

SOCIETY

By Gertrude Robison

There is one great group of persons in the world who shall never be forgotten. No matter how rushed or crowded the minds of others may be, there will always be a wide friendly place in their hearts for them. They are the men who were the olive drab, and navy blue, and forest green during the late world war. Just as soon as the enthusiasm at their home coming seems to be dying down, some patriotic organization or loyal individual starts a miniature celebration of their own. The latest in this line is the military ball at the armory next Wednesday, sponsored by the War Camp community service.

It will be quite different from anything that has yet been given. In the first place, it is emphatically not a public dance; in fact, so far does it come from being a public affair that invitations must be presented at the door. And in the second place it is exclusively for the 380 soldiers, sailors and marines of Salem. Card invitations are being issued to them; as for the girls, personal invitations will be given, and these not coming with an escort will come with chaperones. A large floor committee will supply partners for the guests and keep them duly entertained. Every effort is being put forth to make this a never-to-be-forgotten occasion. The following prominent women are serving as chaperones for the affair: Mrs. F. S. Stewart, Mrs. Dan J. Fry, Mrs. E. J. Baise, Mrs. P. W. Dunbar, Mrs. Alice H. Dodd and Mrs. Joseph H. Albert.

Should and acquaintance be forgot
And never brought to mind—
Should and acquaintance be forgot
And days of auld lang syne!

One of the principal events on the social calendar of the past week was the social afternoon of the Eastern Star which was held last Tuesday at the Masonic Temple. The afternoon opened with a short and interesting program consisting of the following numbers: Piano duet by Maxine Glover and Etholwynne Kelly. Piano solos "Proud Lass" (Paschen) and "Merry Booklet" (Virgil) by Maxine Glover. Reading, "A Hoosier's Description of Benjamin's Playing" and "If I could be Her" by Etholwynne Kelly.

Piano solos "Music Box" (Leitch) and "Triton" (Wely) by Etholwynne Kelly. Liberty dances by Genevieve Barlow, accompanied by Mrs. Horace Sykes. At the close of the program the young participants were each presented with a colonial bonnet. A lovely feature of the afternoon was the presentation of a silver sandwich tray to Mrs. Joseph Austin who leaves soon to make her home in California. The remaining hours were spent in exchanging social pleasantries and the serving of delicious refreshments.

A special appeal is being issued to club women of Salem to attend the lecture of Mrs. Robert C. McCredie at the morning session of a Rotarian, Tuesday. Mrs. McCredie is a fine speaker and has a worth while message to convey to every woman. She is a federated club woman, formerly president of the Washington state federation of women's clubs and now Washington state director of the general federation board. She is also official lecturer of the Washington state board of health.

The women in Corvallis where she has just lectured, are more than generous in their praise of her. Mrs. McCredie is a woman of national prominence and will discuss conditions as they exist in this country.

The sights of the Sound cities, a long pleasant drive through the Wenatchee valley and a delightful trip to Lake Chelan were some of the pleasures experienced by Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Jenks who returned Wednesday evening from a three weeks motor trip in Washington state. One of the most enjoyable stages was the passing over the Snoqualmie pass where a paved road stretches on for more than a hundred consecutive miles.

On the way from Waterville to Lake Chelan Mr. and Mrs. Jenks were joined by Dr. and Mrs. Winstanley and their children.

Holding an important place in the social affairs of the week is the line party at Ye Liberty theater given by Mrs. Frederick Thielsen and Mrs. Anos Strong for Mrs. J. L. Van Doren, Thursday. The party was followed by a delightful tea at the Thielsen resi-

dence on Lincoln and Rock streets. The invitation list for the charming affair included Mrs. Van Doren, Mrs. William Burghardt Jr., Mrs. John Roberts, Mrs. William Walton, Mrs. William Lytle, Mrs. Dan Fry Jr., Mrs. Allan Bynon, Mrs. W. G. Westcott, Mrs. Joseph Baumgartner, Mrs. Sherman Thompson, Mrs. Fritz Slade, Mrs. William Plimpton, Mrs. S. E. Edwards, Miss Aline Thompson and Miss Hazel Downing.

