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SOCIAL EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK

Miss Hutchins' Piano Recital.
Miss Marie Hutchins, who has been a student with Miss Weller of this city for three years past, gave a piano recital Wednesday evening at the First Baptist church which filled the beautiful auditorium of that building with a delighted audience. Mr. Charles Roth gave a number of high class vocal solos, and was given several recalls to which he responded with happy effect. The evening was a musical surprise to all who heard Miss Hutchins play. Besides a few lessons given by her mother, she has been trained and brought out by Miss Weller, who took her as an exclusive student when she was in sonatina work, and has improved her natural ability until it can be safely said she has a wonderfully exquisite touch, and all her tonal work has high quality. The program opened with a quartet by Althea Moores, Maude Evans, Delbert Barton and Mauric Roberts, and closed with another by Marie Hutchins, Gertrude Brewer, Eleanor Colony, and Miss Weller. All showed splendid assembly work on the part of the students.

Miss Hutchins work was all memorized, playing her first sonata, which was loudly applauded, and next some poetical studies from Haberbier. Next came Rubenstein's wonderful Kamennoi Ostrow, which was the masterpiece of the evening, and revealed Miss Hutchins as a matchless player for her age. Indeed, if she were the product of some great European master she would be heralded as a wonder. Her closing three numbers from Chopin were absolutely perfect—if perfection can be reached by so young a player. Miss Weller has reason to be proud of having brought out such a prodigy as Miss Hutchins, and is to be complimented on the success of the recital in her honor.

At the Blind School.
The closing exercises of the Blind School were given by the students Thursday evening, assisted by Mrs. Mernie A. Hug. Many of the relatives and friends of the students were present, and greatly appreciated the splendid work of the pupils. The program given was as follows: Orchestra.....Prince Charming Piano.....Mabel Rosenbaum Song (a) The Miner's Song; (b) The Bird's Nest..... Primary Pupils Clarinet—Canzonetta, John Foley Recitation—Guess What's In My Pocket.....Zella Lomax Recitation—Burglar Bill..... Mabel Rosenbaum Vocal—Even Bravest Heart..... William Baller Chorus—Gather Ye Rosebuds Orchestra.....Vision of Sleep Piano.....John Foley Toy Symphony.....Haydn Violin.....William Baller Vocal—(a) Crossing to Dreamland; (b) The Silent World Is Sleeping. Mernie A. Hug Piano.....Frank Sanders Chorus.....Soldier's Chorus (Faust.) Supt. and Mrs. E. T. Moores have had charge of the Blind Institute since last September and have cared for 27 pupils. They have added one new industry, carpet weaving, and two boys have finished many yards of beautiful rag carpet. Besides about 40 hammocks have been made, 45 chairs caned, at 50 cents each, the students doing the work receiving the pay, and about 150 baskets of all kinds made, from the finest imitation of Indian work to serviceable baskets for daily use. The girls do sewing, knitting and crocheting. Besides giving their personal time and attention to the students, Mr. and Mrs. Moores, have assisted in the teaching. The other teachers are

Miss Mildred Kruse and Ethel Harding, with Prof. Roberts as head of the music department. He has made a name for himself as the most noted blind pianist and pipe organist in the west, and will during the summer vacation have seeing students on the violin and tunc pianos. The students have nearly all departed for their homes and all report an enjoyable and profitable year's work.

LeRoy Gesner Musical Recital.
On Monday evening a large audience gathered in the university chapel to hear the annual recital given by pupils of LeRoy Gesner. It is an unusual thing for pupils to play with technical freedom, and beauty of tone, but such seemed to be the rule with the young violinists taking part in this program and Mr. Gesner is to be congratulated upon his success as teacher.

The program opened with a violin chorus, "March Romaine," by Gounod. This number, accompanied by cello, bass and piano, reminded one of a symphony orchestra. There is no music more beautiful than a violin, except more violins, in this number, three more violins all playing with fine ensemble and it was received with a great deal of enthusiasm by the audience.

Miss Laura Farrington played as a solo, "Berceuse Slav," by Neruda, in a very artistic manner, holding the attention of the audience through the entire number. This little girl will be a great violinist some day and the writer intends to note her progress as she appears in public from year to year.

Miss Lillian Stege came next on the program, and the moment she came into the view of the audience there was an outburst of applause that would certainly convince one that she is a favorite with lovers of music. She played the Canzonetta by D'Ambrasio, in a way that won the admiration of everyone; there was no feeling of doubt as to whether she would be equal to the technical demands of the Canzonetta, for this part of her work was accuracy, and she plays with more temperament and a much larger tone than ever before.

Harry Munson very modestly came upon the stage and created a sensation by his playing of the mazurka de Concert, by Musin. This number embraces various kinds of technique and makes large demands upon the finger dexterity of the performer, such a piece if not well played, falls flat with the audience. In this case his clever work came far from passing unnoticed, for Harry did it so well that the audience insisted upon hearing it again.

