SOCIETY

"I've often wished that I had clear
For life six hundred pounds a year,
A handsome house to lodge a friend,
A river at my garden's end."

How threadbare would be the fabric of society were it not strengthened and civilled by friendships.

But, being as it is, finely wrought with the "thousand nameless ties" binding heart to heart in sexless affection; society, in spite of the condemnation of cynics, is, nevertheless, humanity's refinery wherein is separated the soul's gold from the alloy of carnalism. Who entertains but with the motive of giving pleasure to others? Who yearns for the acquisition of wealth save to dispense hospitality that friends may be brought together in happy association?

True there are sour misanthropes with perverted loves and aims, yet even the most eccentric of these rarities is sweetened by the handclasp of a friend, of the "slow grower," tried and true variety. Imagine for a moment what the world would be minus Platonic love. Who would paint the great pictures if there were no loyal friend to inspire creative art? What would become of literature or the drama or even the motion pictures, if the Antonio and Bassanio type were eliminated? What incentive would there be for men to pool their energies and interests to attain political distinction for one of their coterie? Of course, the favor of the one so distinguished is craved, yet this also grows out of friendship, and desire to reward loyalty. Not evil but good is the seedling in the heart of humankind, and if resultant growth appears corrupt malcultur, is responsible. Having even one dear friend, suffices to nourish to fruition the fragrant blossoms in the dew-bathed meadows of social intercourse, and to impart to all within its hallowed influence the aroma of selflessness.

Perhaps women, more than men, are endowed with adhesiveness, and prone to cultivate the flower of friendship by hospitality, yet the unalterable devotion of man to man when a heart-comradeship is once established, is as beautiful as it is adamantine.

"There are a thousand nameless ties,
Which only such as feel them know;
Of kindred thoughts, deep sympathies,
And untold fancy spells, which throw
O'er ardent minds and faithful hearts
A chain whose charmed links so blend
That the light circlet but imparts
Its force in these fond words—my friend."

"Friendship parties" move in the spot light of society just now. And wearing the aureoles of soon-to-be brides, several daughters of Albuquerque are attracting wide attention, while "showers" or felicitations accompanied with mementos of girlhood friendships, continue with unabated gaiety and increasing number.

Miss Josephine Campfield and Miss Madonna Rankin, born and reared in this city are properly the recipients of pre-nuptial honors participated in by a considerable representation of society. The event of the week past was preeminently the Y. W. C. A. benefit play presented by local dramatics with the precision and subtleties of interpretation compelling grateful comment and much applause from the large audiences that for two nights were edified by following the destinies of "The Man From Home"—from a well loved American home in the scenes of old world intrigue.

The coming week, in fact the coming state is to be ushered in by the presence in the city of New Mexico's brainiest, gallantest, handsomest men who will assemble to participate in the convention of the State Bar association.

And, oh, joy of joys, the Commercial club is to be once more the scene of a brilliant function. Dancing, speechmaking, and all the complexity of radiant lights, resonant music, fair ladies, fascinatingly gowned dignitaries of the law and local beaux will commingle to create a stately social function fitting to the occasion of the first state assembly of the New Mexico bar in the memorial period when the new state is half entered the inner chamber of sovereign independence.

Albuquerque society is thrilling in anticipation of the public reception and dance Monday evening at the Commercial club in honor of the visiting lawyers who will arrive tomorrow and Monday morning to attend the annual convention of the New Mexico Bar association. The Commercial club, with characteristic hospitality, has tendered the handsome club home to the local bar association and to the public for entertainment for such distinguished guests.

Monday evening the entire second floor will be in gala attire, an informal reception held, to which all citizens desirous of meeting the legal delegates are invited. Dancing will be a feature of the mid-evening pleasure, and the Cavanaugh-Flurnoy orchestra of four pieces will discourse the music for this pastime. Refreshments, provided by the caterers of the Y. W. C. A. will be served, and the festivity prolonged till the morning hours. On the arrangement committee in charge of this notable entertainment (the first at the club for two years and the first really big function since the statehood bill was signed) are Messrs. Felix Lester, O. N. Marron, A. B. Stroup.

Banquet at Alvarado.

The two days' session of attorneys representing the New Mexico Bar will culminate in a grand banquet and post-banquet speechmaking in the spacious dining salon of the Alvarado Tuesday evening. Covers will be laid for one hundred to include the honor guests and the members of the local bar association.

