

## SAUNTERINGS

Among the recruits sent from London to the trenches, there was one of those sweet young things from the chorus wearing a sport shirt. The troops were lined up for inspection and when the inspecting officer spotted this charmer, he proceeded to call her in the way described in "the States" as fierce and all that sort of thing you know.

The next day at inspection, the officer called for a salute from the troops, but she did not obey, and when the one in command demanded a reason, she replied: "Why, dearie, I thought perhaps you were still angry with me."

There are to be four exciting weddings in society in the early fall, and so prominent are those who will appear in the leading roles that there promises to be no end of entertaining for the stunning girls who are to be the brides. Quite an unusual feature in connection with the matrimonial events is the fact that all but one will continue to reside here. It has been the general rule of late for society girls who marry to go elsewhere and that there are to be exceptions to the rule in the cases of these beauties is rather pleasant to contemplate.

Even the exception may prevail upon the lucky man to live here, for it is said that he likes Salt Lake immensely and would not be averse to making his home in the west. It is impossible to get a definite word out of any of them, but from no less authoritative sources than close relatives it is learned that the coming of autumn will see them stepping down the aisle to the accompaniment of the Mendelssohn stuff. The brides to be have confided to a friend or two, that September is about the best month to be married in and of course when two women know a secret, one and one make 11.

During the week our city has been favored with a visit from Pres. Hyrum Dunn of various railroads. The pres has been busily engaged attending to manifold duties but has been able to spend a few evenings in the rose bower on the roof and other places of cooling drafts, and has entertained extensively his guests being principally railroad and minor magnates. His best business judgment prevented him taking part in any of the Wizard parades but he lent his presence and gave a little money to the festivities and attracted considerable attention upon all occasions. Mr. Dunn does not wear a sport shirt.

One of the ruins in the smart set was a guest at a picnic given a few evenings ago at "The Ruins" in Little Cottonwood just at that bend in the creek before the mountains are reached, the place that has become so popular of late with those who like the open spaces. There were various refreshments carried into the country, felony that it is, and beside the gentleman's natural thirst, his parched thorax was in need of excessive lubrication after the dusty ride. He was hungry, too, so as the twilight deepened he stretched himself under the trees and fell into a heavy sleep.

One of those humorists, the kind that usually thinks it very funny to annoy a bride and groom after a wedding, suggested that the party return to town and leave him, so they did; an incident which accounted for the frantic ringing of a telephone bell in a local garage at four o'clock next morning, for upon waking at midnight, he had walked to Murray and arriving long after the cars had stopped, thought it necessary to get home before the milk. If there is any moral in this, it is that one should choose his own party before going camping.

It is rather hard for the boys with the sport shirts around town this week on account of the competition. There is a regular female impersonator at Pantages.

There was a little side light on a main street corner during the Wizard parade on Wednesday evening. A couple, full of years were standing leaning on each other. They looked as though they had been through many hardships but their faces contained the calm that comes after the worst is over. There was a soft light in their eyes and a look of peace and happiness, except for a slight show of impatience at the delay in the arrival of the pageant. Finally the woman turned to the man and sweetly and gently said: "John, if you are tired I am ready to go home any time."

And John turned his dear old eyes toward hers and said: "Hell no, you drug me up here and I'm damned if I ain't going to stay until it is over."

The date of the coming of the Bevan Opera company is August fifth when the singers will appear in Carmen at Wandamere with Alice Gentle, one of the greatest Carmens in the operatic world in the title role. The company will be at Wandamere for two weeks and will include in its repertoire six or eight of the greatest operas. This famous company opens its regular season in Los Angeles in October and Salt Lakers are fortunate indeed to be able to hear the song birds. Popular prices will prevail for this attraction which is usually heard at two and three dollars. The boxes here will be seventy-five cents with other reserved seats at twenty-five and fifty cents and the season down in the country under the stars will unquestionably attract large audiences. It has been a long time since Salt Lakers had the opportunity of hearing grand opera and the artists who are coming are an unusually gifted company. The engagement will mean considerable to people in the smart set, but aside from the society element, the prices are within such easy reach that everyone will have an opportunity of enjoying the music.