Although owing to the absence of Mrs. Zedoc Riggs, no definite plans have been formulated as yet for the entertainment of Miss Ida Tarbell, who will come to Salem in the near future as a speaker on the Ellison-White chautauque program. It is a definite fact that she will be the guest of the Salem Women's club while in the city. Ever since her return from the peace conference, Miss Tarbell has been lecturing in the United States and her first hand knowledge of the affair has proved of infinite educational value to her listeners. A record crowd is anticipated at the Salem chautauque on the evening of her appearance. Miss Tarbell became a national figure at the time of her exposure of the Standard Oil company.

Honoring Felix Viator, who has recently returned from overseas service, Mrs. G. H. Dunsford entertained a group of friends with an informal dinner Wednesday evening at her home on South Liberty street. The prettily appointed table was centered with dainty shell Brainerd roses and covers were laid for Mr. Viator, Mr. and Mrs. Will Bowen and two children, John and Marie, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Welsh, Russell Welsh and Miss Ruby Welsh, Mrs. Della Jeffrey, Miss Florence Bone and Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Dunsford.

Reverend Alfred Bates of Salem will be musical director at the Sunday school session of the Gladstone chautauque tomorrow. Professor Thero's orchestra will play. Reverend Bates and wife will leave Gladstone park Sunday afternoon for Williamina where they expect to remain two weeks visiting friends.

Governor and Mrs. Ben W. Olcott will attend the National Editorial association at Crater Lake about the first of August. Later they will go to Salt Lake city where the governor will attend the Western Governors conference, at the close of which, with the other state executives and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Olcott will make a three day tour of Yellowstone National park as guests of the state of Utah.

Mrs. Olcott is, at present enjoying a summer outing at Cannon Beach.

The dramatic and musical recital given last Wednesday at the First Christian church stands as a milestone in the history of such affairs in Salem. Everyone who is acquainted with the work of Mrs. Lehard W. Porter, and who has any knowledge at all of John Luther Long's "Madame Butterfly" will realize that any mere words of praise would be entirely out of place. Comments on Mrs. Porter's ability have gradually sifted down to a few emphatic exclamations of surprise and appreciation.

Mrs. Simeral, who sang four of the airy, Japanese songs has assured herself of a permanent place in the hearts of her audience. As for the selections by Professor F. S. Roberts, enough cannot be said. As usual his hearers were spell bound during his pieces, and no doubt his words could ever have known that the organ was a perfectly strange one to his fingers. The program: Grand march from "Aida"....Verdi Saki from "Persian Suite"....Stoughton Mr. Roberts

From the Cherry Garden....Bennett
1. The Iris Garden; 2. Mona Mine;
3. On the Chang; 4. The Green Pavilion

Mrs. Simeral
Selection from "Madame Butterfly"....Puccini

Mr. Roberts
Aria, One Fine Day....Puccini
Miss Tartar
Duet, Every Flower....Puccini
Mrs. Peterson, Miss Tartar
Reading, "Madame Butterfly"....John Luther Long
Mrs. Porter

Memories from "Il Trovatore"....St. Clair
Misere from "Il Trovatore"....Verdi
Impromptu....Taylor
Evening....Johnson
Grand Processional from "Queen of Sheba"....Gounod

Mr. Roberts

The marriage of Miss Helen Harris and Eugene Grabenhorst was solemnized Wednesday afternoon July 16th at the Presbyterian parsonage, Reverend Charles Powell officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris of 844 Center street, and a graduate of the Salem high school class of 1917. For the past year she has been employed in the office of the U. S. Shipley company. Mr. Grabenhorst recently returned from service overseas where he was a member of the 22d engineers. The couple will make their home in Salem where the groom is connected with the state highway commission.

Taking advantage of the warm weather and good roads, a merry party of seven motored to Willhoit early Thursday morning and spent the day picnicking. They returned in the evening by way of Spongy Landing and enjoyed a delicious home coming. Miss Aline Jones sponsored the charming affair, and among those invited to enjoy it were Mrs. Harry Olinger, Mrs. Ed Baker, Mrs. Farmer, Mrs. McLaughlin, Mrs. Dan Fry Jr. and Mrs. T. A. Roberts.

