

# SOCIETY



Group of Maids and Matrons at Programme Given at Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett's Country Home Tuesday.

Miss Katharine Laidlaw, Presented in Aesthetic to Dances Tuesday Afternoon.



Miss Darlene Kimball, House Guest of Mrs. Max Houser Who is Being Extensively Entertained.



Mrs. Ralph Falk (Marion Citron) Married Wednesday.

THE call of the mountains with the quiet and comfort of their vast depths, the sparkling torrents with their trout, and the call of the seashore with all its delights are fast luring everyone away from the city. With them is going much of the social gaiety which opened the spring and summer seasons.

Entertaining continues to be informal with motor trips and week-end parties, small teas for bride-elects and luncheons and dinner parties in honor of out-of-town guests, forming about the only functions. Weddings have been fewer this week and announcements of engagements also.

The most important social function of the week was the dancing and swimming programme given Tuesday at the country home of Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett at Dunthorne, to which society flocked to see Miss Katharine Laidlaw in aesthetic dances and Miss Millie Schloth and her pupils in aquatic sports.

The arts and crafts teas and other benefits continue in popularity and form interesting places for small groups on an afternoon after a motor trip.

Picnics and swimming parties and dinner dances are in high favor with the younger set, whose spirits cannot be dampened by any amount of hot weather.

Two hundred society folk gathered at the beautiful home of Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett at Dunthorne Tuesday for the programme of dancing and swimming presented by Miss Katharine Laidlaw and the swimming exhibition of Miss Millie Schloth and her little pupils. The beautiful day and the wonderful setting of the Corbett gardens combined to make a delightful background for the programme. Women in dainty garden-party frocks with gay parasols added color to the scene as they sat with the stately trees and shrubbery at their backs.

Miss Laidlaw's programme, peculiarly adapted for the out-of-doors, was presented with skill and decided style. Her first number, the Dryad, pictured a true woodland creature, quite at home amid nature's setting, a dainty piece of poetry exquisitely done. A Greek study, "From the Parthenon" followed. A Grecian urn enhanced the realism. An Oriental fantasy, full of fire, daring and passion, was "The Nautch Girl of the Bonares." As a decided change came the charming "Blouette," happy little sylvan maiden. The programme was brought to a close with "Primavera," beautifully presented.

Miss Schloth and her little pupils, who ranged in age from 7 to 11, gave a varied exhibition in the huge sunken swimming pool on the Corbett grounds. Miss Schloth's explanations of their work added to the enjoyment. The little tots demonstrated strokes, scientific and all kinds of fancy diving and many stunts in the water, which they seemed to enjoy as much as did the spectators, who were delighted with the absolute abandon with which they played about in the water.

Miss Darlene Kimball of Salt Lake City, the house guest of Mrs. Max H.

Houser, has been the inspiration for much delightful entertaining of an informal nature. Charming among the affairs of the week was the dinner dance at the Waverley Country club on Wednesday evening for which Mrs. Houser was hostess. About 40 of the younger set enjoyed Mrs. Houser's hospitality. Miss Kimball is spending the week end at Gearhart as the house guest of Mrs. W. E. Whitley at her beach home. She will return to Portland tomorrow and will be the honor guest at several informal affairs this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Honeyman left Wednesday for a 10 days' motor trip with their house guests, Brigadier-General Adrian S. Fleming and Mrs. Fleming and Mrs. David Lewis. They motored to Seattle and will tour Vancouver Island, spending part of the time camping and fishing.

Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. William MacMaster entertained at dinner in honor of General and Mrs. Fleming. Covers were placed for General and Mrs. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Honeyman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geary, Mrs. C. E. S. Wood, Alfred Pitts of Victoria, B. C., Mr. and Mrs. Rhea M. Ireland and the host and hostess.

At a small wedding with only relatives and intimate friends present, Mrs. Marion Citron became the bride of Dr.

Ralph Falk of Boise Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock in the rose room of the Benson hotel. Palms, greenery and beautiful flowers combined to make an effective setting for the bridal party. The bride was attractive in a gown of white satin elaborated with rare lace. Her long tulle veil was caught with orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of orchids and sweet peas. Miss Carol Citron, her sister, as bridesmaid, wore a dainty frock of pink and carried an old-fashioned nosegay. Leo Falk was best man and Rabbi Jonah B. Wise officiated. Mrs. Henry Metzger sang "Wedding Song," accompanied by Miss Mame Helen Flynn.

