

The Week in Astoria Society

Mrs. Babbidge and Mrs. Holt returned on Friday evening from a week's stay in Portland where they witnessed the festivities connected with the Rose Show. Mrs. Babbidge was accompanied home by her nieces, the Misses Beatrice and Margaret McCormick who will visit for some time in Astoria.

Captain and Mrs. Tatton were homing passengers Friday evening from several days' stay at the Rose Festival in Portland.

Mrs. T. L. Ball and daughter, Miss Mae, were Portland passengers on board the Larline Thursday night. Miss Ball left Portland Saturday afternoon for Tacoma to attend the commencement exercises of the Anna Wright Seminary of that place of which she is a graduate and to visit for several weeks with relatives and friends. Mrs. Ball returned to Astoria Friday evening.

Miss Lena Smith is in Portland enjoying the Rose Festival.

Mrs. W. L. Thornlyke delightfully entertained a number of friends on Monday evening at her home on Third street.

Miss Mabel Simington left on Wednesday for Portland after spending some time in the Rose City she will continue her trip to Eugene.

Wednesday, June 3rd, at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Hannah Pease at Spikanoon, Miss Eva B. Parker and Mr. George Schmidt of this city were united in marriage, the Rev. John Warren of the Holy Innocents' Chapel, performing the ceremony. The house was artistically decorated for the happy occasion with Oregon grape and Scotch-bloom. The bridal couple stood during the ceremony directly beneath a beautiful flower bell and the bride, who was charmingly gowned in white silk was attended by Miss Leona Townsend. Mr. John Arnold acted as groomsmen. A large number of relatives and friends gathered to witness the auspicious event and to partake of the generous hospitality extended. Mrs. Schmidt, who is the grand-daughter of Mr. H. B. Parker has a host of friends in this vicinity, all of whom hold her in high esteem. The groom is also well known here, having long been connected with the Tongue Point Lumber Company. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt left on the 6:10 train for Portland where they will spend their honeymoon.

Mrs. A. J. Hill of Rainier attended the Schmidt-Parker wedding at Spikanoon Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. A. Cordiner attended the Rose Festival in Portland this week and also visited friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and children are in Portland seeing the Rose show.

The D. M. C. D. Club members were charmingly entertained this week by Mrs. Howard L. Knight and Miss Morton at the Morton home on Grand avenue. The attendance was

good and all present had a delightful time. The evening was spent in playing games of different kinds, music, happy conversation, and in the enjoyment of the dainty refreshments served.

Mrs. E. A. Clay of San Francisco is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. M. Cellar, of this city.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Lutheran Church were pleasantly entertained on Thursday afternoon of this week by Mrs. C. A. Larson at her home on Harrison avenue. There was an exceptionally good attendance. After a brief business meeting the ladies spent the remainder of the afternoon in doing fancy work during which time the hostess served a sumptuous luncheon.

Mrs. M. Flavel and the Misses Flavel left on Tuesday evening of this week for Portland and San Francisco.

The members of the Sewing Society of the Relief Corps will be entertained on next Wednesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Hamlin. This society is in a very thriving condition these afternoons spent at the homes of the members having proved happy innovations.

The members of Gate Rebekah Lodge No. 77 held an enjoyable meeting on Friday evening of this week in their lodge rooms in the I. O. O. F. building. During the business meeting officers for the ensuing term were elected as follows: Noble grand, Alma Lawson; vice grand, Betsey Enberg; secretary, Mayme Clinton; treasurer, A. Y. Anderson. Two applications for membership were received and acted upon. Beaver Lodge, I. O. O. F., has extended Gateway Rebekah Lodge an invitation to be present and assist in the exercises to be given in commemoration of the Odd Fellows' memorial day, Sunday, June 14th. At the close of the business meeting a pleasant social hour was spent by the many present.

Mrs. C. A. Carlton of Loveland, Colo., is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Rarick of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Wingate, who have been visiting in Seattle and Portland for the past ten days have returned home.

Dr. N. S. Vernon was a Portland visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Humphries were pleasure-seekers in the Rose City this week.

Mrs. Ulman Paldanius and children and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Saari and child left Astoria Thursday for Helsingfors, Finland, on June 11th the party expect to sail from New York on the White Star liner "Baltic" for their destination.

Mrs. Charles Wirkala entertained on Monday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. John Malar. The occasion being Mrs. Malar's birthday anniversary. About 20 ladies were present and had a very enjoyable time. Mrs. Malar was the recipient of a beautiful piece of cut-glass.

The members of the Baptist Young Peoples' Union were pleasantly entertained on Friday evening at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Estes on Commercial street. After the business meeting the evening was spent in a social manner. Several members of the Union rendering musical selections and recitations. Dainty refreshments were served by the Misses Estes.

Miss Lela Henderson of Portland who was one of the out-of-town guests at the Simmons-Pohl wedding on Wednesday returned to her home last evening.

