

Society

Edited by Mrs. J. G. Green.

SOCIETY events have not been numerous during the past week and few are promised for this week. The Pirate bridge party to be given by the Columbian club on Saturday afternoon will be most interesting. Of the coming affairs this one is to be the real diversion. And as instructors who fully understand the game are to be present and instruct the players, any one who desires to learn will have the opportunity. Other entertainment will be offered, also, and refreshments served. Several large parties are to be given soon after Lent, one a dancing party by the Columbian club, and the usual number of spring luncheons.

Informally Entertained.
On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Byron E. Hyatt entertained very informally for Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McConnell of St. Albans, who were their guests at dinner. Sweet peas in a cast glass bowl decorated the table.

Pirate Bridge Party.
"Pirate Bridge," the new card game which is all the rage in the east and is much like auction, will be the attraction at the afternoon card party to be given Saturday, March 31, at 2 o'clock, by the Columbian club in Columbian hall. A few who understand the game will carefully instruct the beginners. There will also be printed slips on the tables for the guidance of the players. It is not often that such an opportunity is offered to learn the newest and most popular drawing game and a large number of ladies will undoubtedly attend. The new game is played everywhere in the east, where it is extremely popular. For those who do not care to learn, "500" will be substituted. For those who do not play at all, a Kensington with some form of entertainment will be provided in the usual cosy corner. Refreshments will be served.

Judge and Mrs. MacLane Honored Guests While Here.
Mrs. John MacLane of Salt Lake was the motif for a number of delightful affairs during the past week, luncheons, dinners, afternoon and evening parties, all most delightful. Judge MacLane was here long enough to share in a part of the general entertainment, but his duties compelled his return to his office before the close of the week. Judge and Mrs. MacLane's little daughter was also entertained at little folks' parties.

Bridal Shower.
March 19, at Mora, a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Ethel King was given at the home of Mrs. Eby. The hostesses were Mrs. Eby, Mrs. Rea, Mrs. Grebe and Miss Eichelberger. At 2 o'clock the guests assembled and were given a piece of white tissue paper, some paste and pins and with these were asked to make a garment for the bride's trousseau. There was much merriment over the outcome and the bride-to-be was certainly well supplied with useful and beautiful garments in miniature. Miss King was seated in a large chair and a large white basket decorated with green containing presents was carried in and the presents showered upon her. The presents were then replaced in the basket and as the honored one removed them, one by one, before unwrapping, she told how she would use each. This proved very amusing in many cases. At 5:30 a dainty two-course luncheon was served, after which the bride's cake, snow white, surmounted by a kiewpie in green decorations, was cut first by the bride-to-be, then by the other guests. The ring was drawn by Miss Wolfe, the dime by Miss Lois Fountain, and the thimble by Mrs. Rea. Those present were Mesdames Achenbach, Fairchild, Rea, Eby, Gregory, Grebe, Harvey Grisham, Sam-Griffin, Scrivner, Whitmore, Clark, McSparran, Frank King, Wilson, Barry Nelson, Ralph Walker, Robert Bodine, Claire Bodine, and the Misses Eichelberger, Wolfe, Gregory, Fountain, Wright and Ethel King.

The A. E. Carlsons in Denver.
The A. E. Carlsons are in Denver for the summer. Mr. Carlson has mining interests near that city which he will look after. Mrs. Bell and her little son, Vernon Bell Jr., are with them for the summer, also, as Captain Bell is with the Seventh cavalry at El Paso, Texas, and his movements are too uncertain in prospect for his wife and son to join him.

Y. W. C. A. Notes.
The vesper services this afternoon will be opened by Mrs. George H. Marshall, who is an interesting speaker. Mrs. R. E. Randall will sing, followed by a quartet composed of four other local singers. The social hour with the cup of tea will be a feature, as usual. Miss Alta Knapp and Miss Pearl Snyder will be the hostesses. The Wonder club met last week, studied the stars and enjoyed a warm supper on "Camel's Back"—the first meeting of the season. The new association cards which are a "welcome for women and girls" call attention to the rest and reading rooms, piano and Victrola, free employment bureau and other conveniences. The "room of usefulness" is one of the most generally utilized rooms of the association. A sewing machine, an electric iron and various other conveniences afford exactly the right equipment for girls and women who need the room. This is where a girl may launder a waist, a few handkerchiefs, and a few more of the many necessary things

Lectured Before the Columbian Club



OLIVER C. JONES

Prominent musical educator of this city who lectured before the Columbian club Monday afternoon on folk-music,

which aid in keeping a girl's wardrobe fresh and in repair.

