

Society News

By Gertrude P. Corbett

SOCIETY folk are too busy planning affairs for Easter week to indulge in social activity at present. Golf, riding, motoring and long walks are about the only diversion afforded, with a stop for luncheon or tea at a country club.

Clever and interesting Miss Lina Abarbanell charmed the coterie of women who gathered at the Orpheum yesterday. Miss Abarbanell is a diminutive bundle of vivacity, with infinite charm and individuality. She told the women who sat about comfortably stippling tea of the life of a singer in Europe; how they begin studying not before 17 or 18 years of age, and have to play dramatic parts, sing in grand opera and light opera, all in the same week frequently, and generally end their repertoire by playing super in some production.

This busy and serious little woman positively declined a perfectly good invitation to motor about Portland's lovely scenic drives for the good reason that she must walk an hour a day, rest between the matinee and night performances and retire promptly after the show at night.

She never accepts invitations to grills or cafes, never drinks or drinks, her voice being her first consideration. Miss Abarbanell even avoids the excessive use of sweets and rolls all her play time into the summer months, when the theatre is closed.

Mrs. Jessie M. Shaw, of Denver, Colo., and Kathryn Gunnell, returned yesterday on the Great Northern from California, where they have been attending the fair and visiting friends. While at San Francisco they visited the justly famous New York city, who are sojourning in California. Mrs. Shaw is president of the Colorado Post Graduate School of Dentistry, located in Denver.

M. Merwin, postmaster of Independence, Or., who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Isaac Vanduy, of this city, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess C. Hess are receiving congratulations from their many friends on the arrival of a son Tuesday. Mrs. Hess was formerly Miss Lavens Madden.

Among the recent arrivals at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition from Oregon are the following: E. P. McCormick, Salem; Louis Simpson, Coos Bay; W. Lair Thompson, president of the Senate; D. A. Lancaster, Portland; Binger Hermann, Southern Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. H. Pfister, Portland; R. K. Page, Seaside; F. Smith, Tillamook; Mrs. A. H. Farrar, Salem; Mrs. C. Louis Meade and family, Portland; John Coleman, Portland; Mrs. C. E. Olcott, Portland.

The engagement of Miss Eileen Lemon to Roy Kidd, both of this city, has been announced for a special programme. The charming daughter of John Lemon, a well-known artist of San Francisco, Cal. Mr. Kidd is well known here, being for years connected with the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. The wedding will take place in June.

The Brooklyn School Alumni Association will hold their next meeting in the school assembly hall Friday evening, April 2, at 8 P. M. The committee has arranged for a vocal and instrumental programme. The last meeting to make the Brooklyn school alumni one of the strongest associations in the city. The next meeting will be held on Easter, urges all members to be present.

On Easter Monday evening at 8 o'clock an interesting lecture will be given by an eminent lecturer, Mrs. Julia Henshaw, F. R. S. S., for the benefit of the British Red Cross Society and the Prince of Wales fund. The lecture will be illustrated with charming views, the subject to be "Ramblings to the Rocky Mountains," and will be given in the Sunday school room of the First Presbyterian Church. There will be no admission, but a free-will offering will be taken.

Many prominent British women and men are working to make the event a success, and it is hoped all interested in the work of the societies will attend.

The New England Society will meet tonight in room 507 Tilton building at 8 o'clock. Clement B. Shaw will entertain the society with a vocal and instrumental programme. All former residents of the New England states and their families are invited.

Miss Virginia Drake, who is visiting here from Seaside, is being entertained at numerous informal affairs. Miss Drake is assisted by a writer of verse with her mother, Mrs. F. V. Drake, who is visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Francis Drake.

Members of the Interscholar Boating Party have decided upon April 24 for the formal opening.

Mrs. William Slusher, of Pendleton, is in Portland to pass a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Frederick Gulick.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas Carr Avery, the former being Mayor of Stevenson, Wash., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sarah, to William Turner Stevens, of Tien-Tsin, China. The wedding will be in May. The bride-elect is popular socially and the function will be a brilliant event.

Klith and Julian Helbronner, of Butte, with Mrs. Adolph Helbronner, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Lawrence, 664 Flanders street.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Lawrence Red Cross Society will hold a card party and dance tonight at Deutsches Haus. A large number of members will assist in receiving.

CHARMING VISITOR WHO IS CLEVER WRITER OF VERSE.



Miss Virginia Drake

threatened with a feather, but they are none the less chic for that.

The elusive charm of the "Trench" hat is not to be denied. The brim in front and on one side is narrow, but the back and other side have height. Its only trimming is a bow of black velvet ribbon perched on the edge of the brim in front.

