The most important and brilliant wedding of the early autumn season will take place at Trinity Church at 9 o'clock this evening. The bride will be Miss Eleanor Dimond, eldest daughter of General William H. Dimond, and the groom will be Paul Jarboe, son of the late John R. Jarboe, who is a member of the law firm of Goodfellow & Jarboe. Several hundred invitations have been issued for the affair, which will be known as a pink and white wedding. Rev. Dr. Walk will officiate. Miss Mae Dimond will be the maid of honor, and the bridesmaids will comprise Miss Kathryn Jarboe, Miss Kate Clement, Miss Laura McKinstry, Miss Laura Bates, Miss Alice Hobart, Miss Ella Hobart, Miss Mamie Holbrook and Miss Minnie Houghton. The best man will be Samuel Knight, and the ushers will be E. H. Sheldon, E. M. Greenway, W. S. McMurtry, Frank L. Owen, W. M. Randol, Addison Mizner, Peter D. Martin, Harry Simpkins, Augustus Taylor and Joseph S. Tobin. After the ceremony the bridal party only will go to the home of the bride's father, where an elaborate supper will be served. The young couple will pass their honeymoon at Concha del Mar, the Jarboe cottage at Santa Cruz.

Miss Mae Dimond, the youngest daughter of General W. H. Dimond, will be married to Joseph S. Tobin of the firm of Tobin & Tobin, attorneys-at-law, at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening, September 29. The wedding will take place at the family residence, 2224 Washington street, and Archbishop Riordan will officiate. Miss Amje Irwin of Chicago will act as maid of honor and the bridesmaids will be Miss Ella Hobart, Miss Laura McKinstry, Miss Hope Ellis, Miss Alice Ames, Miss Celia Tobin, Miss Beatrice Tobin, Miss Helen Smith and Miss Marian Poett. Alfred Tobin will be the best man and the ushers will comprise W. S. McMurtry, Samuel Knight, John Lawson, W. H. Taylor Jr., Clement Tobin, William H. ath and Robert L. Coleman. At 9 o'clock there will be a reception in honor of both of the brides and grooms, for which a large number of invitations have been sent out. The newly wedded couple will leave on the following day to visit New York, Washington, D. C., and other Eastern cities.

Paul Jarboe and Joseph S. Tobin gave a bachelor dinner at the Maison Riche last Wednesday evening to the gentlemen who will be their best men and ushers at their coming weddings.

The wedding of Miss Gertrude Wilson, daughter of Major Charles L. Wilson, Paymaster, U. S. A., and Lesier O. Peck, will take place in Washington, D. C., to-morrow. The contracting parties are well known in society here, having resided in this city for several years until quite recently.

The wedding of Miss Kate Paddock and W. Joseph L. Kleruff will take place next Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar L. Paddock, 2309 Broderick street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Anna G. Chalmers, daughter of Alexander Chalmers of Stockton to L. A. Redman. The wedding will take place in Stockton on October 18.

There were about 250 of society's buds, beaus and cavaliers assembled at the residence of Mrs. Peter Donahue, corner of Bryant and Second streets, last Saturday evening, when Peter Donahue Martin, Walter Martin and Andrew Martin, sons of Mrs. Eleanor Martin and nephews of Mrs. Donahue, gave a dancing party as a farewell compliment to their friends prior to their departure for college at Georgetown, D. C., next Thursday, where they will complete their education. No married people were invited, so the younger element held full sway. Mrs. Donahue, who was attired in a rich robe of black brocaded silk, en train, with point lace trimmings, and Mrs. Martin, whose elegant robe was of Chantilly lace over a satin skirt, made en train, and trimmed with passementerie, received the guests as they arrived and welcomed them most cordially. As the ladies are both in mourning, they, of course, took no further part in the festivities.

Snowy white canvas covered the floors of the hall and the various rooms on the main floor and the floral decorations were greatly admired. The hallway was set with tall shoots of green bamboo and sprays of fern, the reception room was ornate with immense tropic palms and the room adjoining was embellished with banks of sweet peas and poppies of varied hues. The main salon was particularly attractive. Great clusters of pink petaled Japanese lilies, amaryllis and La France roses were set in elegant vases on the mantels, their beauty being reflected in the tall, gilt-bordered mirrors behind them. Magnificent orchids of the Lycaste Skinnerii variety that are so daintily shaded were arranged in clusters at the side of the folding doors and fine foliage made an arbor at the rear exit of the large conservatory, which was also handsomely decorated and used for dancing. A string orchestra was stationed in the alcove near the main salon and played all of the latest dance music. Naturally dancing was the feature of the evening, and as the rooms were filled with elegantly attired girls and their escorts the scene was a most attractive one. It would seem invidious to state who was the handsomest girl or who wore the most becoming gown, suffice it to say that they all looked pretty, as San Francisco girls always do, and their gowns were poems of the modiste's art. At midnight dancing ceased and then an elaborate supper was served under Ludwig's direction. Tete-a-tete tables were set in all of the rooms on the main floor and in the large dining-room downstairs, where there was a large buffet ornamented with attractive pieces montees. The Messrs. Martin certainly were most hospitable entertainers, and their guests will have most agreeable remembrances for a long time of last Saturday evening's festivity.

