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MISS BESSIE LOUISE DICHPMAN

MISS MABEL GREGORY

THE lack of entertainment during the last week has left the women of society free to indulge their fad for outdoor life, and almost every morning scores of maids and matrons has been seen walking or riding in the park. Every one is bent upon absorbing as much of the spring air and sunshine as possible and every one is determined to secure a stock of health and vitality before the strenuous season of social gayety is resumed.

The Lenten season is a fine time in which to recuperate tired nerves and muscles and the sensible woman devotes herself assiduously to the task, knowing that renewed strength, brighter eyes and fresher complexion are hers for the effort.

The last week has held much for the health seekers, but it has held something for the pleasure seekers as well. There was the concert last Thursday evening at the St. Francis, when Mrs. Ben Lathrop appeared before a San Francisco audience after her success in the east, and in addition to the concert other musical matters of the week have been pleasant diversions.

A number of the girls are devoted to riding and this is really the time of year when riding is at the height of popularity. The usual morning ride has been followed by teas at the Fairmont in the afternoon.

One of the elaborate teas of the week was given by Mrs. Aiden Anderson for a number of guests in the laurel court at the Fairmont and several of the young girls had informal tea parties during the week. Miss Jeanne Gailois gave an informal tea, and among the elaborate dinners of recent date was that given by Mr. and Mrs. George Whitell at the Fairmont.

Dinner parties have been quite in favor. Among those who entertained delightfully were Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas, who greeted several friends at a dinner given at the St. Francis, Prescott Scott entertained at an elaborate dinner Wednesday evening and there were the usual number of dinner parties preceding the concert last Thursday evening at the hotel.

E. H. Harriman and the party that accompanied him on the trip across the continent and through the southern part of the state arrived at Burlingame last week and gave a fresh impetus to affairs there. The polo game, specially arranged for the group of distinguished visitors, was played on the grounds of the Frank Carolan home. The game between the "Reds" and the "Whites" resulted in a score of 6 to 5, in favor of the "Whites," and after the contest the Harriman party were entertained at an elaborate dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. William H. Crocker.

Among those at the game in the afternoon were:

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Harriman	Miss Brown
Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Brown	Miss McCallister
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence	Miss Lawrence
Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie	Miss Crocker
Mr. and Mrs. E. Calvin	Miss Howard
Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Martin	Miss Joseph A. Tobin
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Tobin	Miss Montford
Mr. and Mrs. George	Miss Cooper
Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cameron	Miss Harvey
Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. H. Crocker	Miss Scott
Miss Eleanor Sears	Miss Tobin

The engagement of Miss Bessie Louise Dichman and Lieutenant Thurman Harrison Bane was expected by the friends of the couple for several weeks, and when the news was considered to a dozen friends by the bride elect at her recent tea there was a shower of congratulations. Those who did not hear the first news of the engagement are saying, "I told you so," because the young officer's devotion to the charming singer has been a matter of gossip among their friends for some months.

Miss Dichman is a talented girl and speaks French, German and Italian with equal fluency. Her voice is a rich contralto, and she has earned more than usual fame already. A stage career has been often prophesied for her, but the present plans of the

attractive bride elect do not include a stage debut. The wedding will take place shortly. Miss Dichman is tall, with brunette coloring and dark eyes. She is a general favorite on account of her winsome personality as much as her musical gifts.

Lieutenant Bane, who is an officer of the Fourteenth cavalry, has been at the Presidio for two years, but will go shortly for the Philippines, where he will take his bride. The couple will be in the islands for an indefinite stay, and their friends are planning a number of pleasant affairs to precede their departure. A portrait of Miss Dichman appears on this page today.

Colonel and Mrs. J. C. Kirkpatrick and their attractive daughter have gone to their country home at Pleasanton for the early summer months. Colonel Kirkpatrick will remain for a brief visit, but leaves shortly for Europe, where he will pass the summer. Miss Kirkpatrick has promised to make frequent visits to town, to the delight of her many friends, who are not willing to have this attractive girl absent for a long period even during the summer. She will make trips to town occasionally, when she will be the guest of friends, or stay with her mother at the Fairmont for weekend visits.

