

SOCIETY

Several events of great import have stirred the Lenten quiet in Missoula during the week just ended. There was first of all the privilege of meeting and hearing play the young musician of marvelous talent and interpretative power, Miss Louise MacPherson of Butte. Missoula was delighted to show honor to the young woman who has won so great honor abroad for her native state, Montana.

In lodge circles there was keen interest in the formal establishment of a new chapter of the Ladies Macabees of the World. The coming of 26 ladies from Hamilton for the occasion and the presence in Missoula of Mrs. Gertrude Laura Preston, who organized the chapter, brought a fresh breeze of enthusiasm with the event.

Another privilege and pleasure of the week was to welcome a number of ladies from Great Falls, Bozeman, Helena and Deer Lodge, who are here to represent their work for young women in conference with the Young Women's Christian association of this city.

Rambler's Whist Club.

Mrs. C. N. Baird was hostess for the Rambler's Whist club Wednesday afternoon, at her home on East Spruce street. Guests of the club for the afternoon were Mesdames Dunstan, Collier, Richter, Carey, Gerber, Kirkhart, Babington, C. L. Smith, Robert Christy, John R. Daly, E. S. Foxson, J. F. Harrington, O. G. Smith and Graham. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Earl Baird assisted the hostess in receiving the guests. After a good game of whist, the ladies were served an elaborate turkey dinner with appropriate trimmings, all in Mrs. Baird's most hospitable style.

For Mrs. Howatson.

Mrs. E. L. Gault entertained Tuesday afternoon, at her home south of town, in compliment to Mrs. Howatson who is to leave next week for her new home in Butte, where Mr. Howatson is now employed. The ladies assembled for a delightful afternoon of visiting over needlework and refreshments. Those present were Mesdames Howatson, Shottelbach, Joy, Dickerman, Hollingsworth, Hosking, George Barnes of Helena, Miss Hosking and Miss Ethel Conley.

Park Addition Club.

Next Wednesday afternoon will be held the annual musicale of the Park Addition club at the home of Mrs. Taylor. A delightful program has been arranged by Mrs. Cobban and Mrs. Lucas, presenting vocal and instrumental numbers by many of the talented members of the club.

At Orchard Homes.

A business meeting followed by a dancing party was held by the Orchard Home Country Life club, Friday evening, at the club house. Only members of the club were present, but that made a goodly number to enjoy the evening together.

To Play "500."

Mr. and Mrs. McGuire asked some of their neighbors to their home in Park addition Friday evening to play a game of "500." Mrs. C. E. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. L. Q. Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. William Stennett, Mr. and Mrs. James Tucker, Mrs. L. E. Tucker and Miss Myrnie Converse made up the number who enjoyed the charming hospitality of the McGuire home.

Miss Simons Hostess.

Miss Marjorie Simons was hostess, Thursday evening, in compliment to Miss Anna McKenzie, who left Saturday with her mother for their new home at Anaconda. The guests attended several of the picture shows and then enjoyed a spread daintily served at Miss Simons' home. Those present were Misses Anna McKenzie, Evelyn Thomas, Phoebe Ector, Gladys Phillips, Ruth McHaffie, Gladys Peterson and the hostess.

At Wildwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Erfert entertained a company of their neighbors at their attractive home, "Wildwood"

last evening. A game of whist was the diversion of the evening and a delicious country supper was served late in the evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Benson, Mr. and Mrs. John Kack, Mr. and Mrs. George Hemmick, Mr. and Mrs. William Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Will O'Hern, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallagher, Mrs. Laundry, Miss Pearl McCaughan, Miss Lenore Hemmick, Miss Karan Freshner, Messrs. John Metter, James Shrock and Joseph St. Germain.

For Whist. Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gross had a company of neighbors in for a game of whist, Tuesday evening, at their home in Park addition. The guests were conveyed to and from the Gross home in two big sleds piloted by Mr. Boles and Mr. Stennett. A beautiful bonus was given as prize for high score to Mrs. C. E. Lucas. A supper, bountiful and delicious, was served by the hostess at the close of the evening.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. James Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. William Stennett, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. James Boles, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Hafner, Mr. and Mrs. Rockwell, Mrs. L. E. Tucker and Miss Myrnie Converse.

