

pected to arrive in Los Angeles today on their return from a month's visit in the east. They will come by way of the new Salt Lake road, being accompanied by R. E. Wells of Salt Lake City, T. E. Cullum of Los Angeles and Alex Johnson of Butte, Mont., the latter of whom will be a guest at the Clark home for a number of weeks. Mrs. Clark and her daughter, Mrs. Henry Carlton Lee, will receive Wednesdays in February, but no cards will be issued.

Mrs. F. W. Braun of 15 Chester place will entertain at luncheon Friday, February 17, in honor of Mrs. L. N. Brunswig, who recently returned from an extended trip abroad. Mr. and Mrs. Brunswig formerly were of New Orleans, but since their return from Europe they have made their home in Los Angeles. They are at Hotel Leighton.

Mrs. Robert Farquhar of New York, daughter of Mrs. J. F. Jones of Santa Monica, and Mrs. Alfred Sutor of San Francisco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Newmark of 927 Beacon street, now visiting their relatives here, were guests of honor at a luncheon given by Miss Georgia Caswell of 865 West Twenty-third street yesterday afternoon. Yellow jonquils formed graceful decorations for the luncheon table, and plates were laid for Mrs. Rae Smith, Mrs. Homer Laughlin, jr., Miss Margaret Sweet of Buffalo, N. Y.; Miss Annis Van Nuys, Miss Mabel Garnsey, Miss Florence Silent and Miss Marie Markham of Pasadena.

The art exhibition and reception of Granville Redmond, the well-known artist, will commence this afternoon at Hotel Raymond, Pasadena.

Eschscholtzia chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will observe February 22 by making a pilgrimage to the Hotel Glenwood at Riverside. Luncheon will be served. A program of patriotic music has been arranged. Visiting daughters regularly accredited can obtain invitations by applying to the secretary, Mrs. W. W. Stillson, 512 Kensington road.

Mrs. W. T. Whealy, guest of the Leighton, entertained at luncheon at the hotel last Wednesday. The table was ornamented with clusters of carnations.

Mrs. Clara Spalding Ellis of Montclair, N. J., was one of the 2000 tourists delayed by the washouts in Arizona, and is staying at 1151 South Hope street. She was formerly a resident of this city and active in the Southern California Woman's Press club and the Treble Clef club.

A pre-Lenten reception and dance will be given on the eve of Washington's birthday at Kramer's for the benefit of the Brownson House Settlement association. The following will act as patronesses: Mesdames W. H. Workman, E. Kerchoff, J. Schilling, A. Mullen, R. Dillon, J. Knealy, J. Laronde, Mary Reardon, M. P. Doran, C. L. Whipple and P. G. Cotter.

The small, sweet courtesies need to be practiced at home. Habits of politeness must be striven for if we realize what true culture means. Too much is often taken for granted in the home circle. The graces of courtesy are often entirely neglected. We say very glibly that "Charity begins at home," without stopping to think of the deep meaning of the phrase. The home virtues of forbearance, patience and charity, or love, are indispensable. With this sweet charity must be blended sympathy and an effort to understand and enter into the interests of the home people, to interchange thoughts and ideas constantly. Forbearance with each other's peculiarities will help to prevent much of the friction which destroys happiness at home. One of the home arts is tact. It may be acquired by thoughtfulness, by forming a habit of trying to avoid what will annoy or hurt the feelings of others, by deftly turning the conversation if we find it drifting toward a topic which is disagreeable to some one.

It was at a meeting of one of the federation of woman's clubs the other day that some interesting revelations came to light concerning Los Angeles.

Two respectable middle-aged club women were sent to this city not long ago as delegates to a convention. Their train arrived very late at night, so that the "Committee on Hospitality" were home tucked snugly in their executive beds when the two strangers in a strange land were seeking shelter. "I am very sorry, ladies," the hotel proprietor is reported to have said, "but you know we cannot take you in this hour of the night, as we do not know anything about you, and it is too late to phone your bankers."