Miss Eleanor Sears, who is the guest of Mrs. Walter Hobart at Burlingame, is one of the most beautiful girls who has come from the east to be a favorite in California. It is to be regretted that such stress is placed upon her athletic achievement when her grace and many accomplishments should claim more attention. Of course, she is enthusiastic over outdoor recreation, but she has such abounding enthusiasm that it must be expressed, and people forget that the expression of her interest in outdoor life is only part of her personality. She is an excellent horsewoman and was an enthusiastic spectator at the recent polo games. Her victory in guiding Alfred Vandebilt's yacht established her reputation for unusual courage, but it is not quite fair to forget that she is a charming, well-bred girl. Her attractive personality and her promise should she be induced to remain this summer as the guest of Mrs. Hobart Burlingame will come to look upon her charming feminine traits with as much admiration as upon her athletic achievements.

Miss Mabel Gregory, whose portrait is reproduced on the society page today, has just returned after a pleasant visit in the southern part of the state with her mother, Mrs. H. K. Gregory. Miss Gregory is one of the popular girls in society and has entertained frequently at home affairs during the season. She will pass part of the summer in town, but will enjoy brief week end visits during the coming month.

The tea given last Thursday afternoon by Miss Julie Heyneman at her studio in Presidio avenue was one of the delightful affairs that was arranged in an impromptu way and brought together many clever people. The studio tea of the hour is an interesting reunion of society people and their friends, who have more serious pursuits, and the informal little assemblies are likely to grow in favor, if it be possible for the reasons that many people are anxious to pass a year with really interesting friends who have not much leisure on other days to greet their scores of acquaintances. The tea given by Miss Heyneman was a compliment to Mr. and Mrs. William Shakespeare of London, who are here for a brief period.

Among those who called at the pretty studio in Presidio avenue during the afternoon were:

Mrs. Eugene Gailois	Mrs. Halle Davis
Mrs. Silas Palmer	Mrs. Fred Lake
Mrs. Walter MacGavin	Miss Louise Breeze
Mrs. Timothy Hopkins	Bruce Porter
Mrs. Ernest S. Simpson	Mrs. Carrie Rixford
Miss Fernand Pratt	Johnson
Miss Elizabeth Morrison	

Mrs. Richard Derby gave one of the prettiest luncheons of the week at the Francesca club. Mrs. Derby has returned recently to this side of the bay after several months' residence

out of town and her friends here are glad that she has decided to remain in this city for an indefinite time.

The luncheon last Thursday was in compliment to Mrs. Samuel Moss, who has been the incentive for several of the Lenten affairs. Mrs. Moss is visiting here from the east and has been extensively entertained by her friends. No recent party was more delightfully informal and for that matter so perfectly appointed as the luncheon in compliment of this visitor, at which Mrs. Derby presided. Mrs. Derby has particular talent as a hostess and among those who enjoyed her hospitality on the recent occasion were:

Mrs. M. A. Huntington	Miss Thompson of Santa
Mrs. K. E. Johnson	Barbara
Mrs. James C. Jordan	Mrs. Ford
Mrs. Albert Gerber	Mrs. George King

Miss Florence Breckenridge was the charming guest of honor at a dinner party given Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Babcock at their home in Scott street. The affair was one of a number of informal farewells parties given for Miss Breckenridge during the month, for she leaves shortly with the Frederick S. Sharons for an extended visit in Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Sharon have been the recipients of elaborate farewells parties and among those of the past week was the dinner given Thursday evening at the Fairmont, when Frank Michael presided as host. The Sharons will take their automobile with them on the trip and are planning a series of interesting motor trips. They will return to this city early in November and will visit 12 of the important cities in the old world.

Miss Vera Meyer, whose wedding with Hugh Owen will be an event of April 20, has been one of the feted brides elect recently, and the luncheon given in compliment of this attractive girl last week was planned by Miss Sydney Davis. While the affair was marked by the greatest informality there was a delightful enthusiasm about it. The hostess invited 12 of the closest friends of Miss Meyer for that afternoon.

The wedding will be one of the prettiest of the April events, and the details promise an unusual wedding as well. The color scheme chosen for the occasion is pink and the spring color will be carried out with artistic effect. The bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Laura Meyer, the maid of honor, and the best man will be Albert Herrick. The friends of the couple will attend the pretty ceremony, but the affair is to be marked by simplicity.

