



ONLY affairs of an informal character have marked the week's programme as the terrible marine disaster has cast a gloom over society in general.

Rehearsals for "The Campus Mouser" are engrossing the energies of many of the prominent society folk.

Every year women of the smart set take greater interest in the art of dancing, realizing probably that it is the surest way to acquire poise and a lithe and graceful figure.

Looking back over several generations of women with high narrow shoulders, and tiny cramped waists, who were practically deformed.

A remarkable exhibition of esthetic dancing was given on Tuesday afternoon at Linnah Hall by Miss Varney's pupils, who include tots of six years, debutantes and society matrons.

Several large events have been planned for the week now entered, the most important of which from a social point of view being the large tea complementing Mrs. Edward Brooke's and Miss Margaret Brooke to be given on Thursday by Mrs. Cicero Hunt Lewis.

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John R. Thomas, Jr. Wife of Captain Thomas Barracks, and Her Small Daughter, who will sail for Honolulu next month.

Schroyer. Additional guests were: Miss Marjery Hoffman, Miss Anita Burns, Miss Angela Kinney, Chester Griffin Murphy, Kurt Koehler, Lester Hodson and David Taylor Honeyman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McDonnell were dinner hosts on Monday entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot and Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor Honeyman.

Mr. Edmund C. King has as her guests Mrs. Wood and Miss Eloise Wood, who are en route from California to their home in Adrian, Mich.

During her brief visit here Miss Elsie Janis was entertained by Miss Eihelwynne Glass.

Tuesday afternoon those included in Miss Glass' party were Mrs. Janis, Miss Janis, Douglas Stevenson, leading man in the "Slim Princess" Company, and other former friends of the popular actress.

On Wednesday Miss Glass entertained a few of her friends with a box party. Later a tea was given at the Glass residence to meet Miss Janis, whom the hostess knew while she was attending finishing school in the East.

The guests were Miss Maida Hart, Miss Angela Kinney, Miss Anita Burns, Miss Cornelia Cook, Miss Cully Cook, Mrs. Alexander Angus McDonnell and Mrs. Harry Litt. Miss Glass, who will make her debut in the Fall, is one of the most attractive members of the younger set.

The many friends of Mrs. Edward Brooke and Miss Margaret Brooke are welcoming them home after a long absence. Mrs. Brooke and her daughter arrived in Portland Saturday, and already many affairs are being planned in their honor.

The Brooke's have made their home in Washington for the past two seasons, where Miss Margaretta was one of the popular debutantes of the past season.

Mrs. Cicero Hunt Lewis has sent out cards for a large tea, complementing Mrs. Brooke and Miss Brooke, to be given on Thursday at the handsome Lewis home at Crossways, Riverwood.

Captain and Mrs. William S. Biddle, guests at a week-end party at their country home were: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Grenie, Miss Maida Hart, Walter Burro' and the three young Biddle children—Margaret, Martin and William S. Biddle, Jr.

Mrs. Alma D. Katz was hostess at an informal bridge tea on Wednesday. Decorations of Spring flowers were used throughout the rooms. Mrs. Louis H. Tarpley presided at the tea table.

Much interesting Victorian history is wrapped up in the annals of this family. During the reign of King Edward the Marquis was one of his closest friends.

Hertford House, the former London residence of the family, containing the wonderful "Wallace collection," was bequeathed to the nation in 1907.

The estate of the Marquis of Hertford is in Warwickshire. A little incident which occurred shortly before Lord Hertford's death, shows his lovable nature.

When the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Patterson Morgan was christened, although very ill the Marquis rode down to his beautiful little chapel and stood as godfather to the baby.

Mrs. Holt C. Wilson was hostess at a luncheon on Saturday at the Wilson residence on N. Washington. Spring flowers beautified the table where covers were laid for twelve.

The following from a San Francisco paper tells of the marriage of John Jerome Alexander, Jr. of this city, and Miss Albertine Detrick, a popular society belle of Berkeley, Cal., which took place on Thursday.

In the home of her father in Hillsdale, Berkeley, the marriage of Miss Albertine Detrick, the eldest daughter of Edgington Detrick, Jr., and John Jerome Alexander, Jr. of Portland, will be solemnized Thursday evening.

