SOCIETY

BY NANCY LEE

MISS INEZ CUMMING, A DAUGHTER OF DR. W. A. CUMMING, WHOSE ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED TO MR. HAROLD PERPALL OF NEW YORK

MRS. WM. FRANKLIN DODD, OF BOISE, IDAHO, WHO WAS FORMERLY MISS GENEVIVE MAYS, ONE OF THE MOST RECENT BRIDES

EVERYTHING now indicates a very active Winter season from a social standpoint, and the reorganization of clubs has begun in earnest. Particularly are some large affairs scheduled during the holidays.

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Interesting word has been received that Arthur Alexander, of musical fame, who is now in London, is engaged to Miss Ada Barker, of Portland, the daughter of the late capitalist, William Christopher Barker, and a sister of William Barker, whose engagement was recently announced to Miss Corinne Riely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riely.

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A recent San Francisco paper states that Miss Hazel Dolph is coming in for much social attention. On Wednesday of last week Mrs. Peter Martin, of New York, gave a luncheon in her honor at the Hotel St. Francis, which was a smart affair. However, Mrs. Martin's entertaining is invariably so, as from the days when she was Miss Lily Oelrich, of New York, she has been one of the conspicuous figures in the Astor-Vanderbilt set. Mrs. Elenor Martin, Miss Dolph's hostess, entertained also with an elaborate luncheon last week in honor of the hero of the Merrimac, Captain Richard Pearson Hobson.

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Mrs. Hamilton Brooke, the widow of the late Hamilton Brooke, has returned from a six months' trip abroad. Mrs. Brooke sailed from Boston on the White Star Line, going first to Italy and then to Switzerland, and from there to France. The latter two months of her stay was spent in England and Scotland. En route home she visited with Margretta Brooke, who is attending school in New York, and after going to Baltimore visited with Mrs. H. E. Brooke in Washington, D. C.

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An exceedingly charming woman is Mrs. Anson Phelps Stokes, the wife of Dr. Stokes, of the Yale faculty, who spent a few days this past week at the Portland Hotel, and it was sincerely regretted that her stay was of such short duration. Mrs. Phelps is a decided blonde beauty, with a pretty Southern accent and a most engaging manner. On Thursday evening, when Dr. Stokes was given a banquet at the University Club, Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Ayer entertained with a dinner in compliment to Mrs. Stokes, to which were bidden Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burns, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Dr. George Wilson, C. B. Hurley, of Tacoma, and Dr. H. C. Jefferds. As a centerpiece was used a huge bowl of bridesmaid buds.

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Mrs. J. B. Montgomery and Miss Margaret Montgomery will sail on November 18 for America, bringing with them the Baroness von Witzelben, whom they have been visiting in Berlin. The Baroness is coming out to Colorado to visit her grandfather, who is an American, and in all probability she will later spend some time with the Montgomerys before returning to Germany.

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Miss Sallie Lewis has gone to New York, where she will visit with Mrs. W. B. Ayer for some weeks, returning with her just prior to the holidays.

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A luncheon of 18 covers and one of the prettiest of the Fall season was given Thursday by Mrs. L. Allen Lewis for Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett, to which were asked Mrs. Thomas Kerr, Mrs. Peter Kerr, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Holt C. Wilson, Miss Frances Lewis, Miss Judith Minor, Miss Frances Wilson, Miss Josephine Smith, Mrs. W. J. Burns, Miss Lisa Wood, Mrs. George Goode, Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Mrs. Percy Blyth, Miss May Failing, Mrs. William Biddle and Mrs. Robert Howard, Jr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Winslow have returned from Europe and are now at the Plaza, in New York. Owing to the prominence of both, there will no doubt be a great deal of entertaining for them.

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Social activities have revolved during the week just ended about Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett. In addition to the large luncheon at which Mrs. Allen Lewis was the hostess, a dinner Wednesday was given in Mr. and Mrs. Corbett's honor by Mr. and Mrs. David T. Honeyman, who had additionally as honor guests Mr. and Mrs. C. Edward Grelle. Others present were Miss Frances Lewis, Miss Kathleen Burns, Miss Lisa Wood, Roderick Macleay and Thomas Scott Brooke. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kerr gave a small dinner Friday at the charming Rivera residence for Mr. and Mrs. Corbett which included Miss Judith Minor, Miss Frances Lewis, Roderick Macleay and Andrew Kerr. And again on Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Corbett were entertained at dinner by General and Mrs. C. F. Beebe.

