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Club News

MANY of the officers and delegates for the state federation convention have already gone north, and others will go this afternoon. Mrs. Russell J. Waters, president of the district federation and president elect of the state, left for Ventura county convention Monday morning, with Mrs. Willoughby Rodman. Mrs. Waters has already gone on to Santa Barbara, and Mrs. Rodman will return home within the next week.

Los Angeles women are in a large proportion on the federation program. Those named are, Mrs. William Baurhyte, Miss Adele Humphrey, Mrs. George W. Jordan, Randall Hutchinson, Miss May Gearhart, Mrs. Bertha Hirsch Baruch and Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles.

Mrs. Baurhyte has had charge of the arrangements for transportation of delegates, and the party will leave this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Los Angeles clubs are sending a most representative group of women, and it is certain that much of the brilliant work of the convention may be expected from these women. The list of the delegates from the various federated clubs is as follows:

Those who will represent the Friday Morning club are Mrs. O. J. Clark, Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles, Mrs. Charles B. Nichols, Mrs. Carl G. Johnson, Mrs. Gertrude Keller Bagley, Mrs. Jules Kauffman, Mrs. N. K. Potter, Mrs. O. Shepard Barnum, Mrs. C. E. Shattuck, Mrs. Hugh Harrison and Miss Jessie Anthony. The alternates are Mrs. Cora Lewis, Miss Elizabeth Bittmann, Miss Katherine Fisher, Mrs. Carolyn S. Wood, Mrs. T. A. Thompson, Mrs. E. B. Burns, Mrs. R. W. Phelps, Mrs. T. E. True, Miss M. F. Willis, Mrs. Morris Albee and Mrs. Erasmus Wilson.

Representing the Ebell club will be

Mrs. Willits J. Hole, Mrs. George W. Bayly, Mrs. William H. Jamison, Mrs. P. G. Hubert, Mrs. H. L. Story, Mrs. D. K. Dickinson, Mrs. Matthew S. Robertson, Mrs. Wilcie B. Ames and Mrs. Malone Joyce. Alternates are Mrs. J. H. Holder, Mrs. William J. Chichester, Mrs. M. H. Boehner, Mrs. Edward C. Dieter, Mrs. Lewis Clark Carlisle, Mrs. Russell J. Hallett, Mrs. Lew Collins, Mrs. J. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Elizabeth Hutchins.

The Cosmos club will be represented by Mrs. Charles Stansbury, Mrs. Charles Weinberg, Mrs. F. E. Wolfe and Mrs. George W. Jan. chairman of the state clubhouse loan association, and the civic association by Mrs. Oliver C. Bryant, Mrs. N. E. Wilson and Mrs. Harriet Myers.

Mrs. W. C. Muesel, Mrs. Henry E. Brett, Mrs. I. O. Bachelder and Mrs. Mary Irwin. Mrs. James R. Riggins and Mrs. C. A. Pachard will represent the Highland Park Ebell club; Mrs. L. A. Gould the California Badger club, and Miss Evangeline Gray and Mrs. E. D. Burbank the College Women's club.

Mrs. W. W. Orcutt, member of the state nominating committee from the Los Angeles district, will attend.

Mrs. William Baurhyte and Mrs. Andrew Stewart Lobinger were speakers Monday at the Highland Park Ebell club. Mrs. Baurhyte spoke on the topic which has occupied her time during her service as chairman of the philanthropic committee and Mrs. Lobinger explained the beauties and general desirability of the Arroyo Seco. Mrs. Lottie Buck Portfield sang several beautiful songs.

Robert Cromwell Root, A. M., graduate student University of California, 1890-1902, Pacific coast representative of the American Peace society, will speak before the Votes for Women club on the subject of "Women and the Future." The address will be given at the club house, room 95 of the Bryson building.

Members of the Wednesday Morning club met for luncheon yesterday, and following the menu was a program of toasts, songs, speeches and responses which made the day a memorable one. The delegates from Wednesday Morning club to Santa Barbara will be Mesdames W. C. Muesel, H. E. Brett, I. O. Bachelder and May Irwin. Mrs. E. J. Seigel was toast mistress and presided over this program, which was thoroughly enjoyed by members of the club: "Our President," Miss Annie Pierce; response, Mrs. W. C. Muesel; "Ex-board," Mrs. Katherine Chamberlain; response, Miss Martha Thompson; "Our New Members," Mrs. W. B. Tilly; response, Mrs. H. I. Thomas; "Shakespeare Section," Mrs. E. D. Park; response, Mrs. I. O. Bachelder; "Our Husbands," Mrs. F. A. Christy; Original verses for occasion, Mrs. F. R. Coles; short talk, Mrs. William Bullard. Mrs. W. A. Spaulding was guest of honor for the day.

