

SOCIETY



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ackerman, who have been visiting in Southern California, returned home last night.

Mr. W. F. Shippley, of Anderson, Ind., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eller, of 112 South Edith street.

Mrs. Robert Altman, of Oakland, Cal., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. L. Stern, of 108 North Eighth street.

Mrs. Leon B. Stern, of West Gold avenue, is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. Joseph Price, of Socorro.

Mrs. M. P. Stamm of South Second street, informally entertained a small number of friends at her home Thursday afternoon.

Miss Helen Woods, who has been visiting here for the past few weeks left for her home in Chambers, Ariz., Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Babb were visitors in the city a few days this week en route to Southern California, where they will remain some time visiting.

Mrs. Mabel Stevens Himoe, who has been studying music in Los Angeles for the past ten months, is expected home this evening. Mrs. Himoe will remain in Albuquerque on her return.

A very pleasant surprise was given Mr. Frank McKee, Jr., last Saturday evening when a large number of friends gathered at his home on West Tijeras avenue. The surprise was in honor of the host's birthday. Many happy wishes were extended him and a very pleasant evening ensued.

Mrs. Hausman accompanied by her son, Mr. Herbert, and daughter, Miss Edna, of St. Louis, Mo., arrived Thursday noon. Mrs. Hausman is an aunt of Dr. Chas. Frank and while in the city they will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Frank. Miss Edna Hausman is an accomplished singer and has a beautiful soprano voice. Mrs. Frank is planning several social functions to be given in her honor.

The members of the Woman's club held their regular meeting in the club room on West Gold avenue Friday afternoon. Several matters of important business were discussed, among them the compilation of a tried and true cook book, which will be a reliable one, every receipt having been tested. After the business the regular social hour ensued.

A large number of ladies attended the pink tea given by the ladies of the Maccabees at the home of Mrs.

Alfred Goodrich of Stover avenue. The house was beautifully decorated in carnations and ferns which were artistically arranged. A very interesting program of musical and literary numbers was given and very dainty refreshments were served.

A large number of friends surprised Mr. Bayard Triplett, of 1902 South Edith street, Tuesday evening. The affair was given in honor of the sixteenth birthday of the host and was a complete surprise. He was the recipient of many little remembrances and good wishes. The evening was spent in various amusements. Delicious refreshments were served.

Several hundred invitations are to be issued by the members of the Baraguard lodge for a social to be given in Red Men's hall Tuesday evening, April 27. The evening's entertainment will consist of a two act play and a one act comedy sketch. After the program the remainder of the evening will be spent in dancing. Refreshments will be served throughout the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKee entertained the Five Hundred club at their home on West Tijeras avenue, Thursday evening. A very pleasant evening at cards was spent and an elaborate luncheon was served. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Collier, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stortz, Dr. and Mrs. Frank, Dr. and Mrs. B. H. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smithers, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Stenn, Dr. and Mrs. Wylder.

Mrs. A. W. Hayden entertained a large number of guests at a thimble party Thursday afternoon at her home on North Walter street. The spacious home was beautifully decorated in pink and white carnations and ferns. A sumptuous luncheon was served. Those who partook of the hospitality were: Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Gass, Mrs. John Crum, Mrs. Connelly, Mrs. Hickey, Mrs. H. E. Hickey, Mrs. Seward, Mrs. Nohl, Mrs. Newcomer, Mrs. Collins, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Mordy, Mrs. Bernard, Mrs. Lukens, Mrs. McCreary of Magdalena; and Miss Bronson.

Captain and Mrs. R. H. Greenleaf, of 920 North Fourth street, were given a very pleasant surprise at their home Sunday evening, when about fifty guests presented themselves to help the couple celebrate their golden wedding. Captain and Mrs. Greenleaf were married March 28, 1859, in South Paris, Maine, and after spending a few years in Monmouth, Ill., came to this city in 1879. Those present at the golden wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bluerer, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Becker, Mr. and

Mrs. Ed. Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bearup, Mr. and Mrs. Munn, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bearup, Mr. and Mrs. P. Larson, Mrs. Ed. Frank, Mrs. H. H. Tilton, Mrs. A. N. Edick, Misses G. Olsen, Edith Joyce, Margaret Anson, Myrtle Hunt, Eva Hunt, Messrs. George Edick, Walter Joyce, O. Burtner, J. R. Bearup and E. Hunt.

A very pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mrs. Frank Weeks of 1111 North First street Tuesday evening when Miss Dorothy Hoffman and Mr. Harry Apt were united in marriage by Rev. J. A. Leonard, pastor of the Seventh Day Adventist church. Only relatives and a few intimate friends witnessed the ceremony. The bride is the well known daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoffman, of 1112 South High street, and the groom is an employe of the Santa Fe at Belen. The young couple left for Belen Tuesday evening, where they will make their future home.

The members of the Tuesday Literary society spent a very pleasant afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Moore of West Tijeras avenue. A social good time and the following program were features of the afternoon's entertainment.

Class Study—French History—Mrs. E. B. Christy.

