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Mrs. Harding To Entertain War Invalids

Wounded Heroes From Hospitals Will Be Guests at First Garden Party of Season at White House

Memorial Day Outings

Washington Society Eagerly Awaits Arrival of Noted British Admiral and Staff

Special Dispatch to The Tribune

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Apparently Washington society suffered an attack of spring fever, or at least of social lassitude, in the week just passed, for benefit balls were dull affairs and dinner parties of any size or formality were few and far between, and there was a tendency for luncheon and dinner parties at country clubs, early dawn or eventide riding parties, while at almost all hours of the day Rock Creek Park and Potomac Park were full of automobilists rolling leisurely along. The President and Mrs. Harding are the first White House occupants in several administrations who have not taken a daily constitutional, either riding, driving or walking through the parks, but, on the other hand, they are more active in other ways.

The President gets in a few rounds of the golf course each week and Mrs. Harding is active in her social duties, the part of her life she devotes to the public. She gives much attention to furthering the comfort of wounded soldiers and her first garden party of the season will be for the veterans in the hospitals in and near Washington, and the reason for a garden party instead of an indoor entertainment is that the great ambulances and army trucks, automobiles and other vehicles can run right on to the drives of the White House lawn and the guests can be lifted from the vehicle almost in front of their hostess. Rolling chair and cot patients—all of whom are invited—can thus have a much better chance than if they were carried by in line. There will be gay tents under the trees from which refreshments will be served, an orchestra will play during the reception hours and when everybody has been received the President, who will stand by Mrs. Harding and also will receive the boys, will visit around among them.

Memorial Day will be prolific of out-of-town parties, almost the whole social clan moving off, if only for the day. Many temporary residents of Washington, like Senator and Mrs. Frelinghuysen, Senator and Mrs. du Pont, Senator Walter E. Edge and others, have a habit of entertaining week-end parties of officials and diplomats all during the spring and early summer.

Harding May Remain at White House Memorial Day

The President and Mrs. Harding have not announced their plans for the day, but are likely to spend it quietly at the White House. President McKinley made rather more elaborate preparations for Memorial Day than any President either before or after him. With him it was a stately ceremony and carried out to the time of his death with unfailing regularity. He never failed to send an exquisite wreath of flowers, fresh from the White House conservatories, to the tomb of his unfortunate predecessor, whose fate he finally shared, President Garfield. Generally the flowers used were pink and white carnations, with violets and ferns, and then a broad ribbon of red, white and blue tied it and held the card of Mr. McKinley. A special messenger left the capital on a midnight train and reached Cleveland in time to lay the President's offering on the tomb of his predecessor at the regular ceremonies of the day. President McKinley also had wreaths placed upon the tombs of Grant and Lincoln, and a messenger always embarked for Mount Vernon with a wreath to lay upon the tomb of Washington.

The President held a little reception Tuesday afternoon in the Blue Room at the White House when he received the new Ministers of Guatemala and Colombia respectively, Senor Don Francisco Sanchez Latour, and Senor Don Enrico Olaya, members of both legation staffs being present and also an official from the State Department who did the presenting. Senor Latour is one of the victims of fate who, when formerly representing his government in Washington, an insurrection put a new President in power, and who has with the latest insurrection assumed his old post. Senor Don Enrique Olaya, who is to represent Colombia, is the first minister that country has had here for over a year and a half. Senor Don Carlos Uribe jr. serving as chargé d'affaires. The Ambassador of Germany, Dr. Otto Ludwig Wiedfeldt, who arrived in Washington some days ago, has not yet presented his credentials to the President. He has, however, taken possession of the embassy building on Massachusetts Avenue. The other members of staff, Mr. Karl Lang, chargé d'affaires until the Ambassador is presented to the President, and Mme. Lang, the Counselor of embassy and Baroness Thurmann, the second secretary and Mme. Blesser, and the two bachelors of the embassy, Mr. A. C. Schillinger and Baron Leopold Plessen, go about, the ladies serving as patronesses for local charities and taking boxes for benefit balls and so on, whenever asked. The only sign of social friction was in a series of George Washington memorial benefit dances, when a very few women announced that they would have nothing to do with it if the German diplomats' wives were to be there. When they were given the alternative of attending with them or staying away, they chose to attend but to remain cool.