A Day in Paradise.

Mesdames Christy, Drury, Russell, Manney and Aylward went Thursday morning to Paradise for a delightful day's visit with Mrs. Brill. A game of cards, some needlework and a splendid dinner added variety to the visit.

Pledges Announced.

The names of Miss Mary Luden of Great Falls and Miss Helen McLeod of Missoula were announced by Kappa Kappa Gamma this week as pledged to membership in the sorority.

John Long Surprised.

John Long was happily surprised by a company of friends Thursday evening at his home on Howell street. The young man presented Mr. Long with a handsome sweater as a birthday remembrance, while the young ladies furnished an elaborate lunch for the guests. Games and music added to the enjoyment of the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pritchard, Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeLong, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Burkhardt, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cody, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. W. Walterskirchen, Misses Anna Schatz, Louise Byers, Bertha Spappington, Myrtle Spappington, Ruth Long, Nellie Fredericks, Josephine Pritchard, Ollie and Nellie Long, Ernie Long, Mrs. Long, Mrs. Kramer and daughter; Messrs. Long, Percival, Mind, Peterson, Helgerson, Neilson, Dunford, Jettie, A. Jette, Cody and Sheridan.

Episcopal Ladies.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies' guild of the Episcopal church will be held next Thursday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. R. A. Redrick, 528 Daly avenue.

Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Schander celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Wednesday with a family dinner at their home on Toole avenue. Besides the heartfelt congratulations from the sons and daughters who were gathered about the bountifully served dinner table, there were numerous messages from other friends, who wished the happy completion of 50 more years for the sturdy bride and groom.

A Farewell.

Miss Lucille Slekter was guest of honor Thursday evening at a surprise party given as a farewell before she leaves with her father and mother for their home in Washington Springs, S. D. The young ladies, Miss Jennie Rowe and her class in the Sunday school of the Congregational church, assembled at the home of Miss Beulah Waltemate on South Sixth street east for a delightful evening with music and

stories. Each girl contributed something good to eat in a covered dish, and the fun of discovering the menu added to the enjoyment of the supper served late in the evening. Those present were Misses Jennie Rowe, Lucille Slekter, Lella Passon, Margaret McMillan, Gertrude McMillan, Harriet Hall, Ada Wood, Helen Gardner, Helen Hoopes and Beulah Waltemate.

Ninth Birthday.

Miss Alice Gros celebrated the event of becoming nine years old Thursday with a delightful birthday party at her home on Ford street. Her guests, 14 young misses, spent a merry hour, after school was over, with games and music, and then they were seated about a long table and served a delicious birthday supper. Yellow and white table decorations, bon-bons and candies on the birthday cake were placed artistically. Mrs. Gros was assisted in serving by Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Diegler. Among the little girls present were Elizabeth Rowe, Margaret Plant, Geraldine Adams, Jean Haviland, Maurine Plew, Marion Richter, Sue Swearingen, Charline Palmer, Winifred Diegler, Edna Peppard, Virginia Passon and Margaret Porter.

Nine Years Old.

Harold Boos celebrated the event of becoming nine years old with a merry little company of friends at his home, 810 Vine street. His guests, Arthur Achor, Willie Hughes, Carl Notthard, Roland Harper, Joseph Dunham, David Beebe, James Hughes, George Hughes, Paul Maclean, Norman Maclean, Wilbur Graham, Walter Scott, Vernon Cutler, played games together until tea time, when they were seated about an attractively laid supper table, whose most important decoration was a great birthday cake surmounted with green and white candies.

Initiation Banquet.

