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Society



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Holiday Season Socially to Be Very Active One

By Hazel Brady
NUMEROUS dancing parties and social affairs are planned for the coming week that the holiday season may be ushered in properly. This reign of festivities will continue well into the New Year, and will be marked by a number of brilliant affairs. The presence in town of many students who have been away to school and who are home for the holidays will be the inspiration for much of the entertaining. As a preliminary to the entertaining for the younger set was the dancing party at which Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Henningsen were hosts Friday evening, as a compliment to Miss Harriet Griffith and Mr. Frits Henningsen, whose birthdays occurred on that date.

Another enjoyable affair for the debutante set was the farewell luncheon given in honor of Miss Dorothy Cochran, which announced the engagement of Miss Ruth Bruere to Mr. Charles Newel Huggins.

Monday afternoon a large group of the prominent matrons gathered at Trinity parish house for the reading of "Loyalties," by Sarah Truax Albert. From the first these readings have been most popular, and it is with regret that Monday's entertainment will mark the last of this interesting series. It is planned, however, that Mrs. Albert will give a reading January 5, as a benefit for the People's Institute.

The dancing party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Gerlinger Saturday will bring out the younger set. Of special interest is the reading at the Hotel Multnomah Tuesday evening by Ruby Page Ferguson (Mrs. Anthony Kurver) of "A Bill of Divorcement."

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harris have as their house guest Mrs. C. W. Niemeyer of Edmonton, Alberta, who will go from here to Salem for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Liston. She will remain in Oregon over the holidays.

Mrs. D. F. Thompson is now at Coronado, Cal., where she will spend the holidays with her son-in-law and daughter, Commander and Mrs. Norman Murray Smith, U. S. N., at the Hotel del Coronado.

Mrs. Henry Fleckenstein and little son, Robert, left Thursday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. D. Willoughby, in Tacoma, for the holiday season. Dr. Fleckenstein will join them for Christmas.

Cards are out announcing that Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Ruggles Corbett will be at home New Year's day in their many friends from 4 to 6 p. m.

Mrs. J. W. Cairns Is Hostess at Vancouver Post

MRS. JAMES W. CAIRNS was hostess at a large card party for the wives of the officers at Vancouver barracks. This is the first of a series of card parties which will be given by the various women of the post this season.

Mrs. T. M. Harris entertained the women of the post Friday afternoon in the Service clubrooms with a large bridge party. From 4 to 6 o'clock Captain and Mrs. Harris received the officers of the post and were hosts at a dance. The affair was given in honor of Mrs. James W. Cairns.

Mrs. Philip Overstreet was hostess Tuesday afternoon at bridge. Four tables were in play. She was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. A. C. Young. Captain Overstreet has received orders to Reno, Nev. They will leave in a few days.

Captain and Mrs. John C. Gilther are among the new arrivals at the post. Captain Gilther has just completed a two years' tour of service in Alaska.

One of the many enjoyable social functions which are being planned for the pleasure of the many members of the sub-deb set who are home for the holidays, will be the dance given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Gerlinger, Saturday evening. The affair is being given by a number of the school set, who have been meeting at the different homes for little Friday night dancing parties. Assisting Mrs. Gerlinger in receiving will be Mrs. Lloyd Wenzworth and Mrs. Jeffie Powers.

Mr. John K. Kollock invited a number of children to her home Friday for a party given in honor of little Miss Betty Lewis, daughter of Mrs. Carl D. Lewis of Seattle, who with her mother is the house guest of Mrs. W. H. Jordan.

In honor of her ninth birthday, Mrs. Harry W. Sharp will entertain with a party Saturday for her daughter, Miss Edith Sharp. Invitations have been sent to 25 of Miss Sharp's little friends.

The Misses Elizabeth and Marie Josephine Hoben entertained a group of friends at the Hotel Portland supper dance Thursday evening. Covers were placed for 10.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Chamberlain have returned from California, where they have been for some time, and will spend the holiday season with Dr. and Mrs. M. Henry at La Grande, Or.

MISS AGNES BLACK was joint hostess with her mother, Mrs. George Black, at a most attractive tea given recently for her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harvey Nicol Black (Helen Haller). One of the surprises of the week was the announcement of the engagement of Miss Ruth Bruere, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gustave E. Bruere, to Mr. Charles Newel Huggins. At a very lovely home wedding last evening Miss Marjorie McGuire became the bride of Dr. Edward Walter St. Pierre. Mrs. P. O. Poage, with her husband, Captain Poage, are among the new arrivals at Vancouver barracks. One of the interesting visitors is Mrs. Claire Wallace Woodward (Cornelia Stanley), who is being extensively feted.