

# SOCIETY AND WOMAN'S WORLD



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**THE SOCIETY EDITOR.**

Behold the society editor:  
Think of the things  
That she must write,  
Think of the doings  
By day and by night;  
Think of the parties  
And dances, too,  
Think of the worry  
That she goes through.  
Names and initials  
Must always be right,  
The time and the place  
Forever in sight;  
Adjectives, adjectives,  
Oh, for a score,  
Beautiful,  
Elegant,  
Others galore.  
Tell how the table  
Was covered with flowers,  
Speak of the ribbons  
And roses and bowers;  
Who was the hostess?  
Name every guest,  
Who was assisting  
And how were they dressed?  
Who won the honors?  
If bridge was the game;  
Who was invited?  
Please give every name,  
Pity, oh, pity,  
The woman who goes  
To write of receptions  
And dances and clothes;  
Here is the lot  
Which no one would choose,  
Writing and writing  
Society news.

—Spokesman-Review, "Chinookers."

is his in having such a home, and join in the chorus.

Nahogany and rosewood and marble and bronze are not needed to complete the ideal home.

There are million dollar palaces along upper Fifth avenue and scattered all over America, which are not only unideal, but do not deserve even the name of homes.

There was an ideal home where continual economy stood guard over each small purchase, and where an irritable semi-invalid husband and father was not above to dim the sunshine of good nature and hopefulness and merriment which filled the small domain with hope and happiness from year end to year end.

The ideal home must be built upon these inner qualities—cheerfulness, a sense of humor, unselfishness, the idealizing of the commonplace—and then must come a training of the mind in the laws of beauty and appropriateness and usefulness. The chemical values of food, cooking as a fine art, architecture, interior decorations, embroidery, needlework, music, all these things are good for a woman to study who wants to develop in herself the power to enjoy and to help create an ideal home.

A development of humanitarian qualities and sympathy will settle many servant problems.

The ideal home must be a home to the domestic as well as to employers.

From such a home may a woman extend her powers of usefulness to those who are below her and above her, and even into the invisible realms of the beyond, whose borders lie close to the boundaries of the ideal home.

One of the faintest possible valentine parties was given last evening by Miss Mary and Ralph Kruse at their home in West Marshfield. Unusual care and taste had been expended on the decorations, with result that the house itself looked like a huge valentine. Two rooms were hung with rows of big and little pink hearts strung on baby ribbon crossing in the center over the crepe paper shades and ivy that decked the chandeliers. A third room was lined from curtains to center-piece with tiny red hearts, and two cross-chairs swayed overhead from opposite corners. The dainty colors were emphasized by the background of dark green in which the house was banked. Dainty pen-and-ink sketches, cupids with bows and arrows, drawn on pink hearts, furnished the score cards for whist.

Miss Marian Seaman and Wesley Seaman carried off card honors and were awarded the pretty prizes. Refreshments, heart-shaped pink cakes and leas were served by Mrs. Christine Kruse, aided by Mrs. J. Albert Matson, and candlesticks to match the rooms, shaded with covers of red or pink hearts and dangling smaller ribboned hearts from their edges, were set on the individual tables. Dancing and music brought a fitting end to the happy evening. Among those invited were Misses Lucy Powers, Ruth Horton, Myrtle Cowan, May Myren, Evelyn Flanagan, Grace Williams, Bessie Douglas, Elsie Hall, Frances Golden and Marian Seaman, Messrs. John Ferguson, Geo. Johnson, Tom Patterson, Max Reigard, Lee Rverly, Will Horton, Wesley Seaman, Noble Pitman and Sydney Clarke.

Miss Ruby Watkins returned home on the Breakwater after spending several months attending high school at The Dalles.