The College Quintette, though organized by Mr. Gesner principally for giving advanced pupils training in ensemble playing has taken a prominent part with musicians as an organization, and has done a great deal towards elevating the standard in this locality. The number by the Quintette was a fitting climax to a program of such excellence and it is to be hoped that this combination will appear oftener during the coming year.

Miss Nina Bushnell presided at the piano, and upon this, as upon other occasions, proved herself to be a clever pianist.

Freshman Class Jolly-Up.
The freshman class of the high school held a "jolly-up" Thursday night, which was attended by nearly all the members of that class and also the faculty. They met at the high school at 6:30 o'clock where a delightful luncheon was served by the Freshman girls. They next went to the City Square, where numerous games were played, and class

yells given. After leaving the square they took in the different five-cent theaters. The party was chaperoned by Miss Topping.

Entertain Baseball Teams.
Ralph Moores entertained the members of the Salem and West Portland high school baseball teams and a number of girl friends at his home last Saturday evening. An enjoyable social time was had. Refreshments and punch was served. Among out-of-town guests were Misses Nell Thilens and Miss Baker of St. Helen's hall, Portland.

Anderson-Anderson Wedding.
The marriage of Miss Nora L. Anderson to Mr. W. Everett Anderson was celebrated quietly Wednesday noon at the residence of the bride's parents in Morningdale. Rev. Paul Bandy, of the Unitarian church performed the ceremony.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Anderson, and has a host of friends in this city. The groom is the son of W. R. Anderson, also of this city.

After a short trip to Portland and the Sound cities they will be at home to their friends at 114 North High street.

The "Iron Master."
The presentation of the "Iron-Master" at the Grand Opera House, Wednesday evening, by the students of the College of Oratory of Willamette University was witnessed by a good-sized audience, who thoroughly enjoyed the artistic work of the students. Wallace G. Trill, as leading man, handled his difficult role to perfection, as did also Miss Augusta Perry Reigelman also deserves the highest credit for the part he took as the comedian. All the parts were exceptionally well given and was a credit to the students as well as Professor May Belle Adams, under whose direction the play was given. The High school orchestra furnished delightful music.

Birthday Surprise.
A most delightful birthday surprise was given in honor of Miss Grace Robertson and her brother, Clarence, by a number of their friends at their home at Pringle, south of Salem, on last Friday evening. The evening was pleasantly spent with music and games after which refreshments were served.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Robins, Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, Mr. Wilson, Misses Lena and Caroline Coburn, Edna Cannon, Sarah Thomson, Jennie Capp, Margery Benninghoff, Grace Robertson and Cora Miller; Messrs. Percy and Chas. Robins, Storrie Cannon, Ernest and Frank Clark, Justice Coburn, Fred Slewert, Lester Robins, George and Will Grabenhorst, Joseph Imper, Eugene and Charlie Grabenhorst, Christ Mumm, Clarence Robertson, and Clyde Benninghoff.

McCorkle-Carmichael Wedding.
Miss Kate Carmichael, only daughter of Mr. John Carmichael of this city, was married in Portland last Tuesday to Mr. Jesse McCorkle of Portland. The ceremony took place at the Oregon hotel, and was performed by the pastor of the Episcopal church of Portland. The bride was attended by Miss Nettie Reddick of Dallas, and Mr. Dan Fawk of Portland was best man. A banquet at the Oregon followed the ceremony. The guests were: Mr. John Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. Bent Jones, and Mr. Elmer Reece of Salem; Miss Nettie Reddick of Dallas; Eva Fletcher of Lafayette, Or.; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. McCorkle, Mr. Dan Fawk, Miss Montgomery and Mr. A. J. Leland, all of Portland.

After an extended wedding trip they will probably make their home in Portland, where the groom holds a position with the Union Paint company.

Sophomore Class Day.
The sophomores of the high school celebrated Friday as their class day. At the morning assembly members of the class as living statues representing different schools, etc., were the principal feature. At noon two sophomore songs which had been composed by members of the class were sung. At 3:30 the class served punch to the whole school, and in the evening a class party was held at the school.

Closing Piano Recitals.
The closing piano recitals of the Western Conservatory of Music, will be given in the auditorium of the First Christian church, Tuesday, June 16, to Friday, June 19, at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Frank E. Churchill, interstate teacher.

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Central Congregational.
Nineteenth and Ferry streets, P. S. Knight, pastor. At close of Sunday school, 11 a. m., Rev. J. E. Walker, many years a missionary in China, will deliver an address. Let all be on time, as the service must close at 11:30.

Rev. F. H. Reeves will conduct service at 8 p. m.
Lutheran St. John's Church, Missouri Synod.
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W. C. T. U.
Robert G. Miller will deliver an address at the hall, corner Commercial and Ferry streets, Sunday at 4 p. m. Good music. The public are invited.

Christian Science.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, 440 Chemeketa street. Services: Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; subject of lesson sermon, "God, the Only Cause and Creator." Sunday school at 12:15 a. m. The Wednesday evening meeting is held at 8 p. m. Reading room in the church open each afternoon except Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend the services and the reading room.

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