A very pretty banquet was the one given Saturday evening at 10 o'clock in the Palace hotel by the young ladies of Kappa Alpha Theta. The guests of honor were five initiates: Misses McCull, McDonald, Gilbert, McCarthy and Buse. The other young ladies present were Misses Knowles, Duncan, Freeze, Hardenburgh, Kettlewell, Stabern, Uline, Smith, Bonner, Birely and Rhoades. An artistic arrangement of jonquils with black ribbons made the sorority colors effective for table decorations. Congenial company and a delicious menu well served made the affair charming.

Cowan-Cressy.

A quiet wedding, but one carefully appointed in all its details, was solemnized at 8 o'clock Thursday evening when Miss Elizabeth Cowan became the wife of Charles Cressy, Rev. C. B. Allen, Jr., performed the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson on Stephens avenue. A number of relatives and personal friends of the bride and groom witnessed the ceremony, and later partook of a delicious wedding supper served by Mrs. Anderson. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cressy are from Miller creek, and they have a host of friends there as well as in Missoula. They expect to make their home in this city for awhile, and they will reside on East Cedar street.

To Meet Miss MacPherson.

More than 150 ladies called at the home of Mrs. Tylar Thompson, Wednesday afternoon at the invitation of Delta Gamma to meet Miss Louise MacPherson of Butte, whose recital that evening was eagerly anticipated by music lovers of Missoula. In the receiving line were Mrs. Thompson, Miss MacPherson, Misses Gladys Huffman, Bess Wilde, Mrs. D. J. Haviland and Miss Kramer. Other members of Delta Gamma sorority made the guests welcome at the door and through the rooms; Mrs. Edger Polleys poured coffee in the dining room and the Misses Gizzella Schlossberg and Jean Sloane assisted in serving. The rooms were exquisitely decorated for the occasion with yellow spring jonquils. The pleasure of the charm-

ing function was enhanced by several musical numbers, vocal solos by Miss Ethel Hughes and Mrs. W. E. Moore and a piano solo by Miss Clara Huffman of Butte, who is here visiting her sister, Miss Gladys Huffman.

At Whist.

Mrs. W. B. Belknap entertained at whist Wednesday afternoon in her home on N. Fifth street. Her guests Mesdames Stevens, Wright, Borman, Crawshaw, Tracy, McDermott, Richards, Williams, White, Hutchinson and Mann, enjoyed a lively game with prizes for high score, and at its conclusion they were served attractive refreshments.

L. O. T. M. Installation.

On Wednesday evening there was held at the Masonic temple an elaborate ceremony, installing a new hive of the Ladies of the Macabees of the World and installing its newly elected officers. Members of Hamilton live No. 10, came to Missoula as guests of the new hive to exemplify the lodge ceremony and ritual. The ladies from Hamilton were: Mesdames Catherine Pattallo, lady commander; Anna Clark, lady lieutenant commander; Pauline Smith, lady past commander; Ida Trostadi, lady finance auditor; Emma V. Murray, lady record keeper; Maude Burkhardt, lady at arms; Elizabeth Lord, sergeant; Julia Hork, chaplain; Susan Carpenter, sentinel; Augusta Wolfgram, picket; Stella Leibel, captain of guards; Agnes Mahery, first color bearer; Kitty O'Brien, second color bearer; Elsa Tompkins, ensign No. 1; Mildred Wallace, Winnie Geseau and Flora Murray, guards; Belle Badger, ensign No. 2; Ellen Harkinson, Ida Vaughan, Carrie Leibel and Bertha Mathison, guards. The first work exemplified was the reception of a distinguished visitor, in this case the visitor being Mrs. Gertrude Preston, deputy state commander for Idaho and Montana. Next in order was the installation of the officers-elect for the Missoula hive. Those were: Mrs. Jessie O. Garlington, lady commander; Altha Grant, lady lieutenant commander; Mary E. Drury, lady past commander; Lenore M. Radd, lady record keeper; Nellie M. Wallace, lady at arms; Sadie M. Moxley, lady sergeant; Laura A. Clarkson, lady chaplain; Anna Aylward, lady sentinel; Mary McDonald, lady picket; Alice M. Angle, first color bearer; Evelyn Parker, second color bearer. The next in order was the delivery of the charter to the new hive, followed by the draping of the charter in memory of a departed sister. The Hamilton hive then exemplified the flower march and put on a few fancy drills making the letters, "L. O. T. M.," meaning Ladies of the Macabees, and signifying love of the mother, which, after all, is what the order means—the love which protects the child and the home. Mrs. Preston then gave a short lecture on "Protection," after which it was necessary to dismiss the guests. Missoula hive going into secret session in order that Hamilton hive might fully exemplify the ritualistic work. Those enjoying the opportunity of viewing the work permitted in public were very kind in the expression of their approval of its beauty and impressiveness. The Ladies of the Macabees of the World are very proud of the order financially, educationally, socially—in fact, in every way. In Montana, Idaho and nearly all the western states the standing of the order has been helped to its present standard by the labor of such women as Mrs. Preston, whose broad charity, understanding and knowledge of humanity, gained in years of service in national Red Cross work, organization work in the Macabees order and the Eastern Star, she having assisted in organizing the first chapter of G. E. S. in Victoria, B. C., has well equipped her for the service she is now rendering.