At high noon Wednesday, June 4, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. A. Pohl, on Franklin avenue, Miss Edith Mae Pohl and Mr. Carl Thane Simmons were united in marriage. The Rev. Gustave E. Rydquist, pastor of the First Lutheran Church of this city performing the ceremony. The spacious rooms were beautifully decorated for the occasion with ferns, ivy and potted cactus. A wedding bell of pale pink carnations was suspended from the center of the room, beneath which the bridal party stood during the ceremony. The bride's gown was an elegant creation of net over white silk, in train with trimmings of Irish point lace. She wore orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of bride roses. Miss Flora Pohl daintily gowned in pale blue mousseline de soie with bouquet of white carnations attended her sister while Mr. R. L. Butler acted as groomsmen. About 25 relatives and friends witnessed the happy event and partook of the excellent repast served. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons will leave on Monday for various eastern points. The engagement in this city of the Donald-Bell company of which Mr. Simmons is a prominent member will be completed tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brink are receiving congratulations over the birth of a son on Thursday evening.

Dr. J. M. Holt visited the Rose Festival in Portland this week.

The Saturday girls were entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Miss Bess Reed at her home on Bond street. Cards were played, Mrs. Nathaniel Talant winning the prize.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heilborn and little son have returned from a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Westdahl in San Francisco.

Miss Edna Grant of Sacramento, Cal., is a guest of the Misses Taylor on Irving avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Nyland happily celebrated their silver wedding on Wednesday at their home on Fourteenth street. Many friends and relatives called to congratulate them on their 25th wedding anniversary, and to partake of the delectable dinner served.

Messrs. Grover Utzinger, Yvon Guillume and Allen Hughes are in Portland witnessing the close of the Carnival.

Owing to the success of the piano recital given at Eilers' concert hall on Thursday, May 28th, by Miss Wise of this city, many flattering and well deserved encomiums have been received by the young artist. Prof. Emma entertained at the close of the recital with a dinner party at the Hotel Portland in her honor at which the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Eilers, Mr. Hye Eilers, Miss Marie Lawler, Miss Eva Graves, Miss Wald, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wise, Miss Louise and Sam Wise and Messrs. O. Backers and George Dobson.

About 20 young friends of Miss Agnes Wahlgren helped her celebrate her birthday anniversary on Tuesday evening of this week at her home on Forty-fifth street. The evening was happily spent in playing games, music and feasting.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Mason and son left yesterday morning for an extended eastern trip visiting en route in Pennsylvania, New York and Virginia. During the latter part of the month Mrs. Mason and son will take passage on board the Lusitania for London where they will visit with Mrs. Mason's parents.

A reception and dance was given on Monday evening of this week in the Assembly Hall by the High School

students in honor of the members of the debating team, Miss Birdie Wise, Miss Jennie Jeffers and Mr. Carl Thomas and of the track team composed of the following well known young men: Kenneth Parker, Leo J. Toumala, Will Utzinger, Edwin Short, Harry Herbert and Melville Morton. The teachers present at this very pleasing affair was Miss Badollett, and Miss Hulse, and Professors Garman and Keonig. The young people spent the evening in dancing. Punch was served.

An entertaining rhetorical session was held at the High School Friday afternoon when the members of the class debated the question entitled "Open Shop." The affirmative side was supported by Miss Maude Ross and Ole Jeldness the negative by Miss Josie Bangsund and William Utzinger, the affirmative winning after a spirited debate. The teachers were interested listeners on this occasion.

Mrs. Earl Fisher returned last night from a two weeks' visit with Seattle relatives, having participated in the festivities incident to the arrival and departure of the fleet.

Mesdames C. W. and G. C. Fulton are enjoying the Portland Rose Show this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindenberg and son are in Portland stopping at Alexander Court during the Festival.

Mrs. J. Paul Badollett is visiting friends in the Rose City this week.

Manager John H. Whyte and Mrs. Whyte were doing the sights in Portland this week.

Mrs. M. J. Badollett celebrated her 68th birthday anniversary on Thursday afternoon by entertaining at her home on Commercial street a number of intimate friends.

Mrs. Edward L. Babbidge was hostess on Tuesday evening for a very delightful meeting of the members of the Social Club of St. Mary's Church. Many were in attendance and all enjoyed them immensely. Cards were played and dancing engaged in until a late hour.

Mrs. C. C. Lightfoot and Mrs. A. Murphy visited the Rose Show this week.

Mrs. George W. Warren of Warrenton and Miss Margaret Higgins are in Portland this week.

Miss Jessie Sands is a week's end visitor at the Rose Carnival.

Mrs. W. C. Logan returned on Friday evening from a few days' stay at the Portland Carnival.

Captain and Mrs. R. E. Howes left yesterday for a month's visit in San Francisco.

Sheriff and Mrs. Pomeroy are week end visitors at the Portland Rose Show.

The Dorcas Society of the First Lutheran Church announce a moonlight excursion to be given next Friday evening. The steamer General Washington has been chartered for the occasion.

Mrs. C. L. Corwin of Medford, Or., arrived in Astoria yesterday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. O. W. Whitman.

Mrs. Milie R. Trumbell, state child labor commissioner, gave a highly instructive and interesting lecture on "Child Labor" Friday evening, in the First Presbyterian Church of this city under the auspices of the "Round Table" to a very appreciative audience. Many stereoptical pictures were shown of the little workers in coal mines and factories. Mrs. Trumbell is an enthusiastic worker for the betterment of children forced to labor under such unhappy conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wyard are visiting for a few days in Portland going from there to Willamette Valley points. Mrs. Wyard will visit Mrs. Moore at Corvallis before returning to Astoria.

Next Friday afternoon the High School students will hold their last field and track meet for the present school year. The contests will be for the championship of the school and will be between teams from each of the respective classes.

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