In The Social Whirl

By RUTH CAMERON

THE fine art of conversation has been the subject of many essays within the last few years.

It needs to be.

For not only is the fine art of conversation very nearly a lost art, but the habit of conversation is rapidly passing away.

Some young married folks were expecting another married couple to dine. Said the wife, "I've planned a good dinner for them, but what shall we do in the evening? You know they don't play bridge." "Don't play bridge," repeated the husband, unbelievingly aghast, "you don't say so? They are queer ducks, aren't they? Well, what shall we do with them?"

After much racking of brains it was finally decided to borrow a phonograph from a neighbor with which to bridge over those bridge-less hours.

Several plans were suggested before this was finally decided upon, but in all their brain racking the idea that they might simply serve "a dish of talk" for their friends' entertainment never occurred to them.

The twentieth century is the age of many distractions.

Automobiles, bridge, the theaters, the lectures, the moving picture shows, musical machines, the vast supply of free books and inexpensive newspapers and magazines, combine to keep us perpetually entertained, and leave us no time for such tame and unexciting occupations as mere conversation.

Talk we must for business and practical purposes, just as we must occasionally walk for the purpose of getting to places, but any one who regards either talking or walking as a real pleasure in itself, even preferable at times, and in certain moods to automobiling or the theater, is looked at as mildly insane.

Consequently, I realize to what I lay myself open when I make this statement. As I look back over the past winter and all its happy evenings spent at the theater or opera, or lecture, or at a friend's card table, or at home with my books, the one which stands out as the most enjoyable is that on which a returned traveler, a man of large gifts as a conversationalist, both to hear and speak, sat with us round the open fire until midnight while we talked of many things. Laws and morals, books and plays, business and religion—on these and many other topics we talked, and the bells of midnight found us quite unable to believe four hours had fled since we drew up before the fire.

In these days when the cost of anything is one of the chief criterions of its value, the following recommendation of talk as a pleasure may not appeal. Nevertheless, I can not refrain from quoting it:

"In short, the first duty of man is to speak; that is his chief business in this world; and talk, which is the harmonious speech of two or more, is by far the most accessible of pleasures. It costs nothing in money; it is all profit; it completes our education, founds and fosters our friendships, and can be enjoyed at any age and in almost any state of health."—Stevenson.

SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. Gus Spreckels and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Eddy bade goodby yesterday to Mrs. E. Dore, Mrs. Ruby Bond, Miss Ruby Bond and Miss Edith Wooster, who sailed on the Imperator for the United States. In New York the party will spend several weeks as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Wooster in their home in Yonkers.

Letters from Miss Wooster and Miss Bond to their friends in this city prepare them for something startling in the way of dress. They write that their gowns, which are the last word in fashion, are slashed on both sides but that the effect is extremely stunning.

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Mrs. Guy Scott is receiving a warm welcome on her return to California where she plans to spend the remainder of the summer. At present she is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Alfred H. Voohries, and of her sister, Mrs. Kate Voohries Henry, in their home in Van Ness avenue. Miss Scott will pass the greater part of her sojourn in this city but will also visit at the summer resorts before returning to her home in the east.

As Miss Lelia Voohries Mrs. Scott was a belle of San Francisco and a great deal of entertainment is being planned in her honor by the smart set.

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Porter Bishop and Thomas Porter Bishop Jr., have returned to their home in Buchanan street after a three weeks' stay at their ranch near Santa Barbara.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Baldwin are receiving the congratulations of their friends on the arrival of a daughter in their home. Mrs. Baldwin was formerly Miss Edith Berry.

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Sydney and Arthur Ford are spending a few days in Ross valley as the guests of friends during the absence of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred B. Ford, who are touring the southern part of the state.

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Mrs. Adrian von Behrens and Misses Ida and Josephine Ross are in Los Angeles and are stopping at the Hotel Alexandria. They will depart Saturday for Santa Barbara to spend several weeks.

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James K. Polk is at Tahoe whither he went with a party of friends to enjoy 10 days of fishing and boating.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holland who for several years have made their home in the east have arrived in San Francisco and are receiving a welcome from the local smart set. The Hollands are making the Fairmont their headquarters during their sojourn in the city and despite the fact that it is summer and the great majority of the social elect have departed for the seaside or their country estates there is considerable entertainment on the tapis among the young married contingent in honor of this popular couple.

