

SOCIETY NEWS

BY GERTRUDE P. CORBETT

Of course all roads led to the French in hal masquerade last night, and many varied were the characters impersonated by the gay assemblage. Several dinner parties preceded this big event, and following the ball, groups of chatty, grotesquely and artistically garbed men and women made up supper parties at the grills.

Among the most notable of the dinner parties was that headed over by Miss Alice Smith in honor of her cousin, Miss Helen Wood. It was a Turkish dinner, all the appointments, decorations and costumes of the guests being faithfully portrayed. The guests were seated on soft cushions placed on Turkish rugs, and the room was lighted by candles in brass holders, brass incense burners also being placed about the room, in the center of the seated group a huge brass tray laden with luscious fruits was placed, and the whole atmosphere was decidedly Oriental.

In addition to Miss Wood, the party included Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Biddle, Miss Mollie Kilner, Miss Clementine Lambert, Miss Marian Howe, Miss Mary Stuart Smith, William In Howe, Ernest and Frederick Swiger, William Wheeler, Hans Frohman, Ferdinand Smith and Thomas Kerr.

Miss Alice Macomber also entertained with a merry dinner party. Mrs. E. C. Shevlin was another dinner hostess, and Mrs. J. Vanler Elchbaum also entertained with a dinner party of eight.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Brooks, Mrs. Angus Stewart and Dr. Henderson, of Vancouver, B. C., were the guests of Eric V. Hauser, president of the Multnomah Hotel, at luncheon Wednesday in the Arcadian Gardens at the Multnomah, after which Mr. Hauser took his guests for a drive about the city. Mr. Brooks is one of the officers of Brockman's Lumber Company, and is just returning from an inspection of the extensive properties of his company at Bend, Or. Mrs. Stewart is the wife of Angus Stewart, the ever-railroad contractor and mine operator in British Columbia. Mr. Stewart at present being an officer in the English army "somewhere in France."

Portland Assembly No. 2, United Artisans, will entertain with a dance at Waverly Hall, Twenty-sixth and Clinton streets, this evening. The committee is Aldyth Chase, chairman; Charlotte Meade, Martha Eklund, Adele Trentow, George Harkenrider and Victor Roman.

A concert and ball will be given by the Jewish Literary Circle tomorrow night at the Neighborhood House, Second and Woods streets.

Portland Heights Club has planned another dance for tonight for members and their friends. The social committee includes Mrs. Allen M. Ellsworth, Mrs. Henry A. Sargent, Mrs. Pleading S. Kelly and Mrs. Avery P. Matthews. Partners for the event are Mrs. Homer V. Carpenter, Mrs. Brockwell Statter, Mrs. Omar C. Spencer and Mrs. R. J. Marsh.

Mrs. H. E. Reynolds, who has been south for some months, returned Saturday and will remain for several weeks visiting friends. Later she will be joined here by Mr. Reynolds, who is detained in the south looking after his interests there. They expect to go East in June.

The Irvington Club will give its formal dance tonight, and all members are requested to attend. On April 10, Mrs. C. Lewis Meade will be in charge of the annual dinner for the Irvington Club members. She will be assisted by a corps of able workers, and the annual dinner will be a gala event.

Miss Gertrude E. Getty, bride-elect of Joseph Whitt, will be the honor guest for a miscellaneous shower and card party given Tuesday night by Miss Myrtle Bingham at the home of her parents. The table will be adorned with a profusion of tulips in pink and white tones.

Mrs. Verban Kistler will entertain next week with a shower for Miss Getty.

Mrs. W. H. Hall, of Butte, Mont., who is here with her family, was the hostess for a luncheon on Wednesday by Mrs. Charles T. Whitney. Covers were placed for ten at a table decked with a basket of spring flowers in purple and yellow tones.

Mrs. Victor L. Johnson was hostess for a delightful three-table bridge party and tea Wednesday afternoon, the guests including prominent matrons of society.

Miss Edith M. Carlson became the bride of John Schade Tuesday in the First Presbyterian Church, Dr. John H. Boyd officiating. After the ceremony a delightful luncheon was served the bridal party and immediate relatives and friends at the Hazelwood. Mrs. and Miss Schade will make their home in Seattle after their return from a wedding trip.

Miss Pearl Boyer, 131 North Eighteenth street, returned home Saturday after a five months' visit to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Crumpacker were hostess for a merry dinner party last night for a number of the younger married set and a few debutantes and bachelors.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barnes will entertain tonight at dinner at the Mallory Hotel.

Madame Aino Malmberg, the distinguished Finnish patriot, who is lecturing here, will give a lecture on "The Women of Finland" at the Multnomah Hotel, Friday afternoon.

CHARMING YOUNG MATRON, WHOSE WEDDING WAS AN EVENT OF YESTERDAY AFTERNOON.



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MRS. CURTIS GARRETT (OCTAVIA STONE).

ing here, will be the honor guest Sunday afternoon at a tea to be given by the members of the Professional Woman's League at the residence of Elizabeth Burtner, 438 Fifth street. The hours will be from 4 until 7 o'clock.

