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MISS HELENE WHITE WHOSE WEDDING WILL TAKE PLACE JUNE 4



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The public is urged to attend the festival and to see the work that has been accomplished and to realize its great possibilities.

Miss Lullie Hall has returned from Lewiston, Idaho, and Spokane, Wash., where she has been delightfully entertained for a fortnight, going to Spokane to attend a smart country club dance.

Dr. George Ainslie is entertaining at his apartments his sister, Mrs. George W. Collins, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dieck, who arrived at the hotel at 10 o'clock from Manila. Mrs. Dieck (Miss Caroline Ainslie) is a bride of the year, whose wedding was celebrated in Hongkong, whither she went to meet her fiance, a well-known city engineer at Manila, and whom she had met on a former visit to Manila. Upon the completion of their visit Mr. and Mrs. Dieck will return to Seattle.

Miss Villa Whitney White, who has been studying the Cady system in Boston, will spend the Summer here as a guest of Miss Maud Ainsworth.

On Saturday evening last, Dr. Gustav Baar celebrated the eightieth anniversary of his arrival in America with a jolly reception. Dr. Baar's offices on the eighth floor of The Oregonian, and those of Dr. E. E. W. Connor, were the scenes of the reception. Later Miss Amy Seller, who has but recently returned from abroad, played some brilliant selections which were the order of numbers by Miss Anne Ditchburn, soloist, and E. O. Spitzner, violinist. An elaborate supper followed at the Hotel Portland. Present were Dr. and Mrs. De Wier, Cornell, Miss Amy Seller, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. MacRae, Miss Alice Benson, Miss Ditchburn, Arthur A. Greene, Mr. Dodson, Mr. Hellbrunner, Mr. Tollman, Stanford Lowengardt and Captain Werleigh, U. S. N.

Mr. and Mrs. William MacMaster have engaged apartments at the Nortonia. The first of June, in accordance with their usual custom, they will spend the entire Summer in Victoria.

The dancing party given by the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club and the women's annex at Muriak Hall Friday evening ranks as one of the most successful affairs of the season. Brilliant M. A. A. C. pennants were conspicuously in evidence and a profusion of red and white carnations, in the color of the dining-room, Parsons' augmented orchestra furnished the music for dancing, and the hall presented an attractive appearance with the prettily gowned women. The patronesses were Mrs. E. H. McCracken, Mrs. J. P. Bronaugh, Mrs. Theodore Nicolai, Mrs. Herbert Holman, Mrs. F. S. Burlingame, Mrs. J. M. H. Brown, A. J. Giesy and Mrs. L. A. Brown. On the reception committee were Mrs. Millard C. Holbrook, Mrs. G. A. Hoffman, Mrs. E. M. Kennard, Mrs. L. A. Peters, Mrs. H. E. Coleman, Mrs. T. B. Neuhausen, Mrs. Robert Krohn and Miss Lucy Nicolai. The following composed the floor committee: Miss Madeline Howell, Miss Mayme Cronin, Miss Agnes Hill, Miss Dagmar Korrell, Miss Lucy Nicolai and Miss Helen Brigham, James Ambrose, J. A. McNeil and Edward Smith, Charles E. McDonnell, A. S. Rothwell, Morris Dunne and Chester Murphy.

Miss Effie Gitchell, who has been visiting her sister this Winter, returned Tuesday to her home in Lansing, Mich.

Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Helene White and Mr. Clyde Hixon Reade, which is to take place Tuesday, June 4. St. Mark's Church has been chosen for the ceremony. The rather unusual hour of 10 A. M. selected for the ceremony. Mr. Reade's friends are congratulating him upon his engagement to Miss White, who is a charming and popular member of the younger set. Miss Florence Williams of The Dalles, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dunne, of Seattle, has been chosen as the only bridesmaid, and Mr. Reade is to be attended by Mr. Robert Kinney. The ushers will be Mr. David Jordan (twice wedding) and Mr. Arthur Honeyman. A picture of the bride-elect appears on today's society page.

Miss Carolyn Burns and Miss Margaret Walter are spending the weekend at Gearhart Park.

