

DEBUTS THAT KEENLY INTEREST SOCIAL WORLD

The "Buds" of the Season Now Being Formally Called to the Attention of Fashionable Circles Are the Motive Force in Lots of Pleasant Affairs at Present.

Laura Wurts, of Pittsburgh. They were joined at dinner by Alexander Marks, Lawrence Marks, Wallace Chauncey, Ruel, Ross Appleton, Jr., Guthrie Shaw, Leon Abbott, Berry Underhill, Howard Bremond, William Lippincott, Edward Birmingham, Warner Montague, Greenman Canda, Robert Meyer, W. Shreve and General George Harold Forman, Seneca Eldredge and Sterling Iverson.

Saturday will be marked by the debut of Miss Ruth Jenks, daughter of Justice and Mrs. Almet F. Jenks, of 8 Pierrepont st. The afternoon reception will be followed by a dinner, after which the receiving party will attend the dance which Colonel and Mrs. William Cary Sanger are to give for their daughter, Miss Mary Sanger. Receiving with Mrs. Jenks and the debutante will be Miss Helen Hinman, Miss Mary Sanger, Miss Polly Dunsell, Miss Katharine Ketcham, Miss Elizabeth Thayer, Miss Constance Marks, Miss Gertrude Thurston, Miss Louise Ruxton, Miss Lois Minton, Miss Marjorie Church, Miss Mary Ager, Miss Bertha Shultz, Miss Isabel Schulte, Miss Elinor Gates, Miss Marguerite Mallett, Miss Adelaide Moffat, Miss Mary Praeger, Miss Zorka Polak, Miss Anne Thompson, Miss Agnes Thompson, Miss Dorothy Seaman, Miss Cecelia Brewster, Miss Frances Couette, Miss Mabel Couette and Miss Drusilla Cravens. Mrs. Jenks will join with Mrs. Hinman in giving a debutante dance. It is to take place at the Heights Casino on Wednesday evening, December 23.

Conspicuous among the season's debutantes will be Miss Dorothy Seaman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Walker Seaman. Mrs. Seaman will introduce her daughter at a reception on Friday afternoon at her home, 789 St. Mark's av., and in the evening will give a dinner dance for the receiving party. In the group of debutantes surrounding Miss Seaman will be Miss Ruth Jenks, Miss Helen Hinman, Miss Dorothy Wolf, Miss Maria Webster, Miss Grace Middleton, Miss Marjorie Church, Miss Cecelia Brewster and Miss Mary Sanger. Mrs. Robert Payson Loomis will receive with her mother and sister, and assisting them will be Mrs. William Robinson Simons, Mrs. Roland Whitney Betts, Mrs. James Watt, Mrs. Thomas Marsalis (Lillian Davenport), Mrs. Harold Graham, Mrs. Paul Humpstone, Mrs. Winchester Noyes and Mrs. Harry P. Mitchell. In compliment to Miss Middleton Miss Seaman will give a dance on Saturday, December 19. It will be followed by a dinner.

Of much interest on this side of the river will be the wedding of Miss Mabel G. LaVie and Milton Lightfoot Schultz, which is to take place next Saturday afternoon in the chantry of St. Thomas's Church, Manhattan. Miss LaVie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Andrew LaVie, who lived at 60 Remsen st. until a year or two ago. They are now making their home at 24 West 83rd st., where a small reception for relatives will be held after the ceremony at 4 o'clock. Miss Mary LaVie is to be her sister's maid of honor and a little niece, Miss Miriam LaVie, is to attend as flower girl. There will also be two little pages, Master Charles G. Hoge and Master Stanley Connell. Rufus Schultz, an uncle of the bridegroom, is to be the best man, and chosen for ushers are Robert Morton LaVie, George A. LaVie Jr., Harold Bond Nason, of Philadelphia; Augustus Schoonmaker, of Manhattan; David King Irwin, of Short Hills, N. J., and Thomas O. Thatcher, of Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers Richardson Jones, of 274 Henry st., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Maud Ethel Jones, to Thomas Ferdinand Wilcox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clermont Harvey Wilcox, of 115 West 75th st. The wedding will probably take place in the spring.

