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TWO PARTIES BY TOTS.

Miss Alma Sanford Celebrates Her Twelfth Birthday With a Gathering.

Homer Hewins Invites His Friends to a Seventh Anniversary Party.

Delightful Devices at the Wedding of Miss Bettie Word—Sundry Other Social Gatherings.

Last Saturday Miss Alma Sanford celebrated her twelfth birthday by giving a lawn party to her host of young friends. Her pretty home was a scene of gayety from two until six in the afternoon and for some distance the sound of merry voices could be heard, indicating that the children were enjoying themselves as only children can. Mrs. Sanford, assisted by her friend Mrs. Guthrie, had made every effort to give them the best proof of their appreciation of her kindness. Mrs. Guthrie superintended the game of blowing soap bubbles, a contest in which the one blowing the largest bubble received the first prize and the one blowing the smallest bubble the booty prize. Little Nellie Curtin, one of the smallest tots present, and Mamie Repa, won the prizes. An exciting time was had also over a fish pond. Miss Alma made a pleasant little hostess, receiving her friends and their gifts with childlike cordiality. The young guests returned home, laden with favors and hoping that it would not be long before their hostess would give them another opportunity to enjoy her hospitality.

Those present: Fannie Child, Sue Cheaman, Jennie Atchison, Bessie Smith, Mamie Pope, Katie Blacker, Bessie Knob, Madge Raleigh, Maude Galen, Alice Crutcher, Lenn, Ida Harman, Nellie Curtin, Nell Shaffer, Sadie Jacobs, Lida Shaw, Maude Platt, Adele Pachen, Belle Davis, Veda Sutton, Jessie Stradling, Daisy Stradling, Sophia Fredericks, Annie Fredericks, Olive Davidson, Louise McClatchie, Aggie Belle Stone, Julia Sanders, Helen Langhorne, Lotta Boos, Ethel Brookes, Ruth Matheson.

At the recent wedding of Miss Bettie Word at Star Union, Mo., a novel and pretty device was substituted for the accustomed cake and ring. A bowl of beautiful roses was placed on the table. To the end of one of these was attached a button, to the end of another a ring. The unfortunate drawee of the former is supposed to be fated to die unwed and the happy winner of the ring is destined to be the first of the company to follow the example of the bride. Miss Lensch, the cousin of the bride, and pleasantly remembered in Helena's society circles, drew the ring, and another cousin, the brother of Miss Constable, "got the button." But the bride, in a robe of cream crepe de chine, is said to have far outshone any of the roses in the bowl, and the groom looked correspondingly handsome.

About twenty-five relatives and friends of the bride were present, and though nature was in a lowering mood all day, the happy event gave promise of much future happiness. The bride and groom left for Chicago on the evening of the 24th, going from there to New York and Washington. Helena friends will welcome them on the 10th.

Little Homer Hewins celebrated his seventh birthday on Thursday last by inviting some of his little friends to a fishing

party. This was a parlor fishing party. The anglers stood on one side of a wall, formed by the pinning of a table cloth between the portieres of the parlor, and dropping their lines on the floor on the other side. The fish were induced to bite in some mysterious manner by a pretty young lady concealed in the pond and every time the young anglers pulled in their line there dangled at the end a "parlor fish." This is a peculiar species of the finny tribe and have the marvellous power of converting themselves into mouth organs, pipes, picture books, bags of candy, etc., whenever desired and angled for by well-behaved children. Of course, all these children found them in their very prettiest disguises and the fun was great. After soap-bubbles and other games suggested by the fish in their magic forms, the young gentlemen partook of a bounteous lunch and then regaled themselves with cigars—chocolate cigars, with toothpicks for matches; Peroy and Aubrey Holter, Philip Cole, Harry Walker, Teddie Collins, Loyd Gans, Davy Brown, and Douglas Wilson were present.

On Thursday night the members of the Presbyterian church and friends enjoyed a few hours of sociability in their new prayer-meeting room at the Grandon block. The pleasures of the evening were varied by the singing of a solo by Mr. S. A. Wooster and the rendition of some banjo music by Mrs. Clem Guthrie and her brother, Mr. Bailly. With refreshments, music and the formation of pleasant new acquaintances and greeting of old ones the evening was happily passed.

