

# Topics of Interest in the Realm Feminine

## IN SOCIETY

Tuesday, December 27, is the date chosen for the wedding of Miss Kathleen Burns and Thomas Robertson. The ceremony will be performed in Trinity Episcopal church by Dr. A. A. Morrison and simplicity will mark all of the details. George Warren will attend the groom and only relatives and close friends of Miss Burns and Mr. Robertson will be present.

A striking array of handsome gowns was displayed at the Mackenzie dance last night when society assembled at Masonic Temple for the debut of Miss Jean Mackenzie. The decorations were all typical of the Christmas season and were developed with holly, Oregon grape and poinsettia. Miss Mackenzie received with Dr. and Mrs. K. A. J. Mackenzie. The debutante was never more charming than in her Parisian gown of white embroidered chiffon draped over white satin with touches of lace. Mrs. Mackenzie was also sown in a Paris creation of pink embroidered chiffon built over a foundation of pink satin. Between 400 and 450 guests were present to bid Miss Mackenzie welcome into the world of formal society.

Theodore B. Wilcox has gone to New York where he will join Miss Claire Wilcox, who is in Miss Spence's school, and together they will go to Florida to spend the holiday season.

Miss Margaret Ayer will be hostess at a dancing party to be given Tuesday, December 27.

An engagement which has just been announced is that of Mrs. Chauncey Rose Winslow and Edmund L. Devereaux, the wedding to take place early in February. Mrs. Winslow was Miss Alice Gibson.

Judge Charles H. Carey is a guest at the La Salle in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Lipman left yesterday for New York where they will sail January seventeenth on the Carmania for their year of foreign travel. The Mediterranean route has been chosen and Cairo is their first objective point which will be reached after a number of stops at interesting way places. After a month or so in Cairo they will continue their travel through that portion of the country, then go to Germany, France, England and other continental countries. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Lipman were the honored guests at a 5 o'clock dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Adolphe Wolfe. Covers were laid for twelve. Mrs. Sol Rosenfeld assembled about thirty guests for a bridge evening and to wish Mr. and Mrs. Lipman bon voyage. The supper table was centered with the Pyramids.

Mrs. S. M. Blumauer is in San Francisco where she is a guest at the Palace.

Miss Alice Forbes was the complimented guest at a pretty pre-nuptial dinner last night given by Miss Elizabeth Stewart. Killarney roses decorated the table and favors and place cards were all of heart shape. The guests were ten in number. This is the first of a series of dinners which Miss Stewart expects to give. The next will be given in January for guests who are expected to arrive by that time.

Mrs. Henry Goode has gone east where she will probably spend the remainder of the winter. Christmas was spent with her son Henry Goode and his daughter Miss Helen Goode who is in Miss Scoville's.

Mrs. R. Lutcke is registered at the Martha Washington in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Oberdorfer with their two daughters, left Sunday for New York to be absent until February.

### Auflauf

Crispy crosses of delicate goodness. Something different and something better for Christmas confections. Get them at either branch, Royal Bakery.



Miss Vivien Gould, second daughter of George J. Gould, the New York millionaire, whose engagement to Lord Decies was recently announced. Miss Gould is not 13 years old, while her fiancé is forty-four. Lord Decies is a distinguished soldier and sportsman.

## AN AMAZING CONDITION

By Darra More.

THAT there are little children in Portland whose garments are sewn on their little bodies and worn without change until the clothing is ready to throw away is one of the amazing statements of the hour. A charity-worker who is much among the non-English speaking population reports such cases in one of the foreign quarters. To her, a little 11-year-old girl, whose friendship had been won, stated that she had but two dresses, one for summer and another for winter, and an examination showed that the child was wearing her summer dress without change. There were many children in the family, and the philanthropic visitor concluded that the peculiar fashion might have been adopted to save the trouble and time of dressing and undressing so many little tots.

Surely this is a case to interest the "Child's Welfare" movement. Surely there are many big sisters in Portland, volunteer ones that will give of their time or their means or their influence, as the case may be, to help little girls whose mothers sew their clothes on

them from season to season. There is work for every woman who is willing to help. But, it must be wise help. The woman who goes richly dressed in an airy manner, into the homes of the poor, asking impertinent questions and going away accomplishing nothing, is not a help but a hindrance. What we need is a woman of kindly heart and true sympathy and understanding, who will go quietly and patiently and helpfully into the homes, and be a friend, a real friend, in all that the word means to these people.

What chance has that little girl in such sordid surroundings, for a future? I do not believe a weed could grow in such a place. How can a child reared in such conditions, be wholesome minded or healthy? It is all very well to send missionaries to foreign countries, but I think the idea of helping the poor of our own country is really an excellent thing. The most valuable asset of a country is its children. They are the hope of the nation.

Much is due those who carry the gospel of child salvation from town to town, and are never discouraged when interest is cold and helpers few. The Oregon Congress of Mothers in Portland

## A Menu For Tomorrow

**BREAKFAST.**  
Grape Fruit, Teal and Sugared Oatmeal.  
Broiled Lamb Chops, Fried Potatoes, Julienne Potatoes, Crumpets, Coffee, Tea.

**DINNER.**  
Clear Consommé with Croutons, Beef à la mode, Delmonico Potatoes, Baked Sweet Potatoes, Steamed Carrots, Cream Sauce, Salad Celery and Tomatoes, Meringue Ice Cream, Marble Cake, Coffee, Cheese, Nuts.