The wedding of Miss Edith Forbes, daughter of Mrs. Alexander Forbes, and Edgar A. Neame, formerly of England, but now a resident of Hanford, Kings County, Cal., took place last Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's mother, 2604 Jackson street. Only about seventy-five relatives and intimate friends were invited to the wedding. Each of the rooms was embellished with fragrant flowers, the predominating color being pink. It was in the large music-room that the wedding took place, amid an array of tropic palms bordered by a hedge of pink blossoms.

At 8:30 o'clock the string orchestra played the wedding march and the bridal party appeared, headed by two little bridesmaids, Miss Edith Robinson and Miss Maudie Wilson, who wore pretty gowns of pink silk. Then came the maids of honor, Miss Kathleen Forbes, wearing a gown of pale-blue silk, and Miss Alice Decker, whose gown was of white silk. Both gowns were very stylish and becoming. The bride followed, escorted by her uncle, Charles Forbes, who gave her into the keeping of the groom. She was elegantly attired in a robe of white moire antique, made with a long court train and trimmed with Brussels point lace and chiffon. The corsage was high and the sleeves long and quite bouffant. She carried orange blossoms. The groom was attended by James A. Robinson of Hanford as best man. Rev. R. C. Foute performed the ceremony, which was followed by congratulations from all present. An elaborate supper was served, and the evening was very pleasantly passed. The wedding presents were of unusual elegance. Mr. and Mrs. Neame left on Thursday to visit Del Monte and other coast resorts for a few weeks, after which they will go to Hanford to reside permanently.

Miss Stella A. Currier and James A. Ritchie were united in marriage last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. W. G. Richardson, 109 Fredrick street. The residence was prettily decorated with a profusion of fragrant flowers and foliage. About seventy friends of the young couple were assembled in the parlors at 8:30 o'clock, when the bridal party entered, and the ceremony was performed by Rev. Edgar J. Lion. The bride wore an elegant robe of white satin, with a court train and a long veil of white tulle. The high corsage was trimmed with point lace, and the sleeves were long and bouffant. She wore gloves of white undressed kid, and carried a bouquet of tube roses.

Miss Madge Richardson, niece of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and wore a pretty gown of light yellow silk. The bridesmaids were Miss Stella Austin and Misses Addie and Lottie Stevens of Sacramento, who were attired in modish gowns of white silk. Albert Eaton was best man, and W. G. Richardson gave the bride into the keeping of the groom. After the ceremony and congratulations, dancing was participated in, and at 11 o'clock a delicious supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie left on Thursday to make a southern trip. They were the recipients of some very handsome presents. They will reside at the Hotel California.

The weddings of Miss May Graham and Ensign Guy H. Burrage last Tuesday and of Miss Harriet Langdon Brown and Henry Herbert Darling on Wednesday were fully described in our issues of the following days. Other affairs that have taken place and many interesting personals will be found in the accompanying review.

BETROTHALS.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Rose Frankel and Rev. J. Nieto of the Sh rith Israel Congregation, which will take place Tuesday evening, September 18, at the synagogue. The father of the groom, Rev. A. H. Nieto of New York, will officiate.

The wedding of Miss Nellie Pratt Morse of Berkeley and Mr. de Winter will take place next Thursday evening at the First Congregational Church in Oakland.

The wedding of Miss Lita Abrego and Ralph R. Bellingall will take place to-morrow at 935 Filbert street in Oakland.

WEDDINGS.

The St. Marcus German Lutheran Church on Geary street was the scene last Thursday evening of the wedding of Miss Anna Staude, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Staude, who are old and prominent residents of this city, and Carl H. Edson, a popular young business man of this city. The church was crowded with friends of the contracting parties, and the floral embellishment of the chancel was very effective. It was 8:30 o'clock when Rev. Julius Fuendeling performed the marriage ceremony. Miss Martha Doerr of San Jose and Miss Lena Gantz of this city were the bridesmaids, Henry Staude and John J. Staude Jr. were the groomsmen, and Fred Brommer and Charles J. Staude were the ushers.

