

ABOUT PLAYERS AND SINGERS

WHAT IS GOING ON IN THE VARIOUS MUSIC CENTERS AT THE WAXING SEASON

Miss Yvonne de Treville, the young American soprano, is meeting with success in Paris, with her singing of Debussy's "L'Amour."

Among the works to be given by the Royal Choral Society in London next year will be a revised version of Sullivan's "Light of the World."

At the New England Conservatory of Music, June 2, a piano recital was given by Miss M. Ellen Lytle, and June 10 by Miss Mary Paulina Bellinger, of the V. C. class.

Miss Helen Calbreath, of Salem, who has been studying the past year with Mr. Walter Reed, is to sing at the commencement exercises of the College at McMinnville.

It is a pleasure to know that the Musical Club of Portland is to attend to the business arrangements next season of the Portland Symphony Orchestra. The enterprise is in good hands.

Hans Winderath's Leipzig Philharmonic Orchestra, which had a tragic experience in this country a year ago, has just finished giving 63 concerts in 61 days in Sweden, Norway and Denmark.

Miss Imogen Harding, contralto, and Miss M. C. Myers, soprano, both sang with great success at the recent graduation exercises of the Barclay High School, also the West Side High School, Oregon City.

Appeals are being made in New York for contributions toward maintaining the People's Symphony Concerts at Cooper Union, New York City, next season. The enterprise is to be incorporated at Albany, N. Y.

"A Song of Thanksgiving," Allittsen, and "Shadows," Carrie Jacobs-Bond, will be sung by Mrs. Walter Reed at the graduation exercises of the Portland High School, which will be held this year at the Marquam Theater.

Miss Evelyn Hurley, who sang so successfully the contralto solo of "Elijah" at Taylor-Street Methodist Episcopal Church, last Sunday, has been engaged to sing at the commencement exercises of the college at Newburg.

Four performances of Mozart's C minor mass, as completed by A. Schmitt, recently took place at Haverford, Pa., under the direction of M. Kjaume. For some years, one of the musical forces in the city has been William H. Dayas, an American composer and teacher.

Miss Walter Reed has been engaged to sing at the commencement exercises of the Agricultural College, Corvallis, Wednesday morning, June 18. Mrs. Reed will sing three of Carrie Jacobs-Bond's songs, "Shadows," "Just a Yearly" For You," and "I Love You Truly."

The Melting Orchestra will give five concerts in London next November. The programmes will include works by Bach, Beethoven, Brahms, Schubert, Schumann, also the four Brahms symphonies, for the rendering of which Steinbach, the conductor, has achieved a special reputation.

A quartet of Portland singers will give Liza Lehmann's pretty song cycle, "The Daisy Chain," tomorrow evening at Forest Grove, under the auspices of the Musical Department of Pacific University. The singers are: Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer, Mrs. Walter Reed, Mr. W. J. Belcher, Mr. Dom J. Zan, with Mr. Edgar E. Courson as pianist.

Queen Alexandra recently sent word to Anton Hegner, the New York "test," to play for her the same afternoon. Hegner could not reach his accompanist and repaired alone to the palace, in much distress. When Hegner explained the difficulty, Princess Victoria accompanied him for a couple of hours, with Queen Alexandra turning the music.

In spite of a \$20,000 deficit for the season just closed, the Philadelphia Orchestra will continue its series of symphony concerts next winter. The cost of the 15 evening concerts and 18 afternoon rehearsals in Philadelphia this season has been about \$100,000, with the record of \$20,000. It is understood that those who nobly came to the rescue of the orchestra are Alexander Van Rensselaer and Thomas McKean.

Miss Imogen Harding, of Oregon City, and Mrs. W. Boyd Hamilton, are to sing at the commencement exercises at St. Helens Hall, Wednesday evening, June 18. Miss Harding has a rich, powerful contralto which will be heard to advantage in Allittsen's "Song of Thanksgiving" and Mrs. Hamilton, who has a light, bird-like soprano, very high, will sing that most difficult song, "Chanson Provencale," by Deliaqua.

The Duss Band has begun its Summer engagement prominently at the St. Nicholas, New York City. The splendid programmes, and the ventilating and refrigerating devices, the latter both atmospheric and liquid have drawn many enthusiastic listeners. Last Sunday selections were given from Tchaikovsky, Wagner, Mendelssohn, Beethoven and Liszt. During the week there have been in the way of soloists, Achille Alberti, baritone; Bobus Kryn, cornetist, and Gardell Simon, trombonist.

