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EVENTS OF WEEK ARE MANY AND OF VARIED NATURE

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"Autumn in Oregon-A blur of blue and rain

Across the old Willamette," -Mary Carolyn Davies.

"Autumn in Oregon." -- Far-spreading landscape dipped in dye, so magical that it bewilders; mist-clad mountains and a light azure haze in the sky; every forest a sunset, and every tree a burning bush-that is autumn in Oregon.

And its coming is very subtle. Some night one goes to bed with the world a gem of green and blue-jade and emerald-to awaken and gaze upon a world that is scarlet and russet and yellow! One cannot account for it all if one is apt to be practical, and demand the why and the wherefore of things, but if one believes in fairies-well then one may think as one likes.

It is no wonder that every affair of a social nature lately has had a setting of "flowers and foliage in autumn coloring!" And the social calendar for the week shows a number of unusually interesting events. There were dinners, and luncheons, and teas, and little informal gatherings, the large bridge party of Mr. and Mrs. David Eyre's Friday night, standing out conspicuously as one of the smartest functions of

With the approach of Hallowe'en, other bright spots will appear on the social horizon, and from then on to Christmas, there will be a full programme for society.

HE turn of the wheel has brought us around again to certain fashions in home-making which smack of the days of our greatgrandparents. If you are building and furnishing a strictly up-to-date residence, you are omitting a lot of things that a while aro was thought necessary.

Take a motor drive around the Capital city, view only the new homes, and you will see this note of simplicity, and this simplicity does not mean barrenness, plaianess or crudeness. Intelligent simplicity is really an acme of artistic accomplishment.

The present much-talked about housing problem, like every other evil, is productive of some good, masmuch as it revives our interest in home-making, and individual delight in home construction. We are beginning to study our landscapes, our history, and our traditions for inspiration, and are building accordingly.

Architecture of the past has been fearful of being too plain, just as folk have been fearful of having their lives too simple. It was not realized that increased decoration did not always make for more heanty; that the purpose of art was to express something very fundamental and splendid in nature, not to adorn human beings.

Much of the spirit of today has always been a part of the English architecture: there homes are built to give happiness, to be the place in which people shall be contented,-a place for wholesome

ALL these ultra-modern touches are to be found in the beautiful house that the Frank S. Bartons have built at North Capitol and D. streets. Here is a building of sturdy charm, stamped because of its simplicity with a certain rare distinction that one does not meet in every bungalow. It is quaint but not eccentrie; unique but not affected; fashioned with frank intention of material comfort, yet in bued with an atmosphere that is far from materialistic.

This new home-building spirit, with its yearning for comfort, amplicity and beauty, for sincere and earnest craftsmanship is exemplified in the recently completed homes of the Dan Fry Jr.'s and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Walsh, that adjoin on South High street. One cannot pass these places without feeling an echo of the home deals and the enthusiasm that must hame gone into their conception and making. For the exteriors with their plain, light-reflecting lifar events on the winter's calenwalls, their casement windows, suggest unpretentious comfort and artistic restraint.

And if you love a little house—and who doesn't?—there is for rour tomiration the quaintly charming new home of R. F. Dillon, Eighteenth and Center streets. With all the art that has been wever into this bungalow, there is no displeasing self-consciousness, no straining after the unusual or the extreme. Whatever is unique or surprising seems rather the result of spontaneous enthusiasm and refural feeling for picturesqueness, ready sympathy with the mateials, eagerness to make even the commonest detail a thing of love-

A house of unusually interesting design is that of Fred Barker. Market and Cottage streets, and there are pleasing silhouettes in the game of cards. Seventy invita- night of the first concert. new home of Adolph Gueffroy, on D street, near Capitol; Alvro S. Bursey on South Church street, and that of H. G. Carl, on E street,

All hold a promise of vine-clad loveliness later, for the houses, one must remember, are all very new, and the gardens have not yet had time to soften with foliage, grass and blossom, that boundary ine between art and nature.

OCIETY'S interest this week friends. The first of the series, a and next centers around the bridge party Friday night, was rio of affairs, which Mr. and easily the most distinctive affair Mrs. David W. Eyre are contrib- of the week, and one of the most uting for the pleasure of their charming of the year, setting a



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MRS. George A. White, wife of Adjutant-General White, who with her husband record lem to reside. They are occupying the house on Bellview street, which was formerly the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Todd. Mrs. White is a charming acquisition to Capital City society.

eplendid precedent for other sim- events, which will bring to Salem

Monday and Tuesday night will tions have been issued for the Mr. Henry is to be the first arfirst night, thirty-five couple to tist to appear, being presented at

in every detail.