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Mrs. Alpheus Bull and her sister, Mrs. Robinson, accompanied by the latter's children, have returned to the Bull residence in Pacific avenue after a visit of several weeks in Bolinas. Mrs. Robinson is the widow of Lieutenant Robinson, U. S. A. She recently came to San Francisco to join her sister and has decided to make it her permanent home.

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Miss Alice Warner has gone to Seattle where she will participate in the golf tournament and while in the northern city she will be the guest of Mrs. E. E. Ainsworth. Miss Warner has the distinction of being the only woman representative of California last year.

Miss Josephine Johnson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce Johnson of Oakland, has gone north to play in the Potlatch tournament. Percy W. Selby chartered a private car to take the members of the California Golf association north and it is confidently expected that in September when the golf tournament will open at Del Monte that the northern team will come to California to enter the lists.

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Mr. and Mrs. George E. Bates have returned to their homes in this city after an enjoyable trip to Alaska where they spent the early summer months. Mrs. Bates is a sister of Chief Justice William H. Beatty.

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Miss Dorothy Allen returned yesterday to her home in Washington street after a three weeks' visit at Del Monte and Carmel by the Sea. In the latter city she visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz von Schrader.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kellogg Hutchinson returned yesterday from Carmel where they enjoyed a fortnight's visit with Mrs. Hutchinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Hooper. Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson are at present in their home in First avenue, but they will depart for an extended visit to Lake Tahoe.

NEWS FROM THE HOTELS

L. A. Beeman of Orlando, Fla., is at the Palace.

Miss Helen Hanna of Fresno is at the Columbia.

O. D. Colvin, a Seattle lumberman, is a Palace guest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Pickel of Medford, Ore., are at the Palace.

R. M. Shackelford of Paso Robles is registered at the Palace.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Sloane of Chicago are guests at the Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cobb of Seattle are recent arrivals at the Palace.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Devereux registered at the Manx from Fresno.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Foster of San Rafael are stopping at the Fairmont.

W. F. Conway and W. G. Cuthberth of Sacramento are at the Argonaut.

J. C. Yancey, a Portland merchant, registered at the Sutter yesterday.

Ralph Quarles Jr., an attorney of Honolulu, is stopping at the Bellevue.

Mrs. W. H. Wallace and Romayne Wallace of Eureka are registered at the Stewart.

Mrs. B. Emery and Miss Grace Emery of Ukiah registered at the Manx yesterday.

Mrs. H. L. Hall and Miss Mildred Richardson of Santa Rosa are guests at the Stewart.

James H. McClintock, government inspector in Phoenix, is registered at the Bellevue.

C. E. Wantland of Los Angeles, head of the land department of the Southern Pacific Railroad company, is staying at the St. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pierce of Suisun are at the St. Francis. Mr. Pierce is one of the largest dealers in cattle in that district.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Stanley of Los Angeles have taken a suite at the St. Francis and will make their home there during their engagement with the Alcazar stock company.

J. A. Ulmer of Porterville is at the Manx.

Walter H. Dietze of Mendocino is at the Dale.

Rev. Harold Govette of Fresno is at the Argonaut.

George M. Reed of Portland is a Stewart guest.

Alice M. Pachall of Sacramento is a guest at the Manx.

C. L. Taylor, a Bakersfield merchant, is at the Argonaut.

Fred W. Hahn of Sacramento is a guest at the St. Francis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harrin of Modesto are staying at the Sutter.

Mrs. F. J. Pyne of Carson City, Nev., is registered at the Stewart.

Dr. George H. Buch of Portland, Ore., is registered at the Von Dorn.

E. J. Eaker of Watsonville, a merchant, is a guest at the Dale.

Preston Wright of Los Angeles is a recent arrival at the Argonaut.

Mrs. Walter C. Smith of Beaumont registered at the St. Francis yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kennedy and Herbert Kennedy of Chicago are guests at the Fairmont.

Mrs. S. L. Marshall of New York is making the Von Dorn her headquarters while in the city.

Mrs. M. J. Steward of San Jose is spending a few days in San Francisco and is a guest at the Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. James Morehouse of Los Angeles are new arrivals at the Fairmont. Mr. Morehouse is a real estate operator.

Mrs. A. M. Seymour, Miss Dorothy Seymour and Mrs. R. Grant Potter form a party of Sacramento residents who are guests of the Stewart.

George C. Reiter, U. S. N., retired with rank of rear admiral, who makes occasional visits to San Francisco, registered at the Palace last night from New York.

