

# Society

This time of year when everybody is busy going away or planning to go, it is quite unusual for so much gaiety in social life. The week just ended has seen two prominent weddings and two large receptions. At all of these functions many beautiful gowns were worn.

On Wednesday evening at 8:30 at the new home of the couple, Mr. Fred Fisk, former sheriff of this county, was united in marriage to Miss Minnie Allen, an accomplished young lady of this city. Rev. D. H. Trimble officiating. The wedding was a quiet affair, the bride and groom being unattended. Miss Allen wore a white messaline gown trimmed in real lace and made in princess style. The decorations for the wedding were in lilies and roses. Present were the immediate family: Mrs. Allen, W. E. Fisk and wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Blair, Miss Mamie Fisk, Mr. Roy Emerson, Miss Mabel Fisk and Miss Minnie Stein, of Hoquiam, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisk will be at home to their many friends at 293 West Ninth street after September first.

Another wedding of interest was that of Miss Anna May Hammit to Mr. F. C. Bean. The wedding took place at M. L. Hammit's home on South Willamette street. The decorations for the occasion were in Marguerites and roses. The ceremony was performed by Rev. I. G. Knott of Albany, an intimate friend of the family. The bride wore a gown of apricot messaline which was particularly becoming to her style of beauty. The groom's gift was a sunburst of diamonds and pearls which she wore.

After the ceremony and congratulations were over, the bride's sisters served a dainty lunch to the guests, who were the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bean leave next Wednesday for a three week's trip and will be at home, corner Tenth and High streets, after August first.

Mrs. S. D. Read gave a musicale on Wednesday afternoon, in honor of her sister, Mrs. Carmichael. The decorations were in wild roses, with pretty hand-painted programs, the work of Mrs. Read, Mrs. Boynton and Mrs. Alton Hampton assisted the hostess during the afternoon. The following program was rendered:

- To a Wild Rose ..... McDowell
- Rose in the Bud ..... Foster
- On the Wild Rose Tree ..... Roloff
- Rose in the Garden ..... Midtman
- Under the Rose ..... Fisher
- A Chain of Roses ..... Loeber
- The Wind and the Rose ..... Wolf
- The Band of Roses ..... MacDowell
- My Love is Like the Red, Red Rose ..... Hastings
- My Jacinot ..... Johnson
- A Rose ..... Doris
- Two Roses ..... Wellings
- The Bird and the Rose ..... Reading
- The Bird and the Rose ..... Horrocks
- The Song of the Rose ..... Humamant
- Hedge Roses ..... Schubert
- A Bowl of Roses ..... Clarke
- A White Rose ..... Wilder
- Oriental Rose ..... Parnell
- Three Roses Red ..... Norris
- Yellow Roses ..... Reading
- The Mission of the Rose ..... Cover
- Ashe of Roses ..... Lyles
- The Maid and the Rose ..... DeKoven
- The Gift Rose ..... Roger
- The Last Rose of Summer ..... Anon.

This program was rendered by Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. Alton Hampton, Mrs. H. C. Mahon, Miss Alicia McElroy, Mrs. Alice Middleton, Mrs. H. Eyre Powell, Mrs. Read, Miss Louise Yoran. Her guests were: Mrs. E. R. Gilstrap, Mrs. W. F. Osburn, Mrs. W. F. Gilstrap, Mrs. H. E. Powell, Mrs. Douglas, Mrs. Pinkerton, Mrs. Sweetser, Mrs. Sheldon, Mrs. F. W. Osborn, Miss Schmitt, Mrs. Leon Edmundson, Mrs. DeCout, Mrs. Theresa Jackson, Mrs. Kuykendall, Mrs. Pipes, Mrs. Travis, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Boynton, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. F. G. Young, Mrs. Griffin, Miss Nell Marohy, Mrs. Schaefer and sister, Mrs. Middleton, Mrs. Ray Goodrich, Mrs. Tromp, Mrs. Dunn, Miss Dunn, Mrs. Ohler (Astoria), Mrs. MacIntosh, Mrs. Laura Harris, Miss Alicia McElroy, Mrs. P. L. Campbell, Mrs. Tollman, Mrs. Duwald Campbell, Miss Wilson (Dakota), Miss Gilkinson, Mrs. J. M. Shelley, Mrs. Densmore, Mrs. Willoughby, Mrs. G. D. Linn, the Misses Yoran, Mrs. H. F. Hollenbeck, Mrs. W. C. Yoran, Mrs. Zeiber, Mrs. S. D. Allen, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Loomis, Miss Nellie Loomis, Mrs. Glen, Mrs. Bryson (Corvallis), Mrs. Griggs, Mrs. McMorrain, Mrs. Jepp, Mrs. Harry Keener, Mrs. L. T. Harris, Mrs. Tidball, Dr. Maurer, Mrs. H. E. Morris, Mrs. E. J. Frasier, Mrs. F. L. Chambers, Mrs. Snodgrass, Mrs. E. O. Potter, Miss Stella Bean and Miss Morgan.

