

# Social and Personal

News for the Sunday society columns must be in the hands of the Society Editor not later than Friday of each week and its receipt as such writer as possible will be appreciated.

By Nona Lawler.

**INVITATIONS** have been received for the wedding of Miss Lucille Smith to Clifton Nesmith McArthur to take place June 25 at 5 o'clock at Trinity Episcopal church.

The last few weeks have been filled with charming informal affairs for the attractive bride-to-be among which were the dinner Tuesday evening at which Miss Madeline MacMaster presided and the tea yesterday afternoon given by Miss Emma Klosterman.

Miss MacMaster had 12 guests for dinner Tuesday evening at her beautiful home adjoining the golf links, in compliment to Miss Smith and Mr. McArthur. The table was centered with an attractive cluster of testout buds.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Emma Klosterman received a large gathering of the younger set at her home on North Twenty-second street, who called to greet the hostess and honor guest between the hours, 2 to 5.

The rooms were very prettily decked with white peonies and pink roses. On the tea table, an artistic arrangement of pink gladiolus and maiden hair fern centered the board.

Mrs. Chester G. Murphy cut the ices and Mrs. Coe A. McKenna poured, assisted by Miss Ruth Small, Miss Elizabeth Stewart and Miss Georgia Yates.

**Mrs. Chester Hogue Honored.** Mrs. Chester Hogue, who, with Mr. Hogue, recently came from Boston to make their home here, was the honor guest at a large and elaborately appointed tea yesterday afternoon given at the Nortonia hotel by Mrs. H. A. Hogue and Mrs. Harry Wildy Hogue.

The floral decorations were unusually lovely in the parlors of the hotel. About 200 guests called during the afternoon.

Mrs. Franklyn V. Catterlin, nee (Hazel Conrad), and her mother, Mrs. Ida Conrad, were joint hostesses yesterday afternoon at a 500 party of four tables for the pleasure of Miss Minnie Wise.

The rooms were decorated with pink roses and ferns. Highest honors at cards were held by Mrs. Edward Meltscham and Miss Wise. The guests included: Mrs. W. A. Wise, Mrs. Frank Fellows, Mrs. Thomas F. Wise, Mrs. S. Cornell, Mrs. Edward Stewart, Mrs. John N. Pittinger, Mrs. Thomas Sims, Miss Mercedes Sims, Mrs. Chester Wagner, Mrs. Christine Delholm, Mrs. Thomas Robinson of Bend, Or., Mrs. Don Ray, Mrs. Harvey Kaderly, Mrs. Harry Kolby, Mrs. Clement Scott of Vancouver, Wash.

**Dinner Parties at the Golf Club.**

A long list of matrons of the exclusive set will preside at elaborate dinner parties at the Waverly Golf club tomorrow evening when the formal opening of the new club will take place.

**Mrs. Whitten Hostess.**

Mrs. F. C. Whitten, at her home in Irvington, entertained at bridge Tuesday afternoon. The decorations consisted of an abundance of roses, Marigolds, pink peonies and maiden hair ferns. Several instrumental selections were beautifully rendered by the Misses Florence and Melba Westengard, while the singing of Miss Eugenia Calhoun, accompanied by her mother, was much appreciated. The hostess was assisted by Miss Edith Merriman.

The guests were Mrs. Frances P. Wager, Mrs. W. H. Powell, Mrs. C. F. Jones, Mrs. H. L. Wells, Mrs. C. J. McCusker, Mrs. C. C. Newcomb, Mrs. John Stewart, Mrs. D. M. Watson, Mrs. J. B. Pilkington, Mrs. Bert Denison, Mrs. Nathaniel Palmer, Mrs. C. M. Hoerber, Mrs. J. Westengard, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Charles E. Dant, Mrs. O. C. Calhoun, Mrs. H. O. Taylor, Mrs. S. Greengough, Mrs. Harvey Wells, Mrs. Lawrence Therkelsen, Mrs. H. L. Chaplin, Mrs. D. E. Bowman, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. L. H. Peters, Mrs. William Crawford, Mrs. F. Chippman, Mrs. J. C. Costello, Mrs. Clark Hill, Mrs. R. H. Leabo, Mrs. J. Fenner, Mrs. William Merriman, Mrs. G. A. Emery, Mrs. L. M. Hubert, Mrs. J. C. Bryant, Mrs. N. S. Bryant, Mrs. H. W. McDonald, Mrs. S. C. Bryant Wheeler.

