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THE two prominent weddings scheduled for the week, the Corbett-Smith and the Fenton-Goddard nuptials, will have a tendency to hasten an earlier return than usual from the beaches. The former is to be celebrated Wednesday at high noon at the First Unitarian Church, and is to be followed by a breakfast at Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Smith's home on Portland Heights. A pretty coincidence lies in the fact that Dr. T. L. Elliot, who is to perform the ceremony, also officiated at the marriage of Miss Smith's parents. Miss Leslie Smith will be the maid of honor and Mr. Corbett will be attended by his two brothers, Henry Ladd Corbett and Hamilton Corbett. The ushers will be Frederick Maclean, Gerald Beebe, Lloyd Smith, Walter Beebe, Bruce Honeyman and Pledford Stott. The Fenton-Goddard wedding will be celebrated the evening of the same day.

Colonel Dudley Evans, president of the Wells Fargo Express Company, with Mrs. Evans, a private secretary and servant, arrived on Thursday from New York in their private car, the famous "99," of the New York, Susquehanna & Western. Colonel Evans lived in Portland many years ago, being the first agent here of the local express company. The title of Colonel comes to him as the result of his distinguished service at the head of the Twentieth Virginia Cavalry of the Confederate army. Mrs. Evans, who in later years has been in poor health, was born in Victoria, B. C., and attended St. Helen's Hall as Miss Nellie Seelye, graduating in the same class with Mrs. Martin Winch, Miss Henrietta Pailing and Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton. Mrs. Evans has traveled much abroad, and is a woman of brilliant mind. Several volumes of poetry are accredited to her pen, as well as commencement poems for her alma mater. Colonel and Mrs. Evans spent much of their time at their beautiful home, Dudley Place, at Englewood, N. J. During his residence here Colonel Evans was a prominent bachelor, and older residents will recall an elaborate reception which he gave over 30 years ago at his bachelor apartments, which were situated above the old Wells-Fargo Express Company at First and Ankeny streets.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Russell and Nan Russell arrived home yesterday after their extended and interesting European tour.

Major and Mrs. John Parke, Miss Genevieve Parke and Miss Pauline Parke arrived a week ago Saturday from California, and spent a few days at Alexandra Court before leaving to join Mrs. E. H. Brooke, of Washington, D. C., who is visiting Mrs. Hunt Lewis at Seaside. Major Parke was stationed until two years ago at Vancouver Barracks. Major Parke was then assigned to the Philippines. Major Parke and wife returned from the Orient some months ago, and have been at Del Monte in the interim. The Parkes are planning to leave soon for Europe. Mrs. Parke was Miss Nettie Brooke, a sister of Thomas Scott Brooke. Miss Genevieve made her debut over two years ago and was very popular here and at the post.

Mrs. James De Lavall Flower, of New York, and Miss Estelle Flower leave tomorrow for the East, going via Seattle. Mrs. Flower and her two daughters lived in Portland some years ago, when they were great favorites, being possessed of the Southern charm of manner and the characteristic hospitality. During their visit this summer Mrs. Flower has been in poor health, and in consequence there were few formal affairs given in her honor, though Miss Flower has been in much demand. Mrs. Pierre Lorrillard Barby (Florence Flower), with Mr. Bar-

MISS MILDRED HONEYMAN, A DAUGHTER OF MR. THOMAS D. HONEYMAN, RETURNS SHORTLY TO A NEW YORK FINISHING SCHOOL.

They and their small son, are to arrive in New York September 8 after a year or more abroad in Geneva and at the Barbours' chateau near Paris.

Mrs. Joseph K. Clarke, of Los Angeles, who is preparing to return to her California home, where she spends a part of the winter, entertained informally on Thursday at Alexandra Court. Mrs. Clarke spends her summers in Portland and makes also an annual visit to her mines in Montana, which she owns in conjunction with her brother, ex-Senator William A. Clarke.

Mrs. George B. Davis, who has spent several months with her small son visiting at Vancouver Barracks, while Colonel Davis has been in Panama, will leave soon for New Orleans, which is the Colonel's present station. Mrs. Davis is one of the most popular Army women who has ever been stationed here, and the transference to the Southern post is a matter of regret.