The bride, who is a beautiful blonde, appeared to advantage in a handsome robe of white China silk, en train, trimmed with point lace and orange blossoms. Her ornaments were diamonds. The bridesmaids were attired alike in gowns of pale pink surah, trimmed with Duchesse lace. Their ornaments were pearls and they carried La France roses. A reception was held after the ceremony at the residence of the bride's parents, which was attended only by relatives and intimate friends. The wedding gifts were very handsome and costly.

Nevin-Hentrich.

Grace Church was well filled last Saturday at noon when George S. Nevin and Miss Margaretha Elysbeth Hentrich, daughter of the late Lewis Hentrich and sister of Mrs. George Tourny, were united in the bonds of wedlock. The maid of honor was Miss Bernardine Hentrich and the bridesmaids were the Misses Marguerite and Vida Tourny. Bernhard Dohrmann acted as best man and the ushers were Frank Hentrich, Donald H. Fry, Henry Esberg and Dr. William Dohrmann. A reception was held after the wedding at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Tourny and the afternoon was very pleasantly passed. Late in the day the newly married couple departed on their wedding trip.

McMurtry-Barton.

An interesting wedding took place at St. Mary's Cathedral at 2 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon, when Miss Lillian Barton, the handsome and accomplished daughter of Larry Barton, the well-known detective, was united in marriage to James T. McMurtry, a popular and successful young business man of Vacaville, where he is highly esteemed. Rev. W. P. Kirby officiated in the presence of quite a number of friends of the happy couple. After the wedding a charming reception was held at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Barton, 823 Geary street, where several hours were delightfully passed. Mr. and Mrs. McMurtry left the next morning for Vacaville, where they were heartily welcomed, and will reside there permanently.

Sproule-Rey.

At the residence of Valentine J. Rey, of the firm of Britton & Rey, 829 Union street, his sister, Miss Hermione Rey, was married to James Sproule at 8 o'clock last Monday evening. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and the grounds were brilliantly illuminated by colored Japanese lanterns suspended from the trees. Miss Sylvia Rey was the maid of honor and William Sproule acted as best man. The ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. Robert Mackenzie in the presence of quite a number of friends of the young couple. The evening was devoted to music, dancing, and the service of a delicious supper.

Hart-Lawrence.

Dr. A. C. Hart and Miss Nellie Lawrence were united in marriage last Wednesday evening at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Margaret H. Lawrence, 910 Steiner street. Roses and fine foliage made a pretty decoration in the parlors, where the ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Mackenzie. The bride was attired in an elegant robe of white brocaded silk, made with a high corsage, bouffant sleeves and a court train. The congratulations were followed by an elaborate supper and dancing, which prolonged the affair until the early hours of morning. Dr. and Mrs. Hart left on Thursday to pass their honeymoon at Lake Tahoe.

Those present were: Mrs. M. H. Lawrence, Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Hart, Mrs. I. H. McNee, the Misses May and Netta Lawrence, Charles E. Hart, Frank R. Hart, Duncan McNee, Alex McNee, Royal McNee, Rev. and Mrs. Robert McKenzie, Dr. and Mrs. Levkowicz, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fifield, Mr. and Mrs. S. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Hergens, Mr. and Mrs. Max Goldberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mines, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hancock, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Humphreys, Mr. and Mrs. William Third, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hart, Mrs. A. Ford, Mrs. T. W. Mitchell, Mrs. Minnie Darren, Mrs. J. H. Northern, Mrs. F. Northey, Mrs. Pfaff, Mrs. J. W. Dunn, Mrs. M. Humphreys, Mrs. Hodkin, Mrs. W. N. Gray, Mrs. Forsman, the Misses Louise and Ethel Fifield, Miss Florence MacKenzie, Miss Dollie Whelan, Miss Maud Gray, Miss Mabelle Hart, Miss May Dunbar, Miss Emma Yaeger, Miss Ethel Ford, Miss Minnie Whelan, Messrs. George Ford, Charles Ford, Melvin A. Taylor, R. C. Delamater, A. F. Medley, J. Anderson.

Ste. Marie-Gildea.

There was a pretty wedding at St. Mary's Cathedral at 8 o'clock last Monday morning. The bride was Miss Jennie Gildea and the groom A. Herbert Ste. Marie. Miss Lenore O'Mera was the bridesmaid and James J. Gildea, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The bride and her maid were attired in handsome gowns of white silk and carried bouquets of choice roses. Rev. Father Dempsey performed the ceremony and a nuptial mass was celebrated. After the wedding an elaborate breakfast was served at the family residence on Bush street. Only very intimate friends of the contracting parties were present. Mr. and Mrs. Ste. Marie left in the afternoon to make a two weeks' trip through Southern California. The wedding presents were numerous and beautiful.

