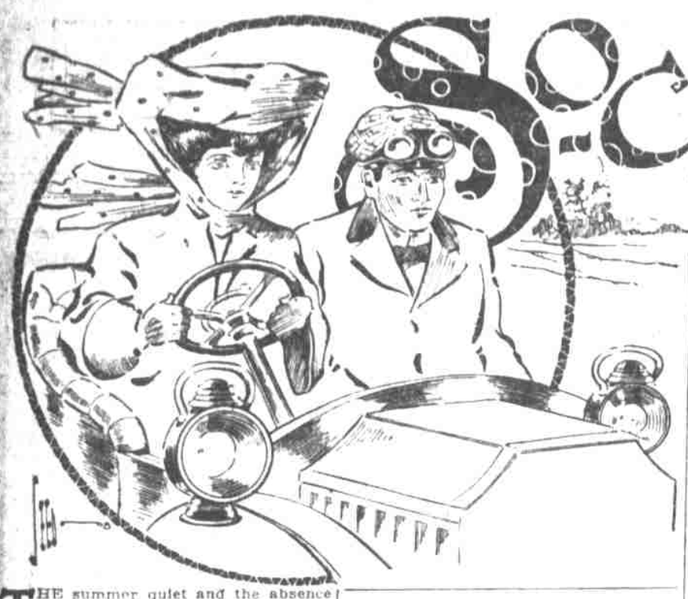

THE summer quiet and the absence of people from town has precluded practically all large festivities and attention is chiefly attracted to out-of-door sports these days. The river is a popular place, and launch, barge and boating parties are in favor. The Rock Island club is coming rapidly into favor, and luncheons, afternoons of bridge and dinner dances promise to become more and more frequent there since the place has been all made over and put under new management.

The past week tennis has been the chief source of interest. Every morning and afternoon has seen a number of enthusiastic watchers filling the seats at the attractive Irvington club grounds. Yesterday was a particularly good day, when everyone interested went out to see the finals. Miss Hotchkiss has attracted a great deal of attention, not only by her brilliant playing, but by her pleasing and unassuming personality.

Each afternoon the refreshment table has been the scene of gaiety, and popular matrons and misses have been in charge. Tuesday, the opening day, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett was the patroness and assisting her were the Misses Failing and Miss Frances Wilson. Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Walter Cook was the patroness, but since she was playing in several matches and was busied most of the time, Mrs. Ralph Hoyt took charge of the table for her, and Mrs. Fred Jacobs, Miss Lillie Fox and Miss Margaret Catlin assisted. Thursday Mrs. John Shepard was assisted by Mrs. R. Lea Barnes, Miss Gladys Weidler, Miss Leslie Knapp and Miss Claire Houghton. Friday Mrs. F. J. Baley had as her assistants Miss Hazel Hotchkiss, Miss Daisy Bradford, Miss Myrtle Schaeffer, Miss Catherine Woodward, Mrs. F. H. V. Andrews and Mrs. Archibald Stewart. Yesterday Mrs. Jay S. Hamilton was in charge and her helpers were Miss Lorena Prudhomme, Miss Ethel Wentworth, Miss Bessie Stewart, and Miss Catherine Woodward.

A number of incidental social affairs were planned for the entertainment of the visitors. Tuesday evening there was an informal "flannel" hop at the clubhouse. Wednesday evening was spent at The Oaks and Thursday evening in motoring.

Friday evening was the tennis ball, the crowning event of the tourney. There was a good, representative crowd in attendance of the players and their friends. The west side was well represented. Parsons' orchestra played and the ballroom was decorated with evergreens and yellow coreopsis. Supper was served outside in the gallery. Mrs. Jay S. Hamilton, wife of the president of the club, Mrs. George W. McMillan and Mrs. Ralph W. Wilbur were the patronesses. Mrs. Hamilton wore pale blue messaline trimmed with appliqued pink rosebuds. Mrs. McMillan was in a princess gown of allover embroidery. Mrs. Wilbur wore a white batiste ornamented with Valenciennes lace.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Metzger were hosts last Sunday afternoon at another delightful excursion to their country place on the Salem electric line. Mrs. E. L. Heller and Miss Margaret Heller of New York were the honor guests. The older people went out on the car and the younger ones formed a party on horseback. Dancing in the pavilion, walking through the beautiful park and playing bridge on the veranda formed the amusement till an elaborate dinner was served. The guests were Mrs. Heller, Miss Heller, Mr. and Mrs. S. Lipman, Mr. and Mrs. Sol Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Lipman, Adolphe Wolfe, Judge McFall, Miss Helen Rosenfeld, Walter, James and Samson Rosenfeld, Miss Clementine Hirsch, Miss Flora Fleischner, Miss Ruby Jacobs, Adolphe Jacobs, Miss Kohn of San Francisco, who is the guest of her cousin, Miss Fleischner, Miss Gertrude Wolfe, Sanford Lowengard, Dr. Lawrence Selling, George Bickel, Max Kauffman, and Herman Metzger. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Feldenheimer and their son, their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman and Mr. Freundlich, their guest from Germany, joined the party at dinner.