Miss Hughes's Wedding To Be Brilliant Event

The wedding of Miss Catherine Hughes, daughter of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes, to Mr. Chauncey Lockhart Waddell, of New York, on June 10, will, from every point of view, be the most brilliant social event of the early summer season. The wedding party will be a comparatively large one and entirely unofficial in aspect. Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes jr., sister-in-law of the bride-elect, will be matron of honor, and serving in the same capacity with her will be Mrs. J. R. Dunlap, of Ohio, the sister of the bridegroom. Miss Elizabeth Kirkland, of Nashville, Tenn., will be maid of honor, and adding a particular charm to the party will be the two small nephews of the bride, Charles Evans Hughes 3d and Stuart Hughes, the small sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes jr.

Mr. Waddell will have as best man Mr. Gerald Fessenden Beal, of New York City, and the ushers, who will undertake the difficult task of seating diplomats and other officials according to rank, are Mr. Charles Evans Hughes jr., Mr. J. R. Dunlap, of Ohio, brother-in-law of Mr. Waddell; Mr. James Alexander, of Atlanta, Ga.; Mr. Byron Blaisdell, of Boston, and Mr. Kenneth Gaston and Mr. Ralph Bollard, of New York City. A number of the New York friends of Secretary and Mrs. Hughes will come to Washington, and while all of them will attend the reception in the Pan-American Union Building at 4:30 o'clock, as many as can be accommodated will be present at the ceremony in Bethlehem Chapel of the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul when the Right Rev. Alfred Harding, Bishop of Washington, and the Rev. Dr. W. S. Abernathy, of Calvary Baptist Church, officiate. Miss Hughes is a member of the Episcopal Church, while Secretary and Mrs. Hughes belong to the Baptist Church. A more stately or beautiful place for a wedding reception would be hard to find than the Pan-American Building on a June day, when the Aztec Garden is in full flower. There is a space of only a half-hour between the 4 o'clock ceremony at the chapel and the reception at 4:30 o'clock in the Pan-American Building, but either Massachusetts Avenue or Woodley Lane gives a beautiful route and are up-to-date highways connecting the thickly settled, smart residence sections of Washington with the equally smart suburban section.

Miss Hughes is making many articles of her trousseau herself and all of her hats, even those to be worn by her attendants.

When the delegates arrived respectively from Chile and Peru for the Tacna-Arica conference on the boundary dispute between those two countries, Washington society folk saw quite a flurry of social entertaining for them, which has had for its loudest gun the reception which the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes gave for them in the Pan-American Union Building ten days ago. The dinner which the Ambassador of Peru and Senora de Pezet gave on Monday night in the Pan-American Union Building was a wonderfully beautiful event, the table being set about the fountain in the patio.

Society Awaits Visit Of Sir William Packenham

It is to the arrival of Admiral Sir William Packenham, commander of the north Atlantic and West Indies station, and his important staff, the end of this month, that society looks to for its real brilliant events. The Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Geddes have issued invitations for a reception which will fill the embassy to overflowing with guests Wednesday night, when they will meet the great British sailor and his staff. Thursday the Ambassador will give a luncheon for Admiral Packenham, and June 3 there will be a dinner at the embassy to celebrate the King's birthday. Captain Ralston Holmes, of the Mayflower, will give a dance on board the President's yacht Friday night for the Britishers. Mrs. J. Borden Harriman will give a dance for the officers on May 30. Captain S. R. Bailey, of the Royal navy, attache of the British Embassy, will give a dance for them at his residence in Nineteenth Street June 1, and May 31 Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter will give a dinner for them.

Invitations are being eagerly sought for the entertainments on H. M. S. Raleigh, aboard which Admiral Packenham will arrive at Washington Monday. The largest reception will be on June 5, when the Admiral will hold a reception on board the ship. Dinner parties will be entertained on board and a luncheon party has for its date June 4. The bachelors of the British Embassy staff, who occupy a residence on Sixteenth Street, also are preparing to give a dance for the officers of the ship, and every one else is in the scrimmage for a date, but it is hard to see how the visitors can accommodate them all.