Emmanuel Chapter Auxiliary. The auxiliary of Emmanuel chapter No. 54, O. E. S., will meet Tuesday, March 4, at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. George Whitcomb, 818 South Fourth street west.

In the Fourth Precinct. A meeting was held in the interests of political equality Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Brown on Phillips street. There was a good attendance and a good program. Mrs. De McCarthy rendered a vocal solo and there were readings by Mrs. Dimmick and Mrs. Riley. Mrs. Priscilla Miles gave an interesting report of recent developments in the movement for equal suffrage and there followed a social hour with refreshments. The next meeting for this precinct will be held March 11 at the home of Mrs. Roberts, 603 Howell street.

Social and Domestic Science. Mrs. O. H. Maddox will be hostess for the social and domestic science department of the Women's club Monday afternoon at her home, 908 Vine street.

In Honor of Mr. Quiggle. Mrs. Daniel Arms entertained at dinner Thursday evening at her home on South Fourth street in honor of Mr. E. D. Quiggle, who has been in the city for the past 20 days from his home in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Arms' guests were: Misses Emma Lindquist, Mamie McDougall, E. D. Quiggle, C. F. Hayden, Roy Campbell, A. E. Elstrum and J. S. Small. Mr. Quiggle is a prominent young attorney in the forest service in Washington and he left for that place Friday morning on the Olympian expecting to reach home in time for the inauguration of President-elect Wilson.

At Dinner. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Harrington entertained at dinner Friday evening at their home on South Fourth street west. Pink carnations made dainty table decoration and all the accessories in the way of place favors, bon-bons and candle shades repeated the same color. Dinner was served in seven courses and the favored guests were: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Babington,

Valley Social Club. Mrs. Tony Deschamps, assisted by Miss Rosalia Deschamps, entertained the Valley Social club last Thursday afternoon. Twenty hands of whist were played, with prizes falling to Mesdames Bissou, Yolette and Winter. Music, both vocal and instrumental, added to the pleasure of the occasion, and a dainty tea was served at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Bissou will be hostess for the club at its next meeting, March 13.

For Mrs. Pratt. A number of charming functions have been given during the week in compliment to Mrs. Earl Pratt of Butte who has been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George R. Brown, at their home in the Rozale. Mrs. Walter M. Bickford and Mrs. William Murphy entertained at bridge Wednesday afternoon in Mrs. Bickford's apartments in the Rozale. The hostesses were assisted in serving refreshments, whose appointments were all in red, by Misses Gladys Roberts and Ruth Woodford. The guest list included Mesdames Elmons, Pearson, Kilroy, Houghton, Thane, Gagnon, Von dem Busche, Parsons, Buckley, J. M. Lucy, Richardson, Nelson, Reilly, Ruffner, Bowen, Harmons, Price, Robinson, Morrell, Shea, Cronkite, Rothenberg, Stephenson, Colevert, Ballantine, Preston, Wayne, Daily, Bean, Brown, Phillips, Toole, Weisel, Chaffin, Harrington, Lelphelmer, Kemp, Wilcox; Misses Blake, Champlin, Lucy, Gagnon, Richardson, Robinson, Hathaway, Power and Coffee.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Bertha M. Roberts entertained at cards in compliment to Mrs. Pratt. She also was assisted in her charming offices of hospitality by Miss Ruth Woodford and Miss Gladys Roberts. Her guests were Mesdames Pratt, Brown, Murphy, Freeze, Farnsworth, Derge, Whitlock, Gaines, West, Forbis, Lelphelmer, Pol-