Mrs. Heinison one evening last week entertained at her home, corner of Howie and Lawrence streets, a small company of friends, complimentary to Miss Dann, of the Montana National bank. The hours were pleasantly spent with cards, dancing and refreshments. Among those present were the Misses Curtis, Briscoe, Enz, Mesdames Miner and McKee; Messrs. Fish, Steele, Fred Kelsey, Barnes and Weirick.

Mrs. B. H. Tatem, of Clark street, invited her feminine friends, on Monday last, to an informal afternoon's enjoyment of what is termed by some of the ladies "a knitting party." This does not necessarily imply that there was a revival of our past and gone grandmother's plebeian "fancy work" in the ring-streaked socks and lamb's wool hose, oh, no! Only the lengthening of intricate points of dainty silk and linen laces, the growth, perhaps, of a dainty silk stocking, mitten, fairy baby cap, or some such artistic trifle. We are told the tongues flew as fast as the needles and every one had a good time. One lone gentleman was invited to be present, but we refrain from mentioning his name for fear of arousing envy.

The national flower, goldenrod, graced the nuptials of Mr. James Sanders and Miss Bothwell, at the Church of the Redeemer, in New York city, on Wednesday last. The brown-eyed bride is reported to have looked very charming in her gown of white faille and point lace, with veil and wreath of orange blossoms. After the ceremony the newly wedded pair left for Washington. Their Helena friends expect to greet them in this city before many days.

Personal and General.
 Col. Sanders is expected on Thursday.
 Mrs. J. M. Reed is at Cascade for a two weeks' stay.
 Mrs. J. M. Clements has been quite ill the past week.
 Mrs. McKee and family remove to St. Paul this week.
 Mrs. Sligh, of Granite, will visit Helena this week.
 Mr. F. J. Edwards has gone to New York on a business trip.
 There was a fashionable plunge party on Thursday evening.
 Miss M. A. Phillips has an interesting class in china painting.
 Mrs. W. H. Gebauer paid Townsend friends a short visit last week.
 Mrs. Keller, of Cutler street, the mother

of one of our mail carriers, is ill of mountain fever.

Hon. A. Wilson, of Iowa, is visiting Mr. W. D. Weir, of Meagher street.

Mr. Lee Word began his studies in the Columbia law school the past week.

Mrs. Perkins, of Madison avenue, has returned from her outing at Cascade.

Dr. and Mrs. Baldwin are rejoicing in the visit of a son, who arrived last week.

Mrs. Hathaway has moved from the Grandon block to the Homer building.

Mrs. Price, of Missoula, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Martin, of Benton avenue.

Mrs. S. E. Tyler and son Edward leave for Chicago to-day for a visit with friends.

Mrs. W. B. Smith, of Raleigh street, is entertaining her brother-in-law, of Denver.

Capt. Hassey spent two days with Helena friends last week while on his way to the coast.

Mrs. J. C. Pyle, of Granite, will soon visit her mother, Mrs. Prosser, on Lawrence street.

Mrs. A. J. Reinhold, of Hot Springs, Wash., expects to return to Helena for the winter.

Mr. A. M. Holter and Mr. S. T. Hauser returned the past week from their business trip east.

Miss Shiland returned Thursday after a most delightful vacation, much improved in health.

Mrs. Judd, wife of Judge Judd, of Salt Lake City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Baldwin, on Broadway.

Mrs. Charles D. Greenfield, who has been visiting in the east since the early spring, has returned home.

Mrs. N. J. McConnell has returned home after quite an extended visit with friends in various eastern cities.

Mrs. Littlefield, of Chicago, is in Helena to spend the winter with her son, M. J. Littlefield, of Broadway.

Miss Carrie Lehman expects to leave on Wednesday next to spend the winter with friends in Louisville, Ky.

Judge and Mrs. Adkinson expect to move this month into their new home in Helena's fashionable western suburb.

Miss Crevelin, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Hives, of Clark street, has left for her home in New York.

