

SOCIETY NEWS

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SOCIETY is restless. As soon as the sun shines warm for a few days the call of the great out-of-doors is strongly felt, and immediately beach parties are planned and trips East are arranged. Many of the smart set are preparing to pass Easter out of town, and others, who remain at home, will prepare Easter wardrobes, in anticipation of the girls and boys who soon will be home from the East on their long summer vacations.

Gowns and hats will assume the important place in midday's plans for the day, house-cleaning also fits in admirably during the close of the penitential season, so that, with the proper amount of exercise, which is a regular part of the schedule for the forenoon, and is taken by gardening or horseback riding, and the countless other duties the average society woman has little time for social functions of any size at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Froehlich are among those who have planned Easter-trips, expecting to leave within a fortnight for New York, and the James H. Murphys will soon leave for a short visit in their cottage at Gearhart.

Another bride-elect has been added to the list of "June brides" in Miss Jean Roy Laing, who will become the bride of Lester L. Carter, of San Francisco. The engagement of the young people was announced Saturday at a charming luncheon presided over by the bride-elect's sister-in-law, Mrs. John A. Laing, with whom she has been visiting during her residence in this city.

The luncheon was given at the University Club, and the afternoon was devoted to bridge. Additional guests were Mrs. H. T. Humphrey, Mrs. S. C. Slocum, Miss Mabel Ransom, Mrs. J. W. Knibbs, Mrs. O. B. Prael, Mrs. F. W. Prael, Mrs. J. J. Stritzel, Mrs. J. B. Swenson, Mrs. R. B. Warriner and Mrs. R. B. Wolcott.

Miss Laing, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Laing, of Albany, N. Y., and who is a prominent attorney of this city, has been in Portland for two years. She is a graduate of the State Normal College at Albany, and has been doing pedagogical work in this city. She is very popular socially, and the wedding, which is scheduled for the latter part of June, will be a notable event.

Mr. Carter is a graduate of Leland Stanford, Jr. University, and a well-known civil engineer. He recently completed the construction of the plant of the Shell Company, near Linnton. He also is popular in social and fraternity circles.

Reed College Drama Club will give an additional performance of "The Merchant of Venice" on Friday night, and all those who were unable to see Shakespeare's play presented among true Elizabethan surroundings last week may have another opportunity. Conflicts between the Reed play and various other social functions prevented many people from attending the Shakespeare tertiary and the production is being repeated by special request.

The wedding of Miss Germaine Baruh, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Baruh, to Merwyn Wagenheim Thursday evening, gives promise of being one of the prettiest affairs of the Spring season. The ceremony, which will be performed by Dr. Jonah B. Wise, will take place in the rose room of Hotel Benson and will be followed by a supper and dance in the Tirolean room.

S. Benson, owner of Hotel Benson, returned today from Southern California, where he spent the entire winter. He divided his time between Los Angeles, Long Beach and Pasadena.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Whitall, Miss R. Whitall and Miss E. Whitall, of Portland, Canada, are spending a few days at Hotel Benson.

President and Mrs. F. L. Campbell, of University of Oregon, were week-end guests at Hotel Benson, having come up to attend the college parties and the dramatic production Saturday night.

The Woman's Guild of St. David's Parish is arranging an excellent program to be given in their parish-house Thursday evening, May 4. These entertainments are annual events and are eagerly looked forward to. A social hour will follow the programme. Mrs. S. E. Joseph is president of this organization.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Oswald entertained the Leap Year 500 Club Friday night. Card honors fell to Miss M. Meisner, Miss C. Rodine and Frank Dawdy.

Mrs. Edith M. Hilton, of Laurelhurst, was a dinner hostess Friday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Callahan.

BAKER MAID WHO IS BEING ENTERTAINED HERE BY RELATIVES.



Miss Belle Messick, a young woman who is being entertained here by relatives.

The purple ball will be an annual function of the Columbia University preparatory school of this city, to be held on Easter Monday. The party will be semi-formal. The purple ball will be the first dance to be given by the alumni. Classes as far back as '04 are represented on the committee. A purple color scheme will be carried out in every possible respect. The alumni and undergraduates will be distinguished by a purple necktie, and the ballroom decorations will be chiefly purple. The ball will be strictly invitational and but a limited number of formal invitations have been issued, intending to reach just the alumni, undergraduates and a selected number of their friends. The committee follows: Hubert Jacobberger, John Dwyer, Art J. Mahony, Leo J. Malarky, Thomas Shea, Hugh McKenna, Lawrence Black, Hugh Lacey, Gilbert Shea, Emmett Douglas, Willard Whelan, George Holcomb, William Cook, Clifford Thomas and Irving Niles. The patrons and patronesses are: Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Hanley and Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Cole.