Card tables were arranged amid a bower of lovely flowers, won much success last night in deepest russet to palest yellow. Tall brass jardinieres filled with tional but brilliant playing. Mr. in harm'mi it's color. bloszonis and gay clusters of floral color could not have been more cordial n art baskets and bowls, perfected the decorative detail.

Eight tables were circled by the players, the final result of the games, giving the trophies to Mrs. Rollin K. Page and T. B.

Assisting on this first evening were Mrs. T. C. Smith, Jr., and Mrs. Harry Hawkins.

Local and Portland society is all a-flutter over the announcement in Portland yesterday of the engagement of Miss Alice Dabney and Kenneth Moores, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Moores of Salem. Because of the prominence of the two families, anticipations. The affair will ushinterest in the marriage, which

The betrothal was told at a smart tea given by Mrs. Albert Berni in Portland Saturday at which Mrs. Allan Bynon (Flor- Bishop, and Mrs. F. A. Elliott, ence Hofer), a childhood friend

of Miss Dabney, assisted. and charming girl, who has been year for the Thursday Afternoon In The Fine Art of "Dress" a frequent visitor in Salem, as club, was a beautiful event, asthe guest of Mrs. Bynon.

She is a graduate of St. Helens hall and also of Miss McClintock's finishing school in Boston. Mr. Moores attended the University of Oregon and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity, and during the war he served as a lieutenant in the air service.

The color scheme for the tea was yellow, marigolds and zinnias being used in the centerpieces, and yellow chrysanthemums about the rooms. The attractive tea table was in charge of Mrs. Gorrill Swigert, Mrs. Harold Dekum Gill, Mrs. Addison Knapp and Mrs. Alan Bynen of Salem. Assisting them were Mrs. Harold Sanford, Mrs. John Honey, Mrs. Virginia Thompson, Miss Miriam Hilton and Miss Martha Hoyt.

With subscriptions pouring in from every side, the success of the ing the winter, under the direction of the Salem Musical bureau, is assured. At the very outset local and out-of-town music lovers have demonstrated their interest in the

pianist; Kathleen Parlow, violinist, and Matzenauer, contralto.

witness the largest dancing par- in from adjacent territory, and ies of the early season, when the nearby towns, both from individ Eyres will transferm the r lovely mals and organizations. Several Oak street residence into a big music club will pledge subscripballroom, employing the season's tions attending in a body, and most beautiful blossoms for a several groups of musicians will decorative background. The up- assist in the sale of tickets. Beper floor will be converted into a longing to both classifications is big lounge room, where those who the Cecilian club, of young girls. do not dance may retire for a who will occupy boxes on the

participate the second evening. the Grand theater Friday, Novem-Friday night's bridge was ber 12. When Mr. Henry gave marked by the beauty of the dec- a concert in Portland, James Mcorations, autumn being suggested Queen, of the Oregonian, had the following to say of him:

"Mr. Harold Henry, the planist -zinnias, marigolds, gladoli, and the Heilig theater when he apvarying in tone from peared in a concert that was remarkable for his quiet, non-sensa-Henry's audience of last night and enthusiastic in recognizing his musical genius. He has fully earned the right to be called a master-pianist. His concepts of the Bach, Brahms and Schubert selections were marked by fine, satisfying pianism, with sure, velvety touch and cultured phrasing. Mr. Henry's own "Dancing Marionette" is a creation of sunny beauty and joy, and it, too, had to be repeated.

Invitations will be issued the first of the week for the large dancing party to be given October 28, at the Habee Country club. for which local society foik are making plans with the happiest er in a round of Hallowe en will be an event of the spring, is events, and will officially mark the beginning of the formal social

The tea given by Mrs. C. P. Thursday afternoon, at the residence of the former, which Miss Dabney is a very pretty marked the initial activity of the sembling a large representation of guests, Mrs. J. J. Murphy, of Portland, house guest of Mrs. William P. Lord: Mrs. A. S. Brass-J. Pearce, Mrs. Lord and Mrs. W. type of figure.

H. Dolman. The rooms were charmingly decorated with autumn garden flowers and late roses, maripolds and ferns predominating. A large basket of marigolds was emplayed as a table centerpiece in the dining room, where Mrs. Alice

Bean assisting in serving.

the club during the coming year crons social courtesies to the visifilling the place occupied by Mrs. tor, every day of her stay being Dodd last year. Cub dates will be every second Thursday.