Greathouse-Gerrish.

The wedding of Miss Sadie E. Gerrish of Oakland and Ridgley Greathouse of this city took place at 9 o'clock last Wednesday evening at the home of the bride. Rev. Dr. Kummel officiated. Miss Florence Gerrish was the bridesmaid and Eugene O. Corrigan was best man. On the following day the happy couple departed for Portland, Or., where they will reside permanently.

Rosenberg-Wasserman.

The marriage of Charles M. Rosenberg, one of the best known young business men of Oakland, took place last Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wasserman, 1004 Golden Gate avenue. The bride was Miss Mabel Wasserman, a young lady of beauty and refinement, who has a large number of friends and acquaintances. The ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock by Rev. Dr. M. S. Levy. The ceremony was carried out in an impressive manner according to the Jewish ritual and was witnessed by a number of relatives and friends. The parlors and other apartments of the residence were decorated with smilax and asters and the initials of the groom and bride were embroidered with natural flowers upon the lace curtains which formed the background of the wedding alcove.

The attendants of the bride were beautiful little girls, either cousins or nieces of the groom, a circumstance as interesting as it was novel and beautiful. The maids of honor were Misses Gladys and Grace Rosenberg, the ring-bearer was Miss Esmee Rosenberg, while the bridesmaids were Misses Sadie Mosbacher and Gertie Rosenberg. Following this coterie of bright and winsome little ones came the bride, leaning on the arm of the groom's father, Morris Rosenberg. Then came the groom, escorting the bride's mother, Mrs. M. Wasserman. The party advanced while Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played, and at the conclusion of the ceremony the "Lohengrin" chorus was rendered. The ceremony was followed by heartfelt congratulations.

The bride was radiant and beautiful in faille Francaise, with veil and orange blossoms and diamond ornaments. Gladys Rosenberg was attired in light blue chiffon, Gracie and Esmee in orange India silk, Sadie Mosbacher in dotted Swiss, and Gertie Rosenberg in red India silk.

The nuptial banquet followed the ceremony and was attended by a number of relatives of the contracting parties. Milton Wasserman acted as toast-master, and a number of eloquent sentiments were proposed and responded to under his direction, among them being those by Laz Rosenberg, M. Rosenberg, M. P. Wolf, A. Wolf, B. Rosenberg, E. Wasserman and A. Wolf.

A number of telegrams were received, expressing joy over the nuptials, some of these coming from many points in Europe.

The banquet lasted until 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

The wedding reception took place two hours later, and again the parlors were filled with devoted friends of the happy couple. A most entertaining programme was carried out—Gladys Rosenberg, Grace Rosenberg and Sadie Mosbacher delivering recitations which displayed remarkable intelligence and appreciation of difficult features of character delineations. D. S. Hirshberg also recited a selection in a very entertaining manner. Mrs. D. S. Hirshberg sang a solo very sweetly, and J. K. Lewis also sang. The groom and bride have gone on a happy honeymoon to the south. They will reside in Oakland. The presents were very numerous, practical, rich and beautiful.

Among the guests were: Mrs. M. Wasserman; M. Rosenberg, father of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenberg, M. I. Eisner, Mr. and Mrs. George Mosbacher, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wolfe, Oscar Reinstein, Mr. and Mrs. V. Ornstein, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ornstein, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Hirshberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rosenberg, Mr. and Mrs. S. Rosenberg, Miss Therese Rosenberg, Mrs. E. Ornstein, Mattie Ornstein, Gussie Reinstein, Milton Wasserman, Edward Wasserman, Bert Rosenberg, Mrs. Brooks, A. Rheinhart, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cohen, Miss C. Appell, Miss B. Goldman, Miss Meyers, Miss J. Hyams, Mrs. Cohn, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morris, L. Zeh, Edward Morris, Miss Pauline Morris, Saul Heno, Misses Hattie and Rose Rosenblatt, Ralph Davis, M. Thasserme, Ed Thasserme, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Rosenberg, Mr. Goldman, Miss Hattie Kulner, Miss E. Lonsburg, Miss Rose Frankenburg, Mrs. Frankenburg, Miss B. Herman, Misses Bertie and Hattie Wallock, Miss B. Levy, Mrs. Wertheimer, Mr. and Mrs. Stein, M. Hasserman, H. Lark, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Neubauer and M. Lewis.

Brunn-Jones.

The marriage of Miss Edith Alice Jones, the niece of Mrs. E. A. Robbins of Oakland, took place in Berkeley last Wednesday at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. C. Jones, Berkeley. The groom was Christopher D. Brunn. W. E. Stevens of San Francisco acted as best man, while Miss Emma Jones, sister of the bride, acted as maid of honor, and Miss Emily Ferguson as bridesmaid. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Wendte. The groom and bride are passing their honeymoon at Lake Tahoe. They will reside in Berkeley.