A large reception for Dr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Walker will be held tonight in the White Temple. Members of the congregation and pastors of neighboring churches have been invited. An attendance of several hundred is expected.

Mrs. Cleonard McLaughlin and little daughter, Marjorie, will entertain today at Colonel McLaughlin's of the Third Oregon, now Captain of the Seventh Infantry, stationed at El Paso, Tex., are taking quarters at Vancouver Barracks for a few months, when they will join the Captain, who has been instructor-inspector of the Pennsylvania National Guard since he has been on the border.

Mrs. Stewart J. Moore and Mrs. William Eldon Furnish will entertain today with a bridge tea in honor of two brides-elect, Miss LaVella Young and Miss Clarice Biles, both of whom are being entertained frequently by well-known matrons and maids.

An event of interest is the wedding of Miss Gertrude Stone and Curtis Garrett, of St. Joseph, Mo., which was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stone, 1689 Derby street. Rev. Dr. W. B. Hinson officiated. The couple were unattended, except by little Elizabeth Stone, a cousin of the bride, who acted as ring-bearer. The house was attractively decked with spring flowers, ferns and palms, and the wedding was attended only by close friends of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett left for a wedding trip to Southern California and will be home in St. Joseph, Mo., after April 1.

The bride is a former resident of St. Joseph, and is a popular young woman.

Miss Harriett Cumming left last night for a visit with friends in Seattle and Tacoma.

The Beta Phi Sigma fraternity announce their second theater party of the season for April 4, at the Orpheum Theater. Reservations for 50 persons have been made. Arrangements are under way for the entertainment of the members and their guests, following the theater party.

Mrs. W. F. Stine, of 1022 Thurman street, Willamette Heights, will entertain Saturday evening with a dancing party to announce the departure of her daughter, Dorothy, for Wellesley, where she will enter college. Mrs. Stine will accompany her daughter and visit all the large Eastern cities.

Warren E. Thomas will give Turkey's place in music in her talk. Armenian folk songs will be sung by a group of Armenian singers.

GOOD THINGS IN THE MARKET

THIS being the Lenten season, fish naturally occupies a prominent place, and, pleasant to relate, prices are decidedly lower.

Chinook salmon, 25 cents a pound—30 cents last week.
Steelhead salmon, 20 and 22 cents.
Barracuda, a California fish not offered here every day, is in market at 15 cents a pound.
Sand-dabs, another toothsome arrival from the Golden State, is the same price.
Alaskan halibut, 15 cents a pound, and skate—not very common, and in taste similar to halibut—is 15 cents, also.
Flounders, black perch and California smelt are each 12½ cents a pound.

Black and rock cod, 15 cents; fresh herring, 10 cents a pound.
Smelt is 5 cents a pound, \$1 a box of 50 pounds. In some quarters, 10 cents for four pounds, and eight pounds for a quarter is the price current, but the fish are getting a little "shy" now, to use a technicality, and may soon disappear for the season.
A small quantity of razor clams is on sale at 25 and 30 cents a dozen.
Shrimp meat, 60 cents; Eastern prawn meat, 50 cents a pound.
Prawns, 80c; mussels, 15c, and hard-shell clams, 5 cents a pound.
Crabs, 20 cents each.
Olympia oysters, 60 cents; Eastern, 50 cents a pint.

"Flesh" naturally follows fish:
Bolling beef, 12½ to 14 cents a pound; pot roast, 16 to 20 cents.
Pork chops and shoulders, 22 cents; legs of pork, 25 cents; and loins, 23 cents a pound; center cuts, loin chops, 28 and 30 cents.
Shoulder roast of lamb, 20 cents a pound; legs of lamb, 23 cents.
Pork and lamb have advanced 3 cents a pound this week.
Small T-bone steaks, 18 cents a pound; ribloin, from 12 to 14 cents, heavy animal, 18 to 20 cents a pound.
Veal shoulder chops, 15, 18 and 20 cents a pound.

In the vegetable market potatoes take a leading place. The probabilities are that they will go no higher in price.
Early Rose, Burbank and American are offered at \$2.50 for sacks of 100 pounds.

In small lots, seven pounds can be bought for a quarter.
New potatoes, from Florida, 15 cents a pound; two pounds, 25 cents.
The latest addition to salad materials is sweet fennel roots with feathery stems. Two roots are sold for 15 cents.

The highest ingredient is probably Belgian endive, grown in Spokane, Wash., 55 cents a pound.
Leaf lettuce, three bunches, 10 cents; watercress, 6 cents a bunch.
Lettuce heads, 5 and 10 cents each; two for 15 cents.
Green onions, 5 cents a bunch and less.

Celery hearts, fancy, 30 cents a bunch. Dandelion greens, 10 cents a pound.
Green pepper, from Cuba, 75 cents a pound.
Californian green peas, 20 cents a pound; two pounds, 35 cents.
Artichokes at 10 cents each are coming down in price.