The sixth birthday anniversary of the Cosmos club was celebrated in charming fashion at the Ebell clubhouse yesterday afternoon.

An informal reception preceded the program, which consisted of a reading of Browning's "Saul" by Mrs. Mary Moore Grigg, with incidental music, composed and played by Miss Fannie Dillon.

At the conclusion of the program, which was beautifully rendered by Mrs. R. P. Howell, president of the club, said farewell, and surrendered her place to the vice president, Mrs. L. U. McClure, who will preside over the meetings for the rest of the year. Mr. and Mrs. Howell and their daughter will travel through the south and east for the next three months.

Cutting the club birthday cake was an interesting feature of the afternoon

and delicious ices and confections were served in the parlors of the club by Mrs. David Hunter, and these assisting women:

Mrs. George Young, Mrs. H. L. Poplin, Miss Gilda Horwitz, Mrs. U. S. House, Mr. C. H. Babcock, Mrs. M. E. Coppock, Mrs. Chris Holte, Mrs. Mary E. Jasper and Mrs. J. C. Koop.

DRAMATIC NOTES

ROCK coats and high silk hats will be the order of the day next Tuesday and Wednesday, when the Players' country club will give its big minstrel show at the Belasco theater. The old-time minstrel regalia will be donned by the participants in the minstrel show just before the matinee each day for the big parade through the downtown streets. The parade will be headed by Chiffarelli's Venice band, and will be composed of all the Los Angeles minstrel troupes. It will be a novel sight to see such men as A. Byron Beasley of the Burbank theater, Lewis S. Stone of the Belasco and others, no less prominent in the local theatrical world and well known to playgoers following a band of music.

The show will be in three parts. The minstrel first part will be musical in every way. The opening chorus is an arrangement by Harry Girard. Henry Stockbridge and Charles Riggle will be the end men. Charles Giblyn, Mr. Beasley, Charles Fawcett Edson, John Douglas Walker, Edgar Temple, Mr. Stone and the others will render songs. Many persons will be surprised to learn that Mr. Stone and Mr. Beasley have beautiful voices. Those who have heard the two popular leading men say they possess voices which certainly entitle them to places with musical comedy companies if not in grand opera.

Six vaudeville acts, all presented by members of the country club, will be the features of the olio. The big feature will be a one-act playlet written by Charles Giblyn and entitled "The Coming Man." Mr. Beasley, Mr. Stone, Richard Vivian and Harry S. Duffield will be the actors in the sketch. It is a burlesque of one of the stage Broadhurst's most popular comedies, but it is said to be funnier than anything Mr. Broadhurst's pen has ever produced. Harry Girard will do a few minutes in black face comedy, the Plantation sextet will do songs and dances, and the Players' Country Club Musical Four will present some unique instrumental music.

The grand afterpiece was written by Charles Alphin and Charles Giblyn especially for the minstrels. The scenes are laid in a local department store. The title, "Bargain Day," suggests a riot of fun, which the afterpiece will certainly be. Men only are in the cast, although there are several feminine characters portrayed.

George Fuller Golden, head of the White Rats, the vaudeville organization which has been the best of performers, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday. He will be the guest of honor at a scamper Friday night, according to present plans. Mr. Golden is planning to make Los Angeles his home in future.

Frederick Thompson's spectacular drama, "Via Wireless," which has been the big hit of the season in the east, has been secured by Manager Oliver Morosco and will be produced in its entirety at the Burbank soon. It is one of the biggest pieces of stage craft that has been evolved by Frederick Thompson, the famous producer of the New York Hippodrome, and among the numerous requirements is a complete working wireless plant. This will be installed on the Burbank stage for the occasion.

"Is he really a good husband to her?" "Rather—he lets her read the sporting page first."—Puck.

Music Notes

THE organ recital at Christ church last night was one of the most delightful of this very pleasant series. Archibald Sessions, whose organ solos have been so much enjoyed through the winter, had as his assistants in this program Mrs. Hugh Livingston Macneil, violinist, and Miss Myrtle Duell, harpist, who played with him in two of the numbers. The recital, with its varied effects of organ and strings, was thoroughly artistic, the program well chosen, and the numbers each rendered with brilliance and an effect of sympathetic unity. A large audience was assembled to listen to these favorite artists.

The Educational Choral society, assisted by the two glee clubs (thirty-six voices), Whittier chorale, Mrs. W. E. Wiseman, soprano; Miss Ethel F. Coleman, soprano; Abraham Miller, tenor; Miss Edna Carpenter, accompanist; and Joseph N. Whybark, director, will give a concert tomorrow night at Blanchard hall.

The college of music, University of Southern California, announces a piano recital by Miss Julia Nave of the graduating class Friday evening, in the college chapel. Miss Nave will be assisted by Miss Pauline Fredenburg, violinist, and Miss Carrie Trowbridge, accompanist.