PRIVATE RECEPTIONS.

A thoroughly enjoyable affair, and one not likely to be forgotten by those present, was the silver wedding anniversary celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carsten at their pretty and spacious cottage at 1019 Morton street, Alameda, last Wednesday evening. The occasion called forth many friends from both sides of the bay. Many useful and beautiful presents were received. The parlors were artistically decorated with smilax, the numbers "69" and "94" of silver being suspended from the folding doors. After enjoying an excellent musical programme the party adjourned to the dining-room, where a bountiful repast was served, to which all did ample justice, surrounded by decorations of the beautiful hoprvine, ferns, carnations and sweet peas; there the symbols "25" of silver hung from the chandelier. Many toasts were drunk to the health of the couple, and after supper the young folks returned to the dance hall, which had been prepared for them in the basement, made attractive by vines, bright-hued pelargoniums, Japanese fans and lanterns.

The San Francisco Mandolin and Guitar Club gave a serenade and was welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Carsten in their usual hospitable manner. The gentlemen rendered several very fine selections during the evening. Other numbers on the programme were: Vocal solos by Misses Lucy Bach, Emma Cordes and Bertha Lumsden; instrumental solos by Miss Bertha Schwartz, Miss Emilie Horstmann and L. Geissler; cornet solos by Master H. Schwartz, and songs by Misses B. and L. Schwartz, Miss Emilie Horstmann and Mrs. Henry Hacke. It was a late hour when the pleasant affair came to an end.

Lindstrom House-Warming.

A number of the friends of Dr. A. O. Lindstrom proceeded to 415 Sutter street Saturday evening, September 1, and gave him a rousing house-warming, the doctor having just taken possession, on a ten years' lease, of the premises so long under the administration of Dr. Bazan. Speeches, songs, reminiscences of far-away but loved Sweden, and frequent pilgrimages to a substantial sideboard and tables furnished with an abundance of solid and liquid comforts enabled the company to pass a congenial night that will long be remembered. Among those present were: J. Okerblad, Dr. G. S. Backman, Adolph Braese, H. A. Brunell, O. Bloomquist, B. Olsen, A. Wallenberg, J. X. DeWitt, C. Peterson, Knute A. Lindstrom, A. Nelson, P. E. Erickson, P. O. Peterson, A. Philstrom, F. B. Hulting, O. Gruggel, Ch. Gruggel, A. Bergstrum, A. F. Radke and Dr. A. O. Lindstrom.

Waters Surprise Party.

Miss Nellie B. Waters, daughter of Major W. D. Waters, N. G. C., was tendered a pleasant surprise party at her residence, 1665 Mission street, last Tuesday evening by several of her friends. The affair was a welcome to her upon her return from the country, where she has been recuperating her health. As Miss Waters was welcomed into the parlors the scene was one that will not soon be forgotten. The young ladies and gentlemen in evening dresses and the sweet strains of the orchestra added to the scene of gayety. The evening was pleasantly spent in songs, duets and recitations. About 12 o'clock a march was played and the young people gayly filed into the prettily decorated dining-room, where a well-spread table, ornamented with flowers, made a pretty sight. After supper the guests returned to the parlors, where they were presented with bonbons. Dancing was then indulged in.

Among those present were: Major and Mrs. W. D. Waters, Colonel William Macdonald, Mrs. J. B. Peralta, Miss Minnie Petersen, Mrs. J. Gunn, Miss Pearl Reed, Mr. Scott, Mrs. Churchill Park, Captain T. F. O'Neil, Miss Louise Golder, Lieutenant Ed Carroll, Miss Addie Peralta, Miss Viva Boyle, Lieutenant H. Parsons, Miss Kittie Murray, Miss Georgie Park, Lieutenant C. J. Wall, Miss Josephine Fleming, Miss Lulu Forbes, Miss Lizzie Fleming, George Boyle, George Brisley, Miss Kate Miller, Gilbert Bell, Miss Eva Forbes, Miss M. F. Vance, F. Fleming and George Golder.

The Samuels Reception.