Mrs. Eleanor Martin, of San Francisco, was the hostess recently at a dinner in honor of Justice and Mrs. McKenna, of Washington, D. C. It is quite possible that the distinguished leader of San Francisco society will also entertain for President Taft. The memory of Mrs. Martin's reception of Mrs. Pratt last week, as did Mrs. J. C. Robinson and Mrs. David C. Lewis, the latter giving a small luncheon on Friday.

Considerable interest socially will be felt in the return visit of Miss Edie Curtis, daughter of the distinguished journalist, William E. Curtis, who has been touring the country with her father and mother in their private car. They were in Portland for a short time, a week ago, and are returning from a trip to the Seattle Exposition and British Columbia. Miss Curtis is a talented girl, who has accompanied her father on many of his famous world tours, acting as his secretary. She is very popular in Washington society, and it is said will make a brilliant marriage in the autumn, although the name of her fiancé is not announced here. Last year she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Blake, when the former was consul at Dunfermline, Scotland, and has entertained Mrs. Blake (Kath. Maxwell) at her home at the capital. Mr. Curtis is one of the most widely known newspaper writers in the world, having for years been chief staff correspondent for the Chicago Record-Herald, with a roving commission which takes him to all the important news centers of the world. It is said that he is the only American newspaper man who ever interviewed the late Pope Leo and has also a cousin of W. E. Aver and Ned Aver, and was born in the place of

General and Mrs. T. M. Anderson have returned from a year's travel abroad, where they met many friends and were delightfully entertained. They will occupy their summer home on the Columbia River until fall, when they will return to Portland.

Miss Margaret Dillingham, of Boston, an attractive girl who was a favorite when she lived in Portland, some 14 years ago, has arrived for a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Gill. Miss Dillingham is also a cousin of W. E. Aver and Ned Aver, and was born in the place of

been successful in inventing various devices which it is thought will improve wireless telegraphic service. Melville Eastham is a former Portland Academy student.

To meet Miss Grace Freeman and Miss Marshall, both of San Francisco, Miss Genevieve Thompson asked in a dozen girls on Tuesday afternoon to tea, which was served on the gallery of Mrs. D. P. Thompson's apartment on Twenty-third street. The guests were Miss Dorothy Morrison, Miss Barbara Croker, Miss Mateel Howe, Miss Amy Sellar, of San Francisco; Miss Marion Bauer, of New York; Miss Hazel Croker, Miss Edna Sternfeld, of New York; Miss Louise Carey, Miss Marguerite Hudson, of Chicago; Miss Ruth Catlin, of New York; and Miss Isabella Gauld. Miss Freeman, who is an accomplished violinist, leaves soon for Europe, where she will further her musical studies.

Mrs. E. H. Dosch, the Misses Lillian, Camille, Marguerite, and Roswell Dosch, were at last accounts in Italy, where they were visiting various places of interest. Roswell Dosch is making rapid strides in sculpturing and has been congratulated by the famous Parisian sculptor, Rodin.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lang, accompanied by their two children, returned on Thursday morning from a fortnight's visit at the Moore Hotel at Seaside.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Hart are receiving congratulations over the arrival of their second son. Mrs. Hart will be remembered as Louise Brandt, of the old Columbia Stock Company and one of the most popular stock actresses who has ever appeared here.

Chester G. Murphy gave a small dinner at the Portland Friday night, followed by a theater party at the Orpheum. The affair was in compliment to Mr. Murphy's sister, Mrs. S. W. Church, and the Misses Ruth and Genevieve Church, who leave on September for two years' tour of the world.

W. H. James, business manager of the Sacramento Bee, was a Portland visitor during the past week, leaving for California on Saturday night. Mr. James' wife was Rita Bell, who, before her marriage, was a member of The Oregonian staff.

Mrs. Frank Spencer, who has been confined to her home for many weeks, owing to a broken leg, is once again able to be about with the assistance of crutches. Mrs. Spencer sustained the painful injuries by slipping on the steep terrace of their new residence, near Riveria, which is built on Swiss chalet lines.

