

SOCIETY NEWS

BY GERTRUDE P. CORBETT

Never in the history of Portland's Rose Festival has society taken such a large part and displayed such bubbling enthusiasm among society folk, both the younger and older contingents. Conservative matrons in all sections of the city are working together to secure as many entries and floats as possible, and their co-operation is bound to bring success to the floral parade, which is one of the biggest features of the entire festival.

The sections just reporting and the committees chosen are: Oswego district, Mrs. A. King Wilson; Westover, Mrs. Louise H. Tarpley; Nob Hill section, Mrs. E. C. Meares, Mrs. George Marshall and Mrs. W. D. Whelwright; Reed College, Mrs. Harry Head Torrey; Ladd Addition, Mrs. B. H. Gale; Sunny-side, Mrs. Stanhope Pier; Twenty-third and Lovejoy streets, Mrs. W. O. Van Schuyver; Holmwalking, Mrs. Warren Knight; Rose City Park, Mrs. T. T. Gerr.

The executive committee to date have secured over 50 single entries, 30 or more floats, quantities of motorcycles, clubs of various kinds, including the Pitt and Spaulding, and a number of cars, and, of course, the Portland Hunt Club, practically all of the members having signified their intention of riding in the parade. The year the women will all wear black habits, derby hats, and the men, as usual, will add dash and distinction with their pink hunting coats, white breeches, patent leather top boots and smart silk hats.

The mounts, too, will be groomed until they shine and decked with floral collars and gay little ribbons.

The little ones are taking special pride in planning the decorative scheme of their pony carts and pets, as well as their own gala attire.

The committee for the floral parade desire to secure every child, man or woman who wishes to enter to communicate with them promptly.

POPULAR MATRON WHO ASSUMES DUTIES AS OFFICIAL HOSTESS TODAY FOR OREGON BUILDING.



Mrs. Chas. A. Gray, of Salem. Bushnell Photo.

Honoring a pretty bride-elect, Miss D'Ethel Woodham, Mrs. J. Emil Nelson was hostess for a social shower on Friday evening. The residence was aslow with seasonal blossoms, pink and green being the keynote of the color scheme. Miss Woodham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Woodham, and her wedding to J. Carroll Woodham, of Tacoma, will be a brilliant event of Wednesday evening at the home of her parents. She is a charming and vivacious girl and has been extensively feted at numerous social affairs since the announcement of her engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Mallett, of East 54th street, entertained with a delightful party on Saturday evening, complimenting the bride with a gift of V. Lalley and B. Mack, who were at Pantheater last week; also Mrs. Norman H. Whitcomb, the hostess and house guest of Mrs. George Littleton. The rooms were decked artistically with garden flowers and an elaborate supper was served later in the evening. Covers were laid for 20, the table being adorned with a basket of nasturtiums, yellow streamers leading to each table, during the evening Mr. Mallett entertained the assemblage with popular songs and E. Crosby also sang several selections.

Ziedman, is at the Good Samaritan Hospital in a serious condition. A pet dog possibly saved her life, for it sprang at the man when its mistress was attacked and inflicted several wounds in the man's hands and legs, finally driving him from the room.

As Patrolman Perry rushed to the woman's room he heard a body fall and in an adjoining room found Stetson, who died on the way to the hospital. Sergeant Van Overn and Patrolmen Perry, J. E. Long and T. H. Russell were in charge of the investigation.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE BY LILLIAN TINGLE.

PORTLAND, O. Jan. 18.—Will you please publish again, as soon as "the time limit" has expired, directions for making caramels, also the recipe for macarons as given in Sunday's Oregonian, December 20?

I mislaid the papers before I had time to make them, and I desire very much to have them.

READER:

I AM sorry you have had to wait so long for your reply, but the "time limit" has to be observed in order to prevent constant repetition of the same recipes. I hope the following are what you wanted.

Macarons—One-half pound "almond meal," either bought in tins or ground at home. "Three-eighths of a pound sifted confectioner's sugar, three egg whites. Work the almond meal and sugar together and then mix in, gradually, the egg whites, kneading with a wooden spoon or spatula until the mixture is perfectly smooth and will not hold its shape when dropped from the tip of a spoon. Drop from a spoon in even rows three-quarters inch apart on a baking sheet covered with white paper, or use a pastry bag or a cone of paper to make neat round or oval macarons. They spread a little in baking. If liked they can be decorated with a bit of almond or a slice of angelica or sliced cherry. Bake 20 to 30 minutes in a moderate oven. The softer kind are more slightly baked than the crisp kind. If a strong flavor of almonds is liked add a few drops of almond flavoring to the mixture.

