

Society News

By Gertrude P. Corbett

CALENDAR FOR TODAY.

Professor Josephine Hammond, to read "Everywoman's Road," White Temple tonight.
Artists' chorus, concert, ballroom, Hotel Multnomah, tonight.
Tuesday Afternoon Club with Mrs. W. H. Randall, 1025 East Twenty-third street, north.
Dramatic department, Shakespeare Club, with Miss Alleen Brong, Mount Tabor.
Women's Political Science Club this afternoon, library.
Kerns Parent-Teacher Association this afternoon.
Shattuck Parent-Teacher Association this afternoon.

TWO OF THE PATRONESSES FOR TROOP A BALL ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON.



Bushnell, Photo. Mrs. William MacMaster.

Grove, Photo. Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett last night about 40 of the young set were entertained with a delightfully informal dance. Mr. and Mrs. Corbett have frequently entertained with similar affairs during the winter and practically introduced the one-step in Portland.

Proceeding the dance, Major and Mrs. Adrian S. Fleming, of the Barracks, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corbett for dinner.

The banner hockey match of the series will call forth a large and enthusiastic assemblage of Portland folk this evening at the ice Hippodrome. Practically all the seats have been reserved, the big field will, of course, be girdled with well-lighted parties, and many fine parties will occupy the last row, so that they may stand up and give vent to their excitement and enthusiasm.

In addition to the list already published those who will watch this evening's thrilling game include: Mrs. Helen E. Ayer, Calvin Hellig, F. Dundee, Miss Rhoda Rumelin, Mrs. G. B. Storey, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Huber, Misses Winifred and Elizabeth Huber, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Breyman, Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Whitehouse, Mrs. F. G. Burdum, Mrs. Alice Benson-Beach, W. J. Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. Chester G. Mur-Clay, Mrs. Charles Whitley, Mrs. James A. Dougherty, Miss Margaret Ayer, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Ayer, Frederick Peters, H. W. Stevens, William C. Bristol, V. E. Eastman, B. D. Stewart, H. A. Wells, Thomas Luke, W. G. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd Ellis, C. H. Fox, George E. Dorcas, V. J. Carlson.

Ladies' Auxiliary of Clan Macleay, No. 122, O. S. C., will give a social concert and dance at the Knights of Pythias Hall on the evening of February 19, at 8 o'clock. The proceeds of the affair will be used to buy food to knit articles for the British Legation. Everyone interested is invited to attend. Tickets may be secured from members of the auxiliary.

Mrs. J. F. Davis and Mrs. Miles Bell left Saturday for San Francisco, where they will take the steamship Great Northern for Honolulu. Before leaving home they will visit San Diego, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

The many friends of the La Hoa Club will note that the pre-Lenten dance given at the Hibernia Hall will be as announced a Valentine masquerade. The committee in charge, Misses Kathleen Gaffney, Molly McCarthy, Mary Lawler, Ella Sullivan, Anna Donovan, Henrietta Washer and Marie Chambers, are planning to make this the success of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Worrill, of Portland, are in New York at the Hotel Astor for a visit a few weeks. Also at the Hotel Astor this week from Portland was James T. Barron.

The ladies of the Altar Society of St. Lawrence Parish are planning a "500" party and musical to be given in the assembly hall today. A cordial invitation is extended to all and refreshments will be served. Miss Margaret Grace will render a whistling solo.

A charming luncheon at University Club on Saturday was given by the Chi Beta Phi fraternity in honor of Miss Lois Scott, finance of the Winter Summer luncheon. The luncheon will take place next month. Two Chi Beta Phi recently from Colorado were also present for the luncheon. The guests were Misses Karen Sassen, Margaret Aune, Marion James, Florence Stouffer, Hoize Williams, Florence Davis, Onima Garbade, Lucille Howell.

Mrs. Willis Maguire left Portland last Sunday evening for New York City and Boston via California, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Iran C. Burke. Mrs. Maguire expects to be gone three months.

Kappa Kappa Gamma fraternity will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. Orlando Davidson, 327 East Nineteenth street, north, Friday afternoon of this week. The Kappas who have not affiliated with the local association are especially urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Black are being congratulated on the arrival of a son, born at noon, February 15. The baby will be named Charles George Black. Mrs. Black was formerly Miss Florence Kohn.

The Fraternity Club is planning a series of dances for the next few weeks on Saturday night at their rooms, Russell and Williams avenues. The first of these affairs was held Saturday night, and was a big success. A. W. Miller and N. Wilson are in charge.

Women's Clubs

By Edith Knight Holmes

Anticipated event of importance is the State Federation Council luncheon, which will be held on Saturday in the crystal dining-room of the Hotel Benson. These luncheons are the means of bringing together the prominent clubwomen of various federated organizations, and after the luncheon there is always some helpful discussion. Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, president of the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs, will preside. The luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock. All who wish to make reservations may notify Mrs. J. W. Tift or Mrs. C. N. Rankin. At 11 o'clock Saturday morning, a meeting of the finance committee will be held in the Benson. Mrs. G. J. Frankel, chairman, requests all club presidents to attend.

ment, three years ago, when she returned to the Dalles. She will be assisted by Portland artists—Mrs. Myron Ross, soloist, and Miss Boone, pianist.