**SUPPER.**  
Creamed Oysters in Chafing Dish, Saratoga Potatoes, Endive and Cream Cheese Salad, Bread and Butter, Cranberry Jelly, with Fruits, Chocolate Cake.

directs its efforts toward the saving and regeneration of the child, and their hope is to arouse public conscience to the child's need, including as one of their benefits that the formation of character is of more value and less expense to a community than the reformation. The People's Institute is another splendid organization for the uplift of children. It is time wasted to formulate plans that will evolve these little girls' minds and strengthen their bodies, always remembering "as the twig is bent, so will it grow."

### Women Miners.

Mrs. E. W. Johnstone of Washington owns the richest paying claim of any woman in the United States. One day's output was \$40,000. Mrs. Mary E. Hart was the first woman miner who went to the far north and worked her own claim with pick and shovel. She is one of the most noted women in Alaska. Mrs. Eugene Chilberg owns some valuable claims in Nome. Mrs. Alma McNaught of San Francisco has located more claims than any other woman in the country. Mrs. Clarence Berry of Los Angeles had \$100,000 worth of nuggets as the result of one season's work. Mrs. Thomas C. Noyes has braved the blizzards of the north to carry her gold to Nome.

### Tamates.

Cut large green peppers in two parts crosswise; scrape out the seeds and place the shells in salt and water for half an hour. Make a mixture of tomatoes, either canned or fresh, and bread

## Utterly Wretched

Nervous Prostration Long Endured Before Remedy Was Found.

Miss Minerva Reminger, Upper Bern, Pa., writes: "For several years I had nervous prostration and was utterly wretched. I lived on bread and beef tea because my stomach would not receive anything else. I took many remedies, but obtained no relief until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla when I began to gain at once. Am now cured."

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crumbs seasoned with salt, pepper, tomato catsup and table sauce. Stuff the shells with this and tie the two parts together with a string. Roll for half an hour. A variation of this is to stuff the peppers with chopped meat. Instead of the dressing given above. They are very good stuffed with

chopped chicken. Sometimes we have just the small end cut off. Stuff as before stated and bake.

One package of quickly dissolving gelatine soaked in three fourths of a cup of cold water (about three minutes), juice of one lemon, juice of one

orange, two cups of sugar, two hard 50 minutes. Add one teaspoon strawberry extract and one half cup each of salt meats and chopped figs. Four in a baking tin which has been wet with cold water, let stand 24 hours, then dust with confectioner's sugar, cut in small squares and roll again in sugar.

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For **Morgan's** Too Bad  
Department Store  
Grand Avenue at East Street St.

Receiver's Sale Now On—Big Reductions  
Also a Pony and Cart to Be Given Away Saturday Night

This firm was organized and incorporated last spring by three young California business men, taking the name of Morgan's Department Store because it occupied the former quarters of the Morgan-Atchley Furniture Co. in the Morgan Building at 83-85 Grand Avenue. There was no connection between the two firms, nor was Mr. Morgan back of the Department Store. However, it hoped to duplicate the well known success of the furniture store, and has been doing a larger business than Morgan-Atchley did during the same period when they opened up three years ago, but the Department Store did not have as much capital or the same backing and one of its creditors got scared and attached the store, precipitating a crisis. To protect itself and its creditors it was necessary to file a petition in voluntary bankruptcy, and Monday Judge Wolverton appointed George T. Atchley, Secretary of the Morgan-Atchley Furniture Co. as Receiver, under \$80,000 bond. In other words, SOMEBODY HAD TO RAISE SOME MONEY at once, and it was decided to "LET GEORGE DO IT" and he DID, or rather will, for it became George's painful duty to sacrifice a stock of goods that he would like to have seen yield a profit to its owners, and have added to the success of the mercantile business on the EAST SIDE. But when a firm gets into financial trouble like this there is nothing to be done but to sacrifice its merchandise at a

# Big Bankrupt Sale

And notwithstanding the selfishness of human nature, I'll venture the assertion that 90 per cent of the East Side people who buy at this sacrifice sale would far rather have seen the firm succeed, and have paid the regular price for the goods at a regular sale in a regular way. But since what has happened can't be helped, you might as well get the benefit of the firm's misfortunes as anybody. And don't forget that some customer will get the

**\$250 Pony and Cart to Be Given Away Saturday Night**  
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I am not going to attempt to enumerate hundreds of articles at the slaughtered prices, but am content with a plain statement, and that is that profits are no longer to be considered; that during the next 20 days it is simply a question of getting all the money possible; that then it will be my duty to make an accounting to the United States Court. So if you participate in this great savings, in a sale that comes just when you want it, and a stock of goods that is entirely new and up-to-date, if you want to get in before it is picked over or broken up, well—you'll simply have to hurry, that's all.

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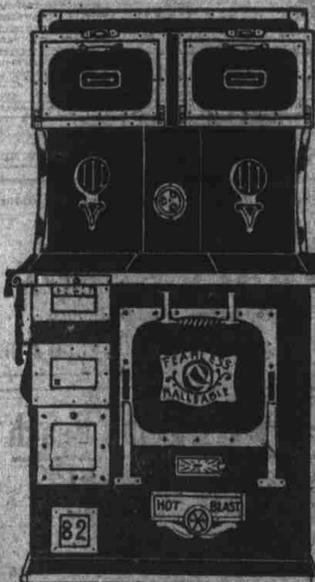


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