Dinner to Dramatists.

The dinner to the members of the cast in "The Man From Home" at the annex of the Alvarado hotel Wednesday evening was as enjoyable as elegant appointments, superior cuisine, genial company and fragrant flowers could make it. Thirty local dramatists, musicians and the committee of the Y. W. C. A. aiding in the business part of the production were the guests of Messrs. Albright and Dugger. Lavender, pink and white sweet peas adorned the long table in tasteful arrangement and two delightful hours were passed. Those present were: Mesdames Barth Conners, Metzgar, Franc Albright, DeWolfe, Coons, Misses Harsch, Huning, Anita Baca, Ramona Baca, Ethel Hickey, Messrs. Andrews, Mason, Dugger, McGuiness, Spivey, Lane Arens, Harvey, Walker, Franklin, Albright.

Parties for Miss Campfield.

One of the most charmingly popular of the September brides is Miss Josephine Campfield, who on the 5th of the month will be the leading lady in a home drama of matrimonial stamp and supporting her as "best man" (in reality the best man and not groomsman) will be Mr. Benson Newell, one of the best known young men in Albuquerque.

Tuesday afternoon the bride-elect will be entertained by the Misses Walker, Margaret and Eugenia Kelcher at the home of the former. Wednesday Miss Ethel Saint will be hostess at a complimentary party. Mrs. Raymond Stamm has issued invitations to a Saturday afternoon affair in Miss Campfield's honor, and on Monday following a coterie of chums will be feted at the home of Mrs. J. T. McLaughlin in honor of Miss Campfield.

Miss Campfield Honoree.

Anticipated with eager pleasure by the favored invitees is the bridge party next Wednesday afternoon. At the home of Miss Gertrude Walker on North High street Misses Walker, Eugenia Kelcher and Margaret Kelcher will entertain in honor of Miss Josephine Campfield, who is to take on a new name September 5.

Five Hundred Party.

Miss Ethel Saint will be another of the week's hostesses who will fete Miss Josephine Campfield in ante-matrimonial style. Five hundred will be the feature of Miss Saint's party Wednesday afternoon to which a coterie of girl friends of the honoree will be bidden.

"Apron Shower" for Bride Elect.

One of the gayest of the ante-nuptial parties transpired this afternoon at the Hughes home on South Walter street, when Mrs. Thomas Hughes, Jr., was hostess to the intimate friends of the honoree, Miss Madonna Rankin. The cool, spacious rooms were vivified and glorified with a profusion of "golden glow" blossoms, which in fact diffused a golden glow throughout the apartments. While the fun and pre-matrimonial advice was gayest two wee gallants, resembling rosy-cheeked cupids, entered, bearing huge clothes baskets laden with aprons of every shape and design for gifts to the happy bride-to-be. There were aprons for sewing parties, hand-embroidered aprons, aprons for chafing dish work and of the approved "kitchen armor" variety. The little basket bearers were Masters Robert Hughes and Carl Hannum. The afternoon was marked with spontaneity of delight and felicitous expressions of dear friends in anticipation of the early marriage and departure of Miss Rankin. A delicious luncheon was in progress at 5 o'clock. The guests were: Miss Madonna Rankin, Mrs. Rankin, Miss Juanita Rankin, Miss Zilla Rankin, Mrs. Hannum, Mrs. Roy Stamm, Mrs. Ward Anderson, Mrs. Cushman, Miss Joe Mordy, Miss Grace Mordy, Mrs. Chester Goss, Mrs. Milne, Mrs. Daisy Huntzinger Mills of Los Angeles, little Helen Mills, Mrs. Learned of Lawrence, Mrs. Claire Nelson of Leavenworth, Kan., Mrs. Guy Rogers, Miss Beatrice Speight, Mrs. Lord of Denver.

Miss Rankin to Be Entertained.

One of the happy functions complimentary to Miss Madonna Rankin will be the afternoon at the hospitable home of Mrs. R. Fred Pettit, 508 North Fourth street, Thursday next.

Party for Miss Rankin.

As a culmination of the numerous ante-nuptial gayeties of the week in honor of Miss Madonna Rankin will be the party next Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Ward Anderson will be hostess to the circle of girl friends of this popular bride to be.

Miss Rogers Entertained.

A going-away party was tendered to a select few of the honoree's intimate friends last evening at the home of Mrs. O. R. Connelly, 805 North Eighth street, complimentary to Miss Hazel Rogers.

