

SOCIAL, CLUB AND MUSICAL EVENTS OF THE WEEK

WITH the winter season knocking for admittance, social and club life is being characterized by renewed activity, almost all of the social clubs being reorganized during the past two weeks. To many it is the ushering in of a round of social gaieties; to some it is the extension of civic improvement efforts, and others find it an initiating time for charitable endeavors.

From a social viewpoint society is anticipating pleasantly the beginning of the dancing season, which will hold its customary popularity, and the various fraternal halls and Marion Hotel ballroom will be frequently called into service during the season for events of this nature.

Charity will occupy a more conspicuous place than ever. The social center organization originating work in behalf of this form of beneficence, which, while heretofore taken up seasonally whenever calls for help have been made, has never been systematically undertaken until the present effort.

Prominent club and fraternal organizations as well as individuals are identifying themselves with this new undertaking, finding in it a splendid opportunity for charitable expression. While other cities at this time are inspiring temporary charitable enthusiasm, with the Christmas Ship, Red Cross and Prince of Wales funds, all splendid efforts in behalf of sufferers in the war zone, Salem people will probably not be such liberal contributors to foreign funds, but will confine their efforts to establishing this most worthy organization, which is to be permanent, and is but another evidence of the Capital City's metropolitan development.

The charming and delightful bridge given Wednesday night by Miss Althea and Miss Louise Thompson attracted guests sufficient in number to fill nine tables of the game. A most artistic decorative scheme surrounded the players developed in the living rooms with lovely yellow marigolds and Japanese chrysanthemums, which with the yellow shaded lights produced a pleasing effect combined with interior finishings of the same hue. Crimson carnations, and geraniums arranged with greenery ornamented the dining room. Two prizes were contested for, and were given to Mrs. Ashael Bush and Fritz Slade, highest score holders. Assisting during the evening were Mrs. Ashael Bush, Mrs. Chauncey Bishop, Mrs. Ronald Glover, Mrs. Melvin Plimpton, Miss Winifred Byrd, Miss Hazel Kennedy and Miss Gertrude Jones.

Those hidden were: Mr. and Mrs. Ashael Bush, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bishop, of Pendleton; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Plimpton, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Roberts, Dr. and Mrs. Harry E. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hofer, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Busham, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ludden, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Thielson, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Ball, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald O. Glover, Mr. and Mrs. William Burkhardt, Jr., Miss Winifred Byrd, Miss Margery Marvin, Miss Hazel Kennedy, Miss Althea Moore, Miss Nell Thielson, Miss Rita Steiner, Miss Veda Cross, Miss Ida Jones, Miss Gertrude Jones, Miss Gertrude Meyers, Messrs. Carl Gabrielson, James Young, Fritz Slade, Lawrence Hofer, Prince Byrd, James Crawford, Albert Egan, Ralph Moores, Robert Roberts, Varcol Beach.

Contributing most enjoyably to the

week's social activity were the two afternoon affairs presided over by Mrs. Milton L. Meyers. The first, on Tuesday, was a Bridge, for which ten tables were arranged, the second on Wednesday being a complimentary Bridge-luncheon for Miss Rita Steiner in celebration of her birthday. Decorations remained the same for both days, and were greatly admired. The card rooms displayed a clever combination of autumn foliage and white and yellow chrysanthemums, the dining room containing the lovely color motif, displaying blossoms of the nasturtium and chrysanthemum used with greenery. Assistants for Tuesday were: Mrs. Charles L. Dick, Mrs. Armin Steiner, Miss Rita Steiner, Miss Gertrude Cunningham, and Miss Barbara Steiner. Card favors were awarded to Mrs. C. L. Dick, and Mrs. Edgar Hartley.

Eleven guests circled the beautifully appointed luncheon table the following afternoon, finding their places by tiny place cards bearing artistically lettered names, and miniature yellow candles. Later additional guests called, making up several tables for bridge. Mrs. H. H. Olinger, and Miss Althea Moore, winning high scores. Mrs. Meyers was assisted by Mrs. H. H. Olinger, Miss Gertrude Cunningham and Miss Barbara Steiner.