The Minister of Cuba and Mme. de Cespedes celebrated the independence day of Cuba by entertaining a dinner party May 20, the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes being the chief guests. Others there were the Ambassador of France and Mme. Jusserand, the Ambassador of Spain and Senora di Riano, the Ambassador of Brazil and all of the Latin-American ministers and a few other diplomats also, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, Mrs. John Allen Dougherty, Miss Patten, Miss Stepanek, Miss Wallenberg, daughter of the Minister of Sweden; Miss Ballivian, the daughter of the Minister of Bolivia, and Miss Sarmiento, daughter of the hostess.

Interesting was the dinner party which the Minister of Persia, Mirza Hussein Khan Alai entertained Thursday night in honor of the Vice-President and Mrs. Coolidge, the former having returned from a trip to Iowa on Wednesday. There were many suggestions of native Persian hospitality in the appointments for the dinner and the company was a distinguished one. Saturday night the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes entertained a dinner party.

Miss Ailsa Mellon, daughter of the Secretary of the Treasury, will go to New York to attend the wedding of Miss Katherine Van Ingen, daughter of Mrs. Edward Van Ingen, to Mr. George Faber Downey jr., son of Brigadier General and Mrs. George F. Downey, of Washington, who will also be in New York for the wedding. Miss Mellon is one of the bride's attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson have closed their Washington house and Mrs. Anderson has gone to Boston preparatory to opening her home, Weld, at Brookline for the summer, and Mr. Anderson will join her there after a week at White Sulphur Springs. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Donagre also have closed their house on Sixteenth Street and have gone to Manchester, Mass., for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Van K. Heel

They were married in April and are now at Greenwich, Conn. Mrs. Heel was Mrs. James Campbell.

Thousand Islands Region Ready for Brilliant Season

Social Activities Planned Already Give Promise of Gayest Summer in History of the 'Venice of America'

Special Dispatch to The Tribune

ALEXANDRIA BAY, N. Y., May 27.—The Thousand Island region, with its many attractions in the way of picturesque scenery, its social life, splendid hotels and many diversions, possesses a lure for the summer resident, visitor and tourist. Among the amusements offered at Alexandria Bay are polo, tennis, golf, yachting, motor boating, fishing and the usual number of dances and card parties. Social activities for the season give promise of the gayest summer the "Venice of America" has seen in its history.

The calendar at the Thousand Islands Yacht Club presents a busy program. The club will open on June 1. Included in the events to be held are the semi-weekly dinner dances, the tennis tournament for seniors and juniors, the annual costume, tennis and masquerade balls, and the Ladies' Welcome Club tea, as well as many other entertainments. At the Thousand Islands Country Club there will be another tennis tournament, also the golf and polo tournaments. The latter is always the last sport event of the season, and it starts this summer on August 12 and closes August 26. Among the entrants are: The 3rd United States Cavalry, of Fort Ethan Allen; the Montreal, Toronto and Buffalo teams, as well as teams from the Myopia Hunt and the Dedham Country and Polo clubs of Massachusetts. Included in the subscribers to the maintenance fund this season are Mr. Frederick Lovejoy, Mr. William Gilbert, Mr. Francis S. Hutchins, of New York; Mr. Frederic Courtland Penfield, of New York; Mr. Manuel Clark, of Chicago; Mr. George C. Boldt jr., of New York; Mr. Alvan Markle, of Hazlehurst, Pa.; Mr. A. Graham Miles, of New York; Mr. J. B. Taylor, of Watertown; Mr. Edward J. Noble, Mr. J. Norris Oliphant, Commodore James H. Hammond, Mr. P. M. Everts, Mr. Peter J. Young, Mr. Walter Merrall, of New York; Mr. Gordon E. Thing, of Rochester, and the Alexandria Bay Board of Trade. Polo practice will start at the polo field on Wellesley Island within the next fortnight. Considerable work has been done on both the large and small fields during the spring and they are in excellent condition.

