

SOCIAL EVENTS OF PAST WEEK

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Jones, Mrs. Milnor, Mrs. Charles W. Hazlow, Mrs. Robert Sears, Mrs. M. Corrack, Mrs. Henry M. Pales and Mrs. L. J. Phillipson.

Miss Helen Guerin, one of the popular young women of the past during the Spring and Summer and who has been visiting in the East for the past three months, will return next week to pass Christmas with her brother, Dr. J. T. Guerin and other relatives in Vancouver.

Miss Katherine Taylor, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Morrison, expects to return to her home in Washington, D. C., in January.

Lieutenant William F. Morrison has gone to Fort Riley, Kansas, to take a special course of instruction for officers.

Mrs. Marion P. Maus, wife of General Martin P. Maus, was surprised by a party composed of Miss Morrison, Miss Katherine Taylor and Lieutenant Leo F. Whitley, Lieutenant Joseph C. Hatle and Lieutenant Leo I. Samuelson, Monday night.

Mrs. Gruber left Thursday for Hanover, Germany, to pass two months with her brother.

Major F. G. Mauldin, Inspector-General of the Western Division, who has been here for the last two weeks to inspect the troops, is a guest of Captain R. C. Carey.

Colonel James S. Rogers has been given a leave of absence. Mrs. Rogers is planning a trip to the East and will return to San Francisco to join Colonel Rogers before sailing.

Lieutenant Joseph L. Topham, of the First Infantry, is entertaining his mother.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

The "Evening of Comedy" given by the Daughters of Saint David's Thursday was a successful affair, and friends of the amateur performers are congratulating them on their clever acting. The programme was:

"Tributary Serenade," Miss Eloise Hall and Jamieson Parker; song and dance "In the Shadow," Miss Eloise Hall, Miss Florence Bentley and Miss Hortense Williams.

In "The Trouble at Satterlee's," a clever one-act play, the following took part: Miss Clarence Lambert, Miss Hortense Williams, Miss Mildred Graham, Miss Olive Kincaid, Miss Frances Bailes, Miss Edna McBrien, Miss Dorris Clark.

This was followed by a song, "We'll Wander in the Bright Moonlight," by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kopp, and a Spanish dance by Miss Florence Bentley.

Living pictures shown were: "Where Are You Going, My Pretty Maid?" "Villa," "School Days," "Comin' Through the Rye," "Seeing Nellie Home," "Love's Old Sweet Song," "Gretchen," "Day Dreams," "Annie Laurie."

Miss Olive Kincaid, Miss Edna Williams, Miss Frances Bailes, Miss Clarence Lambert, Miss Florence Bentley, Miss Geraldine Hall, Miss Hortense Williams, Miss Dorris Clark, Graydon Kincaid, Oswald Scott, George Dunholm and Edw. Hollister, took part in the living pictures.

Mrs. William Francis Koehler and Mrs. Frederick Barber entertained at Mrs. Koehler's home Wednesday afternoon. Five hundred was the game of the afternoon. The rooms were tastefully decorated with ferns, holly, scarlet geraniums and many colored electric lights.

EUGENE WOMAN WHO WILL BE ONE OF PATRONESSES AT DANCE GIVEN BY CHI OMEGA SORORITY, DECEMBER 28.



MRS. RAY GOODRICH.

Mrs. Prince Lucian Campbell, Mrs. Ellen Pennell, of Eugene; Mrs. Robert S. Bean, Mrs. Theodore T. Geer, Mrs. Charles W. Fulton, Mrs. P. Giltner, and Mrs. Alexander S. Moody will be the patronesses at the large dance to be given on the evening of December 28, by Chi Omega Sorority at the Masonic Temple. The dance is to be given by the active chapter of Chi Omega of Oregon University, and the alumnae chapter of Portland. This is the first large dance ever given by a sorority in Portland, and the Chi Omegas hope to make it an annual affair.

Koehler, Sr., Mrs. Lee Clark, Mrs. J. D. Mann, Mrs. E. H. Cahall, Mrs. P. D. Cunningham, Mrs. L. K. Hodges, Mrs. D. J. Maher, Mrs. G. J. Kaufmann, Mrs. H. V. Campbell, Mrs. E. Hertsche, Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Mrs. E. E. Cable, Mrs. C. Brown, Mrs. W. D. McWaters, Mrs. F. J. Mundell, Miss Barber, Miss Geraldine Barber, Mrs. Bloomer, Mrs. Houseman, Mrs. Driver, Mrs. W. Henry, Mrs. J. D. Leonard, Mrs. E. C. Power, Mrs. C. C. Shay, Mrs. B. Hodley, Mrs. W. O. Wright, Mrs. N. D. Houston, Mrs. George W. Ashford, Mrs. Charles Prohn, Mrs. F. A. Heleacher, Mrs. William

WOODBURN WOMAN IS SUCCESSFUL AS LAWYER

Miss Frances Kemp Proves Sex Need Not Halt at Thought of Legal Profession.