The Auction Bridge given by Mrs. William C. Knighton Monday afternoon was a most delightful affair complimenting Mrs. Roy Bishop, of Pendleton, house guest of the Charles P. and Chauncey Bishops. Four tables were arranged for the game, the favor complimenting Mrs. Chauncey Bishop, a lovely cluster of miniature Cecil Bruners being presented to the charming honor guest. The entertaining rooms were redolent with late roses, and most artistic with an arrangement of vividly tinted autumn foliage. Assisting Mrs. Knighton were Mrs. George E. Waters, Miss Nell Thielson, Miss Gertrude Meyers and Miss Althea Moore.

After a prolonged absence, abroad, Mrs. William P. Lord and her daughter Miss Elizabeth Lord are being welcomed home and although their visit is to be brief, their numerous friends here are delighted to have them with them again, if only for a few days. They arrived from San Francisco, today and will remain the guests of the A. N. Gilberts, and B. O. Schueckings for the week-end.

Mrs. Z. F. Moody opened her beautiful home on Court street, Wednesday afternoon to the members of the "Leisure Hour" Social Club, who entertained as honor guests fifteen members of the "Leisure Hour" Club of Albany.

The visiting women were met at the depot by members of the Salem club, who furnished numerous autos, taking their guests on a sight-seeing tour about the city. To many who had not been in Salem for a number of years the trip was especially delightful, revealing many new and most attractive improvements. At the Moody residence they were received by Mrs. Moody, Mrs. E. C. Small and Mrs. James Martin. The beauty of the spacious rooms were enhanced by quantities of autumnal blossoms and foliage brought in from the handsome grounds surrounding the residence and gathered from the gardens of several of the members. The large parlors were aglow with colorful foliage and vivid red dahlias; the reception hall

and library displayed splendid copper colored marigolds arranged in tall vases. Deep red begonias, ornamented the dining room where twelve tables were placed for the refreshments which were served by Miss Helen Pearce, Miss Dorothy Pearce, Miss Gertrude Cunningham and Miss Jennie Pearce. Places were marked by dainty old fashioned nosegays. During the hours Mrs. Perry H. Raymond entertained with a most enjoyable character reading, Miss Dorothy Pearce delighting with piano numbers.

The visiting guests all of whom are prominent in Albany society were: Mrs. S. S. Train, Mrs. L. E. Blain, Mrs. Owen Bean, Mrs. A. W. Dowers, Mrs. H. A. Nelson, Mrs. W. C. Tweedale, Mrs. A. J. Sanders, Mrs. Curtis B. Winn, Mrs. C. E. Sox, Mrs. T. G. Hopkins, Mrs. C. V. Littler, Mrs. W. A. Barrett, Miss Flora Mason, Mrs. A. J. Rahn and Mrs. H. H. Hewitt. Members of the Salem club being: Mrs. Z. F. Moody, Mrs. J. M. Martin, Mrs. E. C. Small, Mrs. A. J. Heron, Mrs. P. H. Raymond, Mrs. Hattie Dayton, Mrs. G. C. Brown, Mrs. W. H. Stensloff, Mrs. Alice H. Dodd, Mrs. H. J. Clements, Mrs. C. A. Park, Mrs. Geo. J. Pearce, Mrs. R. S. Wallace, Mrs. M. M. Chapman, Mrs. Lot L. Pearce, Mrs. U. G. Shipley, Mrs. E. N. Gillingham, Mrs. Emma Davis and Miss Stouten.

Mrs. Ralph Glover and eldest daughter, Maxine, are home from a week's stay with friends in Portland.

Miss Cora Talkington returned home this week after a delightful week of entertainment by friends in Portland.

Miss Elizabeth Denny and Fred Orville McMillan, of Hayesville, were married at the home of the bride's parents last Sunday. Miss Denny is a successful teacher, formerly attending the Willamette University and later graduating from O. A. C. Mr. McMillan is the son of W. L. McMillan and is also a graduate of O. A. C.

The ceremonial rooms were decorated with brilliant autumn leaves and choice flowers. Miss Lagerell, previous to the service, sang "I Love You Truly." Reverend Mr. Hornscluh, of the Salem Evangelical church, officiated, using the beautiful ring ceremony. Miss Martha Denny attended as bridesmaid, Roy Boals, an instructor at O. A. C., standing by the bridegroom, to whom he is a fraternity brother, each being a Gamma Delta Chi. Miss Lottie McAfee played Lohengrin's wedding march as the wedding party came down the stairway and took their places beneath a large floral arch, and little Marguerite Bailey was the ring bearer.