Albina W. C. T. U. will give a reception to the Parent-Teacher Association and teachers of the Shaver school at the home of Mrs. H. Hansen, 577 Kerny street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Richmond Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet today at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. C. C. Gault, 541 East Thirty-first street. Frances Willard Memorial day will be observed. All who are interested are invited.

The Women's Political Science Club will meet today in the library, C. W. Barzee will speak at 3 o'clock. "Post-Election Reflections" will be the topic.

Mrs. Bertha Taylor Voorhorst has returned from a trip to Salem and nearby towns, where she made several addresses on the woman's movement that is attracting so much attention at present. Some of the women's clubs are leading in clean-up campaigns in the valley towns. In Salem Mrs. Voorhorst was the guest of the Women's Club. Next week she will go to Dallas, Independence and Monmouth to make addresses.

The well-balanced and most interesting programme for the concert of the Monday Musical Club "Artists" tonight at the Multnomah Hotel ballroom cannot fail to be a popular attraction. All the world loves good singing, and when that is reinforced by such fine accompaniments as Mrs. Warren E. Thomas always gives, the listener is happy. With W. H. Boyer as conductor, 50 well-trained women's voices in the chorus and Mrs. Irene Burns Abbott, Mrs. Delphine Marx and Don J. Zan and other soloists in a programme of rare treat may well be anticipated. In the scene from Puccini's "Madame Butterfly," Mrs. Eva Wells Abbott, coloratura soprano, will sing the incidental solo.

A recent event of interest in clubdom was the meeting of the Eugenic Club last week in the home of Mrs. Ida Graham. The rooms were a Spring-time bower of blossom and ferns. Mrs. Fannie McCourt gave an interesting address. Mrs. Charles O'Neal gave a reading and John Albert Schaff contributed violin solos.

A dainty repast was served at the close of the programme. The club was organized for young mothers, who meet frequently to study child welfare work, feeding and clothing the babies and home influence have been features of the study course.

Miss Josephine Hammond will read

GIRL, JUST ENGAGED, IS RECEPTION GUEST.



Miss Sarah Spellman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Spellman, whose engagement to William Dubiver has just been announced, was honored Sunday afternoon with a reception at the home of her parents.

her play, "Everywoman's Road," tonight in the White Temple for the benefit of the Child Welfare fund of the Oregon Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations.

The Arts and Crafts Society members and their friends will enjoy another delightful lecture on "Old English Furniture." This, the second of the series, will take place on Thursday afternoon in the library. Miss Bertha Stuart will give the lecture which was arranged by Mrs. W. H. Holmes, of the American Federation of Artists of Washington, D. C. The subject will be "Chippendale." All who are interested in house-furnishing, in history of art or who are planning to build a new home are invited to take advantage of the hostess, Election Reflections" will be the topic.

THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TONIGHT

By Mrs. F. A. Walker

The Three Sisters.
Hans and Gretchen were sitting beside the fireplace one very cold night watching their last stick of wood burn.

"What shall we do but freeze?" said Hans, "now that our last stick is almost gone, there is no one to help us, and we are too old to go out to work."

"We shall be cared for," replied Gretchen, "I feel sure of that. Some one is knocking at the door," she said.

"Good evening," said a cheery voice, and a girl dressed in white came into the room. Her dress looked like the snow, all sparkling with little crystals and her hair fell over her shoulders like spun gold.

She hurried to the fireplace and touched the dying fire with a bright staff she carried in her hand. The fire blazed and warmed the room. Then she touched with the same staff the woodbox that stood beside the fireplace and it was filled with wood.

"Next she went to the closet and filled all the shelves with food and when she started toward the door the house was comfortable and there was food enough to last some time.

"Do try to look on the bright side," replied Gretchen, "I hope the sun will come out soon, and then you will see we shall have plenty and to spare this winter."

"I am the fairy of faith," was the reply. "You will do well to profit by the example Gretchen set you, and have a little more faith," and with these words she went and closed the door.

"This is all very well," said Hans the next day when he and Gretchen were sitting by the fire after a good dinner, "but where shall we get more when this is gone? The winter will soon be over now," said Gretchen, "and the summer will not be so hard for poor folks."

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enough for their need and plenty of wood to keep them warm.

One day, when the snow was on the ground, and it was very cold, Gretchen said, "Don't you think we ought to give some of our wood and vegetables to the poor family at the end of the road?"

"No," replied Hans. "Why should we give away that which we have worked to get? Besides that, that lazy fellow should have worked and got (Hans) ahead for the winter. He is a lazy good-for-nothing. Now let him starve."

When they were at supper that night, a knock came upon the door, and Hans went to see who it was. It was a girl dressed in gray entered and closed the door, for Hans had backed into the corner of the room, her eyes were looking at him in such a mournful way.