WOODBURN, Or., Dec. 16.—(Special.)—Miss Frances Kemp, a resident of Woodburn, is one of the few women in the county who has taken up the study and practice of law as a profession. She was admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of Oregon on October 11, 1910, and her marked success, thus far, has demonstrated what a woman can do and accomplish, even in a profession generally conceded to belong to the other sex.

After several years of hard study she was admitted to the bar and tried her first case in the Woodburn Justice Court, which she won. She has since acted in trying cases in the Circuit Court at Salem, Oregon City and Portland and has shown herself to be clever and quick-witted. She recently argued a case in the Circuit Court at Salem, before Judge Galloway, and handled the points at issue so ably that numerous favorable comments were heard from prominent members of her profession. She is, at present, interested in two cases in the Supreme Court, which she expects to argue in the near future.

The story of how she came to enter the profession, the difficulties encountered and the advantages the profession gives her, are told in her own words and may be of assistance to any of her sex who contemplate following her example. Miss Kemp granted the following interview yesterday:

"How did I come to study law? Well, I think I grew into it. A fondness for law is a family characteristic. I have, at least, one cousin practicing now and several uncles who have been admitted to the bar. Then when my father was Justice of the Peace in Woodburn, I used to stay in his office and assist him considerably, and found the work very interesting. Later I studied shorthand and in May, 1904, entered the office of E. P. Morgan, at Woodburn, expecting to act as his amanuensis. I always like to understand the work I do and so I decided to read law, in order to more fully fit myself for my work. From that it was an easy step to assist in searching for authorities, and I enjoyed that work so much that I soon decided to prepare myself for the bar. I did not anticipate an active practice, but I find that practice appeals to me. I have completed a course in brief-making and intend to make that a specialty. I have a quiet library, with the latest text-books and decisions, and I am happy, especially so when I find authorities that support my cases.

"Difficulties and struggles? Every one with whom I have come in contact, professionally, seems to take me seriously and as having as much right to do my chosen work as any man has. I am not dependent entirely upon my practice for my living, as I am still doing amanuensis work in the office, so I have had no financial struggle, as so many lawyers have when they begin practice. I consider that I have been fortunate, as I have been associated with some prominent lawyers in my first cases and haven't had to stay in the Justice Courts for practice.

"The advantages law has as a profession for a woman? I have never stopped to consider that question, but I would think it has advantages only to those women who have an ability or talent in that direction. As I regard it, the legal profession is neither man's work nor woman's work, but a work



Frances Kemp.

for those who love it, whatever their sex may be. Personally, I feel that the legal profession has advantages over driving a cab or being on the police force, and women do those things, but I would not advise a woman to enter the profession unless she would rather do that than anything else, because she loves the work. For myself, I can make my own dresses and trim my own hats (have done it lots of times), make my own meals, I have also done some court reporting, and enjoy it, but for me, there is no other profession or occupation but my own law. Success may mean so many different things that I hardly know how to answer the question. I have not, as yet, made an independent fortune and may never; for all that, neither have I won any important case, involving thousands of dollars, nor a case that has been fiercely contested, nor have I defended any criminals. My successes have been the smaller ones, of feeling that I know my case thoroughly, of finding that the opposing counsel has used cases that assist me, or of having the Judge listen, as though he were interested, when I make an argument. However, I was born in a log house and that is always a good start on the high road to success."

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tendants will be Miss Bour, of Chicago, and Miss Edna Minsinger. Miss Fields' bridesmaid will be her sister, Miss Willow Fields. Additional guests were Mrs. R. W. Schmeer, Miss Kate Braziel, Miss Claudia Pinedner and Miss Ruth Plummer.

The following officers for the year were elected by Benjamin Butler Woman's Relief Corps at their regular meeting December 7: President, Ellen Lacy; senior vice-president, Sarah Gardner; junior vice-president, Sarah H. J. Jackson; Mrs. G. A. Johnson gave a talk on "Theoreau as a Citizen." Quotations for the day were from Theoreau's writings. At the close of the programme refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held January 2, at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Haight, 229 Beech street.

The Veterans Male Quartet sang songs and told stories with great success. Mrs. George McNelly, of Vancouver, gave several recitations in her most pleasing manner. The association expects to give many pleasant entertainments, and wish to thank their friends for their hearty co-operation.

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