Mrs. W. T. Gordon entertained on Tuesday afternoon with an at-home for her sister, Mrs. S. H. Wilder, Mrs. F. S. Dunn received at the door while Mrs. Freeland and Mrs. Jepp had charge of the dining room, with Cosby Gilstrap and Barbara Booth as assistants. The reception hall and parlor were banked with white lilies and ferns, while the sitting room was a mass of crimson ramblers. In the dining room sweet peas were used. Dainty ices were served to her numerous guests, some 120 in number.

Mrs. S. D. Read was at home to her friends on Thursday afternoon in

her apartments in the Hall block. The reception hall was decorated in flags and an abundance of red, white and blue flowers. Receiving with Mrs. Read were Mrs. Barbour, Mrs. Carmichael and Mrs. Boynton. In the library Margaret Hetch served punch to the guests. In the dining room sweet peas were used. The red, white and blue scheme helped make the affair one of the prettiest Eugene has had for some time.

A whist party was given by Mrs. Henry Tromp at her home on West Ninth and Washington streets in honor of her mother, Mrs. Dunn, and Miss Dunn, from the East. The roses and sweet peas predominated. Her guests were Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. Buoy, Mrs. Maglady, Mrs. Mahon, Mrs. Bristow, Miss Greta Bristow, Mrs. Lee Travis, Mrs. Edmundson, Mrs. J. W. Hobbs, Mrs. Bray (Los Angeles), Mrs. McMar, Mrs. Snodgrass, Mrs. J. L. Page, Mrs. Duryea and Mrs. J. P. Campbell.

Miss Libbie Howe entertained on Friday evening with a jolly "barn" party at the family barn which they are living in until their home is completed. The affair was in compliment to Miss Lola Howe, who left on Saturday morning for Missouri, where she will spend the summer. Wild flowers and ferns made the place very woody and picturesque. In one corner was a well of punch. In another

a dainty lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lloyd Bellman. Miss Pearl Hawthorne was a guest of the club. This club is one of the few that has decided to hold its meetings all summer.

The Thimble Club celebrated its tenth anniversary by enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. Frank Chambers at her bungalow on the river on Thursday afternoon and evening. The ladies of the club went down before supper, when the husbands joined them. A most delicious repast was enjoyed by the club and its guests, who were: Mrs. Fred Chambers, Miss Maud Kerns and the Misses Eleanor Ruby, Marion Maiter and Mary Chambers.

A business and social meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Presbyterian church was held Wednesday evening at the home of the Misses Chase on North Pearl street. The regular election of officers was held, with the following result: President, Miss Cora Chase; vice president, Mr. Clarence Steele; secretary, Miss Jones; treasurer, Mr. Sultz. Later in the evening refreshments were served by the Misses Chase.

Miss Mae Sage entertained her Sunday school class of six boys with a chicken dinner on Tuesday evening at her home on East Thirteenth

street. The boys thoroughly enjoyed the splendid repast.

The Sunshine Club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. F. Calkins at her home on East Eleventh street. The guest of the club was a friend of Mrs. Griggs, from Minneapolis. The Misses Jessie Calkins and Ethel Johnson served refreshments to the guests in the latter part of the afternoon.

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. and Mrs. D. E. Baker, on Wednesday evening, June 30, at 8 o'clock, when their eldest daughter, Mary L., became the bride of Oscar Lee Litsinger, of Los Angeles. The bride and groom were attended by Bonnie and Albert Baker as bridesmaid and best man. The bridal party entered the room to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Florence Lucas. The impressive ring ceremony was performed by Rev. W. B. Pinkerton, of the Congregational church. The bride looked charming in a princess gown of white silk, trimmed with real lace, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. The groom wore the conventional black. The bridesmaid wore blue silk mull and carried a shower bouquet of white carnations. The young couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts of silver, cut glass, china and linen. The rooms were tastefully decorated with cut flowers and evergreens. A three-course luncheon was served after the congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Litsinger left at 12:32 for Los Angeles, where they will reside. The guests were as follows: Rev. W. B. Pinkerton, Mr. and Mrs. Critcher, Mr. and Mrs. Maurer, Mr. C. P. Devereaux, Mr. Harry Devereaux, Miss Esther Devereaux, Mrs. Guthrie, Miss Maud Guthrie, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hunt, Miss Florence Lucas, Miss