The golf links at the Thousand Islands Country Club have been put in excellent condition, and a number of improvements have been made in the fairways since last season. The greens committee is comprised of Mr. Samuel Dalzell, Mr. F. M. Bacon 3d, Mr. Reginald Newton, Mrs. W. Fellowes Morgan, Mrs. Elisha P. Wilbur jr. and Mrs. W. M. Bannard.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Downey, of Tenafly, N. J., will arrive within a few days to spend the summer and will be established for the season, as usual, in the Tennis House, on Wellesley Island.

Mrs. S. S. McClelland, of New York, and her daughter, Miss Sarah McClelland, have opened their cottage, Shady Covert, for the season.

Mr. C. Leverett Hayden, the secretary of the Thousand Islands Yacht Club, has arrived at Alexandria Bay and has opened his cottage on Hayden Island. He will be joined early in June by Mrs. Hayden.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Boldt jr. and their two young daughters, the Misses Manelita and Louise Boldt, who have spent the winter in California, will arrive and open "The Birches" early in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Courtland Penfield, of 787 Fifth Avenue, have again taken Hopewell Hall for the season and will be established in their cottage for the summer by the middle of June.

Society in the Oranges

Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Shotwell of North Maple Avenue, East Orange, will depart the early part of June to pass the summer at their cottage at Oak Island, off Long Island.

The marriage of Miss Priscilla Silver, daughter of Mrs. Edgar Oscar Silver, of Llewellyn Park, West Orange, to Mr. David Lukes jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. David Lukes, of Hawthorne, Tarrytown and New York City will take place Monday evening, June 26, at the Church of the Holy Communion, South Orange. A reception and dance will follow the ceremony at the Orange Lawn Tennis Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Stetson, of 439 Park Avenue, Orange, have returned from an extended trip to the Pacific Coast.

Mrs. H. H. Lang, of North Munn Avenue, East Orange, was hostess Friday at her home for the Friday Evening Card Club, of which she is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Walker, of North Parkway, East Orange, have returned from their cottage at Riverdale.

Mrs. Albert H. Whitmore, of 91 Harrison Street, East Orange, has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Dorothy D. Whitmore, to Mr. Lawrence N. Jensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz N. Jensen, of 79 Terrace Avenue, Jamaica, L. I. The wedding will take place the early part of June.

The Junior Assembly of the Washington Society of the Oranges will give a dance at the clubhouse, 20 Prospect Street, East Orange, to-morrow evening. The committee in charge of the affair includes Dr. J. W. Mooney, Mr. Bernard McGovern and Miss Helen Staib, Miss Pearl McBride, Miss Catherine Wallace and Miss Blanche Hurley. Those who will receive with the committee members are Mrs. May E. Francis, Mrs. Seymour B. Everett and Mrs. John R. Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Le Van, of 42 Dodd Street, East Orange, entertained at dinner last evening in honor of their seventh wedding anniversary.

Miss Florence Roe, of 60 Main Street, East Orange, with her aunt and cousin, Mrs. Josephine D. Sanford and Miss Helen M. Sanford, of 530 Riverside Drive, New York, are at the Kittatinny, Delaware Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred L. De Voe, of East Orange, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dona Elizabeth De Voe, to Mr. Frank J. McNally, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. McNally, of Newark. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. Cleveland Storrs, son of Judge and Mrs. Charles B. Storrs, of Lincoln Avenue, Orange, will sail the early part of July with a party of fellow students to spend the summer in Europe.

Mrs. Lauren E. Rogers, of Laurel, Miss., is visiting her parents, Colonel and Mrs. Clarence Hodson, of North Walnut Street, East Orange.

The Facta Non Verba Club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Clarence Garrabrant, of 411 Academy Street, South Orange.