**Mills-Hutchinson Wedding.**

One of the happy June weddings was the marriage of Miss Nina Hutchinson to Sidney W. Mills, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hennig, Wednesday evening, June 4, at 8:30 o'clock.

The wedding was solemnized beneath a beautiful canopy of green foliage intermingled with American Beauty roses and bridal wreath, by the officiating clergyman, the Rev. John H. Boyd, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of champagne overdraped with Irish lace, with a tulle veil which fell gracefully from a tulle veil of lilies of the valley.

She was attended by Miss Ella Geseltech, who was charming in a beautiful pink charmesuse dress and in her arm she carried a bouquet of bridesmaid roses. Harry Thomas, of Spokane, acted as best man.

The wedding was attended by immediate relatives and friends of the contracting parties. After the wedding, followed by a short reception, a delicious luncheon was served in the dining room, which was tastefully decorated in baskets of pink roses and ferns. The table decorations carried out the same

## FORMER PORTLAND CLUBWOMAN IS WRITING HISTORY OF AMERICAN FLAG

One of Mrs. W. A. Mears' Own Ancestors Made Banner for Revolutionary Heroes.

The history of the American flag is being written by Mrs. W. A. Mears, formerly of Portland, and a well known club woman of Seattle, who is stopping at the Multnomah for a few weeks.

Mrs. Mears, who is the wife of W. A. Mears, secretary of the transportation bureau of the chamber of commerce of Seattle, has written a number of articles under the name of Lady Albion.

The book, which will shortly be issued, was inspired by the fact that Mrs. Mears' forefathers fought through the Revolution, and study of their histories naturally caused her to become interested in the story of the national emblem.

Mrs. Mears is a daughter of the Revolution and a member of the Daughters of the United Colonies. One of her ancestors—Mrs. Lee H. Kerr—fashioned one of the flags carried by the Revolutionists during the rebellion against Great Britain.

By putting the history of the flag before the public, the author hopes to incite a greater love for Old Glory in the hearts of Americans.



Mrs. W. A. Mears.

## SOME THINGS THAT WIVES LEARN

By Edna K. Wooley

"Once upon a time, in those trustful days before I was married," began the plump matron, "I thought a woman was taken care of when she became a wife."

"My idea was that she was protected from the strenuities of life, all astringent business cares and jobs that need handling."

"But, gracious me, how I've learned! And as I look about me I see how other wives learn, and a sort of real estate agent, when all I want is a quiet domestic life."

"I collect the rents, too, and attend to the selling details. If people go to him about the property, he sends them over to me, and then once I've had to miss an engagement of my own to attend to his business."

"There's Mrs. B. Do you suppose her husband will do anything about the house or take care of the garden and things? Just like a hundred other women I could name, she's got to boss everything, from seeding the yard to repairing the roof. And if she can't get a workman to do the job herself, she'll stand outside a hotel hounding gentlemen for money?"

"One of them was sensitive and rather diffident. She blushed and tears filled her eyes. But the other spoke up quick as a flash. 'It was not necessary to hound the gentlemen,' and she gave her head a saucy toss, although she too was on the verge of tears inside."

"Grouch" carried his illumor with him as usual and he was no sooner seated in the dining room with half a dozen other men than he began a long tirade against the nuisance of public campaigns for charity in general and newboys' homes in particular. The men listened for a time and finally a brave one sung out: 'You old sorehead. You know well enough that the only thing the matter with you is that you have more money than you know what to do with. There ought to be a voting contest every day just to remind right-wads like you of their responsibility.' Silence. To the surprise of all the rebuke was accepted in meekness.

It was a whip well applied. There were so many persons who fritter their money away for small pleasures, never realizing the good it would do if applied to those less fortunate than themselves. The success of this particular charity means more equipment, a suppers and a general "lend a hand" to the little aways of the street.

This incident is indicative of public sentiment in general in regard to days set aside for charity. Where you will find one man-hater who decries them you will find dozens who are glad to give their small tithes to help them.

"They talk about us women not being able to drive a nail straight."