Announcement cards were received during the week by the friends of John Loneragan (Jack) Burke, announcing the marriage of Miss Julia Wallrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallrich of Chicago, to Mr. Burke. The wedding took place on Tuesday and after their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Burke will make their home in Portland, Oregon, where Mr. Burke has been in business with his father and brothers for several years. His friends here were under the impression that he was a confirmed bachelor, but one never can tell and they are extending their heartiest congratulations.

For their guest, Miss Dorothy Doty of New York, the Misses Marjorie and Lavinia Brown entertained at a delightfully informal dancing party at their home in Federal Heights on Friday evening. It was one of the happiest affairs of carnival week.

Miss Jane Darling has as her guest, Miss Catherine Woolsey of Berkeley, who will be at the Darling home on First avenue for about a month. Miss Darling and Miss Woolsey will spend much of the time during her visit at the Darling cottage at Brighton.

The Country club was somewhat giddy on Wednesday with numerous luncheons, most of which were in compliment to visitors here.

A smart affair was that given by Miss Dorothy Bamberger for Mrs. Clarence Bamberger and Miss Edith Scholle of New York. Miss Bam-

berger's invitation list included forty guests. Small tables on the club veranda were used for the luncheon.

Ms. Joseph H. Young, who recently arrived from her home in the south, was the motif for another delightful affair given by Mrs. Clifford R. Pearsall and Mrs. George N. Lawrence and Miss Nellie Calvin presided at a beautiful luncheon for twenty in honor of Mrs. Mark W. Lillard and Mrs. Edward J. Roberts, who formerly lived here. Mrs. George Gannett also entertained at the club for her sister, Mrs. H. Preston of Salida, Colorado, who is her guest at the Bransford, and others who were hostesses at smaller affairs were Mrs. David Keith, Mrs. J. M. Bidwell, Mrs. Arthur Bird and Mrs. James Hogle.

Mrs. Emery S. Adams, Mrs. C. Clyde Squires and Mrs. Sybella Clayton Bassett, who are spending the summer here, were the guests of honor at a prettily appointed luncheon with covers laid for twenty-four, which was given by Mrs. Horace B. Whitney at her home on Wednesday.

An attractive entertainment of Wednesday, was an informal affair at which Mrs. George F. Peterson was the hostess. It was for Miss Frances Shields and among the diversions of the afternoon were card games and a buffet luncheon. Mrs. Peterson was assisted by Mrs. W. C. Wallace, Mrs. J. H. Roberts and Miss Helen Wallace.

Miss Ruth Sowles and Stephen H. Lynch, Jr., who will be married next week, were entertained at a party in the roof garden of the Utah on Thursday evening, by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Richards and Frank Spencer. On Thursday morning, Miss Martha Richards gave a breakfast at which Miss Sowles was the complimented guest.

## HAPPENINGS AND WHEREABOUTS

Mrs. Clyde Squires of New York, who is visiting Mrs. Horace B. Whitney, will be the honored guest at a dinner to be given at the Country club this evening by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Nibley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Story have returned from Colorado.

On Thursday at Pinecrest, Mrs. Enos A. Wall entertained the members of the Imperial Bridge club.

Mrs. Curtis Wherry was the hostess at a luncheon given at her home on Wednesday when the Robert E. Lee Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy were entertained.

Mrs. G. H. Roberts of Denver, formerly Miss Myra Sowles, is the guest of her father, M H Sowles, and will remain until after the Sowles-Lynch nuptials.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Lynch gave a dinner at their home last evening for Miss Sowles, Mr. Lynch and their wedding party.

At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Gaylord, little Miss Olive Gaylord entertained a number of her young friends on Tuesday.

Mrs. Karl A. Scheid and Mrs. William Wallace are in Los Angeles, where they went on account of the serious automobile accident which happened to Mrs. Sarah McChrystal and Mrs. Florence K. Woodruff.

Miss Jane Darling entertained informally for her guest, Miss Catherine Woolsey, at a tea at her home on Tuesday.

Miss Marie Forhan of Boulder, Colorado, and F. S. Thompson of Aloha, Washington, were married at the home of her uncle, Judge Colborn, on Wednesday, the Rev. P. A. Simpkin performing the ceremony. They will make their home in the northwest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cowans are the guests of the O. J. Salsburys at their ranch in Idaho.