Adelina Patti, who is now 60 years old, and for over 40 years one of the greatest singers in history, recently gave her regular Spring concert in London. Her programmes did not differ from the many others she has given. It included "O luce di quest'anima" from Linda, "Batti, batti," from Don Giovanni, "Angels Ever Bright and Fair," "Pur dicesti," Gounod's "Quand tu chantes," "Home, Sweet Home," and "Comin' Thro' the Rye." Her voice is said to retain in parts almost the freshness of its youth.

The music at the Temple Beth Israel confirmation service, last Tuesday night, was excellent. Particularly beautiful were the quartet, "My Faith Looks Up to Thee," by Schaefer, with violin obligato by Reginald Hildes, and the duet, "Peace to This Dwelling," by Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer and Mr. Belcher. Miss Fisher furnished admirable accompaniments. The Temple Quartet now consists of Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer, soprano; Miss J. Belcher, contralto; and J. Adrian Epping, baritone.

The attraction this season in Portland musical circles has been the playing of Oleg Gabelowitch, the Russian pianist, who was heard in this country two seasons ago. He has been heard a number of times with the Colonne Orchestra; also with the Lamoureux Orchestra, as well as in recitals and in many salons. So much talk was made over the young musician's playing that the attention of a Frohman representative was attracted, and the fact mentioned early in March in a cabaret to this country. Daniel Frohman went directly to Paris from London the day after his arrival, meeting Gabelowitch and finding that reports that had reached him regarding the playing and personality of the artist were all true, closed a contract with him for a tour of 50 concerts or recitals in America, Canada and Mexico next season, opening in New York or Boston early in October, and extending to the Pacific Coast.

St. Helena Hall Junior Recital. The junior recital of St. Helena Hall will be given Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with the following program:

- (a) "Cradle Song".....Brahms
- (b) "Wanderer's Greeting".....Abt
- (c) "Marche Militaire".....Schubert
- (d) "Romance".....Brahms
- (e) "Hommages to Verdi".....Duroc
- (f) "Wedding Music".....Jensen
- (g) "La Morena".....Chaminade
- (h) "Chant Sans Paroles".....Tchaikowsky
- (i) "Romance".....Rachmaninoff
- (j) "Tarentelle".....Foguer
- (k) "Marche Militaire".....Schubert
- (l) "Romance".....Brahms
- (m) "Hommages to Verdi".....Duroc
- (n) "Wedding Music".....Jensen
- (o) "La Morena".....Chaminade
- (p) "Chant Sans Paroles".....Tchaikowsky
- (q) "Romance".....Rachmaninoff
- (r) "Tarentelle".....Foguer

left Monday for a visit with friends in Southern Oregon. Miss Martha Fischer arrived Friday from a visit with Portland friends. Miss Ruby Cornell, of Salem, arrived Wednesday, and is the guest of Miss Stelwer.

Miss Lella Privett, of Baker City, has been the guest for several days of Mrs. Ruth Clark. Mrs. L. L. Porter, of Oregon City, has arrived for commencement at the Agricultural College. Mrs. F. A. Helm left Thursday for Portland to attend the state meeting of the Native Daughters, and then, after a visit in Eastern Oregon, she will go to Texas for the winter.

Hillbush. Miss Estelle Goodin, of Grant's Pass, is visiting her parents here. James Butler returned this week from a trip to Humboldt County, Cal.

Mrs. J. C. Greer departed for a Summer's visit at Minneapolis Tuesday. Rev. J. G. Tate, past supreme master of the A. O. U. W., and pastor of the

Austin's 60th birthday. Dainty refreshments were served. Colonel J. M. and Mrs. Poorman were Portland visitors the first of the week.

Miss Gilmore, of Nebraska, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. O. E. Thompson. Philip Finzer, of Southern Oregon, is visiting his brother, W. E. Finzer, of this city.

Mrs. Smith, Mrs. G. H. Pottinger and Mrs. W. M. Gray were guests of Mrs. H. L. Gill during the week. O. D. Henderson, A. S. Auterson and H. D. Bomhoff went to Portland Wednesday morning, returning Friday evening.

Forest Grove. Mr. A. L. Teegarden, of Bay Center, is visiting friends here. Miss Blanche McHaffie, of Condon, is visiting classmates at Pacific University.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Russell, of Omaha, are visiting the family of C. V. B. Russell. The Misses Winifred and Maud Van Dusen, Harry George, and Miss Sadie

home Tuesday to spend the Summer vacation. J. C. Morrison and family, of Salem, are visiting Dallas relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson, of Albany, spent several days this week in Dallas. Miss Meda Holman, who has been visiting with relatives in Salem, returned home Tuesday.