Salem admirers of Carrie Jacobs Bond are envying the opportunity that Portland folk had last week of meeting her in person and enjoying an entire afternoon in her company.

Mrs. Bond, musician and poet, philosopher and genius, who is just returning from a six weeks' Alaskan trip—her first vacation in 18 years—stopped off in Portland to visit her children of the Carrie Jacobs Bond club and the recital given for them and a few friends Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Beaumont will ever remain an inspiration in the minds of those who had the good fortune to be present.

In her quietest and most whimsical fashion Mrs. Bond told the children of her first efforts in the field of song writing and how she had no money so she had to write her own verses and for the same reason she could buy no cover designs, so she designed her own and then came the great success which has attended her every effort since. It has meant years of hard work, but the response from the public has justified it all and today there are being published between 400 and 500 of Mrs. Bond's songs, over 500,000 copies of "A Perfect Day" alone having been sold.

Then followed an hour of songs and stories of pathos and humor, of everyday life and of children's problems, of philosophy for grown ups and gems of thought of many kinds.

"I am going to sing you a little song about what to do when you can't help things; people don't like to listen to sermons, so I put my sermons into a line and here is this one," she said, and then she sang "When You Can't Help It—Forget It."

She gave one of her beautiful new songs that Madame Schumann-Heink has been singing for six months in her concerts, also several of the time honored favorites, closing with that story of the old man to whom the best part of traveling was getting home, and with the strains of "Home, Sweet Home" running through this selection, so one's heart strings could fall to be touched. Mrs. Bond then graciously met her young admirers and their friends. She left at midnight for California, planning to spend a few weeks at her mountain home at Grossmont back of San Diego, before leaving for the east to attend the convention of American music by American musicians.

Salem tent of Daughters of Veterans, known as Barbara Fletcher Tent No. 2, was duly organized at the armory last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Frances Mackey of Vancouver, post department secretary of the Alaska and Washington department, was chief installing officer. She was assisted by Mrs. Survozat, president of the Betty Howe tent of Portland and Miss Carolyn Sherer, national patriotic secretary. The newly elected president, Mrs. F. A. Elliott, presided after the installation ceremony. Forty eight charter members were received.

Enterprise, Or., July 18.—(Special)—As a quiet double wedding, planned as a surprise to their friends, Helen Kay and J. R. Wagner and Carrie M. Falconer and Wayne K. Wagner were married Tuesday evening. The ceremony was performed at Wallawa by Reverend C. C. Pratt, the couples driving there and back in the evening. Mrs. J. Ronald Wagner is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Kay now at Kfickitan, Washington. Her husband is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wagner. Mrs. Wayne K. Wagner is a daughter of Mrs. N. J. Falconer and sister of Fred W. Falconer, president of the Enterprise state bank, and sheepman. Mr. Wagner is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wagner. The bridesmaids are cousins and both returned recently from army service.

An interesting guest, during the past week, at the George Brown home was Sergeant Rudolph Krause of the 27th aerial squadron, who has recently received his discharge from the service. Sergeant Krause is extremely well known in Salem, and is the son of J. R. Krause formerly a prominent merchant of this city. He has numerous friends here and during his short stay was the honor guest at a number of picnics, parties and social gatherings, chief among which was an affair at the Hillside club Thursday evening at which fourteen guests were present. Sergeant Krause left last evening for his home in Portland.

Mrs. Elsie Bates, Simeral and Eva Miller, voice pupils of Miss Lena Belle Miller, are to furnish solo numbers at the Sunday services of the First Baptist church during the next several weeks. Mrs. Simeral was heard to advantage in a charming cycle of Japanese type music at the Christian church last Wednesday evening. Her work is characterized by ease, sweetness and accuracy of tone and clearness. Miss Miller is a recent addition to musical circles of this city. Her voice is mezzo-soprano and especially full and pleasing in the upper register.