Miss Coombs Is Engaged to Corning Man

Social Favorite Surprises Many Friends

Bride a Member of Pioneer Family From Napa

An engagement which will be learned with surprise by a large circle of friends throughout California is that of Miss Muriel Coombs and Joseph C. Gyle of Corning, Cal.

Miss Coombs is the youngest daughter of the late William Henry Coombs of Napa and of Mrs. Coombs, and is a granddaughter of the late Nathan Coombs, pioneer of Napa county and founder of the city. Her sisters are Miss Lotus and Miss Tiny Coombs. Mrs. Catherine Coombs and her daughters have resided for several years past in San Francisco, where the bride elect has been identified with the activities of the younger set. Miss Coombs was one of the attendants at the marriage of Miss Marjorie Stafford and Robert Fitch, which was an event of last month.

Mr. Gyle is a prominent business man of Corning. He is a brother of Mrs. Charles Kaufman of Oakland.

Although no date has been set for the wedding, it probably will be an event of the late autumn.

Miss Muriel Coombs, whose engagement to Joseph Gyle of Corning has surprised her friends throughout the state. She is a member of a pioneer Napa county family. The wedding is to be this fall.

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THEOLOGICAL TEACHER WOULD ADMIT JAPANESE

Only Adults Who Do Not Understand English Should Be Barred, In His Judgment

(Special Cable to The Call)

HONOLULU, T. H., July 15.—Dr. Sydney L. Gulick, for the past quarter of a century at the head of the theological department of Doshisha university, Kioto, Japan, who is visiting in Honolulu, has a solution for the Japanese question in the United States.

He maintains that the Japanese are assimilable under proper conditions and that they should be given the naturalization privileges of "favored nations." He says:

"The Japanese feel that they are the equal of any race. I believe that America should have carefully defined conditions of naturalization with regard to all nationalities, and that she should modify her laws.

"I also think that it is a wise plan for the United States to bar from the country the farmers of Japan, for the reason that, in their adult age, it is almost impossible for them to acquire a knowledge of the English language, but the graduates of the middle schools and the students who have spent five years in higher education should be allowed free entrance.

"I believe that opposition to the Japanese is partly due to their advanced economic enterprises."

WATSONVILLE SKELETONS CLEW TO TREASURE CACHE

Indian Woman Declares Robbers Buried $80,000 Near Place Where Bones Were Found

(Special Dispatch to The Call)

WATSONVILLE, July 15.—The remnants of an old Indian burying ground have been discovered on George C. Cleveland's ranch on the shores of Pinto lake near this city. Two skeletons were unearthed.

A hidden treasure hunt will be started as the result of the finding of the bones, as an old Indian woman, who lives near the Cleveland ranch, said that many years ago she saw a band of robbers hide $80,000 near where the bones were found.

The robbers threatened her life with death if she told where the treasure was located and she has kept her word up to this time.

SAN RAFAEL MARRIAGE LICENSES

(Special Dispatch to The Call)

SAN RAFAEL, July 14.—Marriage licenses were granted here yesterday as follows: Arthur Bierwirth, 21, Berkeley and Florence Vance, 18, Oakland; Earl J. Comyas, 22, and Irene B. Welsh, 22, both of San Francisco; Henry G. Cayle, 21, and Theresa Mason, 18, both of San Francisco; Cyril R. Macdonald, 22, and Ruth M. Du Frane, 21, both of Stockton; Fred B. McAtee, 37, and Mary E. Mansfield, 32, both of Oakland; Jesse T. Bledsoe, 32, San Francisco, and Jessie Silva Gomes, 23, Oakland; Angilo R. Pinto, 37, and Elizabeth Travers, 25, both of Fresno.

RAILROAD FOUND TO BE BLAMELESS

Board of Inquiry Exonerates Southern Pacific for Accident

The board of inquiry convened at Merced to fix the responsibility for a collision between train No. 8 of the Southern Pacific company and a wagon at Merced July 7, resulting in the death of a driver, C. A. Coffee has found that the fatality was due to the failure of Coffee to heed whistle and crossing warnings. No blame is placed on the railroad company.

Coffee was driving a two horse wagon and drove on to the tracks directly in front of the rapidly moving train, apparently disregarding the bell, which was ringing at the crossing, and the repeated whistles of the engineer.

The board was made up of W. E. Lamdram, a lumber dealer; W. B. Croop, justice of the peace, and three railroad officials.

