

# SOCIETY EVENTS, CLUB DOINGS AND TIMELY GOSSIP

Both in point of beauty and of exhibiting the proficiency of her pupils, the entertainment given by Miss Edna Power Friday evening was an artistic success. A large stage at one end of the Knights of Pythias hall was made an attractive garden by the skillful arrangement of white pillars and flowering vines by Thomas H. Brown. A varied program of dances was presented by the young people. First the little boys and girls in dress suggestive of old colony days danced a Virginia reel. They made of it a graceful as well as a jolly game. Those who took part were Barbara Sterling, Jeanne Haviland, Marian Curran, Edna Peppard, Jack Woody, Fritz Sterling, Frederick Peterson, Knowles Blair. The oriental dance by Miss Power added to the charm of lovely movement that is always hers, the fascination of weird suggestions of eastern lands. In this dance Miss Power gained realism by wreathing a snake through the movements. The fairy dance that followed was a contrasting form. Misses Marian Richter and Virginia Berry were like butterflies in their pink and white gauze wings and draperies and their dancing was fairy like. Miss Maurine Blew was charming in the Spanish dance and her artistic interpretation called forth hearty applause. The Japanese girls, Misses Katherine Craighead, Doris Haviland, Madeline Lombard, Harriet Hall, Carolyn Barnes, Dorothy Peterson, Katherine Rudd, Ethel Brown, did their quaint steps most effectively. Their ki monos, fans and chrysanthemums were very becoming and they achieved the difficult Japanese bow with charming success. The skeletons were appropriately hideous and funny. Their dance made up in limber agility what it lacked in grace. The skeletons were Straughn Scheuch, Jack Fernald, John Toole, Coker Conde, Fred Hollenbeck and Knowles Blair. The classic myth play was a fitting climax to the pretty entertainment. Dainty Greek costumes and the good stage setting showed well the beautiful interpretative dancing. The play was only too short. The characters taken were Greek maid, Eva Powell,

Franko Powell, Maude McCullough, Evoro Avery; Hope, Marian Richter; Pandora, Edna Power.

Miss Power has succeeded wonderfully in teaching her pupils the poetry of motion which is so notably hers and she shares her honors with Miss Bernice Berry, who played all the accompaniments for the young people. Following the program there was a social dance enjoyed by those present. Fathers and mothers and friends danced with fairies, Japanese girls and skeletons in happy converse.

**To Play Whist.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Henderson asked a company of friends to their home Thursday evening to play whist. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eilers Koch, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Sisco, Mr. and Mrs. Carey Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Rutledge Parker, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Preston, Mr. and Mrs. John Urbanowicz, Miss Julia Greff, Miss Laura Baxter and Misses Eve and Mathilde Ammen; Messrs. H. H. Clark and Oscar Wold. At the conclusion of a delightful game, the guests were served with a Thanksgiving supper by the hostess assisted by Miss Mathilde Ammen.

**At Dinner.**

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barrett entertained charmingly at dinner Thursday at their home in Residence addition. The guests seated about the table upon which was served an elaborate Thanksgiving spread, were Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Elton, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Elton, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Buck of Fort Benton, Misses Edna and Ellen Elton; Masters Maxwell, Robert and Orville Elton.

**Engagement Announced.**

Mrs. J. T. Ward entertained a company of young ladies at dinner Friday evening at her home in Residence addition. Her guests, Misses Helen Mills, Orpha Culmer, Hazel Herman, Anna and Grace Rummel, Mabel Garlinga, Agnes and Ruth Berry, Rella,

Lucy and Cladig Likes, Winnifred Woods, Lela McDonald, Azelle Savage, Nina Gough, Mrs. G. Gough and the guest of honor, Miss Rena Gough, were seated about a table beautifully appointed and decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and ferns. Above the table there was hanging a fortune basket from which each guest drew a fortune to read in place of an after-dinner speech. The last one read held the surprise of the occasion, when Mrs. Gough announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Rena Gough, to O. P. Meeks of Frederick, Oklahoma, the date of their marriage to be December 10. The announcement brought a shower of congratulations and good wishes. Miss Gough is a general favorite here and Mr. Meeks is a prominent business man in his home city. Mrs. Ward was assisted in her charming office of hospitality by Mrs. Newell Gough and Mrs. John Wright.

**Miss James Hostess.**

Miss Margaret James was hostess Friday evening at her home in the Rozalia. Her guests, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ketchum, Dr. and Mrs. E. P. Dodds, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. F. Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Erick, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wayne, Miss Rich and Miss Ellithorp, enjoyed a game of "500" followed by dainty refreshments served at the card tables.

**A Box Party.**

Mrs. Honora Houghton had as her guests for the performance of "The Roundup" at the Harmon theater Friday evening, Colonel and Mrs. Nichols, Major and Mrs. Learnaud, Professor and Mrs. Scheuch, Mr. and Mrs. von dem Bussche, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, and Mr. Ryman. After the play Mrs. Houghton had served a perfectly appointed supper at the Palace hotel. Violets and pink carnations were used for place favors and table decorations.

