

SOCIETY

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Preceded by weeks of beautiful weather that brought an abundance of sweet flowers into bloom, and a little touch of the financial depression that is supposed to bring the most frivolous into a little closer communion with things spiritual, Easter promises to be a memorable event this year. In all the churches throughout the city special music has been prepared, restrains are being decorated today with banks of flowers for tomorrow's services, and, weather permitting, there will be a splendid attendance. There have been many social events to break up the monotony of the Lenten days for those who fail to need this little withdrawing from the things that appertain to the lighter side of life, and the newer religion seems to make happiness more popular than did the old-fashioned, gloomy sort. A wave of elvish improvement seems to have had for its object a special brightening up for Easter, and there are few who have not imitated Dame Nature in arranging some bit of new finery for the occasion of Spring's grand opening.

The approaching marriage of the president's daughter is being very largely discussed, even in the far west, and the following gossip letter from a Washington correspondent will be read with interest:

The wedding of Miss Eleanor Wilson, youngest daughter of the president and Mrs. Wilson, and Secretary of the Treasury William Gibbs McAdoo will be the fourteenth to take place in the White House. The fact of their engagement is said to have leaked out at Williamtown, the home of the Sayres. The same rumor insists that the announcement of the engagement of Miss Margaret Wilson and Boyd Fisher of New York and Princeton will be made soon; that it has been planned to make public both engagements at the same time. Rumor also has it that the plans were for a double wedding in the spring.

When Miss Jessie Wilson and Francis Bowes Sayre were married last November an oval, flower-decked table, with the bride's cake as the center decoration, was set in the small breakfast room off the state dining room at the White House. In this room, reserved exclusively for the bridal party and a few intimate friends, one of the guests of the wedding was Mr. McAdoo. The wedding cake was cut and Miss Eleanor Wilson got the ring. Later, when the bride threw her bouquet, Miss Margaret Wilson caught it. Immediately after the reception Secretary McAdoo made his way into the east room and was the first of those to dance. After the dance he sat at the foot of the altar. It was remarked then that he was fated to become a bridegroom.

It is the opinion of several of the cabinet hosts that this wedding will be the largest ever held in the White House. That it will either be at Easter or early in June has been fully decided upon by the general public. It is said that the president has favored an outdoor wedding with a large al fresco reception. In that event it would be possible for practically all of Washington society to attend the reception.

Another rumor is that the wedding will be a quiet affair at the summer White House at Cornish, N. H.

It is quite certain that Mrs. Sayre will be her sister's matron of honor and that Miss Margaret Wilson and Miss Nona McAdoo will be the brides-

maids. It has been suggested that Mrs. Charles Martin of Arizona, Mr. McAdoo's eldest daughter, will be one of the matrons of honor. There is little doubt that Miss Ruth Hall of Princeton, who has spent the winter in Washington and who is Miss Eleanor Wilson's chum, will be one of the attendants and that Miss Marjorie Brown of Atlanta, a cousin of Miss Wilson, who was a bridesmaid for Mrs. Sayre also will be an attendant.

The Tuesday club was pleasantly entertained this week by Mrs. R. J. Hendricks and Mrs. W. H. Eldridge at the home of the latter on State street. Spring blossoms in profusion were tastefully arranged throughout the parlors, where were gathered together in addition to the regular club members, Miss Louise Bickey of Portland, house guest of Mrs. Eldridge; Mrs. Trimble of Pittsburg, sister of Mrs. R. S. Wallace; Miss Trimble and her friend, Miss Hamilton of Massachusetts, two attractive young girls, who, with Mrs. Trimble, are touring the west. A program of unusual merit was enjoyed, consisting of recitations by Miss Garrison, whistling solo by Miss Clark, vocal solo by Mrs. Pennel, accompanied by Miss Clark, all graciously responding to several recalls. Dainty refreshments were served, featuring the near approach of Easter. The ladies departed chatting of the good time enjoyed and of the good times to come, when at the next club meeting they will be greeted by Mrs. A. N. Moores and Mrs. P. H. Raymond at the Moores home, corner at Chemeketa and Summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Irving of Nanossee Bay, B. C., who came here some weeks ago to visit Mrs. Irving's sister, Mrs. T. G. Bligh, have concluded to make this city their residence. Mr. Irving is a builder and contractor, and was for several years connected with the Clipper Gap, California, Power company.