Following the ceremony dinner was served in the Tyrolean room. Pink roses covered the tables.

Dr. and Mrs. Falk motored to British Columbia and will go on later to Boise, where they will make their home, reaching there about the middle of next month. The bride chose as her going-away gown a taupe tricotelle suit with small hat to match.

Many affairs have been held the past month for the bride-elect. Dr. Falk arrived from Boise last Sunday, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Nathan Falk, and by his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gordon Smith. A motor party out the highway followed by dinner was enjoyed on Monday and Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Julius Louison entertained at dinner. Covers were placed for Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gordon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Falk, Edward Tucker, Max S. Hirsch, Miss Citron, Mr. Falk and the host and hostess.

The Arts and Crafts society's teas will be given on Tuesday hereafter, beginning this week, at the studio of Mrs. Lee Hoffman on the Barnes road. The date was changed the past week to avoid a conflict with the dancing and swimming programme given at Mrs. Henry Ladd Corbett's country home on Tuesday afternoon. At this week's tea a feature will be a talk by Charles H. Cheney, authority on city planning. His subject will be "Practical Phase of City Planning for Portland." In addition to the usual exhibition of work made by members of the society which is on sale for the benefit of an educational work, there will be an interesting exhibit of embroidered linen brought over recently by a returned Red Cross worker, who purchased the beautiful linens from the nuns in a French convent.

Mrs. Harry Beal Torrey and Mrs. Donald Spencer will be hostesses at this week's tea. Mrs. H. C. Wortman and Mrs. Charles E. Curry will pour. They will be assisted by Miss Ella-

both Torrey and Miss Berenice Langton. Many enjoyed the tea hour at Mrs. Hoffman's studio the past week, for which Miss Margaret Marshall and Miss Vidie Marshall were hostesses. Miss Marjorie Noble and Miss Fay Nichols assisted about the rooms.

The members of the society wish it understood that no special invitations are extended for the teas and that everyone is welcome. The teas are becoming so popular that they will be continued throughout August. Many small groups come out for the tea hour with their guests for the afternoon, finding no attractive a spot and such an interesting exhibit a treat.

Dr. and Mrs. William H. Wilder of Chicago, and their two children, who have been the house-guests of Judge Charles H. Carey and Mrs. Carey left Wednesday. They will stop at Banff and Lake Louise on their way east. Dr. and Mrs. John Forest Dickson entertained in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Wilder at dinner Wednesday night at Alexandra Court. Covers were placed for the honor guests, Judge Charles H. Carey and Mrs. Carey, Dr. J. N. Coghlan and Mrs. Coghlan and the host and hostess.

Miss Mary Donworth, who has been the house-guest of Mrs. Charles T. Donworth (Evelyn Carey), at the home of Mrs. Donworth's parents, Judge Charles Carey and Mrs. Carey, returned to her home in Seattle Monday. Previous to her visit with Mrs. Donworth, she was the guest of Miss Marion Whiteside, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George S. Whiteside and many informal affairs were given in her honor.

Interesting among the affairs of the week was the sunset musicale given last evening in the home and gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wesley Parsons on Fairmont boulevard, Council Crest. All interested in the cause of the University of Oregon woman's building fund were invited to view the sunset and enjoy a musical programme presented by Miss Winifred Forbes, violinist; John Claire Montelich, baritone; Miss Ida May Cook and Miss Ailrin McElroy, accompanists. Another fea-

ture of the programme was the exhibition of sketches made by Louis Conrad Rosenberg in France, while he was serving with the camouflage unit, arranging front-line placements for the artillery. He will be professor of drawing and design at the University of Oregon next year. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons were assisted in receiving by President P. L. Campbell of the University of Oregon, Dr. and Mrs. George Hebec, Mrs. Thomas Sharpe, Mrs. John Claire Montelich, Miss Camille Doech, Miss Gretchen Colton and Miss Dorothy Parsons.