To remove the macarons easily from the paper, after taking from the oven, invert and wet the back of the paper with a cloth wrung out of cold water.

Caramels—One and one-quarter cups sugar, one-half cup glucose or karo syrup, two cups cream, one egg yolk, spoons flour, one teaspoon vanilla. Put the sugar, glucose and one cup cream

in a sauce pan and stir until boiling begins, cook to the "soft ball" or about 235 degrees Fahrenheit. Beat the butter and flour to a cream and beat in the egg yolk. This last may, however, be omitted. Stir this smoothly into the rest of the cream and add it gradually, cooking the mixture this time to 240 degrees or 245 degrees Fahrenheit, that is, nearly to the "hard ball" stage. Add the flavoring and pour into buttered pans about three-quarters to one inch deep. Cut in cubes when cold.

For variety flavor with maple or chocolate, or add one cup chopped nuts. Richer caramels—Two cups sugar, one-third cup glucose, three-quarters cup butter, two cups cream, one teaspoon vanilla, one-half teaspoon salt. Boil together all the ingredients except the second cup of cream, stirring constantly and adding the rest of the cream gradually as the candy boils. Long cooking is necessary and care is needed to prevent burning, but the flavor is excellent. Cook to 250 degrees Fahrenheit or to a firm hard ball. Add the flavoring and finish as above. Similar variations to the above may also be used.

WOMEN'S CLUBS BY EDITH WRIGHT HOLMES.

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

Bev's Pirate.

BEV RICHMOND was spending the Spring in Florida in a little cottage on the beach, as his mother's health demanded a warm climate. After the cold, dreary Winters of the North, he found it great fun to pass the days in a bathing suit, fishing among the rocks. Then Uncle John came to stay a few weeks, and that made things even more delightful. For every night before retiring he would tell Bev wonderful stories about the strange lands he had visited and the beautiful things he had collected—rare coins of gold and silver and jewelry from many nations. But as the box holding them was at the bottom of his trunk he did not get it out to show his nephew.

One night there was a big storm, and early the next morning Bev was down at the beach looking over the wreckage washed ashore. And as he watched the planks and barrels tossed in the waves a tiny boat swept by, its sail

TWO OF THE POPULAR PATRONESSES FOR DANCE THIS EVENING BY ST. ROSE'S MEN'S CLUB.



Mrs. Charles Calvin Lightfoot and Mrs. Claude H. Still. Bushnell Photos.

Much interest by the parishioners and friends of St. Rose Church is being taken in the dance to be given this evening by the Men's Club in Rose City Park Club. Elaborate plans have been made for the occasion, and the list of patronesses assures a smart and delightful affair.

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SNAPSHOTS BY BARBARA BOYD.

WE ARE entering today upon the month that to many is the most beautiful in the calendar of the year. It is the month of brides, of roses, of all sorts of tender and sweet associations. It is the month when vegetation fairly billows over the earth, when trees roll their foliage in waves down the mountain side, when clover is knee-deep, when wheat and oats and corn fill the landscape with a mantle of rippling green. It is the month when life seems to reach high tide, and rolls over field and plain in one vast wave of beauty and abundance.

How wonderful do we get all the joy out of this month that we might? When nature all about us is so lovely, so joyful, so productive, life in a myriad way on all sides, isn't there in it a message for us? And if we read this message, find delight in it, will not life hold more for us, give us greater contentment than we usually find in the humdrum cares of our daily round?

Many of us do bury our heads ostrich-wise in the dry desert sands of our daily work and see few of the banners of joy that June is fluttering about us. We keep house or sell goods or type letters or add our ledgers and think only of how hot it is and whether we can afford to take a vacation or how the new dress or hat we want can be squeezed out of our salary. Or we are a bit restless that we can't go to the seashore or mountains as some friend is doing or have all the pretty clothes we want. And we neither see nor hear back on "leafy June," its brightness and abundance and joy, and see nothing but these arid, man-made conditions of life? Can we not bring the freshness and beauty and joy of June to brighten and lighten these duties that prick and irritate?

But some will say, we have to earn our living, we have to cook, we can't get away for a vacation, we can't have the things we want and which there is no harm in having, and what is the use of pretending these things are not?

