

# Topics of Interest in the Realm Feminine

## IN SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Blake are in Washington, D. C., awaiting the confirmation of Mr. Blake's nomination to the consul generalship at Tangier, Morocco. The Blakes have recently returned from Bogota, Colombia, where Mr. Blake has been stationed since his visit here last March. Prior to that the Blakes were in Dunfermline, Scotland. Mrs. Blake was Miss Ruth Maxwell before her marriage, and one of the belles in Portland society. Last March Mr. and Mrs. Blake were the guests for a couple of weeks of Mrs. Blake's mother, Mrs. A. L. Maxwell at King's Court. During her visit Mrs. Blake was the motif for several affairs, though it was during the Lenten season. The Misses Failing gave a tea for the visitor, as did Miss Hazel Dolph. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Meers were other hosts in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Clifton are receiving congratulations over the advent of a daughter into their home. The child was born last Saturday.

Mrs. F. O. Downing has returned from several months' visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Clyde Hixon Reads is expected Tuesday to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Walter Frederick White until after the holidays. Mrs. Reads will spend Christmas day here. Mr. and Mrs. Reads have returned within the last few weeks from an eastern trip which included New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Baltimore. Mr. Reads is a Princeton man with an enviable football record and followed the eastern football games with great interest.

Mrs. Helen Ladd Corbett and Miss Lesley Smith are expected home from their eastern trip a week from Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Warrens with their four boys and Miss Margaret Hewitt, are leaving tomorrow for Santa Barbara. Mr. Warrens will stay only a fortnight but the remainder of the party will winter in the south.

Dr. and Mrs. Francis J. Bailey were guests at the Portland hotel last week. The Baileys now make their home at Washougal, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Orange M. Clark have returned from the orient, where they have been traveling for many months. Yokohama, Nagasaki, Tokio, Nanjing, Shanghai, Peking, Canton, Hongkong, Tientsin are some of the cities where the Clarks visited. The trip included a reception by the prince regent of China at Peking, and entertainments by viceroys of every province through which they passed.

Guy Webster Talbot entertained the managers of the Pacific Power & Light Co. in the northwest at dinner at the Commercial club last night, followed by a theatre party at the Orpheum.

Mrs. Kenneth L. Cooper of Pendleton is the guest of Mrs. Lambert Dunbar for the week. Mrs. Cooper has recently returned from Corvallis, where the wedding of her sister, Miss Juliet Cooper, to Ernest Ruppe of Pendleton, took place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cotton will return tomorrow from a six weeks' journey to eastern cities of importance.

A number of Portland people are planning to attend the informal hop at the Barracks tomorrow night.

Dr. and Mrs. James Dickson are domiciled at the Nortons until they leave for California, where a portion of the winter will be passed.

Mrs. H. H. Norbush entertained with

## AVARICE RAMPANT

By Darra More.  
LACE—a smart tea room in Portland, afternoon 5 o'clock yesterday. Persons—five young women of chic appearance and unapproachable social position. The young women had been selling Red Cross stamps in an effort to aid the fight for tuberculosis. The overheard conversation revealed that whatever girls of today may feel in their hearts, and however splendid their efforts for charity, their lips preach a doctrine of sophistication that startles.

The subject was matrimony. Myrtle said that she would not receive the attentions of any man, whose bank account would not allow her two automobiles, a trip abroad every two years, and diamonds. Ivy would be content with a town house and a country place. Miriam would not marry a man who could not afford to send her to New York every year during the opera season. Elsie, the tiniest of the quintette, would be perfectly satisfied with a monthly allowance of \$500 for her own personal expenses. Dorothy wanted to be sufficiently wealthy after marriage to spend her winters in California and her summers abroad.

There was much small talk after these crushing announcements, during which not a word was said of the man himself; his possessions seemed the only vital point. They argued that any man can make you happy, as long as he can pay all the bills.

Down in San Francisco the other day, a young woman told the divorce judge that she had been "bunked." She married Mr. Blank because she believed that he had a large fortune. After her marriage, she discovered that he had not the money that she had expected; in fact, her rich husband was a "bunk" brick. Result, she appealed to the court to have her marriage annulled.

What did the judge do? He denied her petition in the most emphatic terms, saying by the way: "No common decency this woman should not have asked to have her marriage annulled because she was disappointed in her expectations of wealth, and she is not entitled to a decree. If I had it in my power I would order her to live with her husband for the remainder of her life, and not only that, but I would make her support him. I never heard more disgusting testimony than hers in my life. If it were not that there are women sitting in court, I would express my views in even stronger terms."

Instances might be multiplied where beautiful girls sell themselves at a high price and reap the whirlwind. Avarice is contemptible in a man, but even found in a woman, it is degradation. And, when heard from the lips of young girls, openly boasted of, in a public tea-room—we no longer need wonder at the appalling increase in the number of divorces.

## AT THE THEATRES

"In Morocco."  
If you have the blues and are indisposed to try the Lyric theatre as a remedy and your cure will be complete. With Dillon & King "In Morocco" the present bill is a scream and bound to be a speedy relief for those afflicted as above.

