

# Society

Edited by Mrs. J. G. Green.

**GRAND OPERA** night was, of course, the crowning event in Boise's social history; and that the city was true to its tradition as the fashion center of the state (however it may have appeared from the stage), was obvious enough to local theater-goers. As to the attendance, never before were there so many people who would have been glad to have found standing room, even in the lobby. Looking over the great audience facing the stage with its beautiful Japanese setting, sensing the rapture of Puccini's glorious music and given a view of lovely women in pretty gowns, the scene was bright enough to have graced a larger city. Some delightful affairs were given by a number of hostesses during the week, the Misses Shoup being much entertained, and many guests were welcomed at the week end for the evening of opera.

### Delightful Bride Tea.

Mrs. S. H. Hays was one of the hostesses of the week, giving a delightful bride tea on Wednesday for the Misses Shoup, with a group of their former Boise friends as the other guests. The table was pretty with mahogany colored tulips. Miss Margaret Shoup and Mrs. Stoutemeyer poured.

### Merry Birthday Party.

The little six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Van H. Peterson celebrated his sixth birthday Friday week, March 24, with a party at which a do-do or so of his small friends were present. The children played games, blew soap bubbles and had a delicious luncheon in which the birthday cake, with its six pink candles, figured. The children sat around one long table decorated in pink and blue. Easter favors of balloons and fancy caps were given to each child and a merry afternoon closed with many good wishes for the little host.

### The Boise Music Festival.

The successful bringing to Boise of a musical organization of such distinguished note as the Boston Grand Opera company was due first to the clever management of the president of the Boise Choral society, Mr. Lewis Ensign, seconded in the most able manner by the members of the Idaho Grand Opera committee, formed directly after Mr. Ensign had taken the initial step in the way of securing the company. The personnel of the committee follows: Lewis W. Ensign, chairman; W. E. Graham, advertising; W. F. Bee, publicity; R. W. Childs, secretary. Under the auspices of this committee the "Boise Music Festival" was given; and while this feast of music, of dancing and of scenic splendor was enjoyed for one evening only, that evening included so much of delight to eye and ear and emotion; it was so full of interest and beauty and the marvel of being, as to yield a treasure house of joy from which we may draw inspiration for many days to come.

### Dinner Party for Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Johnson were host and hostess at a pleasant dinner party of 12 in honor of Mrs. Eoff's house guests, the Misses Shoup. A basket of daffodils and pink snap dragons were pretty as a centerpiece.

### Tuesday Musical.

The Tuesday Musical gave one of the most enjoyable programs of the season, entirely devoted to Schumann. After a short sketch of Schumann's life, Mrs. Leslie Long opened the program with his "Romance, No. 2." Miss Funston sang two of his songs accompanied by Miss Smith of St. Margaret's hall, "Die Lotusblume" and "Widmung." Miss Roup played "Traumerl" on the violin. The song cycle "Frauen Liebe und Leben," was sung by Mrs. Brandt. Miss Judith Watts played 10 of the 12 "Papillons."

### Neighborhood Kensington.

Mrs. Harry Shellworth and Mrs. J. T. Pence gave a delightful neighborhood Kensington on Wednesday afternoon at the home of the former. After the hours devoted to fancy work and sewing, the guests enjoyed tea. The table, with pink snap dragons as a centerpiece, was very pretty. Four charming young girls assisted the hostesses, the Misses Retta Ballantyne, Bessie Stewart, Florence McAvoy and Edith Cabalan. Mrs. Chester Fisher sang beautifully during the afternoon. Forty guests were present.

### President of Clubs Here.

Mrs. S. S. Walsh of Wendell, president of the Second District Federation of Women's club, is the guest of one of the local club women and remained over the week end and attended the Columbian club meeting which was one of the best of the season.

### Miss Kathrina Johnson Visits Pasadena.

Miss Kathrina Johnson who will graduate from Stanford university this year is spending the spring vacation at Pasadena, Cal., with Miss Catherine Wright, her roommate. Miss Johnson will be the guest of honor at several

affairs to be given by Stanford girls who reside in Pasadena. Miss Johnson will visit with friends at Long Beach and enjoy the diversions which make that portion of California attractive. Among her California pleasures was a motor trip to the university at Berkeley where a number of the Stanford students attended one of the "formals" at one of the fraternity houses.

### Young Student's Party.

Miss Judith Watts gave her usual monthly party for her pupils on Friday in her new studio in the Odd Fellows' building. The young people enjoyed a merry evening and refreshments were served.

### Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Johnson's Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Johnson entertained at dinner Friday evening, a party of out of town friends who are here for the opera. The table was attractively arranged with pink snap dragons in a low green bowl and pink shaded candles.

### Social Notes of Army People.

Among the former army officers stationed at Boise barracks who are now in the field are Colonel Walsh, Captain Smalley, Major Smythe, Captain Thomas and several others who were favorites in Boise social circles.

Major Wynne and Mrs. Wynne formerly of Boise barracks are now stationed at San Antonio, Tex. Miss Dorothy Wynne, is a most attractive debutante in army circles and the social life of San Antonio.

Colonel Walsh, who with Mrs. Walsh, is also remembered by many Idaho friends, is in the field and his family are at El Paso. Mrs. Walsh is a sister of Mrs. Wynne.

### Y. W. C. A. Notes.

At the vesper service of the Y. W. C. A. at 4:30 o'clock today, the speaker will be Mrs. C. Mann and her topic, "Influence of the Bible on American Poets." High school students are especially invited. Vocal music will be furnished by Miss Marion Oeder of Nampa. The hostess for the afternoon will be Miss Inez Clithero.

The dressmaking class will start Monday evening at 7 o'clock and continue to 9 o'clock. Each one is asked to bring a shirt waist pattern and material and a complete sewing outfit. Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock Mrs. Dockery will talk on "New Plans for Americanization."

### Boise's Child Violinist To Appear Here.

Boise claims Victor Christensen. Many hundreds will recall the tiny golden haired little chap who first played the violin in Boise, while yet a mere baby of possibly three or four. The Portland Oregonian has the following to say of him:

Victor Christensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Christensen, of this city, is expected to arrive soon from New York where he is coaching in violin study with the eminent violin virtuoso and instructor, Leopold Lichtenberg. Mr. and Mrs. Christensen hear that Victor will appear in a violin recital during his Portland visit and appear also in recitals at Boise, Seattle, Salt Lake City and other places. Victor Christensen appeared recently with much success at a music recital by the choir of St. Andrew's Memorial church, Yonkers, N. Y., where he played these violin solos: "Fantasia Appassionata" (Viewtemp), "Minuet" (Handel-Kreisler) and "Andantino" (Marti-Kreisler). At the same church Victor was violin soloist also at a pipe organ recital by Robert E. Huntington Terry, at which Victor played these solos to organ accompaniment: "Concerto No. 2" allegro moderato (Spohr) and "Melodie No. 2" (Tschaikowsky).

### Mrs. Kurtz Guest of Mrs. Eoff.

Mrs. Eoff has had as her guest, this week Mrs. Kurtz, who came into Boise for two days to visit with the Misses Shoup, returning to Nampa Friday.

### For the Misses Shoup.

Dr. and Mrs. Tukey entertained for the Misses Shoup Saturday evening at dinner. Spring flowers decorated the table.

### Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham's Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham entertained at a dinner party Tuesday evening, complimenting the Misses Shoup. Pink almond blossoms were pretty and spring-like as a table decoration. Twelve covers were placed.

### Mrs. Raymond Moore's Luncheon.

Mrs. Raymond Moore entertained at a prettily arranged luncheon Friday in compliment to the Misses Shoup, a group of about a dozen former friends of the guests of honor having been invited. Pink and white tulips decorated the table.

### Miss Mann, Guest of Mrs. Niday.

Miss Mary Virginia Mann who has closed her studio (the Little Shop) for the summer, was the guest of Mrs. J. L. Niday until after the opera. Miss Mann will go home for the summer and re-open her studio as "The Christmas Shop", early in the autumn.

### Former Boise Girl to Wed.

Miss Elma L. Rinard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rinard, formerly of Boise, but now of Clarkston, Wash., will be married at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the home of her parents to Leslie R. Kuehl. Miss Rinard was for several years a member of the choir of the First Methodist church of this city and her hosts of friends here wish her a very happy married life.

### Audubon Society.

The Audubon Society will have a "hike" Sunday, leaving the island near the Boise Butcher Co. slaughter house at 2 p. m. The second "hike" will be Monday morning, leaving Passmore's Grocery, corner State and Ressegule streets, at 5:15 a. m.