Mrs. Carl Schilling had to postpone the recent luncheon that she had planned in compliment to Miss Helen Wilson, the fiancée of Paymaster Walter Greer. Mrs. Schilling has been making her home in Piedmont since her marriage a year or more ago, but she entertains frequently on this side of the bay and has not given up her friends in town. Mrs. Schilling is one of the most attractive of the younger matrons with a charm and vivacity that makes her a favored guest. She entertains delightfully and her parties are always marked with a genuine hospitality that is a pleasure to share, even for girls who have been feted constantly. It was a matter for regret that her luncheon for Miss Wilson had to be postponed, owing to the way to the illness of the complimented guest, who had an attack of grip at the time, but a number of informal affairs will be given this season by the popular little hostess.

A wedding of the week which called a number of guests from town took place last Tuesday in Santa Cruz, when Miss Helen Josephine Deming became the bride of Dr. Gardner Perry Pond. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. William C. Pond, father of the bridegroom, and the home of Mr. and Mrs. Deming on Beach hill was attractively decorated for the occasion. The wedding was attended with the simplicity of a home affair, and was followed by an informal reception.

The bride is an attractive girl and was a student at a Berkeley school for several years, consequently she numbers her friends on both sides of

Popular society girl who has just returned from a visit to the south, and a talented and charming young woman who will soon wed a cavalry officer.

the bay by the score. She is an intimate friend of the Meek girls, who entertained for her last winter at their San Leandro home. Mrs. Pond will probably be a frequent visitor here, since her parents pass much of their time at the Fairmont. After a brief honeymoon trip, however, Dr. Pond and his bride will make their home in Pasadena.

Captain and Mrs. Henry T. Ferguson invited over 100 friends Sunday afternoon, March 28, to the largest reception of the year given at Fort Miley. The occasion was a pretty compliment to Miss Louise Dichman and Lieutenant Thurman Bane. The Fergusons have gone to Fort Miley quite recently, but it seems likely that they new quarters will be the center of a delightful coterie of friends. The decorations last Sunday were pink turf blossoms, and the pretty gowns of the women made an effective picture in the dainty setting of blooms. Miss Dichman sang several times during the afternoon and the occasion was marked by a jolly informality.

Dr. Arnold Genthe gave one of the unique affairs of the week at his studio in Clay street, and the affair was quite unusual, formed in the old-fashioned garden adjoining the house, and it was a whimsical thought of the host that prompted the giving of cats as favors of the afternoon. Every meek little pussy had a pink or blue ribbon on its neck and the privilege was given to each guest of selecting one from the playful group of felines. The introduction of feline favors may lead to the great extravagance of cat diamonds, since she had recently acquired a fortune and desired, as every Mrs. Newmoney does, to furnish her home in a way that would surprise her friends and neighbors. She secured the furniture, since she was not satisfied by the price, and a new neighbor has gone telling everybody that Mrs. Newmoney, in asking for the furniture, gullelessly said: "I hear that you have some Chickentat furniture that is very rare, and I wish to buy it." She was corrected and received the furniture in return for a goodly sum.

The persistent rumor of an engagement in San Rafael has done much to enliven the monotony of the week, but the days have gone by without the expected morsel of gossip taking its place as a formal matter of news or subject for congratulation. The young society girl who is said to have recently given a serious decision in favor of the little blind deity is one of the prettiest girls in town, and was such a favorite last winter that she was the center of comment on several occasions. Recently the family moved to San Rafael, and rumors were rife that she had a beginning in town last winter. It seems so far, however, that the surmise is wrong

again or more probably that the attractive girl is not ready to confirm the suspicion of Mme. Rumor.

Another engagement rumor heard over the teacups last week was that of a charming young visitor, who is quite as popular during her second visit here as in the first, a year since. A young man who was assiduous in his attentions was said to be the lucky fellow. The decision has seemed to waver between the popular local chap and an eastern man, but the close friends of the fascinating visitor say that her attention has not been claimed for a serious moment in either case. She will remain in the city for an extended visit and time, that involves every other interesting problem, will settle the gossip. The announcement of this engagement would be of interest also in New York, where the young girl is a great favorite.

Needle work is taking a place again in the varied duties of the up to date society girl. Many of the girls have taken up the needle and have a stock of pretty trifles to add to their summer wardrobe. We hear that all the fashionable dollies of New York are displaying dollies, and naperies embroidered by their growing girls, so that we may expect the fad to gain rapid favor here.