Games, exchange of wit, wisdom and prognostications for a brilliant future awaiting Miss Rogers engaged the company, and a happy finale was the dainty luncheon served by the hostess at a late hour. Miss Rogers will leave tomorrow for San Francisco to enter the California conservatory of music.

Masons Banquetted.

A fitting finale to the grand lodge assembly of the Scottish Rite Masons in Santa Fe was the banquet tendered visiting brothers by the Santa Fe lodge Thursday. The library hall in the Womans' Board of Trade building was the scene, that at high noon as the Masons filed in presented a beautiful spectacle. Lavish decorations of sweet peas beautified the room and glorified the tables. The upper tables where were seated the high nobles of the order, were the Masonic emblems, the square and compass developed in floral pieces of pink and violet sweet peas. More than one hundred guests partook of the feast that lasted till the mid afternoon.

Closing Reception.

Hundreds of guests thronged the rooms and corridors of the picturesque old "Palace," now the state museum in Santa Fe, last evening at the reception tendered by the faculty, to students of the Archaeological school and to the citizens interested in the session that with this brilliant function was brought to a crowning close. Scholars from all over the United States have been present at the sessions of this school and its findings are to be worth much to New Mexico and to all posterity.

The decorations for the occasion harmonized with the quaint furnishings of the rooms, and field flowers in artistic abundance graced the tables, shelves and deep window recesses, held in the Pueblo-decorated atlas.

His excellency, the governor and Mrs. Mills stood at the head of the receiving line, assisted by Miss Fletcher of Boston, and Judge McFie. The intellectual aristocracy of many states mingled with the scholars and social elite of New Mexico in happy intercourse till a late hour, and with the dispersal ended the Archaeological institute that will long be famous in New Mexican history.

Art Masterpieces Here.

The Duke City has the honor of having a collection of rare paintings by English and European masters. Mr. A. W. Bikker, who lately returned from London, and whose father is a notable artist of the British Isles, brought with him to this city, perhaps the finest collection of art samples ever seen here. One of these is a magnificent painting by H. S. Lynton, depicting an oasis in the Sahara where the camels and travelers are resting. "Rest in the Desert" is the title and expressed in the tonal tints of this wonderful country of lights, shade and mirage. This rare gem came from Egypt and is valued at $1000.00.

Samples of the Baxter oil paintings are also held by Mr. Bikker, and highly prized, as the Baxter secret of oil is now a lost art, since the death of this great colorist sixty years ago. One of these is the reproduction of Rubens's "Ascension" tinted as no living artist could do. Though diminutive, the Baxter paintings are among the choicest obtainable in any of the old world museums. Paintings by David Bates and A. W. Bikker, Sr., are part of this group to be shown at some future time by the collector.

Firemen's Picnic.

A party of locomotive firemen and their ladies left last evening for Las Vegas in response to the invitation sent out by the Las Vegas lodge of B. of L. F. and E. to attend a picnic in the heart of the mountains near the "Meadow City." All northbound trains carried delegations of pleasure seekers to Las Vegas. From Belen, Las Cruces, Gallup, Clovis, San Marcial, and southbound invitees from Raton flocked into Las Vegas last night, and early this morning left on a special excursion train for a point in the mountains eight miles from the city, where the day was passed and basket lunches enjoyed in the whole-souled manner of these people noted for cordiality as hosts and appreciation as guests. The Albuquerque contingent will return on the midnight train.

Statehood Celebration.

Nothing less than a grand patriotic rally and entertainment to eclipse all their former enjoyable affairs will suffice to express the exuberant joy of the members of the German Order of Harugari at this time over the advent of New Mexico into the United States.

In celebration of the event a committee of the lodge is busily engaged in completing arrangements for the entertainment to occur in Colombo hall Monday evening, September 18. The initial program number will be an address by Mr. Isaac Barth, to be followed by patriotic music and performances by vaudeville artists of the city. After several vocal solos, duos and trios there will be presented a 20-minute, dashing, rip-roaring musical sketch entitled "Das Lustige Musikanter Kleeblatt." The participants in this sketch (that indicates by its name "thoughts of strange things" and all-day laughter, are popular comedians of local fame. Misses Brodell and LaDriere and Messrs. John Schroeder, John Herboth, F. Brosey, Max Herstein, Joseph Friedburg and Co., Harry Handell and Co., Reinhart and Drummond.