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In honor of her guest, Miss Judith Minor, of Seattle, Mrs. Thomas Kerr gave a small tea on Wednesday at the Golf Club. Two foresomes of golf were played by Mrs. L. Allen Lewis, Mrs. W. J. Burns, Mrs. Harry Sladen, Mrs. John C. Ainsworth, Mrs. Kerr, Miss Carrie Flanders and Miss Minor, while the bridge devotees were Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Miss May Failing, Mrs. Arthur Minott, Mrs. Peter Kerr, Miss Kathleen Burns and Miss Louise Flanders.

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Mrs. C. E. Smith has returned from an eight months' tour of Europe, which she took with her daughter, Miss Helen, who will remain this Winter in Berlin to further her musical studies. Mrs. and Miss Smith went over on the same steamer with Miss Hazel and Leslie Weidler, whom they met again in Germany.

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A wedding commanding more than ordinary interest will be that of Miss Grace Reed, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Knox Polk Reed, of Boston, to Morris Homans Whitehouse, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Whitehouse. Mr. Whitehouse is a member of one of the oldest Portland families, and ranks among the very popular bachelors. The wedding will take place Tuesday evening in Salt Lake, and the only guests from here will be Miss Lois Steers and Miss Wynn Coman. Mr. Whitehouse has but recently returned from a year abroad, which was the result of a scholarship won for architecture at the Boston Technological School. After a short wedding trip Mr. Whitehouse and his bride will visit for a while at the residence of Mr. Whitehouse's sister, Mrs. Edward Cookingham. Later they will reside at Twenty-second and Kearney streets. Mr. Whitehouse is also a brother of Edward L. Brown and Mrs. H. S. Hostetter, of Boston.

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Many Portlanders will learn with regret the death in Vancouver, B. C., of Mrs. Arnold von Ellinger, who several years ago resided here. Mrs. von Ellinger was the daughter of the late D. C. Abel, of Weisbaden, a German scholar of note, who was envoy to the Kaiser and one of the greatest linguists the world has ever known, conversing in all in 42 languages. Mrs. von Ellinger inherited her father's great intellectuality, and possessed a personality that endeared her to many both in this country and in Europe.

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In all probability, Major and Mrs. Parke and Miss Genevieve Parke will visit in Portland before the holidays, as they have sailed on the transport Buford for San Francisco on several months' leave.

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Mr. and Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox have left for several weeks' visit in New York City and in their respective Massachusetts homes.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. T. C. Stevens and Miss Russell have returned from England, where they have been since last July.

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A pleasing acquisition to Portland is Mrs. Jacques Andre Foulhoux, who arrived here recently as a bride. Mr. Foulhoux, who came to Portland a few years ago from Paris, is a man of culture, being a graduate of the University of Paris, and at one time was offered a professorship at Johns Hopkins. Mrs. Foulhoux is a Baltimorean, and was one of the very popular girls at Byrn Mawr. She has seen much foreign travel, having but recently returned from France. Mrs. Foulhoux has attracted attention in her striking Parisian trousseau gowns, which for the most part are fashioned after the new directoire models. Mr. Foulhoux has recently planned to devote one evening a week to a French Alliance, which will include a number of prominent people and which is to enable them to speak the language with greater fluency.

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Another engagement which is bringing many felicitations in its train is that of Miss Hannah Adair to Lamsat Rogers, of Philadelphia. Miss Adair is a member of one of the most prominent Portland families, who have long been identified with Oregon, being a granddaughter of the late Bishop B. Wistar Morris and a granddaughter of the late General John Adair. She is also related to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Adair and Colonel and Mrs. W. H. Jordan. Miss Adair has spent the past two years in New York, where she has been studying music with Josseffy. Mr. Rogers is a member of one of the leading Philadelphia families and a prominent architect. Miss Adair is at present one of a small house party which Miss Kathleen Burns is giving at Gearhart Park, and which includes Miss Nan Robertson and Miss Amy Heitshu.

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Several weddings of interest will take place on Wednesday, November 18, the principal one being that of Miss Harriet Ankeny, the daughter of Senator and Mrs. Levi Ankeny, to Captain Francis Pope, which will be celebrated in Walla Walla.