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The golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lipman will be celebrated with elaborate detail August 18 and relatives will come from long distances to be present. Their daughter, Mrs. E. L. Heller of New York, is already here with her daughter Miss Margaret, and early next month Mrs. Heller will join them. Miss Daisy Rosener has been here from San Francisco for some time, visiting with her aunt and later her mother, Mrs. Lipman's sister, and Mr. Heller will come. Their son, William F. Lipman, who has been abroad for some months, has just returned home. He was traveling in Europe with Dr. Gustav Bass. Mr. and Mrs. Lipman are among the best known of the older residents here. Mr. Lipman is president of the firm, Lipman, Wolfe & Co., and owns a beautiful home on King's Heights.

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Mrs. E. B. Gaze entertained Wednesday with a charming lavender luncheon for her mother, Mrs. Nellie J. Robinson, who was celebrating her seventy-second birthday. The mahogany table made a pretty appearance with its white and lavender service. Lavender candles, lavender sweet peas and ribbon were used and the cake with its many tiny candles of the same color, the place cards and the dishes all sustained the color plan. Covers were laid for 16 and at a game following luncheon Mrs. Munro and Mrs. W. H. Moore were the prize winners.

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Mrs. Sol Rosenfeld gave a charming luncheon Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. E. L. Heller and Miss Margaret Heller of New York. The party of nine went out to Claremont tavern in carriages and automobiles and after luncheon spent the afternoon playing bridge in the gallery overlooking the river. Besides Mrs. Rosenfeld and the two honor guests there were Mrs. S. Lipman, Mrs. I. N. Lipman, Mrs. Herman Metzger, Miss Flora Fleischner, Miss Kohn of San Francisco and Miss Helen Rosenfeld.

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The engagement of Miss Edna Daulton to Mortimer Dillon Latourette of Oregon City was recently announced, and a good deal of entertaining is planned for the bride-elect, who is very popular in Oregon City. Miss Daulton has been a student at the University of Oregon, where she was a member of the Tau Pi sorority and was popular in student enterprises. She is related to the Caufield family of Oregon City and to prominent families of Portland. Mr. Latourette is also a member of a prominent family in Oregon City. His brother, Jack Latourette, is chiefly known through his football prowess while at Oregon, and is now attending Columbia university. Mr. Latourette is a cousin of Fielding S. Kelly of this city.

Wednesday evening Mrs. J. B. Lewthwaite entertained at bridge at her home in West Oregon City in honor of Miss Daulton, who received a very pretty linen shower. The parlor and dining-room were decorated in festoons of blue and white, with pleasing effect. The linen gifts were held in a large hat, gaily decorated. There were present the Misses Marjorie, Edna and Clara Caufield, Miss Bessie Kelly, Miss Nieta Harding, Miss Margaret Goodfellow, Miss Martha Frances Draper, Miss Aimee Bollack, Miss Zida Goldsmith, Miss Emily O'Malley, the Misses Bessie and Helen Daulton, Miss Robin Shaw, Miss Alice Lewthwaite, Miss Laura Pope, Miss Cis Barclay Pratt and Miss May Peel of Portland, Mrs. Ethel Caufield Daly and Mrs. J. N. Wisner.

Mrs. Jay S. Hamilton, Patroness at Irvington Tennis Dance.