Oscar Hayter is visiting friends in the Dallas this week. He was accompanied by his cousin, Miss Emma Dempsey. Mrs. E. A. Hale, of Brownsville, and Mrs. Dr. Will Skiff, of Salem, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Elliott last Sunday.

Baker City. Miss Bessie Edwards, of Portland, is visiting friends in this city. Miss Hattie Dwight, of Union, is visiting her friend, Miss Tracy, of this city.

Mrs. J. P. Paul, accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. C. W. Paul, and baby, left Thursday on a Summer vacation tour, for San Francisco.

WASHINGTON. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Johnson returned Saturday from an extended visit to Montreal, Canada.

Mrs. W. H. Morgan returned Sunday from Portland, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Parks, for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wooding left Saturday for Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, to spend the Summer with Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Thomas, in the mountains.

Mrs. Paul Johnson left Saturday for Portland, where she will spend the Summer with relatives. Mr. Johnson having gone to Alaska to remain until Fall.

Miss Elsie Abbott, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles B. Bell, left Thursday morning for a brief visit to Elms, before returning to her home in Everett.

Mrs. M. Weatherwax and Mrs. P. F. Clarke, assisted by Mesdames Benjamin and Egner, entertained in a most charming manner at the Weatherwax home, Friday afternoon. Invitations had been extended to 50 guests, and all were present. Dainty refreshments were served, and the event thoroughly enjoyed by all.

The leading society event of the week was the invitation ball given by the ladies of St. Andrew's Guild, Friday evening, at Elks' Hall. One hundred invitations were issued, and there were fully that many couples in the opening march. The handsome gowns of the ladies, the select company present, and the perfect music made the function a brilliant and enjoyable one.

Centralia. Captain W. L. Underwood visited his family in this city Sunday.

Mrs. W. D. Roberts entertained a few of her friends informally Monday. Will Barr is at home from Stanford University for the Summer vacation.

Mrs. George Ellsbury is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bloomer, in Seattle. Miss Rose Manning, formerly of this city, was married a few days ago at Evanston, Ill.

Professor and Mrs. Z. N. Wallis entertained the High School graduating class at their home Thursday evening. Games and refreshments served to pass the time most pleasantly.

Centralia Lodge No. 54, K. of P., initiated two members Thursday evening. Mayor Zimmer then invited the 25 members present to his residence, where they were delightfully entertained with music and choice refreshments.

Mrs. E. R. Zimmer delightfully entertained Thursday afternoon, at her home. The floral decorations were very prettily arranged, roses and lily predominating. Those assisting Mrs. Zimmer in receiving her friends were Mrs. J. P. Gurte, Mrs. Z. N. Wallis, Miss George Baker, Miss Mabel Slater, Miss Laura Spencer, Miss Nettie Wingard and Miss Nettie Henderson.

Miss Eva Brown and Mr. Harmon Jones favored the guests with selections on the guitar. One hundred and seventy invitations were sent.

Walla Walla. Miss Hanford, of Seattle, is visiting Mrs. W. T. Dorell.

Mrs. Fred Morie, of Seattle, is in the city visiting relatives. Mrs. James McCool has gone to Spokane on a visit to relatives.

Lieutenant A. H. Bryant and bride have returned from their wedding trip. Hon. Miles C. Moore returned this week from a pleasure trip to New York.

Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Baker, of North Yakima, are in the city for the Summer. Miss Nellie M. Dibble left for California Friday, and will not return to St. Paul's School.

Miss McCurdy, Miss Colby and Miss Diehl have gone to the Yosemite for the Summer. Rev. Myron Edlis, son of the late Rev. Cushing Edlis, who accompanied Marcus

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Whitman to the Coast in early days, is a guest of Mrs. Dr. D. S. Baker.

Mrs. W. E. Timberlake and daughter, Miss Lolia, of Lewiston, were in the city during the week.

Dr. P. M. Stine, who has been in the city visiting relatives, returned to his home in Spokane the first of the week.

Chehalis. Mrs. George A. Spencer is in Seattle, visiting her mother, Mrs. Winsor.

Mrs. W. D. Richardson is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. A. Long, in Everett.

James B. Long returned Thursday from California after an absence of a year.

Mrs. A. J. Douglas, of Seattle, visited the family of Dr. Douglas Monday and Tuesday.

Colonel B. W. Colner, of Riffe, and Professor L. H. Leach, of Chibhalls, were Seattle visitors this week.

Miss Jennie Westendorf attended a meeting of the St. Cecilia Musical Club in Tacoma Tuesday evening.