### Pythian Sisters Meet.

Ninety Pythian Sisters and their friends met on Thursday at the lodge rooms on Idaho street and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent playing progressive "500." Mrs. George Howard winning the prize, a basket. Those who did not play cards brought their needlework and while their fingers flew, their minds were occupied with a guessing game, Mrs. Chas. Roberts winning and was awarded a basket. After which all present were seated to a most tempting repast, prepared by the hostesses for the afternoon who were Mesdames Ella Smith, Levi Smith, H. L. Straight, G. F. Redman and most ably assisted by Mrs. George Schweitzer. It being the birthday of Mrs. Frank, in honor of the generous assistance she has always given the lodge, having occupied the manager's chair for over ten years, she was presented with a large birthday cake, gay with decorations and candles, by Mrs. Ella Smith, in appreciation thereof. Mrs. Frank thanked the sisters in a few well chosen words, after which Mrs. Sharpe also spoke, it being her birthday as well. Mrs. Frank then cut the cake, every one present receiving a portion.

### Miscellaneous Shower.

A miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Isabel Thompson Friday week at the home of Mrs. Roy W. Thompson. The afternoon was spent hemming dish towels for the bride to be. A guessing contest "A Floral Love Tale" was much enjoyed, the prize, a pretty Japanese plate, was carried off by Mrs. Allen, which she presented to the honor guest, after which the bride was given a dainty basket and told to hunt for numerous packages hidden about the house. Some very beautiful and useful articles were found. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the refreshments. Pink and white tulips with pink shaded candles were the decorations.

### Ross-Thompson.

A very pretty home wedding took place Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thompson, when their daughter, Isabel became the bride of Mr. Carl B. Ross. The impressive ring service was solemnized by Rev. J. H. Ross, in the presence of near relatives and a few intimate girl friends. The bridal pair took their place under a canopy of smilax and pink carnations to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Nevah Cole, after which Mr. Roy Thompson beautifully sang "God Make Them Mine." The bride was gowned in a blue Bengaline suit and carried a shower bouquet, which was caught by Miss Jessie Jensen. A four course muffled luncheon was served from a beautifully appointed table which carried out the pink and white color scheme. In the cutting of the bride's cake the ring fell to Miss Elsa Thompson, sister of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Ross are at home to their friends at 221 State street, Boise.

### Entertained at Dinner.

Miss Mildred French entertained at dinner at the Delta-Zeta House at the Kansas State Agricultural college, March 23. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hopper were the guests of honor. Mrs. Hopper was Ethel Van Hook of Boise. Among the guests were a number of former Boise people, including Mr. Westbrook, Miss Carley and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lehigh, of Boise High school '08. A delightful evening was spent talking over old times and listening to music.

### Miss Sonna to Have Popular Guests.

The Misses Shoup will be the guests of Miss Sonna for a week commencing Thursday.

### Pretty Family Dinner.

Mrs. Ella Reed entertained her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dubois of Condesport, Penn., at a family dinner Thursday evening at her home in the Herrington apartments. The table was pretty with a brass vase of pink carnations and smilax. The guests of honor left Friday for a tour of the west.

### Piano Pupils Entertained.

Miss Marie Cain entertained her piano pupils and their parents at the Columbian club hall Friday evening. An impromptu musical was given the first hour of the evening. The numbers played by the children were not



## DRESS-UP!

That's what we want to talk to you about now, for it's time. Spring is one-third over the fence and if you haven't bought your Spring Suit, Coat, Dress or Hats you're not keeping up, and besides you are not following out the dress-up spirit that is so universally advertised all over the Union. Why don't you join the ranks and go clothes hunting right away? This store is overflowing with good things for the grown-ups to young miss, the child and baby. We welcome you to an inspection any time and day. Genial clerks will gladly wait upon you. Come soon while the stocks are at their best at Anderson's.

### Splendid Waists For Dress-Up

Maise Silk Waists in crepe de chine and Georgette crepe made with frills, plaited and plain; others plaited in front and combinations of maise, yellow with white. A whole window full at \$5.75, \$6.75 and \$8.50. A line of crepe de chine, Georgette crepe, pongee and pussy willow crepe de chine, made semi-tailored in stripes, navy, white and flesh, Georgette crepes trimmed in frill with box plaited front; pongee with navy, green and red stripe; pussy willows in navy, white and flesh; made tailored, low and high necks and long sleeves; good values—\$5.00 and \$5.75. New lingerie Waists in voiles, trimmed in lace and embroidered organdies; others are all over embroidered voiles and have inserts of heavy lace; low necks and long sleeves; values \$1.50 and \$3.75. New line of Middies in all white, white with colored embroidered scallops and butterfly; others with colored flannel and pique collars—smocks and with striped trimming; others in all navy, tan and open; these have long and short sleeves; values 98c, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.98



### Smart Hat Styles in the Dress-Up Campaign

Just this week received a new shipment of Model Hats from Fisk and Moorhead Jardine Co. These hats embody the latest style notes in materials, trimmings and color. Red is rated as being very popular in the style metropolis, and many of these new creations are shown in red.