other ice cream cones were to be had, and cheese straws were served in another. An illustrated journey, where the guests had to illustrate what happened between two stations, made the evening seem short. Chinese lanterns were used outdoors as guides. Those present were: Miss Nell Murphy, the Misses Ethel and Mae Kinney, Miss Grace Vickers, Miss Eva Burton, Miss Baker, Miss Yesta Davis, Miss Ellis, Miss Lola and Libbie Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Muth, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Keener, Messrs. Roy Davis, Johnston, Houghton, Frank and Oliver Needham, Fred Stickle, Austin Farrington, Edward Armstrong, Oren and Lloyd Howe.

"The District School," a production given for the benefit of the fountain fund, was comical in the extreme. The ladies of the Auxiliary are to be commended in their faithful efforts to beautify Eugene.

Thursday evening the Odd Fellows opened their lovely rooms to the public. Svarverud's orchestra played during the evening. Punch was served to the guests and everybody had a fine time.

Mrs. L. E. Bean gave a family reunion dinner on Wednesday evening. The table was beautifully decorated in syringas. The following members of the family were present: Judge and Mrs. R. S. Bean, of Salem; F. C. Bean and children, Hortense and Rupert; Miss Coleman, Miss Stella Bean, Mrs. Lucas and daughter, Julia; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bean and son, John; Ormond and Harold Bean.

The Tete-a-Tete Club met with Kathleen Henderson on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Sixth street. Conversation and needlework occupied the afternoon, after which

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## FADS AND FASHIONS

(By Catherine Mann-Payant.)

New York, July 3.—In spite of the many fabrics that are presented to us this season there are new materials which are above all the old favorites.

As mentioned the high favor in which the foulards have been held during the past season and many gowns both of the dressy and utility sorts are developed from it. Blue, brown, green and black grounds are to be found in a legion of shades and varieties of weaves and finishes. Perhaps the most singular of the patterns is the all-over design in white.

Among the popular up-to-date materials that have come to stay are all the pongee weaves embracing shantung, rajah, etc., which may be found both in the dress and sport gowns and than which, with fine cut and finish, no more attractive material is to be found for the tailored summer suit.

In making up the new wardrobe we would suggest a dressy tailored suit or rather a shantung in the three-piece costume to be worn in the afternoon, a lark pretty linen two-piece suit for the morning, a printed muslin linen for the evening, and a foulard for the afternoon costume. These with a few linen or wool skirts will probably put one through summer with which one must go about a good deal.

Take for instance the dressy afternoon tailored costume with its skirt and waist (really joined in one) and its coat which goes to the making up of a three-piece suit.

In all the other coats we find the collar made of a contrasting goods and the buttons are extremely decorative, often being ornamented with embroidery or tiny insects of lace or even little designs of finely wrought metal hammered into the button top. All sorts of detachable collars of linen, Cluny and baby Irish lace are worn with hats of all sorts of materials and for the afternoons no dressier adjunct could be added; as the majority of the coats are of the collarless type, many styles might be worn with the same coat, giving a complete difference of effect.

The coat chosen for the shantung costume should be of a favorite style for instance, a plain loose back with sideback portions cut to extend over the shoulders and having curved seams that give a beautiful shape to the figure, the narrow loose front of the cutaway style just meeting over the bust, where they may be held together by a fancy button or the as popular silk frays. A flat shawl collar made of satin in the same shade and overlaid with another shade fine creamy lace adds jauntiness to the coat. The sleeve provided fits smoothly into the armhole, being cut after regular coat style, finished plainly at the wrists.

Shantung is a part of the suit consists of skirt and waist which is made on the princess cut which is undoubtedly one of the most popular and becoming styles of the season; its modification known as the semi-princess is also seen as frequently as any other mode of dress. The blouse waist is tucked, from the shoulders to yoke down in front.

The back fits plainly and is in three portions with tucked-covered seams outlining a panel which is separated from that of the six-gored skirt at the waist by a narrow belt. The front of the skirt is cut in such a blouse waist making a full-length panel with tucked edges to correspond to the back. The closing is beneath the left side of the front panel. The neck is cut in square outline and finished with a banding of heavy embroidery. The yoke is made of tuck-edged tulle in which that matches, or in white. The skirt is cut with a moderate sweep if liked, though the tendency of the summer is to have all skirts for the streets to just clear the ground.