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A good many congratulatory messages have gone from friends in Portland to Admiral W. T. Swinburne who has been advanced from rear admiralship of the second squadron of the Pacific fleet to the command of the Pacific fleet to succeed Rear Admiral J. H. Dayton who is now on the retired list. Admiral Swinburne is exceedingly popular with Portland society and on his visits here is much sought after as a dinner guest. Mrs. Swinburne is a delightful woman with exceedingly gracious manners and her absence during the Rose Festival when the admiral was here with a few of the boats of the fleet, was deeply regretted. The admiral with Mrs. C. F. Beebe led the grand march at the Rose Festival ball and they attracted much comment as a handsome and striking-looking pair.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Teal were the hosts at a delightful steamboat party Thursday evening given for Miss Ethel Rogers the guest of Mrs. Teal's sister, Miss Genevieve Thompson. About 100 people, mostly of the younger set, formed the party, with a few of the older married set. The steamer J. N. Teal carried the party down the Columbia and the evening was beautiful. Most of the party remained out on deck enjoying the cool breezes but indoors there was music by Parson's orchestra for dancing, in the saloon and tables for bridge in one of the cabins were frequented by some of the devotees. Supper was served late in the evening. Miss Rogers received the guests with Mrs. Teal.

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Mr. and Mrs. William T. Henton of Tacoma, Wash., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mayme Henton to Homer D. Angell of this city. The wedding will take place in Tacoma July 29. Miss Henton is a popular young woman in Tacoma and has a number of friends in Portland. Mr. Angell is a graduate of the University of Oregon, where he was prominent as a football player, a debater and orator. Later he was graduated from Columbia university, New York.

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Mrs. Holt C. Wilson entertained yesterday with a luncheon at the Rock Island club for Mrs. J. G. Edwards the guest of Mrs. Walter F. Burrell. The party went out in a launch and enjoyed the cool afternoon by the river. Covers were laid for 12 and the guests were Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Burrell, Mrs. Richard Koehler, Mrs. K. A. J. Mackenzie, Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett, Mrs. Howard Mather, Mrs. Zera Snow, Mrs. David Honeyman, Miss Sally Lewis, Mrs. L. Allen Lewis and Miss May Failing.

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Miss Alice Bretherton was the guest of honor at an ante-nuptial party given Wednesday afternoon by Miss Lela Goddard. The young women, all intimate friends of Miss Bretherton, whose wedding to Clifford W. Brown of Salem will be celebrated August 12, spent the afternoon hemming napkins. Those present were Miss Helene Robertson, Mrs. Ralph Fenton, Miss Jessie Chase, Mrs. C. A. Macrum, Miss Mary DeBar, Miss Rachel Vogel, Mrs. Frank Rowe, Miss Mary Dale, Miss Ella Doble, Miss Ethelwyn Harris, Miss Grace Bliss, Miss Henryette Lauer, Miss Hannah Connell, Miss Milola Ward, Miss Edna Church, Mrs. George Haskell Marsh and Miss Frances Oberteuffer. Miss Bretherton is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bretherton. She was graduated two years ago from the University of Oregon, where she was a most popular student. She is a member of the Beta Epsilon sorority there and distinguished herself in college affairs. Mr. Brown is of a prominent Salem family and after finishing at Oregon was graduated from Cornell university. His fraternity is Sigma Nu.

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Colonel and Mrs. S. W. Roessler of Elton Court, their children Jennie and Edward, and their maid left last Sunday night for New York. The colonel will remain in New York, his new station, but the family will spend the summer in Portland, Me. Major McIndoe, who succeeds Colonel Roessler, has taken apartments at Elton Court until Mrs. McIndoe and her three children arrive from Olympia, Wash., where they are visiting friends.

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The Misses Margaret and Vida Marshall after several delightful weeks in London with their sister, Mrs. Marsh and her daughter Miss Genevieve, are now enjoying the delights of Paris. A little later during the heated season they will visit Norway and Sweden. The Misses Marshall left Portland in April, intending to remain abroad a half year or a year. They were extensively entertained prior to their departure and gave a delightful card party themselves at their apartments at the Hill. Their niece, Miss Genevieve Marsh, is studying music in Europe with marked success.