The marriage of Miss Pansy Perkins, daughter of United States Senator George C. Perkins, to Cleveland Baker, District Attorney of Tonopah, is also scheduled for that date to take place in Oakland. The best man will be Harry Litt, who was a classmate of Mr. Baker at Stanford.

The same evening another very prominent wedding will occur in San Francisco, being that of Miss Constance De Young, daughter of M. H. De Young, owner of the San Francisco Chronicle, to Mr. Joseph Tobin, of San Francisco and Burlingame. Miss De Young is highly accomplished, having lived much abroad. She has also been presented at the English court.

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The engagement is announced of Miss Lou King, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. King, to George M. McPherson, the wedding to take place early in December. Miss King is a member of an old pioneer family for whom Kings Heights was named, and is also related to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jefferies and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Humason. Mr. McPherson, who is originally from the East, is to be attended at the coming wedding by his brother, John McPherson. Mrs. Norris B. Gregg will be the matron of honor. Miss King is a member of the Omega Nu Sorority and a graduate of Mills College.

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Miss May Failing entertained Friday afternoon with five tables of bridge, asking Mrs. Howard Mather, Mrs. Morton Insley, Mrs. William T. Muir, Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Mrs. C. E. Chenery, Mrs. James Laidlaw, Mrs. L. Allen Lewis, Miss Ella Hirsch, Mrs. Ernest Tucker, Mrs. Arthur Minott, Mrs. Harrison Corbett, Miss Lizzie Myrick, Mrs. James Canby, Mrs. Samuel Mears, Mrs. G. Goode, Mrs. Gordon Voorhies, Mrs. S. G. Wheeler, Miss Henrietta Failing. Tea was poured by Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett and Mrs. William Biddle.

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Miss Ernestine Failing will give a bridge party on Wednesday, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett.

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In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sladen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freeman entertained informally Friday evening with bridge, asking Mr. and Mrs. David C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot, Miss Effie Houghton, Miss Susan Stott, Miss Hazel Croker, Miss Grace Warren, George Warren, Don Monroe, John Cronan and Marion Dolph.

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At the luncheon on Thursday given by Mrs. Wells Gilbert for Mrs. Harry Sladen were Miss Grace Warren, Miss Ernestine Failing, Miss Effie Houghton, Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot, Miss Inez Barrett and Miss Amy Heitshu.

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A large dinner party was given last week in Boston by Major and Mrs. Edward Burr, with Mrs. H. D. Green, Major and Mrs. Wheeler and Major and Mrs. John Bigelow as the honor guests.

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Miss Dorothy Morrison on Friday went over to Vancouver Barracks to be a guest over the week-end of Lieutenant and Mrs. Davis and to attend on Friday one of the informal post hops.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Grant, their children and their governess have returned to Burlingame from several months' residence in rural England. Mrs. Grant, who was Miss Edith Macleay and a sister of Mrs. Thomas Kerr is a favorite in Portland, where her visits are invariably the signal for much entertaining. For some time the Grants, with their children and governess, spent several months each year abroad.

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The presence of Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards from their picturesque Hay Creek ranch was the occasion for a pretty dinner Thursday given by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. S. Wood. Additionally there were present Miss May Failing, Miss Carrie Flanders, Mr. and Mrs. David T. Honeyman, Maxwell Wood and Childe Hassam, of New York.

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Miss Genevieve Thompson is a guest of Senator and Mrs. Levi Ankeny, of Walla Walla, where she went to be present at the Pope-Ankeny nuptials on Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Graham Glass left Portland Friday morning on advice from New York physicians to attend the bedside of their daughter, Ethelwynne, who is seriously ill at the Bennett School, Millbrook.

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Mrs. Holt C. Wilson, Mrs. N. B. Ayer and Mrs. S. B. Vincent acted as judges in the recent doll show. The entries were so numerous and beautiful that the task of choosing the winners was a difficult one.