A two-piece suit has a skirt that was laid in tucks three or four of its six gores and a brettele portion with a rounded neck section from which extended three straps of both back and front, fastened to the belt under big fancy buttons. The blouse was of cross-barred muslin that matched the suit in color and was finished at the neck and sleeves with dainty little frills of chiffon. This is the mode that would make up well in some of the cheaper linens or zephyrs in a medium color to be worn with a white under blouse. If in a dark color it would probably last all summer without going to the cleaner's.

The afternoon costume was a gown containing the very best in the semi-princess and late Empire modes, being developed from a delicate old-fashioned style with a tiny satiny stripe and covered with fine conventional figures. It was a plain gored skirt carried high up into the waist and the front section quite to the yoke line. Above this was worn and fastened to the skirt a waist that was almost the exact reproduction of the fashionable bolero heavily braided. The under bolero was sleeveless—was of

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lace bands alternating with fine necks, the collar was high and the sleeves were long to the wrists.

The morning suit should be of the wo-piece variety which means a coat and skirt. In this case the addition of the brettele bodice in dark brown linen of the shade known as chocolate one of the favorite tones of the season, makes the costume more effective. The model used for this skirt is one of the attractive designs of this season, with the girde and back panel cut in one and the front gore crossing the girde in panel effect, concealing the seam on the left side. The girde is finished along its edges to correspond with the tuck effect on the panel. The coat is semi-fitting, single breasted with white pearl buttons and tailored buttonholes.

A serviceable little morning dress was of cotton voile in blue having white spots. It was really made after the old fashioned shirt waist suit pattern, but being joined at the waist, comes under the semi-princess class. A feature that is followed out in many summer gowns was found in that the fastenings at the waist were the front of the waist was a sure Gibson mode with the wide shoulders and graduated tucks to the waist and a moby little pocket on the left breast. The skirt was seven gored with an inverted plait under each gore and front was, of course, in narrow pleces. The closing was made with buttons of smoked pearl. If the gown had been of linen the buttons could have been covered with the same material. The sleeves had cuffs and were fastened with buttons smaller, but matching those on the skirt. A high collar of white fabric were worn at the neck and a belt with pearl buckle.

White cotton net that comes at all prices is being used for gowns for the young girl this season. A French mode of trimming in the application of colored bands under the net instead of on the outside, which gives a delicate effect and one is desirable.

Pale tinted organdy or batiste is extremely pretty applied under net and a very attractive dancing frock could be thus developed.

Shirtings and shirtings seem to be the leading fabrics for the coming season both for the two-piece and the three-piece costume.

It is said that buttons will not be worn so much during the coming winter but there is no indication of this being true in the summer gowns. Alpaca and mohair are certainly having some vogue this summer and no material can give better service.

The sleeveless princess suit worn over elaborate blouses will be a feature of gowns planned for the summer resorts. Shirtings and frills are seen on some of the lighter weight frocks of the sleeveless princess design.

## W. C. T. U.

### CORRESPONDENCE

(By Josephine Hull, Press Cor.)

What would we go without our Dr. Wiley? He can furnish more witnesses relative to the violation of the Pure Food law than any one else and with less expense. He arranges his packages, bottles and so forth, and they speak for themselves, in language loud and clear and unrefuted. And the food adulterators and mixers grow limp and sneak out to try again some other plan to defraud the long-suffering people.

President Roosevelt and Attorney General Bonaparte settled the question once about whisky being straight whisky when it is made of grain and not containing 4 barrels, from which it is sold; but that blended whisky or alcohol or neutral spirits colored and flavored to look and taste like whisky is an imitation and should be labeled accordingly.

But now comes the rectifiers to President Taft and strangely enough he has permitted the whole thing to be reopened and reinvestigated. Now, Solicitor General Bowers seems to dissent from the ruling of the others, and among other things he says:

"Such mixtures have been made most extensively for a long period and have become a most popular form of beverage; it is even true, as I understand from the testimony, that a larger quantity of these mixtures than straight whisky has been consumed during the past twenty years."

Even so! What magnificent disclaimer, what a wonderful revelation. The advocate of the Pure Food law will no doubt be under many obligations to the Solicitor General for the news that these drinks are "popular" (with the trade because more profitable than pure whisky), and that larger quantities are consumed (because the poor victims do not know what they are using). The Pure Food law requires the manufacturers to label their products correctly, and all honest men are willing to do that, and only dishonest scoundrels try to evade it.