Miss Rickman, teacher in room No. 6 at the Central building, is very pleasantly located now at 608 Ewing street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wallace will occupy Mrs. Spaulding's home on Clark street during the latter's absence in California.

Mr. F. H. Wallace, just returned from his eastern trip, left in company with Mrs. Wallace yesterday for a short outing.

Miss Grace Fisk and Mr. Hardy Bryan were married on Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents on Rodney.

Mrs. G. O. Young, of Dearborn avenue, will return about the 10th from visits to friends in Boston and Beedfield, Maine.

Mrs. A. J. Steele will occupy Mrs. E. Sharpe's present home as soon as the latter moves into her new home on Hauser boulevard.

The ladies of the Baptist church will hold a missionary tea at the home of Mrs. A. H. Nelson, on Broadway, next Tuesday afternoon.

A telegram was received this week announcing that Mrs. Rawson, wife of Dr. Rawson, formerly of Helena, recently died in Seattle.

Mr. Ross Carter and family have recently moved into a newly-purchased home on Eleventh avenue, between Idaho and Hoback streets.

Mrs. Alice Smith, daughter of Rev. Smith, formerly of Helena, has come to Helena to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Jackson, and attend school.

Mr. Frank McConnell, of Missoula, has been suffering with mountain fever for about ten days past, at the home of his father, Judge McConnell.

The young society ladies who are very anxious to know if the plunge bath is to remain open throughout October will be pleased to learn that it will.

Mr. Frank Hamilton, of Chicago, for many years a resident and business man of Beedwood, S. D., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Osterhaus, on Benton avenue.

A little four-year-old on a ranch near Helena had been watching the process of sheep branding.

As he went to bed the night previous of the new moon shone out of

a clear sky, and seeing it through the window he called, excitedly, "Oh, mama, mama, see the brand in the sky?"

Mrs. J. A. Knight, of Virginia City, Mont., a recent graduate of Ann Arbor, has taken up a residence in Helena, and entered the law office of Toole & Wallace.

Mrs. A. P. Curtin and children, who have been for some time at Alhambra Springs, expect to return this week. They will reside for the present at Hotel Helena.

The many friends of Lulu, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Ellis, will be glad to know that she holds her own. Last night her condition was reported to be slightly improved.

A very pretty little lunch was given yesterday by Mrs. C. G. Cannon to a few of her friends, informally. Those present were Mesdames G. C. Smith, Joe Davis, Downs, Eaton and Carson.

Mrs. Spaulding and daughter, Miss Curtis, leave on the 15th for six months' absence, to visit Seattle, Tacoma and Portland and spend the winter at different points on the California coast.

The Christian church has given the Rev. Frank Fannon, of Liberty Mo., a call to occupy its pulpit, with an offer of \$2,500 a year and traveling expenses. Mr. Fannon is reported to be a fine speaker and it is hoped he will accept.

Mr. W. L. Knowles, late of St. Paul, Minn., is among the recent arrivals. He comes as manager for the Mercantile agency for R. G. Dun & Co., is an affable gentleman, and is cordially welcomed by Helena business men.

Miss Hattie, daughter of the Rev. S. A. King, of Waco, Texas, who for the past three months has been visiting the family of our townsman, A. D. Edgar, departed for her home on Wednesday, the 1st inst., with the good wishes of many new-found friends.

Mrs. Oakley, a very fine artist from New York City, who has been living for some time in Helena, expects soon to leave for the east. Mrs. Oakley paints entirely from memory and with most charming natural results. She has been studying what she calls "these glorious Montana colors" during her stay in Helena, to inspire her for future pictures of western scenery. She has some very realistic paintings of eastern landscapes on exhibition at the home of Mrs. Norris, on Fifth avenue. Mrs. Oakley studied under the same artist as Mr. Chase, the president of the New York City Art League.

THROUGHOUT THE STATE.
 Garden City Gossip.
 Geo. W. Irvin, of Butte, was in the city this week.

F. F. Grant, of this city, returned this week from Hopland, Cal.

The T. A. M. Dancing club gave a reunion on October 3d, which was very enjoyable.