The regular quarterly reception given by Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Samuels at their residence, 1925 Union street, last Thursday evening, proved to be a brilliant affair. The handsome parlors were beautifully decorated with flowers and ferns. The host and hostess proved themselves excellent entertainers, and were ably assisted by their charming daughter. The following excellent musical and literary programme was enjoyed immensely by all: Piano solo, by Miss G. Geminani; comical selections, William Clark; recitation, T. H. Kilgo; operatic selections, M. Lacey and F. R. Hayes; humorous recitations and comical sayings, Bert Irwin; whistling solos, J. A. Hathwell; comical and sentimental songs, Mrs. L. Rayots and Messrs. George and Charles Armbruster and William Regan, selections on the mandolin, guitar and banjo. After the entertainment an excellent supper was served. Dancing, singing and games followed and were kept up until a late hour.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Samuels, Miss G. Geminani, Mrs. H. K. Hendricks, Mrs. J. Benson, Miss M. Lacey, Mrs. Dr. Beardsley, Mrs. E. P. Ybarra, Mrs. B. Payats, Miss L. Payats, J. V. Dosal, J. A. Bignaldello, Bert Irwin, Chester Irwin, J. A. Hathwell, W. C. Clark, William Regan, George Armbuster, Charles Armbuster, F. R. Hayes and T. H. Kilgo.

Miller Birthday Party.

At the J. Sheldon, Miller, Lux Free Kindergarten, corner of West Mission and Thirteenth streets, the birthday anniversary of Master J. S. Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Miller, who endowed the school with sufficient money to cover running expenses, was celebrated in a very pretty and entertaining manner last Monday afternoon, and was witnessed by a large audience. No labor was spared in decorating and preparing for the event. The little children presented a very pretty appearance as they marched around the room, singing and keeping perfect time to the music, and showing perfect training in every movement they made. The little folks numbered more than 100. After the exercises were over they were treated to fruits and candies; this part of the programme greatly delighted them. The school is under the able directorship of Mrs. Roberts and daughter, assisted by Miss Lucile Turner, Miss Roberts, Miss Alice Hoeg and Miss Susie Abbott. They should be highly complimented upon the success of their efforts, and San Francisco should be proud of such an institution.

Wallace Farewell Party.

A very pleasant party was tendered to Miss Bertha Wallace last Saturday evening prior to her departure for Portland, Or., her future home. Games were indulged in, and the evening's programme consisted of a vocal duet by the Misses Georgie and May Duplissea; recitations by Miss Florence Porter, Miss Nellie Krieger and Miss May Duplissea; vocal solos by Miss Alice Karstens, Miss Bertha Wallace and E. Menkie. E. Parsons' vocal selections and Mr. Sass' recitations proved very attractive features. Supper was served in the dining-room, and it was near the first streaks of dawn when the last merrymaker departed. Those present were: Mrs. Krieger, Mrs. Wallace, the Misses Jennie, Nellie and Hattie Krieger, the Misses Ottilia and Alice Karstens, Miss Florence Porter, the Misses Georgie and May Duplissea and Miss Edna Cook; E. Parsons, Mr. Sass, William Judd, E. Menkie and J. Gould.

A Wedding Reception.

The marriage of Frank E. Wood and Miss Frances Marbis, which was celebrated in San Rafael, was signalized by a reception which followed at the home of W. A. Sprague in East Oakland, in which a number of friends of the wedded couple and the members of the Golden Bear Club testified to the esteem in which they held the bride and groom.

The president of the club, J. W. Peck, speaking for the members, in a nicely worded speech congratulated the groom upon the good fortune which had attended his selection of a helpmeet and, as an evidence of the good-fellowship of the organization, presented him with a most beautiful parlor decoration. The groom responded in a very happy manner. Then followed a series of games, in which all the guests took part, and finally an elegant supper was served and was enjoyed by all. The parlors and rooms of the home were decorated with smilax and roses.

The members of the Golden Bear Club present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Sprague, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wood, Mrs. F. Kennedy, Mrs. O. R. Zander, Mrs. E. L. Wilson, Miss Pink Bleiben, Miss Dalsibel Wilson, Miss Nellie Ferguson, Miss Rogers, R. E. Nevin, J. W. Peck, F. D. Dolbier, W. O. Wilson, G. W. Dugdeil.

Pisani Birthday Party.

A pleasant social gathering took place last Monday evening at the residence of G. Pisani to commemorate the anniversary of the birth of his son Albert. The parlors, halls and dining-room were festooned with evergreens and chrysanthemums. The evening was most pleasantly spent in merrymaking, dancing and singing, and at midnight all repaired to the dining-room, where a sumptuous repast was served.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. G. Pisani, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Alford, Mrs. J. Harris, Lizzie Alford, Kitty Canavan, Lillie Greve, Ella Hanlan, Flossie Alford, J. Galli, T. Galli, Normie Donovan, Essie Donovan, Normie Harris, Mrs. Rena, Giuseppe Pisani, Charles Rena, Michele Bellusmini, Vittorio Parenti, Vincenzo Squaglia, Giacomo Squaglia, Amrigo Bianchi, Pilade Favilli, Yacopo Biacalani, Albert Pisani, Frank Pisani, Seymour Galli, Carl Harris, Victor Harris, Leon Rena.