Doctor Parsons, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, will officiate at the service. Only the relatives and a few of the couple's closest friends will be present at the marriage.

Pink and white will be the keynote of the decorations throughout the home. The bridal robe will be of handsome ivory satin embellished with rare old family lace and orange blossoms, which will also confine her wedding veil.

Edgington Detrick, Jr., will give his daughter into the keeping of the groom. Miss Elsie Detrick will be her sister's only attendant. As maid of honor she will be dowered in a creation of pink satin draped in dewdrop net and elaborated with rich lace.

A jeweled bandeau, finished in aigrette, will confine her hair, and she will carry a shower bouquet of love roses and lilies of the valley. Morse Karwright, a college friend of the bridegroom's will be best man.

After a honeymoon in Southern California, Alexander will take his bride to Portland, which will be the future home of the couple. The bride-elect is a girl of striking personality, whose warm cordiality and charm of manner have endeared her to many.

She made her debut only last winter and enjoyed a remarkable degree of popularity during her first season. She is a niece of Charlie Detrick, who lives in Palo Alto, and is a cousin of Miss Marian Miller and of Miss Ernestine McNear.

Her mother was Miss Tucker, daughter of one of the pioneer Oakland families, and on her mother's side she is related to families of notable social prominence. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Jerome Alexander, of Portland, and a brother of James and Arthur Alexander. He is a graduate of the University of California, and it was while attending that institution that he met and fell in love with Miss Detrick, one of the belles of the college town.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, Sr., accompanied by their two sons, are expected to arrive from their northern home tomorrow. They will remain here until

the end of the week, and during part of the time will visit Mr. and Mrs. Edgington Detrick, Jr. in Berkeley.

Interest among music lovers centers in the concert to be given by Mrs. Kathleen Lawler-Belcher at the White Temple Tuesday, April 23. Mrs. Belcher has been a pupil of Jean de Reszke for the past two years and during her stay in Paris received flattering notices from the critics of the French capital.

While in New York Mrs. Belcher sang for Miss Emilie Frances Bauer, who was so delighted with her voice that she arranged an audience with the eminent musical authority, Gatti-Casazza, manager of the Metropolitan Opera House, in New York.

Patronesses for the White Temple concert will be Mrs. Holt C. Wilson, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Leticia Allen Lewis, Mrs. K. A. J. Mackenzie, Miss May Felling, Mrs. Joseph Nathan Teal, Mrs. Solomon Hirsch, Mrs. Marcus Fleischner, guest, Mrs. J. P. O'Brien, Mrs. Charles K. Henry, Mrs. J. Andre Foulhoux, Mrs. Donald MacKay, Mrs. Richard Koehler, Mrs. Paul Wessinger, Miss Eleanor Gile, Mrs. John Logan and Miss Sallie Lewis.

That the cause of equal suffrage is making enormous strides in Portland was proved by the number of prominent women who attended the luncheon given at the Portland Hotel on Monday in honor of Mrs. Robert M. La Follette. The long tables were effective with their decorations of long-juiced and flags.

Seated at the table with the guests were Mrs. Sarah A. Evans, who acted as toastmistress; Mrs. Solomon Hirsch, president of the Portland Equal Suffrage League; Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. J. Andre Foulhoux, Mrs. A. King Wilson, Mrs. Henry Waldo Coe, Mrs. Elizabeth Lord, of the Dalles; Mrs. Albert Ehrhart, Mrs. Frederick Engert, Mrs. M. T. Hadden, Dr. Mary Thompson and Dr. Esther Pohl.

News comes from Washington, D. C., that Miss Helen Barber, of this city, again has been visiting Miss Helen Taft, a former schoolmate, at the White House. Miss Barber, attending Bryn Mawr, and passed her Easter vacation in the capital. During her stay she was extensively entertained.

The last week in May will begin auspiciously with the Apollo Club concert, which will take place on Monday evening at the Hellig Theater. This concert, which promises to be the finest of the season, will be a brilliant affair, not only from a musical, but from a social standpoint, and will be the occasion for many preceding dinners and after-theater suppers.

