serve the supper at 6:30 o'clock.

**Hallowe'en Party Planned.**  
The Daughters of the King of which Miss Lillian Perkins is director will give a Hallowe'en party on the evening of Oct. 30 for the young people of St. John's church.

**Valley M. E. Society.**  
Mrs. J. H. Howell will entertain the Valley M. E. Aid society on Wednesday afternoon at her home on the Hilton road.

**Woman's Whist League.**  
Mrs. Ralph Brownell will entertain the Woman's Whist league on Tuesday afternoon at its first meeting of the club year.

**Birthday Party.**  
Little Miss Hulda Marie Todd celebrated her eighth birthday anniversary

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