Now comes the American Medical Association condemning benzoate of soda and similar preservatives in food products, asking Congress to absolutely and positively prohibit their use. Temperance people have been bombarding Congress for many years for similar measures, and as soon as the present law—which partially gives relief is passed—lo, here comes some interest and interviews a high official and the work of years is practically undone. Oh, for a government of the people, for the people and by the people. Anyway, long live Dr. Wiley. He will always be a thorn in the flesh of evil doers. And though poisonous things may be "popular," and "much consumed," still he is there like old rock-ribbed Maine and still protests.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers—small, gentle, pleasant, little liver pills. Sold by all druggists.

Gas reduced from \$1.75 to \$1.50 per 1000 feet.

If you want chinaware or granite-ware, get our prices first. Our dishes are all new patterns. Bacon Bros. Tea Co., 55 East Ninth street.



MRS. TAFT AND MRS. LONGWORTH AUTOMOBILING IN WASHINGTON.

Mrs. Taft and Mrs. Nicholas Longworth are familiar figures these days on the speedway and the esplanade in Washington. Rarely is one seen automobiling without the other, and Mrs. Longworth is Mrs. Taft's guest at luncheon almost every week. When President and Mrs. Taft go to Beverly for the summer Mr. and Mrs. Longworth will be their nearest neighbors, occupying a cottage only a short distance from the Taft home.

### EATON BUYS WILLAMETTE STREET FRONTAGE

### WATCH FOREST FIRES FROM HIGH LOOKOUT STATION

Fifteen feet frontage on Willamette street, occupied by a one-story brick business building, has sold for \$9400, which indicates the value of Eugene real estate at the present time in the business district. The property in question is the Ben Mulkey building occupied by Boddy's cigar store. Hon. Allen Eaton was the purchaser.

Mr. Eaton is advertising that he will go out of business, being forced out of his present quarters, and judging from that, he will not occupy the premises he has bought with his book and art store, at the present, at any rate.

W. E. Boddy, proprietor of the cigar store, had been given notice to vacate the building by the first of September. Mr. Eaton will rebuild the front of the structure, putting in a modern store front.

## MILITIAMEN WILL SHOOT ON NEW STATE RIFLE RANGE

Orders for the annual state rifle competition, in which 24 teams of riflemen representing every section of the state where National Guard troops are stationed will compete for trophies and medals were issued yesterday from headquarters of the Oregon National Guard, says the Oregonian.

Four important contests to establish the supremacy in rifle marksmanship of the various organizations are provided, and the competition will open August 1 and will continue until August 3, or until the matches are completed.

The four important rifle matches named in the orders are the state trophy match, the state medal match, the state individual match and the Governor's trophy match. The one about which the greatest interest centers is the Governor's trophy match, inasmuch as it will establish the regimental championship. Heretofore these laurels have gone to the Fourth Regiment of Southern Oregon, owing to the better facilities for preliminary practice on the Southern Oregon rifle range. This year, however, the Third Infantry has had the advantage of the new Clackamas range and is confident of a different outcome. This match will be hard fought and will be hard to pick the winner in advance, although the Southern Oregon command would seem to have a slight advantage.

## RAILS ORDERED FOR S. P. COMPANY'S NATRON EXTENSION

Orders have been placed by the Harriman lines for the steel rails to be used in the coming fiscal year and out of the total amount 12,000 tons are to be awarded to the Oregon Railroad and Navigation company and the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon.

The Oregon lines' share of the order represents about \$648,000 expenditure, amounts to about 92 track miles. Of this amount ten miles are for the Natron extension. The remaining 82 miles are for the repair work to the main lines of the O. R. & N. and Southern Pacific, with possibly some for the Deschutes. All of the rails are to be 90 pounds—which is the standard adopted not only for the O. R. & N. but for the new portions of the Southern Pacific line.

The order for steel rails completes the list of supplies for the present fiscal year which ended yesterday. The rails are for delivery between July 1, 1909, and July 1, 1910.

Prof. J. G. Swan, of Klamath Falls heads the resolution committee, with Professor Stockton and Professor E. F. Carlton, President Crooks and Prof. Grout is the committee.

At the session of the State teachers' association at Albany, yesterday afternoon the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: E. T. Moore, Salem, president; H. D. Seldon, University of Oregon, president; L. A. Wiley, Portland, secretary; E. F. Carlton, Salem, treasurer.

Retiring resident Wiley in his address favored Portland as the permanent meeting place and in December just before the holidays at the time.

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