

SOCIAL CALENDAR

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 21

Gamma Phi Beta sorority luncheon at Portland hotel. Luncheon given by Elizabeth Mary Kollock. Dance given by Miss Little Ruth Huber.

Miss Wellman's Art Is New Delight

By E. C. B.

EMILY ANN WELLMAN and Richard Gordon are names for Portland Orpheum patrons to conjure with as a result of the delightful dramatic abilities exposed by those consummate artists in their first appearance here Sunday in "The Actor's Wife." Written, arranged, directed and largely enacted by Miss Wellman, the sketch is billed as "a theatrical storm in 10 draws" which entirely fails to classify the offering.

The dramatic bit scored heavily, regardless of the fact that it is entirely shorn of the usual vaudeville comedy, is best attested by the breathless attention it won from Sunday audiences. It is a vehicle to which Miss Wellman's abilities are undoubtedly suited, and it gains greatly in strength from the clever and intelligent lines she has written into it. Than Richard Gordon no more acceptable artist has been in Portland recently.

Miss Wellman has proved herself. Her drama appears as a splendid balance for her conception of staging and the simplicity in setting she has achieved by means of understated effects for her "10 flashes," is a thing to marvel at. Her supporting company, now that Gordon has been granted his niche, is capable in every picture of a rehearsal of a drama wherein ambition is hedged by the petty jealousies of a loving wife for her actor-husband.

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The current bill opens with Lillian's comedy pet, seven canines, whose antics are somewhat unusual. Lillian Price and Bud Bernie present "Laugh Fashions of 1920" with Bud at the piano and Lillian in kid attire to sing.

Liberty

Katherine MacDonal, with a strong supporting cast, in the first national picture of "Curtain" from the Saturday Evening Post story, is presenting a very interesting story of the actual life to Liberty audiences this week. While the story offers no new theme, plot, setting or character, it serves to again remind the public in a very entertaining manner that stage folks are human, with loves, pride and ambition—and even "affairs"—just like the rest of us.

The newly created star conveniently smother her incipient love for a young author and transfers that usually elastic, elusive affection to a roving, patron of attractive feminine genius, and marries the role, his mansion, his fortune,

the idle, luxurious life, finery and gewgaws which by some peculiar coincidence just happen to accompany most men whose charms prove irresistible to the gentler sex of the smart set as well as to stage women.

The midday Sunday theatre-organ concert, including selections from "Aida," Bartlett's "A Dream," and one of the world's heart classics, "Over the Old Sweet Song," a timely setting. "The Christmas Spirit," lent Yuletide atmosphere, and Keates' "memory tests" in playing any popular song of the past 25 years requested by the audience adds a peculiar make-yourself-at-home air to the theatre.

Another of Mack Sennett's alleged comedies is featured.

Lyric Mike Dooley and Ike Leschinski are no-account farmers this week at the Lyric theatre. In the musical comedy, "The Pipe Dream," which opened Sunday afternoon, they appear as owners of a couple of almost worthless farms.

But these tracts are home-sweet-homes to Ben Elton and Al Franks, and they want to keep them.

A real estate dealer tries to have the serious-minded, funny fellows deover their lands to him. In return he offers them a great deal of hot air. Miss Dorothy Raymond, who possesses two shapely and handy arms, assists Mr. Real Estate. They tell the poor old owners that the land is very much needed for the site of a large city.

Miss King Honor Guest at Tea

By Helen Hutchison

MISS PHILENA KING, whose marriage to Roland P. Lockwood will take place next week, was a guest of honor at a tea this afternoon for which Miss Miriam Holcomb was hostess at her home in Graham avenue. Miss Holcomb is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Holcomb. Guests for the tea included a group of the girl friends of the bride-elect who are home from college for the holidays. At the tea hour the hostess was assisted in the dining room by Mrs. Nelson Randall and Mrs. William Holden, who presided at the tea table. Assisting in serving were Miss Helen Houghton, Miss Geraldine Pilkington and Miss Pauline Tins.

An interesting function of Friday evening was the dance given by the freshmen class of the North Pacific Dental college at Irvington clubhouse. About 100 of the members of the class were in attendance with their friends and for the occasion the clubhouse was elaborately decorated with a color scheme of green and white. The committee in charge of the event included Robert Bennett, Samuel Levitt and John Berchert. Patrons and patronesses for the affair were Mrs. E. Miller, Dr. and Mrs. Starr, Dr. and Mrs. Walton and Dr. and Mrs. Rudd of the school faculty.

Dr. and Mrs. John Forest Dickson and their niece Miss Lillian Moss left the city Sunday night for California, where they will spend the Christmas holidays at Berkeley, Cal. Mrs. Dickson and Miss Moss expect to go to southern California following Christmas and will remain there until April.

Clifford B. Hill and Miss Imogene L. Inman were quietly married at the residence of the bridegroom, December 18. The ceremony was read by the Rev. W. Z. A. Wright, former pastor of the Baptist church of Condon.

The members of the team of Multnomah camp No. 77, Woodmen of the World will give a ball at the East Side Woodmen's temple, 112 East Sixth street, New Year's eve. The affair is an annual event.

The annual dance of the Travelers' Protective association will be held at the Multnomah hotel, December 29, the entire mezzanine floor being reserved for them. Cards will be provided for those who do not dance.

Miss Jane Stier and Edwin Seller of Frankfort and Miss Ruth Lowengart will be guests of honor at a dance for which Mr. and Mrs. Max S. Hirsch will be hosts Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Hunt are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son born to them Saturday. Mr. Hunt is Northwest editor of The Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maloney announce the birth of a daughter, who arrived December 16 at St. Vincent's hospital. The baby will be named Rose Katherine.

