

# Saunterings

The younger set have had somewhat of a monopoly the past week, the presence of so many visiting girls keeping them going at a pace parallel to that of the older sets of a week ago—that is, parallel in the point of the number of their engagements, though the affairs were gentler, and perhaps happier, for when you're seventeen it's a whole lot easier to enjoy life than when one begins to get in the thirties and a little bit more.

Miss Margaret Walker has a charming guest, Miss Evelyn Powers of Denver, who will be here several weeks. On Tuesday evening a lake party was given in her honor, Miss Norinne Thompson entertained at a barn dance for her, and among other events scheduled for the coming week are a dance in her honor at the Country club and a luncheon at the same place, the former to be given by Miss Lillian Lane. On Friday evening Miss Walker was hostess at a delightful dinner-dance at the Country Club with Miss Powers as the motif.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman A. Prosser have as their guests the Misses Marjorie and Helen Stutzer, cousins of Mr. Prosser, who will leave shortly for their home in Brooklyn, where they are prominent in society.

They intended to remain a week, but will double the time of their visit, for they are charmed with Idlewild, and as one of the young ladies said, "I could stand resting two weeks if I had to."

On Wednesday Mrs. Rob Walker entertained at cards in their honor, the games being played in the pergola preceding a buffet luncheon.

On Thursday following, Mrs. Ray Walker was hostess at a luncheon at her country home, a large number motoring down from town to attend the affair.

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Mrs. Benner X. Smith, Mrs. Heber Wells, Mrs. O. W. Powers and Mrs. E. O. Howard have promised to be at the Country Club this afternoon in time to ask if you'll have lemon in your tea, and if the weather keeps warming up there'll be standing room only tonight.

It promises to be a gala occasion in spite of the table d'hote dinner, which will be followed by the usual dance, and it is to be hoped that the rule for members to bring but one guest who lives in town will be slightly heeded.

On Saturday last the club presented the appearance of most anything that looked like butchers and grocers day at Wandamere, a crowded tourist sleeper, or a piece of cheese.

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Here are some of the rules recently adopted by some angry society ladies of East Oakland as a rebuke to the sheriff of San Leandro, who has a record for grabbing more violators of the automobile laws than any official in the state. It would be a good idea to make them national. Thus they read:

1—On discovering an approaching team, the automobilist must stop offside and cover his machine with tarpaulin painted to correspond with the scenery.

2—On approaching a corner where he cannot command a view of the road ahead, the autoist must stop not less than 100 yards from the turn, toot his horn, ring a bell, fire a revolver, hallo, and send up three bombs at intervals of five minutes.

3—Automobilists and autos must be seasonably painted—that is, so they will agree with the pastoral ensemble and not be startling. They must be green in spring, golden in summer, red in autumn and white in winter.

4—Automobiles running on the country roads at night must send up a red rocket every mile and wait ten minutes for the road to clear. They may then proceed carefully, blowing their horns and shooting Roman candles.

5—In case a horse will not pass an automobile, in spite of the scenic tarpaulin, the motorist must take the machine apart as rapidly as possible and conceal the parts in the grass.

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The return of the wandering tatter who made it so unpleasant for most every one before she departed from here several years ago, has resulted in the quick hoisting of the danger signal by those who cannot forget her genius for inven-



Miss Evelyn Powers of Denver, who is the guest of Miss Margaret Walker.

tion and unique proclivities as an advance agent for Trouble. She does not appear to be receiving the same attention that her irresistible witchery once gained for her, but never fear that she will not reciprocate for any lack of courtesies before she leaves.

Just why she has arrived on the scene is not clear—there are no battleships in this harbor.

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In honor of Mrs. Gustave A. Weiser before her departure for Europe, Captain and Mrs. W. A. Cavanaugh gave a dinner at the Fort Sunday night, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James entertained at a dinner at the Commercial Club on Wednesday evening, and on Thursday Mrs. F. W. Scofield was hostess at a dinner at the Scofield country home on Fifth East.

Mrs. Weiser has gone to New York and will sail in a few days on one of the Cunarders, remaining abroad some time.

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A beautiful home wedding of Wednesday evening was that of Miss Bessie Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Brooks, to Victor C. Jenson, Bishop Christenson performing the ceremony.

The wedding was witnessed only by the immediate families, but a large number of friends attended the reception which followed. Mr. and

Mrs. Jenson are spending their honeymoon in the east.

Mrs. W. W. Armstrong was hostess at a luncheon at the Country club on Wednesday.

## HAPPENINGS AND WHEREABOUTS.

Mrs. W. F. James entertained at a luncheon on Thursday at the Alta club.

The Misses Marguerite and Gladys Richmond gave a luncheon at the Commercial club on Friday for Miss Dunn of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Keyes entertained at the Alta club Sunday evening and at the Lagoon on Tuesday.

Mrs. A. W. McCune will be the hostess at a large reception at the McCune home on Tuesday in honor of Governor Spry and staff.

Mrs. Frances B. Clark, the mother of John E. Clark, is here visiting him and will remain some weeks at the Keith apartments.

Miss Lucille Clark has returned from the east and will spend the summer here with Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Hamilton at their country home.

Dr. E. A. Tripp is home from Chicago.

Mrs. Frank B. Stephens has returned from the east.

Miss Stella Fabian entertained delightfully at a bridge tea at the Country club on Monday in honor of the Misses Chapman, who are here from Boston to spend the summer.

In honor of Mrs. Robert Glendinning of Mexico, Mrs. Karl Sche'd gave a luncheon at the Country club on Wednesday.

Arthur Moreton, son of J. B. Moreton, returned from Yale on Thursday, where he has just finished the law course, obtaining his degree in one year. Young Moreton was admitted to the bar in this state before entering college and has made an enviable record.

Mrs. Arthur Bird and children are in Corbin, Idaho, where they will spend the summer.

The bankers, barristers, artists, actors, musicians and the rest of the Bohemians who went camping on the north fork of the Snake, have returned and report a lovely voyage.

John S. McCune Critchlow left for Brighton on horseback during the week. It is believed that he got there, though no reports have as yet been forthcoming.

Miss Elizabeth McCune has returned from New York and will spend the summer here.

Miss Cary Marshall left for Lake Tahoe on Thursday where she will remain until late in August.

Mrs. Joseph E. Caine gave a tea at her home on Friday for Mrs. Ada Dwyer Russell.

Mrs. Sam Park and Miss Elsie Parsons entertained at large luncheons at the Country club on Wednesday.

A wedding of local interest which took place at Bellington, Washington, on Wednesday was that of Miss Hazel Culmer and Walter Hinman of Seattle.

Kenneth C. Kerr will be the host at a dinner to be given this evening for the men in the passenger department of the Salt Lake Route.

Mrs. H. P. Henderson, accompanied by her niece, Miss Florence Reynolds, has returned from Chicago.

Mrs. Theodore A. Baldwin has arrived in America and after a visit with Mrs. Judge and Miss Judge in California, will come here to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Louis McCornick will give a motor party on Sunday evening followed by a supper at her home. The affair is in honor of Miss Kinney and Miss Fitch.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hooper Dunbar of Los Angeles has announced the engagement of her daughter