

# Society News

By Gertrude P. Corbett

MUCH interest is being taken in the large musical given tomorrow afternoon at her home, 608 East Taylor street, for the benefit of the British Red Cross Society. The calling hours are from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock, and the hostess hopes that all persons interested will call and take advantage of this opportunity to hear some excellent music.

Miss Dagmar Korell will entertain this afternoon in compliment to Miss Minnie Cohn, whose engagement to Clarence Pritchett Morse has just been announced, and Mrs. Eugene Bland (Ida Shea), a recent bride. Seven tables will be arranged for auction bridges. The guest list will include the intimate friends of Miss Cohn and Mrs. Bland. Tea will follow the diversion of the afternoon.

Mrs. J. Coulson Hare and Mrs. William Hare will dispense hospitality on Saturday afternoon at the home of the former. Bridge will be enjoyed by a coterie of their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Boss entertained on Saturday at a delightful evening at cards. Prizes for highest scores at bridge were won by Mrs. Frank Crillis and H. B. Adams. During the evening Lucien E. Becker played several of his own compositions and a number of additional selections. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burtrager, Mr. and Mrs. Lucien E. Becker, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Womersley, and Mrs. Edmund Gaze, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Closset, Mr. and Mrs. George Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Banfield, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Jellison, Mr. and Mrs. George Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Closset, Mr. and Mrs. William M. Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Waring, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Blasing, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Root, Mrs. Nina Larowem, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCrillis.

Miss Getta Wasserman left Sunday evening for New York, where she will probably pass the greater portion of the winter.

Mrs. Norman Shaw and small son, of Berkeley, who have been visiting the former's mother in this city for several weeks, left last night accompanied by her sister, Miss Dolce Mansfield, for her home in California.

Mrs. Ira Powers, who has recently returned from an extended trip of European countries, entertained with a charming luncheon at her home in the attractive Riverside home in honor of Mrs. W. J. Long, of Aberdeen, Wash. After luncheon the guests played several rubbers of bridge. Covers were laid at a table decked with an artistic basket of violets, white Alpine violets, and Lady Huntington rosebuds, for Mrs. Long, Mrs. William Unshelock, Mrs. J. F. Larson, Mrs. Samuel Archer, Mrs. J. H. Fenner, Mrs. Abraham Tichner and the hostess.

A special meeting of the Drama League will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) evening in the Trolley room of Hotel Benson, when Professor Cushing, of Reed College, will give a reading, "Lovers' First Play," by Bernard Shaw. The drama is for league members only and promises to be a most interesting one.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burt McKeown celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary at their home on Clackamas street recently by giving a delightful bridge party. The rooms were decorated prettily with chrysanthemums and common hard flowers fell to Mrs. Franklin Smith, Mrs. William B. Ballis Allen and Eden C. Griffin. Seven tables were arranged for the games.

An event that many prominent matrons are keenly interested in is the large bridge tea for which Mrs. R. P. Graham and Mrs. Morrison Brown will be hostesses tomorrow afternoon at Hotel Portland.

On Saturday evening the Washington High School Camera Club gave its annual masquerade party in the High School gymnasium. Dancing was the big feature of the evening, but there was plenty of other entertainment for the guests. William Bradley, in the costume of a count, made clever impersonations. Miss Helen Hodson and John Lee gave a pantomime of the balcony scene in "Romeo and Juliet," which produced much laughter. Alma Sharp also gave two charming recitations.

Ray Staub acted as auctioneer and sold a large number of boxes of home-made candy. Miss Merie Vial won first prize for the most original costume of a Chinese maid.

Refreshments were served. The committee, consisting of Helen Stoddard, John Lee and Marian Stephenson, worked hard for the success of the party. There were over 100 members and their friends present, including the officers of the club, who are Biddle Combs, Harry Pearce, Dorothy Morrow, Harry Clark, Raymond Lucas and Frank Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reed entertained in honor of Miss Margaret Pomeroy on Friday evening, at the Wayne Apartments. A pantomime, "The Embarrassment of Lovelace," was given. It was a library party, everyone was garbed to represent a book.

A cafeteria supper was served. Those present were: Misses Marlon Cummins, Rebecca of Sunny Brook; Gertrude Joyce, Adam Bede; Hildreth Humason, The Lady of the Shalott; Neva Patterson, Oliver Twist; Lena Searing, Alice of Old Vincennes; Helen Melver, The Jungle; Rose Herminhouse, Rose in Bloom; Dorothy Schaeckner, Five Little Peppers; Marie Strobel, The Light That Failed; Emily Otis, Inside the Cup; Bertha Hilly, Set in Silver; Margaret Pomeroy, Jewel; Audrey Ohmart, Lavender and Old Lace; James Parker, Bow of Orange Ribbon; Riley Mendor, The Clean Heart; Herrard Hays, Five Times; Junius Ohmart, Nicholas Nickleby; Lee Baumhofer, 54-40 or Fight; Elisha Wernham, Iron Wreath; Lassar Rauch, Smoke Below; Wernham, Seven Days; Herschel Nunn, Vanity Fair; Richard Mulford, Old Fashioned Gift; Albert Egan, The Man in Lower Ten; Allen Fraser, Checkers; Wilbur Alon, Miscellaneous Writings.