"The idea!" exclaimed the elder of the two, indignantly. "And this, to us, the president and secretary, respectively, of the P. S. D. club!" Nevertheless, the two lonely delegates were forced to wander through the main thoroughfares, and after being turned away from several places were taken in at length at a second-rate boarding house. But this was not all. More humiliation awaited the president and secretary. The next evening, after having spent all day in the convention, these same two ladies wandered into a fashionable restaurant and stood waiting to be shown to a table. "Madame," said the stately head waiter, approaching them. "I am very sorry, but we do not serve ladies after 6 o'clock unless they are escorted by gentlemen."

gether they left the place. In a few moments they returned. They were accompanied this time by a staid messenger boy, resplendent in brass buttons. With their youthful escort the two resourceful women walked coolly past the staggered head waiter, ran the gauntlet of his graping minions, and then, triumphant, gave the boy a seat at their table and ordered their dinner.

"I guess it takes something of a little more than the blue laws of Los Angeles to get ahead of two delegates from up state," they said loud enough for the head waiter to hear, and, as the tale runs, they got their dinner.

Misses Burdette and Ora Wilson and Miss Alma Bradley were hostesses Saturday afternoon at a Valentine whist party given in the blue room of Christopher's Broadway parlors for members of the Students' Musical club. Scores were kept on cards formed of three tiny red hearts tied with red ribbons to a large white card, and prizes awarded were a chocolate cup and saucer, a cut glass vase and a heart-shaped box of candy. At the close of the games refreshments were served, the guests being seated at one large table decorated with red shaded lights and scarlet carnations. Miss Sue Olinger and Miss Mary Van Dyke of Dubuque, Iowa, Miss Lena Aubrey and Miss Maud Merryweather were guests of the club on this occasion and members present were Mesdames Walter J. Wrenn, L. Bromley, Edward L. Graham, C. C. Heller, Misses Frances Wartelle, Mammie Young, Alice Atwell, Florence Whelan, Lella Morrison, Octavia Cobb, Pearl Mesmer, Frances Crowder, Grace Crowder, Irma Kellam, Lydia Kellam, Drevna Thompson, Ethel Walker, Alberta Blanchard, Ethel Rebman, May Rebman, Jessie Whittington, Stella Nadeau and Lucille Roberts.

Members of Phi Rho Sigma Medical fraternity will entertain with a mid-winter dancing party at Kramer's Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Drake of 2633 Hoover street will leave soon for a trip through Northern California and Oregon. The series of luncheons planned by Mrs. Drake has been postponed until after Easter.

Mrs. William Parish Jeffries of 976 Arapahoe street received informally Friday afternoon, being assisted by her mother, Mrs. Stephen C. Hubbell, Mrs. I. N. Van Nuys, Mrs. E. B. Miller and the Misses Annis Van Nuys, Bess Miller, Mary and Lucy Clark, Eva Elizabeth Keating and Inez Clark.

Mrs. J. D. Lankershim and Miss Lankershim, who sailed from New York for England recently, have arrived in London, and will go to Paris for an indefinite stay. Mr. Lankershim, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Lankershim, will graduate from Harvard next June.

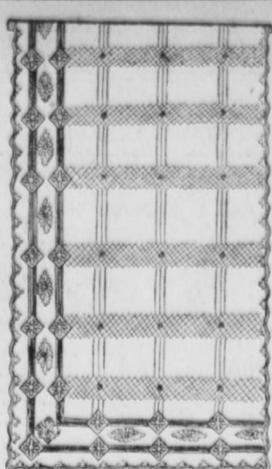
Dodge-Smith
Miss Bess Ethelyn Dodge and Rae Bernard Smith were married at 8 o'clock Thursday evening in the Union Avenue Methodist church, the pastor, Rev. W. P. Botkin, officiating. Mr. Melbourne Sweesy, a cousin of the groom, rendered Mendelssohn's wedding march, and during the ceremony Miss McIntyre sang "O Promise Me." Miss Nell Dodge, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and the Misses Lillian and Nora Reser acted as bridesmaids. The groom was attended by Fred Swallow. Two little flower girls, Kathleen Dodge and Vera Morrow, gownned daintily in white organdie, preceded the party to the altar, scattering violets in the pathway. The bride, who was given away by her uncle, A. C. Page, was gownned in white mousseline de soie over silk, with trimmings of lace and ribbons. Her long tulle veil was fastened with violets and the same fragrant blossoms formed her bouquet. Miss Nell Dodge wore white silk, while the maids were gownned in pink and blue, and all carried sweet peas and maidenhair ferns. Leroy Upham and Jack Watson acted as ushers. Upon their return from a brief wedding journey Mr. and Mrs. Smith will make their home on Pasadena avenue.