Mrs. Charles Kennard Williams was hostess at a large bridge party Wednesday afternoon at their Twenty-fourth-street residence. Prizes and excellent table were quaintly framed Japanese pieces. The guests were Mrs. J. N. Teal, Miss Margaret Catlin, Mrs. B. F. Stevens, Mrs. J. B. Van Dyke, Miss Etta Morris, Miss Katherine Sitton, Mrs. C. M. Gunn, Mrs. E. Hatch, Mrs. Elmer, Mrs. Lloyd J. Wentworth, Miss Hazel Wentworth, Miss Delores Lewis, Miss Louise Howland, Miss Blanche Catlin, Mrs. G. Bruere, Mrs. W. C. Noon, Miss Genevieve Thompson, Mrs. Everett Ames, Mrs. L. M. Moore, Mrs. E. L. Nau, Mrs. W. H. McVay, Mrs. F. R. Reed, Mrs. W. A. Goss, Miss Gile, Miss Kinney, Mrs. C. E. Curry, Mrs. George Wentworth, Mrs. Shalla Welch, Mrs. Winslow Bradford, Mrs. L. H. Parker, Mrs. J. D. Leonard, Mrs. W. C. Bristow, Mrs. J. C. Stone, Mrs. C. W. Sherman, Mrs. George D. Schalk and Mrs. A. E. Mackay.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Ellis (Miss Helen Lytle) have returned from New York and are planning to visit in Portland en route to California, where they will permanently reside.

An attractive matron who is proving popular is Mrs. Ernest Nickerson, formerly of Boston. Mrs. Nickerson is a striking brunette type of beauty, with the additional charm of a smile. At a recent bridge party she attracted much favorable comment in an imported gown of black net over chiffon combined with Cluny lace, with a hand-painted spray of Calla lilies on the corsage, which added a chic touch to the Empire effect. Mr. and Mrs. Nickerson were hosts at a small bridge dinner last week, at which their guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Curry, Professor and Mrs. S. R. Johnson of the Portland Chamber of Commerce, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Modjeski, son of Madame Helene Modjeska. Mr. Modjeski, who has business interests in Portland, is a member of the Arlington Club and is a talented musician.

Madame Ven Bolton, Miss Von Bolton and Miss Nicholson, who are giving a series of luncheons, entertained last Thursday. The second is to occur this coming Thursday.

Miss Ione Dille, a Stanford girl, was made the guest of honor of a luncheon at a progressive 500 party given by Mrs. R. A. Letter. Present were Mrs. Ernest Laidlaw, Mrs. Hugh Laidlaw, Miss Elizabeth Scarce, Miss Marjorie Alameda, Mrs. Otis Wight, Mrs. Walter S. Dole, Mrs. Joseph Barrett, Mrs. O. C. Letter, Mrs. R. L. Donald, Mrs. George H. Bates, Mrs. Grace Dunbar, Mrs. Hart, Miss Johnson, Miss Mabel Goss, Miss Ethel Wentworth and Mrs. H. K. Arnold.

Clarence Curry and William Wheeler entertained about forty Portland Academy friends on Saturday last with a picnic. The entire day was spent taking their guests in the Launch Imperial. Among those present were the Misses Jeannette Thomas, Gene Morriss, Margaret Bates, Lucile Smith, Ruth Small, Mildred and Grace Honeyman, Gretchen Klosterman, Lillian Beuhner, Barbara Klosterman, Evelyn Clary, Elvina Helbrock, Katherine Clary, Mildred Grindstaff, Mary Brown, Berkeley Snow, Ernest Swigert, Hallet Maxwell, Ford Tarpley, Ferd

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- 44-inch Black Novita Suiting, very stylish—regular \$1.25 grade; a yard..... 93c
- 52-inch Black Panama, extra quality and worth \$1.35; special, a yard..... \$1.12
- 45-inch Black Poplin, medium weight and regular \$1.25 grade; special..... 98c

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- 34-inch Real Swiss, our regular 35c quality; special, a yard..... 23c
- 34-inch Real Swiss—very fine; our 25c quality; special, a yard..... 19c
- 36-inch Real Swiss, standard 35c grade; special, a yard..... 27c

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- 32-inch fine Sheer Organdy—regular 35c grade—special, a yard..... 25c
- 30-inch fine Sheer Organdy—regular 20c grade—special, a yard..... 15c
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Branch Riley's guests, Miss Gertrude Mackintosh, of Seattle, and Miss Beatie Henry, of San Jose, have come in for some delightful entertaining in an informal way. On Monday evening Mr. Chester Murphy was dinner host at the Waverly Golf Club, entertaining again for them last night with a launch ride on his electric launch, Sophia, with a jolly picnic supper as a finale. On Thursday Mr. Harry Sladen gave a theater party to the Baker, which was followed by a supper at the Hotel Portland grill. Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Rockey also entertained for the visitors on Wednesday, taking their guests to the opening night of the Marquand and following it with a supper. On Thursday afternoon Miss Alice Sanbury gave a launching party, which terminated at the Golf Club, where they were joined by a number of bachelors, who arrived for tea.