Mrs. S. Heltsu and Mrs. Harry Allen left last Monday for Hood River, where they are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. de Hart, who formerly lived in Portland, owing the residence on Twentieth and Glisan streets which is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. G. Walter Gates. Mr. Heltsu and Mr. Allen joined the Hood River house party over the week-end.

Miss Gail Hetherington, of Kansas, arrived early last week to be the guest of Miss Mateel Howe, but since her arrival has been suffering from an attack of the grip. Miss Hetherington is an accomplished girl who has visited Miss Isabella McGunnegele, the attractive Army girl at Vancouver Barracks.

Mrs. Julius Louison has returned from a four weeks' stay at the Hotel Breakers, where she was joined a week ago by her mother, Mrs. Anna Newman, of Fresno, who recently returned from a trip to Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. David C. Lewis and their guest, Miss Hazel Croker, have returned from a motor tour to the Seattle Exposition. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis shipped their car to Victoria, B. C., while Miss Croker visited for a week in Tacoma, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Alexander, the latter being Miss Ruth Caldwell, a former Portland girl, who is a sister of Mrs. Frank Woolsey, of Tacoma.

Miss Hazel Dolph, William Vanderbilt

their nativity. Bangor, Me. Miss Dillingham came out West for the Lewis and Clark Fair, and at that time received many courtesies from her former girl friends. Her presence this summer will also be the occasion for considerable entertaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox closed their handsome beach residence and returned home on Saturday. On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox were dinner hosts, entertaining for the Hon. John Barrett, director of the International Bureau of American Republics. Miss Claire Wilcox will leave next month for the East to enter a smart New York finishing school.

Mrs. C. J. Reed has been entertained the past week in Seattle, where she is the guest of Admiral and Mrs. Uriel Sebree. The latter, who is the commander of the flagship Tennessee, has given a number of official functions during the exposition, a reception to the members of the University Club and their families being the most elaborate of any of the naval entertainments thus far. Mrs. Sebree is a distinguished looking woman, who was much admired at the reception some months ago given by the Japanese Consul at Portland, Y. Numano, to Admiral Iijichi and other Japanese officers.

After several years' absence Mrs. Orville Pratt, of San Francisco, has returned for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Skinner at their pretty bungalow opposite the golf links, and in consequence a number of informal affairs have been given in her honor. With Mrs. Pratt the charming young matron lived for a year in Portland when they were both in demand as chaperones, particularly for the dances at Vancouver Barracks. Immediately after the San Francisco earthquake came the sad intelligence of Mr. Pratt's death, he having been taken ill during the catastrophe.

Miss Grace Monroe, of Washington, D. C., who proved a popular guest last winter when she came West to visit Mrs. W. C. Alvord, has again come to Portland for a visit with her former hostess. With her father and sister Miss Monroe came out for the Seattle Exposition, and taking advantage of Portland's proximity she came down for a hurried visit.

Two nieces of Mr. C. F. Adams—Miss Grace Hamilton, of Baltimore, and Miss Frances Meyers, of Richmond, Va.—are to arrive September 15 for a visit of six or more weeks' duration. Miss Hamilton is said to be handsome and accomplished, and Miss Meyers since her debut a year ago has been one of the most prominent girls in Richmond society and is talented musically.

Dr. and Mrs. A. A. Morrison have as their guest Mrs. Morrison's sister, Mrs. Frank Whitely, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Whitely, who are on their way to New Orleans, going via California.

Mrs. W. C. Alvord entertained at luncheon on Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Dyer, of Vancouver Barracks, wife of Colonel Dyer, and also for Mrs. Dyer's sister, Mrs. Taylor, of New York.

Dining with M. W. D. Wheelwright at the Hotel Portland grill Sunday evening were General and Mrs. Charles F. Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mather, Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard and Mrs. Arthur Minott.

Melville Eastham, a son of Mrs. P. E. May and a brother of Miss Helen and Shirley Eastham, has returned after four years' absence in Boston, where he has

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