Cauliflower, 10, 15 and 20 cents each.
Leaf lettuce, 10 cents a bunch.
Spinach, two pounds for 15 cents.
Brussels sprouts, 15 cents a pound.
Mustard greens, from Idaho, 5 cents.
Asparagus, large white, 30 cents a pound; green, 25 cents.
Cucumbers, 10 and 15 cents each.
Florida tomatoes, 20 cents a pound.
Silver-skinned onions, 15 cents a pound; three pounds for a quarter.
Tutabaga, three pounds, and carrots, four pounds, 10 cents.

In the fruit market the latest comer is fresh pineapple from Hawaii, from three to four pounds weight, 12½ cents a pound.
Some Lincoln pears, raised at Scappoose, are notably large and attractive, 5 cents each.
Rhubarb, 10 cents a pound; three pounds, 25 cents.
Bananas, 15, 20 and 30 cents a dozen.
Cranberries, 15 cents a pound.



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WOMEN'S CLUBS

BY EDITH KNIGHT HOLMES

CLUBS CALENDAR FOR TODAY.

Portland Woman's Club—Parliamentary class, 1 P. M.; election, 2 P. M.; programme, "Turkey," Dr. Max Cushing, speaker.
3 P. M.—Hilma, 1st P. M.
Woodstock Study Club—Woodstock Library, 1:30 P. M.
Lavender Club, Branch 2—Library, 2:40 P. M., programme.
Trinity Mission—Study, Parish House, 3 P. M.
White Temple—Reception for Dr. and Mrs. Waller.
Monday Musical Club—Chorus, Eilers Hall, 11 A. M.; Rose Courson Reed, directing.
Overlook Woman's Club—With G. H. Watson.
Portland Railway Woman's Club—Library, 3 P. M.
Highland Parent-Teacher Association—Lecture, L. R. Alderman, 3 P. M.
Mount Tabor Association—"Private Secretary" tonight.

to be known as the Woman's Grange Club. Fifty women, representing 17 granges, were present.

Following were elected officers: President, Mrs. E. T. Weather; vice-president from Multnomah County, Mrs. Mary Palmer; vice-president from Clackamas, Mrs. Valerie Bend; vice-president from Washington, Mrs. A. B. Flint; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Broderick. Mrs. Florence Dickerson, of Oswego, was appointed chairman of the executive committee. This committee will draft constitution and by-laws. Mrs. Maggie Johnson, of Milwaukie Grange, was appointed chairman of the membership committee and Mrs. Saylor E. Smith was named publicity chairman. Other committees will be named later. The next meeting will be Thursday of next week.

Mrs. W. I. Swank will be the next president of the Portland Parent-Teacher Council if the plans and hopes of her many friends are successful at the election to be held in May. Mrs. Swank was social service chairman of the council last year, and has done a large amount of work in that department this year. She is at present chairman of programmes. No other candidate has been announced so far. Mrs. Alva Lee Stephens has been the leader of the council for two years. Mrs. Swank's candidacy was announced yesterday by her friends.

The mission study class of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet today at 3 o'clock in the parish house. "Latin America" will be the topic. Lavender Club, branch 2, will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Library. Music and other attractions will be included in the programme. All women over 50 years of age invited.

Woodstock Study Club will meet today at 1:30 o'clock in Woodstock Library. Papers will be read by Mrs. J. G. Hayman, Mrs. Wilfred Poire and Mrs. R. M. Mann. Italy and Switzerland are being studied.

A benefit for the British Red Cross Society will be given April 2 in the home of Mrs. David Gowans, 1952 East Flinders street.

All good and loyal members of the Portland Woman's Club will be on hand today to vote for officers. The polls will close at 3 o'clock and at that hour the programme will begin. Parliamentary class will meet at 1 o'clock, with Mrs. Grace Watt Ross as leader. Business is from 2 to 3 o'clock. For the programmes "Turkey" will be the topic. Dr. Max Cushing will speak and Mrs.



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will be elected and other business of importance will be transacted. All members are urged to be present and take part in the meeting. Also, all taxpayers of the county are asked to attend and join the league, which is fighting for lowering the taxes of the state.

TEACHERS TO SEE PLANT

Pacific Coast Biscuit Company to Be Viewed by Instructors.

The industrial trip committee of the Portland Grade Teachers' Association has planned a trip through the plant of the Pacific Coast Biscuit Company, Twelfth and Davis streets, for Saturday, starting from the office at 10 o'clock. Miss Alice Bantfield and Miss Lola Creighton are the leaders of the day. Recently the teachers visited the ship-building plants of the Northwest Steel Company, and found the trip exceedingly profitable. Other trips to study local conditions are planned.

Taxpayers' League to Meet.

VANCOUVER, Wash., March 22.—(Special.)—The Taxpayers' League of Clark County, organized last year, will hold its annual meeting at 10 A. M. Saturday, March 23, in the club-rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. At this time the officers for the year



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