**A Class Party.**

Miss Jessaleen Wilkins entertained the girls of her Sunday school class of the Congregational church Tuesday afternoon, after school. A jolly hour

was spent by the girls with needlework and refreshments at Miss Wilkins' home on South Second street.

**Army Thanksgiving.**

Thanksgiving festivities were numerous and enjoyable at Fort Missoula. Colonel and Mrs. Maury Nichols entertained at dinner Thursday evening Messrs. Winton, Kobes, Davis, Harding and Philson.

Major and Mrs. Ruffner had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. James Fernald of Missoula.

Captain and Mrs. Mitchell had a family reunion about their Thanksgiving dinner table. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Tylar B. Thompson, J. L. Sloan, Mrs. Hugh Sloan, Misses Gertrude, Ona and Jean Sloan, Harold Sloan and Edwin Stanley.

Company K had an enjoyable smoker at quarters Thursday evening. Boxing matches, music and refreshments made the entertainment which was thoroughly enjoyed.

Master Grant Learnaud had Fritz and Bobbie von dem Bussche as guests of honor at his own table on Thanksgiving day.

Mr. and Mrs. von dem Bussche entertained Major and Mrs. Learnaud, Mr. and Mrs. Tylar Thompson, Mr.

Wright. After dinner Misses McCarty, Stabern, Sutherland, Birely, Leech, Nutting, Kemp; Messrs. Evans, Bischoff, Worden, Clemens, Spear and Smith came in for an evening of dancing and singing, toasting marshmallows and story telling.

**Department Meetings.**

The Art department of the Woman's club will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. P. M. Reilly at her home on South Third street.

The Social and Domestic Science department will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. D. R. Feighner at her home on East Front street. Members are asked to bring note books and pencils to the meeting.

**In Stevensville.**

Stevensville. (Special.)—About 100 guests attended the reception in Fraule's hall given Friday night by the Neighborhood Sewing club. Dancing and cards formed the principal form of enjoyment and the evening was no doubt the most successful social function given in Stevensville in a long time. Prof. Race's orchestra of Missoula furnished delightful music throughout the evening. George Lan-

whist and a supper were Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Laymonde, Mr. and Mrs. Cyr, Mr. and Mrs. Helbig, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Rosenberg; Mesdames Holmes, Gillman, Leslie, Taylor; Misses Laymonde and Shrader. Before leaving, the friends presented Mrs. McCloud with a beautiful souvenir spoon.

**Young Ladies Dine.**

Misses McQueston, Morden, Hoffstetter, Baxter, Riley, Lambert, Greff and Linnell enjoyed a delicious dinner at the Shapard cafe Tuesday evening. This was the second of a series of weekly feasts which these young ladies have planned for the winter.

**Entertainment in Orchard Homes.**

The Women's auxiliary to the Orchard Homes Country Life club will

give an entertainment next Friday evening in the Country Life club house. There will be a musical program and addresses on the subject of equal suffrage will be made by Mrs. Tylar B. Thompson, Miss Eloise Knowles, Miss Grace Rankin and Fred Angevine.

**A Birthday Party.**

Miss Katherine Moore entertained some of her little friends at her home on North Fourth street in honor of her fourth birthday. Games were played and an elaborate birthday supper was served late in the afternoon. A number of pretty gifts were presented to the little hostess. Her guests were LaVerne Walford, Zella Harlon, Laurine McGoldrick, Ruth Kohler, Hazel Andrews, Virginia Rogers and Master Ernest Schippers.



MISS EDNA POWER  
Whose Dancing Party of Little People Was a Charming Event of the Week.

and Mrs. F. C. Scheuch, Mrs. Honora Houghton and Mr. Ryman at dinner Wednesday evening.

On Friday, Captain and Mrs. Sorley gave an informal luncheon in honor of their guest, Maelyn Arbuckle, who was a schoolmate of Captain Sorley. Later in the afternoon, all the officers and ladies of the post called at the Sorley home to meet Mr. Arbuckle at an informal reception.

**At the Baird Ranch.**

A company of about 50 friends enjoyed a big Thanksgiving celebration at the Baird ranch up the Blackfoot valley Thursday. All the good things to eat and all the games appropriate to the season were a part of the entertainment.

**At the Richter Home.**

A company of young people enjoyed the hospitality of the home of Professor and Mrs. A. W. Richter Thursday evening. There was first a delightful Thanksgiving dinner for the family and Misses Katherine Craighead, Florence Richter, Cornelia McFarlane, Mabel Lyden, Messrs. Victor Janacek, Donald Young and Arthur

center renewed old-time memories by acting as floor manager and Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wells led the grand march. Punch was served and it was a late hour when the party ended.

**Wedding Anniversary.**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bussard celebrated the first anniversary of their wedding on Thanksgiving day. An elaborate turkey dinner marked the occasion and the guests asked to celebrate with them were Misses Ruth Berry and Lucile Kellogg; Messrs. Walter Davis and Charles Hills.