The Women's Auxiliary of East Orange Post, American Legion, gave a card party Thursday for the benefit of the home service funds of the auxiliary. The affair was held in the Franklin Clubhouse, Dodd and Fulton streets, East Orange, with Mrs. Alfred Barker, of Glenwood Avenue, East Orange, as chairman in charge of arrangements. Those assisting Mrs. Barker included Mrs. Charles H. Clark, Mrs. Lee Lemon, Mrs. Arthur Brentano jr., Mrs. Francis T. Kesler and Miss Dorothy Mills, of East Orange, and Mrs. Arthur Congdon, of Glen Ridge.

The Essex County Country Club will hold a Memorial Day subscription dance Tuesday evening at the clubhouse. The dance will be preceded by a dinner.

The marriage of Miss Mary Sewall, of Wiscasset, Me., and New York City, and Mr. Rowe Metcalf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Manton B. Metcalf, of Elm Wynd, Center Street, Orange, will take place June 29.

The wedding of Miss Helen Demarest, of Gates Avenue, Montclair, and Mr. Ronal B. Kelsey, of Center Street, Orange, will be performed Thursday evening, June 1, at the Demarest residence.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall and their daughter, Miss Eleanor Marshall, of Vose Avenue, South Orange, will sail for Europe the latter part of this month. While in England they will visit their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Marshall, who is an Oxford student.

Mrs. William Thayer Brown, of Prospect Street, East Orange, former president of the Woman's Club of Orange, as well as of the Y. W. C. A. of the Oranges, will return July 1 from Europe, where she has been during the winter season.

Mr. Richard B. Storrs, of Berkley Avenue, Orange, is arranging to be at Blue Mountain Lake, in the Adirondacks, during the latter part of the summer season.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dane, of Llewellyn Park, West Orange, will depart June 1 for their summer home at Marblehead, Mass.

A June bride whose marriage will be of particular interest to society in the Oranges is Miss Elsa Andresen, daughter of Mrs. H. M. Andresen, of Hollywood Avenue, East Orange. Her marriage to Mr. Harper L. Owen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Llewellyn S. Owen, of Glenwood Avenue, East Orange, will take place Wednesday evening, June 14, at the Andresen home.

Miss Elizabeth Brothers, of Sidney, N. S., who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. John H. Hermann, of 197 South Centre Street, Orange, has departed to visit friends in New York previous to her return to Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Morgan, of San Francisco, are the guests of the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Birkholz, of 281 Central Avenue, Orange. Mrs. Morgan was formerly an Orange resident.

Mrs. Maurice Lynch, of Orange, will preside June 6 at the last of a series of literary reviews given by the Parent Board of Rosemount Hall, South Orange. The lecture will be given by the Rev. John Buchman, of New York.

Mrs. C. S. Schuck and her son, Conrad Schuck, of 27 Cleveland Terrace, East Orange, have sailed for England.

Mr. Frank H. Taylor and family, of Midland Avenue, East Orange, have returned from Culver's Lake.

Former Judge Thomas A. Davis and his son, Mr. Thomas A. Davis jr., of 66 Cleveland Street, Orange, have departed for a fortnight's stay in New Orleans.

Mrs. Charles A. Anderson, of East Orange, has been elected president of the College Club of the Oranges. The other new officers include: Vice-presidents, Mrs. Landreth H. King and Mrs. John E. Parker; treasurer, Mrs. John H. Yocum; recording secretary, Mrs. William J. Dodge; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Darton L. Babcock; directors, Mrs. E. L. Minard and Mrs. Charles McCallum.

Miss Mildred Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Matthews, of 100 Watson Avenue, East Orange, will be married, June 10, to Mr. Paul Cedric Belles, of 156 North Grove Street, that city.

Miss Kate Dickinson Sweetser, authoress of many books for young folks and of the Hotel Clinton, East Orange, has returned from a Mediterranean trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Brightman, of 256 William Street, East Orange, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice Yoemans Brightman, to Mr. Henry Willard Van Iderstine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Van Iderstine, of Euclid Avenue, Maplewood.

Henry Lang, of 179 North Munn Avenue, East Orange, has sailed for Norway, where he will remain for a period of about six weeks.