The Y. W. C. A. has just received some fine photographs of last year's northwestern conference at Seabeck, which give one a fair view of the permanent conference grounds on Hood's canal, half a day's ride from Seattle by boat. Miss Helen A. Davis will be the executive of the conference this year, which lasts from June 23 to July 3.

The High School club has formed a mission class under the direction of Mrs. Swain which meets Thursday afternoon directly after school.

The swimming class meets Saturday afternoons at the Natatorium.

Pretty Attentions for Mrs. MacLane.
Mrs. John MacLane was the guest of honor at a small luncheon given by Mrs. C. C. Anderson on Tuesday.

Mrs. F. F. Johnson entertained for Mrs. MacLane on Wednesday at a pretty luncheon in nine covers. Pink carnations and pink candles decorated the table.

Mrs. MacLane and her little daughter, Mary, were the house guests of Mrs. T. K. Little for a few days after Judge MacLane returned to Salt Lake on Tuesday.

Golden Rod Club Banquets.
The Golden Rod club gave its annual banquet to which the husbands were invited, Monday week at 7 p. m. at the Columbian club hall. Carnations of palest rose decorated the tables and place cards painted by a well known artist member in a dainty design of golden rod were at the plates. There was a delicious menu and after that toasts were responded to with Mr. Gracey as the witty toastmaster. Among those who responded was Dr. Maberly who answered "What it means to be an American citizen."

Representative Storey responded to the toast "Some of the things accomplished at this session of the legislature." A number of other speakers gave short talks which were very interesting.

Fourth Annual Art Exhibition Closes.
The fourth annual exhibition of the Artist League of Idaho closed Sunday week after a remarkably successful season.

Mrs. Teresa M. Graham Returns Home.
Mrs. Teresa M. Graham, who was in Boise during the entire session of the legislature, and who as a member of the minimum wage commission was in close attendance upon the workings of that body, returned to her home in Coeur d'Alene early last week. Mrs. Graham has occupied many positions of honor in the state of Idaho and has graced each one with distinguished ability and rare womanly wisdom. At the national Democratic convention in St. Louis in 1916 to which Mrs. Graham was appointed as the woman delegate from Idaho, the grace and dignity with which she filled her place was constantly remarked. The courtesy shown her was won by her own personality as well as the prominence of her position. Mrs. Graham has been a delightful acquisition to Boise society and her departure is a matter for regret. It is hoped, however, that she will visit the capital again at an early date.

Fortieth Wedding Anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pizey arranged a beautiful wedding anniversary Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Pizey's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William Antrim of Boise, formerly of Randolph, Ia. The party was also for two other relatives of the family who are visiting here at present—Mr. W. J. Kilpatrick of Oils, Colo., brother of Mrs. William Antrim, and Mrs. Kirkpatrick. It was an evening affair and charades and music enlivened the hours. Miss Louise Woodruff sang several delightful selections accompanying herself and Mrs. Huber charmed the company with piano solos. A two-

course lunch was served, the candles matching the pink carnations used for decoration, the latter a gift to the bride. It was a delightful occasion especially enjoyed by the honored guests.

Thursday Diversion Club.
Dancing the newest steps continues to absorb the devotees of terpsichore at the Thursday Evening Diversion club and no cessation of the popular pastime is even hinted at. Something pretty has been rumored for the after Lenten season, but Miss Harris' plans are not yet fully matured. Whatever is done under her skillful direction always proves entertaining, however, and everyone will be satisfied.