"The Honor of the Family."  
The New York papers pronounced "The Honor of the Family," in which Baker Stock company is appearing with great success this week, the greatest opportunity of the career of that celebrated star, Otis Skinner. Matinee Saturday only.

Bungalow—"A Broken Idol."  
A riot of music, fun and pretty girls is the brilliant musical comedy, "A Broken Idol," at the Bungalow this week. It is headed by the charming little prima donna with the magnificent singing voice, Marie Bartl. Matinee today and Saturday.

Wonderful Risley Acrobats.  
Some expert risley acrobats have appeared in Portland in the past, but the George Bonhais troupe of six now at the Grand opera has the magnificent record of which became a sensation in Europe and was the feature at the London Hippodrome.

Dainty Grace Cameron.  
One of the star palms donnas of the musical and operatic world, Dainty Grace Cameron, will begin a week's engagement at all times, Charles's Aunt, matinee in her latest success, "Nancy," a comedy with an interesting heart story.

"Charles's Aunt" Opens Sunday.  
The news that the Baker stock company will play the greatest laughing comedy of all time, Charles's Aunt, next week will be welcome to all lovers of fun—clean and wholesome laughter. It will open at the Baker Sunday matinee. Henry Stockbridge will play the role of the pretended aunt.

"A Broken Idol" Three More Times.  
One of the musical hits of the season is W. E. Mann's "A Broken Idol," which is attracting large audiences to the Bungalow this week. It is one grand burst of music, gorgeous scenery and pretty girls.

Baker Stock Company.  
Theatregoers who saw Otis Skinner in "The Honor of the Family" two seasons ago are enthusiastic in recommending that their friends see the production of the remarkable play by the Baker stock company this week.

Florence Roberts at Hellig Tonight.  
Tonight, tomorrow and Saturday nights, with a special price matinee Saturday, the attraction at the Hellig theatre will be Florence Roberts, assisted by Thurlow Bergen and a splendid supporting company in the New theatre, New York, dramatic success, "The Nigger." Seats are now selling.

## BUILDING PERMITS

G. Goodsell erect one and one half story frame dwelling, Clinton street, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third; builder, Goodsell Bros.; \$2000.

H. H. O'Reilly, erect one story frame garage, 277 Twenty-second street, north between Northrup and Marshall; builder, same; \$100.

A. W. Carrell, repair one story frame barn, 141-147 North Eleventh street, between Gilman and Flinders; builder, Portland Wreck company; \$100.

Portland Brewing company, erect one story frame shed, Uptown street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth; builder, same; \$100.

C. E. Hadley, erect one story frame shed, East Fifty-ninth street, between Stanton and Sixty; builder, same; \$100.

O. B. Scofield, repair one and one half story frame dwelling, 1608 Olin street, between Lombard and O'Brien; builder, same; \$250.

Ohio Investment company, repair one story frame dwelling, 347 Jefferson street, between Bowling and Park; builder, W. K. Moore; \$100.

H. Rathjen, erect one story frame dwelling, 625 East Twentieth street, between Taggart and Clinton; builder, same; \$100.

Mrs. Boston, repair one story frame dwelling, 346 Belmont street, between Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth; builder, Thomas Downing; never visited by white men; are being given credence in European scientific circles.

Civil Service Reform Convention.  
Baltimore, Dec. 15.—Many men of national reputation in civil affairs gathered here today for the thirtieth annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform league. The convention meets as the guest of the Maryland Civil Service Reform association. It will last two days and the program provides for the discussion of numerous important matters relating to the betterment and extension of the civil service system.

Reports of a huge monster, possibly a survivor of the prehistoric reptiles, living in an African swamp, never visited by white men, are being given credence in European scientific circles.

## A Menu For Tomorrow

**BREAKFAST**  
Steamed pears  
Rice cereal, cream and sugar  
Broiled breakfast bacon, with sliced liver  
Duchess potatoes  
Coffee  
English muffins

**LUNCHEON**  
Mulligatawny soup  
Blond corn beef, cold  
Potato chips  
Wafers  
Mock lobster salad  
German coffee cake  
Tea

**DINNER**  
Vermicelli soup  
Fricassee of chicken, with dumplings  
Mashed potatoes, baked onions, with nuts  
Lettuce with mayonnaise  
Apple meringue pie  
Coffee  
Cheese  
Eclair

You can't help thinking the people who say nice things about you are people of good taste and culture, but when the pleasant remarks fall to the lot of someone else it is plain common jolly.

The sensible woman always wonders whether the married man who sighs into her ear that he is unappreciated at home, drinking is stinky or has a nasty disposition to deserve it.

The girl with a sweet and loving disposition isn't it with the girl who makes nice chocolate cakes in the effort to get a regular calling beau.

A girl can have a better time seeing a trashy play with a nice young man than when she goes to see the finest sort of a drama with another girl.