Mrs. Mackey encourages dainty work among all the school children under her jurisdiction and pays liberally for the same. She wishes to purchase an exceptionally good piece of work, and looks as if the society girl who will hemstitch her napkins and embroider her family crest on table covers, scarfs, dollies and other household linen is not to remain as extinct as the dodo. Many brides of the present season put in hours on such tasks. Several brides elect are showing a dainty array of embroidered wear that moves their friends to imitate their example and work wonders with the needle and linen square. In a certain set in England the making of family linen remains as obligatory as in the days of the spinning wheel and loom. Almost all the social leaders of Washington are clever with the needle. It would seem as if we were to have a sort of universal revival of the lost art of needlework and that society girls were to lead the new movement. It behooves every girl to "mind her sewing" these days.

Mr. and Mrs. George D. Cooper left last week for an extended trip to Europe and will enjoy a cruise on the Mediterranean. They will travel during the summer, but will return after the voyage to their home in Clay street.

Miss Hazel Ruth Perkins will be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given next Wednesday at the home of the Misses Harriet and Mabel Freeman in East Oakland. The members of the local chapter of the Delta Sigma Delta, of which Miss Perkins is a charter member, are among the invited guests and will entertain many of their friends during the latter part of the evening, who will gather to wish Miss Perkins "bon voyage," as she sails next week for an extended visit in Honolulu. The members who will participate in the musical entertainment of the evening are Florence Goss, Irene Wichman, Maude Bremer, Ella Grant, Alma Hanson, Helen Perkins, Harriet Freeman and Mabel Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Friedlander announce the engagement of their daughter, Gertrude, to Herman Gardner of Milwaukee. They will be at home this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Zwerfin announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lillian, to I. Mendelson of this city. The reception will be held Sunday, April 11, from 2 until 5 o'clock, at the residence of the bride's parents at 1719 Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hock celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding yesterday with an elaborate reception and supper given at Turn Verein hall. Several hundred friends were present to offer their congratulations to the happy couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Herrscher and family, who have been staying at the

vanced woman's, the club woman's and the professional woman's standpoint.

The singing of "Auld Lang Syne" finished the afternoon. Among those present were:

Mrs. James Baumbarger	John L. Brown of Napa
Max Sternberg	Charles Magini
J. H. Bowman	Sam Levi
H. A. Rosebaum	Rudolph C. Glogg
Elmer Glogg	Elizabeth Peitret
John Henry Glogg	Robert Kemp
R. G. Wenzel	Misses—
Ernest Glogg	Mrs. James Baumbarger
H. Heine	Irma Berman
Henry B. Meyer of San	Elma Miller
Rafael	Wynia Berman
Ernest L. Weule	Marguerite Popert
Paul Anichulich	Helen Glogg
E. Blanckenburg	Mabel Reed
Richard Rees	Leslie Reed
Dewing	Lena Magial
Henry Haman	Bertha Furrh
Marco Tromboni	Constance Peitret
	Agnes Whiting

The marriage of Miss Anna Irene Dettner and Dudley A. Cameron took place March 20 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Moffat in Berkeley. The ceremony was performed by Rev. William Pond of Redwood City. George Dettner gave his sister into the keeping of the bridegroom and the bride was attended by her sister, Miss Adele Dettner, as maid of honor. Walter Dettner acted as best man. The wedding march from "Lohengrin" was played by Mrs. Robert Marshall.

A reception followed the ceremony and the young couple were the recipients of many pretty gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Cameron will pass their honeymoon near Mount Shasta and will return to reside in the home that awaits them at 824 Dolores street.

Among the guests at the wedding were:

Mrs. Mary Dettner	Miss Adele Dettner
Mr. and Mrs. George	Albert Torkelson
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest	Edie Peitret
Dettner	Mrs. Ida Douglas
Mr. and Mrs. James	Mrs. Favr
Clark of Fresno	Miss Mrs. Shelly
Mr. and Mrs. James	Rev. William Pond
Mr. and Mrs. Robert	Miss Elvira Dettner
Heenan	Miss Virginia
Mr. and Mrs. Onley	Miss Lillian Moffat
Mr. and Mrs. Robert	Miss Gladys Moffat
Marshall	Ernest Dettner Jr.
Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz	Albert Dettner
Torkelson	Lawrence Torkelson Jr.
Mrs. Charles Tetch	George Dettner Jr.
James Mitchell	James Clark Jr.
	George Dettner Jr.
	Robert Dettner

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar L. Pest, with their two daughters, the Misses Helen and Marie Pest, will leave shortly for New York. After a short visit with relatives there they will leave May 1 for Europe, to remain several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Hirsch Jr. of 2428 Broadway will leave for Europe in the early part of next month and expect to be away for six months or more.

