

HE social activities of the formal Winter season have only six weeks yet to run, and when the sackcloth curtain of Lent is rung down, it will mark the closing of an unusually short season. In fact, according to the church calendar, 95 years will elapse before another season of such limited measure. Isabelle Tyson, an attractive maid from Miss Beulah Loomis, of Ellensburg.

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The New Year started off with a rush, and the usual lull following the holiday festivities was apparent land week. Informality nowadays stands for social progressiveness, and the hosters who can offer the best attractions in the way of entertainments, combined with that much-sought-for spirit of informally, is the envy of the social callendar for the next few weeks shows many amart affairs crowding each other. The same evening Migs Claire Will-Church.

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rolls around. Easter bonnets are scheduled for March 23. Thus, society in crowding the days with galeties formal and informal, is adding another page to the social history of 1912.

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One of the prettiest dinners of the week was presided over by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott Brooke Thursday evening. Crystal vases filled with yellow roses adorned the table, and Mr. and Mrs. Brooke's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hawley Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sharp, of Prineville, and Mr. and Mrs. George Kirkham Smith, who have just returned from a sojourn in the East.

Mrs. J. D. Farrell, one of Fortland's prominent matrons, is the inspiration for much entertaining in Seattle where she is passing several weeks. Mrs. Charles D. Stimson was hostess at an informal tea Saturday afternoon in her honor, and Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Green entertained at a theater party Monday evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Whitney Treat were also hosts at a theater party Friday evening in honor of Mrs. Farrell.

Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot and children, Jane, Prudence and Guy W., Jr., will leave this week to pass the remainder of the Winter months in California. Mrs. Talbot is one of the most popular roung matrons in society, as well as a charming hotess, and will be greatly missed from the season's festivities.

Complimenting Miss Maida Hart and her fiance, Carl Leopoid Wernicke, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Biddle were dinner hosts Friday evening. A crystal bowl of exquisite Kiliarney roses graced the center of the table, and covers were laid for Miss Hart and Mr. Wernicke, Mr. and Mrs. Erskine Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Griffin Murphy, Miss Mills Wessinger and Philip Hart and the host, Captain Biddle, and hostess.

The most important event scheduled to take place this week is the wedding of Miss Evelyn Wilson and Arthur Murray Sherwood, Jr., which will be a church affair, followed by a small reception at the home of the bride's father, Dr. George F. Wilson. The ceremony will be performed Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Trinity Episcopal Church by Rt. Rev. Charles Scadding, assisted by Rev. A. A. Morrison, rector of Trinity Church.

Miss Wilson will be attended by her sister, Miss Frances Wilson, and Mr. Sherwood's best man will be Frederick Allen Forster, formerly of New York. Mr. Sherwood and Mr. Forster were members of the class of 1910 at Harvard. The ushers will be Henty Reed, Dwight Fullerton. Dunbar Cass, Curtis Bailey, Hamilton Forbush Corbett, Kurt Koehler and Alexander Linthicum, cousin of the bride.

Miss Maida Hart, whose wedding will be an event of January 22, has chosen her sister, Miss Katherine Hart, for her maid of honor and Miss Milla Wessinger as bridesmaid. Henry Wessinger will be Mr. Wernicke's best man, and the wedding will take place at the Church of Our Father. Wednesday, January 22. Miss Hart is being much entertained, and several smart affairs have been planned for this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Manton Bradley were hosts at an informal dinner and theater party Friday evening in compliment to M. and Mrs. Thomas Sharp, of Prineville. Mr. and Mrs. J. Andre Foullhoux were additional guests.

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Mrs. J. Andre Foullhoux asked a few of the younger matrons to tea Thursday afternoon. Among the guests were Mrs. William S. Bilddle, Mrs. Elliott Ruggles Corbett, Mrs. David Chambers Lewis, Mrs. Stanley G. Jewett, Mrs. Benjamin Lombard and Mrs. A. A. Mor-rison.

The Mand Powell recital Wednesday

A reading club, composed of a group of studious young society maids, met at the home of Miss Jean Morrison Thursday afternoon. The club is a new organization, which was formed early this Winter and includes Miss Claire Wilcox, Miss Jean Morrison, Miss Louise Burns, Miss Mildred Honeyman, Miss Grace Honeyman, Miss Maisie MacMaster, Miss Lora Cumming, Miss Margaret Hewett, Miss Clementine Lambert and Mrs. Landon R. Mason, Jr.

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Miss Alta Rush, who passed the holi-days in Portland with her parents, re-turned to New York Sunday to continue her studies in art. She expects to de-vote the next two or three years in the great metropolis continuing her

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Ruggles Corbett, Mrs. David Chambers
Lewis, Mrs. Stanley G. Jewett, Mrs.
Benjamin Lombard and Mrs. A. A. Morrison.

Miss Shirley Eastham was among the
younger hostesses who entertained informally during the week. Tuesday
afternoon Miss Eastham's guests at tea
were Mrs. Alexander A. McDonnell, Mrs.
James A. Cranston, Mrs. Coe A. MoKenna, Miss Ethelwynne Glass and
Miss Cornella Stanley.

Miss Isabelle Tyson, of Tennessee,
will arrive in Portland tomorrow to
be the house guest of Miss Claire Wilcox. Miss Tyson finished at Miss
Spence's school in New York with Miss
Wilcox, and a number of Portlands
buds. Miss Wilcox will compliment
Miss Tyson with a dance Tuesday evening, and many other affairs are being
planned in honor of this attractive
visitor. Later she will visit at the
home of Judge and Mrs. Charles Carey,
as the guest of Miss Evelya Carey.
Miss Wilcox will accompany her
mother. Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox, about
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Miss Kathleen Baillie, who has been the house guest of Mrs. Antoine G. Labbe for a fortnight, returned to her home in Tacoma Monday. Miss Baillie passed the week-end at the W. J. Burns residence, as a guest of Miss Anita Burns, and the latter part of this month will visit Mrs. L. U. Loomis, at Sheiterneuk Farm, Ellensburg.

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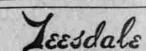
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