Mrs. John Lafon, assisted by Mrs. Ward M. Blake and Mrs. M. C. Maloney on the occasion of the Progress Club meeting at her home, presented a very interesting paper on the subject of the afternoon, "Famous Women of the French Salon." The executive committee for the coming year chosen at the last meeting will be composed of Mrs. W. S. Nicholson, Mrs. M. C. Maloney and Mrs. Ward M. Blake. In the course of the afternoon's work Mrs. F. A. Tiedgen and Mrs. A. L. Barker were elected to membership. Mrs. C. W. Tower will entertain the club when next they meet, the subject being "The Jew, in History and Fiction."

A large attendance marked the gathering of the Sisters of Bethany and the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Episcopal church at the home of Mrs. Geo. F. Murch Tuesday afternoon. The day was devoted largely to needlework and conversation and refreshments were daintily served. Among those present were Mrs. J. W. Bennett, Mrs. Arthur McKeown, Mrs. M. C. Maloney, Mrs. Otto Schetter, Mrs. H. Bradford, Mrs. F. A. Sacchi, Mrs. Downing, Mrs. J. T. Hall, Mrs. C. K. Perry, Mrs. W. A. Toye, Mrs. P. A. Sandberg and Rev. Robert E. Browning. Mrs. Earl Savage, Mrs. A. E. Adelsperger and Mrs. E. M. Barry were guests of the afternoon.

Miss Evelyn Anderson will entertain the Sisters of Bethany at their next meeting. The Ladies' Auxiliary will meet the first Tuesday in March with Mrs. Downing.

Tuesday afternoon a unique "baby" party was given by Mrs. J. M. Upton at her home in West Marshfield in honor of Mrs. John Lafon and Miss Juanita Florence Lafon, who leave next month for North Car-

**PERSONAL** notices of visitors in the city, or of Coos Bay people who visit in other cities, together with notices of social affairs, are gladly received in the social department. Telephone 133. Notices of club meetings will be published and secretaries are kindly requested to furnish same.

A busy, pleasant afternoon was spent in looking after babies and in sewing between times. Among those present were Mrs. John Lafon, Mrs. W. U. Douglas, Mrs. Ward M. Blake, Mrs. W. S. McEldowney Mrs. Root, E. Browning, Mrs. S. G. Forhan, Mrs. C. F. Small, Mrs. A. H. Powers, Mrs. J. W. Bennett, Mrs. C. F. Hoffman, Miss Palmer and Miss Maud Reed.

Frank Sherman leaves today on the Breakwater for Portland where he will meet his brother and sister who are coming from Port Huron, Mich., to spend several weeks in the Rose City. His mother, Mrs. C. Bennett, left on the last boat to prepare apartments in Portland for the family.

Mrs. E. Mings entertained at four tables of bridge Saturday afternoon, the third of a series of small parties she is giving. Mrs. D. Y. Stafford and Mrs. R. K. Booth won card honors.

Mrs. I. S. Kaufman and Mrs. M. C. Maloney were the representatives of the Progress Club of Marshfield at a meeting of the Coquille Educational League in Coquille Friday. Each year, a member of the Progress Club has been delegated to present a paper before the Coquille organization and this season, Mrs. Maloney was selected to take part in the program.

R. J. Brown of Polson, Montana, has arrived in Marshfield to take a position in the local railway office.

Mrs. F. Monroe of Florence was guest of honor at a whist party given Thursday night by Mrs. M. G. Coleman at her home in North Bend. Mrs. Bartie and Julius Jacobson won the prizes. Mrs. Charles Williams and R. J. Coke the consolation. Among those invited were Mr. and Mrs. E. Riggs, Dr. and Mrs. I. B. Bartie, Mr. and Mrs. R. Coke, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Loomis, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Derbyshire, Mr. and Mrs. H. O'Mara, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Miss Emma Johnson, Miss May Peterson, Miss Florence Peterson, Miss Goldie Riggs, Miss Lily Butler, Mr. Neil Banks and Mr. Julius Jacobson. Mrs. Monroe leaves tomorrow after an extended visit at the M. G. Coleman home, for her home in Florence.