CLUB PARTIES.

The Pacific Dancing Club gave its fortieth party at Union-square Hall last Tuesday evening. The hall was crowded with members and friends of this popular club. The grand march, which was led by Herman Kassinger and Miss J. Windsor, was a pretty feature of the affair. Miss Windsor wore a handsome gown of pink silk cut decollete and trimmed with lace and carried la France roses. There were about 200 couples in the grand march, who enjoyed dancing until a late hour. The next party will take place at Odd Fellows' Hall on Tuesday evening, October 2.

The committees were as follows: Committee of arrangements—Herman Kassinger, Charles F. McMahoney, Rudolph Trautner; reception committee—Henry Wilson, Arthur C. F. Wilkins, William Fogarty, Edward C. Sewell, Gus A. Trautner; floor director, Herman Kassinger; assistant floor director, Rudolph Trautner; floor committee—Brendon Clark, William R. Nelson, Henry Zann, Albert G. Nagel, Andrew G. McCarthy.

The Genial Whist Club.

Novelty which has charms is more especially refreshing when infused into the pleasures of a perfect summer evening, such as we were blessed with on the 26th ult., when one of the most interesting affairs of the summer season took place. It was a progressive whist party given by the Genial Whist Club. The details were arranged with much tact and skill and the elegant clubrooms at Golden Gate Hall were decorated beautifully. There were elegant prizes given to the ladies and won in the following order: Miss Daisy Alexander, Miss Harriet Landecker, Miss Ada Scheelhe, Miss Hannah Scheelhe. The booby prize was carried off gracefully by Miss Emma Kahn. After the whist tournament was decided all repaired to the ballroom, where refreshments were served, after which the light fantastic toe was merrily skipped until the wee sma' hours, when the guests left, taking with them unique souvenirs of the happy occasion.

FRATERNAL SOCIALS.

A most delightful entertainment and dance was given by Britannia Lodge No. 7, Daughters of St. George, at 317 Mason street last Thursday evening, in which bonbons were distributed in the grand march and every one enjoyed themselves to their heart's content.

The programme was as follows: Duet by Mrs. Helen Williams and Miss Nellie Witts; recitation by Miss Flossie Oliver; concertina solo by Mr. Luckes; song by Mrs. Ackerman; recitation by Miss Lottie Dwyer; violin solo by Mr. Foley; recitation by Miss Jennie Turnbull; fancy dancing by Miss Jeannette Telfer.

The committee of arrangements were: Miss M. Wiseman (chairman); floor manager, Miss J. Turnbull; assistant floor manager, Mr. Chamberlain; reception committee—Miss Alice Witts, Miss Annie Turnbull, Miss Brown, Miss Stitt and Miss Turner.

Court Southern Heights.

The Potrero Opera-house was crowded on Saturday night with merry Foresters, the occasion being the second anniversary of Court Southern Heights No. 1150 of the Independent Order. The exercises were very entertaining and thoroughly appreciated by all.

Court Deputy Prescott L. Archibald presided, and, after an overture by the orchestra, he made the opening address.

At the conclusion of Mr. Archibald's remarks, which were received with enthusiastic applause, "Man the Lifeboat" was sung by J. Adamson. Mrs. Seager sang "The Spinning Wheel" in such splendid style that she was encored. The remainder of the programme, at the conclusion of which there was a dance, was as follows: Quartet, "Hail to the Chief," Messrs. Adamson, Stewart, Dyises and Hood; dance, "Sailors' Hornpipe," Misses Campbell and Telfor; comic song, J. Hynes; vocal trio, "O Willie Brew'd a Peck o' Mault"; Irish jig, Misses Campbell and Telfor. J. Williamson and Mrs. L. M. Smith also contributed songs.

The committees to whom in a great measure the success of the entertainment was due were as follows: Reception committee—Dr. J. F. Siefkes, R. Stewart, A. Stewart, A. Strang, W. S. Young and M. McLean. Floor committee—J. Smith, D. Ferguson, A. Ross, J. A. Hurly, T. E. Strahn and J. McNulty. A. Young officiated as floor manager.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Ransom White, the retiring resident secretary of the Equitable Life Insurance Company, gave an elaborate breakfast last Wednesday in honor of his successor, George H. Ripley. Covers were laid for twenty-five and several hours were pleasantly passed at the festal board.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Underhill of New York City were entertained at a very pretty dinner-party Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Varney W. Gaskill at their residence on Hobart street, in Oakland. Mr. Underhill is a very prominent underwriter, being president of the United States Insurance Company.