Five Minute Talks—Art Galleries and Solons of France.

The Louvre—Mrs. Walker.

The Musee de Luxembourg—Mrs. Hickey.

The Galleries—Mrs. Frost.

Fontainebleau—Mrs. Newcomer.

Palace of Versailles—Mrs. Hope.

Mrs. Herman Bluerer, of Trimble avenue, Old Albuquerque, entertained a number of guests at a luncheon Wednesday afternoon. The spacious parlors were beautifully decorated in roses, carnations and ferns. The dining room was also artistically decorated and on the table were arranged pretty place cards and carnations, while the center piece was formed of roses. Covers were laid for fourteen. Following is the guest list: Mrs. A. W. Anson, Mrs. H. Goetz, Mrs. J. Korber, Miss Blockman, Miss Olson, Mrs. Albert, Mrs. Greenleaf, Mrs. Trauth, Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Sells, Miss Clara Bluerer and Miss Viola Bluerer.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Stern, of 108 North Eighth street, entertained at an elaborate "Violet" dinner Wednesday evening, in honor of Mrs. H. Grunfeld and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Grunfeld. The home was beautifully decorated in violets and tulle and the dining room presented an appearance of rare beauty. Covers were laid for twelve. In the center of the table was a mirrored sea, in the center of which was a miniature ship bedecked with violets. Extending from one side of the sea was white tulle which led up to the rear of the ship, representing the rippling water, caused by the propellers of the ship. Around

the sea was entwined white and lavender tulle while violets were used in profusion.

A very pleasing recital was given by Miss Lillian Elwood at her studio in the Barnett building Tuesday evening. Many friends attended. The following program was given:

Vocal Solos—(a) "After" Miss Anson.

(b) "I Long For You" Miss Anson.

Vocal Solos—(a) "Folk Song" Miss Anson.

(b) "Slumber Scene" Miss Anson.

Vocal Solo—"Who is Sylvia" Miss Anson.

Vocal Solos—(a) "Awake Awake" Miss Anson.

(b) "The Wind" Miss Anson.

Vocal Duet—Italian Melody Miss Anson and Miss Neher.

Vocal Solo—"Jewel Song" Miss Anson.

Vocal Solo—"The Heart Bowed Down" Mrs. Weiler.

Ladies Quartet—(a) "Water Lilies" Mrs. Weiler.

(b) "Last Night" Mrs. Weiler.

(c) "By the Sea" Mrs. Weiler.

Misses Bluerer, Cartwright, Neher and De Tallo.

"BURGOMASTER" COMING

The Toronto, Ontario, Globe of November 27, 1908, in commenting on a recent performance of "The Burgomaster" has the following to say:

"The Burgomaster" does not pretend to have any deep laid plans, nor, as the program confesses, is he free from anachronism, but it does provide three hours of pretty scenes, sparkling music and lots of fun combined. The piece was welcomed by a crowded house last night, and its reception only forecasted the success which will doubtless attend it during the week. In the title role it need only be said that Mr. Harry Hermon was all that his admirers expected him to be. As Doodle Van Kull, the Burgomaster's secretary, Leo Kendall exhibited a quaint drollery which was irresistible, while Miss Marion Mack's burlesque of the lady Theosophist evoked roars of laughter. The charming voice of Miss Marie Grandpre was heard to advantage in the songs which fell to her as Catherine Vanderbeck, while the remaining roles were all adequately filled. "The Burgomaster" is exceptionally staged, and the piece went with a swing from start to finish.

MANY GREAT FEATURES

The shake-ups to the nerves, the rag time beat of your heart, the fear that some one will hurt you, with the accompanying apprehension that they may not, all of this—and this is the delight of the Sells-Floto circus, to be here on April 7 must be given by the professionals who shake dice for their lives with fortune every performance.

The Sells-Floto circus is high hygiene. It is a Yankee Doodle circus for Yankee Doodle kids from "six" to "sixty." One of the big acts is the original Nelson family. What this wonderful family do looks easy. Suppose you try it, and newspapers will write a story about it with a diagram showing the place where your body struck.

Another of the best-kept acts is the leaping contest. Fifty seapers take part. Charlie Wertz is the champion and does a double somersault over elephants, camels and horses. Marie Meers, Riding Roomer, and many other big acts are presented in many new riding stunts.

You will see the Bon Hur herd of Arabian stallions and the Rhoda Royal Black Hussar horses perform. They prove what a perfect world this would be if all men had as much intelligence as horses. You will see elephants waltz, teeter, play hide and seek, and under and go to bed like people. You will see dog shows and mule shows and countless clowns. The Sells-Floto circus is a great show, presenting magnificent good old barbarous sport that makes you happy in feeling that civilization has not illuminated all the trails your grand-dads of the stone age left you as a message. The \$25,000 Armour Gray Horses are also coming and they are a show in themselves.

WANT NEGRO TRUSTEES.

Waco, April 2.—The negroes of several counties in Texas have formally asked the whites to permit them to elect one negro school trustee to two whites. The elections take place today but it is not believed the whites will agree.