And even with the close of the play the evening's pleasure will be but begun, as the floor will be cleared for dancing and to the tuneful strains of the DiMauro orchestra the attendants will make merry till past the midnight hour.

Series of Social Evenings.

After a period of rest from social entertainments, the Woman's Catholic Order of Foresters are planning to tender to members and friends a series of social evenings. The first of these events by this order noted for courtesy and original entertainments, will occur the last Wednesday in September in their new headquarters on Gold avenue. At the meeting in the Knights of Columbus hall on Central avenue last Wednesday evening, the expiration of the hall lease occasioned discussion about another meeting place and the Red Men's hall was chosen as the future home of the order.

Lodge Revel.

Dancing, card playing, music by Di Mauro's orchestra, refreshments and general joviality will be the order of pleasure next Monday evening when the Fraternal Brotherhood will keep open house—or to be exact will hold an open meeting for friends in the lodge in the Elks' building. The arrangements for the festivity are in the capable hands of Mrs. Steve Roe and a sub-committee who are sparing no pains to insure the social success of the evening.

State University.

"Far above the Rio Grande" situated on a topographical eminence symbolic of its eminence in the educational world, stands the state University of New Mexico just now preparing to open the first college year in the new state with auspicious promise of unprecedented success.

Indications gathered from the numerous letters of inquiry and letters requesting reservations in the dormitories point to a considerable increase in the enrollment, and the assurance that the dormitories will be taxed to the capacity limit, and that a demand for additional buildings will be urgent at an early date.

As a proof that the fame of the U. N. M. is wide spread, is the fact that every state in the union and two foreign countries will be represented in the student body to matriculate on or before September 11, the opening day.

Of particular interest the coming year will be the department of College history under the direction of Dr. Gray, assisted by Miss Erna Fergusson. The European plan of history study will be followed in this department. Other student assistants to aid in various departments are Misses Alice McMillin, Alice Caroline Schrieber, B. A. and Mr. Edwin Stanley Seder. In lieu of the classes in dramatics and oratory, there will be a strong Debating and Oratorical association among the students to hold forth on the college forum once every week, and a Dramatic club composed entirely of students, to present college and public theatricals during the year, for the more pretentious of which professional directors will be engaged. Emphasis will be placed on athletics the coming year, and the director, Mr. Robert Hutchison, appointed by the board of regents is to be kept busy in that department. Material for a superb foot ball team is already in sight, and the greater number of last year's luke hell nine will be enrolled this year.

In the absence of Dean Hodgin, now in Europe on sabbatical leave of absence, Dr. Mendel Silber will officiate as professor of education. The extension lecture course, inaugurated last year, will be continued the coming year, and weekly lectures and musical entertainments will be given by the University in the city. The summer school, also an innovation the past summer will continue to be held regularly every year. In fact, the University, like the territory has passed out of the pioneer stage into the stage of fulfillment and glorious achievement already attracting national attention.

"All hail to thee our alma mater
Of New Mexico!"

Students' Reception.

The glad hand of school fellowship will be extended to the large class of freshmen who will take up the mysteries of high school life this year. The entertainers will be the sophomores, juniors and seniors of the 1912 classes of the Albuquerque high school, and the scene of festivity will be a commodious hall centrally located, having platform facilities whereon the sophisticated high school boys may tread the boards in the guise of black-face minstrels. The young ladies, too, will have a share in the entertainment of the freshmen, but their parts will be along more conventional lines. The date of the affair will be Friday evening of the opening week of school. And timid freshmen may be assured of a delightful initiation and cordial welcome in the A. H. S. It is said the moving spirits of this as well as all the affairs to come in school circles are the live, lively members of the senior class.

Striving to Emulate Weston.

"Training in Pedestrianism" is the slogan of eight young ladies who may at some future time emulate the illustrious pathfinder, Weston, and take a coast to coast jaunt. At any rate the beginnings of pathfinding experiences prove sufficiently exciting and interesting to spur them on to record breaking tramps. Thursday morning the fair pedestrianes started at 4:30 and hoped to have an open air breakfast beyond the Indian school at 6:15 o'clock. After breaking the night long fast, the party invaded the orchard and barnyard of the Menaul ranch, having numerous kodak views taken in the pastoral scenes. On the return trip, a kindly Mexican driver proffered his wagon bed as a means of transportation to the foot sore and weary party of charming girls. Those in the party were: Misses Pauline Postel, Edna McInerney, Helen Ward, Alma Swayne, Genevieve Tierney, Janet Hill, Mabel Parton, Edith Joyce.

