



Hostesses at the scavenger hunt and dancing party Saturday evening were these five attractive maids. Left to right, Mary Jane Drake, Dorothea Ellingson, Merlon Albrecht, Mary Lou Johnson, and Peggy Keating.

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But a few days remain until Christmas holidays actually present themselves and conversation centers on purchases, indecisions, and rapid-fire changes of the mind on just what to give whom! There's many a puckered brow these days, but you must admit the choice of gifts is wide, all except the range of Christmas tree ornaments which seems to be a bit flat. Maybe the stores are holding out. Candles are terrifically attractive, however, especially the red version of the fat old plumber's candle. Or should we say the plump plumber?

Despite the flu, with scores of engagements broken by sniffly nosed maids and matrons, there is a decided increase in social tempo and many pre-holiday parties are planned.

Several interesting weddings will take place during the holiday season and a number of open house parties are planned between Christmas and New Year's.

There is a great deal of interest in Bundles for Britain and the local unit is planning several affairs to which the women of the city are expected to respond.



"There's the cameraman again!" smiles Merlon Albrecht, hostess, and Harold Elitrium.
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Peggy Keating, one of the five hostesses, exchanges smiles with partner George Cornell.



At the punchbowl is Hostess Mary Lou Johnson and Harold Weber, busy watching the capers of other guests.



It's not Marjean Finnell's hand making that salute to the cameraman, but it looks rather complicated. With Miss Finnell is Bob Frederickson. Frances Foster is peeking through.

Younger Set Dances

A group of the younger set enjoyed a gay scavenger hunt and dancing party Saturday evening with hostesses Merlon Albrecht, Peggy Keating, Dorothea Ellingson, Mary Lou Johnson, and Mary Jane Drake first meeting their guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Johnson on Pacific Terrace. Following the hunt dancing was enjoyed at the Willard hotel in the blue room.

Hunters were promised a turkey dinner at the end of the hunt, and to two teams went the award which turned out to be a box of corn. Winners were Bonnie Robin and Jack Myers, Wilmae Lehto, and Bud Steineifer.

Guests of the five young hostesses were Miss Bonnie Robin, Miss Virginia Ellen Smith, Miss Frances Foster, Miss Marjean Finnell, Miss Wilmae Lehto, Miss Jean Wiesendanger, Miss Barbara Palmer, Miss Ann Mueller, Miss Betty Merrill, Miss Patty Schupp, Miss Suzanne Michelson, Miss Mariys Steineifer, Miss Wanda Shaw, Miss Dean Hamilton, Miss Virginia Howard, Miss Betty Ramage.

Harold Elitrium, George Cornell, Ingvar Swenson, Harold Weber, Keith Howell, Jack Myers, Carter Sparks, Bob Kent, Bob Frederickson, Paul Sabo, Wayne Chase, Burt Wellington, Melvin Miller, Tony Molatore, Bud Steineifer, John Hamaker, Bob Logan, Pat Moses, Clarence Johnson, Lou Mueller, and Dick Howard.



In the foreground the cameraman caught Suzanne Michelson and Melvin Miller dancing in the group with Clarence Johnson smiling gleefully in the background. Young Johnson's partner is Frances Foster.