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Mr. and Mrs. MacDougall have returned to Portland after a three years' stay in the orient. They are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George F. Robertson of 50 Union avenue north. Mrs. MacDougall was formerly Miss Etha Hopkins of Portland. Mr. MacDougall is in the employ of the Atlantic, Gulf & Pacific company, the largest contracting company in the Philippine islands. They leave Saturday for San Francisco.

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Miss Fanny Barber has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Lewis R. Alderman in Eugene. Miss Barber went up in June to attend commencement at the University of Oregon, where she was a student for two years before going east where she finished at Elmira college, New York. Her little niece, Ruth Alderman, is here visiting with her grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Barber.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shevlin have returned from a trip east, extending over several weeks. They will move into the handsome Zera Snow home on North Twentieth street next month, and Henry Ladd Corbett will return from Europe with his bride to occupy the Helen Ladd Corbett home on West Park, where the Shevlins have been living.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Sol Garde were at the Holt Knickerbocker, in New York, last week. They have gone to Atlantic City for a short visit and will return west by way of Yellowstone Park. Mrs. Garde was Miss Mildren Rheinstrom, whose marriage was an event of some importance here last month.

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Miss Mabel Cooper of Independence and Miss Helene Robinson of Eugene were the guests of Miss Mary Lela Goddard at 686 Hoyt street last week. Miss Goddard left Friday, after their return, to visit Mrs. W. D. Fenton at Seaside.

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Mrs. J. B. Montgomery and her attractive daughter, Miss Margaret Montgomery, are now in Paris for a few weeks. Miss Mary Montgomery is visiting at her brother's country place, "Indian Neck," on Long Island beach.

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Mrs. Walter V. Smith and her son, Leland Smith, gave a barge party and picnic up the river last week for Miss Genevieve Thompson and her guest, Miss Ethel Rogers.

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Miss Marie Mulford left yesterday for Seaside to visit friends. Miss Alice Mulford will go in about two weeks to visit Miss Veness.

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Mrs. G. H. Mendell of San Francisco is visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. H. Jordan and Mrs. William H. Barker.

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A few young people were entertained informally Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. J. Ernest Laidlaw in compliment to Mrs. Hugh Laidlaw who has come down from Alaska to spend the summer. Miss Marion Jackson and Mrs. James Laidlaw served tea and Mrs. Rupert J. Chipman, Mrs. Mathiesen and her sister, Mrs. Chivers and Miss Stearns assisted in receiving and entertaining.

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Mrs. Richard Koehler and Miss Ilse Koehler will leave about August 10 on a trip through Europe. They will spend most of their time in England and in Germany about the Koehlers' native heath. Mrs. Koehler's nephew, Dr. Konrad Delbrueck, of Berlin, who is spending a month with them, will make the trip with them.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Russell left Wednesday for British Columbia to spend six weeks touring the sound country. Part of the time they will spend cruising about the British waters with friends. On their return in September they will take apartments at Elton Court for the winter.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Hall and their daughters, Miss Hazel and Miss Ruth, are at the Auditorium Annex in Chicago. They are to make a visit of several weeks through the middle west. Miss Lulie Hall who has been visiting in the east for eight months will return with them.

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George M. Trowbridge returned Tuesday after several weeks' visit east. Most of his time was spent in New York and Massachusetts. At Amherst he attended his class reunion and greeted many of his old college mates.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Muckle and Miss Muckle are at present in Ireland, having spent the last two weeks in a tour of northern England, where they are having a delightful trip.

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Miss Liela Shelby will leave next Sunday for Shawnigan Lake, in British Columbia, where she will be entertained for a week by some English friends.

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Miss Martha Hoyt has gone to Seaside to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. George W. Hoyt, and her sister, Mrs. Robert W. Lewis.

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Mrs. Guy W. Talbot has invitations out for an evening at Rock Island club tomorrow evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Zera Snow have taken apartments at Alexander Court for the winter.

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Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer has gone to Seaside for a short period of rest.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK

Mrs. Mell Martin very pleasantly entertained her friends on the evening of July 11 at the Gillespie School of Expression by furnishing the entire program for one of their popular studio recitals. The program consisted of two companion monologues, "The Eve of Marriage" and "The Return," a group of child pieces, "Cube's Maiden Martyr," "Ben Holt," a group of selections with a musical theme, and "A String of Pearls," which was especially well liked. Her friends were much pleased.

