

Society



Mrs. Warren E. Thomas, A Prominent Society Matron Who Entertains Extensively
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Mrs. Charles Griffith, Who Entertained for the Bride Elect, Miss Maida Hart



Miss E. Helen E. Bates, of Grand Rapids, Who Will Become the Bride of J. L. Sawman.

tea table, at which Mrs. Gerald Beebe, Mrs. Kenneth Beebe, Mrs. Walter Bowne, Jr., and Miss Jean Brownlie, whose engagement to Walter Beebe was announced recently, served in the dining-room. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. A. L. Maxwell, Miss Mary Forbush Felling, Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot, Miss Isabelle Gault, Miss Claire Houghton, Miss Anita Burns, Miss Mildred Honeyman, Miss Grace Honeyman, Miss Frances Wilson, Miss Claire Wilcox and her charming house guest, Miss Isabelle Tyson and Miss Louise Burns.

Mrs. Bowne will be accompanied on her trip South by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Walter Bowne, Jr., who will remain for a fortnight, but Mrs. Bowne, Sr., is planning to take a trip to the Orient later.

One of the most delightful luncheons of the week was presided over by Mrs. George S. Whiteside, Tuesday. Seated around the table were Mrs. Henry C. Cabell, Mrs. E. C. Shelton, Mrs. Florence G. Minott, Mrs. W. W. Cotton, Mrs. Roger B. Sinnott, Mrs. Walter F. Burrell, Mrs. Henry Russell Talbot and Miss May Felling.

Miss Isabelle Tyson, of Knoxville, Tenn., who arrived in Portland Tuesday evening, after much delay due to landslides and storms, is proving one of the most attractive and popular girls that Portland society has had the honor of entertaining for some time. Miss Tyson is the house guest of Miss Claire Wilcox, with whom she attended the exclusive Miss Spence's school in New York City, and later on will visit at the home of Judge and Mrs. C. H. Carey, as Miss Evelyn Carey's guest, who is another of Miss Tyson's school-mates.

Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett had planned a dinner in honor of Miss Tyson to precede the dance Tuesday evening, but the guest of honor arrived at the 11th hour, when the dance was at its height. With the spirit of a true Dixie belle, Miss Tyson entered into the festivities of the evening, dancing until the "wee sma" hours in her traveling suit, with a charm of manner which captivated all present.

Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox entertained Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Tyson at a box party to hear Maud Powell, the famous violinist, at the Hellig Theater. Additional guests were Miss Wilcox, Roderick Macleay and Charles Holbrook.

Miss Louise Burns presided at an attractive little dinner Friday evening, preceding the subscription dance, at which Miss Tyson was guest of honor. Miss Burns' guests were Miss Tyson, Miss Wilcox, Miss Evelyn Carey, Miss Anita Burns, Roderick Macleay, Jordan Zan, Richard Jones, John Roland and Mr. Colburn.

Miss Maida MacMaster contributed to the festivities in honor of Miss Tyson, yesterday, by giving an informal luncheon at the MacMaster residence in Ardour.

Saturday evening Miss Tyson was again the complimented guest at a theater party for which Charles Holbrook was host. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore B. Wilcox chaperoned the party, which included Miss Tyson, Miss Wilcox, Kurt Koehler and the host. Supper at Hotel Portland followed.

Next week delightful affairs are crowding each other in honor of this charming visitor from the South, among the larger ones being the dance at which Mr. and Mrs. Guy Webster Talbot will be hosts Monday evening for a number of the younger set, and the dinner-dance at the Waverly Country Club, at which a number of the young men of the smart set will be hosts Tuesday evening. An informal dance will be given by Miss Evelyn Carey Tuesday evening at her home in Riverside, at which Miss Tyson will share honors with Miss Beatrice Nickel, of San Francisco, who will arrive Tuesday evening to be Miss Carey's house guest for a few weeks.

From now until the coming of Ash Wednesday, February 5, the young set will hold full sway, vying with each other to pay homage to the much-feted guest.

Miss Beulah Loomis, another very attractive and interesting visitor in Portland, has been much feted during the past week. Miss Loomis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Antoine G. Labbe, and was the honor guest at an informal tea presided over by Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett Monday afternoon. Miss Lee Hawley Hoffman also complimented Miss Loomis at a small tea Tuesday.

Miss Loomis was also a guest at the attractive dinner presided over by Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett Friday evening preceding the subscription dance. Additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Antoine G. Labbe, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hamilton Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sharpe, Mr. and Mrs. George Kirkham Smith, Frederick Forster and Hamilton Cobbett.

Among the compliments planned for the pleasure of Miss Loomis next week is the tea at which Mrs. Morris H. Whitehouse will be hostess Wednesday, and many other informal affairs will be given for the popular guest.

Miss Loomis passes most of her time in Tacoma, where she is in demand at all social functions.

Mrs. O. C. Letter returned Tuesday from a visit to San Francisco and Southern California.