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Two rulings of the Transcontinental Freight association will interest shippers in this state. Less than carload rate on wrought iron or steel pipe, including boiler flues, shown in item 2770, transcontinental westbound tariff No. 1 M., of $1.50 per 100 pounds, will be canceled with the next settlement. A year ago the north lines established a rate for canned apples of 65 cents per 100 pounds, with a minimum of 60,000 pounds. As no advantage has been taken of this rate it will be cancelled.

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E. L. Brown, vice president of the Denver and Rio Grande, who will succeed C. H. Schlacks as vice president of the Western Pacific, announces that construction gangs have started work on the installation of a private telephone system along the line of the Denver and Rio Grande system between Grand Junction, Colo., and Ogden, Utah. Two heavy copper wires are being strung a distance of 328 miles at an expense of more than $50,000. Between two and three months will be required to complete the work.

According to Vice President Brown, the telephone will make it possible to establish instant connection between dispatching headquarters and trainmen. Not only will side tracks and blind sidings be equipped with telephone boxes, but all trains will carry instruments. With them trainmen can make connection at any point between the telephone stations.

Mr. Brown believes that the dispatching of trains will be expedited and the telegraph wires relieved of much of their present burden.

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CHICAGO COUPLE WED IN FAIRMONT

Miss Katherine Mortenson Becomes Bride of George Russell Carr

Oak Park Relatives Attend Ceremony Performed by Clergyman From Home

The red room of the Hotel Fairmont was the scene of a brilliant wedding last evening, when Miss Katherine Mortenson of Chicago became the bride of George Russell Carr, also of that city.

The ceremony was performed at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. George N. Luccok, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Oak Park, Ill., of which both families are members, being the officiating clergyman. He was assisted by Rev. Dr. W. O. Carrier, president of Carroll college of Waukesha, Wis., who assisted at the marriage of the bride's parents.

Jacob Mortenson gave his daughter in marriage. She was radiant in a robe of ivory satin embellished with point lace and embroidered in pearls. Her lace veil was confined by a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley enmeshed with tulle and maidenhair. Attending her as maid of honor was her sister, Miss Margaret Mortenson, whose robe was of pink chiffon, trimmed with baby roses and lace, and the bridesmaid was Miss Marie Bricker, a niece of the groom, who wore a gown of velvet embossed chiffon in shades of rose. Both attendants carried shower bouquets of Killarney roses.

Mrs. Mortenson, mother of the bride, was in white satin brocade and lace and wore as a corsage adornment a bouquet of white orchids.

Robert Carr was his brother's best man, while H. D. Mortenson, a brother of the bride, officiated as master of ceremonies, and Charles Mortenson, another brother, was usher.

An informal reception and supper followed the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Carr will sail on the Mongolia today for the orient on an extended honeymoon, and on their return will go to Chicago, where a large reception to all their friends will be held.

Mr. Carr is a graduate of the University of Illinois and is the manager of the Chicago Wholesale Drug company.

Among those who came west to attend the wedding are: Dr. and Mrs. W. O. Carrier of Waukesha, Ill.; Dr. G. N. Luccok of Oak Park, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carr of Highland Park, Ill.; Mrs. Aura C. Bricker and Miss Marie Bricker of Oak Park, Ill., and Frank Abbott of Goshen, Ind.

FORWARD TO THE LAND LEAGUE TO MEET SOON

First Convention in Boston Next Month Will Be Attended By California Woman Delegate

LOS ANGELES, July 15.—Mrs. Haviland H. Lund, chairman of the executive committee of the newly organized Forward to the Land league, left here for the east today to represent California at the league's first convention in Boston, August 6 to 9. En route Mrs. Lund will stop in several cities to discuss the possibilities of the work mapped out by the new organization.

The forward to the land movement is designed to bring superior results to the farmer, to eliminate frauds in the settlement of lands and to inspire social life in rural districts. It also aims to make farm life so attractive as to promote a general exodus from the congested sections of the large cities, thereby bringing relief to the tenement dwellers and eventual extermination of the slums.

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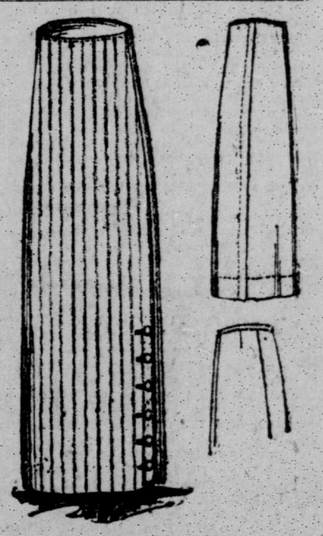

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