"I want to tell you that most of us wives not only can drive a nail straight, but we can do almost any kind of man's chore. More than one woman has paved the home walls with the help of a daughter or a neighbor woman, and a bride of my acquaintance actually painted every wall in her new home, with her mother's assistance. It was a decidedly workmanlike job, and far more artistic than if an ordinary man had done it."

"Talk about your militant suffragettes! Every wife and mother has to be something of a militant. She wouldn't get very far if she wasn't."

"How many fathers spank their own youngsters? If the mother didn't wield a heavy hand now and then the children would grow up more undisciplined than they are. And if mother didn't roll up her sleeves and tuck up her skirts and sail in to do hard manual labor about the home premises, there wouldn't be as many orderly homes as there are."

"It's a nice fiction that the home women are tender, gentle creatures who wouldn't slap a mosquito, but I want to tell you it requires good hand muscle to be a capable home woman, and hard business sense to keep the respect of tradesmen and workmen and your own family."

"Taken care of? Let me laugh! 'It's us women who do the taking care of, though the dear men keep right on thinking they are protecting us from hardships and the cold and cruel world. Yet every time a single woman sees a man pay his wife's carfare she thinks how nice it would be to have a big strong man taking care of her.'"

which the new officers were installed. Mrs. Hawkins has been the president of the council since its organization several years ago and as a token of the love and respect of the women and in appreciation for her splendid services in guiding the council she was presented with a handsome glass vase. She responded very feelingly.

**OFFICERS ELECTED BY ASTRA CIRCEL, W. O. W.**

Astra circle, W. O. W., at a recent meeting, elected the following officers: Past guardian neighbor, Kate Cook; guardian neighbor, Nora Stevens; adviser, Kate Surman; magician, May Major; attendant, Clara Edmunds; captain of guards, Catherine Stetter; inner sentinel, Marie Grossman; outer sentinel, Jack Casson; musician, Mrs. Backlund; manager, M. Freeman; Mrs. Johnson; installing officer, Mrs. C. Edmunds.

## WOMEN'S CLUBS

"Herod" Is Presented.

In a wonderful setting of flowering trees and shrubs, velvety grass and a canopy of clear blue sky, Herod, Lawrence Southwick, dean of the Emerson Dramatic School of Boston, gave a marvelous reading of "Herod" yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. J. Frankel on Portland Heights. The affair was given as the closing event of a very busy year which the Shakespeare club has enjoyed.

Mr. Southwick stands at the very head of his art and his delineation of this wonderful play left absolutely nothing to be desired. His lights and shades always harmonize, he reads his lines with such delicacy of finish, such suggestiveness and acute sympathy, that none can fail to be impressed by his consummate art. In his personality he is convincing, telling, human and his stage presence alone stamps him an artist of the first magnitude.

He was introduced yesterday by Mrs. Allen Todd, president of the Shakespeare club. It was a large and representative audience, including some of the state officers of the federation, as well as local club officers and members. It is hoped that an engagement may be arranged for Mr. Southwick for next season.

**Congress of Mothers Meets.**

The closing meeting for the season of the Fort and Council, Oregon Congress of Mothers was held yesterday at the Creston schoolhouse, the Mothers' club of that school acting as hostesses. The women took their lunch and this was enjoyed from a long table stretching the full length of the school hall.

Reports from the various circles were made and showed the council to be in excellent condition. Mrs. Julia C. LaBarre, who has recently returned from California, told some of the things which the California council is accomplishing. From the state institutions to the smallest village school there is cooperation in this work and thus are the great things accomplished for which the Golden state is well known.

Letters were read from various eastern and southern states concerning the special department to the Mother congress which occupied several pages in The Journal recently.

Mrs. James E. Kerr, a member of the school board, addressed the meeting and spoke of some of the things which she hoped to see accomplished in the Portland schools in the near future. Mrs. Kerr has made a special study of the outdoor school and she recommends it most highly. The report of the text book committee was most interesting. The council voted to oppose the use of the Riegler arithmetic on the ground that it is simply a set of rules and figures without reason and that it stimulates the child's mind rather than helps to develop it.