The Lawyers' Debating Society of San Francisco tendered a reception to its new president, Milton M. Davis, last Monday evening in its rooms in the Alcazar building. After a discussion on certain legal points all retired to the banquet-hall, where a sumptuous supper was served.

The wedding of Miss Minna Jonas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joachim Jonas, and Theodore Cohn took place at Saratoga Hall at 4:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, September 2, and was very pleasantly celebrated.

A surprise was given to Joseph Whaley at his home in Sausalito, Saturday evening, by his young friends. Dancing and singing were enjoyed until almost midnight, when all sat down to supper. Miss Emma Meyer and Miss Brady assisted Miss Nora Whaley in entertaining the guests.

The Veronas gave the second sailing party of the fifth series on Sunday, August 26, in honor of the return from their summer vacation of the Misses Alden and Hader, honorary members of the club. The yacht Nellie took the party around the bay. An impromptu dance was enjoyed at Sausalito to the music of the Verona orchestra. The club has organized for the season of '94 and '95. The members are: President, Joseph Eber; secretary, George Hansen; treasurer, C. K. Eber; directors—H. Muller, F. Raemer, B. Clark and Melville Bley.

The Varsovienne Club has elected the following officers for the ensuing three months: President, Miss Mamie Sweeney; vice-president, Miss Victorine Hainque; secretary, Miss Nellie Carr; treasurer, Miss Emma Lafferty.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Mountford S. Wilson have returned from Black Hawk ranch, where they have been passing the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Parrott and family will remain at Del Monte a couple of weeks more.

Among the San Franciscans who left New York City for Paris last Saturday were William H. Crocker, Mrs. Sperry, Mrs. A. M. Easton and her grandchildren, Mrs. Louis B. Parrott and her children, and Henry W. Redington.

Judge and Mrs. John H. Boalt have gone to Oakland to reside during the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Crocker are at the Grand Hotel in New York City.

Mrs. Edna Snell Poulson will pass the winter with Mrs. H. P. Cristy at 2838 Pacific avenue, and will receive on Fridays.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Green will pass October and November in Sausalito.

Miss Josephine Cone of Red Bluff will soon depart for the East, to remain until late in December.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Friedlander have removed from 828 Haight street to 1816 O'Farrell.

Misses Miriam and Frances Moore intend passing the winter in the Eastern States.

Walter S. Hobart will depart late in September to resume his course at Harvard.

Mrs. John Boggs and Miss Alice Boggs have returned from San Rafael and are at the Palace Hotel.

Mrs. Coll Deane is recuperating her health at the villa of her sister, Mrs. Edward Barron, in Mayfield.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward A. Younger of Alameda left last Friday to enjoy a visit at the Hotel del Monte.

George Lorillard Ronaids of New York has recently been entertaining Dr. and Mrs. B. Morton and Miss Maude Smith of this city on his steam yacht Riva, and they have made several interesting cruises along the Atlantic coast.

Judge and Mrs. Edward A. Belcher have returned from a visit to Eureka, Humboldt County.

Misses Florence and Jean Hush of Fruitvale will soon leave for the East to complete their education.

Miss M. Snitzer of 832 Sutter street is in New York and expects to return the last week of the month.

Miss Lucrecia Castelazo will sail on the steamer Colima, which leaves this port on the 18th inst., for Guatemala, where she will be united in marriage to Lincoln Bodewell, formerly of this city but now a merchant of Guatemala City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tubbs are making a prolonged visit at Del Monte.

Mrs. James Phelan and Miss Phelan have returned to the city after passing the summer at Phelan Park, their villa at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Birdsall, Miss Jennie Birdsall and Ernest Birdsall of Sacramento are at the Pope House in Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Fisher and Miss Sister Jennings are at the Hotel Mateo for a month.

Baron and Baroness A. H. von Schroeder are at the Hotel Bellevue in Hamburg.

Mrs. Charles W. Hathaway was in San Rafael last week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mansfield Lovell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bonnell visited relatives in San Jose for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Alexander sailed from New York for Europe last Saturday and will pass the winter in Egypt.

Everett N. Bee sailed for Central America last Saturday on the steamer Acapulco.

Dr. George Terrill returned from Del Monte last Monday.

Colonel F. S. Chadbourne, Colonel W. D. Sanborn and Major J. Fred Burgin returned from Santa Cruz last Monday.

Frederick R. Webster, A. C. Tubbs and Clinton E. Worden returned from Del Monte last Monday.

Francis G. Newlands arrived here last Thursday from Washington, D. C., and is at the Palace.

E. M. Greenway will return to