East Orange Chapter, Rho Delta Sigma, gave a dance Friday night at the Woman's Club House, William and Prospect streets, that city. Mrs. Ruby Failing, Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. John Leonard Merrill made up the receiving line. Mr. William Bishop, chairman of the committee in charge, was assisted by Mr. Herbert Bearn, Mr. Frank Falkner and Mr. Durand Taylor. Maroon and gold, the fraternity colors, prevailed in the decorations.

Dr. Winifred W. Banks, of 298 North Munn Avenue, East Orange, is entertaining a house party at her summer home in Mountain Lake. The guests include Mrs. Joseph Irving and her sister, Miss Beatrice Hatch, of Toronto, and Mrs. Charles W. Evans, of North Arlington Avenue, East Orange.

Mr. Raymond Connolly, of 41 Oakland Road, Maplewood, has departed for a six weeks' stay in California, where, as president of the Board of Realtors of the Oranges and Maplewood, he will attend the national real estate convention. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tiplin and Mr. and Mrs. George Edwards, of East Orange, are also on their way to California, and while there will attend the convention.

The annual meeting of the Junior League of the Oranges will be held at the Essex County Country Club, West Orange, Wednesday afternoon.

At her marriage, June 1, to Mr. Richard Darling, of New York, Miss Gladys Gilmore, of Prospect Street, East Orange, will be attended by her sister, Miss Madeline Gilmore, as maid of honor, and by her cousin, Miss Caroline Schermerhorn Hoffman, of New York City. Mr. William Lee Darling, brother of the bridegroom-elect, will be the best man. The ushers will be Mr. George Cullingworth Darling, another brother; Mr. Edgar S. Gilmore, of West Orange, a brother of the bride-to-be; Mr. Ebershed Myer, of Rochester, brother-in-law of Mr. Darling; Mr. John Barclay Rhodes, a cousin of the bridegroom, and Mr. Joseph E. Watson, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore will entertain at dinner Wednesday evening at the Essex County Country Club, in honor of the bridal party.

Mrs. Arthur M. Anderson, of Llewellyn Park, West Orange, gave a luncheon Tuesday in honor of her cousin, Miss Blanca Mary Eyre, of Berkley Avenue, Orange, who will be married next Saturday evening to Mr. Thomas Grinnell, of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Payson Stone Douglass, of Llewellyn Park, West Orange, are entertaining Mrs. George Tyler, of Boston. During the stay of Mrs. Tyler a number of informal entertainments will be given in her honor.

Mayor Walter D. Van Riper and Mrs. Van Riper, of Harvard Terrace, West Orange, gave an invitation dance at their new home Thursday evening. There were more than fifty guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Kelsey, of Centre Street, Orange Hill, will pass the month of June at Lake Minnewaska, N. Y.

After a period of almost two years' residence in Europe, the Louis Wallners have returned to the Oranges with the result that there is considerable rejoicing among their many friends. Previous to sailing they sold their Llewellyn Park home to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edison, son and daughter-in-law of the inventor, making necessary an earlier than usual departure for their summer home at Holderness, N. H.

Miss Alice Andrews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Andrews, of 20 Westcott Street, East Orange, will be married Thursday to Mr. Mangas Cook, son of Mr. M. S. Cook, of 34 Linwood Place, that city. The ceremony will be performed at 6 o'clock at St. Paul's Church, East Orange, by the rector, the Rev. William Taylor. A reception will follow in the church parlors. The bride-to-be will have as her only attendant Miss Esther McGarry, of Brooklyn. Mr. Arthur Cook, of East Orange, will be his brother's best man. The ushers will be Mr. Russell Andrews, brother of the bride-elect, and Mr. Edward Cook, another brother of the bridegroom-to-be, both of East Orange.

Mrs. A. A. McGoughran, of 7 Swain Place, West Orange, sailed yesterday for Scotland, to visit her sister, Mrs. Jessie MacFarlane, of Greenock. She will remain abroad until October. Mrs. McGoughran's daughter, Miss Ann McGoughran, and Miss Cecelia Davis, of 18 Chestnut Street, West Orange, departed Friday for Annapolis, to attend the June week festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. White, of 98 Washington Street, East Orange, have returned from Briarcliff Lodge, N. Y., where they were the guests of the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Furlow.