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Another of the series of summer evening outings planned by the members of Grace church male chorus was given Wednesday. About 25 young men, accompanied by their women friends took the launch "Imperial" at 6:30, went to Oswego, landed and served a picnic supper. After sitting around a camp fire for some time they returned to the launch and spent the remainder of the evening on the water, singing and otherwise enjoying the happy occasion.

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The Sunflower club spent the day at the Oaks July 16. Each Sunflower came with a well filled basket and an enjoyable time was spent by all. The Sunflowers will enjoy themselves at the park July 30.

WEDDINGS

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Matheson and Captain Charles H. Johnson, both of Portland, were married last Saturday afternoon at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. A. McLean, in Astoria. The house was profusely decorated with flowers, fern and ivy. When the "Lohengrin" bridal chorus was played the bridal party descended the hall, which was a bower of California poppies and fern, passed through the drawing-room, which was festooned with Marguerites and ivy, and took their places underneath a rose wedding bell hung in the archway. The bride was attired in a traveling suit of Copenhagen blue and was attended by her sister, Miss Ethel Matheson, in a suit of champagne poplin. George Stevens of Astoria was best man. The bride was given away by Mrs. Gloria W. Schacht of Minneapolis and only the immediate members of the family were present. Rev. H. P. Short of Astoria performed the ceremony. Immediately after the wedding an elaborate dinner was served in the dining-room among roses and candy tuft.

Captain and Mrs. Johnson left on the steamer State of California for a trip through California and will be at home after September 15, at 409 Broadway.

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A pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hyatt, 825 East Thirty-fourth street, Wednesday evening, when Nells W. Jacobsen and Mary L. Perkins were united in marriage by the Rev. J. J. Staub of the Sunnyside Congregational church. The rooms of the spacious home were lavishly decorated in foliage and flowers, presenting a most charming and artistic appearance.

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Friday afternoon the wedding was celebrated at the home of Mrs. A. Vahl, 831 Garfield avenue, of G. Frederick Vahl and Miss Hazel V. Ryerse. J. Gridlehuis was best man, Miss Arby E. Ryerse, bridesmaid, and the Rev. N. E. Douglas officiated. Dinner was served after the ceremony and the evening spent in music and dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Vahl left on the morning train for a trip to the seaside, where they will remain two months. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Vahl, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ryerse, Mrs. L. Clonlager, Mr. and Mrs. George Wishart, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Vahl, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rosin, Emil Vahl, Mrs. Laurbecke, Misses Edith Stout, Marie Vahl, Ida Rosin, Josephine Ryerse, Adah Ryerse, and Edna Rosin, Harry Ryerse and G. Smith of Vancouver, Wash.

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William L. Palmer and Mayme C. Murphy were married Wednesday morning at the Church of the Holy Redeemer, Rev. Father Cantwell officiating. The bride wore a gown of cream silk lanadowne, trimmed with rich cream lace and chiffon and carried a large bouquet of Bride roses. Miss Isabelle Murphy, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and carried a large bouquet of pink carnations. The house was artistically decorated with roses, sweet peas and Oregon grape. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, after which Mr. and Mrs. Palmer left for a honeymoon trip to the east.

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On Wednesday last, at 264 Park street, W. N. Ostrander and Miss May Folck were married by Rev. J. Bowersox. They have gone to visit friends at Silverton and at Salem. After August 1 they will be at home to their friends at 162 East Thirty-fourth street.

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At the home of Mrs. Doherty of Rainier, her daughter, Chloe E., was married to Jesse Munden last Sunday, Rev. W. C. Stewart officiating.

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Miss Mabel Maxwell and Fred Everett Smith were married at Roseburg last week. After a trip to Chicago they will return here to make their home.

MUSIC NOTES

W. L. Walters, a pupil of Mrs. Rose Coursen-Reed, will be the tenor at the First Presbyterian church this season. He has recently come here from one of the lake states. The others of the choir will continue: Mrs. Ethel Lytle-Boothe, soprano; Mrs. Reed, contralto; Dom J. Zan, baritone; E. E. Coursen, organist.

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Miss Mable Millis, a former member of Mrs. Rose Coursen-Reed's Treble Clef club, recently sang the contralto solos of Handel's "Messiah" at Marshfield and scored a distinct success with her audience and the press. The oratorio was presented by the Progress club.