**A Farewell Surprise.**

Mr. and Mrs. McCloud were given a farewell surprise Tuesday evening at their home on Orange street. The friends who came in for a game of

Will It Be Taft and Witcher?

Mrs. Margaret Zane Witcher, of Salt Lake City, Utah, may be the first woman in the United States to receive the votes of a great party, for the office of vice president. Mrs. Witcher is one of Utah's four republican electors and is a candidate for the vice presidency. She expects to receive the votes of the Utah delegation, which constitutes one-half the republican strength in the electoral college. The other half comes from Vermont. The Green Mountain state electors have been requested to vote for Mrs. Witcher and make it unanimous, but they have not yet announced their position.



MRS. MARGARET ZANE WITCHER

## Making Rope Work Gifts for Christmas

The "something new under the sun" this season is crepe paper rope work. Womanhood is madly enthusiastic over this new artcraft, and the embroidery hoop, paint box and stenciling outfit have been abandoned in favor of crepe paper rope work baskets, vases, lamps, lanterns, trays and other household objects.

The new rope work is not only artistic and interesting, but it is practical as well. All sorts of utilitarian objects can be made in addition to decorative things which are—when well done—worthy of places in the most distinguished rooms. Illustrations are given of several rope work articles; and though the photographs have given a good idea of the grace and solidity of these articles made of nothing more substantial than pasteboard and crepe paper, the black and white prints convey no idea of the richness of color and lustrous effect of the sheathed rope work.

In striking contrast to the handsome character of the completed articles, the prices for materials are very low—and the completed articles themselves bring rather high sums. This is because the value of the rope work article lies wholly in the work itself—and quite a lot of labor is required to turn out a rope work vase or jar, though after one has acquired the knack the work goes off easily.

The implements needed to begin are shown in a smaller illustration, but the picture leaves out two first and most important essentials—a big gingham apron and a finger bowl of warm water for rinsing the fingers constantly. The rope work is a messy job; no getting around that, and unless one is well protected by the big apron, one is apt to emerge from the rope work room a sticky object indeed.

As the picture shows, the crepe paper rope is pasted over cardboard forms, which are in turn cut out in sections and fastened together with tiny strips of adhesive tape. After the sections are taped together, they are covered inside and out with crepe paper. This offers a better foundation for the application of the glued paper rope than would the smoother cardboard. The inside of the finished article is sheathed as well as the outer side, and the lining of crepe paper takes the coating of shellac splendidly. It is almost impossible to believe, handling a completed rope work jar or bowl, that it is made of anything so perishable as crepe paper. The articles have the firmness and lustrous, polished surface of Indian bowls of wood, and the more decorative forms, such as lampshades, flower baskets and tall chrysanthemum baskets are very handsome indeed.

Of course natural flowers are not kept in water—in a rope work receptacle—unless a glass or china vase or bowl is set inside, for water would play havoc with the sheathed cardboard surface. The tall basket pic-

ture is filled with paper chrysanthemums in deep orange and copper tones and the bronze basket with its richly colored chrysanthemums, would make a very effective touch of color in a shadowy corner of hall or living room.

The lantern is intended for a hallway, and at the top there is an opening for the electric light wire. The electroliter has a base of bronze rope work and a shade of bronze rope over orange colored crepe paper. Another shade, illustrated, shows how rope work can be used in combination with printed crepe paper napkins; for the side panels of this shade have been



ROPE WORK ARTICLES LOOK WELL IN MISSION ROOMS

made of bits clipped from golden rod printed napkins, rope work covering the joining of the panels and the wires which form the corners of the frame. In the same picture are shown a graceful flower basket for the center of the dinner table, and also an oblong fern basket. Both of these baskets admit of receptacles for water or earth inside. The oblong basket is finished at top and bottom with a thickly braided rope of the crepe paper rope which is used to cover the basket, and the graceful handles are of rope braided over wire. The tall handle of the round basket is made of light reed, covered with crepe paper and then twisted with crepe paper rope.

Scrap baskets with round, hanging handles are very attractive, and when made of brown or dark green sheathed rope are especially effective in rooms furnished in mission style. Round, oval or oblong trays, made of rope work, have handles at the sides for carrying, and the inside of the tray is of glass, under which is a charming design that at first glance looks like embroidery on some fabric, but which proves to be a floral pattern cut from crepe paper napkins and pasted flat on dark green or brown crepe paper. Dainty trays for the invalid's breakfast have these floral designs against a white crepe paper ground, the edge of the tray being of rope work in green or golden brown, with the lustrous shellac finish. Two coats of shellac are given to each object.

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WHAT ONE NEEDS TO BEGIN

## COOK BY WIRE

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### New Suggestions for the Holiday Season

An electric iron, a table stove, a coffee percolator or a warming pad for wife or mother.

A curling iron heater for sister.

A shaving mug or hot water heater for brother or father.

A nursery warmer or luminous radiator for baby.

A small motor in the house will help everybody. These are only a few of the electrical suggestions.

Missoula Light and Water Co.