An interesting vocal recital schedule for the present week is that of Mary LeGrand Reed, Friday evening, at the Friday Morning club house. Tickets are on sale at the Bartlett Music company.

The First Congregational orchestra, William H. Mead, director, will play tomorrow evening at 8:15 o'clock, giving an operatic concert with the assistance of several selected voices under the direction of J. B. Poulin. The vocal numbers will include: March from "Carmen" (Bizet); ballet suite from "William Tell" (Rossini); selection from "La Boheme" (Puccini); overture, "Jilka"—first presentation in Los Angeles; grand selection from "Faust," with harp obbligato and solos by various instrumentalists (Gounod); and the vocal numbers will include: "Home to Our Mountains," duo from "Il Trovatore" (Verdi); "Good Night," quartet from "Martha" (Flotow); famous sextet from "Lucia" (Donizetti); soldiers' chorus from "Faust" (Gounod).

The following persons will participate in the vocal numbers, under the direction of J. B. Poulin: Mrs. Frank Bryson, soprano; Miss Kle Julie Christin, contralto; Messrs. J. B. Poulin, O. F. Tallman, D. N. Wise, W. M. Williams, tenors; N. de Bruller, J. H. Andrews, baritone, and W. M. Webster and A. N. Millett, basses.

The orchestra consists of fifty-one persons and as well as brass instruments, including harp and all the usual wind and brass.

From time immemorial astrologers have pointed to the fact that with the appearance of certain stars and comets some event of the utmost importance in the development of the human race has taken place. It is noticeable that with each appearance of the Halley comet a genius of the very highest rank has been brought into worldwide fame. The Halley comet was first noticed in 1066.

History again records its appearance in 1456 and again in 1531, at which time Palestrina, the father of church music, was coming into fame. At its next appearance, in 1607, the performance of the first opera of Claudio Monteverde was made possible. Monteverde is known in musical history as a man of extraordinary genius and originality. In 1682, when the Halley comet again appeared, Alessandro Scarlatti was rising into the eminent position he now occupies in musical history. Henry Purcell, the greatest English composer, was also coming into prominence at this time.

The year of the next appearance was 1769, and Haydn was at this time brought into great prominence. The year 1835, when the comet again appeared, saw the death of Beethoven, the birth of Saint-Saens, and the rise of the four composers, Mendelssohn, Schumann, Wagner and Verdi, and the two pianistic geniuses, Chopin and Liszt.

With the appearance of this comet Olga Steeb, the young Angeleno, made her first successful appearance in Europe, and her return to her native city, where she has already received much complimentary notice, is to be formally opened this evening, when she will play before an audience at Simpson auditorium. Her friends claim that she is the most talented and remarkable genius of the generation. Her advent this evening will consequently be regarded with more than usual interest since it may be that she is the bright particular star destined to follow the Halley comet to the zenith of public favor.

It is interesting to note, too, that this young woman has always studied the movements of the heavenly bodies, and is a very thorough and well trained astronomer. She has had no less an instructor than Prof. Edward Larkin of the Mount Love observatory, with whom she and her father have spent much time, and during her recent trip abroad she kept up her reading and studies in astronomical subjects consistently.

The municipal band, Harley Hamilton, director, will play the following program at Central park today at 2:30 p. m.:

March, "The Glory of the Yankee Navy"; "Intermezzo Russe"; Sousa; "Polpourt from 'The Chimes of Normandy'; Pianette Piccolo solo, "The Nightingale"; Pianette Piccolo solo, "The Nightingale"; Mollenhauer; George Mulford.

"Wakonda" Two-Step.....Nunez Overture, "Light Cavalry".....Suppe "Fair Maiden of Seville".....Cabiluka Selections from "The Merry Widow"; Lehar "The Fairies Flirtation".....Lozey "Marche Pontificale".....Gounod

NEW TREATY TO PROTECT LIBERIA BEING DISCUSSED

Secretary Knox Continues Conference with Senators

WASHINGTON, April 6.—Secretary Knox appeared before the senate committee on foreign relations today and continued a conference over Liberia which was begun several nights ago at a dinner at his home.

The obligation of the United States to provide for the relief of Liberia from a financial point of view as well

as to protect its boundaries is recognized by all who participated.

The general opinion in the committee seems to be that a treaty may be entered into among the United States, Great Britain, France and Germany. The last named country has no territorial interests near Liberia, but enjoys the largest trade in that country and there, in all probability, would demand consideration in any arrangement made to settle the existing difficulties of the negro republic.

If such a treaty is made it is expected the three countries first named

would undertake to see that the Liberian boundaries were respected and that some form of constabulary would be arranged for the protection of the Liberians against aggressions of wild tribes. It has been suggested also that the United States might superintend the fiscal affairs of Liberia, Democratic members of the committee, however, object to this plan.

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