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Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Maxam entertained at a very enjoyable dance last Saturday evening.

Their pretty new bungalow was most attractively decorated for the occasion. Gray colored Japanese lanterns were strung from the street to the entrance.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. Vaughan, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Carey, Captain and Mrs. R. F. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. G. Basham, Mr. and Mrs. M. Moncrief, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Young, Mr. J. Cleary, the Misses Hazel Maxam, Sady Carey, Lillian Fennel, Irene Hughes, Avis Fennel, Charlotte Bennett, Nettie Lloyd, Ethel Fennel, Madge Irwin, Emma Blanchard, Elizabeth Ross, L. McMinnam; Messrs Jack Carey, F. Dentsey, W. Wilkeson, J. Anderson, G. Hughes, W. McCanley, G. Warren Martin Fennel, J. Hughes, J. Burts, D. Webber, W. Hughes, F. Thomas, T. Myers, Dr. J. H. Farrell, Judge W. J. Robinson, and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Morton Riggs entertained a large number of their friends at their home on King street last Saturday evening celebrating their fifteenth wedding anniversary.

The guests were invited to supper, after which dancing was enjoyed during the remainder of the evening.

Besides the gifts of flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Riggs received a number of beautiful pieces of glass commemorating the crystal anniversary, while they were obliged with congratulations and good wishes.

Colonel William C. Rafferty was a dinner host last week at the Country Club, entertaining in honor of Major and Mrs. Frank W. Coe of Fort Kamehameha.

Among those present were: Major and Mrs. William P. Wooten, Colonel and Mrs. J. P. Reynolds, Major and Mrs. A. S. Conklin, Mr. and Mrs. John Mather, Mrs. Hanson Hall, and Major and Mrs. Coe.

The floors of the Country club will be opened wide tonight and the lights will burn brightly welcoming the members and their guests who attend

the dance this evening. Notices of the affair have been sent out to all members and it is expected that many will be in attendance tonight.

Judge and Mrs. S. B. Kingsbury expect to sail for the coast on the next Mauna. Mrs. Kingsbury had planned to spend some time in San Francisco after which she would depart for Italy where she would visit her brother. However, in view of the present conditions in Europe, the latter part of the trip may be omitted.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester J. Hunt, the popular Honolulu people who are leaving the islands to make their home in Porto Rico, will depart on the Logan at noon tomorrow or whenever the transport sails.

Mr. Harold Giffard was hostess at an informal bridge party on last Wednesday afternoon. The rooms were prettily decorated with magenta geraniums and ferns, and a number of interesting "rubbers" were enjoyed.

A wedding which will take place at half after eight o'clock this evening at Eleele Highlands, Kauai, is that of Miss Mabel Duguid Hastie, daughter of Mrs. William Hastie, and Captain George Baker Leavitt.

Among the various parties touring the islands is the one at present on Kauai consisting of Miss Clara M. Dole and Miss Olive Rowell and their aunt, Miss Adelaide Rowell of Brooklyn, and Mr. W. E. Rowell of Honolulu.

The Misses Dorothy and Olive Rowell are cousins of the Judge, while Miss Adelaide Rowell is an aunt.

Mr. Rowell is showing the party over the scenes and places connected with their earlier family history.

One of the largest of Hilo's recent card parties was the bridge given by the Elks on the twenty-fifth of July. The big hall was filled and a most delightful evening was enjoyed.

The prizes were exceptionally lovely. Miss Henrietta Smith receiving a gold bracelet and Mr. Hagens a set of gold shirt buttons for the highest score.

Later, the tables were cleared away and the music boys played for dancing which continued throughout the remainder of the evening.

Mrs Benjamin W. Atkinson was hostess at a delightfully informal bridge on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. William P. Wooten who departs on the transport Thursday for Major Wooten's new station in Washington.

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Monsarrat have issued invitations for a large dance which will take place at the Country Club tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hare left recently for San Francisco where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerrit P. Wilder entertained a number of the younger set last evening at a very enjoyable entertainment which consisted of a swim and supper, followed by a dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie C. Clark, who have been visiting in California for the past two months, will leave San Francisco on the Mongolia, Saturday, arriving in Honolulu a week from Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lowrey were dinner hosts last week, entertaining informally for fourteen.