The bride was beautiful in a gown of white crepe de chine, with shadows, and carried white carnations. The bridesmaid was attractively gowned in pink silk with chiffon drapings, and carried pink carnations.

After the ceremony a three-course luncheon was served by Miss Newmyer, Miss Moritz, Miss Ida Denny and Miss Anna Denny.

The guests were composed of the greater part of relatives and close friends. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Jacobus, Mr. and Mrs. L. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bailey and daughter Marguerite, Mr. and Mrs. W. Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson, the Misses Ingersoll, Mr. and Mrs. George Hinshaw, Miss McAfee, Miss Moritz, Miss Ida Louise Denny, Miss Anna Denny, Miss Ruth Newmyer, Miss Martha Denny, Miss Pauline Denny, Miss Ida Denny and Messrs. John H. Denny, Ray Boals, Chester Armstrong and Roland Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. McMillan left Salem by way of the Santa Anita for Schenectady, N. Y., where Mr. McMillan is employed as designer in the General Electric Works of that city.

They will be at home after November 1st at 34 Willet street, Schenectady, New York.

The Central Convocation of the Episcopal church, including the contiguous seven counties which compose this district, will be held next Tuesday and Wednesday at St. Paul's Episcopal church and will be attended by representative clergy and laymen, many of whom will take part on the program. Visitors and local church members will be given a reception Wednesday evening at eight o'clock at the H. B. Thielson residence and a luncheon will also be given in their honor at noon the same day. Among the notable out-of-town attendants will be Dean A. W. Griffin, rector of St. Barnabas' church, of McMinville; Rev. C. B. Runnels, of Corvallis; and H. D. Chambers, of Portland, all of whom will speak, as will also Walton Van Winkle of this city.

Mrs. S. M. Endicott and Mrs. George A. Wood entertained most delightfully with a large Bridge Tuesday evening at the home of the former, which was beautified with a lovely arrangement of bright-hued seasonal flowers. Flame-colored salvia and dahlias ornamented the large reception hall, dahlias and chrysanthemums perfecting a pink motif for the spacious card rooms, the same blossoms in yellow being employed in the dining-room. Thirteen tables were used, awards falling to Mrs. E. W. Hazard and R. E. Dowling.

Scores of smartly clad high school girls accompanied their football team to Albany this morning on their special train, many of whom will be entertained as guests of friends for the day.

Mrs. William C. Knighton returned from Portland Thursday night where on Wednesday afternoon she assisted Mrs. C. W. Sherman at her large tea, which was one of the most conspicuous events, socially, of the week in Portland. Mrs. Sherman has frequently been entertained here as Mrs. Knighton's guest.

A general invitation is being sent out to the women voters of Marion county by the executive committee of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Republican Central committee for a tea and reception to be held at the Hotel Mar-

ion Saturday afternoon, October 31, from two until five o'clock. While given in the nature of a social event, it will be a most informal affair, street costume being appropriate for both callers and receiving members. All committees are composed of wives of politicians, the hostesses being selected from the various precincts. The event will be the first of its kind in Marion county. Musical numbers will feature the afternoon and a number of women prominent in the suffrage movement will speak, including Mrs. Ella Metzger, president of the Dallas Woman's Club.

The executive committee is composed of Mrs. M. C. Smith, Torment, chairman; Mrs. Richard Cartwright, Salem; Mrs. C. P. Bishop, and Mrs. N. D. Elliott, of Salem; Mrs. George Yeargan, Aurora. Reception committee: Mrs. Robert A. Booth, Mrs. James Withycombe, Mrs. Thos. B. Kay, Mrs. Henry J. Bean, Mrs. L. T. Harris, Mrs. Henry L. Benson, Mrs. Geo. M. Brown, Mrs. J. A. Churchill, Mrs. John H. Lewis, Mrs. O. P. Hoff, Mrs. Frank J. Miller, Mrs. James T. Chincock, Mrs. A. M. LaFollete, Mrs. C. P. Bishop, Mrs. S. H. Brown, Mrs. T. Brown, Mrs. D. C. Thomas, Mrs. G. W. Sreks, Mrs. W. H. Goulet, Mrs. Max Goldhar, Mrs. Wm. Each, Mrs. Mildred R. Brooks, Mrs. D. G. Drager, Mrs. A. M. Clough, Mrs. Seymour Jones, Mrs. F. A. Elliott, Mrs. E. Hofer, Mrs. Carl Abrams, Mrs. Ronald Glover, Amuseville—Mrs. Frank Lathrop, Mrs. Ora Pound, Mrs. Len Speer; Aurora—Mrs. Agnes S. Bents, Mrs. A. W. Kraus; Cloverdale—Mrs. J. W. McKinnis; Gervais—Mrs. Hugh D. Mars; Jefferson—Mrs. Frank Looney; Hubbard—Mrs. M. C. Crittenden, Mrs. J. L. Calvert; Marion—Mrs. E. E. Bejo, Mrs. Ben Pearson; Moleley—Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Mrs. B. B. Kainor, Mrs. T. B. Patton; Pratum—Mrs. May S. Jones; Sidney—Mrs. Belknap; Silverton—Mrs. C. W. Keene, Mrs. Matt Small, Mrs. Chas. Hartman; Stayton—Mrs. Wm. Hobson, Mrs. Ellen Lambert; Turner—Mrs. Ben Robertson, Mrs. Arthur Edwards, Mrs. Henry Theissen, Mrs. Anna Oshrin; Woodburn—Mrs. F. W. Suttlemer, Mrs. J. M. Poorman.