Many Affairs for Miss Grunbaum.
Miss Irene Grunbaum has been the guest of honor at a number of informal affairs during the week, some form of entertainment having been planned for each afternoon and evening. Society is loath to lose Miss Grunbaum who has been a popular favorite ever since her debut, and who possesses the rare charm of loyalty to her friends and home, unspoil by fortune and the larger life of the city. Miss Grunbaum leaves on Thursday morning for her present home in San Francisco.

Enjoyable Dinner Party.
Mr. and Mrs. Leo J. Falk presided at a dinner of 10 covers Thursday evening in the Orange room of the Hotel Owyhee, given in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Davidson, and Miss Irene Grunbaum, who is here from San Francisco. The harmonizing effect of a yellow color scheme was observed.

Tuesday Club.
The last meeting of the club was one of its most delightful sessions. The program consisted of songs by Mrs. Herman J. Brown and readings from her own writings by Mrs. Edgar M. Hoover. Mrs. Hoover read most charmingly two poems, "It's a Long Way From Broadway," and "Nativity," also a middle west character sketch entitled, "Alzamon Makes Good in Twin River." This is one of the first occasions on which a Boise audience has had the opportunity of listening to a reading of literary productions of this character by the author. Mrs. Brown, well known to the stage in England as Elsie Edwards, rendered a number of delightful songs so charmingly that the club insisted on more songs by Mrs. Brown at future meetings.

Dance at the C. A. Barton Home.
Walter Barton was the host at a charming dancing party of 20 couples of young people Friday evening at his home on Main street. Light refreshments were served.

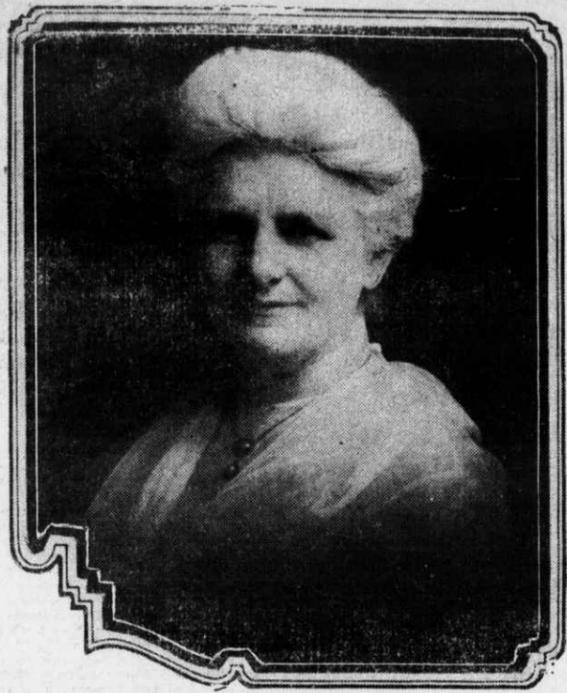
Cards From the Legislative Set.
Cards are beginning to be received from some of the feminine members of the legislative set, two of them having found their way back to Boise from two different sections of the state. From the south comes word that the women of south Idaho have reached their homes safely. From the north, white winged messengers bearing messages of affection and warm interest come direct from the coterie which graced the Hotel Owyhee at various times during the legislature. Mrs. Fery Mitchell, wife of Senator Mitchell and Mrs. Virginia MacCris, wife of the toast "Some of the things accomplished at this session of the legislature." A number of other speakers gave short talks which were very interesting.

Visitor Entertained.
Mrs. Ephraim Hull entertained 14 ladies Wednesday afternoon at a Kensington in honor of her sister, Mrs. R. W. Carpenter of Emmett, who came over to attend the Rush-Carpenter wedding. Mrs. Carpenter spent several days in the city and left Thursday for her home.