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Mrs. Nettie Greer-Taylor, pupil of Mrs. Rose Coursen-Reed, is substituting for Mrs. Ethel Lytle-Boothe during the month of July at the First Presbyterian church.

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A recital given by Mrs. Sherman Brown, violinist, at Portland academy Thursday evening was well attended and decidedly enjoyed. Miss Josephine Large, pianist, and William Sackett, baritone, assisted. The program was well received throughout.

ENGAGEMENTS

Last Sunday Miss May C. Nordman of San Francisco and Sidney S. Mayer announced their engagement at a coaching party of young people. Miss Nordman, daughter of L. Nordman, a wholesale jeweler of San Francisco, has been visiting since April with her sister, Mrs. S. W. Ottenheimer of 742 Hoyt street. In September she will return home. Mr. Mayer is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Mayer of 241 Thirteenth street.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Westerman announce the engagement of their daughter Miss Bessie to Harry Brown of Seattle. They will be at home at 575 Third street from 2 to 5 o'clock next Sunday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Delury have issued invitations for the wedding reception of their daughter Blanche and G. F. Handley, to be held at their residence, Wednesday evening, July 22.

COMING EVENTS

A farewell reception will be given next Wednesday evening to Mrs. C. R. Thoburn and her family at Centenary Methodist Episcopal church.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jamison and their daughter, Le Conte, opened their cottage, Bide-a-Wee, at Seaview Friday and will remain through the season.

Mrs. J. H. Zehrung and children of Firland are in Omaha for three months, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Freidenrich are at Hotel Moore, Seaside, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Morris Sommers of Weiser, Idaho, and her children have gone to the beach after a short visit here.

Mrs. A. Tilzer came up from Seaside with Dr. Tilzer for a few days, returning Thursday.

Mrs. Harry W. Harris has returned from San Francisco, after a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Frey and grandson, Raymond Koessel, have gone to their summer home, Camp "Idle a While," near Sandy, Or.

Mrs. J. C. Hare and Miss Elizabeth Johnson have been camping at Gladstone Park during Chautauqua.

Mrs. Carrie Courter, department inspector of the Woman's Relief Corps, and president of George Wright Corps No. 2, is visiting Mrs. Jennie Higgins, department president, at Eugene.

Mrs. T. Kretman and daughter Esther are sojourning at Seaside.

Mrs. Harry R. Cliff and little daughter Hilda of St. Helens sailed from Victoria last Friday for Australia, Mabel!" where they will visit relatives and friends for four months. Dr. Cliff accompanied them to Victoria.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Wood are spending a week in St. Helens, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wellington. They made the trip in their automobile and found the roads in good condition.

HOW BEECHER GOT EVEN

Made a Woman Who Slammed Door in Face Wish She Hadn't.

From the New York Sun.

Two preachers not long ago were discussing the men who have been shining lights of the metropolitan pulpits, and, as a matter of course, Henry Ward Beecher led the procession of reminiscences.

"Beecher was never a conspicuous example of a preacher and pastor combined," said one of the men. "He made the preaching end of the work his chief concern, and left the flock to be pastorized by his assistants.

"But once in a while he would decide that he owed it to his parishioners to make a round of calls. He himself told me the following story of an incident which had occurred on one of these expeditions.

"He had made out a list of names, had got the addresses from the church directory—perhaps an old one—and was taking them in their most convenient order. This brought him to a house in which, according to his list, lived a Mrs. B——.

"It was a very modest house, and when Mr. Beecher rang the bell he had to wait some time for a response. When this did come, it was a very irritated one in the person of a woman, who was evidently just from the washtub.

"'Is Mrs. B—— in?' asked Mr. Beecher in his best manner.

"'Don't live here!' snapped the woman, and slammed the door in his face.

"Mr. Beecher waited quietly on the doorstep until the woman had certainly had time to go back to the basement to resume her washing. Then he rang the bell again. After a while the door was again opened by the sudsy female.

"'Who said she did?' exclaimed Beecher, and went down the steps and off up the street.

"'And I'm inclined to think,' he chuckled, as he told the story, 'that woman will treat a civil question better the next time she meets one.'"

Red Parasol Stopped Train.