There is no use in pretending they are. Nearly every one of us faces some one or other of them. But does it make any difference that we can't go to the seashore or mountains as some friend is doing or have all the pretty clothes we want. And we neither see nor hear back on "leafy June," its brightness and abundance and joy, and see nothing but these arid, man-made conditions of life? Can we not bring the freshness and beauty and joy of June to brighten and lighten these duties that prick and irritate?

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YOUTH KILLED AT RESORT

Rider in Roller Racing Car Is Thrown Out as He Waves to Girl.

OCEAN PARK, Cal., May 31.—Ace Kenshaw, a young man from Los Angeles, stood up in a roller racing car to wave to a girl in a competing car today and fell 100 feet to his death. The car in which Kenshaw was riding was speeding about 46 miles an hour. It darted into a curve just as the young man rose from his seat, and the lurch threw him out, his body striking braces and guy wires as he fell.

FINANCIAL DEPRESSION CAUSES BUSINESS SACRIFICE

I need \$40,000 and need it quick. Stockholders whose stock is now due to retire want their money. Under ordinary conditions, it would be easy to finance this through the regular channels, but under present conditions I have been unable to do this.

There is only one thing left to do and that is to sacrifice the stock until enough pianos have been sold to bring in the money.

For several years I have worked hard to build up good will and business friendship. This cannot be bought for money and this business standing I am going to keep. The fact that I will sell during the good few days many splendid pianos at much less than their actual value will not weaken my business standing. But those who secure a piano at this time, while I am raising this money will enjoy a most unusual saving.

This is not an ordinary bargain sale. This is a life-and-death struggle and actual cash is the first consideration.

While it seems a pity to lose the legitimate profit which is due any worthy business transaction, the fact that it will increase my good will and friendship which my business enjoys makes the deal profitable in future standing if not in immediate remuneration.

Even though I will not make a cent on these sales, and actually lose money on many transactions during the time it takes me to raise \$40,000, it will enable me to maintain my business through this present crisis.

Whether you intend to buy or not, do not miss this opportunity. Use it to inspect my splendid stock. Do not be satisfied short of seeing these fine instruments and actually trying them. You cannot afford to overlook the beautiful new Knabe at \$325. It is not the object of this announcement to go into spread eagle boasts of comparative values. You know too well what such an instrument is worth. Then there is a splendid Schomer Grand for \$340. There are many other splendid new pianos, some as low as \$145. New.

There are many standard quality player pianos offered for as low as \$230. New.

There is a Chickering at \$110 and a Kimball at only \$70, both excellent specimens of standard lines.

Of course, at these low prices, this is a cash proposition, because it is cash that I need, but I will be willing to give you ample time to pay for them on easy terms and at only very slight increase in price, if you wish it. You can have as much as twenty months in which to make equal monthly payments.

Remember that every player and piano I offer, no matter at what price, is backed up by the full and unequalled guarantee of a reliable manufacturer and dealer.

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abundance for all in the intelligence that pours its treasures out so prodigally in June, joy for all in the spirit of life that is speaking in the happy voice of bird and brook and tree. The message perhaps is more difficult to catch. One has to be very still to hear it. All the murmurs of resentment and "sk and discouragement and disappointment must be stilled. One must be one with the heart of life all about. In the words of Tagore, one must feel—

"The stream of life that runs through my veins night and day runs through the world and dances in rhythmic measures. It is the same life that shoots in joy through the dust of the earth, in numberless blades of grass and breaks into tumultuous waves of leaves and flowers. I feel my limbs are made glad by the touch of this world of life. The life-throb of ages is dancing in my blood this minute."

But when one takes hold in this fashion of the message of June, the abundance and the joy that June expresses are his.

LA Center Carrier Test June 12.

RIDGEFIELD, Wash., May 31.—(Special.)—The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for Clarke County on June 12 to fill the position of rural carrier at La Center, about six miles northeast of here, and for vacancies that may occur later on rural routes from other post-offices in this county. The examination will be open only to men citizens domiciled in the territory.

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DOG SAVES WOMAN'S LIFE

Assault of Hotel Proprietress Commits Suicide.

After beating into unconsciousness Miss May Hoffman, proprietress of the Stockholm Hotel, at 8 1/2 North Third street, early yesterday morning in her apartments, Harry Stetson, a porter in the hotel, slashed his throat with a razor. Dying 15 minutes later, Miss Hoffman, sometimes known as Goldie