### Prices \$5 up

Other smart styles at \$3.75, \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.00. Wonderful assortments for easy choosing.

### Gloves for Dress-up

1000 pairs of the well known Bacmo Lamb Skin Gloves went on sale Saturday on the circle. They are a fairly good weight, one-clasp; are either for dress-up or street wear. There are five colors in the lot—tan, navy, grey, white and black. The sizes 6 to 8, self and contrasting stitching. Let us give you a tip—lay in a supply now for the price will be more next fall. While they last the price will be \$1.25.

### Ribbons for Dress-up

The past two weeks our ribbon department girls have been busy making up large ribbon bows for hats. Just think, you can buy a hat shape and trim it yourself by just applying one of these ready made ribbon bows and perhaps a flower for a contrast. These bows can be had for the price of the ribbon alone. Our department is amply stocked with all the new ribbons. All you have to do is to ask the girls in the department.

### Neckwear for Dress-up

The Neckwear Counter is flowing over with New Novelties. We have the new Neckwear, high and low shapes, made of dainty organdies and swiss. Some lace trimmed, others embroidered. Popular prices, 25c to \$1.50. New Cape Collars in voile, linens and organdie, suitable for suits and dresses, at 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. New Vestees in organdie, net and crepe de chine, in high and low effects, trimmed with the new wash buttons, 50c to \$1.50. Collar and Cuff Sets of organdie and net. Some are trimmed with dainty val lace, others embroidered, at 50c and up

### Proper Headgear for Motoring

Duplex Auto Caps with veils in contrasting colors, in silk, messaline, poplin, pongee and cravanette, in light and dark colors, 75c and up. Messaline Auto Caps, trimmed with leather in green, blue, brown and purple at \$1.50. Very soft, pliable leather Auto Caps in colors of brown and purple at \$1.75.

## Dress-up in our New Spring Suits & Dresses

Suits that are distinctive and individual—no two alike. Wool velour in blue and black, and green and black checks, tan gabardine effectively trimmed with buttons or contrasting braid. Stunning combination Suits of fancy plaids and checks with plaid, navy and black serge or gabardine.

A distinctly new note this season are the pearl grey taffeta and crepe de chine dresses; a bit of rose or open blue is the only color contrast. All sizes, 16 to 42.

Prices--  
\$19.75 to  
\$45.00



### Taffeta Dresses for Street

Soft tones of silk, such as pearl grey are talked of very extensively for this season. We have stocked them liberally. If you will gaze at our show windows you will get an idea of the styles. We have many others we'd like for you to see. Won't you let us show them to you. The prices won't frighten you away. They vary from \$14.75 up to \$39.50. Net and Lace Dresses that herald the coming of summer are altogether lovely. Nothing could be more practical for semi-dress occasions. White and Arabian, trimmed with rose, blue and Nile taffeta. Priced unusually low, \$24.75 to \$39.50.

### Dress-up in Our House Dresses and Aprons

Coverall Aprons for big folks. Outside bungalow aprons in pink and blue amoskeag ginghams, checks and plain; sleeves, neck and belt are trimmed in ric rac braid and are fastened with lacing. Will fit 42 to 50. Price 98c.

New House Dresses in ginghams, percales and crepes, trimmed in black and white stripe pippings, white pique collars and cuffs and vests of white crepes, ginghams in plain, pink, lavender and blue stripes and checks, and crepes in light checks and stripes. Special, 98c and \$1.25. Breakfast Suits in ginghams, made kimona sleeve, trimmed in white braid, fastened in front with buttons. These come in stripe and check ginghams. Good values for \$1.25.

### Baby and Children's Wear in the Dress-up

If you want to see the darlinest baby things, have a look at our baby window. We have everything for the little tots. The daintiest white dresses of organdie, lawn and voile trimmed with lace, embroidery and tucks. Prices 65c to \$4.50. 6 months to 6 years.

Baby Lawn Bonnets, hand embroidered, also tuckered lawn, trimmed with lace and embroidery, also white pique hats for the little tots, 50c to \$2. Children's White Dresses, just the thing for Easter. Made of very sheer material with pleated and plain skirts and ruffles, edged with lace; 6 to 14 years; \$1.49 to \$7.50.

See our Children's New Straw Hats in cream, old rose and navy, trimmed with bands of velvet and rosebuds, Milan and fancy straws. Prices 59c to \$5.75. We also have the Middy Tams and Sport Hats for larger girls in stripes and plain colors, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

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