"The Man From Home."

Perhaps in the annals of local dramatics there has been no greater treat and intensely absorbing play than the two-night performance of Booth Tarkington's heart-thrilling story. For local dramatists to be so capable of compelling the sympathetic response from audiences that filled the theater both nights is unusual, and in the fine conceptions of the parts and skillful interpretations amidst scenic atmosphere of Italy the actors lived the lives of the characters and inspired mirth, love, pity, anger, contempt as the situations developed. On the hotel balcony overlooking the bay of Naples, the costumes of the ladies and profile of coiffure and countenance were materially enhanced by the background, hazy with the colors of southern sky, hill and water. No detail had been overlooked in the stage setting and costuming, that in all respects were the richest ever seen on the local stage.

Italian airs, particularly "Il Trovatore" played softly behind the scenes by the DeWolfe trio, completely won the hearts of the audience and almost unconsciously transported them to Italy to share in the scenes of the story. Elwood Albright, as the stalwart, unassuming American, frank, good-humored exponent of nobility of his home land was the idol of the audience from his first appearance till the last drop of the curtain on the touching picture of pensive hope as he listened to the unseen girl of his dreams singing "Sweet Genevieve."

Absolutely natural was the part of Mr. Albright and the droll repartee and ready mother wit seemed as much a part of himself as the flashes of strength of native nobility. Mrs. Fred Metzgar as Miss Granger Simpson, was also entirely free from affection and seemed to move and live in the character of the American girl unduly influenced by old world fortune hunters, and cut off from the wholesome influences of her own people till the arrival of "The Man From Home" who wakes the dormant nobility in her nature. Miss Dolores Huning as the French countesse, was adorably Parisian in accent and manner. Miss Ethel Hickey as the professional chaperone, was handsome in her dignified poise and carried the part as no other could. The Grand Duke Vasili in his incognito acting and seriousness was superb. Mr. Jack Dugger's intimately characteristic acting as the American youth, masterful when once roused, compelled frequent applause. The stress of tragic acting was eminently carried by Mr. Robert Arens, whose Russian talk, terror, grief and surviving ambition in face of disgrace, were depicted with the skill of the professional. Mr. McGuiness and Spivey as butlers were perfect in their roles. David Lane as the English cave hunter, dog-lover and peg on which to hang a possible fortune, could not have been better, while, Jack Harvey, as his sire, unscrupulous and commanding, was also perfect. The feature of the evening, however, was the serenade of Esther Jolly singing Italian love songs, and the accompanying dance by petite Miss Baca of Santa Fe, elicited loud applause and insistent encores.

So enthusiastic were the people at the close of the second night's performance that in the lobby on every side were heard expressions of praise and the desire that it might be repeated again during the fair for the benefit of out of town visitors and to give the admirers present last evening another opportunity to hear it. To Messrs. Albright and Dugger great credit is due for the success of this pretentious drama, and all the work connected with it, and incidentally the Young Woman's Christian association is several hundred dollars ahead for their new home fund.

Art Superintendents.

New counties are every day being listed in the counties to send art exhibits for the Woman's building at the First State fair, and it is safe to forecast that not a corner in New Mexico but will have some specimen of needlecraft or art work on display. In this city an able committee is earnestly working for the success of the department. Of these one of the most capable is Miss Ethel Hickey, a recognized authority on art values and art criticisms. Other members of the committee are Mrs. Danahy, Mrs. H. B. Ray, Mrs. Lyon, Mrs. D. H. Cairns and Mrs. S. E. Newcomer. An exquisite piece of art needle work is on display in the Newcomer store that is to be the prize for the best and largest sample of hand embroidery by an out-of-town exhibitor. This is offered by the Richardson Silk company of Chicago and is a hand-embroidered center piece of the navy daisy design on fine linen, bordered with real Cluny lace. This gem is not attainable by city contestants but is to be the award to the best sample in its class from elsewhere in the state. Following are the names of the county superintendents thus far: Mrs. James Walker, Torrance; Mrs. Len Weil, Taos; Mrs. E. D. Tittmann, Sierra; Mrs. Z. Moore, Luna; Miss L. M. Harman, Mora; Mrs. Solomon Luna, Valencia; Mrs. Coe Howard, Roosevelt; Mrs. George H. Mitchell, Grant; Mrs. Rupert Asplund, Santa Fe; Miss Pearl Merchard, Curry; Mrs. Josie Lockhart, Colfax; Mrs. Clarence Iden, San Miguel.