St. Patrick's Tea.
The spacious library of St. John's hall was filled with ladies who came to attend the St. Patrick's tea given on Wednesday afternoon by Mesdames Ed Brennan, R. Atkinson, J. P. Koelach, Ern Eagleson, Mary McAtee, J. A. Long and A. E. Robinson. The first hour was devoted to making sponges and bandages for St. Alphonsus hospital. Later J. H. Hawley, Jr. gave a short talk on the characteristics of the Irish people, dwelling especially on their wit and relating a few humorous stories which were received with much enthusiasm and applause. Next came a delightful musical program consisting of piano, violin and voice. These numbers were much enjoyed and the numbers were long and loud, till those taking part consented to give "just one more." The following were on the program: Misses Katherine Rock, A. Castlebury and L. Long, Mesdames Earl Adams, Herman Brown and William Wagner. Palatable refreshments were served. The hostesses are to be congratulated upon the success of the pleasant entertainment.

Oriental Lenten Tea.
Mrs. A. B. Mathison and Mrs. Hal Willis, Mrs. Dave Williams and Mrs. P. R. Dempsey will give an Oriental Lenten tea on Thursday, March 29, at 2:30 o'clock at the Canton Cafe for the benefit of Christ church. Mrs. E. T. Barton, president of the Ladies' Guild of Christ church will arrange the pro-

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE SENATE, A TALENTED WOMAN



Mrs. Alice P. Thompson, of American Falls, assistant secretary of the senate, who concluded her work a few days ago and left Friday for her home.

One of the most interesting figures of the recent legislature who has just returned to her home in American Falls is Mrs. Alice P. Thompson, the assistant secretary of the senate.

Mrs. Thompson is a daughter of the great state of Illinois, a life-long student, Chautauqua lecturer and thinker. She attended the Eureka college in Eureka, Ill., the same college attended by Dr. Reynolds, pastor of the Christian church. Mrs. Thompson has taken four "sheepskins," an accumulation of degrees not often won by a woman. At the Panama-Pacific exposition, Mrs. Thompson was secretary of the New Thought congress.

The arts have not been neglected by Mrs. Thompson, for she has studied pottery in the New York state pottery at Alfred university in the town of Alfred, about 50 miles north of Buffalo.

Charles Binns, whose father was in charge of this pottery, and under his direction it has become famous.

This untiring searcher after knowledge devoted many years to pottery, design and painting. The best teachers the United States could furnish have taught her the art of painting or decorating china.

Mrs. Thompson makes her home in Boston or Chicago, usually, but is a constant traveler, lecturing in the large cities meeting the most desirable people of the union. Mrs. Thompson, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. H. Laird of American Falls, Power county, realized for the first time last fall, the meaning of woman's place in a suffrage state and forthwith entered the campaign. It is safe to say that Mrs. Thompson entered it with the joy and enthusiasm of the novice. It is a fact that she came out of it a full-fledged politician covered with the laurels of victory. Her place in the senate was a share of her reward.

A correspondence with Mrs. Elizabeth Bass, secretary of the Democratic Women's National league, resulted in Mrs. Thompson being appointed an organizer of Democratic women of the state, a position of great importance.

Jane Addams is well known to Mrs. Thompson and her knowledge of Hull House is accurate and full of interest, as it is of other places and other women of note. The personality of this versatile temperament is not of the "blue-stocking" order at all, but is refreshingly feminine and delicate. Perhaps her womanly attitude toward other women, and as a part of her general character is the predominant trait which gives her such a charm.

Events which was a part of the week's social features. Good music was enjoyed and a delicious lunch served.

Society Personal.
Mr. and Mrs. Klingler returned to Mrs. Weiser yesterday accompanied by Mrs. Klingler's mother and sister, Mrs. Leyerzaph and Miss Anna Leyerzaph.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Randall have moved into the residence of the late Justice Stewart on Fifth street, south, one of the comfortable homes of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Amos of Mayfield are in Boise.

H. R. Neitzel and little daughter are in Murphy for a few days.

Haphazard Club Meets.
The Haphazard club met with Mrs. Baer on Jefferson street last Tuesday afternoon. The rooms were decorated in tiny green hats and tiny green pipes were used a place cards in favor of St. Patrick's day. Dainty refreshments were served, four members being absent. The next meeting will be at Mrs. Charles Abbott.

Elks Dance Informally.
The Elks' informal dance given Friday evening was one of the pleasurable

of the club and gave a short address after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Lamsen and Mrs. Earl Adams presiding at the tea table.