Many affairs have been given this week honoring Miss Virginia Margaret Mackenzie, who is leaving Tuesday on her way to Japan where she will do missionary work. Professor and Mrs. B. A. Thaxton entertained at dinner in her honor Monday evening and Miss Kate Holman was hostess at a tea Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. R. S. McKibbin entertained with a dinner Tuesday evening. Those presiding at the tea tables were Mrs. James F. Ewing, Mrs. Samuel P. Lockwood, Mrs. Samuel C. Kerr and Mrs. George Youell. Mrs. A. S. Pattullo, Mrs. R. W. Shepard, Miss Julia Palmer, Mrs. William S. Paul and Mrs. R. S. McKibbin assisted the hostess. The young women of the Westminster guild were special guests of Mrs. Linn at the tea. Miss Mackenzie received many gifts from her friends at these farewell affairs. Her Reed college classmates and other friends presented her with a solid gold watch and the girls of the Westminster guild with steamer rug among other gifts.

Miss Florence Watkins of New York is visiting at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Gordon. Miss Watkins will be in Portland until September 1. She has studied in New York under Oscar Seagle and Richard

Hageman. On her way east, she will stop in California for a visit.

Miss Marion Voorhies and Miss Sally Hart left for Seaside Wednesday to be in the Voorhies cottage for a time. They will be joined later by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Voorhies.

Mrs. George Maxwell was hostess at an informal tea Friday in honor of Miss Ruth Teal, whose engagement to Carlton Walter Betts of New York was announced recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stearns are passing the month at their summer cottage in Bend.

Lieutenant-Colonel George H. Kelly and Mrs. Kelly, accompanied by Mrs. Dorothy Sharpe Kelly and Miss Jean Kelly, are on a horseback trip down the coast. They will return by way of Crater lake.

Mrs. Guy Robert Porter, Mrs. Don Mulvane and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Fields were in San Francisco the past week. They are expected to return this week-end.

Mrs. Lee Hoffman entertained at luncheon Tuesday at the University club, complimenting Mrs. Earl M. Wilbur of Berkeley, who is spending the summer here, and Miss Caroline Welch of Cleveland, who is Miss Mary Frances Isom's house guest.

Mrs. Carrie Louise Dunning left Thursday for an extended trip through the east. She will be gone several months and will visit friends in Chicago, New York and eastern cities. She will pass the winter months in New York. Mrs. Dunning was accompanied by Mrs. Laura Jones Rawlinson. Mrs. Rawlinson will spend several weeks in Chicago and will then go to New York and Washington, D. C. She will be gone six weeks or two months.

Miss Helen Cattoon, whose wedding to Lieutenant Howard Gilbert will be an event of the fall, was the honor guest at a luncheon in the gold room of the Mulnomah Tuesday, for which Miss Mary Holmes was hostess. The guests were Misses Mildred Cattoon, Mary Rawlinson, Wilma Gardner, Dorothy Koerber, Nancy Gavin, Lucille Resing, Phina Crawford and Helen Cattoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McNaught have returned from Madison, Wis., where Mr. McNaught was called by the illness of his mother. Mrs. McNaught visited in Philadelphia, Chicago, New York, Wash-

ington, Boston, Denver, Minneapolis, St. Paul and Shelburne, Mo., her birthplace and that of her husband, in Washington, D. C. she attended a luncheon given by the national women's party at their headquarters in the historic home of General Sikes in Lafayette square. In New York she met President and Mrs. Wilson, who had just returned from France.

Mrs. C. W. King was hostess at an informal luncheon on Tuesday. Covers were laid for eight. In the afternoon the guests enjoyed bridge. On Thursday, July 17, Mrs. King entertained with a tea in honor of her niece, Mrs. Lloyd Gray (Edith Olde) of San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Booth, accompanied by Mrs. L. A. Milner and daughter, motored to Camp Lewis Wednesday to meet Captain L. A. Milner on his return from overseas.

Mrs. John A. Keating is at Seaview with her mother, Mrs. O. E. Mitchell, and Miss Isabelle Taimadge of Athens, Ga., as her guests. Hallie Keating and Ralph Keating are also with her. She will return in a week.

Another engagement of interest is that of Miss Alice Hornaday and Thomas C. Brown, which was announced at a luncheon Saturday, July

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