Miss Gertrude Joyce won the prize for guessing the greatest number of "costumes."

**Women's Clubs**  
By Edith Knight Holmes

THE public health department work of the general federation has been divided so that to various members of the committee are assigned certain groups of states. Dr. Mary MacLachlan, of this city, has received jurisdiction of the work in Oregon, Arizona, California and Nevada. As the plans now stand, the members at large will establish close personal relations with the public health chairman in their separate groups, endeavoring to learn

## PROMINENT EUGENE MATRON WHO IS VISITING FRIENDS IN PORTLAND.



Mrs. G. R. Crisman, of Eugene, Or.

the local conditions they have to confront. They will establish close cooperation between the state and the national federations. The care of mothers and new-born babies will be one of the most important subjects that will be investigated by the women of all parts of the country.

The Bancroft Heights Circle of the Portland Psychology Club will meet on Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. G. G. Mair, 939 First street.

Mrs. G. L. Brown and Mrs. E. F. Hitchcock entertained a large number of members and guests of Willamette Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, on Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Hitchcock, in Irvington.

Mrs. John H. Bagley, regent, presided at the short business session. Mark Daniels, accompanied by Miss M. Wiggins, gave several solos. Mrs. S. L. Laughlin gave a dramatic reading, "Miss Laura." Shay contributed dainty courses. Tea was served by Mrs. Arthur Brown, Mrs. Wilbur Reed, Miss Zola Hitchcock and the hostesses.

The Women's Auxiliary to the German Red Cross Society will meet this afternoon in Deutsches Haus. The members are busy preparing for their annual bazaar early in December. Useful and fancy articles, dolls, delicious and excellent programmes will make the affair attractive.

The recent meeting of the Hillsboro Parent-Teacher Association which was held in the assembly hall of the high school, was presided over by the president, Mrs. W. H. Barnes, who gave an interesting report of the Mothers' Congress. Mrs. W. J. Hawkins gave an address on the general work of the associations. Dr. Leon Hyde sang a solo. He was accompanied by Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Michele sang, "I Hear You Calling Me." Her accompanist was Mrs. T. H. Tongue, Jr. A Civil Service committee was appointed consisting of Mrs. W. Mahon, Superintendent McKay and Mrs. C. E. Ly.

A special meeting of the Portland Parent-Teacher Associations will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock in room E, Library. Business of importance will be brought before the members.

Mr. Harry E. Chipman will entertain the Tuesday Afternoon Club today.

The Women's Political Science Club will hold a business meeting this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in room H, Library.

Miss Bertha Moores will entertain the members of the Cornette Club this afternoon. "What Clubwomen Have Done for Oregon" will be the subject of a paper by Miss Mildred Simpson. Mrs. Winifred Lee, Mrs. Lee Killingsworth and others will take part in making "Oregon day" noteworthy.

The Shakespeare department of the Portland Woman's Club will meet in the Women of Woodcraft Hall at 2 o'clock this afternoon. "Richard III," Act II, will be studied.

**FASHION NOTES**

DAME FASHION changes her decrees so often that it makes the heads of mortals fairly whirl.

Already she has begun to select her Spring apparel, and hints of it have begun to invade the Portland shops.

Among the newest things here is the cross-stitch ribbon, a French importation which is marvellously beautiful, and not a little expensive. The ribbons will be used for girdles this Spring, according to the buyers in the shops. They look much like ancient Egyptian handkerchiefs, and are being imported in large quantities from France and England and Germany have risen proportionately.

Veils ordered from Malines in Belgium previous to the war have not arrived and probably will not, in the opinion of the buyers in local shops.

English handkerchiefs are being exploited. Soft mercerized ones with tape borders in colors and white are being shown.

Other handkerchiefs from abroad, chiefly from Switzerland, are being

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**DORIS BLAKE'S ADVICE.**

**Feminine Influence.**

DEAR MISS BLAKE: A lively argument arose last night at our club meeting over a woman's influence over man. No conclusion was arrived at, but I was commissioned to write to Doris Blake and get her view on the subject. The point of the argument was that if woman wields an influence over man in everything, then in the last analysis the responsibility of evil rests with woman.

LELEN B.

No one who knows anything of the world and of human nature will doubt the fact that women wield a tremendous influence over men.

Ever since Eve offered the apple to Adam in the Garden of Eden feminine influence has been felt right down the ages. And there is no doubt about it that the power that woman possesses can be used mightily for good or evil.

It has been said that in all circumstances woman has the privilege of saying "no." It seems rather a shame to lay the responsibility of things on the weaker shoulders, but there is no disputing the fact that in most cases the final decision "for or against" lies with the feminine member of the community.

For men are extraordinarily easily influenced this way or that. With most of them life is a habit, and it may be a good or bad habit, according to the woman who has the greatest influence in their lives.

I don't say the influence is always that of a wife—although, of course, as it should be, this is the most powerful influence in a man's life—but it may just as easily rest with other feminine members of the family to direct him in the way he should go.

Yet it must be an influence that is disguised. No man likes to be pushed;

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