Women as "Ice-men."  
The man who drives his ice wagon up to your door and drops the great cold cake into the refrigerator has whistled merrily in assurance that his was one job which would not be usurped by a woman. But now the whistle will be heard no more, and the ice man is not so sure of his privileges, for a woman, Mrs. Rupp, of Washington Heights, N. Y., is selling ice in winter and ice in summer to support herself and four children. She says any woman can be an "ice woman" if she has the muscle.

Chicken Broth and Rice and Stewed Chicken and Brown Gravy.  
Use back, wings and neck of chicken for broth and put about a quart of water over them. Cook until chicken falls to pieces, season, strain and add about one-fourth cup of rice. Stewed chicken: Put about a spoonful of lard in deep covered stewpan, heat, and lay in pieces of chicken, brown nicely on both sides. Cut up half a small onion in fine pieces and put in chicken. Add pint of boiling water, cover closely, and simmer slowly for one or two hours. Take out chicken, thicken gravy, and when done pour over chicken.

Women Conductors in Chile.  
While the women of the United States are boasting of their entrance into business and trade circles it might be mentioned that in Santiago, Chile, women serve as conductors on the street cars. Do you suppose they hold the car with more patience than a man conductor would for the woman passenger who stops to kiss her friend goodby before she leaves the car, or for the woman on the street who wants the car to wait while she gives "dear Jane" the last word of advice about little Johnnie's scroup?

For Business Girl.  
A girl's business day begins between 8 and 9 in the morning and ends by 5 and 6 o'clock in the evening. After those hours she is her own mistress, and she makes a great mistake if she doesn't spend her leisure time as pleasantly and profitably as possible. She ought always to have suitable frocks for dinners, dances, concerts, teas and matinees, so that whenever she gets a particularly attractive invitation she will be ready to accept it. It is a great mistake to wait to get your frocks until you want to go somewhere and feel a sudden need for them, for that haphazard method of accumulating a wardrobe is apt to result

in wretched mistakes and unnecessary expense. It would be a great deal easier and pleasanter and cheaper if you sat down at the beginning of each year and made out a list of the things you will need to make you comfortable and to give you every opportunity of enjoying the pleasant things that come your way. You won't need many things whether you live in the city or the country, for the secret of being well dressed does not lie in the number of your dresses. It depends entirely on having the right things for the right occasions, made in the right way, of the right materials, and in the right colors. They can be very simple—in fact, they ought to be simple under any circumstances, and even if you are earning a large salary. Leave elaborate dresses alone until you are older—they are not suitable for young girls in either the social or the business world.—The Delineator for December.

Frills of the Moment.  
The new short skirts require smart shoes.

Correcting a child too often is apt to make it self-conscious.

Some men are utterly amazed because a woman is not heart-broken when they intimate that all is over.

If one cannot afford evening slippers to match each gown, gold-colored slippers are a good investment.

Every other woman is gowning in velvet these days.

Muffs are bolster shape and faced with quillings of satin at each end.

Now is the time to plant hyacinths.

A sharp tongue may be a fine weapon but it often causes its owner much regret.

Some Unwritten Laws.  
That you should buy in your turn.

That when a girl is having dinner with one man she shouldn't keep looking at another in the cafe.

That a girl should not wear another man's flowers when some fellow takes her to a party.

That if you are going to take a wife—don't do it; take somebody's widow.

That if you are giving two parties, you shouldn't invite all the dowdy people you know one day, and all the swell people the next day. The swells laugh at you, and the dowdy ones are sore.

That you must stand by your children, even if they lie, steal, cheat, and bring a wife home for you to support.

That you can snub a body for making a bad break, but not for making a fair pass.

New Railway in North Carolina.  
Winston-Salem, N. C., Dec. 15.—Governor Kitchin delivered the principal address at the exercises here today in celebration of the opening of the Winston-Salem Southbound railroad. Delegates from many cities and towns took part in the demonstration. The new road runs from Winston-Salem to Wadesboro, 28 miles, and will be operated jointly by the Atlantic Coast Line and the Norfolk & Western, by which company it is owned. The new road forms a connecting link between the two larger systems and practically creates a new trunk line from Cincinnati to Charleston.

## PRIVATE ACQUITTED OF MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Special Director to The Journal.  
Vancouver, Wash., Dec. 15.—Private Albert Bowling, who shot and killed Private Harry Franch Tuesday evening at Vancouver barracks, was tried yesterday by court-martial and acquitted of the charge of manslaughter, which was placed against him. He was at once released. Bowling had been ordered to shoot when a prisoner was attempting to escape.

Francis' wife is somewhere in Portland, but up to this morning had not been located. She was in Vancouver Saturday when Francis was tried for desertion. A brother George Francis, residing at Chicago, has been notified of the tragedy.

Bishop Foley Consecrated.  
St. Augustine, Fla., Dec. 15.—In the presence of a great gathering of prelates and priests of the south and of the Catholic laity of this diocese the Rev. Maurice P. Foley was today consecrated

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