A double wedding will take place in the near future at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Lasher, of 106 South Burnett Street, East Orange, when their daughter, Miss Ruth Lasher, will become the bride of Mr. Charles Barker Blauvelt, of East Orange, son of Mr. James Blauvelt, of Matawan, formerly of East Orange, and another daughter, Miss Edith Cornelia Lasher, will be married to Mr. George Francis Curth, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Curth, of Long Island. The officiating clergyman will be the Rev. Dr. Dorr

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Mrs. Frank V. Storrs and Daughters

Mrs. Storrs and Miss Carolyn and Miss Anne Storrs on the Aquitania just before sailing for Europe last week.

"Wagon Circus" Brings Unique Diversion Into Hot Springs

Special Dispatch to The Tribune

HOT SPRINGS, Va., May 27.—The early part of the week brought a unique diversion in the performances given by a "wagon circus" under canvas in the ball park. Quite a number of Homestead visitors attended the "show," among them Mr. and Mrs. Melville E. Ingalls, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Tappin, Mr. and Mrs. George Batcheller, Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Schmidlapp and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tinker, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Ingalls are continuing their Sunday luncheons at Ingallston. At the luncheon last Sunday the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Austen G. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. George Batcheller, of New York; Miss Jean Hinkle, of Osterville, Mass., and Mr. Robert Batcheller, of Washington.

Another diversion of the week, but one which has been going on here for many years, is swimming in the famous sulphur pools at Warm Springs, the quaint pre-Revolutionary resort five miles from Hot Springs. Mrs. William Raymond, of Cedarhurst, L. I., went out on Wednesday with Mrs. Batcheller and Miss Hinkle. Mrs. J. Westcott Wilke and Miss Marguerite Wilke are members of the cottage colony who visit the pools. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jefferson Ryan, of Washington, who are at the Pillars for the summer, entertained at luncheon Mrs. Wilke and her daughter early in the week. Mr. Ryan recently bought the old Harrison place on the Warm Springs Road and which he will develop later.

Mr. and Mrs. William Raymond gave a dinner on Tuesday in the Homestead for Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seligman, Mr. and Mrs. George Batcheller, Miss Hinkle, Mr. Robert Batcheller and the Baron and Baroness Rosenkrantz. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond later took their guests to the "movies" in the little theater in the new wing of the Homestead, and which is another diversion here in high favor. Mr. and Mrs. Seligman gave another dinner early in the week for the Raymonds, the Batchellers and the Baron and Baroness Rosenkrantz; also Mr. James C. Parrish and Mr. Martin Erdman, of New York.

The new à la carte restaurant had a number of dinner parties during the week. Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Schmidlapp had a party of seven and later took their guests to the "movies."

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic P. Bronson, of New York, entertained for Mr. and Mrs. Chester Williams, of New York, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland Duell, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald V. Hiscoe and Mr. Winthrop Williams, of New York, and Miss Louise Brown, of Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Bronson, who were here on their honeymoon, left for New York early in the week, and will pass the summer in Europe, returning to Hot Springs for the autumn season. Mr. and Mrs. Duell also have returned to New York after a long visit here. Mrs. George A. Brown, of Boston, gave a dinner there for her daughter, Miss Louise Brown, and which was followed by dancing. Mr. James C. Parrish, of New York, gave a small dinner early in the week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McNair gave a large dinner before leaving for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kiersted Hudson gave a dinner at Valley View before leaving for New York. Mrs. John Clinton Gray, of Newport, drove out there on Tuesday for tea after going through Dunn's Gap. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidlapp and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tinker also dined at Valley View early in the week. Mr. and Mrs. C. K. D. Walsh, arrivals of the week from New York, were given a dinner at Passifera Farm. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Kelly, of New York, rode out to Passifera for luncheon before their departure for home by automobile. Mr. and Mrs. Kelly are to pass the summer at Mount Desert Island, Me.