A novel but beautiful wedding was solemnized by Reverend Charles Powell of St. Paul's Episcopal church at six o'clock Thursday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Reynolds, 1651 Fir street, when their daughter, Ethel Reynolds was married to Harold Jewell of Canyon City, Colorado. Miss Jewell acted as bridesmaid and Karl Wenger as best man. Prista Wengler played the wedding march from Lohengrin. The bride wore a simple but charming dress of white crepe-de-chine and a veil of net adorned with tiny mock orange blossoms. She carried a gorgeous bouquet of white brides roses and maiden hair fern. Miss Jewell's gown was of pale blue crepe de chine and her bouquet of pink sweet peas, roses and maiden hair fern. Besides the family and a few intimate friends the employers and employees of the Roth grocery company, where the bride has been employed for the past year, were the only guests present. Immediately after the ceremony light refreshments were served.

After visiting a short time with friends in Salem the young couple will leave for a honeymoon in California and from there will go to Canyon City to make their home, where the groom has large manufacturing interests.

At the Multnomah county W. C. T. U. executive meeting, held Monday at the central library in Portland, it was planned for the August institute to be a big open air meeting with some prominent speaker, if possible.

Arrangements were begun for the annual convention in September. It was voted that no luncheon be served by the entertaining union but that each delegate be responsible for her own meals. It was thought that the work entailed in serving luncheons detracted from the more important business of the convention and worked a hardship on the entertaining union so that many of the members were not able to attend the meetings as they should.

Reports from the various unions were quite encouraging. Albina union reported two prayer leagues in operation. St. Johns union had held meetings in six churches and the Adventists' camp meeting in the interests of the Jubilee campaign. Willard union was welcoming many new members and had the promise of a \$50 liberty bond when the rest of the union's quota should be raised.

Mrs. Mary Palmer, president of the Albina union, had secured a half hour at the meeting of the Lent's grange to present the W. C. T. U. work.

St. Johns union holds its annual picnic in Columbia park August 4 and invites members of other unions in the county to join them.

The president, Mrs. Marian Gilbert, announced that a "flying squadron" had been organized for the purpose of visiting the various unions to assist and encourage them in raising their quota of money and members in the jubilee campaign and requested that the unions notify her or any member of the squadron of the time and place of their meetings. The squadron consists of Mesdames Marian Gilbert, chairman; M. Frances Swope, Anna Bureham, Edith R. Gittings, Madge J. Meers, Mabel Burton.

Attention was called to a symposium to be held Friday at the W. C. T. U. rest cottage, Gladstone chautauque, on "What the W. C. T. U. has done for individuals and organizations." Everybody is invited.

Mrs. Mary E. Sinter, superintendent of Christian citizenship, sent in her resignation and it was voted to ask the state superintendent of that department to fill out her term.

Miss Mary Babcock, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Ida Babcock, has returned to Portland. Miss Babcock is connected with the Union Abstract office in Portland.

After spending a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Linton, Mrs. Ralph Harris has returned to her home in Oswego.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hendrickson of Blomington, Prairie, Minnesota, were guests at Governor Olcott's home during the week.

Mrs. E. B. McMerian spent the past week in Portland.

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A guest at the home of Adam Burns, is Miss Agnes Burns of Worcester, Mass. As is usual with eastern visitors she is very much impressed with Oregon and especially the Willamette valley.

Mrs. Ida Niles, 425 North Winter street, is entertaining her cousin, Dr. C. C. Clark and his wife of Denver, Colorado, for a few days. Dr. and Mrs. Clark are touring the Pacific coast.

Justice and Mrs. Lawrence T. Harris have returned from a week's outing on the McKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Riggs who have been touring California for the past several weeks, will arrive in Salem Monday. Immediately upon Mrs. Riggs' arrival final and definite plans for the entertainment of Miss Ida M. Tarbell will be made. Mrs. Riggs is president of the Salem Women's club.

After a brief visit with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Culver, Mrs. S. S. Aschenbrenner of Los Angeles is spending a short time at the E. E. Matten home.

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