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A National congress for the improvement and development of the waterways and harbors of the United States has recently been organized, in which the interest of women in all the states is enlisted. Mrs. Cleveland Rockwell has been appointed vice-president for the State of Oregon, and A. H. Devers the director for this state. Mrs. Rockwell some time ago presented to Governor Chamberlain for the State Library 40 volumes of reports, maps and other data of coast, river and harbor work with which her late husband had been connected, from Maine to Florida, on the Atlantic, and from San Diego to Alaska on the Pacific. Her knowledge and interest in this work will make her services of value to this organization.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Alvord entertained Tuesday evening for their guest Miss Grace Monroe, of Washington, D. C. Instead of bridge, various old-fashioned games were played, for which the prize winners were Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett and Kenneth Beebe, while the consolation fell to Miss Arelne Webster.

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In honor of the two Miss Danahers, of Chicago, who with their parents are spending the Winter at the Hotel Portland, Mrs. C. T. Whitney, of Willamette Heights, asked in to a 4 o'clock chocolate about 40 friends on Wednesday afternoon. Serving were Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot and Mrs. W. E. McCord, assisted by Miss Alice Sansbury, Mrs. Sharp and Mrs. W. B. Warren.

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Cards have been sent out for the wedding of Miss Inez Cumming, the eldest daughter of Dr. W. A. Cumming, of this city, to Harold Perpall, of New York, which is to take place in New York, Saturday, November 21. For the past two years Miss Cumming has had apartments in Gotham with her aunt, Miss Shannah Cumming, the well-known concert singer. The bride-to-be is also the possessor of a pleasing and well cultivated voice and on several occasions has substituted in one of the prominent New York choirs for her aunt. Dr. Cumming and Miss Veda Cumming left on Friday morning for the East, and after the weddings will remain over the Horse Show and the Opera season.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph A. Marshall gave a reception and dancing party on Thursday evening at the Irvington Tennis Club in honor of their daughter, Miss Vivian Marshall, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Fleming Marshall, their son and his bride. In the receiving line were the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wood, Mrs. W. J. Hoffman and Mrs. Leon Peters. About 200 guests were present.

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Under the patronage of the art department of the Woman's Club a benefit lecture will be given in aid of the fund for the Portland exhibit at the Lyceum International Art Exhibition, which will be held the first of the year in Berlin. The lecture is to be given on Tuesday at 3 P. M. at the Women of Woodcraft Hall by Miss Josephine Locke, who will take as her subject "Michael Angelo."

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Miss Pansy Nason Cuddy, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cuddy, whose marriage to Oscar Helmar Peterson, of Ridgefield, Wash., will take place December 16, was given a shower by a large number of young friends last Wednesday evening.

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The initial dancing party this year of the younger married set was held last Monday evening at Muriark Hall. The membership includes Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Ladd, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Kollock, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Sykes, Mr. and Mrs. L. Allen Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mears, Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Burrell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Hart, Dr. and Mrs. George O. Pelgram, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Brewster, Mr. and Mrs. Morton H. Insley, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence B. Sewall, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shevlin, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Nunn, Mr. and Mrs. W. Harrison Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot, Mr. and Mrs. Wells Gilbert, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Skene, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Effinger, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Wheeler, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert S. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mears, Dr. and Mrs. George S. Whiteside, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Muir, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Voorhies, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Linthicum, Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Page, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Alvord, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. Lansing Stout, Mr. and Mrs. William MacMaster, Dr. and Mrs. Otis B. Wight, Mr. and Mrs. John Eben Young, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Chenery, Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Warren, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Ayer, Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson Reed, Dr. H. C. Jefferds and Rodney L. Glisan.

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Cards are out for a large bridge party on Thursday, which will be given by Mrs. Frank Freeman for Miss Susan Stott.

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Mr. Chester G. Murphy has gone to California on a brief visit.

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About 70 members of the Cambrian Social Society gave a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foulkes, 821 Front street, last Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Foulkes are two respected Welsh residents of this city, and when their Welsh friends burst suddenly on them, singing songs in their quaint, native tongue, the surprise was complete. The visitors gave a musical programme under the efficient leadership of T. J. Jones. Several speeches were made and responded to.

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The benefit to be given on Friday night for Rose Eytinge is attracting much attention. This remarkable woman, now in her seventies, was at one time America's foremost emotional actress, and while having participated in any number of benefits for others during her long career, this is the first time that anything of this nature has been given in her honor. Of recent years Miss Eytinge's appearances in public have been infrequent, and she has devoted her time to teaching dramatic art and to literary work, most recent among them being her interesting memoirs. Miss Eytinge possesses a most charming and magnetic personality, that has made her many friends in all portions of the world.

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