The council went over the work of the year and discussed in a general way some of the things which it hopes to accomplish next year. There has been found to be a great need for a school matron who can look after the general condition of the children. Many children are insufficiently clothed and nourished, others seldom have a bath, and it is hoped that the council will be able to work out a scheme whereby some aid may be given in these directions. The council also hopes to organize a system of clubs among the school children next year. During the afternoon ice cream was sold, the proceeds to help with the council's kindergarten department at Chautauque.

A feature of the afternoon was the mock school entertainment in which the women responding to the names of school girls did some little stunts. This closed with a beautiful Indian ceremony, presided over by the retiring president, Mrs. W. J. Hawkins, in

## NAZIMOVA EXERTS HYPNOTIC SPELL

Bella Donna's Effort to Poison Husband Acted Out Realistically.

Madame Nazimova at the Hellig last night in "Bella Donna" held her audience under the sort of serpentine, hypnotic spell that a snake must exercise over his prey before it proceeds to squeeze over his life.

Madame Nazimova's artistry runs to the weird and the shuddery as naturally as water runs to the sea, and in James Bernard Fagan's dramatization of Robert Hichins' novel she has all opportunity to cast her spell. With a slow-poison plot worked out in an Egyptian setting, Madame Nazimova, her sinuousness accentuated by the silken, chameleon-like, clinging robes she wears, is at her best in the interpretation of the cruel, unrelenting, murderous Bella Donna.

The story as dramatized tells vividly of Bella Donna's efforts to slowly poison her husband, Nigel Armine, that she may be free to carry on her affair with an Egyptian, Baroudi, who already lays claim to a well established home. The play with anyone but Nazimova as the predominating figure would not be unusual.

The support afforded Nazimova is excellent and the staging and effects are in keeping with a production that makes Broadway talk. Charles Bryant has the lead opposite to Nazimova as the Jewish physician, Dr. Meyer Isaacson, friend of Honorable Nigel Armine. Bella Donna's husband, who discovers the slow-poison plot, Robert Whitworth puts characterization into his part of Baroudi, Honorable Callender, Ibrahim, a druggist, and other minor characters are well handled.

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M. Galyer, a business man of New York, is registered at the Nortonia.

H. R. Misener, a manufacturer of Kansas City, is stopping at the Nortonia.

R. W. Cook, a rancher of Condon, is a guest at the Seaward.

Thomas Harden, a manufacturer of Galva, Ill., is stopping at the Seaward.

R. J. Bruchich, and wife, of Kelso, are at the Annex.

C. M. Weston, of Salem, is a guest at the Annex.

L. Raburn, a business man of La Grande, is registered at the Annex.

Mrs. Eva Leonard, of Salem, is stopping at the Annex.

A. S. Huey, a jeweler of Roseburg, is a guest at the Corneliuss.

E. W. Moreland, a business man of Salem, is at the Corneliuss.

G. A. Johnson, a jeweler of Roseburg, is stopping at the Corneliuss.

T. B. Reed, a lumberman of Carlton, is a guest at the Perkins.

W. A. Gilliaty, sheriff of Benton county, is registered at the Perkins on Corvallis.

Joseph H. Haner, an abstract man of Prineville, is stopping at the Perkins.

Matt Halverson, a sheep man of Ione, is registered at the Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Nishoff, of Chicago, are at the Portland. Mr. Nishoff is a prominent manufacturer.

F. A. Mabey, a mining man of Prindle, Wash., and wife, are guests at the Portland.

J. H. Manners, a stock and bond dealer of Vancouver, B. C., is stopping at the Portland.

## STUDENTS PARTICIPATE IN THE FOLK DANCES

The students of Oakley Green and Jefferson high school participated in folk dances and drills at Peninsula park last night, the program closing the rose show given under the direction of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the North Portland Commercial club. About 2000 people witnessed the exercises given on the green of Peninsula park under the electric lights.

Professor Robert Krohn and Miss Helen True had direct charge of the program. Thousands of roses were given away to those who came to the park yesterday evening, and yet, so many there were provided, fully as many roses were left as were given away. So successful was the rose show at Peninsula park that it will be repeated as an annual event.

**Mothers' Circle Picnic.** The Mothers' Circle of the Highland school will hold its annual picnic tomorrow. Members are requested to take basket lunches and meet at 11 o'clock at the corner of Killingsworth and Union avenues.

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