Whether-You-Like-It-or-Not Club. The members of the Whether-You-Like-It-or-Not club were pleasantly entertained Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harwood on Mount avenue. Cards, music and dancing were the diversions of the evening, with a delicious supper served in conclusion. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. J. Duxton, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Buxton, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harwood, Misses Rowe, Overstreet and Harwood; Messrs. Buxton, Rowe, Haupt and Burd and Clarence Harwood.

West-Side Club. The West-Side club met in regular session yesterday afternoon at the Lowell school, 12 ladies being present. The parliamentary drill consisted of practice in selected committee work and committee of the whole. The program was devoted to a discussion of "House and Home Decoration," and musical numbers by Miss Kaiser.

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Department Meetings. The Shakespeare department of the Women's club will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. T. H. Dunstan at her home on South Second street.

The Art department will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. V. E. Skinner at her home on South Sixth street east.

On Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a social session of the Civic department at the home of Mrs. J. A. Miles on Alder street. To this meeting are invited all the officers of the Missoula Women's club, the chairman and secretary of each department and the president of each woman's club in Missoula. A feature of the afternoon will be an interpretative reading of Charles Rann Kennedy's play, "The Terrible Meek," by Mrs. G. F. Reynolds.

They Own Costly Gems



MRS. E. B. McLEAN, AT THE LEFT, AND MME. BAKHMETIEFF.

Washington, March 1.—One does not have to remain long in the whirl of Washington society to become acquainted with the fact that right here at the capital may be found some of the rarest and costliest gem collections in the world. Diamonds, rubies, pearls—some of the social leaders have so many of them that it would be a real hardship to wear them all at one time.

Perhaps the most costly collection of jewels in Washington is that owned by Mme. Bakhmetieff, the American wife of the Russian ambassador. She is known as the "jewel lady" of the diplomatic corps.

Mme. Bakhmetieff owns the only pink rubies in America, and her set, mined in Russia and valued by the czarina herself, is priceless. They are of a very pale pink and cut perfectly smooth. The fourteen of them, oval in shape and ranging in size from a dollar to a dime, interwoven with diamonds, form a band-like crown. From the band extends upward an inch-wide ribbon of gold and diamonds, topped by the largest of the rubies, and flanked by eight others. To match these are a corsage ornament, a brace-

let, rings and immense Russian star diamond earrings with pink rubies. The whole represents a value of hundreds of thousands of dollars, yet these jewels form but a part of Mme. Bakhmetieff's immense collection.

Another social leader at the capital whose jewels might be envied by a queen is Mrs. Edward Beale McLean, the daughter of one multi-millionaire and the wife of another. As everybody knows she is the owner of the famous Hope diamond. Another little trinket which she prizes is a pure white diamond, which she has named "The Star of the East." She wears it as a pendant, and it is the frequent companion of the Hope diamond on gala occasions. "The Star of the East" is valued at \$100,000, and was one of Mr. McLean's wedding gifts to his bride.

Other Washington women to have gem collections worth while are Mrs. Franklin MacVeagh, wife of the millionaire secretary of the treasury; Mrs. George Wickersham, wife of Mr. Taft's wealthy attorney general, and Mrs. Levi Z. Leiter. Mrs. MacVeagh's jewel collection is valued at \$5,000,000.

will be devoted to papers whose presentation has been postponed from another meeting.

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