H. A. Landers of Centralia, Wash., visited his sister, Mrs. A. L. Clearwater Thursday, leaving in the evening for his home. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watson were also guests at the Clearwater home for the day.

The sewing society of the Women's Relief corps was entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Katie Schott, Mrs. Gertrude Remington, Mrs. A. L. Schmale, Mrs. Prudence Bouffler and Mrs. Laura McAdams at the residence of the latter, 245 D street. A large number of members were present, enjoying a delightful social time and the usual diversion of needlework until time for luncheon. The refreshments were German and would have pleased the most fastidious. Among the guests who enjoyed the hospitality of the hostesses were: Commander Halley and Comrades Lisle and Schott of the Post, Mr. McAdams, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Marie Kaup, Mrs. Joe G. Palmer, Mrs. Bessie Leadley, Mrs. Charles Farmer, Mrs. Mary Denison, Miss Marie Bennett and Mrs. Irvin McAdams, and Mrs. Sarah Sharp of Waldo, Wis.

Miss Mary Hunt was hostess Thursday afternoon to the Friendly Fortnightly club at her home 1056 Chemeketa street. Every club member and four guests were present and spent a most enjoyable afternoon. Mrs. Mary L. Ferguson received and accepted an invitation to become a member. The

club selected for its officers, the following: President, Mrs. Mary S. Jones; secretary, Miss May Rutherford; treasurer, Mrs. Amos Vass. The home was decorated with lilies and lilacs and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Comfort Dixon, served an elegant two course lunch after which the club adjourned to meet next, with Mrs. Amos Vass.

Next Sunday evening Eugene Eckerlen and wife, of this city, will start upon a tour of the globe which, according to their itinerary, will be one of the most extensive trips ever enjoyed by a local party. Mr. and Mrs. Eckerlen will leave tomorrow night for Chicago, via the southern route. They will go to Los Angeles by way of the Southern Pacific and then pass through Grand Canon on the Santa Fe. After relishing the sights of one of America's most beautiful scenic territories, the tourists will go direct to Boston and April 25 will sail. Their ship will touch Algiers, Madeira Islands, Gibraltar, Naples, and in Rome, Mr. Eckerlen will meet his brother, Father Eckerlen, passing over these historic territories. Mr. and Mrs. Eckerlen will stop at Switzerland and will take a trip through the Alps. Then, they will go to Alsee Lorraine, Germany. Mr. Eckerlen's old home where they will visit for a time. Paris, Berlin, Frankfurt and Hamburg will be the next stopping places and then the Salem people will start for home about the first of November.

The Peerless orchestra will go to Albany next Friday, April 17, where they are engaged to play for a military ball, which will be one of the brilliant events of the season.

Miss Winnifred Byrd is giving a musicale at her home this afternoon, a part of the time to be given to the discussion of musical subjects, a social hour and several enjoyable piano numbers. Miss Mabel Smith will play "Improvisation" and "A Shadow Dance," from McDowell, and Miss Dorothy Pearce will give "Fantasie Impromptu," by Chopin.

The Salem Woman's club meets this afternoon at the auditorium of the public library, and being "Guest Day," is one that is being enjoyed by many friends of the club who are not members. The following musical program is to be presented by Miss Minnetta Magars at 3:15 p. m.:

- "Daybreak".....Fanning
- Wednesday Musical club.
- "A Summer Night" A. Goring Thomas
- Greta Phillips.
- "Sea Drift".....Bliss Carmen
- "Spring's Awakening".....Dudley Buck
- Ruth Fugate.
- "Spring".....
- Ada Miller, Greta Phillips, Ruth Fugate, Margaret Hodge.
- Two songs from Flower cycle.....Salter
- "A Messenger".....Bolton
- Gertrude Eriksen.
- "The Valley of Laughter" Sanderson
- Marguerite Flower.
- Two songs from Mood's cycle.....
- "For So Lui," from La Traviata.....
- Ada Miller.
- "Estudiantina".....La Come
- "Good Night, Beloved".....Pinsuti
- Wednesday Musical club.
- Fantasia.....
- Bernice Sauter.
- Serenade.....Schubert
- Hazel Green Cooper.
- Wednesday Musical club.