Mrs. Harold Dekum Gill was hostess for an informal afternoon of bridge today. Her guests made up three tables for the game.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rueff announce the birth of their daughter, Bernice Irene, December 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Selver entertained with a dinner of 12 covers Saturday evening.

Knights of Pythias Elect Officers Chehalis, Wash.—The following are the officers-elect of the Chehalis Knights of Pythias lodge:

Charles Hardwell, chancellor commander; J. P. Dwyer, vice chancellor; Oscar Johnson, president; Paul Holbrook, master of work; G. H. Jameson, inner guard; Carl Husten, outer guard; P. M. Owen, master of finances; A. Dickerson, master of exchequer; C. E. Owen, keeper of records and seal; C. G. Johnson, trustee; Archie Conable, master-at-arms.

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"You are fat. That is because of your teeth. I am thin and that is because of my teeth. Your food can be stored away. My food must be hunted for when it is to be eaten. If I can find no food then I must starve, and I am starving this very minute. If you had to hunt and catch your food you would be just as fat as I am."

"But you just said that it was a wonderful day," interrupted Rusty.

"So it is! So it is, for the fat. But for the lean and hungry who must wade through this snow and know not where to look for so much as a bite—the mere tail of a mouse, I might say—it is little short of terrible. You who are fat—Rusty—but you ARE fat—have much to be thankful for—much, very much."

"What's that?" demanded Reddy. "Did you say something about a roost?"

"I was merely saying," replied Rusty. "That enough is plenty, but when it comes to the matter of thanks—they are largely due to myself. I am fat now on the hard work of last fall and the thrift which planned for the days ahead. If you people who are always complaining of hard times had sense enough to be thrifty in times of plenty there would be no talk of stomachs clinging to backbones and beautiful days being so terrible due to myself. I am fat now on the hard work of last fall and the thrift which planned for the days ahead."

"No," replied Rusty. "I haven't seen a fat Wood Mouse and I haven't any more idea than you have where Mrs. Grouse and her children are. What is more, I wouldn't tell you if I had. Go to Old Mother Nature and ask her for a new set of teeth and then come back and tell me how you get that fat hickory nut. And then Rusty made a face at Reddy."

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Nurses Report 1621 Visits in Month

By Vella Winner

THE Portland Visiting Nurse association held its monthly meeting of the board of directors Tuesday. A total number of 1621 visits was reported for the past month. Of these 450 were to tubercular patients. The prenatal work was important this month. Miss Marion G. Crowe, the superintendent, having been called upon to give instructive talks on this subject to members of the clubs. In testimony to Miss Edith Kirkpatrick, the retiring secretary, who has been with the association for five years, and who is soon to be married, she was presented by members of the board with a beautiful silver bowl and spoon, suitably engraved. The treasurer, Mrs. J. Frank Watson, reported that the cost per visit of the nurses during the past month was \$1.07. Contributions of old linen for use as bandages are solicited. Such contributions may be left at the office, 1004 Spaulding building.

The regular meeting of the Housewives' council will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. in the story hour room of Central library.

The Ladies' auxiliary to the Oregon Greeters will hold their regular business meeting at the Multnomah hotel Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mrs. R. Z. Duke will preside. The auxiliary will have charge of the sale of Christmas seals Tuesdays in the hotels.

The Holman Parent-Teacher association will hold its regular community dance Friday evening in the schoolhouse. The proceeds will be used to provide a Christmas party for the school children. Patrons and patronesses for the evening will be: Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Burkhardt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kinnear, Miss Pauline Finn and James Kennedy.

The Pendleton Woman's Christian Temperance Union keeps a copy of the Oregon tobacco and anti-cigarette laws posted not only in places where tobacco is sold, but in every class room of the public schools and in all churches and Sunday school rooms. If the law is broken in Pendleton it will not be through ignorance.

"Jazz" for musical expressions of joyous hearts and wholesome gaiety. In "The Double Standard," the Rivoli's photodrama offering, the producers have given screen patrons a wholesome yet gripping drama of the some time indications of big men and women of all ages. Kindly illustrating the Biblical reprimand "there are none perfect," the screen drama convincingly points the justification of the commandment, "Judge not." H. B. Warner and other stage notables cast in that excellent play so well interpret and portray the characters, the play is entirely free from the common studio practice—perverting a real drama to appease the vanity of a mediocre screen hero or heroine.

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WHO? WHAT? WHERE?

VAUDEVILLE ORPHEUM—Broadway at Taylor. Martin Beck vaudeville. Features Emily Wellman and Owen McGivney. 2:30 and 8:20. PANTAGES—Broadway at Alder. High class vaudeville and photoplay features. Afternoon and evening. Program changes Monday afternoon. LOEW'S HIPPODROME—Broadway at Yamhill. Direction Ackerman & Harris. Vaudeville. Afternoon and night. STOCK BAKER—Morrison at Eleventh. Baker Stock company. In "A Young Girl's Romance." Matinee Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday. 2:30; evenings, 8:20. LYRIC—Broadway and Morrison. Lyric Musical Travesty comedy. In "The Pipe Dream." Matinee daily, 2:20; evenings, 8:20. COLUMBIA—Sixth at Stark. "The Scepter." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. LIBERTY—Broadway at Stark. Katherine McDonald in "Curtain." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. RIVOLI—Washington at Park. H. B. Warner in "The Double Standard." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. MAJESTIC—Washington at Park. "Number, Please," and "Honest Hutch." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. PEOPLES—West Park at Alder. Shirley Mason in "The Little Wanderer." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. STAR—Washington at Park. "The Lone Hand." 11 a. m. to 11 p. m. CHRYSLER—Fourth near Washington. "The Fourteenth Man." 9 a. m. to 4 o'clock the next morning.

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