Normandie during the winter, will pass the summer at their country home in San Leandro.

Miss Gertrude Rotholz was hostess at a birthday party given recently at her home in Hayes street. The evening was passed over a game of whist and cards were followed by a supper. Among those present were:

Regina Lafoe	Phillip Silverstein
Gertrude Rotholz	Harry Schellen
Ruth Berliner	Arthur Berliner
Carrie Lubliner	Milton Bernard
Alice Abrams	Henry Langsdorf
Clara Langsdorf	Dave Young
Rose Meyers	Tobias Jacobson
Lea Rotholz	Louis Jacobson
Ether Goldstein	Robert Rotholz
Tessie G. Rotholz	Joe Licht
Dora Lazarus	Jack Linsenblatt

Mrs. Herbert Goodman leaves today for Chicago for an extended visit. Mrs. Goodman entertained yesterday at a reception given in the afternoon at the home of her mother, 2322 Davisadero street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wal J. Tusk announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Valerie Clara, and Lester L. Kahler, a prominent young businessman of Washington, D. C. The bride elect is a graduate of the high school and has many friends in this city. The wedding will probably take place in August.

A farewell party was given to Mrs. Angela Marie Howard Tuesday evening, March 23, in the clubroom of the Gables prior to her departure to the northern states. Miss Marguerite Howard was assisted in receiving the guests by Miss Birdie Calish and Miss Sadie Oppenheimer. The evening was passed pleasantly with dancing and music. After the early hours of the evening an elaborate supper was served in the banquet room. The decorations were violets and fern with pink candelabra.

Among the invited guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. May	Del Roberts
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ed-	William S. Borer
wards	Marie Chevalier
Mr. and Mrs. Theo J. Sadie Oppenheimer	
Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus	Mildred Lindsay
Lesinsky	Margaret Sullivan
Mr. and Mrs. John	Fred McGraw
Day	Don Fraser
Hynes	Howard Gallup
Mr. and Mrs. Frank	Ted Weldon
Husick	Harold C. Barnard
Mrs. Tojetti-Roche	J. Kenneth McAlpin
Mrs. Kathryn Cassidy	Sam Hume
Miss H. Young	William O. Eiler
Bess Fuller	Earl Pomroy
Nellie Stack	Sam Harris
Marie Power	Joseph F. Walsh
Amanda Chevalier	Louis Morehouse
Birdie Calish	J. Shack
Eleanor Gray	Mrs. Bush

Charles Goetting Jr., assisted by his brother and sister, entertained one evening last week at a surprise party given at his home to celebrate the twenty-first birthday of Morrison B. Curry. The parlors of the home were decorated with flowers and ferns, but the banquet room was adorned with flags and tricolor pennants. Each guest received a flag as a souvenir of the occasion. The guest of honor was presented with a large birthday cake bearing 21 candles. The top represented the dial of a clock with one hand pointing to the year and date of the recipient's birth and another hand to the symbol of health, happiness and prosperity.

There was a program of song and speeches made by Morrison Curry, Samuel Curry, Charles Goetting, George Cantrell and W. Weidman. Those present at the enjoyable party were:

Messrs.	Samuel T. Curry
W. Hense	Mr. and Mrs. J. F.
Joseph Cantrell	Power
C. Evans	Mr. and Mrs. J. Duff
M. Curry	Mr. and Mrs. L. Tied-
E. C. Goetting	man
A. Kuehla	Misses—
W. Palmer	H. Dowd
W. Mahoney	M. Cartwright
J. S. Swan	L. Bower
E. Vandenberg	W. Wright
W. Bie	H. Douglas
Mr. and Mrs. Charles L.	E. Engleberg
Goetting	M. Goring
Mr. and Mrs. George E. Morse	H. Goetting
A. Kommer	A. Goetting
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Walsh	E. Walsh
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Mr. and Mrs. M. Weisman announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rose Windreich, to Morris Miller. The wedding will be an event of the near future and the reception for friends and relatives will be held this afternoon at the residence of the bride elect, 478 Fell street.

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Other Social Events