Another new shape, a casquette, is fetching. The top of it is lifted a little in front and curved slightly back, so that it produces an odd, cap-like silhouette. A black straw hat, fitting the head like a skullcap and trimmed with black and white ribbon, recently created many exclamations of delight from enthusiastic shoppers.

Large hats. Yes, a few. Their turn is yet to come.

programme at the Portland Graded Sunday School Union's meeting Friday afternoon at the Central Library building. Mrs. Meacham will teach an Easter lesson for juniors. An exhibit of devices and handwork to be used in connection with Easter lessons will be shown. The union meets every Friday afternoon at the Central Library, room 3, at 3 o'clock. The meeting is free.

Mrs. John F. Beaumont, retiring regent of the Oregon State Daughters of the American Revolution, will leave today for Seattle to attend the Washington state assembly, to be held in the New Washington Hotel March 26 and 27. Mrs. Beaumont will be the guest of the entertaining chapter, "The Rainier," and will stay at the home of Mrs. Edmund Bowden. There will be an 11 o'clock breakfast attended by the state officials and Mrs. Beaumont at the regent's home, Mrs. John F. Wagner, Friday. The meeting will be at 2 P. M. at the hotel. Friday evening there will be a reception in the ballroom of the hotel. Saturday there will be a meeting with luncheon at the hotel for all guests, and an auto ride at 4 P. M. to the University of Washington. After the Daughters of the American Revolution meeting Mrs. Beaumont will visit old friends in Seattle, returning to Portland Wednesday or Thursday.

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The regular luncheon of the P. E. O. Sisterhood of Portland will be held in the Olds, Wortman & King tearoom today at 12:30 o'clock. All visiting sisters are invited to join the local women at this gathering.

A surprise programme is anticipated at the Oregon City Woman's Club this afternoon.

The Bay View Study Club will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. D. M. Smith, 711 East Burnside street.

Women's Clubs

By Edith Knight Holmes

A COLLEGE woman's club will be formed as soon as some details of organization are settled, which will take about two weeks. This was the decision reached yesterday at the meeting of college women in the library.

The proposed constitution and bylaws were read and were ordered posted in the public libraries of the city, where all women interested may see them. Beids these proposed laws will be placed in the hands of the college women's organizations and be a power to coordinate all the college women's organizations and to assemble them in such a way that they will cooperate with the Association of Collegiate Alumnae, in no way interfering with its functions. As suggested at the meeting yesterday, the College Club would be an auxiliary to the Association of Alumnae and its members will have full privileges but would not, of course, vote on matters that concerned the National organization.

Mrs. Robert French spoke strongly favoring the newer plan and said that the large organization would amalgamate the college interests and be a power of strength and good in the community and that she hoped the club would be so formed that no woman would feel that she were in any way "an outsider."

As proposed in the constitution read, the qualification for membership in the club would be: "Any woman shall be eligible to the College Club who shall have satisfactorily completed at least one year toward the bachelor's degree in any of the colleges and universities appearing in classes I or II of the classification prepared by the United States Department of Education, or the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching, or who holds a degree or certificate of graduation from a professional school of law, medicine or pedagogy, which prescribes a course of at least three years. She must have been a resident of Portland for at least six months."

Mrs. J. C. Elliott King announced that at the meeting of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae on April 3, the matter of the amalgamation of college women's organizations would be discussed and a plan formulated to be presented at the meeting on April 7. It was decided to delay action so that the start might be made in a way that would serve the best interests of all.

The colleges and universities accredited now by the National Association of Collegiate Alumnae include: Barnard, Beloit, Boston, Woman's of Brown, Bryn Mawr, Universities of Iowa, Kansas, Knox, Lake Forest, Stanford, Lawrence, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Mount Holyoke, Universities of Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Northwestern, Oberlin, Ohio State, Radcliffe, Smith, Swarthmore, Vassar, Washington University of St. Louis, University of Washington, Wellesley, W. Missouri University and Wisconsin.

The College Club will admit a far larger list of colleges and institutions than has been formed on broader lines than the Minneapolis Club.

The Home Economic Association will meet at Washington High School April 1 at 8 o'clock. The domestic science department met with Miss Tingle last Saturday and enjoyed a delightfully interesting session.

Considerable interest centers in the coming election to be held in the Fort and Parent-Teacher Association. Mrs. Alva Lee Stephens is being urged by her friends to run for the presidency. As she has had wide experience and is capable her support promises to be strong. So far, however, she has declined to announce her candidacy.

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Y. W. C. A. Notes

THE needs of travelers' aid work was one of the principal topics at this week's meeting of the board of the Young Women's Christian Association. This year will, it is predicted, be the busiest in the work of the department. Already a large amount of good has been done by the tireless workers who are stationed at the various depots.