Harry P. Suedmeyer and Miss Annie Stinger were married at Granddals on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. W. Smith and Miss Smith, of Minneapolis, are visiting Mr. C. F. Davis of this city.

A. B. Hammond and family propose starting for the coast in a few weeks, to spend the winter.

Hon. T. C. Marshall and family returned this week from a visit to their old home in Kentucky. They were accompanied here by Mr. Marshall's brother and brother-in-law, J. C. Marshall and E. D. Jenkins, both of Kentucky.

Mrs. E. A. Winstanley gave an afternoon tea at her residence, on East Cedar street, Friday afternoon. Those present were: Mrs. E. G. Ellis, F. P. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hatheway, Miss Hatheway, Miss McKee and Miss Ellis Weikel.

The Twice a Month club's reunion last Friday evening was a most pleasant affair. The music was furnished by the Amphibian orchestra, and among those present were: Mrs. E. G. Ellis, F. P. Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Winstanley, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Price, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Sterling, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Thompson, and H. F. Thompson, Miss McCormick, Hatheway, Beckwith, Robinson, McKee, Hobbs, Adams, Robinson, Worden, Reeves, Swaney, Thompson, Greenough, Calla, Greenough, West, Burns, and Thornton; Messrs. Tabbits, Van Wart, Beckwith, George Beckwith, Evans, Crutchfield, L. H. Crutchfield,

Campbell, Howard, Brayton, Hartley, Graham, Kiggins, Keith, A. M. Keith, T. T. McLeod, W. F. Brayton, and J. Lister.

Boulder.
 Mr. George Gibson spent a few days in Helena last week.

Deputy Postmaster E. I. Simmons visited the state capital last Tuesday.

The Misses Schreiner, of Wickes, were visitors in Boulder the first of the week.

Mrs. M. Barrett, of Beaverhead county, is visiting her parents and other relatives in Boulder.

Mrs. Chas. E. Stevens and Miss Frankie were visitors to the temporary state capitol last Tuesday.

Judge I. G. Turnley, of Elkhorn, who visited Helena last week, passed through Boulder on his way to Elkhorn.

Hon. W. C. Whaley, of Bedford, and Mr. Charles Z. Pond, of Jefferson City, were visitors to the county seat this week.

District Clerk Frank Harlow issued marriage licenses last Friday to Mr. William Olin and Miss Anna Davey, both of Elkhorn.

The grand lodge of Good Templars meets in Boulder next Wednesday. From thirty to fifty delegates and friends are expected to be in attendance.

J. B. Finkins and family returned last week from their Yellowstone park trip, having had a very enjoyable time. They are now occupying the Bartell dwelling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Filcher, of Coniel, have moved to Boulder to give their children the benefit of the schools here. Mr. Filcher has bought the McKenzie house, in the Cook, Northrop and Joyce addition.

A large number of ladies and gentlemen went to Lake Wilder last Friday afternoon and lunching till the sun had sunk behind the western hills, they engaged in merry dances and moonlight rambles the greatest portion of the night.

Mrs. Ed. Mahoney contemplates residing in Boulder during the winter so that the children may attend the public schools here. Ed. will be in town whenever he can get away from the Lookout cabin, the excellent property which he and Mr. F. Wickham have in the Willow Springs district.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bailey, at present located in the Willow Springs mining district, contemplate removing to Boulder shortly, in order that their children may have the advantage of the excellent schools here. Mr. Bailey has bought the Bell dwelling in the western part of town and will occupy it as a residence.

The Grand Army boys had a splendid visit last Thursday evening at the ranch of Comrade Frank Hooper, in the Boulder valley. Every officer of the post was present, an almost unprecedented event, and numerous other comrades were in attendance. Mr. Edward M. McGrath, of Jefferson City, was mustered in, and several applications for membership were received and referred to committee for examination. The Boulder Silver Cornet band accompanied the post and furnished sweet music. The evening's pleasure closed with a feast such as the boys do not often get, the bounteousness of the repast being admirably supplemented by the skill of the charming hostess, whose reputation as a skilled housekeeper is as wide as the county, and extends even beyond these limits. The Boulder people arrived home about 3 o'clock in the morning, enthusiastic in their praise of their host and his family. The next meeting of the post will be held at the residence of Comrade Horace Taylor, in Boulder, on Thursday evening, October 30.