Although most of the seats will be taken by the distinguished list of associate members, the sale of seats for this concert is open to the public. The club members are congratulating themselves on having secured the services for this occasion of H. W. Newell, a tenor who is a favorite in Portland.

The following item is from a San Francisco paper of April 14: Mr. and Mrs. Clay Lombard, who became so popular here during their three months' stay at the St. Francis, have returned to Portland and have purchased a charming new home on Cornell road, which will soon be ready for occupancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barrett are being congratulated on the birth of a baby girl, Saturday, April 13. An interesting coincidence is that April was the birthday of the baby's grandfather, John C. Patterson Morgan, who had been 81 years old on that day. The baby will be called Mary Margaret Barrett.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard V. Holder, who will leave Portland soon to make their home in San Francisco, were the inspiration for a number of informal affairs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Whitehouse were dinner hosts on Wednesday, complementing Mr. and Mrs. Holder. The party, which was centered with Spring flowers, were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gray, Jr.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. White, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eugene Kingsbury, the honor guests and the host and hostess.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hixon Reed presided at a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Holder, Mrs. Holder's father, Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Whitehouse and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eugene Kingsbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd B. Baker complemented Mr. and Mrs. Holder with an informal bridge party yesterday evening at their attractive Willamette Heights residence.

Mrs. Solomon Hirsch was hostess at an informal tea on Tuesday afternoon complementing Mrs. Robert M. La Follette. About 24 guests called, most of whom are members of the Portland Equal Suffrage League, of which Mrs. Hirsch is president. Miss Edith Hirsch presided at the tea table, which was centered with Spring blossoms.

Mrs. K. A. J. Mackenzie entertained with an informal tea on Tuesday at the handsome Mackenzie residence on Twentieth and Hoyt streets.

The Thursday Bridge Club met at the home of Miss Hazel Wedler last week.

After the rehearsal of the "Campus Mouser" on Wednesday evening, John Banks entertained a number of guests at supper at Alexander Court. Seated around the table were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McDonnell, Miss Cully Cook, Miss Maida Hart, Sinton Taylor and the host.

Miss Blanche Burke, who recently returned from a visit to Mrs. Charles Whitley (Miss Dorothy Kinney) in Salt Lake, presided at a luncheon on Tuesday, complementing Mrs. Edith Hirsch with pink snapdragons and roses centered.

Patronesses for the farewell concert given by Mrs. Elfrida Heller-Weinstein at the Hotel Multnomah on Tuesday included Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox, Mrs. Solomon Hirsch, Mrs. Rosa Bloch Bauer, Mrs. Warren E. Thomas, Mrs. Beatrice Dierke, Mrs. Julius Meier, Mrs. Ben Seiling and Mrs. John F. Logan.

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tered the table around which were seated Mrs. Alma D. Katz, Mrs. Everett Ames, Mrs. Wells Gilbert, Mrs. James A. Dougherty, Miss Inez Barrett, Miss Angela Kinney, the honor guest, and the hostess.

The closing party of the Wednesday class of young folk was held Wednesday at Muriel Hall, from 4 to 6 P. M. It was a costume party and masquerade and the little people were unique and charming costumes.

Before the cotillon the Dublin jig was given by the younger members of the class and the Spanish dance by the older ones. Miss Katherine Taylor led the cotillon, introducing many novel figures, among them being the Maypole and Butterfly.

Those who danced the cotillon were: Elsie Young, Margaret Foster, Irene Canby, Lois Nitchey, Owena Walcott, Helen Honeyman, Elizabeth Harrison, Frances Baker, Consuelo McMillan, Susan Cheney, Marjory Hall, Elizabeth Peacock, Beatrice McIndoe, Marian Bowles, Caroline Cannon, Elizabeth Shoper, Jeannette Sewell, Tom Mills, Abbott Mills, Ned Shevlin, James Gamble, Robert Warren, James McIndoe, Adrian McCalman, Joshua Nunn, Harrison Platt, Jack Laidlaw, Duncan Strong, Ronald Honeyman, Sherman Hall, Alexander Sargent, Samuel Fries, William Mackenzie, Carter Magruder.

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