As so many girls travel alone, these find that their services and interest are needed continually. To answer hurry-up calls there should be another secretary, as the hands of the work are full. Last month 633 persons received special attention. There were 66 children traveling alone who had to be cared for. They represented all ages from tiny toddlers to young people of 17 or 18.

Mrs. Frederick Strong, chairman of the travelers' aid work, and her assistants and workers find the demands on the department growing rapidly, and yet the heavy travel to the fair is only partly under way. Some of the workers are taking a vacation and rest now to prepare them for the rush which will come soon.

The house department of the association plans to use every bit of available space to accommodate visitors this season. Mrs. F. M. Warren is chairman of this committee.

The North Portland branch of the association, Mrs. R. W. Lewis, chairman, is doing excellent work.

The local secretaries are interested in the recent election of Mrs. Robert Spier to the National presidency. Miss Lina E. James, general secretary of the Portland association, says that Mrs. Spier will make an ideal leader.

A large number of girls and women daily use the restrooms, and the departments and other departments of the association. "The place is so home-like," said a girl in the reading-room yesterday, "that I love to come here. I'd be lonely if it were not for the Y. W. C. A."

Miss Blanchard, a National secretary in the field work, will be a guest at the association on Friday and will confer with the local secretaries. Luncheon will be served and a general discussion of field work will follow.

Mrs. Wade, president of the Yonkers, N. Y., board of the Y. W. C. A., visited the local headquarters this week and



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Mrs. W. H. Rayner, of Springfield, O., was a guest at the association yesterday.

THE SANDMAN STORY FOR TONIGHT BY MRS. F. A. WALKER

Billy Goat Finds Billy Pig.

WHEN Billy Pig left home he had only told his mother, you remember, that he was going on a vacation. He did not say where he was going or how long he intended to be gone, so when the days lengthened into weeks his mother called in Billy Goat one day as he was passing and told him she was afraid Mr. Wolf or Mr. Bruin had stolen him.

"I will look for him for you, Madam Pig," said Billy Goat. "I am sure I can find him, and he certainly is a selfish fellow to let you worry like this."

Madam Pig put up a big basket full of good things to eat and the next morning bright and early Billy Goat walked through the woods and carefully crept up to Bruin's house and listened, but he heard not a word about Billy Pig.

But presently he did see something that made him start. For one of the little Bruins came out of the house dressed in Billy Pig's best coat, and then another little Bruin came out wearing Billy Pig's best hat, and then another little Bruin came out wearing Billy Pig's best pants.

"They got him," said Billy Goat to himself. "They must have stolen him from his clothes." Billy Goat was just about to creep away when he heard some one else coming out of Bruin's house and he hid behind the bushes.

It was Mr. Bruin, and he was carrying Billy Pig's suitcase. Then Billy Goat felt sure of what had happened to Billy Pig.

He wasn't fortunate enough to find anyone that had seen Billy Pig, and so he traveled many days, asking every one he met if they had seen Billy Pig or heard anything about him, and he had come to the conclusion that Billy Pig had been captured by Mr. Wolf or Mr. Bruin and run away and did not intend to return.

One night he was walking along looking for a nice place to sleep when he noticed a light in a window. He went to a pig by a corral, and then he heard the man say in a loud voice, "Come, come, one and all! See the greatest living trained pig. He will do for these and you give us what you like."

Billy Goat hurried, for he wanted to see all the sights, and when he came closer to the man and the pig he almost fell over, for there was Billy Pig dressed in a red coat and a little dimkey cap with red ribbons tied to the tips of his ears.

Billy Goat hid behind the crowd that had collected to see the performing pig.

"Now, then," said the man, "show the people that you understand all I say, Minnie."

Again Billy Goat almost fell in a heap on the ground. Poor Billy Pig. The man had named him Minnie, a girl's name.

But the man was speaking again, and Billy Goat listened.

"Minnie, do you love your master?" he asked, and Billy Pig shook his ears yes.

"Now, Minnie, stand on your hind legs and walk," commanded the man. Up stood Billy Pig, and around and around he danced, as the man played a tune on a little pipe.

"Now, show the people you can spell your name," and the man put several letters made of wood on the ground. Billy Pig picked the letters with his nose, and then slowly picked out the letters, M-I-N-N-I-E.

"You see, he is a wonderful animal, this pig of mine," said the man.

Billy Pig was made to do some more tricks, and then the crowd went away.

and the man started to lead Billy Pig away.

Billy Pig looked so sad Billy Goat was afraid he would cry out when he saw him, and that was just what he did not want him to do, so he ran up the road behind the wall and then jumped out and came down in front of them, jumping up and down and doing all sorts of things.