"Who are you?" he asked at last. "I am the Fairy of Charity," the girl replied, "and I have come to ask you why you refuse to help the poor man who is your neighbor, and less for charity in your heart. Gretchen is the one who has brought all your good fortune to you. Be charitable to those who do not know how to help them, and give from out your plentiful store to those who have less."

"I am the last of the above, sisters, you will live a sorrowful and unloved old age. Be warned in time, and remember the fairy sisters who have visited you in the past. Hope and Charity—I am the last, and the greatest to be desired." And she disappeared into the night as her sisters had done.

Hans came out of his corner when she had gone. "You'd better fill a basket," he said, "and I will take it in the morning to the poor family at the end of the road." (Copyright, 1915, by the McClure Newspaper Syndicate, New York City.)

WOMEN DRAFT NEW LAW

MEASURE IS AIMED TO ABOLISH DOWERS OF WIDOWS.

Courtesy Rights Also Supplanted System for Definite Share of Husband's Prosperity.

A bill to abolish the dower and courtesy rights of widows and provide them by law with a definite share of the husband's property has been prepared by a number of local women's organizations and will be submitted to the Legislature.

The bill provides that the widow or widower shall have the use of the entire homestead of the dead person. The children, however, hold the title to the homestead, according to the provisions of the proposed law.

Other real property, according to the provisions of the bill, shall be divided as follows: One-third to the widow or widower; the remainder, or the whole if both parents be dead, to the children in equal shares. If there be no children, the bill provides that the widow or widower shall inherit the estate, and that their parents shall be next in the line of inheritance, and with brothers and sisters second. Further provisions are made as to dividing the real and personal property.

In regard to the personal property, the proposed act bestows all the wearing apparel of the husband and his widow, and all the furniture, and the choice of other personal property.

"OUCH! PAIN, PAIN! RUB RHEUMATIC, ACHING JOINTS"

In the same amount, besides any allowances that the husband may make in his will. If there is no widow surviving, the same allowances shall be made to the children.

Another section provides that the widow and her children shall have such reasonable allowance out of the personal estate as the probate court deems necessary for their maintenance during the settlement of the estate. The settlement, in case of an insolvent estate, must be in within one year, the bill provides.

The bill provides that, after making the allowances named for the women and children, the whole estate shall be given to the family of the deceased unless the residue amounts to more than \$150, but that if it amounts to more it shall be applied to the payment of the husband's debts, after the funeral charges and expenses of administration have been paid.

ROSE PLANS LAID TODAY

City Beautiful Committee Meets to Inspire Planting of Bushes.

Plans for such an observance of Rose Planting Day next Monday as Portland has never before seen, are being worked out, and J. L. Meler, chairman of the City Beautiful Committee, which is leading in the movement, will call his committee together today to formulate and issue a final set of plans for the observance.

The Rose Festival Committee is still checking up on the results of the rose sale of last week, and it appears that the 31,000 bushes have been taken.

Schools and school children will participate with especial prominence in the observance.

Paintings to Be Exhibited.

G. W. Cronyn, author, poet and painter, who recently came from his ranch at Hood River, to make his home in Portland, will hold an exhibition of his paintings this week at 342 Washington street, Morgan building. The pictures include views of the Columbia

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NEW GAS TANK DONE SOON

Stockholders Hear Reports and Name Board of Directors.

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The statement was made by the president that the net average price of gas to the consumer has been growing less each year since 1912. He showed that the net average price of gas in 1912 was \$15.19, in 1913, \$14.19, in 1914, \$13.19 and in 1915 was \$12.00, and that they had gradually increased to \$100,000 in 1914.

It was reported that the new 2,000,000 cubic foot gas holder, erected at Clinton and East Division streets, will be ready for operation about March 1. It was erected at an expense of about

Baby's Happiness Depends on Health

Cross, fretful babies usually need a laxative to make them comfortable, and comfort begets happiness. Constipation is the cause of much discontent. Mothers should watch closely the condition of their children's bowels and see that they are regular.

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Disturbed: A great many women have the same trouble with face powder that you have. It lies upon the skin and is easily noticeable. For this reason, I never use powder. Instead, I dissolve a ounce of aprinax (from any drug store) in either 1/2 pint hot water, or which, hazel and add 2 teaspoonfuls glycerine. The skin takes to this lotion naturally and absorbs it so that only one application a day is necessary. Rub gently when applying it to the face, neck and arms, and do not use more than enough to cover nicely. You will find that this lotion not only whitens, but it overcomes dizziness, pimples and other little annoyances.

Worried: Wrinkles are the arch destroyers of woman's beauty. However, science has revealed a remedy. It is no longer necessary for women to endure these unsightly ravages of time. The remedy is the only way. You can make it at home at little expense. Ask your druggist for one ounce aprinax, dissolve it in 1/2 pint cold water, then add 2 teaspoonfuls of glycerine. Regular use of this preparation will eradicate your wrinkles, tone up your flesh, and make you look surprisingly young again.