

IN SOCIETY

Precedent Set By House 'H' at Reed College

HOUSE "H" at Reed college set a precedent in its annual dance last week. Forced by the weather and lack of fuel to entertain at home the "H" men combined the college dining hall and men's social room, transformed two upstairs suites into cloakrooms and two more into card rooms and entertained the college community in a novel and memorable manner.

With zero weather outdoors, the guests arriving in the social room were greeted with a glow of warmth from the fireplace and this was only one of the features that made the House "H" dance a distinctive evening on Reed's social calendar.

The orchestra was stationed in the center of the opening between the two rooms and the music was appropriate to the soft lighting effect gained by the skillful use of candles and electric stars. The House "H" special proved to be one of Reed's most popular dances with repeated encores and exclamations of delight at the miniature Christmas tree, which was lighted for this one dance. The electric stars overhead twinkled in response to an electrical device invented by Harold Robinson, a House "H" sophomore.

The women of the auxiliary to the American Legion will sponsor a benefit dance on the evening of December 26 to raise funds for the needy boys of the legion. Patrons and patronesses for the event will be Mayor and Mrs. George L. Baker, Major and Mrs. M. E. Marcellus, Captain and Mrs. James Gay, Captain and Mrs. C. L. Johnson, Captain Bert Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Panakes, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Couly, Captain James Conville, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cooper and F. Flicke.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the dance includes Mrs. R. W. Cahill, Mrs. E. F. Gerth and Mrs. E. J. Elvers. The affair is open to all persons interested in the work of the legion.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Dorothy Webber Neill to Ward Allan Holcomb in Los Angeles, December 10. The bride, who is well known in Portland, is a niece of Mrs. August Lange of 675 Wasco street. She has been making her home with her parents in Los Angeles for the past two years. Mr. Holcomb was one of the early volunteers for the service and spent two years in France, returning with a commission as first lieutenant. He is employed at the Multnomah Trunk & Baggage factory, Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb will return to Portland after January 1 and make their home at 628 East Stark street.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Porter of Irvington entertained Friday evening with a large and handsomely appointed dinner in the main dining room of the Hotel Portland. Covers were laid for 30 at a table decorated in Christmas greens and crimson carnations.

The Progressive women's unit of the Laurelhurst club will meet at the clubhouse on Tuesday afternoon to make final arrangements for the snow ball dance to be given on Tuesday evening

MRS. HELEN EKIN STARRETT, who is leaving Portland for the holidays and will be the guest of her daughters, Mrs. W. S. Dinwiddie and Mrs. Frederick Whitten, in Berkeley, Cal., until the middle of January.



of holiday week by the women's unit and the Men's Tuesday Night Social club. On Tuesday afternoon of last week winners in 500 at the card club were Mrs. T. H. Craig and Mrs. S. D. Webber. In bridge those taking honors were Mrs. F. L. Stockle and Mrs. M. E. Tanner. On Thursday evening at the regular meeting of the card club, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Chandler were hosts. Those taking honors at cards included Mrs. I. Richardson and M. E. Tanner in bridge and Mrs. C. F. Kahn and Arthur C. Smith in "500."

Of interest to Portland society is the announcement of the engagement of Mrs. David C. Lewis to Jordan V. Zan, which was made known informally last week. Mrs. Lewis is one of the charming young matrons of the city. Mr. Zan has also a wide circle of friends in Portland, where he is prominent in

business and social circles. He is vice president of Zan Brothers and is a member of the Arlington, Waverley and Multnomah clubs. No definite announcement has been made of the wedding date.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Alvord left Portland Thursday evening for San Francisco, where they will spend the holidays with Mr. Alvord's parents. They were accompanied by Mrs. John S. Napier.

Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Bailey Jr. (Naida Rosetter) are down from Sisters, Or., for the holidays and are at the Hotel Portland.

New Year Plans Of Society Are Being Formed

PLANS for the celebration of the New Year are already under way. Several dances will mark the first day of the year and family dinners will be the rule throughout the city. Waverley Country club will follow its usual custom of holding open house on January 1 for members of the club and their friends. The officers and directors of the club will receive on this occasion.

Mixed foursomes, land and water plane flights of the Oregon, Washington & Idaho Airplane company will offer diversion for members at the club that day. A buffet supper will be served and dancing will continue throughout the late afternoon and evening.

Miss Edith Mihnos will become the bride of Dr. Blair Holcomb on Christmas day at the White Temple. The service will be read at 4 o'clock by Dr. William A. Waldo in the presence of a large assembly of guests.

Miss Dorothea Koerber has been chosen as bridesmaid and Roger Holcomb, brother of the bridegroom, will be best man. The guests will be shown to their seats by the Misses Mary Appleby, Bessie Walch and Mary Holmes.

Miss Mihnos has been much entertained during the past few weeks. On Saturday Miss Dorothea Koerber was hostess for a delightful luncheon honoring 12 of the friends of the bride-elect. The hostess was assisted by Miss Edna Mihnos and Mrs. Floyd Allen.

Dr. Holcomb will take his bride to Chicago where they will make their home.

Mrs. Carl Crow is spending a few days at the Hotel Portland before returning to her home in Shanghai. Both Mr. and Mrs. Crow are gifted writers and they have a wide circle of friends in Portland, who are entertaining informally for Mrs. Crow.

Mrs. Samuel C. Tevis and Miss Cornelia Tevis have returned to Portland after a two months' visit to Texas and in Louisiana.

Miss Margaret Masonek was hostess at a charming affair last Sunday afternoon, when she entertained, honoring

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Mrs. E. C. Ransom left Portland Sunday evening for New York to spend several months. On her way East she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coman in Spokane for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heller Ehrman were hosts for a dinner party of 14 covers at their home on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Williams will have as their guests for dinner on Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Curry.

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