Phi Mu Party.

The Psi Mu house party being entertained at the home of Miss Edith Sherman, 705 North Edith street, consisting of Miss Pickard, Miss Lane, and Miss Sherman are to tender an informal dancing party Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Erna Fergusson and her house guests, Miss Wilson and Miss Polly Wilson of Corpus Christi, Texas. Under the chaperonage of Mrs. Sherman the evening will be dedicated to merriment, dancing and genial intercourse in the parlors of the Sherman home.

"Searchers" to Entertain.

The junior girls in the Sunday school class of Mrs. I. J. Mize are planning an entertainment to occur soon in the Gold and Broadway church and the receipts to be donated to the Y. W. C. A. Piano, vocal and literary numbers will be rendered by these loyal "Seachers" for more ways and means to do good "unto others."

Grove Meeting.

Distinctively refreshing, unique and profitable, to say nothing of the pleasure which will, in fact, predominate will be the meeting of the Christian Woman's Board of Missions next Thursday afternoon at the suburban home of Mrs. J. G. Gentry on the Isleta school road. The orchard grove is to be the meeting place where a book day program will be rendered by several ladies. Besides books on foreign missionary topics to be briefly reviewed by different speakers, the white slave traffic will be discussed, slum work in the large cities and local affairs including the work of the Y. W. C. A. will engage a portion of the time. Not least enjoyable will be the watermelon feast made the trees. And to all the ladies in the city an invitation is extended to be present.

Tennis Club.

In demonstration of their earnest belief that summer is joy time, the members of the student set have dedicated every fleeting moment to pleasure the past months. One wholesome sport for buoyancy has been the tennis games engaged in daily on the court adjoining the premises of the Tennis club president, Miss Marguerite Anson. Business meetings of the club are held the first Tuesday of each month, for the disposition of business relating to club affairs, but lively contests on the court occur daily, and is at all times a popular rendezvous of the fifteen members.

The club is officered by Miss Marguerite Anson, president; Miss Janet Hill, secretary; Miss Helen Ward, treasurer.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. L. O. Rice and little one returned last evening from Santa Fe, where they were the guests of friends the past few days.

Miss Edith Gorby arrived yesterday from Orleans, Neb., to assume direction of the deaconess's work of the Lead Avenue Methodist church in this city. Miss Gorby is a graduate of the Deaconesses' school of Kansas City and has a wide experience, eminently fitting her for the "sunshine" work in this parish.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hannum and Mrs. Marion H. Lord of Denver made up a merry party of sightseers who spent several days this week in the "City of Holy Faith."

Mrs. Marion H. Lord of Denver is the house guest of her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hannum, 619 N. Fourth street.

Mr. I. O. Anderson was one of the delegates from the local church who left Wednesday evening for Vaughn, N. M., to attend the Baptist association, now in session at that place.

Mrs. Herbert Rankin of Silver City, N. M. will arrive tomorrow morning to be the guest of Mr. Rankin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Rankin, and will remain till after the marriage of Miss Madonna Rankin to Mr. Albert Learned September 6.

Mrs. John Wright of Indianapolis, Ind., spent Thursday in the city en route from the annual convention of the Typographical Union recently held in San Francisco to her home via Hunter, Oklahoma. Mrs. Wright is a member of the Woman's Auxiliary of the I. T. U. and states the ladies attending the convention were treated like queens by the two thousand delegates and at every city along the route of the I. T. U. especially as well as in the Golden Gate City.

NEW MEXICO SOCIETY

Social Affairs from Various Towns.

WILLARD.

Miss Orpha Putney was 17 years old last Saturday and invited several friends in to spend the evening informally. Her guests were: Misses Audrey Sears and Leona McKinley, Messrs. J. W. Chegorn and Earl McKinley.

Mrs. Samuel Otero and her baby, Clara, have gone to Deming for a fortnight's visit with Severo Chavez and family.

Mrs. James Chavez and her dear little daughter arrived the first of the week from Roswell to join Mr. Chavez here. They are at home for the present with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chavez.

Mrs. Ben S. Jackson and her son, Lester, will leave Tuesday for a few days' visit at Belen with Mrs. Roy Brown. From there Mrs. Jackson expects to go to Albuquerque to complete arrangements for entering Lester in school there this winter.