Columbian Club Announcement.
The study department will meet Monday afternoon, March 26, at 3 o'clock.

P. O. E. Meeting.
Chapter A. P. E. O. will meet at 2:30 p. m., Tuesday, with Mrs. Fred Brown. The topic will be presented by Mrs. Margaret Miles and Mrs. G. W. Bond.

Business Meeting of Golden Rod Club.
The regular business meeting of the Golden Rod club was held Thursday afternoon week at Mrs. F. F. Fisher's and was both profitable and interesting. Mrs. Dodd gave pleasing vocal selections and Mrs. Seckles piano numbers which were also enjoyable.

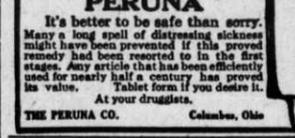
Mr. Stone, superintendent of the Franklin school, talked on the "Public School System," most interestingly. Mrs. Griffin and Mrs. Jeffers told interestingly of the past objects and future plans of the club.

The club voted to hold a silver tea at Mrs. Maberly's home for the benefit of the Burbank federation. The work of the Red Cross society was explained to the members and they were urged to join.

The refreshing draft which Joel offered to Siera "in a lovely dish" (Judges v. 25) was a preparation of milk well known in the east and called lemon. The method of preparing it is to boil the milk over a slow fire, adding to it a small quantity of old lard or some other acid, in order to make it coagulate.

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FIVE MILE.
Five Mile Parent-Teachers' association has a membership of 15. The circle meets once a month at the school house. In January the subject discussed was "The Human Plant." The February meeting subject was "Sympathy and the Boy." On March 9 an interesting meeting was held.

LACLEDE.
The Laclede Parent-Teachers' association was organized Oct. 13, 1916, and has a membership of 95. Much good has been done by this organization in behalf of delinquent pupils. Many of the fathers are interested. The P. T. A. school board and teachers are co-operating and splendid results are obtained. The following officers have been elected: William Campbell, president; H. B. Treff, vice president; Mrs. Lottie Harper, treasurer; Mrs. Lillian Arsenault, secretary.

MERIDIAN.
The afternoon meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association was held Thursday afternoon, March 2, in Professor Fuller's rooms. The paper by Mrs. Harry Yost on "How to Amuse the Young Boy in the Home" was full of practical suggestions, and was helpful to those who had boys. A lively discussion followed in which all present took part. The next community center meeting will be Friday evening, April 6, at the rural high school. This meeting will be in charge of the teachers of the school. On Thursday afternoon, April 19, the election of officers will take place. All members are requested to be present.

SODA SPRINGS.
The regular meeting of the Soda Springs Parent-Teachers' association was held March 8 in the high school auditorium. The meeting was called to order by Professor O. H. Lovejoy, president pro tem. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Roll was called showing a large number in attendance.

A program was rendered as follows: Piano solo—Mayme Lau. Reading—"Few Bars in the Key of G." Ruth Lau. Vocal solo—Mrs. Paul Tipton. Paper—"The Young Lady in the School." Alva Holmberg. Vocal solo—John J. Skinner. Discussion followed and the meeting adjourned to spend a quiet social hour.

WASHINGTON MEETING.
The Washington Parent-Teachers' association met at the home of Mrs. A. F. Graves, 1203 North Twentieth street, Friday afternoon, with a large attendance. The sum of \$1 was raised and donated to the Burbank Federation.

The playground committee was authorized to select a volley ball and whatever other apparatus the committee thought suitable. Also decided to hold a brief business meeting at the Washington school building the first Friday afternoon in each month. The association has now a membership of

New Member of Senatorial Set



Mrs. A. A. Jones. Mrs. A. A. Jones is the wife of the new senator from New Mexico. She is already well known in Washington society, having lived at the national capital while her husband was assistant secretary of the interior.

45 paid-up members, who have affiliated with the State National Congress. Mrs. W. M. McKendrick read a paper on "The Need of Proper Home Training in Connection with the School Training." Mrs. Ira R. Aldrich sang two songs.

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