The man saw him and said: "Ah! here is just what I need—a performing pig!" and when the man nearer he made a grab for Billy Goat, which made Billy Pig look up.

Billy Goat dodged the man and shook his head in warning until he came to a hill, and there he butted him until he rolled down the hill. Pig." he called; "he will be rolling a long time; that is a steep hill."

"Take me home," said Billy Pig. "I have suffered dreadfully; that man was terrible."

Billy Pig did not have to be urged. He trotted off beside Billy Goat, happy to know he had escaped the bad man.

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MORE EXAMINATIONS SET

United Civil Service Commission Needs Workers Soon.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces the following examinations, all for men: April 20—Blacksmith, for position in the National Museum, Washington, D. C., salary \$70 a month; mine surgeon, for service in the Bureau of Mines, Pittsburg, Pa., salary \$2400 to \$2700 a year. April 28—Information editor for a position in the Forest Service, Washington, D. C., salary \$2600 per annum; junior bacteriologist, for a position in the Bureau of Chemistry, Washington, D. C., salary \$1020 to \$1200 per annum. April 28—Surveyor-draftsman, for a position in the Forest Service, field work, salary \$1200 to \$1500 a year; hull

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MISS PEASE SEARS LEFT AND RETURNED AS MRS. W. J. NEWMAN.

The couple will leave on their honeymoon this morning, going on the steamship Great Northern to San Francisco to visit the Panama-Pacific Exposition, and thence to their future home in Wisconsin.

As many as 75 different kinds of wood are used in the manufacture of umbrellas, canes and whips in this country.

HOTEL IS CUPID'S HOME

Miss Frances Pease, of Seattle, Leaves Seward, Returns Married.

Cupid tarried temporarily at the Seward hotel yesterday. Miss Frances Pease, a pretty girl who resided in Seattle, registered at the Seward. So did W. J. Newman, a traveling man of

If You Are Ten Pounds Or More Under Weight

And Want to Put on Flesh

If you are thin, undeveloped and under weight and would like to quickly put on the extra pounds of sound, healthy flesh between your skin and bones, wait right into any drug store today, step on the penny weighing scales and see exactly what your weight is now. Then step right over to the drug counter and tell the clerk you want six boxes of Sargol the Flesh Builder—a full 60 days' treatment—and begin taking the tablets right away. When the tablets are all gone, go back to the drug store, step on the scales again, weigh yourself once more and if you haven't gained at least 10 pounds of good solid, healthy flesh, step right over to the drug counter and tell the clerk you want your money back and he will give it to you cheerfully and promptly. Many thin people say, "I'd give most anything to put on a little extra weight." But when some one suggests a way they explain, "Get a chance, nothing will make me plump, I'm built to stay thin. Until you have tried Sargol the Flesh Builder, you do not and cannot know this is true. I started by putting on 10 pounds of healthy flesh in 60 days, but the only way you or we can ever know it is for you to try. If you find it worth it, it costs you nothing, for any drugist in the vicinity is authorized to return every cent you paid if the results do not satisfy you.—Adv.

To Have Complexion That Men Admire

"A man may admit, with great sophistication, that powder and rouge are necessary aids to beauty," writes and Countess of Weschitz "not deep in his heart he dreams of the woman whose loveliness needs no artificial touching up. What, then, you appreciate this, who give consideration to the masculine viewpoint, avoid using any thing that might indicate that beauty is not all their own."

"Such women in increasing number are acquiring the mercurized wax habit. By applying the wax at night as they would cold cream, washing it off in the morning, they secure, and maintain, entirely natural complexion. Their faces exhibit no evidence of having been beautified. Nothing is added to the old complexion—the latter, instead, is discarded. Mercurized wax, procurable at any drug store (an ounce is sufficient), absorbs the dehydrated outer skin, gradually, almost imperceptibly. The fresh, clear, satiny under skin, which appears bears a healthy, youthful bloom to the complexion with the fixed artificial color.—Adv.

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FASHION NOTES

ALTHOUGH Paris obviously is warning, she is also bonneting and the smart little chapeaux are not all widows' weeds either.

Gardens of flowers on hats hardly larger than the head are much favored. And Paris is making hats for every country in the world—except Germany and Austria.

Especially attractive is the small tricorn hat, so laden with wistaria blossoms that they overflow the brim of Milan straw and droop about the ears of the wearer.

Another somewhat self-assertive hat, designed by George, has a crown massed with wine-colored roses and on guard above them is a sober bow of wine color velvet. The model is one of the most dashing creations imaginable.

Many of the hats are conspicuous for their lack of trimming. Even the delicate paradise, long desired and the most expensive, is lacking, or if used at all, sparingly. Indeed, some of the newest models are not so much as

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