The New York colony at the Homestead is of interest, as always. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall H. Russell, who are here for an indefinite visit, have been joined by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Russell and Miss Greenway Russell, of Winchester, N. Y., and Mrs. Gardner Brown, of New York. Mrs. John Ballot has arrived for a month's visit accompanied by Mrs. A. Howard Higgins. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney A. Kirkman are here from New York for a visit of three weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Williams and Mrs. Howard Alexander arrived from Morristown, N. J., by automobile on a tour of the Virginias.

Arrivals from New York during the week also included Mr. and Mrs. George L. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester C. Smith jr., Mr. and Mrs. Alfred P. Hodgman, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hayes Murphy and Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Colgate, of Morristown, who arrived by automobile.

Dr. and Mrs. Waters F. Burrows and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Whitlock, of New York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Willard S. Burrows at Brightview and have registered for the cure. Mrs. Arthur Kelly Evans is entertaining her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Conkey P. Whitehead, of New York, who were recently married in Atlanta. Mrs. Henry P. Gardner drove on Tuesday to the Cascades, where she gave a picnic luncheon. Mrs. Henry Ogden Canfield and her son, Mr. Henry C. Canfield, have come up from their winter place at Summerville, S. C., and are to be here six weeks. Mrs. Canfield gave a tea on the Casino lawn on Monday. Departures for the week include Mr. and Mrs. Reginald V. Hiscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Dustin, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce D. Bromley (here on their honeymoon), Mrs. H. C. F. Koch, Mrs. Ryce Grey, Mrs. Frederick A. Snow, Miss Kelcey Staunton and Mr. William T. Koch and Mr. George P. Snow, of New York.

Spring Automobile Show at Asheville Attracts Hundreds

Summer Conferences of Southern Y. M. C. A. Assembly to Begin June 2; Many Visitors for Holiday

Special Dispatch to The Tribune

ASHEVILLE, N. C., May 27.—There has been a notable influx of visitors here in anticipation of Memorial Day. The various hotels are comfortably filled with those desiring conveniences of resort life, while many others are motoring out to Pisgah National Forest and will spend the holiday fishing and hunting.

Mr. Hanford MacNider, national commander of the American Legion, addressed members of various civic organizations and former service men at a dinner Thursday evening at Battery Park, preceded by inspection trips through the Kenilworth and Oteen hospitals for disabled soldiers.

Hundreds of persons have attended the annual spring automobile show held this week at the Pack Theater. Nightly radio programs were enjoyed by guests. The $500,000 being spent by the state for good roads in the Blue Ridge Mountains section already is stimulating motor touring by resort visitors.

Among the thirty members of the class of '81 of the Naval Academy at Annapolis and their wives who sailed recently for Japan to attend a reunion were Major and Mrs. Zebulon B. Vance jr., of Asheville. Mr. Vance is the son of the Civil War Governor of North Carolina.

The summer conferences of the Southern Y. M. C. A. assembly at Blue Ridge will open on June 2, and will usher in a series of lectures by noted educators that will continue until early in September. A training school for prospective Southern Y. M. C. A. workers will be run through August.

Mrs. R. E. Digney, of White Plains, N. Y., was guest of honor at a tea arranged for visiting war mothers by members of the Asheville society in connection with the state convention of war mothers now meeting here.

Mr. D. E. Clark, Miss Frances Garlick and Miss Virginia Garlick, of New York, were luncheon guests on Wednesday at Pisgah Forest Inn. Mr. Lester H. Woolsey, of Washington, who is a law partner of Robert Lansing, former Secretary of State, is registered at Pisgah Forest Inn during his fishing trip.

Mr. W. L. Sweet, of Nicholsville, N. Y., is visiting Mr. S. C. Woodside and will leave shortly for a motor trip to Canadian points.

Miss Frances Shuford is visiting Miss Dorothy Angel in Brooklyn for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Crump, of New York, are Asheville sojourners.

Mr. Thomas H. Byron, of the St. Augustine Country Club and manager of the New York office of the Florida East Coast Hotel Company, is expected here in a few days to assume his duties as manager of the new Biltmore Forest Country Club. The golf club will be formally opened on Independence Day.

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