Mrs. H. Payzant and her children departed Wednesday for Fairmount, Nova Scotia, for a three month's sojourn.

Miss Maggie Gelseler, of Montesano, visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Gelseler, in Chehalis this week.

Mrs. Mary R. Gessell and daughter, Mrs. J. B. Greenfield, of University Park, Or., are visiting Charles Gessell at Chehalis.

Mrs. R. T. Hazard, her two children and Miss Hazard started to Yellowstone Park Wednesday, where Lieutenant Hazard is stationed.

Vancouver. Miss Susan Beeson, a teacher in the Vancouver schools, left the first of the week for a visit with relatives at Marshfield.

Mrs. L. D. Seal left Wednesday for San Jose, Cal., for a six weeks' visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. C. Gridley and Mrs. Charles Sears entertained a number of elderly ladies last Wednesday afternoon in honor of their mother, Mrs. Hinchway.

The social event of the past week was the reception and ball given by the Vancouver High School Alumni, Monday evening, in honor of the class of 1902. The early part of the evening was given to several concert pieces by Everett's orchestra, and five-minute talks by Professor Shumway, Carl Winter, in behalf of the Alumni Association, and Miss Julia Hildes, in behalf of the class of 1902. At 9:30 dancing was begun and continued throughout the evening.

Waitsburg. Miss Jennie King, of Endicott, Wash., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. C. W. Wheeler left Monday on a visit to friends in Portland.

Dr. W. G. M. Hays, of Pullman, attended the academy commencement exercises here this week.

Mrs. L. H. Bonnell, of Spokane, arrived Wednesday on an extended visit with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wheeler and daughter Amy and son Roy returned this week from a visit to friends in Portland.

Mr. Wheeler has been acting as grand lecturer for the Modern Woodmen.

The sixteenth annual commencement of the Waitsburg Academy was held last week. Rev. Huber Ferguson, of Portland, delivered the address to the graduates, and Rev. A. A. Berry the address to the Christian societies.

HER EMPHATIC OPINION. Expressed in Various Terms, but Not in a Way to Have Effect.

Washington Star. There were plenty of vacant seats forward in the open car, but the hatchet-faced woman with the baggy umbrella and the faded reticule didn't want to see them. The conductor, with his hand on the bell strap, motioned her with the other hand to one of the forward seats, but she didn't want to see the conductor, either. So she deposited herself and her baggy umbrella and her faded reticule in the next-to-the-last seat, alongside a short, squat man with a bristly red-dish moustache and a fixed stare right ahead. This individual was puffing industriously on a ravelled, pale olive-brown cigar that gave forth eccentric clouds of brownish smoke that looked as if it might be issuing from a burning oil flue.

No sooner had she taken her seat than the hatchet-faced woman began to glare at the man with the freak smoke. The man, however, kept right at his work of puffing, never seemingly taking his eyes from the back of the motorman's neck, straight ahead.

"Ugh!" ejaculated the hatchet-faced woman when she found that her glare wasn't relieving the situation any.

"Ugh!" The man with the eccentric fumer pulled harder than ever, and continued to regard the back of the motorman's neck as if fascinated by that spectacle.

"Some folks' manners, if I must say it!" snapped the woman with the baggy umbrella, wriggling in her seat and continuing to direct virulent glares at the red-dish-mustached man.

The latter removed the cigar from his mouth, gazed at it in a contemplative, affectionate sort of way, dampened some of the many loose ends of the thing with a forefinger, replaced it in his mouth and continued to fill the air with deep, brown smoke.

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EVELYN L. HITCHCOCK.

Evelyn L. Hitchcock is a remarkable juvenile pianist, who made her bow to the Portland public at the Marquam, June 6. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hitchcock. She is 9 years old, and has only been receiving musical instruction for a year, but her love for music and her natural powers of interpretation have won her recognition already as a talented performer.

Denver First Presbyterian Church, of Denver, Colo., is in the city, the guest of Hon. W. D. Hare.

Dr. George Merryman has returned from the East, and will soon leave for Eastern Washington.

Colonel and Mrs. C. T. Bowen, of Portland, were guests at the Boscaw home the first of the week.

Ashland. Mrs. E. Y. Carter is visiting in Portland this week.

Mrs. Thomas Gault, of Oregon City, is visiting Mrs. J. L. Gault.

Miss Grace Morey has arrived from San Francisco to spend the Summer in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hatch left for San Francisco Tuesday, where they will make their future home.

Professor and Mrs. B. Ashurst arrived from Winnemucca, Nev., Tuesday and are guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. O. Caldwell.