Miss Edith R. Preston has come to Marshfield from Lowell, Mass., to spend several months and probably to make her permanent home with her uncle, F. P. Norton.

A very successful sale was given Saturday afternoon at the Coos Bay grocery in North Bend by the ladies of St. Mary's Altar Guild. Many delectable dishes were prepared by the eighteen members which disappeared like the proverbial hot-cakes, netting the sum of \$15 for the guild's treasury. As this first one has been so successful, other cooked-food sales will be held each month, places and committees to be determined later. A guild meeting is being held this afternoon at the home of Miss Gertrude Mandigo, who with Mrs. Bartie and Mrs. Gardner formed the committee in charge of last week's sale. Plans are being made for giving a tea the early part of next month.

Mr. Dennis Flynn has arrived from Minnesota to be the guest for some time of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grimes.

The W. C. T. U. of North Bend met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Josephine Jones on Union and Virginia avenues. A short business meeting was held, a time was spent in parliamentary drill, and arrangements were completed for the silver medal contest to be held by Dr. Clark February 20 or thereabout. A number of the boys of the High School are practicing on a drill that is to be given at this contest, and several girls are preparing readings or recitations. Among the latter are Gladys Crannick, Shirlev Peterson, Bessie Baines, Esther Imhoff, Marian Longenberg, Amelia Lillebo, Marjorie Smith, Annie Truman and Lola Ritchie. After Scripture reading by Mrs. Marshal and invocation by Mrs. V. T. Hoosen the club adjourned to meet next with Dr. B. Clark the first Tuesday of March.

The Band will give another of its popular entertainments Wednesday night, February 14, at the Eagles' Hall.

The Finnish Hall Tuesday evening was the scene of the initiation of four new members into the Royal Neighbors of America. Quite a large crowd was present and indulged in a social evening after the initiation ceremonies, presided over by the Oracle, Mrs. Nettie LaChapelle. The four new Neighbors sharing in the mysterious

rites were Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Martha, Mrs. Gale and Mr. Churchill, all of Bunker Hill. The regular meeting of the lodge will be held the fourth Tuesday of the month, which falls on Feb. 27. According to the usual custom, in every month that includes a fifth Tuesday, a joint social is held upon that day with the Modern Woodmen, and a program and feast of some kind are prepared. In pursuance of this custom the two lodges will join forces in an effort to make Tuesday night, April 30, the date of one of the pleasantest evenings held by the two chapters.

Mrs. W. P. Miller will entertain Wednesday, Feb. 14, at a Valentine Bridge party at her home.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Peter Clausen on South Tenth street. The meeting was opened by song and prayer, and was continued for an hour on the topic of the afternoon, "The Home Mission Alphabet." Following discussion of this, an indoor picture of the assemblage was taken by Mrs. Wesley Smith. A song by Mrs. Smith and the serving of refreshments by Mrs. Clausen, Mrs. Lewis and Miss Mary Price, ended the afternoon's entertainment. Those present were Mrs. E. L. Graef, Mrs. J. C. Doane, Mrs. A. J. Corison, Mrs. A. L. Downs, Mrs. V. O. Pratt, Mrs. Amanda Rose, Mrs. E. W. Lewis, Mrs. Peter Clausen, Miss Mamie Gulovsen, Mrs. W. M. Green, Mrs. Alva Doll, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mrs. C. O. Gosney, Mrs. C. H. Marsh, Mrs. G. Le Roy Hall, Mrs. Daisy Anderson and Miss Mary Price.