Mr. John Van Nostrand will have as his guests next week his brothers, William B. Leonard, of Ohio, and Mrs. Leonard. They are to be in town, as Bishop Leonard is to officiate at the wedding of his nephew, Leonard Sullivan, and Miss Marjorie Leonard will also preach there the following Sunday. Mrs. Van Nostrand recently gave a dinner and theatre party in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Rollin H. White and Miss White, who were visiting at her home, 192 Columbia Heights.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Marjorie Webster, daughter of the late A. A. Webster, to A. Romeyne Pierson, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Romeyne Pierson, of Glen Ridge, N. J., where the Websters have also been living this fall. The family formerly spent the winter at the Mansion House and the rest of the year at their country place at Freeport, Long Island. Miss Webster entertained at luncheon on Thursday, when the formal announcement of the engagement was made. Her guests were Mrs. Frank G. Burke, Mrs. Percy McKee, Mrs. William Francis Bevan, Miss Maud Ethel Jones, Miss Mildred Zellmer, Mrs. Charles Kehoe, Mrs. Walter Hughes and Mrs. John W. Sands.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Cheesbrough, of 162 St. John's Place, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Cheesbrough, to William Kennedy, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Kennedy, of 278 Clinton av. The announcement was made at a luncheon and bridge on Wednesday. The company included Mrs. Edward T. Bedford, 2d (Helen Gaynor), Mrs. Norman Gaynor, Mrs. Charles Lynde Babcock (Elizabeth Kennedy), Mrs. Dorothy Hubbs, Miss Grace Van Campen, Miss Helen Case, Miss Alberta Cheesbrough, Mrs. Charles Cheesbrough, Miss Eleanor Whiting Evans, Miss Adele Zimmerman, Miss Geraldine Beckwith, Miss Betty Irish and Miss Genevieve Donohy. The table appointments were white lilies-of-the-valley, gardenias being used as decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker Staats, 24, are spending the first part of their honeymoon at Pinehurst, N. C. The bride before her marriage, last Saturday, was Miss Rowena Eloise Lawrence, daughter of Lyzander Walter Lawrence, of 324 Clinton av. Mr. Staats is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.

Henry Staats, of 410 Park av., and a graduate of Williams, 14. The bridal party included a maid of honor, Miss Fredericka Staats; six bridesmaids, Miss Charlotte King Gaston, Miss Evangeline Hill, Miss Mary Praeger, Miss Zorka Polak, Miss Lois Minton and Miss Alime Manierre, and a best man, Paul B. West.

Mrs. E. Dwight Church, of 266 Clinton av., gave a large reception Tuesday afternoon to introduce her daughter, Miss Marjorie Church. It was followed in the evening by a dinner dance for the receiving party and a few extra guests. Assisting the hostess and her daughter, who were frocked in white chiffon and silver lace, were Miss Helen Hinman, Miss Edith Shaw, Miss Helen Clarke, Miss Louise Ruxton, Miss Lois Minton, Miss Cecelia Brewster, Miss Dorothy Seaman, Miss Hazel Hutchinson, Miss Helen Simms, Miss Alice Blum, Miss Janet Bowers, Miss Marie Lovett, Miss Elizabeth Murdock, Miss Agnes de Selding and Miss Drusilla Cravens.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Joseph Raymond, of 161 Henry st., gave a reception at the Brooklyn Club, 114 Pierrepont st., to introduce her daughter, Miss Drusilla Cravens. There was dancing during the afternoon for the guests at the reception and after dinner there was a dance for the debutante contingent of this season and last.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wadsworth were hosts of a large dinner party one evening this week at the Inn, where they spent Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gery, of Philadelphia, have arrived at the Inn for a stay of some length. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Montgomery, Jr., of Radnor, Penn., are other Pennsylvanians who arrived this week at the Inn.

Mrs. George Baty Blake is with Mrs. Arthur Humeswell in Wellesley, Mass., and Mr. Blake is shooting at Ridgewood, S. C. They will shortly return to Lenox.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Coursen, who were in Stockbridge for the season, have leased Roadside, a cottage on the property of Joseph H. Choate, for next season.

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The Laurel House Gun Club is planning a two days' shoot for the holidays. There will be handicap individual events and a team event. Last year the shoot was very popular with the nimrods of the East. Invitations have been sent to the New York Athletic Club, which won the cup last year, the Marine and Field, the Larchmont and others.

Mrs. Jasper Lynch is arranging for a benefit for the local Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The affair will take place soon after New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Gardiner, of New York, rented this week the Spanish Mission House for the season. Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Hall, of New York, also leased a winter residence here this week.

Mrs. Philip Marquand, of New York, who recently returned from Panama, Belaire, while Mrs. Louis L. Lorillard, the mother of the bridegroom, also entertained at The Pine Lodge, where she is living this winter. Mrs. Lorillard's guests included Mrs. Campbell Stewart and her daughter, from Goshen. Governor-elect R. Livingston Beckman and Mrs. Beckman were here for the wedding, and Mrs. De Forest Danielson, formerly a summer resident, was here also.