Mrs. Wilcox will take charge of the telephone office the first of the month, Mrs. Ross, the present operator, and her two little girls, Catherine and Marguerite, will go to their claim near Barton.

The dance given Saturday evening in Herndon's hall complimentary to Carl Custer of Belen, who was visiting friends here, was one of the most successful "hops" of the summer. Ten couples were in attendance.

Mrs. Alfred L. Means had a few friends in Sunday for a thoroughly enjoyable 1 o'clock luncheon. The central table decoration was a jar of purple and white asters from the McKissor gardens. Covers were laid for Mr. Carl Custer of Belen, Misses Nellie Saams and Florence Means, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jennings, Mr. Alfred Means and Mr. Dallas Drummond.

Complimentary to Mr. Carl Custer of Belen, a week-end visitor here, and Mr. Dallas Drummond, one of the beaux of the younger set, Mrs. Frank Jennings had a few friends in for an informal 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening. Enough in the nature of a farewell to Mr. Drummond, who left Monday morning for Vaughn, where he takes a responsible position in the Santa Fe offices, the affair was a very jolly one. After the dinner the guests spent the evening on the lawn around a huge bonfire toasting marshmallows. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Means, Miss Nellie Saams, Miss Florence Means, Mr. Custer and Mr. Drummond. The same strenuous crowd had planned a hay ride to the mesa and another marshmallow roast for Monday evening, but message of the sudden decision of the weather man to send such a howling "norther" this was called off until a later date.

I. M. McKinley of Kingsville, Pa., is here for a couple of weeks' visit with his cousins, Miss Ella and Mr. Ernest Brickley. This is Mr. McKinley's first western experience. He expresses himself as delighted with the rugged and picturesque scenery of this valley and almost wishes that his home were here.

Mrs. Lofton of Lampasas, Texas, who is the guest of Mrs. Matilda La Beauty, was taken quite ill with a sudden fainting seizure Wednesday afternoon. Her physician announces the illness only temporary and brought on by the high altitude.

BARTON.

Mr. and Mrs. John Austin and children were visiting in Moriarty Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Calkins and little son, Harry, were visiting in Albuquerque the last of the week.

Ernest Guest spent Sunday at A. J. King's.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Calkins of Albuquerque are visiting relatives.

Mrs. S. S. King called on Mrs. John Austin Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Pryor of Albuquerque is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Calkins.

Mr. and Mrs. John Austin and children started for Oklahoma Wednesday, where they will make their future home.

Hiram Williams took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Calkins Sunday.

Miss Rebecca King was visiting in Moriarty Wednesday.

A NEW WRINKLE IN SMUDGING ORCHARDS

T. Marcotte, who owns a small ranch below Aztec, has this year a large crop of fruit, corn, sugar beets, melons, cabbage, sorghum, besides hogs, cattle and horses which he will feed. Mr. Marcotte says his fall apple crop is due to the heating of his orchard the past spring. He would bring in large piñon stumps, roots and all, when he was after firewood in the hills nearby, and these he placed at various points in his orchard. By lighting these stumps about 12 midnight he would find them burning finely when he got out of bed next morning. One stump would burn for four nights by putting out the fire each morning. Mr. Marcotte certainly has the fruit to show, while orchards close to him are without fruit. The orchard heater companies seem to have a formidable rival in the piñon stump.—San Juan County Index.

DECORATIONS FOR FALL.

Elaborate Improvements Being Made At The Welvart Millinery.

The popular Welvart millinery on Central avenue is being elaborately remodeled and improved in preparation for the annual showing of fall hats. All fixtures are being finished in white enamel, handsome plate mirrors have been installed and a new decorative scheme is being arranged. Early fall goods are arriving daily, and some very pretty numbers are being displayed.

Mrs. Jeannette Welvart will leave this evening for Chicago to meet Mrs. Nellie Hartley, who is returning from an extended eastern buying trip.

If you want a stylish horse and buggy, see W. L. Trimble, 113 North Second St. Phone No. 3.

SHE GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Physicians Failed To Help Mrs. Green, But She Finally Found Relief in Cardui.

Meatze, Va.—Mrs. J. C. Green of this place says: "I suffered with womanly troubles so that I could hardly sit up. Two of the best doctors in our town treated me, and I tried different medicines, until I gave up all hope of ever getting well.

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