The two visitors and their hostesses are members of the Alpha Phi sorority and Mr. Riley, Mr. Murphy and Mr. Sladen are Zeta Phi men. They were all college friends at Stanford.

An extremely pretty luncheon was given last Saturday by Mrs. George Good for Mrs. Bramhall and Mrs. Baker. A charming color scheme was carried out in the dining-room, which is in tones of yellow, and the decorations were masses of yellow and lavender Spring flowers. Present were Mrs. C. H. Lewis, Miss Sallie Lewis, Mrs. Gilsan, Miss Carrie Gilsan, Mrs. W. S. Ladd, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. David Honeyman, Mrs. Henry Nunn, Mrs. Hunt Lewis, Mrs. Zora Snow, Mrs. R. B. Wilson, Miss Clementine Wilson, Mrs. W. J. Burns, Mrs. Richard Kohler, Mrs. J. C. Flanders, Miss Martha Hoyt, Mrs. J. C.

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IT WILL BE A source of regret to many that the wedding of Miss Mae Whidden to Ellsworth Mather Taylor, of New York, is to be celebrated in the East, in lieu of the large wedding which had previously been planned to take place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Whidden, on Riverside Drive. The alteration in the plans is due to the fact that Miss Whidden's mother and two brothers are all in the East, and Ray Whidden, who is attending Harvard, is just recuperating from a severe illness. As yet the date has not been definitely decided upon, but it will occur in Boston during June. Miss Whidden has a charming manner, and is a favorite with young and old. Mr. Taylor is a Yale man.

gracious manners to both young and old. She is at present in New York City studying music, in which she is said to be extremely talented, but will return in the near future to complete arrangements for the very interesting event. The engagement is the culmination of a romance originating when Mr. Van Houten was a student at the Hill Military Academy, which institution Dr. J. W. Hill has long been identified with. Another engagement is that of Miss Lucille Palmer and Martin Schacht. Miss Palmer is a niece of S. M. Mears. The wedding day of Miss Mabelle Brenis, of Walla Walla, and John Robb is June 5. Miss Brenis has visited here on various occasions as a guest of either Mrs. Joseph N. Teal or Mrs. Walter Cooke, and has always been shown many attentions. Keen interest is being shown in the proposed plans for an all-day festival which will be given May 25 on the children's playgrounds by a number of prominent matrons and girls for the worthy char-

itable object, the People's Institute. On that day 500 children of North Portland are to be showered with attentions. At 10 A. M. a baseball game will be followed by amusements for the hearts of boys and girls. At 12 o'clock a luncheon will be served under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Rockey and Mrs. Percy. Mrs. David Honeyman is to be assisted in serving by a bevy of 48 girls, who will do all in their power to make the day a memorable one. Five-minute talks from representative men in reference to the very commendable work carried on by the Institute will take place at 3 o'clock, and as a charming finale Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett is to obtain the majority of private motors in town, which will be driven in many instances by their owners, who will devote several hours to their charges, who will experience the novelty of their first ahug-chug ride. Throughout the United States much enthusiasm is being shown in reference to the children's playgrounds, owing to the fact that the National convention held at Jamestown has the hearty co-operation of President Roosevelt. Many new features will be added to the splendid Portland playgrounds, which cover several park blocks, where sand banks, sea-saws, swings, gymnasium paraphernalia, etc., afford delightful recreation for the children. Three baseball teams are to be organized, also classes in basket work and clay modeling, the latter work during the Winter having brought out many creditable designs and is full of possibilities. Kitchen garden and cooking are to be discontinued during the Summer months, but at the playgrounds the study hour and gymnasium are to be carried on. A prominent matron, whose name is withheld, has volunteered to take groups of from five to ten children at a time to the mountain and seashore during the entire Summer, surely a delightful way to