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WANTS TARIFF BILL PASSED FIRST

Taft Tells Congressmen to Take Action on the New Schedules and Other Things Can Wait.

Washington, D. C., April 3.—"Pass the tariff bill; then we'll talk about patronage." That's what President Taft is said to be telling members of Congress. It's hardly likely he is putting the ultimatum into such blunt phraseology, but senators and representatives have no difficulty understanding what he means.

A senator or representative goes to the White House eager to know "what about" a postmaster, or collector of customs or internal revenue in his bailiwick. The president's first inquiry is whether the public business is suffering by reason of the incumbent's remaining in office. The senator or representative almost always has to admit that it is not. Mr. Taft then points out that a number of very vital things are demanding his attention and that of Congress; among them he mentions the tariff.

A senator or representative goes to where business will suffer by delay. Inquiry is politely made if the senator or representative doesn't think the filing of this particular office can wait until some of these more vital things are off hands.

It is all very gently and skillfully put, of course, and there is not in the president's manner the faintest hint of pressure or coercion, but when the senator or representative leaves the White House he is impressed with the conviction that if he wants to pass out any pile to his faithful henchmen it behooves him to place no obstacles in the way of the tariff bill. The president is convinced that the greatest service he can render the country at this time is to do all in his power to secure proper and early revision of the tariff, and in delaying appointments until the tariff is off his hands, he is playing his strongest possible card, and he is playing it like a diplomat and a master politician.

Fred Carpenter, President Taft's secretary, promises to enjoy greater personal popularity than fell to the lot of Mr. Loeb. He has a "way" with him that makes friends, something Mr. Loeb sought earnestly to acquire, but never quite achieved.

During the first year or so as secretary to President Roosevelt, Loeb was about the most unpopular man in Washington. Later, when people who regularly have business at the White House got used to his peculiarities of manner and discovered that he did not mean to be offensive, he gained considerable in popularity, but it cannot be said that he ever acquired an enthusiastic following.

Despite the fact that a popular presidential secretary is very necessary to a successful administration, President Roosevelt pronounced Loeb the "best secretary any man ever had." This despite the fact that George B. Cortelyou, generally accredited as the most successful and accomplished man who ever held the position, and also served as secretary to Mr. Roosevelt. Notwithstanding Mr. Roosevelt's opinion of his secretary, there is no doubt that Mr. Loeb lost the administration a good many friends. Mr. Carpenter apparently has set out with a determination to avoid the mistakes which Loeb made.

With all due regard to Mr. Carpenter, however, undoubtedly the most popular private secretary of the new administration is Robert O. Bailey, who has been selected to serve in that capacity by Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh. Mr. Bailey is a newspaper man of long experience in Washington, having for a number of years been a political writer on the Washington Star and later a member of the staff of the Associated Press. He always was unpopular with his fellow newspaper workers,

CREOSOTING FENCE POSTS IN MINNESOTA

Experiments Have Been Conducted to Find Best Method of Aiding Farmers.

Washington, April 3.—An investigation in the preservative treatment of fence posts, conducted by the United States forest service in cooperation with the University of Minnesota, has just been completed. There are many agricultural sections of this state where much of the land is unfenced, and in these localities it is difficult to obtain good posts, since the only common trees are willow and cottonwoods, and these do not make durable posts in their natural condition. The need for information on the best methods of preserving fence posts in this region, therefore, is especially urgent.

Much land now lying idle is well adapted for pasturage, were it fenced. It is evident that the securing of a durable and comparatively cheap post would give great impetus to the work of fencing, and would result in the more intensive utilization of the land. It is hoped that creosoting of the native woods will provide such a post.

Considerable data on the best treatment for each of a number of different species was obtained by these ex-

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

SAVOY.

M. J. LeBaron, Mexico; J. A. Russell, St. Louis.

Craig.

Miss Hueda Ingold, Defiance, Ohio; J. G. Burdine, Shawnee, Okla.; M. Drake and family, Princeville, Ore.; J. W. Montgomery, Memphis.

Sturges.

A. S. Smith, Denver; Mrs. E. Fisher, Milwaukee; Sam Seeschmer, Los Angeles; J. P. Lamer, Los Angeles; Addler Peir, Los Angeles; M. Brewster, New York; R. E. Cargo, Estancia; B. H. Newles, Las Vegas; H. R. Bancroft, Clovis; M. H. Watson, Chicago; H. S. Farley, San Pedro.

Alvarado.

R. L. Frank, New York; W. L. Doeppke, Mrs. N. F. Doeppke, Cincinnati, Ohio; C. W. Stewart, Los Angeles; J. E. Wharton, Alamogordo; Tom Turner, Louisville, Ky.; H. W. Duncanson and wife, Chicago; J. B. Smiley, Chicago; C. A. Hile, Kansas City; C. J. Roberts, Raton; R. M. Wetman, Louisville, Ky.; W. White, Las Vegas; Sol Peiser, E. L. Peiser, Alex. Peiser, New York; O. R. Ripley, Winslow, Ariz.

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