The Minnie-Wis will hold a Valentine party and exchange at the home of Mrs. E. E. Kelly Saturday evening, Feb. 17.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid of North Bend spent a pleasant afternoon Thursday at the home of Mrs. J. Mende on North Bend Heights. In the regular routine of business a matter came up deserving of the interest of the women's club. Two families have been found in North Bend and one in Cooson who will be greatly benefited by any charity that can be procured for them. Sunday evening a collection amounting to \$22 was taken up for their relief and turned over to the Ladies' Aid which Thursday appointed Mrs. N. C. McLeod, Mrs. K. Rood and Mrs. Robt. McCann

a committee to take charge of the disbursement of the fund and of whatever supplies might come into their aid. After this business, sewing and refreshments completed the afternoon. Those present were Mrs. T. Rood, Mrs. Geo. Bolster, Mrs. C. A. Smith, Mrs. C. H. Farris, Mrs. Wm. Vaughn, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. McLeod, Mrs. R. C. Holmes Mrs. A. H. Guernsey, Mrs. E. J. Ketting, Mrs. Robt. McCann and Mrs. J. Mende.

Messrs. Watters, John Mullen and Archie Phillips have been named as a committee to make preparations for a Big Commercial Club party to be given some time this month.

Miss Mary Kruse was hostess to a few of her friends Saturday afternoon at her home in West Marshfield. Sewing bugs were emptied of their pretty contents and embroidered and chat filled the afternoon. Miss Mary was aided by her mother, Mrs. Christine Kruse, in serving dainty refreshments. Misses Florence Powers, Dagmar Fleisberg, Dorothy Horton, Roxie Hill and Nellie Warwick were her guests.

Mrs. C. H. Farris of Union avenue entertained a number of friends at luncheon Thursday.

The Bridge Club was entertained Wednesday by Mrs. Wm. Horsfall, Jr., at her home on Central avenue. Card honors fell to Mrs. W. T. Merchant and Mrs. J. W. Bennett. Mrs. W. S. Nicholson, Mrs. F. E. Hague and Mrs. C. M. Byler of North Bend, were substitute guests.

Miss Evelyn Langworthy will be hostess at a Valentine party Saturday, February 17.

Miss Clara Rehfield entertained the D. Y. B. Club of the Baptist church Friday evening at games and music. As part of the business of the meeting, election of officers was held. Alpha Mauzey was chosen president, Mary Price vice-president, Belva Flanagan secretary and Clara Rehfield treasurer. Violin and piano solos and duets were given by Miss Clara Rehfield and her brother, Chas. Rehfield, and Miss Alpha Mauzey sang the very pretty lullaby "Little Puff of Smoke, Goodnight," after which the hostess assisted by Mrs. Claude Stutsman served a light supper. Those present were Misses Emma Oostermaas, Alpha Mauzey, Ruth

Matthews, Cora Dye, Mary Belva Flanagan, Bessie Ayre, Iris Marsh, Laughlin and Florence Rehfield, and Messrs. Ernest Harrington, Rehfield, Ray Ollivant, Harry and Clifford Doane.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson moved from the Williams house formerly occupied by W. Kammerers on Golden street.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid will convene for a short meeting Wednesday, Feb. 14, Mrs. C. O. Gosney at her home on Rod Ave. A silver tea is being held for the week after. Lines of the first one which was successful and furnished a return to the members for glad and trouble.

Mrs. W. T. Merchant, Mrs. Leefe and Mrs. J. W. Bennett the day Monday as guests of C. M. Byler of North Bend.

The Cordially Club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. J. G. Kinney in South Bend. Progressive whist yielded the to Mrs. Harry Bradford and Hildebrand and refreshments served by the hostess, Mrs. Hyde will entertain the club day, February 20.

Mrs. Nellie Owen and Mrs. Elrod left on the Redondo for Francisco to attend to business in that city.

M. C. Horton returned this morning from a trip to Washington, California, to which latter he took his daughter Lucy for several months of over-study at Washington University.

Mr. George Thompson returned Friday on the Breakwater to pleasure trip to Portland and where he visited his sisters few days.

Mrs. Geo. Rourke of Butte entertained the members of the Cecilia Club Wednesday evening with music and music. Her guests Misses Genevieve Tellefon, Mathisen and Signe Lann.

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