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LENOX AND THE BERKSHIRE HILLS

Extraordinarily Fine Weather Follows Week of Snow and Ice.

Lenox, Mass., Dec. 5.—A week of remarkable weather, the thermometers registering 62 degrees at noon Tuesday, which followed snow and ice the week before, made automobile driving the principal pastime of the cottagers. Mr. and Mrs. Cortland F. Bishop motored to Newport for several days, and there were daily automobile runs made by other cottagers.

Those remaining in the villas include Greenville L. Winthrop, Miss Olivia E. P. Stokes, Miss Kate Cary, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Winans Whistler, Mrs. Joseph F. Whistler, Mrs. Gertrude Parsons, Miss Heloise Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Cortland F. Bishop, Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster, Mrs. W. Roscoe Bonaal,

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MISS HUNTER WED AT NEWPORT

Society's Capital Takes on Summer Aspect for Lorillard-Hunter Marriage.

Newport, Dec. 5.—The wedding of Louis L. Lorillard and Miss Edith N. Hunter here to-day gave the city a summer aspect, due to the number of the summer residents that came from New York and Boston to attend the ceremony and reception. There were several house parties. Mrs. French Vanderbilt entertained at Harbourview, and the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Hunter, had a number of guests at their home, Belaire, while Mrs. Louis L. Lorillard, the mother of the bridegroom, also entertained at The Pine Lodge, where she is living this winter. Mrs. Lorillard's guests included Mrs. Campbell Stewart and her daughter, from Goshen. Governor-elect R. Livingston Beckman and Mrs. Beckman were here for the wedding, and Mrs. De Forest Danielson, formerly a summer resident, was here also.

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TOMBSTONE GOLF AT HOT SPRINGS

Tournament Arranged by Mr. and Mrs. William C. Denny Causes Great Fun.

Hot Springs, Va., Dec. 5.—The tombstone golf tournament, arranged the other day by Mr. and Mrs. William C. Denny caused more fun than any event of the fall here on account of the offering of cups, both for the low score and for the best effort in rhyme pinned by a player to the tombstone he had to create on the spot where the strokes allowed him gave out. Probably the funniest tombstone inscription was that of Mrs. Edgar A. Pole, who, after getting only half way around with her "Here lies the ball of Marv A. Pole. She couldn't have done worse to save her soul."

The loving cup set aside for the best post, however, went to Mrs. William J. McIntosh, of New York, who was here with Albert H. Harris, vice-president of the New York Central lines, and Mrs. Harris. The verse read: "Good sport, for pity sake forbear From blaming him who lieth here. He did his best. It's his mistress's fault. This rubber kid lies in his vault."

But little diminution in the dancing was noticed here after the departure of the Thanksgiving crowd, the ballroom and the Japanese room later being called into requisition every night. To be exact, twelve brides and bridegrooms have been skipping about, being Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Twining, jr., Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Coulson, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Powell and Mr. and Mrs.

Condé Nast and Owen Johnson came down to play golf the other day and got a rest, as Mr. Nast's health has not been good lately. They have now gone on down to Pinehurst, where they intend remaining until about Christmas time.

Dr. and Mrs. Guy F. Hinadale gave a tea at their bungalow a few days ago for Mr. and Mrs. John L. Coulson.

REST AND DIVERSION AT WHITE SULPHUR

Governor-Elect Finds Both on His Trip to the West Virginia Resort.

White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., Dec. 5.—Governor-elect and Mrs. Charles S. Whitman, who spent their second Thanksgiving holiday season at the New Greenbrier, expect to return for the

Some of those at the New Greenbrier during the Governor-elect's visit included Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick O. Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Miss Grace Vanderbilt, Master Cornelius Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. William Harbour, the Messrs. Fritz Krupp Harbour, Robert Harbour, William Warren Harbour, Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Parker D. Handy, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schiff, Dr. Reuel B. Kimball, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown Potter, Henry Spies Kip, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Ashton Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Lewisohn, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Bryan, George W. Stevens, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Jeffords, who are spending their honeymoon here. Mrs. Jeffords was Miss Sarah Dobson Fiske, of Philadelphia, and is one of the most attractive brides who have been here this autumn.

GREAT RELIEF.

"John," she said, as he settled down for his afternoon smoke. "I've got a lot of things I want to talk to you about." "Good," said her husband, slyly. "I'm glad to hear it. Usually you want to talk to me about a lot of things you haven't got."—Exchange.

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