The Brownies Sent Out Invitations.

Daddy's Bedtime Story — The Brownies' Bonfire Party For the Fairies.

THE fairies had really been very busy, but Jack and Evelyn had not heard about them for a long time.

"Can't you tell us a story about the fairies tonight?" asked Evelyn.

"Please do!" chimed in Jack.

"Yes, indeed!" answered daddy. "I could really tell you lots of stories about them, for they have been having all sorts of good times these nice spring days. But the other evening they had a nice party that was given just for them.

"The brownies, you know, love lots of excitement and lots going on all the time. They're never happy unless they can be jumping about enjoying life. So they sent out an invitation to the fairies which read:

"The brownies of Brownland request the pleasure of the company of every one of the fairies of Fairyland to a bonfire party on Thursday evening. The brownies expect no replies, as they expect every fairy will just come."

"The fairies were much excited when they received this invitation. The brownies' parties were always such fun, and a bonfire party—well, that was wonderful! The fairies hadn't thought of bonfires somehow for a long time.

"Now, the fairy queen said that they'd have to arrive at the brownies' party in some unusual manner, as that would please the brownies. She suggested that they should engage some hopping toads to pull their chariots to the party.

"The fairies thought that was a splendid idea, and they engaged the hopping toads. The hopping toads were much honored at being chosen to take the fairies to the brownies' party.

"When the great big bonfire was lighted the brownies entertained the fairies by doing a lot of fancy dances around the bonfire. The hopping toads were allowed to stay and watch the bonfire too. It was the most beautiful blaze, and how the fairies did love seeing it! But of course they were very careful not to go too near the fire.

"After it had died down and only the red embers remained the brownies sang jingles, and the fairies joined in the chorus. And then, to the huge amusement of all, what should the hopping toads do but get up and do a special dance of their own! They wanted to feel that they were a part of the party too.

"It was all the fairies could do to say 'Good night' when it came time to leave, for they had had the most glorious time at the brownies' bonfire party, and they thought the brownies were the most wonderful party givers that ever lived. The brownies were delighted that the fairies had had such a good time and were so pleased, for they thought that it was all a brownie could ask for to please a fairy."

CHILDRENS' CARNIVAL IS COMING EVENT

With less than a week intervening until the "Carnival of Children," to be given under the direction of Miss Beatrice Shelton, interest in the affair grows and pictures of the 130 little tots appearing in various windows has given a faint idea of the magnitude of the affair. The first act shows a church where the Tom Thumb wedding occurs, the bride being a tiny tot with golden

curls and the groom a handsome, dark very young gentleman. They are surrounded by a bevy of charming bridesmaids, little flower girls and the best man and ushers. In the back ground are shown guests representing the prominent people of the city, while the little minister in his dignified frock coat looks the part he impersonates. The scene scene shows the carnival to celebrate the wedding, and at this time a number of specialties are introduced. There will be solos by the little tots, the national Rose Dance, and Paris Fashion plates. The latter being attired in all the latest of finery, including stashed skirts for the ladies and full dress suits

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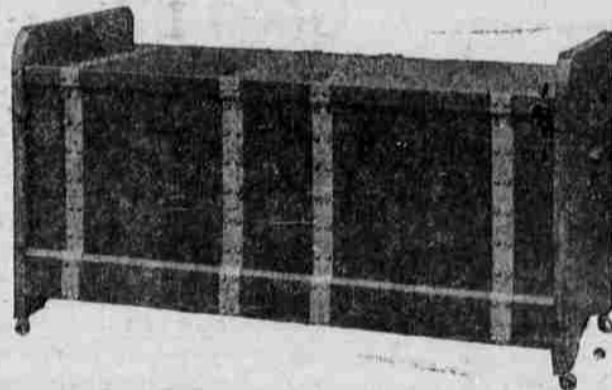
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