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Cooper have gone up on Tantalus for a month.

FREAK SHIPS FOR THE PANAMA CANAL

Freak ships for the Panama trade are said to be in course of construction for some Swedish shipowners who expect thereby to cut down tolls. Under the regulations compartments of water ballast do not count in measurement, and in the new ships for carrying iron ore from Chile to Europe these compartments are to be made very large and deep, leaving just room for the ore, which will ballast the laden ship so that the water compartments can be left empty and they will be as valuable for buoyancy as any part of the interior of these vessels.

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CALLING DAYS FOR HONOLULU

Mondays—Punahou, Makiki. Tuesdays—Waikiki, Kapiolani Park, Kaimuki, Palolo. First Tuesday—Fort Ruger. Wednesdays—Nuuanu, Puunui, Pacific Heights. First and third Wednesdays, a b o v e Nuuanu bridge; second and fourth Wednesdays, below bridge; fourth Wednesday, Pacific Heights; first and third Wednesdays, Alewa Heights. Thursdays—The Plains. Fridays—Hotels and town, fourth Friday, Fort Shafter, first Friday. Manoa, College Hills, first and third Friday. Saturdays—Kalihl, third and fourth Saturdays; Kamehameha Schools, last Saturday. Fort Shafter—Calling day every Friday.

Note—The telephone number of the Society Editor is 4075.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carroll departed recently for Los Angeles, where they will make their home. Mrs. Carroll was previous to her marriage, Miss Carmen Vida of this city.

Miss Laola Booth and Miss Marjorie Booth, accompanied by their aunt, Mrs. C. H. Schmidt, are spending several delightful weeks on Hawaii as the guests of Mr. John T. Baker.

Miss Hazel Maxam has recently returned to her home in this city, after several months spent in San Francisco, where she studied music under Professor Kruger.

While at the coast Miss Maxam was an great favorite, in several of the younger sets and was quite extensively entertained. Just previous to her departure for the islands she was joined by her uncle, Mr. D. A. Fitzpatrick, who journeyed from Duluth, Minn., to spend a week with his niece and start her on her return trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Letter and their party, and the yacht, the Niagara, have left Hilo, and are on their way to Mexico. While on Hawaii the entire party visited the volcano of Kilauea and also a number of other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Baldwin and their daughter, Frances, sailed on the Matsonia last Wednesday for a trip on the mainland. They had considered going on to Europe but this will undoubtedly be out of the question now. They expect to return to Honolulu about December.

Miss Gladys Kruger and Miss Sybil Winter expect to leave Honolulu on the Manchuria, sailing September 8, to visit Mrs. W. Walker, who is at present in New York with her two sons, George and Knox Walker.

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BUILDING ORDINANCE NOT TINKERED WITH BY THE SUPERVISORS

After hearing arguments on both sides of the question, the board of supervisors decided last night not to amend the building ordinance as proposed.

A public hearing was held by the board for the purposes of discussion on the amendment which would change the building ordinance in such a way as to allow improvements to be made to structures without requiring the entire building, when improved, to conform to the provisions of the building law.

This building law was passed several years ago. It states that after its passage, a building cannot be improved unless the improvements and the building itself are made to comply with the requirements of the ordinance. The proposed amendment would change this to make it necessary for only the improvements to comply with the ordinance.

H. L. Kerr and Jack Lucas were the only contractors present. The amendment was prepared with the idea in view of making it possible for the improvements entitled on an existing building to be carried out under the present ordinance.

Mr. Kerr was of the opinion that the law should be changed, respecting improvements; but the board and the mayor decided otherwise, and finally announced it as their judgment that the ordinance should stand unchanged.

Abraham H. Freeman of Chicago and Frederick L. Wendler of St. Louis, convicted of using the mails to defraud in the operation of the Barr and Wilson Mercantile Agency, were each fined \$1000 and sentenced to eight years imprisonment.

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