St. Vincent's College Entertains
The boys of St. Vincent's college entertained their friends with a program followed by a hop in the new college gymnasium Friday evening. Thirty-five couples participated. The gymnasium was tastefully decorated by the boys for the occasion. They made a bower of date palms, with Japanese lanterns and streamers of bunting in the college colors, white and gold, and the national colors. An orchestra furnished music. Mrs. M. A. Banks rendered several vocal solos. Messrs. Booth, Shannon, McCurdy and Tays of the college gave readings. The following composed the reception committee: Messrs. Samples, Hogan, Stewart, Peck, Shannon and Phelps. This is the

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first of a series of entertainments to be given by the college boys. The next one, the last before Lent, will be given on Monday evening, March 6.

For Visiting Friends
Mrs. C. L. Morrison of 1522 Shatto street gave a reception Wednesday afternoon in honor of her guests, Mrs. B. W. Hayes and Miss Maud R. Peary of Haven, Mass., aunt and cousin of Lieutenant Peary, the noted Arctic explorer. Miss Myra Stelle entertained the company with well-rendered piano selections, and late in the afternoon dainty refreshments were served. Pink flowers were used in the decorative scheme for the dining room, while the music room was in bougainvillea and smilax, and the hall in callas. Among out-of-town guests were Mrs. R. E. Griffin, Miss Grace Griffin, Mrs. Henry Whitaker, Mrs. C. H. Summer and Miss Sarah Newell of Haven, Mass.; Mrs. Etta Edwards of Boston, and Mrs. Charles F. Henry of Worcester, Mass. Others present were Mesdames A. J. Witherill, E. A. Miller, Robert S. Whittell, R. D. Richards, J. Rosa Clark, S. J. Keyes, Walter Raymond, R. B. Lovell, D. K. Edwards, C. W. Jenner, C. C. Gibbon, Thomas H. Thompson, L. L. Rogers, Emma H. Fellows, J. H. Hossman, Elmer M. Crippen, Johan Haezink, Goshon, Anna Andrews, Will H. Smith, William A. Lamb, Waldo F. Chase, H. A. Crowder, A. J. Skinner, Pettie, Wiswell, J. Abascal, Misses Fannie Wiswell, Nettie Bryson, Jessie N. Tabor, Katharine Stone, Morehead, Katharine Yarnell, Frances L. Fair, Atkinson, Augusta Lamb, Black, Blanche Rogers, L. E. Witherill, Elsie Dobbins, Grace Anna Whittell, Maud Elizabeth Richards, L. S. Janvier, Emily A. Brown and Margaret A. Suddith.

For Visitor
Mrs. E. J. Bowers of 1446 Bush street entertained Thursday evening in honor of Miss Suzette Carter of Boston, who is in Los Angeles for a visit of several weeks. Decorations for the affair were in red, white and green, the scheme being carried out by the use of callas, poinsettias and smilax. An enjoyable program of vocal and instrumental music, dancing and a supper served in Spanish style were features of the pleasant occasion. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Wells, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Woods, Mrs. Palmer, Mrs. Bowers, Miss Addie Stewart, Miss Louise Beattie, Miss Louise Golding, Miss Elizabeth Dietz, Messrs. Ward, Palmer, Martin, Roland and Soulier.

Thimble Club
Mrs. Jennie Fay of 412 North Fremont avenue entertained members of the Thimble club of Los Angeles five No. 1, L. O. T. M., at an all-day meeting yesterday, the house having been decorated throughout with roses and greenery in honor of the occasion. Luncheon was served, after which an enjoyable program of vocal and instrumental music was rendered, and short talks were given by Mrs. Susan

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