Mrs. Lucius Allen Lewis, a prominent and popular society matron, who has been suffering from a nervous breakdown for several months, has completely recovered, and will assume her social duties. Mrs. Lewis has been greatly missed from the festivities of this season.

Music added a charm to the diversions of society last week and the concert given Wednesday night by Maud Powell, violinist, was a success socially as well as from a musical standpoint. The Hellig was filled with devotees of the young set.

Miss Maida MacMaster, a recent debutante, caught the bride's bouquet.

The bride's traveling costume was a smart tailored suit of brown cloth worn with a sable fur toque and sable furs.

Mr. Sherwood is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Murray Sherwood, Sr., prominent in New York society. Mrs. Sherwood is an artist and illustrator of note, and well known as Rosina Emmet in the artistic world.

Mr. Sherwood has been engaged in fruit-ranching in Upper White Salmon with Gordon Forbes for the past two years, and after a wedding trip South and East visiting the Sherwood family Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood will make their home on the ranch.

One of the smartest events of the week was the tea given by Mrs. Charles F. Beebe Thursday afternoon in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter Bowne, Sr., who has just returned from a trip to her home in New York and is now en route to San Francisco. The Beebe residence on Kings Court was decorated with roses and ferns, and a basket of Killarney roses centered the

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es. Their guests included Mrs. William C. Alvord, Mrs. Ernest F. Tucker, Mrs. W. B. Ayer and Mrs. Harrison Corbett.
Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Thomas also entertained Thursday evening at the Godowsky concert, their guests including Madame Powell and her husband, H. G. Turner, Harry Osborn Smith and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Fangle. In another box were Mrs. James G. Gault, Mrs. Winslow B. Ayer, Mrs.

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JANUARY has been a dancing month—in fact, this has been a dancing season—and all other gayeties have dwindled in interest before the pleasures of Terpsichore. The unprecedented number of debutantes who have been presented this season undoubtedly has been the cause of this delirium from bridge which last year absorbed society to the exclusion of more exhilarating diversions. Now the younger set relaxes supreme, and bridge is left to sedate matrons and completely neglected by the buds.

Anonima of dancing, report has it that Mrs. Eleanor Martin, for many years arbiter of San Francisco society, has learned to rag. What next? We must bid farewell to the grandmother with friendly parted hair, stiff black silk gown and old lace. Today grandmother is the gayest of the gay, her hair never fades, her gown is the latest Paris creation, her admirers are legion—and she rages!

During the last week music played an important part in the entertainment of society, and the concert of Maud Powell and of Leopold Godowsky brought out large and fashionable audiences on Wednesday and Thursday evenings. Many society leaders entertained box parties, and several dinner parties preceded both concerts.

The largest and most important affairs given during the week was the Sherwood-Wilson wedding on Tuesday, the dance in honor of Miss Tyson, at which Miss Claire Wilcox was hostess, Tuesday evening; the elaborate tea given by Mrs. Charles F. Beebe, Thursday afternoon, at the exclusive set in honor of visiting girls in town, and the dance at which Miss Evelyn Carey will be hostess Thursday evening, commencing her house guest, Miss Nickel, and Miss Tyson.

One of the prettiest weddings of the season was that of Miss Evelyn Wil-

son and Arthur Murray Sherwood, Jr., which took place Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at Trinity Episcopal Church. Right Rev. Charles Scadding, bishop of Oregon, officiated, assisted by Rev. A. A. Morrison, rector of Trinity. The wedding was charming in its simplicity. No invitations were issued for the wedding, but a large and fashionable assemblage thronged the church. An artistic arrangement of Easter lilies, white roses and palms adorned the chancel, and the organ was presided over by Lucien E. Becker. The guests were ushered by Hamilton Forbush Corbett, Curtis Bailey, Dunbar Cass, Alexander Linthicum, cousin of the bride, and Kurt Koehler. The bride wore a robe of ivory champagne with an over-drape of Mechlin lace, caught to one side with pearls. Her full length veil was wreathed with orange blossoms, and she wore a spray of fragrant orange blossoms at the corsage. Her bouquet was a shower of bride's roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Frances Wilson, sister of the bride, was her only attendant. Miss Wilson wore a gown of coral pink velvet, with silver embroidered bodice, a black Gainsborough hat, and carried bridesmaid roses. Frederick Allen Foster, who was a classmate of Mr. Sherwood's at Harvard, was his best man. After the ceremony reception was held at the home of the bride's father on Nineteenth and Hoyt streets. The walls of the library where the bridal party received the guests were covered with amulax and ferns, studded with Easter lilies. Huge baskets and crystal bowls of Killarney and bridesmaid roses covered the drawing-room into a bower of blossoms.

In the dining-room green and white, the color scheme of the wedding, was carried out in the handsomely appointed table at which Mrs. Walter J. Burns, Mrs. R. S. Greenleaf, Mrs. Ernest F. Tucker and Miss Mary F. Felling presided. The center of the table held a crystal bowl of bride's roses and maidenhair fern, and roses and ferns were arranged about the room.

Mrs. Sherwood is the daughter of Dr. George F. Wilson, sister of Miss Fran-