Decorations: Mrs. E. M. La Fore, chairman; Mrs. J. D. Sutherland, Mrs. B. F. West, Mrs. R. J. Hendricks and Miss Callista Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jenks, daughter, and Mrs. James Winstanley reached Salem yesterday after an extensive sojourn in England and Wales, where they enjoyed numerous motor sightseeing tours despite the unsettled conditions.

The dancing season promises to be particularly gay this season and devotees of the art are anticipating with keenest pleasure the approaching events of this nature. The recently organized Ladies' Dancing Club, which includes about one hundred of the fashionable set, will give their initial dance at the Moose hall Monday evening, November ninth. It will be quite informal, as will all the dances given by this club, which will probably number not less than five.

Miss Florence Houston, bride-elect of Lillburn M. Hooge, was complimented with a most charmingly arranged matrimonial shower Wednesday evening, given by a large number of her girl friends. Their arrival at the Houston residence occurred while Miss Houston was attending a complimentary dinner given by Mrs. Paul L. Schmidt, and before her appearance the rooms were most artistically transformed with decorations bearing out the pre-nuptial suggestion. Garlands in red, interspersed with strands of hearts latticed the ceiling of the living-room, and also festooned the dining-room. Hearts were placed during the evening, red hearts fashioning the score cards, the emblem also being noted in the refreshments, which were served by Mrs. Armin Steiner and Mrs. Albert Mintou, of Albany. Gifts were of unusual attractiveness and were sent by the following friends who were bidden as guests: Mrs. Joseph Reinhardt, Mrs. Harry Wenderoth, Mrs. Armin Steiner, Mrs. Albert Mintou of Albany, Mrs. Earl McMechen, Mrs. Paul Schmidt, Mrs. Merin Harding, Mrs. Chester Cox, Mrs. Roy Mills, Mrs. Paul Rasmussen, Mrs. H. T. Marvin, Mrs. Louis Josse, Mrs. Walter Spaulding, Mrs. Seymour Skiff, Mrs. Joseph Benjamin, Miss Rita Steiner, Esther Carson, Catherine Carson, Lola Slater, Cora Talkington, Marie Beltinger, Grace Lilly, Gene Belle, Lucille Belle, Enne Craig, Mable Delag, Jessie Keiton, Margaret Pouis, Isabel McGeheest, Letta Bitt of Aurora, Florence Hofer, Marian Gould, Frieda Hoover, Alene Pawl, Mable Smith, Mary Yantis, Velma Hoover, Lenore Stanley, Joy Turner, Zoe Stockton, Margaret Gill, Dorothy Pierce, Helen Pierce, Mollie Runcker.

Miss Lucille de Witt is a week-end guest of the Frank W. Waters of Irvington Addition, Portland.

Mrs. George Gray returned last night from Portland, where she had made a brief visit to her sister, Mrs. A. M. Cannon. Miss Prudence Gray also came here last night from Eugene, where she has been a week's guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Charles A. Gray.

For the pleasure of her sister, Mrs. Herbert Barber, of Portland, who has been her home guest for a week, Mrs. Clyde Graham entertained with four tables of bridge Tuesday afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. George Gray and Miss Althea Moore. Mrs. Barber returned to her home Thursday.