Billings.
 Mrs. Babson's lecture on American Sunday was well attended.

Capt. Halsey is in the city looking after some of his business interests.

The Yellowstone county institute will be held in the school three days beginning Monday, the 6th.

day evening, October 6th. He occupied the evening only for Monday. Theedant imported wraps, which are of "works of art," and made of the finest materials, as well as very moderate-priced goods. And as to furs, Sands Bros.' is this season is enormous. Real Alaska London eye, first quality skins, in the newmarkets, capes and waques; also be sable, bear, fox, monkey, nutria and furs in great variety. All the novelties of the season in dress goods, in ruff plain effects, and mixtures, bonnets, goods in the blankets, eider-down pillow-sides, down comforters and fur cloakings, suitings, winter underweave, silk, wool and merino, honey, gill dress trimmings and fancy goods in limited assortment. Sands Bros. invite inspection of their offerings in all departments.

The marriage ceremony of Jos. Basso, freight conductor from Billings to Forest to Miss Mabel Bourne, of Billings, took place at the residence of the bride's parents Monday evening, Rev. L. A. Wallace officiating.

Dr. B. S. Scott left Sunday morning, Tacoma, where he intends going into commission business. His wife and daughter preceded him several weeks. The family had many warm friends who were sorry to see them go. The doctor, being a Mission he was tendered a banquet that brotherhood on the eve of his departure. The best wishes of his friends went with him.

Dillon.
 Miss Carrie Carter has returned from east.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Nable have returned to Medicine Lodge.

Rev. Hugh Lamonte, of Missoula, is visiting Postmaster David Lamonte, of this city. Charles Hershman and family, who have been outing on Blacktail creek, have returned.

Burglars entered Joseph Bourret's store Thursday evening and carried away a \$20 worth of goods.

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a musicale in the church house Saturday evening.

Charles Neilson, the man who was injured by a passenger train Sunday, died Friday. An inquest on the remains was held and the railroad company was exonerated from all blame in the matter.

Miss Mary E. Hanks, principal of Dillon public school, was surprised by a number of her students, at the residence of the Misses Coffins, Thursday evening. Among those present: Misses Kenzie, Madie Rife, May Pindexter, Ed. Sizer, Millie Bishop, Nora Stranz and the Morse; Messrs. Harry Pindexter, Joe Cornell, Mark Pindexter, Eliza Sizer, Frank Halscomb, Fred Carter and Art Will.

Fine assortment of horse blankets at J. Davidson & Co.'s.

Call at the Payette Drug company for a sample of Creolin Cream.

Winter Requisites.
 A visit to Sands Bros.' establishment the present time will gratify those like to "shop," as it is a well-known that many ladies like to inspect and mire beautiful things for personal household use, even when they do not need to buy. To such Sands Bros. etc. indeed a treat, and buyers will readily their tastes in the infinite variety of articles shown.

The beautiful things shown in cloaksure to please, and ladies can find here the best, warm and stylish, and of "works of art," and made of the finest materials, as well as very moderate-priced goods. And as to furs, Sands Bros.' is this season is enormous. Real Alaska London eye, first quality skins, in the newmarkets, capes and waques; also be sable, bear, fox, monkey, nutria and furs in great variety. All the novelties of the season in dress goods, in ruff plain effects, and mixtures, bonnets, goods in the blankets, eider-down pillow-sides, down comforters and fur cloakings, suitings, winter underweave, silk, wool and merino, honey, gill dress trimmings and fancy goods in limited assortment. Sands Bros. invite inspection of their offerings in all departments.

Remember that the great cut sale of underwear is only for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at Fowler's Cash Store.

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Linen towels, napkins and table cloths cheap this week at the Bae Bros.

Turkish Myrrh, the very best preparation the world knows of, and made at the Payette company.

Remember the new diamonds at Fowler's Store before the new diamonds at Fowler's Store before the new diamonds at Fowler's Store.