Chauncey Bishop of Pendleton was a brief visitor in Salem durin the week, spending Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bishop.

Members of the Bridg Stanchon club met informally Wonday at the residence of Mrs. Henry W. Meyers, for the distribution of last year's eard awards, high score honors falling to Mrs. T. A. their custom, drew for the latertional prizes.

Four new members were admited to the club. Mrs. George F. the guests. Rodgers, Mrs. David Eyre, Mis. Mrs. Hall was assisted by Miss O. C. Locke and Mrs. W. H. Lytle, Olive Skipton and Mrs. Sherman. and Mrs. W. H. Eldridge, retiring numbered nearly 50, members. The additional names which complete the membership John J. Roberts. Mrs. W. M. and friends during a brief so-Plimpton, Mrs. W. H. Boot, Mrs. journ. John H. McNary and Mrs. T. C. Smith, Jr.

The week's gathering was essentially a business affair, the preside as hostess.

Mrs. Louis Leadbetter and Mrs. E. Law, both charming new additions to Salem's social life. were the inspiration for the bridge Broyles, formerly of Satem. tea, for which Mrs. U. G. Shirley was hostess. Thursday afternoon. and which was one of the Lost attending the University of Oreweek's calendar.

A simple decorative motif, developed with zinnins and dahlias. in tones of russet and vellow. surrounded the players who circled four small tables for the game, card honors being given to Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Spith, Jr. Mrs. J. W. Harbison.

At the tea hour additional Spears, Mrs. G. F. Chambers, and Mrs. Law. The guest list includ-

Mrs. Warren Truitt of Moscow. Idaho, arrived in Salem yesterday basket made a lovely centerpiece to remain a fortnight as the house for the table, all the appointguest of Mrs. A. N. Bush. Mrs. ments conforming to the pink col-Bush also has as her guest her or note. Covers were arranged mother, Mrs. John Hughes of for Senator McNary. Mr. and Portland, who has been here for about a week.

A charming visitor, whose soourn of several weeks has been marked by many lovely affairs. was Mrs. Edward A. Jaquins of Los Angeles, who departed for

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B. Fleming and Mrs. Henry J. of her parents. Superintendent the hosts. and Mrs. Harwood Hall, at Che-Mrs. George !. Pearce was mawa. Officers and their wives honored with the presidency of of the institution extended num- considerable interest the work of

> dances, luncheons, card parties and teas Salem friends of the Halls motored our to be guests at the card party which Superintendent and Mrs. Hall gave for their daughter Tuesday night, and for the "at home" which complimented her

filled to overflowing with dinners,

Wednesday afternoon. The latter event was a charming affair, a wealth of Caroline Testout roses and potted plants crnamenting the rooms of the Livesley. Members, according to Hall residence. The dining table was centered with a large bowl of roses, smart little favor buttonaires being given to each of

who are taking the places of Mrs. | who presided at the samovars, Walter McDougal, Mrs. J. L. Van and by Mrs. Bicknell and Miss Doren, Mrs. W. If. Burgbardt, Jr., Shoulder, who served. Guests

Mrs. W. Connell Dyer returned list are those of Mrs. H mry W. last night from Portland where Meyers, Mrs. T. A. Livesley, Mrs. she was the guest of relatives

Mrs. Earl Coulson Flegel left Tuesday for Denver, Colo., where she will join her husband for the first bridge games, and the first winter. She accompanied the lunch son, to be Monday after Deckebachs as far as that place noon when Mrs. Meyers will again the latter going on to Cincinnati.

Mrs. W. Carlton Smith returned from Portland Thursday evening where she spent the week as the house guest of Mrs. Page IL.

Mrs. Hilda Tillinghast, who is delightful contributions on the gon this winter, is spending the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs E. S. Tillinghast.

> Dr. D. M. Fields, for the last year or so located at Astoria was g week-end visitor at the home of

> Senator Charles who is leaving for Washington. D. C., shortly after election, was the honor guest at a smart dinner party presided over by Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Smith, Jr., Thursday evening. Graceful pink gladioli and maidenhair fern in an art

Society folk are following with

Dodd, and Mrs. Murphy pre- her home Friday night after be- Mrs. T. A. Livesley, Mr. and Mrs. Miss Margaret Rodgers in modelsided over the samovars, Mrs. R. ing-entertained as the house guest David Eyre, Mrs. M. A. Goff and ing and sculpture, which she is continuing seriously, going up to Eugene, Tuesday of each week, to

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