Woodburn. Miss Mary Hubbard is home from a few weeks' visit in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Austin entertained a number of friends at their home last Friday evening, the occasion being Mr.

Crang, of Astoria, are visiting the family of Dr. Frederick Crang.

Dr. Henry E. Jones, of Portland, and Will H. Thompson, of Seattle, spent a day here this week with F. S. Barnes.

James Rogers, of Roseburg, is visiting his sister, Mrs. W. S. Hudson, of this city. Brother and sister had not met for 50 years.

Independence. Dr. W. C. Brown visited friends in Salem this week.

Banker Hirschberg is attending the meeting of the Mystic Shriners at San Francisco.

L. W. Robertson, of Portland, visited for several days with his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Craven, of this city, the first of the week.

Miss Vena Goff, who is one of the teachers in the public schools of Great Falls, Mont., has returned home to spend the Summer with her parents.

Dallas. F. B. West was a Brownsville visitor this week.

C. W. Matthews was a Lebanon visitor Thursday.

Miss Bertha Fuller, who has been attending business college in Salem, arrived

MOUNT ANGEL COLLEGE GLEE CLUB



WHICH WILL TAKE A PROMINENT PART IN THE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES NEXT WEEK.

- William Cronin. John Porter. Thomas Walsh. Harvey Crain. Benedict Davis. Frank Dubois.
- William Maloney. Rev. P. Dominie. Ralph McLaughlin. Charles Armstrong. Edward Sheridan. Bernard Herrmann.

MOUNT ANGEL, June 14.—The annual commencement exercises of Mount Angel College will be held June 24, when the play of "William Tell" will be presented. A large attendance from Portland and other cities is expected. A special feature of the programme will be the singing by the Glee Club, an organization that has met with pronounced favor in outside musical circles, its concerts winning high praise from press and public. The director of the Glee Club is Rev. F. Dominie, O. S. B., who has the reputation of being one of the best musical conductors on the Pacific Coast.

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people from all parts of the county and Portland. The handsome hall was profusely decorated with the flags of all nations, as well as flowers and ferns. Two stein lunches were employed to cater and refresh the numerous guests from up and down the river. A fine supper was provided, as well as light refreshments. Dancing was kept up until daylight. Misses Katharine Harbaugh, Edna McGowan, Misses Cyrus Gibson and Ernest Masters, of Portland, attended the ball.

Pendleton. Hon. G. W. Webb is visiting relatives in La Grande.

Mrs. Rose Campbell has gone to The Dalles and Portland to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Tallman and Miss Mollie Tallman have gone to the Coast for a short trip.

R. Alexander went as far as La Grande Saturday to meet Mrs. Alexander, who had been in Baker City for some time visiting relatives. Mrs. Alexander returned very much improved in health.

William Sturges entertained the Berkeley baseball team at dinner Tuesday evening, at the home of his mother, Mrs. S. P. Sturges. In the evening, he gave them a reception, and about 50 people called.

Mrs. F. C. Taylor gave a dainty luncheon Thursday afternoon to a few ladies. The house was prettily decorated with cut flowers and ferns. Those present were: Mrs. Leon Cohen, Mrs. C. S. Jackson, Mrs. M. J. Lane, Miss Lane, Mrs. E. J. Judd, Mrs. F. B. Clifton, Miss Roberts and Mrs. H. C. Guernsey.

McMinnville. Miss Helen Calbreath, of Salem, visited friends in this city the first of the week.

Miss Rue Goucher went to Salem Tuesday to visit her friend, Miss Helen Calbreath.

F. R. Rogers returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives and friends in the Eastern states.

Fred Cooper is home from San Francisco on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooper.

Lyman Latourette, of Portland, attended the commencement exercises of McMinnville College last week.

Mrs. H. I. Heath and daughter left Thursday for Ferndale, Wash., for a month's visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooper entertained a number of friends Thursday evening in honor of their son, Fred Cooper.

Mrs. C. D. Bowles, of Vancouver, Wash., attended the commencement exercises of McMinnville College the first of the week.

Grant's Pass. Miss Dora Talvert departed Wednesday for Portland, where she will visit relatives and acquaintances.

Mrs. Davis, of Stanford, Cal., visited in Grant's Pass this week, the guest of Mrs. D. I. Green and daughter.

Professor and Mrs. Cameron, of Ashland, have arrived in Grant's Pass, and will spend the Summer here.

Edward Van Dyke left Wednesday morning for Eugene to attend the commencement exercises of the State University, from which institution he graduated last year.

Miss Dora Williamson returned Tuesday from San Jose, Cal., where she has