The Hawthorne "500" Club were entertained Thursday by Mrs. W. J. Holmes and Mrs. J. J. Holmes at the home of the former. During the afternoon vocal solos were given by Mrs. Holmes, Prizes were won by Mrs. A. Meyer, Mrs. William Durham and Mrs. Charles Chamber.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Matson are passing a fortnight in San Francisco, the former going to address the Medical Society in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Kerron, who were week-end visitors at Seaside, returned to Portland Sunday night.

Mrs. Max Smith and Mrs. Gordon Forbes will entertain at cards this afternoon at the Laurelhurst Club.

Mrs. M. Young will give a stepping party tonight at Linnea Hall. Invitations have been sent to former students and their friends.

WOMEN WHO LEAD THE WAY

By MARIE DILLE.

Margaret Willetts—A Twentieth Century Venus.

AFTER months of friendly rivalry among the various educational institutions of the United States Miss Margaret Willetts, of the Swarthmore College, Pennsylvania, has been proclaimed the most nearly perfect duplicate of the standard for perfect women of all time, the Greek statue Venus.

With the exception of height, Miss Willetts is practically identical in size to the statue. She lacks but one-tenth of an inch of measuring the five feet 4.2 inches prescribed by the Greek goddess of love. She weighs exactly the estimated 122.2 pounds of Venus. She has the same chest measurement of 34.2 inches and waist measure of 25.9 inches. Due to athletic activity the ankle measurement of the modern Venus exceeds that of her model by two-tenths of an inch, measuring 12.8 inches. Her neck is 12.5, exactly that of the goddess.

The discovery of the modern physically perfect woman was the result of a contest among the various colleges for the most nearly perfect "composite Venus." The measurements of all the young women in several colleges were taken and the aggregate was divided by the number of pupils to obtain an average. Willetts was the first to claim the honor of producing the composite model of Venus de Milo. Swarthmore, a quiet little Quaker college near Philadelphia, challenged the claim, and not only presented a chart of figures proving that it possessed a more perfect aggregate Venus, but that it housed a perfectly formed individual as well.

Miss Willetts is a senior in the institution. She has won distinction in her classes and is an enthusiastic gymnast. She is fond of out-of-door sports and plays basketball. In addition to being the most perfectly formed woman in the school she is the most successful in all lines of school activities. She is a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma fraternity.

Miss Willetts is the daughter of E. Robbin Willetts, 219 Greenwood avenue, Trenton, N. J. She is the descendant of an old Quaker family that has long been associated with the administration of Swarthmore College.

han, of Wallace, Idaho, who have been sojourning in Honolulu for the winter. Mr. Callahan is a prominent mining man of the Coeur d'Alene country.

dent must register daily what exercise she has taken during the day and at what hour she retires. All students who are not afflicted with the physical trouble must learn to swim as part of their college course. These requirements are said to be responsible for the production of the one physically perfect woman and hundreds of others in the institution who lack very little of meeting the same requirements.

SNAPSHOTS

By BARBARA BOYD.

Headwork and Handwork.

"IF MY maid would only learn to work with her head as well as her hands," sighed a housekeeper, "how much more easily her work would go. But I can't teach her. Yesterday she had practically a holiday. We were all away. It was rather a hurried trip, and I did not have time to map out her work for her. She idled all day, read, slept, really did not do what she should have done. As a result, today she has gone to bed with a sick headache because she has had so much to do that she got all excited, upset and nervous over it. If she had thought about the work, she could have made some pies yesterday for the dessert today, and done some of the sweeping and dusting. But apparently today she was so tired that she didn't do anything. Her work didn't exist for her; she only saw yesterday with nothing to do."

This little maid isn't the only one who is short-sighted in such matters, is she? Many of us are in the same class. We trot around doing the work that is immediately before us, and do it to do. But we do not think ahead as to how that work might be done to save labor tomorrow or next week, or possibly the very next evening of the day we are doing it.

Five minutes of headwork might save us five hours of handwork. Yet we do not do these five minutes of headwork.

And this thinking that would save doing need not be confined to house-keeping. It can enter into everything we do, into the simple duties of life as well as into earning a living.

We can so arrange our clothing in one bureau drawer as to have handy what we use first. We can hang our clothing in our closet so as to get at most easily the garments we use ofttest. Or we can place on certain hooks certain articles, so there is no searching for them each time we want them.

We can so plan our shopping that when we go downtown today we can get the embroidery cotton, the waxed paper or the hooks and eyes we know we will need next week.

Many of us do not do this. Next week we find us wanting something essential for that week's work, and a second shopping trip is necessary, using up time and energy and money that might have been conserved.

We do some work about our house today, which had we thought of yesterday might have been half done or perhaps altogether done, with but little extra labor, or at any rate with much less than the doing of it today entails.

If we find that we are taking many steps, that we are doing certain details of our housework, and see if a few minutes' honest headwork will not eliminate many hours of tiresome, monotonous handwork.