From the London Daily Mail.

A curious incident has come to light in connection with the stopping of a London express train on the Caledonian main line near Rockcliffe station, a few miles north of Carlisle. The train was running at full speed when the driver observed a red object by the side of the line which he regarded as a danger signal.

The train was accordingly pulled up, when it was found that the object in question was a red parasol carried by a woman who, wishing to cross the line at a level crossing, was awaiting the passing of the express.

Poor Mabel.

"I supposed your daughter was going to marry a rich man."

"So did we, but we have found that he is only rich in experience. Poor Mabel!"

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CREAM GOODS
44-inch cream wool Crepe, a beautiful fabric and our best regular $1 grade, a yard ..... 58¢
36-inch cream Nuns Veiling, standard 65c quality, on sale Monday and Tuesday at, yard ..... 43¢
46-inch cream Nuns Veiling, warranted all pure wool and regular $1 grade, special ..... 55¢
48-inch cream Mohair, splendid weight and our best $1.75 grade, Monday and Tuesday, a yard ..... 98¢
19-inch Novelty Silks for waists, jumper suits, etc; our regular 85c and $1 grades, a yard ..... 57¢

BLACK GOODS
36-inch black wool Henrietta, a quality sold usually at 50c a yard, spl., yd ... 39¢
50-inch black all-wool Serge, medium weight and warranted fast dye; best $1.35 grade, yard ..... 93¢
46-inch black Mohair Sicilian for bathing suits, etc; fine $1.25 grade, sp'l., yd. 79¢
44-inch black Prunella, all wool and our usual $1.35 value, special, yard ... 83¢
44-inch deep blue-black Voile, a genuine French importation; regular $1.75 grade, a yard $1.23

SILK GLOVES
16-button double-tipped pure Silk Gloves, all colors, black and white; regular $1.75 and $2 grades ..... 97¢
2-clasp pure Silk Gloves with double-tipped fingers, a full line of colors; regular 75c quality, pair ..... 38¢
16-button long Lisle Gloves in black, white and all shades of tan; regular $1.25 quality ..... 75¢
Long silk lace Mitts in cream, white and black; standard $5 values, extra special, a pair $1.50

NOTION SPECIALS
15c Wash Belts, Closing-Out Sale price, special, each ... 5¢
50c 4-strap Hose Supporters, velvet grip, special, pair 25¢
15c washable Dress Shields, warranted odorless, special, pair ..... 8¢
20c "Snow-weight" washable odorless Shields, special, the pair ..... 10¢
Cube Pins in black, white and colors, large and small ... 5¢
O. N. T. Darning Cotton in all leading colors, sp'l, spool 2¢
Best quality Embroidery Silks at extra special, skein ... 3¢
"Luster" Embroidery Thread, on sale at, special, a skein 2¢
Sheer linen lawn Handkerchief Centers, 15c grade, each .. 7¢
Women's Sunbonnets, all colors; best 35c and 50c values, each ..... 17¢
Note—Special discount to dressmakers and tailors on Notions and Findings.

MEN'S GOODS
Men's large 18-inch hemstitched Handkerchiefs, best 10c and 12½c values, special, ea ... 5¢
Men's 25c fancy Sox, also in plain black and tan; a good assortment of styles, the pair ..... 12½¢
Men's Golf Shirts in neat stripe patterns, detachable cuffs and all sizes; best $1.25 grade, each ..... 49¢
Men's short bosom Dress Shirts, separate cuffs and made from best English percale, $1 values ..... 25¢
Boys' fancy percale Shirts in several patterns; best 50c and 75c values, special, each .. 17¢

FLOSS PILLOWS
16x16-inch, special, each .... 20¢
18x18-inch, special, each .... 25¢
20x20-inch, special, each .... 30¢
22x22-inch, special, each .... 35¢
26x26-inch, special, each .... 60¢

DRAPERIES
36-inch Curtain Swisses, colored woven dots and figure; best regular 25c grade, yard ..... 15¢
36-inch extra fine Curtain Swisses, dots and figures; best 20c quality, yd. 12½¢
40-inch cross-stripe Madras for cottage curtains, all colors and regular 25c grade, yard ..... 17¢
40-inch stripe Curtain Swiss in white only; our regular 12½c grade, special .... 9¢

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