Mrs. S. P. Kimball entertained with an informal dinner last night at her beautiful country home, across the river, asking a few friends for the pleasure of her sister, Mrs. H. M. Grimes, of Columbus, Ohio, who leaves next week for her home after an extended visit here.

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- 5. From the Land of the Sky.....Blue
- 6. Water.....Cabanon
- 7. The Moon Drops Low.....Cabanon
- 8. Dear, When I Gaze.....Bogers
- 9. A Spry of Roses, Wilford Sanderson.....IV.
- 10. Inter nos.....MacPadyon
- 11. Your Kiss Beloved, Charles Barnham.....Baker
- 12. A Song of the Sea.....Baker
- 13. The Paper of Gordon's Men.....Hammond
- 14. The Cross.....Hazelrigg Ware
- 15. Israfel.....Bronn Huhn
- 16. Inyeltus.....Bronn Huhn

Opera company, who toured the Pacific coast last season, playing the role of Amorino in "Aida." It is quite possible that the Apollo Club will give a concert in Salem sometime during the winter.

Among those who will attend the concert from Salem are Miss Minnetta Magers, Mrs. William Everett Andrus, Mrs. S. H. Koser and Miss Inez Dennyson.

Even Williams, who heads the list of entertainers on the Musical Artists Course, is popularly known as America's greatest concert tenor, and this his first visit to the Pacific Northwest, will give the people an opportunity of enjoying a voice that evoked the wild enthusiasm from every audience.

It is in the realm of sacred song, the inspired music of Handel and Mendelssohn, the grand and uplifting numbers from "The Messiah," "The Creation," or "Elijah," which so few voices dare attempt, that Mr. Williams is at his greatest, and for the pleasure of western audiences the noted singer has added selections of this calibre to his latest program.

Concert number two, given by Alma Gluck and Bronn Zimbalist, February 12, will present two of the world's greatest vocalists. Perhaps in all the history of American singing, Alma Gluck was the only one to attain to first rank within five years of her debut. There is no incident on record where such a thing was accomplished without the Gluck voice and personality—two factors needed in the making of a great singer. Madame Gluck has won great triumphs and is receiving the largest fees paid to concert singers of this epoch. Madame Gluck says: "I have time for nothing but my art and there are days when it seems there are not enough hours to accomplish the tasks that I should like fulfilled. Art is indeed long, and the higher an artist aspires, the longer it will require to attain perfection."

An eminent New York musical critic has called the Barriere Ensemble, which comes to Salem Tuesday, May 4, "a musical exaltation," and he further says: "These little brothers to Mozart might have been playing for archbishops and emperors instead of the large modern audience which came to automobiles." And indeed this little band of the reed and pipe is a re-innovation, for in those pre-orchestral days, when the kings and princes of Europe considered their "Kapellmeister" of more

importance than their chief, such embryonic orchestras flourished, and often played to select audiences of but one, in small but princely chambers.

Today recognized as we are to the modern augmented orchestras with their grand and startling effects as conceived by a Wagner or a Strauss, we feel sometimes to be impressed except by the mere volume of sound. vast numbers and symbols as it were. The substitution of every instrument to the whole, the absence of any display of virtuosity, and the desire to make the ensemble sing with one voice of many hues and colors, such is the aim of the Barriere Ensemble.

The work of the junior choir during the revival of the First Baptist church this week has been enthusiastically received. Organized by Mrs. Fred M. Bynon, and directed by Charles Roth of the regular choir, the organization is a very great credit to them. It is hoped by those who have had the privilege of hearing them that they will not disband, but will become a regular feature of Sunday services.

Those who made up this choir were: Ruth Swarthout, Ethel Swarthout, Edith Benson, Marcella Bynon, Olive Caldwell, Ruth Caldwell, Phoebe Heath, Ina Procter, Minnie Pridemore, Esther Davine, Minnie Pridemore, Margaret Knapp, Lola Heiglan, Mrs. Heiglan, Katherine Barkyte, Dorothy Bond, Vivian Ehrlich, Essie Goodenough, Treasa Fawle, Marjorie Emmons, Arnetta Bartlette, Florence Brown, Ed Bond, Harley Semanster, Earl Semanster, Carl Mason, Carl Anderson, Thoro Hoover, Harold Caldwell, Wendell Newman, Gerald Newman, Johnnie Marr, William Green, Robinson Brooks, Samuel Jones, Charles Southers, Harry Marshall, Jr., Duane Edmunds.

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