It will not at any rate do us any harm to try the experiment, and it may result in much profit.

ROAD WORK IS ORDERED

Two Miles of Mount Tabor Drives to Be Macadamized at Once.

The two miles of drives in Mount Tabor Park are to be macadamized at once. This was decided yesterday by the City Council. Commissioner Baker was authorized to advertise for bids for furnishing crushed rock.

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BOTH 'MAKE UP' IN COURT

STUMPASES FORGIVE EACH OTHER AND STOP DIVORCE SUIT.

Nor Will "Wife" Have Hubby Put in Jail for Threats and Sundry Other Grave Offenses.

Arm in arm, George Stumpas and Mrs. Rosa Stumpas strolled into the courtroom of Circuit Judge Morrow yesterday. Arm in arm, it is repeated, despite the fact that George was plaintiff in a suit for divorce pending in another court. Also in spite of the fact that he was soon to be tried on the criminal charge of attempting to kill his wife.

"Judge, it's all right and I don't want a divorce and she don't want me put in jail," Stumpas declared, addressing the court.

In his mind, Judge Morrow reviewed some of the charges Mrs. Stumpas had first made against her husband, and that caused his indictment by the grand jury. He had, it was alleged, appeared at their home at 550 Couch street on February 8, beaten her and threatened her life and that of her child. He originally had forced her to marry him, she said, by threatening her life. He had also tried to kill their 4-month-old baby, she declared. He is a Greek waiter and she is a Serbian girl of 19 years, also pretty.

All had been arranged for the dismissal of the divorce case, Stumpas told the court yesterday, and he had "made up" with his wife. He asked that the indictment against him be dismissed. Deputy District Attorney Collier was present. Prosecution would be impossible without the testimony of the wife, and the reconciliation appeared complete, so he acquiesced to the dismissal. "We will have it all to do over again in three months," he prophesied as the couple hid happily forth.

ROSIE LLOYD IS TOPLINER

ANOTHER OF FAMOUS ENGLISH SISTERS AT PANTAGES.

Marie Munson, Lowell, Drew and other Entertainers Make Up Week's Numbers.

Another of England's fair daughters, one of the famous family of Loyds, tops Pantages new bill, and tops it most gracefully and satisfactorily, too. Rosie Lloyd is her name, and she is a sister to the well-known Alice and Marie. Rosie is taller than either of her gifted sisters, and she is dark of eye and hair, but she has the delight-

ful Lloydish smile and an amazing physical resemblance to her sister. Her lovely voice and a pair of pretty ankles, all of which she shows to splendid advantage. Like her comedienne sisters, Rosie's act consists of frequent change of frocks and a new song with each change.

She has beautiful dresses, and the wardrobe part alone in her act must have cost a mint of money. Rosie sings new songs, for the most part English ballads of popular subject, set to rollicking airs.

One about "missing a train" is a vocal riot. She gives the famous Lloyd wink, and, altogether, offers a delightful act.

The entire bill is excellent, in fact. Marie Munson is a protean artist who offers a one-act sketch in which she plays about 15 different roles. She changes her costume, even her hair and head dress, with each type she portrays, and varies the studies from an Italian girl to an Irish biddy. The transformations excite the greatest enthusiasm, and the clever Miss Munson registers a distinct sensation. Miss Munson is assisted in her little sketch by Hal Forrest, who wrote the lines.

Two exceedingly clever folk, are Lowell, an eccentric comedian, and Esther Drew. Lowell is a clerk in a drug store and Esther is a pretty Summer girl customer. They exchange a lot of merry periffage about the stock in the store, and every time Lowell answers the crazy phone he sends the audience into hysteria with the imaginary conversations he holds. To wind up their act the two dance in delightful style.

A pretentious act is offered by Will Mastin and Virgie Richards, a team of colored dancers and vocalists supported by an octet of entertainers in "A Holiday in Dixie Land." The offering is a cyclonic burst of melody, mirth and whirlwind dancing.

Pealson and Goldie, comedians, offer "After the Dog Show," a series of meretricious bits with spots of song which gets over nicely.

Knight and Moore, a man and a pretty maid, have a song and dance number.

A capital opening act is that of a young Japanese named Harry Tada, who is a spherical equilibrist. On top of a huge sphere he balances daringly. The third episode of "The Iron Claw" runs this week.

TONG WAR TRIAL STARTS

Alleged Gunman Faces Charge of Killing Leong Yin Luck.

Louie Wing, alias Ah Loy, will face a jury in the Circuit Court before Judge Morrow today to answer to the charge of murdering Leong Yin Luck, killed in the tong war which broke out in Portland last February. He was indicted by the grand jury for murder in the second degree.

Louie Wing is said to be a Bing Kung gunman and a clan cousin of Louie Bing, a Hop Sing gunman, who

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